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CEREMONIAL WORK.



IN our last issue we commented upon a number of problems in Lodge working raised by V.W. Bro. J. B. Thomson, G.Lec., in a paper recently read before the Research Lodge of Otago. No. 161. There are still several points raised in this valuable and practical paper that warrant further consideration. Dealing with the actual ceremonial work of the Lodge, Bro. Thomson rightly laid emphasis on dignity and impressiveness as the qualities mainly to be desired. In our view, however, he went beyond what the facts warrant, and fell into some exaggeration, when he said:

"How often do we hear charges gabbled at such a pace that the candidate can hardly be expected to get the words, let alone the sense?"

The implication here is clearly that hasty and gabbled ritual work is prevalent in the Territory at the present time. While in some instances there may be just ground for the criticism, our experience is that gabbled and hurried delivery of charges, and hurried performance of ritual work generally, is the rare exception rather than the rule with us in New Zealand at all events. In fact, we consider that standards of rendition have risen greatly in the last generation, and are still on the up grade.

This trend is due, we think, mainly to three reasons. The first is now a matter of history, being the substitution of a printed ritual for oral tradition supplemented by scraps of writing as an aid to the memory. Incredible though it now sounds, this was not uncommon in the Dominion some sixty years and more ago. Few living Brethren can remember the days when ritual was handed down by oral tradition, though at one time it was quite usual.

Such a system has at first view a romantic and traditional flavour, dating from the time when reading was an unusual accomplishment. It is, however, like many antiquarian relics, thoroughly undesirable in practice. It fostered, and indeed made inevitable, purposeless variations from time to time and place to place, it impaired the dignity of language, and lowered standards of delivery, tending to produce the gabbled effect criticised by the author of the paper. The introduction and general use of a printed ritual many years ago did much to elevate and standardise ceremonial working.

Another factor making for improved working standards is the much higher level of education now prevailing in New Zealand. Illiteracy in the sense of inability to read or write is virtually non-existent in our country. This has greatly improved standards of speech, enunciation and appreciation of the meaning of language on the part of the average citizen, and has contributed its quota to the improvement of Lodge standards. Finally, in this connection, might be mentioned the excellent work

accomplished by informal Lodges of Instruction, and the valuable assistance rendered by Lodge preceptors and other experienced Brethren who do excellent work in the ceremonial tuition of younger members.

We are therefore of opinion that actual standards of rendition, generally speaking, are perhaps less open to this type of comment than Bro. Thomson's comment seems to imply. Nevertheless he makes some excellent points that Lodge officers would do well to ponder. For one thing, in emphasising the need for good memorising, he impliedly lays stress on verbal accuracy in delivery, and condemns deviations from the wording of the charges. We attach considerable importance to this matter. While minor deviations from the standard text of the ritual are inevitable owing to unavoidable occasional lapses of memory, Brethren delivering charges have no right whatever deliberately and consciously to vary the prescribed wording.

It is not as unusual as it should be to find instances where senior Brethren take it upon themselves to vary the wording of a charge, because some other word or wording pleases them better; or to omit sentences or passages that they do not like, perhaps substituting others more to their taste: or to concoct little additions or variations to the ritual canons of work. We have even known cases where an entirely new charge, quite novel to the ritual has been delivered by a Brother from the Chair itself. It is obvious that if such a practice became general it would not be long before contradictory and contentious sentiments would be introduced. Also, in view of the inherent human propensity towards variation, uniformity of working would be impaired, perhaps entirely disappear, and a state of ritual chaos result.

Another desideratum stressed by Bro. Thomson is the need for slow and clear diction. This requirement must be interpreted with common sense; for while gabbled ritual is painful to listen to, so also is a charge delivered with exaggerated and sepulchral slowness. On the other hand, delivery of charges is not, and should not be regarded, as an elocutionary exercise, and made with elaborate rhetorical effects and gestures. There is room here in a small way for the application of the sound Masonic rule of the due mean.

It is of course true that the ceremony should be regarded primarily from the point of view of the candidate. He cannot be expected on the occasion of the ceremony to grasp the full implication of all that is told him, but he should be charged in such a fashion that he is able without mental confusion to comprehend what is said to him as and when it is delivered. It must also not be forgotten that there are the Brethren as a whole to be considered. Experience, and the attendance book, show clearly that the majority of the Brethren prefer degree work to any

other business, and charges should accordingly be audible to everybody within the temple.

Bro. Thomson is, we think, to be thanked for raising these important if familiar issues, which officers of Lodges would do well to consider. He is also on firm ground, we suggest, when he asserts that in the interests of the Lodge itself, and of the Craft, reasonable capacity as a ritualist should be regarded as an indispensable qualification in all candidates for office.

FREEMASONRY'S MESSAGE.

The message of Freemasonry to the world is "Neither creed, colour, nor race matters—the only vital orthodoxy is the orthodoxy of love; the only dreadful heresy is the heresy of hate. In Freemasonry, whether a man is black, yellow, or brown, he is our brother; and we must do all we can to stand up for him and his rights as a human being, a living soul. We ought to thank God that in this country we are free men—free to express our thoughts, free to live our lives, free to gather together in such gatherings as this, with none to make us afraid."— Bro. Sir Thomas Allen.

THE GRAND MASTER.

M.W. BRO. HIS EXCELLENCY SIR CYRIL NEWALL.

For the first time in the history of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand it has an airman as its Grand Master—His Excellency, Marshal of the Royal Air Force, Sir Cyril Newall, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.M.G., C.B.E., A.M.

For three years prior to his appointment as Governor-General of the Dominion, working day and night, he planned, organised and carried to completion the immense air resources of Britain.

It may be mentioned that the new Grand Master began his air career in a machine which was mostly wood and wire. That was in 1910 when he took a year's leave from India so that he could learn to fly, so convinced was he of the future of the air. That machine did not fall to pieces and he gained his pilot's certificate in 1911, after which he tried to break down Army prejudice against the air, though not with any great success until the war of 1914-1918.

Sir Cyril was then the only officer of high rank to hold the Albert Medal, a distinction usually awarded only for peace-time heroism. When a Royal Flying Corps bomb store, containing 2,000 high explosive bombs, caught fire he played a hose through a hole made by the flames and then led a small party into the building when the bombs threatened to blow everything, including the surrounding district, sky-high. The fire was quenched. That was in 1916 when he was enjoying a rest from France.

Sir Cyril was soon in the thick of the fighting when war broke out in 1914. As a Flight Commander he went straight to France with the No. 1 Squadron, and in those days air fighting was done with machines which are now museum pieces. By 1915 he was Wing Commander with the 41st Bombing Wing, which carried out furious

operations against German objectives, so that he knows the political and military effect of bombing behind the enemy lines. By 1917 he had command of his own squadron and his fame had spread abroad. He emerged from the war with three rows of ribbons on his tunic, including French, Belgian, and Italian decorations, and a permanent post with the newly constituted Royal Air Force.

From 1926 to 1931 Sir Cyril Newall was at the Air Ministry, first as Director of Operations and Intelligence, and then as Deputy Chief of Air Staff. After a spell as commander of the heavy bombers he went to Egypt. Then, in 1934, he returned to London for another period at the Air Ministry as Air Member for Supply and Organisation, succeeding Sir Edward Ellington as Chief of the Air Staff in 1937.

The Royal Air Force to-day is largely the creation of Sir Cyril Newall. Chief of the Air Staff throughout the tremendous expansion of the force, he forged the formidable weapon that has frustrated the German air fleets. From the outbreak of war, until he left England to come to New Zealand, he carried an enormous responsibility, for in defence and in attack the operations of the Royal Air Force have been continuous. There has not been a day, no matter what the weather or other conditions, when its machines have not been aloft.—"The Airman."

REAL USE OF FREEMASONRY.

That the real use of Freemasonry in the world is its effect on man outside of the lodge room. Its teachings and ritual, beautiful as they are, are only means, not ends. We are brought to light in order that we may let our light shine before men, that they may see our good works and join us in glorifying the Great Architect of the Universe. If we fail to do this we are untrue to our obligation and are unworthy Freemasons.—Exchange.

FREEDOM.

By W. Bro. John E. Hunt, P.G.S.

FREEDOM is defined to be a state of exemption from the control or power of another. The doctrine that Masons should enjoy unrestrained liberty, and be free in all their thoughts and actions, is carried so far in Masonry that no Grand Lodge will permit the initiation of a candidate who even is only temporarily deprived of his liberty. It must be evident that the word "Freedom" is used in Masonry in a symbolical sense, differing from its ordinary signification, while in the word "Free-born and Free man" we use them in their usual legal acceptance.

Freedom is a word often heard amongst us but which is restricted to the same limitation as the freedom of social life. We have in our assemblies no freedom to act each one as he pleases, but we are, or we should be, free from the dominion of passion, pride, prejudice and all other follies of our human nature. We must be free from the false delusion that we need not be obedient to our laws. The word "Freedom" should not be taken in its sense of liberty but rather in its primitive meaning of frankness,

generosity and a willingness to perform one's duty as one ought.

BRETHREN IN WELLINGTON HOSPITALS.

COMMITTEE REPORT No. 11.

The following Brethren are patients in the Wellington Hospitals:-

Ewart Hospital: Bro. Rowland Hill, Lodge Pacific, No. 2. He is making steady progress and still keeping his cheery smile and optimistic outlook.

Public Hospital, Victoria Ward: Bro. R. J. Tomlin, Lodge Eastbourne, No. 217. He is still under observation, is feeling very well and hopes in the near future to be well enough to be moved from the hospital.

Ward 5: Bro. Thos. McCristell, William Ferguson Massey Lodge, No. 282. He is making steady progress towards recovery, is quite bright and cheery and hopes that before many days he may be able to return home and enjoy the comfort of his own fireside.

Ward 21: Bro. Vic. Neilson, Warn Lodge, No. 173. Our old friend has returned from the West Coast to have more attention given to his war wound which he received in North Africa.

Ward 22: Bro. W. Taylor, Lodges Abercorn and Eketahuna, another of our soldier Brethren who is suffering from war wounds received in the Pacific.

Ward 27: Bro. Alec. Reith, Lodge Coronation, No. 127, is making favourable progress towards recovery and hopes to be quite well in the near future. The Brethren at Johnsonville send him their kindest good wishes and fraternal greetings.

Bro. M. Ponimone, Lodge Jellicoe, No. 259, has just entered hospital and has not been visited at the time of going to press. Our representatives will visit him on their weekly rounds when we hope they will find him progressing well.

Lewisham Hospital: Bro. Reg. A. Ballantyne, Lodge Karori, No. 247. Making good progress and hopes to be home soon.

Bro. J. G. Lancaster, Whetu Kairangi Lodge, No. 201. Has made a wonderful recovery and has returned home.

Bowen Street: Bro. A. Greenberg, Lodge Aroha, No. 293. Fully recovered and returned home.

Bro. W. Proudfoot, Brooklyn Lodge, No. 132. Is now making good progress towards complete recovery.

Bro. M. Shapiro, Lodge Hataitai, No. 285. Making good progress and will soon be convalescent.

We are pleased to report that the high spirit and cheery 'optimistic outlook of the Brethren are well maintained, and even those who have spent months in hospital give much encouragement to our representatives in so much as to make them feel that the visiting has been well worth while.

GRAND LODGE OF NEW ZEALAND.

Fifty-fifth Annual Communication.

The fifty-fifth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand was held in Dunedin on Wednesday, 22nd November, the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. G. Teagle, presiding.

The unanimous choice by the Craft of His Excellency the Governor-General, Sir Cyril Newall, as Grand Master for the ensuing year was confirmed by Grand Lodge.

ELECTIVE OFFICERS.

The brethren recommended by the Board of General Purposes for election to Grand Lodge office for 1944-45, as published in the September issue of "The Craftsman," were duly elected, with three alterations. Owing to the death of W. Bro. R. J. Gamble (Wellington), who was recommended for office as Grand Steward, W. Bro. E. A. Sargent was elected in his stead. W. Bro. C. V. Smith (Otago), recommended for election to the Board of General Purposes, asked leave to withdraw, and V.W. Bro. H. S. Bingham was elected. W. Bro. J. Hunter was also elected a member of the Board of General Purposes. A ballot which was demanded by Lodge Taharangi. No. 235, for the office of President of the Board of General Purposes, resulted:— W. Bro. C. G. Hedge, P.G.P., 532; V.W. Bro. H. S. Bingham, P.G.D.C., 459.

FUNDS AND FINANCE.

The Statement of Accounts and Annual Balance Sheet for the period ended 30th September, 1944, included the following items:-

Fund of General Purposes.

Receipts ..	£ 6,227 1 1
Expenditure	6,257 10 11

Widows' and Orphans' and Aged Masons' Fund.

Receipts	£17,862 6 5
Expenditure	8,732 0 0

Special (War) Benevolent Fund.

Receipts ..	£654 13 7
Expenditure	72 12 6

Fund of Benevolence.

Receipts ..	£1,390 7 3
Expenditure	754 12 1

Circular Appeal Funds.

Receipts	£1,215 13 3
Expenditure	500 0 1

Representation Fund.

Receipts ..	£ 1,316 8 0.
Expenditure	1,047 15 0

The Esson K.M.I. Prize Fund.

Receipts	£ 5 5 0
Expenditure	5 5 0

Visiting Services Entertainment Fund.

Receipts	£613 9 10
Expenditure	100 2 6
Invested Funds ..	£219,912 15 0

Invested Funds at 30th' Sept. (previous)	205,540 0 0
Investments are as follows:-	
N.Z. Government Securities ..	£114,727 15 0
Local Body Securities, including £20	
Wellington Masonic Hall Co. Shares .	105,185 0 0
On Current Account ..	£4,505 14 11

Cash Balances of the Several Funds.

Fund of General Purposes ..	£5,422 1 7
Widows' and Orphans' and Aged Masons' Fund	192,101 11 9
Special (War) Benevolent Fund .	16,174 8 6
Fund of Benevolence .	6,115 14 6
Circular Appeal Funds	1,694 6 11
Representation Fund ..	2,247 4 4
The Esson K.M.I. Prize Fund ..	149 15 0
Visiting Services Entertainment Fund ..	513 7 4
	<u>£224,418 9 11</u>

FUND OF GENERAL PURPOSES.

Receipts.

To Grand Lodge Dues ..	£3,862 13 6
„ Initiations and Certificate Fees ..	1,131 0 0
„ Joining Fees -- . - ..	125 5 0
„ Dispensations -- . ..	172 4 0
„ Exchanges.. ..	35 6 1
„ P.M. Enrolment Fees..	136 8 6
„ Sale of Books of Constitution, Rituals, Bibles, and other Books.. ..	735 4 0
„ Certifying By-laws	8 0 0
„ Charter Fees .. - .	21 0 0
„ Excess of Expenditure over Income..	<u>30 9 10</u>
	£6,527 10 11

Payments.

By Annual Communication Expenses"£278 19 7	
„ Grand Officers' Expenses	197 8 6
„ Provincial Grand Masters' Expenses ..	275 7 6
„ Printing Book of Proceedings and Board's Reports	475 3 3
„ Ordinary Printing and Stationery, including New Ledger's Cash Book ..	352 5 2
„ Obligation Bibles	430 18 4
„ Books of Constitution and Laws	255 13 6
„ Rituals and other Books	5 4 0
„ Repairs to Regalia and Jewels	1 12 6
„ Regalia and Jewel for Grand Tyler	10 0 0
„ Repairs to Office Furniture and Equipment	13 14 0
„ Fee for Reviewing Foreign Grand Lodge Proceedings	37 16 0
„ Fee for Publication of Reviews in Craftsman"	56 3 4
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„ Telegrams	182 14 2
„ Exchanges and Bank Charges collecting Interest Coupons, etc.,..	105 13 6
„ Office Rent, Heating, and Lighting ..	316 4 2
„ Office Cleaning..	46 0 0
„ Audit Fee	52 10 0
„ Telephone, P.O. Box and Code Address	
„ Subscriptions	39 0 0
„ Insurance on Regalia, Office Furniture, etc.	23 3 8
„ Subscription to "Craftsman" (2 years)	..

and other Masonic Journals ..	83 2 3
„ Directory --	3 11 0
„ Freight and Cartages on Regalia, etc. ..	3 6 3
„ Wreaths	2 16 0
„ Research Lodges..	100 0 0
„ Salaries	2,764 5 0
„ Certificate Forms ..	69 15 3
„ Grant to Lodge Trentham towards cost of entertaining Service Brethren ..	50 0 0
„ Stamp Duty on Cheque Books ..	16 17 4
„ Advertising	1 5 6
„ Sundry small charges.	<u>7 1 2</u>
„ Surplus for year carried to Balance Sheet	£6,257 10 11

* Previous meeting in Christchurch cost £274 3s 7d.

The report of the Board of General Purposes included the following items:-

W. Bro. Louis Hammond, F.G.D., aged 76.— Initiated Lodge St. John, No. 84, in 1893. Joined Ponsonby Lodge, No. 54, in 1910; W.M., 1916. Secretary in 1918 and 1927 to 1942, relinquishing office owing to ill-health.

Secretary, Auckland Hall Committee, 1930-1943. General Secretary, Grand Lodge Communication in Auckland, 1932, 1937, 1939. Junior Grand Deacon, 1935. The rank of Past Grand Warden (Junior) was recommended.

W. Bro. Valentine Dunn, aged 67.-Initiated in Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 1,338, E.C., in 1903; W.M.. 1910.

District Grand Sword Bearer, 1913. Foundation member of the Combined Forces Lodge, No. 284. Secretary, 1925-1930. Treasurer, 1932. Secretary, 1933-1944. The rank of Past Grand Deacon was recommended.

W. Bro. John Thomas Mangin, aged 83.-Initiated in Lodge Methuen, No. 51, in 1891; W.M. in 1893 and 1905. Elected to honorary membership in 1933. During his long membership of the Lodge Wor. Bro. Mangin has always retained a keen interest in its affairs. The rank of Past Grand Deacon was recommended.

W. Bro. John P. E. Veale, aged 65.—Charter Member of Lodge Canterbury Kilwinning, No. 23, 1907. Charter Member of United Forces Lodge, No. 245, in 1922; Secretary, 1922-1923; 'W.111, 1925 and 1937; Secretary, 1928-1937. Provincial Grand Director of Ceremonies, 1936-37. Provincial Grand Treasurer for six years. The Provincial Grand Master stated that had W. Bro. Veale continued in office in Christchurch he would have been first in line for the office of Grand Treasurer in 1947. The rank of Past Grand Director of Ceremonies was recommended.

R.W. Bro. John A. Sparrow, P.Prov.G.M., aged 69.— Initiated in a Scotch Lodge in 1903. Joined Lodge Manuhierikia Kilwinning, No. 109, in 1908; W.M. in 1922. Charter Member of Lodges Waverley, No. 226, Koputai, No. 238, St. Clair, No. 246, and Achilles, No. 310. Grand Standard Bearer in 1925; Junior Grand Warden 1933; Provincial Grand Master, 1937-1940. The rank of Past Pro Grand Master was recommended.

W. Bro. Robert S. F. Inder, aged 88—Initiated in the Mount Ida Lodge, No. 97, in 1881; W.M. in 1891. The rank of Past Grand Bible Bearer was recommended.

W. Bro. Archibald McLaren, P.G.Swd.B., aged 77.— Initiated in Leinster Lodge, No. 44, in 1909; W.M., 1917. Grand Steward, 1925; Grand Sword Bearer, 1931. Has

held office in his lodge for 32 years, being Secretary for the past 23 years. The rank of Past Grand Director of Ceremonies was recommended.

W. Bro. Henry Walker, P.G.S., aged 76.—Initiated in the Coronation Lodge, No. 127, in 1904. Joined Lodge Horowhenua, No. 135, in 1907; W.M. in 1911. Grand Steward, 1935. The rank of Past Grand Deacon was recommended.

R.W. Bro. John J. Pickett, P.G.W., aged 91.—Initiated in Lodge Greytown, No. 1,720, E.C., in 1883, and became a Charter Member of Lodge Haeta, No. 272, from Lodge Abercorn, No. 30, in 1924. W.M. of Lodge Abercorn, No. 30, in 1890. Grand Steward in 1892. Grand Bible Bearer, 1895. Grand Superintendent of Works, 1897. Grand Warden (honoris causa), 1933. R.W. Bro. Pickett has given active service to the Craft for 61 years, and even at his advanced age continues to do so. The rank of Past Deputy Grand Master was recommended.

W. Bro. William Mackintosh, aged 68.—Initiated in Scotland. Joined Wairau Lodge, No. 42, in 1915; W.M., 1921. Treasurer of the Lodge for the past 21 years; Auditor for 5 years. Director of the Masonic Temple Company since its inception. The rank of Past Grand Deacon was recommended.

W. Bro. Robert A. Upchurch, aged 68.—Initiated in Lodge Rangatira, No. 71, in 1911. Joined Lodge Ruahine, No. 128, in 1914; W.M. in 1920. The rank of Past Grand Sword Bearer was recommended.

W. Bro. Arthur J. Butler, aged 68.—Initiated in Lodge Kumara in 1918. Joined Lodge Advance, No. 61, in 1920; W.M. in 1924. W. Bro. Butler held the office of Director of Ceremonies for many years. The rank of Past Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies was recommended.

W. Bro. Andrew Nicol, aged 70.—Initiated in Lodge Waterloo, No. 13, in 1896. Joined Lodge Masterton, No. 19; in 1906. W.M. of Lodge Waihenga, No. 150, in 1913. Joined Lodge Whakatane, No. 198, in 1931, and still an energetic member. The rank of Past Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies was recommended.

W. Bro. Thomas A. Bradley, aged 73.—Initiated in Mount Egmont Lodge, No. 670, E.C., 1895. Charter Member of Lodge Ikaroa, No. 115; W.M., 1901. Member of Lodge Stratford, Nb. 75, until moving to the Waikato in 1924, when he joined Lodge Tawhiri, No. 166. Has held the office of Preceptor for years. W.M. Lodge Tawhiri in 1939. Member of the Board of Benevolence. The rank of Past Grand Bible Bearer was recommended.

PROVINCIAL GRAND MASTERS.

The Board placed on record its sincere appreciation and that of Grand Lodge of the valuable service rendered to the Craft by the Provincial Grand Masters.

R.W. Brother Andrew Noble, Provincial Grand Master of Southland District, passed away on 30th May, 1944, during the sixth year in this high office.

R.W. Bro Dr. G. J. Yule acceded to the request of the Grand Master to take charge of the district until the end of the year. R.W. Brother Yule is unable to accept the appointment for a further term owing to ill-health.

R.W. Brother F. F. Boustridge, Provincial Grand Master of West Coast for the past three years, has requested permission to retire at the conclusion of the present term. The Board expressed appreciation of the valuable service given by R.W. Brother Boustridge, and expressed the hope that he would continue in good health to serve the Craft for many more years.

R.W. Bro. C. S. Thompson, on the completion of six years' service as Provincial Grand Master of Canterbury, did not seek re-election, and will be succeeded by Wor. Brother Alfred J. Jones, who has been elected unanimously by the Lodges of the Canterbury Province for the ensuing triennial period.

The Board expressed regret that at the time of writing its report R.W. Brother Dr. W. T. Simmons, Provincial Grand Master, Taranaki District, was seriously ill, and expressed the hope that he would soon be restored to normal good health.

KIRKPATRICK MASONIC INSTITUTE.

In his annual report, the chairman of the board of governors of the Institute stated that the income and expenditure account showed a surplus of £180 8s 9d, after making the usual reserve for depreciation and renewals. The liquid funds of the board now stand at the very substantial figure of £2,023 19s 10d, invested in Government debentures, local body debentures, liberty loans, and National Savings Account.

During the year eight children were admitted and one left the Institute. There is now a full complement of girls in residence. The small number of children on the roll during the early part of the year caused the board so much concern that a publicity campaign was undertaken, with the advice and assistance of Wor. Bro. J. M. A. Ilott, in order to make the services offered by the Institute more widely known. This action resulted in immediate applications for admission. The Board of Benevolence and the Annuity Board of Grand Lodge also took every opportunity of bringing to the notice of widows who had eligible daughters the advisability of taking advantage of the wonderful opportunities offered by the Institute.

PAPAKURA MASONIC BOYS' HOME.

The committee of management of the above home stated that from January this year a full complement of ten boys have been cared for in the Home, that being the maximum number provided for in the trust deed for each home operated under its provisions.

The boys are all happy and contented, their conduct is exemplary and they are a credit to the care and attention given to them by the managers, V.W. Bro. Louis Tustain and his wife. The home has been visited by nearly 200 brethren during the year, including brethren from the Allied Forces from other countries. The visitors, especially those from overseas, are lavish in their commendation of the work carried on in the home. Plans are now being prepared for another home to accommodate a further ten boys, the erection of which will be proceeded with as soon as war and economic conditions permit. The committee desire to express their thanks to the many brethren who have entertained the boys at the home during the year, and they assure them that their kindly actions have been very helpful in the work of the home.

and that their visits are eagerly looked forward to by the boys.

NEW ZEALAND LODGE, No. 5175, LONDON.

Although the usual annual reports from New Zealand Lodge, No. 5175, have not been received for the past two years. the lodge summonses indicate that the lodge is functioning regularly. Several members of the New Zealand Forces stationed in England have been initiated, passed, and raised by the lodge during the year.

Bro. M. E. Hankins. a member of the lodge, who recently returned to England, reports that the Memorial Temple in London still stands intact and undamaged, and that No. 5175 meets there regularly.

Brother H. R. Hull was installed as Master in April and appointed Bros. L. Comrie and F. Standford as his Wardens.

The board expresses the hope that the lodge will continue to prosper.

THE WAR.

Approximately 250 members of the Craft have joined the Armed Forces during the year, and during the same period 46 have lost their lives in the service of their country, and approximately 600 have been discharged from the Forces.

The board remarks that previous reports indicated that the formation of the 2nd N.Z.E.F. Masonic Association shortly after the first echelon reached its base was fully justified, and many hundreds of brethren have had reason to be thankful for the opportunities given by the Association for New Zealand Freemasons to meet and fraternise. A letter received recently from an official of the association states that close on 1,000 have joined the association, though there are rather less than 500 now in the Middle East. Of the others some have passed on, others are prisoners of war, returned to New Zealand, or have gone elsewhere.

Other Masonic Associations have been formed in the Pacific, the majority of the members being brethren of American lodges. New Zealanders have been admitted to membership of these associations, and those who have returned speak highly of the fraternal spirit evinced at all meetings. The generosity of the Pacific Association is referred to in the report of the Board of Benevolence.

CONDITION OF THE CRAFT.

303 Active Lodges. Membership at 30th June, 1943. 27,685.

ADD—

Initiations	..	1,301
Joinings	..	<u>531</u>
		1,832
		29,517

LESS--

Demitted and Resigned Clear ..	518
Struck off and Resigned in Arrears	117
Deceased	.. <u>451</u>
	<u>1,086</u>

Membership at 30th June, 1944 28,431

The net gain for the year ended 30th June, 1944, was 746, as against 471 for the previous year. The figure 28,431 marks a new record of membership.

A new lodge—Achilles, No. 310—with a Charter Membership of 19, was consecrated on 1st September, 1944.

PROPOSED MASONIC SCHOLARSHIPS.

At the 1939 Communication of Grand Lodge the board reported that one of the recommendations of the Jubilee Committee was that bursaries to assist children of Freemasons in their post-primary education should be established. The suggestion met with approval, and the board later appointed a committee to draw up detailed proposals for consideration. The matter was before the board in Christchurch from time to time, and the committee was authorised to postpone presenting its report; sine die.

The proposal was reopened at the 1943 Communication, and the suggestion was made that the board would welcome a report and endeavour to carry out any suggestions made.

The committee (R.W. Bros. C. S. Thompson, Prov.G.M., and P. H. Harris, P.G.W.) submitted its report, which was used by the Board of General Purposes as the basis of the following report, which was submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval and adoption:—

1. Five scholarships to be provided, to be awarded annually to deserving children of Freemasons whose parents find it a hardship to complete their children's post-primary education.
2. Three scholarships to be made available to children of brethren belonging to lodges in the North Island and two to children of brethren belonging to lodges in the South Island.
3. The value of the scholarships will be £30 per annum. For scholars who are obliged to live away from home this amount may be increased to a maximum of £60 per annum.
4. The scholarship shall be tenable at any State post-primary school or registered private post-primary school approved of by the board for two years.

The board may, however, at its discretion increase this period to a maximum of three years in the case of especially capable scholars.

5. The scholarship shall not be tenable with any other bursary or scholarship.
6. Candidates shall be selected on general qualifications for secondary education. No formal examination to be held. Character and personality to be considered.
7. Candidates shall not be more than 15 years of age on the 1st day of July in the year in which the candidates are selected.
8. Candidates shall have completed a two-year course in a State post-primary school, registered private post-primary school, or under the State Correspondence Tuition course (including year of selection).

9. In the month of April each year lodges will be invited to nominate suitable candidates (see Clause 1 above) to receive scholarships. Full particulars concerning each candidate, and a form of questionnaire to be obtained on application to the Grand Secretary, shall be given to the Provincial Grand Master. Nominations should reach the Provincial Grand Master not later than the 11th July. Provincial Grand Masters shall forward each application, with the necessary particulars and their report, to the Board of General Purposes not later than the 31st July. On a separate form, to be handed to the Provincial Grand Master, the parent or guardian of the child shall furnish reasons why he seeks the benefit of the scholarship.
10. The Selection Committee shall consist of the Grand Master, or his nominee, the President of the Board of General Purposes, the Grand Registrar, and two members to be appointed annually by the Board of General Purposes.
11. Any matters not provided for will, as they occur, be dealt with by the Board of General Purposes.
12. In order to provide a Scholarship Fund, it is proposed to amend Rule 190, Book of Constitution, by increasing the amount payable by every Craft Lodge for each of its members, half-yearly, from is 6d to is 9d.

GRAND SECRETARY'S VISIT TO AUSTRALIA.

Acting under instructions from the board, the Grand Secretary visited Australia in April last for the purpose of studying the methods of office administration in South Australia, Victoria, and New South Wales, to meet Grand Officers of those States, and to exchange views on Masonic matters with his brother Grand Secretaries. In his report to the M.W. the Grand Master, he stated that he was warmly received by each of the Grand Secretaries and was accorded the utmost helpfulness and hospitality by the Grand Secretaries and the senior officers of the States visited. He was given the opportunity of interviewing the members of the office staffs, and was thus enabled to make a detailed study of the office routine. Speaking generally, the methods adopted to record those parts of the activities of the lodges and Grand Lodge which come under the direct control of the Board of General Purposes vary little from those in operation in New Zealand. A loose-leaf system of registers which is in use in one of the Grand Lodges could, with advantage, be adopted by the Grand Lodge of New Zealand when the registers at present in use come to be rewritten.

Each of the Grand Lodges visited has a Widows' and Orphans' and Aged Masons' Fund similar to that of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand, if on a less extensive scale. The Australian Grand Lodges, however, have other commendable outlets for benevolence which do not exist in New Zealand. There are cottage homes in Adelaide and Melbourne for aged couples and widows, and Masonic hospitals in Melbourne and Sydney, all of which the Grand Secretary had the opportunity of inspecting.

The commodious and well-furnished and appointed offices of the Grand Secretaries and their staffs in each of

the States visited were most impressive, and also provided working conditions greatly superior to those in New Zealand.

INCREASED INVESTMENTS.

Discussing the balance-sheet and statement of accounts, the Grand Treasurer, V.W. Bro. C. D. Morpeth, said that the net result of the workings of Grand Lodge for the year had been an increase in investments of about £15,000. He referred to the tendency of declining interest rates on investment moneys, but said that one compensating factor had been the very considerable increase in the amount received from lodges in contributions towards the W.O. and A.M. Fund. There was no difficulty at present in meeting commitments, and he did not think difficulty was likely to arise. Nevertheless, he enjoined care in the administration of the funds. Money was very plentiful in wartime, and conditions were liable to change after the war.

THE BENEVOLENT FUNDS.

Dealing with the benevolent funds, the President of the Board of Benevolence, V.W. Bro. H. Hatch, pointed out that the relief administered during the year was £407 less than in the previous year, due to the fact that only 21 applications were received, as against 37. Referring to the Aorangi circular appeal, he pointed out that Grand Lodge was still holding £512 of the fund, as charges for alterations and furniture which had yet to be met. He congratulated the West Coast brethren on what they had done in transforming the widow's house, and said that in establishing the family and giving the children a proper start in life the board felt it had justified itself. He commended to the brethren the circular appeal on behalf of the family of a deceased brother of Southland Lodge.

V.W. Bro. Hatch referred with pleasure to the growing responsibility the Craft was exhibiting towards benevolence—their most important activity—by making more generous contributions to the W.A. and O.M. Fund, and said that the record amount of £10,754 raised during the year had been achieved largely as a result of the work of the Provincial Grand Masters and others who had endeavoured to educate the brethren by emphasising their obligation to distressed brethren and dependants. The West Coast District occupied pride of place with a per capital contribution of 11s 1d. Many of the brethren there were miners, and they had set a magnificent standard of generosity. The Dominion collection averaged 7s 5d per member during the year, and the cost of annuities averaged 6s 1d per member. There were now some 306 adults and 172 children dependent on annuities. One very well organised lodge had made a donation of £264; nine had contributed over £100 each; 46 between 10s and £1; 48 between 7s 5d and 10s; and 198 less than the average of 7s 5d. There were three lodges with under 2s, and one contributed nothing.

"It is quite obvious," said V.W. Bro. Hatch, "that many lodges still make no effort to assist with contributions to the fund other than the collection at the installation ceremony, and much of this is contributed by visitors. Many of these lodges have annuitants and have no compunction in asking Grand Lodge to grant assistance when they have done nothing even by way of casual relief to those who are primarily their responsibility. Some lodges consider

the paying off of mortgages of primary importance, and give little or nothing to charity. The first consideration, however, of all brethren is their duty to those in need. This is an inescapable obligation which none worthy of the name of Mason can evade."

The President said that the board wished to stress the importance of each lodge having an almoner, and would like Grand Lodge to instruct lodges to make such appointments. It is suggested that an almoner be invested, not as a rotation officer, on the regular installation night.

In a retrospect of the benevolent funds, V.W. Bro. Hatch said that since the inception of Grand Lodge £37,025 had been distributed in casual relief, £172,132 by way of annuities, £35,713 through circular appeals, and £27,569 by war grants—a total of £272,439, truly a large sum for a Grand Lodge just over fifty years of age. In addition, many thousands of pounds had been given by lodges direct to indigent brethren. The board thought the Craft could claim justifiable pride in its accomplishment.

Remarking that the board would like to see the annuity fund grow until it could be capitalised at £500,000, V.W. Bro. Hatch said it was not generally recognised that there were now 28,431 members of the Craft, every one of whom might be a prospective claimant, for none could foretell the future. The board suggested that Grand Lecturers might make an extensive study of the benevolent activities and so educate the brethren on this vital phase of the work of the Craft.

The Benevolent Fund reports were adopted.

GENERAL PURPOSES.

The report of the Board of General Purposes was considered clause by clause.

The President of the board, V.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, referred to the very heavy loss of Grand Lodge officers by deaths during the year, and on his motion a vote of condolence with the relatives was passed.

V.W. Bro. Cathie acknowledged on behalf of the board the ceaseless and self-sacrificing service ungrudgingly given by the Provincial Grand Masters, and said that it was reflected in the very healthy and harmonious condition of the Craft.

Since the beginning of the war, he said, 131 brethren had given their lives while serving with the Forces. The number of travelling certificates issued was 2,886. He expressed appreciation of the work of the 2nd N.Z.E.F. Masonic Association, which in turn had been helped by the District Grand Lodge of Egypt and the Sudan, and also of the good work done by the Masonic associations and clubs in the Pacific area.

Grand Lodge approved the fixation of the representation levy for the year at 1s, and Auckland as the place for the next Communication.

Commenting on the proposed Masonic scholarships, V.W. Bro. Cathie said that until it was known what response there was likely to be, it was thought advisable to offer only five scholarships. Should there be need, it was hoped to make a larger number available in succeeding years. The value of the scholarships was higher than was originally suggested; it had been ascertained that small scholarships were not attractive to

those it was desired to help, the reason being that too great a burden was left with the parents. The board had endeavoured to make the scholarships available to children living in out of the way places.

The report as a whole was adopted, with slight amendments suggested by the President of the board.

W. Bro. E. Cannons was re-elected auditor.

AMENDMENTS TO GRAND LODGE LAWS.

Two amendments to the Laws of Grand Lodge (Book of Constitution) which were submitted by the President of the Board of General Purposes were adopted. One defined the duties of the Grand Tyler, an office introduced last year, and the effect of the other was to increase the amount of the levy for the Fund of General Purposes from 1s 6d to 1s 9d for each lodge member. It was explained that the latter change was necessary to enable the fund to carry on the scholarship scheme after the first year. V.W. Bro. Cathie said some lodges might find difficulty in meeting the extra charge, but he pointed out that this was the first time in the history of the fund that a request had been made to increase the levy. The increase was agreed to unanimously.

Discussion on remits bearing on the location of the offices of Grand Lodge is reported under separate headings in this issue.

The business session of Grand Lodge was concluded at 5 p.m.

INSTALLATION CEREMONY.

The ceremony of installing the Grand Officers for the ensuing year took place in the Town Hall in the evening. There was a large attendance of brethren.

The new Grand Master, his Excellency the Governor-General, Sir Cyril Newall, was inducted and invested by M.W. Bro. Teagle. The other principal officers, most of whom were present and were duly invested, were announced as follows:—

Pro Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Ethelbert C. Smith (Gore).
Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. W. J. Girling (Blenheim).

Provincial Grand Masters: R.W. Bro. A. J. Jones (Canterbury), M.W. Bro. O. Nicholson (Auckland), R.W. Bro. S. M. Stone (Wellington), R.W. Bro. J. W. Dykes (Otago), R.W. Bro. A. Bullock (Waikato), R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, (Southland), R.W. Bro. E. C. Hurdfield (Hawke's Bay), R.W. Bro. D. McIvor (West Coast), R.W. Bro. J. Baird Nelson and Marlborough), R.W. Bro. Dr. W. T. Simmons (Taranaki), and R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash (Ruapehu).

Asst. Prov Grand Masters: V.W. Bro. H. Archbold (Dunedin) and V.W. Bro. F. Mogridge (Blenheim).

Senior Grand Warden, R.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie (Wellington).

Junior Grand Warden, R.W. Bro. G. Gilchrist (Te Aroha).

Grand Lecturers: V.W. Bro. A. Bright (Auckland), V.W. Bro. Rev. H. R. Fell (Wellington), V.W. Bro. G. H. Davies (Tauranga), W. Bro. J. B. Thomson (Dunedin).

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

Addressing the brethren, the M.W. Bro. Sir Cyril Newall said he rose to do so with diffidence, as his experience in the Craft was limited to the past few years. Those had been very happy years in New Zealand, during which he had enjoyed much good fellowship and derived great benefit from his association with the Masonic Craft in many parts of the Dominion. He said that the high office he had now attained in the Craft was not of his seeking, and it was only after very serious consideration of the many factors involved, not least of which was the inadequacy of his apprenticeship, that he had decided that it was his duty to allow himself to be nominated as Grand Master. He thanked the brethren for their confidence, and added that it would be his earnest and constant endeavour to be worthy of the honour paid him and to serve the Craft to the best of his ability. Following in the footsteps of a long line of eminent Grand Masters, he approached his task with all humility.

The Grand Master expressed on behalf of Grand Lodge deep appreciation of the zealous and exemplary manner in which M.W. Bro. Teagle had discharged his duties as Grand Master during the past two years, and tendered his personal thanks to him for having conducted the installation ceremony with such traditional dignity.

Contemplating the miraculous improvement in the war situation compared with twelve months previously, the Grand Master referred to the many and dire perils through which the Empire had passed successfully, and with added glory to its name, since 1939, and said they must offer humble thanks to T.G.A.O.T.U. for the protection and Divine guidance -with which we had been favoured. Although grievous suffering and continued sacrifice might yet be required, the ultimate and final defeat of our enemies was certain. In the days to come we should be faced with a gigantic task of rehabilitation throughout the world, and upon all Masons rested an obligation equalled only by the opportunity to play an influential part in this great work. "That we are to survive as a people is no longer in doubt," he added, "but if we are to prove ourselves worthy of Divine grace we must the more earnestly strive to be Masons not only in form but in faith, in spirit, and still more in character, in order that we may contribute to the rehabilitation of the world by setting a standard of life which our thoughts and actions accord with the highest Masonic principles.

"One of the fundamental objects of Freemasonry is the moulding of character which will, by its influence in our everyday life outside the lodge, draw mankind closer together. Never has there been such an opportunity for us 'all to dedicate ourselves anew to the supreme tasks of maintaining the security of the realm and furthering the welfare of mankind. We are under a solemn obligation to preserve and enrich our inherited Christian civilisation. Let us remember, therefore, our duty towards the youth of today who are to be the citizens of tomorrow; let us ensure that they, too, are taught reverence, patriotism, good citizenship, respect for law, and regard for the rights of their fellow-men. Let us actively support all movements which have as their object the training of youth in Christian principles and those other qualities which I have already enumerated. Every one of us can do

a little something by personal example, and if each does his part faithfully the sum of our labours will be great and will prove our worthiness to survive. With the help of the Most High we shall leave a world fairer than we found it in which our children will be free to fear God, honour the King, and serve humanity,"

BACK TO THE OLD ORDER.

LOCATION OF GRAND LODGE OFFICES.

DECISION AT COMMUNICATION.

The location of the Grand Lodge administrative offices has provided the most contentious recurring subject of debate in the Parliament of the Craft since the establishment of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand in 1890. In 1900 and again in 1913 majority decisions in favour of centralisation were expressed, only to be revoked twelve months later. Last year, after keen debate in which most of the old arguments and some new ones both for and against the proposal were ventilated, a recommendation by a special committee was approved that the domicile of the Grand Lodge office and its permanent staff should be in Wellington, while the headquarters of the executive boards should rotate as previously every two years. The voting on that occasion was 513 in favour and 466 against. At the Communication of Grand Lodge at Dunedin on 22nd November last this decision was reversed by a majority of five votes.

The debate was initiated on a dissenting notice lodged last year by W. Bro. W. H. McKinney, P.G.S., on behalf of the St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 8: "That the motion passed yesterday changing the itinerary of Grand Lodge Office be rescinded." There also appeared on the agenda a remit in the name of St. Andrew's Lodge to the same effect and also seeking to suspend the operation of the consequential amendment to the Rules which was passed last year.

Moving pursuant to his notice, W. Bro. McKinney said he considered that the decision last year would not operate for the benefit of Freemasonry in New Zealand, and his lodge opposed centralisation in any of the four centres as much as in Wellington. The Grand Lodge of New Zealand had progressed so satisfactorily under the peripatetic system that any departure from it would be a retrograde step. It was their birthright that Grand Lodge should be located for two years in each centre. He claimed to speak on behalf of the 466 brethren who voted against centralisation last year and also on behalf of those brethren who, he declared, were unjustly required to retire and so missed the opportunity to record their votes. He also argued that many delegates last year had no opportunity of perusing the committee's recommendations before the Communication and of discussing them in their lodges. The committee itself did not give the matter sufficient consideration before making its report, otherwise it would not have said it did not expect much of a saving would be effected by the change. He suggested that under the new system the cost to Grand Lodge would be at least trebled. The committee should have gone into the question of costs more fully. A great deal had been

made at the previous Communication of the need for upholding the dignity of Freemasonry in New Zealand by having permanent premises in Wellington—and it should not be forgotten that it was a Wellington committee which had made the recommendations. On the other hand, the committee exhibited an inferiority complex in its suggestion that the dignity of Freemasonry could well and worthily be upheld in the other centres by having there small branch offices with a clerk in charge. The disadvantage had also been pointed out of having the administrative boards separated from the Grand Lodge office. To have the board of directors of a company in one centre and the company's office in another would be ridiculous. He could not see that the proposed branch offices would be of any use at all. W. Bro. McKinney concluded by repeating that he considered any departure from the system that had operated for the past 54 years would be a retrograde step.

A Wrong Impression.

The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. G. Teagle, intervened to correct a wrong impression created by the mover. Wellington, he said, had nothing whatever to do with the report brought down last year. The report was framed by a small committee of representatives of each of the four main centres. It happened that V.W. Bro. Cathie, President of the Board of General Purposes, who was one of the members, came from Wellington, and he, on behalf of the committee, but not on behalf of Wellington or of any other section of the Dominion, presented the report. The motion was seconded by W. Bro. C. R. de Latour (Lodge Ponsonby, No. 54).

Replying to a point of order raised by V.W. Bro. G. T. Baylee, P.G.R., the Grand Master ruled that the motion was quite in order. It related only to the report submitted at the previous Communication, and if passed, would mean only that the report was not approved; the alteration made to the Constitution would still stand.

W. Bro. Fleming (Lodge St. Andrew's. No. 8) said that while the motion referred to the report of the committee of four, Grand Lodge should take the first opportunity to amend its record, as the form of the adoption of the report was unfortunately irregular. Grand Lodge had a high reputation for the good conduct of its business, but it was quite clear that a grave error of procedure—in fact, more than one error—took place last year. A ballot had been demanded by seven brethren, in accordance with the Rules, but he argued that it was not a proper ballot. The motion carried did not truly represent the opinions of the lodges. In 1932 a referendum of the lodges was made by the Board of General Purposes, and 220 lodges, after full consideration of the issue, voted against centralisation and only 79 for. That was a clear indication of the lodges views. Neither he nor W. Bro. McKinney alleged anything sinister in connection with the procedure at the 1943 communication; the whole of the brethren of the territory, had the same principal aim—the good of Freemasonry in New Zealand, and not the good of Freemasonry in merely one part of the Dominion. There was room for legitimate difference of opinion on a matter of such importance, affecting as it did a system which had been in existence for 54 years, and no change should be made until the lodges were given an opportunity to

discuss the matter and express their opinion. Last year many delegates attended the Communication without having any instruction from their lodges. If local offices were set up in the main centres outside Wellington an officer from the central office would have to move from centre to centre as the boards changed, and there would still be the expense of removal. That officer, moreover, would in fact become the Grand Secretary, placing the Grand Secretary himself in an invidious position. No one wanted to see him reduced to the status of a filing clerk or even to the office of a museum keeper. He was a very popular officer, and the brethren in the various centres wanted to have the benefit of his periodic residence in their midst.

Fear of Dissension.

Emphasising that they did not want government from Wellington, W. Bro. Fleming said they did not concede to any one part of the territory any right or privilege that should not be shared by other parts. Every part of the territory had the right to have the Grand Lodge office located there and so feel the pulse of Freemasonry in New Zealand. As to libraries and museums, he thought each Centre should have its own. To expend money on one centre at the expense of another would cause differences of opinion and resentment throughout the whole territory.

The Grand Master said he wished to correct the misstatement that the lodges did not receive notice of last year's report in time to discuss it in lodge. That was quite erroneous. The secretaries received the report, and if they did not bring it before their lodges then it was not the fault of Grand Lodge. He suggested that speakers should refrain from speaking of Wellington influence in connection with the report. Not one Wellington member spoke at the last Communication. The report was considered by brethren from all over the territory.

Speaking on behalf of those who did not reside in the four main centres, W. Bro. Walter Dobson, P.S.G.D., defied anyone to say that the torch of Freemasonry burned any less brightly in the provinces than in the other centres. He denied that Wellington was responsible for the centralisation move; it had originated, in fact, in Otago—from R.W. Bro. Dykes, who was deserving of the greatest credit for bringing it forward. A representative committee was then formed, and brought down recommendations for centralisation. W. Bro. Dobson argued that Grand Lodge had progressed during its 54 years not because of the peripatetic system but in spite of it. They should learn to advance with the times, and he urged a fair trial for the change instituted at the 1943 meeting of Grand Lodge.

Centralisation Only in Part.

The President of the Board of General Purposes, V.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, pointed out that the 1943 report did not recommend centralisation but decentralisation; it recommended centralisation of the office of Grand Lodge, and decentralisation in other respects, or continuance of the peripatetic system of government as in the past. There were still brethren who imagined that the boards would be permanently located in Wellington. That was not so; the report supported the centralisation of the offices only. The issue in 1932 was different; it referred to complete centralisation of Grand Lodge.

V.W. Bro. C. H. Taylor, Grand Registrar, said there was a feeling that there was a sinister motive behind the authors of the change. Those who supported the alteration could say with perfect truth that they wished to see the good of Freemasonry served. He referred to the personnel of the special committee, and pointed out that they were unanimous, and came to their conclusions with full realisation of the disadvantages of the existing system and the advantages offered by the changes they proposed. Was there anything unreasonable or improper in suggesting a fair trial? If after two years it was seen that the plan did not work they could easily revert to the old system.

V.W. Bro. C. D. Morpeth, Grand Treasurer, likened the controversy to the old provincial question. No business concern would have its administrative offices changing about; they were located in one centre, with branches in other districts.

At this stage it was proposed that the question be put, and on a ballot being taken, W. Bro. McKinney's motion was carried by 556 votes to 454. with 37 informal.

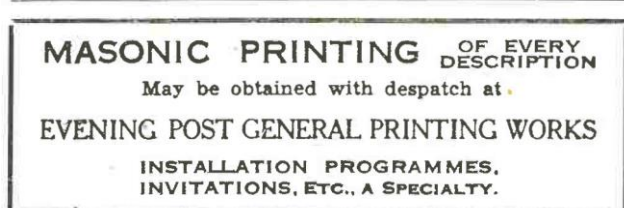
Grand Lodge then proceeded to consider the St. Andrew's Lodge motion to rescind the decision that the Grand Lodge offices should be situated in Wellington, and on a show of hands it was agreed that speeches be limited to three minutes.

In moving, W. Bro. Fleming said that as W. Bro. McKinney's motion had been carried, it was consequently necessary to amend the rule which was changed in 1943. It was purely a machinery measure.

Accommodation Difficulty.

In the course of the ensuing discussion, R.W. Bro. F. F. Boustridge, Prov. G.M., said that brethren coming to the Communication had had experience of the difficulties of travel and accommodation, and would be able to appreciate the discomforts entailed by the uprooting of the families of the members of Grand Lodge staff when it become necessary to change their abode from place to place every two years. In the name of common sense, how could they expect the business of Grand Lodge office to be carried on efficiently under such circumstance's? The brother who had been appointed to take charge of the branch office in Dunedin had advertised for ten days for accommodation, without receiving a single reply. Yet it was proposed to uproot the whole Grand Lodge staff and transfer it to Dunedin at a time when accommodation was at a premium and it was impossible to get a house. He appealed to the brethren to reconsider their decision and leave the matter in abeyance until conditions improved and the altered system had had a fair trial.

On a further ballot, being taken, the motion was carried by 484 votes to 479, with 41 informal.



REVIEW OF PROCEEDINGS OF FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.



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SOUTH AUSTRALIA-1943-44.

153 Lodges, 14,046 members, a gain of 489.

Half-Yearly Communication held 20th October and Annual Communication held 19th April at Adelaide, M. W. Bro. Andrew D. Young, Pro.G.M., presiding at the former, and M.W. Bro. H. E. Sir Malcolm Barclay Harvey, K.C.M.G., G.M., presiding at the latter.

There were 751 initiations (an increase of 223 over the previous year), 250 joinings, 36 affiliations and 548 removals. The peak membership was 15,341 in 1940. Lodges remitted the dues of 1,143 members who had enlisted for service.

Regarding Ballots the Board of General Purposes said in its report:—"The duty and responsibility devolving upon Masters to preserve the secrecy of the ballot cannot be too strongly stressed. The importance of the method to be employed is emphasised by the fact that in the ritual it is plainly pointed out how the ballot shall be distributed and collected. A secret ballot should be, as the name implies, secret, and it is wrong for a Brother to allow his neighbour to see how he votes. It has been equally held to be a violation of the ballot when dissenting members have publicly announced what they have done. A previous intimation of their intention made privately to the Worshipful Master is in accordance with Masonic tradition.

"It is recommended that when the ballot has been scrutinized and declared, the Master shall take steps to obliterate the result that only he and the Immediate Past Master know the votes cast for and against. Where three black balls exclude, it is desirable that the fact of one or two black balls appearing in the ballot should be known by these two Brethren only, and, in the event of an adverse vote, the number of black balls cast should never be divulged. In this connection also, the Master should never use the word 'unanimous' when declaring the result of an election."

During the year £1,322 was distributed in Benevolence. The War Relief Fund increased by £2,500 to £7,350.

R.W. Bro. Lamb, our Grand Secretary, was a visitor at the Annual Communication.

The 1943 Proceedings of New Zealand were not received in time to be included among the Reviews.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Andrew D. Young, Adelaide.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. R. Owen Fox, P.G.W., Adelaide.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: R.W. Bro. C. G.

Ligertwood, B.A., LL.B., P.D.G.M., Adelaide.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. A. Le H.

Hoyles, P.Prov.G.M., Takapuna.

NORTH CAROLINA-1944.

316 Lodges, 28,243 members, a gain of 1,652.

157th Annual Communication held at Raleigh 18th and 19th April, M.W. Bro. James W. Payne, G.M., presiding. The Grand Master reported having attended the dedication of six Lodgerooms, the mortgage being burned on each occasion.

1,738 were raised, 442 admitted, 547 reinstated, while 511 died, 288 demitted, 275 were suspended and 1 was expelled.

Fifty year emblems and certificates were presented to 23 Brethren.

The Grand Orator, Hon. Emery B. Denny, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, discussed Masonry as it had affected or been affected by some of the great crises in history. In the course of his address he asked a very pertinent question, saying, "As a result of the exigencies of war, the participating nations have demonstrated an ability to produce goods and munitions on a scale that surpasses anything ever undertaken or contemplated by man, prior to the present world conflict. Do nations have a greater capacity to develop materially than they do morally and spiritually?"

There were 66 guests in the Masonic and Eastern Star Home and 15 on Home Aid.

The number of children in the Oxford Orphanage was not stated.

The amount expended from Grand Lodge funds for those institutions was 62,500 dollars, and the amount paid out directly for charity was 420 dollars.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Julius C. Hobbs, Wilmington.
Grand Secretary : M.W. Bro. John H. Anderson, P.G.M., Raleigh.

Grand Representative of New Zealand: R.W. Bro. F. C. Wade, P.Prov.G.M., Christchurch.

GEORGIA, 1943.

460 Lodges, 42,994 members, a gain of 2,563.

157th Annual Communication held at Macon on 26th and 27th October, M.W. Bro. E. D. Wells, G.M., presiding.

The Corner Stones of a High School and two Baptist Churches were laid during the year.

There is only one occupant of each Grand rank except that of Steward, the brethren occupying that rank being First Grand Steward, Second Grand Steward, and Third Grand Steward respectively.

As it had been found increasingly difficult to provide suitable attendance of Masons at funeral services where the Masonic service was conducted, and as complaints had been made that the Masonic service used was doleful and depressing on the feelings of the family of the deceased, the Grand Master was directed to appoint a committee to prepare an optional alternative service.

2,650 brethren were raised, 734 affiliated, 1,076 reinstated, while 634 demitted, 587 were suspended and 677 died. There were 66 children in the Masonic Home. The brother appointed Grand Chaplain was appointed an Honorary Past Master, and another brother, who had been appointed Poet Laureate for the Grand Lodge was made an Honorary Member while he filled that position.

In the place of the usual synopsis of individual Grand Jurisdictions M.W. Bro. Raymond Daniel, P.G.M., "endeavoured to present some little word that would

help," in the course of which he wrote:—"God always raises up some Moses to cross the Red Sea and conquer the wilderness. God will do so now, if Freemasons will only be aware of the situation and their duty awaiting them.

"Naturally, in conjunction with the declaration of these facts comes the inquiry as to whether or not we are fulfilling our duties to our applicants. Are we furnishing them with Masonic light along the pathway of their Masonic pilgrimage?

"Or are we merely making it possible for them to be declared Freemasons and wear the insignia of what seems to them an 'order' instead of a fraternal society or knowledge?

"Are we 'freeing' them from darkness and ignorance? Are we making them FREE-masons?

"Candidates generally wander through Masonic degrees in a maze of mystery. A few, of their own ability, find the real secrets of an enlightened life. Some more fortunate come in contact with leading souls of the Craft.

"Most applicants, however, meander through a parrot-like rendered ritual and wear a pin.

"These inquiries are fraternally offered in the desire to meet and remedy a sadly existing condition."

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Dewey H. Wollstein, Rone.

Grand Secretary : R.W. Bro. Daniel W. Locklin, Macon.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. James Morris, Atlanta.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. William G. Rudd, P.Prov.G.M.

NEVADA, 1944.

26 Lodges, 3,407 members, a gain of 146.

80th Annual Communication held at Carson City on 8th and 9th June, M.W. Bro. Lem S. Allen, G.M., presiding.

190 brethren were raised, 29 affiliated and 31 restored, while 21 were suspended N.P.D., 22 demitted and 61 died.

Reno Lodge, No. 13, had 634 members, the average membership of the other 25 being 111.

In the course of his address the Grand Orator, W. Bro. W. T. Baker said: "This conflict is a struggle between two distinct ideologies; between the independent and dependent man; between free men and the enslavement of men politically, morally, physically, and spiritually. So vastly different are these philosophies and so antagonistic are their viewpoints that a physical encounter was inevitable. On one hand we find a system whose basic principle is to allow the individual the greatest amount of freedom possible, guaranteeing religious tolerance and encouraging an independence of thought and spirit. The other concept is based on the dedication of the individual life to the supremacy of the State, persecuting those who do not subscribe to its philosophy and intolerant of religion.

"The proponents of the first-mentioned or democratic system are committed to the theory that Government is established only for the purpose of insuring individual rights, and that these rights are the unconditional, personal and individual possession of every man, granted him by the fact of his birth; that he has the right to the pursuit of

happiness in a society where men deal with one another as equals; that the individual himself is the only and final judge of this choice and his happiness cannot be prescribed by another man or society of men; that the desire for freedom is deeply rooted in the human heart; that spiritually all men are born free and equal; that man's greatest need is independence in order that he may create, originate, work and produce, and in order to accomplish this he does not need to seek power over his fellow men; that the degree of his independence and initiative determines his value and his works as a man "

After describing the dictator or totalitarian system, he said: "The greatest aim in life is to strive for and to seek happiness. It cannot be created out of great suffering and the only happy society is one of happy individuals. The countries that have produced the happiest men, the highest standard of living and the greatest cultural advancement have been the countries where the government of the State was limited, and the individual was given freedom or independent action; as the rise of Rome with law based on the rights of the citizens; the rise of England with its concept of government based on the Magna Charta; the rise of our own great country with the degree of achievement unequalled in history with a system of government based on our Constitution which gave each citizen individual freedom and independence. The great events occurring in our early history aroused the greatest men of the country to originate and select new and untried methods and systems of government whereby improved and more inclusive plans for world progress were made possible."

One of the sixty-six pages of Reviews of Fraternal Correspondence by the Grand Secretary is devoted to New Zealand, 1942 extracts being quoted from M.W. Bro. Teagle's address.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Leslie M. Sanford, Reno.
Grand Secretary: M.W. Bro. E. Peterson, Carson City.
Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. C. E. Rhodes.
Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. G. R. Henderson, P.Prov.G.M., Dunedin.

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Girls are accepted from 6 to 13 years of age, and all expenses are borne by the Institute.

Masons are urged to recommend girls for enrolment. Several vacancies will be available at the beginning of next year.

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AUCKLAND NOTES.

At Pt. Chevalier on 31st October, the Annual Meeting of Lodge Chevalier, No. 303, was held when Bro. John McLean, S.W., was installed as W.M. by the Prov.G.M. A very large attendance was present, and the function was a most successful one. The W.M. was addressed by R.W. Bro. R. Hay, P.G.W., and W. Bro. H. Roseveare, S.G.D., addressed the Wardens. The presenting officers were W. Bros. C. Hunt and B. Craig (United Service No. 10 and St. Andrew No. 8). In the refectory W. Bro. Roseveare represented Grand Lodge, and the proceedings closed on a most happy note.

The Installation Meeting of the United Masters Lodge, No. 167, the local Research Lodge, was held on 26th October and W. Bro. Richard F. Newton (P.M. Lodge Waitemata, No. 689 E.C.) was installed by the Prov.G.M. M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson. The ceremony was carried out with the special observances peculiar to this Lodge and a feature of the proceedings was the short historical account of the various jewels, given by the W.M. in the course of the investitures. The outgoing W.M., W. Bro. F. Kennedy, delivered a valedictory address which disclosed a year of steady progress in the field of Masonic research, and much valuable work among the Lodges in the way of lectures. W. Bro. Newton, in a thoughtful and stimulating address, touched on the functions of Freemasonry in the post-war world. The presenting officers were representative of all constitutions and comprised W. Bros. F. McKenzie (Waitemata, No. 689 E.C.), A. C. Armstrong (Ara, No. 348 I.C.), D. A. Henderson (Ponsonby, No. 708 S.C.), and W. A. Donald (Arawhiti, No. 207 N.Z.C.).

On 1st November W. Bro. D. A. Henderson was installed as W.M. of Lodge Ponsonby, No. 708 S.C., for a second term and a large attendance of Brethren and visitors testified to the regard in which the W.M. is held in the city. A most successful year has been enjoyed by the Lodge, and an equally happy one is presaged under the guidance of "Dave" Henderson.

The Installation Ceremony of the Arawa Secret Monitor Conclave, No. 55 E.C., was held on 7th November, when W. Bro. Trentham Charles Webster was installed as S.R. A prominent part in the proceedings was taken by the father of the new S.R., R.W. Bro. J. C. Webster, who is a P.S.R. of the Conclave. Bro. S. C. Richards was appointed C., and Bro. W. J. Taylor C.T.

W. Bro. R. G. Costin presided over a large attendance at the regular meeting of Lodge Ara, No. 1, on 8th ulto., when the son of a well-known P.M. of the Lodge (W. Bro. W. J. Spring) was initiated. The candidate's grandfather (W. Bro. W. Spring) was also present.

The Akarana R.A. Chapter, No. 58, held its Annual Convocation on the 2nd November when Ex. Comp. C. A. Crum was installed as 1st Prin.Z. and Ex. Comps. C. J. Ellis and W. H. R. Teape were installed as 2nd and 3rd Prins. respectively.

Lodge Takapuna, No. 202, was taxed to capacity on 15th November when Bro. Frank E. Sutherland was installed

as W.M. by the Prov.G.M. Bro. Sutherland is well known in Rugby, musical and banking circles, and a large attendance of visitors furnished evidence of the popularity of the Lodge, the good work of the I.P.M. W. Bro. C. H. M. Wills (to whom a special tribute was paid by the Prov.G.M.) and the wide field of interests of the new W.M. Great progress has been made by the Lodge in the past year, and there is little doubt that it will be maintained under the direction of W. Bro. Sutherland.

In the absence of the D.G.M., R.W. Bro. A. J. Pople, the W.M. was addressed by R.W. Bro. W. W. Wright, P.G.W.

The Doric was much in evidence on 17th November at the Installation Meeting of Lodge Maungawhau, No. 168, at Mt. Eden when Bro. Donald McConochie, J.W., was installed. The presenting officers were W. Bros. W. Duncan (Ararangi, No. 297) and J. M. Stormont (First Temple, No. 302) and the W.T.'s were presented by W. Bros. T. Dean (Wairoa, No. 55), F. A. Foster (Titirangi, No. 204), and John McLean (Chevalier, No. 303), and if an observer had had to rely on the evidence of his ears alone, the proceedings would unquestionably have been thought to be Caledonian. The address to the W.M. was given by R.W. Bro. R. Hay, P.G.W., and the address to the Wardens by W. Bro. A. Addison, G.Swd.B., and re-rectory proceedings of a most enthusiastic nature terminated the evening.

At the Installation meeting of Lodge Maungawhau, No. 168, the Prov.G.M., M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson, in responding to the toast of Grand Lodge, paid a warm tribute to the work done for the past two years by V.W. Bro. Harry Hatch, of Wellington, as Pres. of the Board of Benevolence. He mentioned that the President of the Board had been indefatigable during his term in his work in the field of Masonic benevolence, and he felt that as this particular installation ceremony was the last before the Annual Communication, he could not let the Masonic year close in Auckland without some reference to the sterling services given by V.W. Bro. Hatch. The Prov. G.M. also referred in warm terms to the work of R.W. Bro. W. W. Wright (who was present) in the same office, as V.W. Bro. Hatch's immediate predecessor.

HAWKES BAY NOTES.

The Annual Convocation and Enthronement of Ex. Companion C. H. J. Pease as 1st Principal Z. of Bedford Royal Arch Chapter, No. 39, was held on Saturday, 28th October, when the attendance was nearly a record.

The G.Supt. R.Ex. Comp. J. W. Elliott, assisted by V.E. Comp. T. Rowe, P.G. Chanc., and Ken Gillespie, G.Swd.B., were the Principal Installing Officers and were assisted by many distinguished Past G. Chapter Officers numbering 17, amongst whom were six over 70 years of age.

The G.Supt. in his remarks regretted to advise Companions that during the last few months no less than 24 Past G. Chapter Officers had passed to the Grand Lodge above.

The regular monthly convocation of Heretaunga R.A. Chapter, No. 38, was held on Thursday, 2nd November.

V.Ex. Comp. W. A. Meads, Z., occupying the chair. Contrary to expectations, owing to numerous other functions on account of the Presbyterian General Assembly, there was a good attendance. The Excellent Degree was the work of the evening. Ex. Comp. C. S. Samuelson occupied the chair as W.E.M.

R.Ex. Comp. J. W. Elliott, G.Supt., and G. Chapter Officers acknowledge the support afforded G. Chapter during 1944 and extend fraternal good wishes for Christmas and trust the coming year will be even brighter and more prosperous for Capitular Freemasonry.

Congratulations are extended to V.Ex. Comps. G. J. S. George and A. K. Johnson on elevation to G. Chapter Offices of G.Supt. of Works and D. of C. respectively. Heretaunga Chapter Companions are honoured by these appointments.

The monthly meeting of Heretaunga Lodge, No. 73, was held on 14th ulto. when two candidates were initiated. Opportunity was taken to make a presentation to W. Bro. Rosenberg, P.M. of Lodge Ruahine, No. 80, who celebrated his 50th anniversary in Freemasonry. W. Bro. Rosenberg was initiated in Lodge Ruahine in October, 1894, and was installed W.M. in his mother Lodge in 1902. He afterwards came to Hastings and over a long period closely associated himself with Hastings' Lodges.

Lodge Te Mata, No. 298. At the regular meeting on Wednesday, 15th ulto., the ceremony was an initiation when a very good attendance was recorded. The candidate proved a very good one and considerable interest was shown 'in the various charges. W. Bro. V. May, I.P.M., father-in-law of the candidate, delivered the Reasons for Preparation Charge.

The regular meeting of Lodge Victoria, No. 21, on Tuesday, 7th ulto., was of particular interest when a presentation was made to W. Bro. Jones, of a Bar to his Jewel. W. Bro. Jones joined on 5th December, 1922, and took office as Deacon in 1923, and had been D. of C. from 1928 to 1940. A presentation of a Parker Fountain Pen was also made to W. Bro. Kilpatrick who has held various offices for 20 years. Initiated in 1921 he was Treasurer for 4 years, then S.W., W.M., I.P.M., and Secretary for 13 years. Heretaunga Lodge paid an official visit.

The November meeting of Omarunui, No. 216, was a special occasion when Chapter Members conducted the ceremony of initiation. An apology was received from W. Bro. Jarvis and tribute was paid to the sterling services he had rendered to Lodge Omarunui over many years.

Lodge Ruahine, No. 80, will within the next 18 months be celebrating its Diamond Jubilee, having been consecrated on 22nd June, 1886.

The quarterly meeting of H.B. Research Lodge, No. 305, was held in the Hastings Temple on Monday, 6th Nov., W. Bro. W. A. Meads, W.M., occupying the chair. Attendance was somewhat disappointing but this was accounted for by reason of many members being actively interested in the Presbyterian General Assembly. The lecture for the evening, entitled "Lavender and Old Lace," and dealing with excerpts from the old lectures and ritual, was delivered by W. Bro. C. W. Kerry, of Masterton, and proved most instructive and interesting.

Opportunity was taken by many Brethren visiting Hastings for the Presbyterian General Assembly to visit many of the Lodges in the district and they were all given the usual welcome.

Lodge Abercorn, No. 30. Owing to the Wor. Master being absent at Annual Communication Wor. Bro. Norris, I.P.M., occupied the chair at the November meeting and read a paper in place of degree work.

Personal: R.W. J. J. Piebett, P.G.W., celebrated his 91st birthday on 30th October, and during the week following was congratulated at many Masonic gatherings. On one occasion our R.W. Bro. said because of the love and affection of all the Brethren he would do his best to attain his 100th anniversary "just to please the boys." That sure would please us, "Dad," and we know you won't let us down.

Bros. Nisson and Burr, of Lodge Abercorn, No. 30, have both returned from Active Service.

Bro. Bob Millar, of Lodge Te Mata, has just returned from overseas and some years as a prisoner of war in Germany. We're very glad to see you home Bob and trust you will continue to keenly interest yourself in Craft matters.

Bros. R. Spence and Ken Wright, of Lodge Te Mata, are both back into harness. We trust you both continue to enjoy good health.

R.W. Bro. Edgar C. Hurdsfield, Prov.G.M., has been very busy paying official visits during the last few weeks. His presence at regular meetings is a joy to us all and must be an inspiration to our future leaders of the Craft. It is a pity his profession is such and duties so onerous that our Prov. G.M. was unable to attend Annual Communication last month.

W. Bro. Bob Bly, P.A.G.D.C., of Lodge Ruahine, has been doing a spot of visiting in the northern part of the district. Bob's pleasant smile and happy disposition makes him a very welcome visitor.

The Prov. G.M. and Grand Officers extended Christmas and New Year Greetings to all Brethren in the district.

TARANAKI NOTES.

R.W. Bro. W. T. Simmons, Prov.G.M., has returned to Patea and is well on the way to renewed health. He has the good wishes of all the Brethren and companions of the district for a complete recovery.

St. John's Lodge, No. 95, is still going strong, two more candidates being proposed at the last meeting. Mt. Egmont Lodge, No. 670 E.C., worked a third degree at the November meeting, the P.Ms. undertaking the ritual work with W. Bro. J. Buttimore in charge.

Patea Kil. Lodge, No. 18, was favoured with an address at the November meeting by the A.G.D.C. elect. W. Bro. F. W. Hamel.

At the November meeting of Lodge Hawera an interesting address was given in the refectory by Bro. E. K. Cameron.

Lodge Taranaki Christmas meeting this year will be carried out in the customary way by the Past Masters, W.

Bro. S. R. Veitch being the W.M. for the evening. In his hands Brethren can look forward to the full dignity and efficiency of the ceremonial work, that of the third degree.

The monthly notices sent out by Lodge Taranaki are most interesting and informative and your correspondent has frequently quoted from them, the previous paragraph being a sample.

The G. Supt. elect for the Taranaki R.A. District, V.Ex. Comp. J. Campbell is a Past Z. of Tahuroa Chapter and is an exceeding popular and capable companion.

Egmont R.A. Chapter worked the Royal Ark Mariners Degree at Inglewood on the 6th November when a number of Comps. took advantage of the opportunity of receiving the degree which is not worked very often.

RUAPEHU NOTES.

The Oroua Royal Arch Chapter, Fending, held its Installation Meeting last month when V.Ex. Comp. Ivo McLennan was installed by V.Ex. Comp. H. Robinson, 2nd Principal Ex. Comp. C. Pearson installed by V.Ex. Comp. P. C. Betts and 3rd Principal Ex. Comp. R. Burne by V.Ex. Comp. T. H. Glenn. The G.Supt. R.Ex. Comp. W. A. Waters was accompanied by R.Ex. Comp. Dobson, of Hawkes Bay, V.Ex. Comp. R. G. T. Kingdon, G.D. of C., and several other G.C. Officers.

V.Ex. Comp. L. G. P. Mahoney was installed 1st Principal of Otaihape Royal Arch Chapter by R. Ex. Comp. W. A. Waters, G.Supt.; the 2nd and 3rd Principals, Ex. Comps. T. W. Pairman and W. Butterworth, were installed by V. Ex. Comps. G. N. MacDiarmid and R. B. Davis, G.O., respectively. M. Ex. Comp. W. H. Sandford was installing Mark Master and the D. of C. V. Ex. Comp. L. N. Ritchie P.G.D.C.

The congratulations of the Companions throughout the Ruapehu territory are extended to V. Ex. Comp. G. N. MacDiarmid, Taihape, and V. Ex. Comp. C. Sargisson, Fending, on their appointment to G.C. office.

The last meeting of the Ohakea Air Force Lodge was held in Palmerston North instead of Bulls and R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, Prov.G.M., was supported by W. Bro. P. W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C., and several Sitting and Past Masters from the town Lodges. In future Ohakea Lodge will meet in Palmerston North and the Past Masters and Brethren of the local Lodges are very keen and sincere in their desire to render all possible assistance to our Air Force Brethren.

W. Bro. W. G. Baylis, P.G.S. Lodge Rongotea, was farewelled at the last meeting of his Lodge when a suit of G.L. undress Regalia was presented to him in recognition of his 38 years' service during which time he has missed only five meetings. The members of Rongotea will miss W. Bro. Baylis, but hope he will be able to attend an occasional meeting in the future.

Lodge Otaihape held its Installation on 7th November when Bro. W. S. McPhail was installed by R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, Prov.G.M., who also delivered the address to the W.M.; the Wardens, Bros. A. O. P. Batley and N. M. Anderson, were addressed by W. Bro. A. B. Swedlund and the address to the Brethren by W. Bro. P. W. Morris,

P.A.G.D.C. Quite a large number of G.L. Past and Present Officers and other visitors were present under the able direction of W. Bro. H. R. Thorburn, A.G.D.C.

W. Bro. E. B. Cook presided over the regular meeting of Feilding Lodge in October when two candidates were initiated and it was pleasing to see such an excellent attendance of members and visitors.

Marama Rose Croix Chapter has another W.M.S., the installation of E. and P. Bro. T. P. Hart was performed recently by Ill. Bro. F. J. Rea, 31st Deg., assisted by several Brethren and Brethren.

The Manawatu Royal Arch Chapter continues to progress. The 1st Principal, V.Ex. Comp. P. W. Morris, presided over the last monthly meeting and as W. Mark Master advanced two candidates. The attendance at the regular meetings of Manawatu continues to improve and all the companions are showing an added enthusiasm for Royal Arch Masonry.

W. Bro. E. J. Hicken, W.M., of Lodge Manawatu Kil., had a big meeting last month, the occasion being the raising of two nephews of our dearly loved Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash. Needless to say the ceremony was performed in Kilwinning's usual thoroughness and will be long remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present.

SOUTHLAND NOTES.

The Installation of W. Bro. H. A. Knowles as Master of Lodge Winton, No. 108, on 7th November, for a second term attracted an excellent attendance. The ceremony was conducted by R.W. Bro. G. J. Yule, Prov.G.M., ably assisted by W. Bro. H. Paterson, Asst.G.D.C., and G. Lodge officers. The Wardens were invested and addressed by R.W. Bro. Jas. Manson, P.Prov.G.M., and V.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, P.G.D.C. Address to Brethren by R.W. Bro. F. A. Steans, P.D.G.M. The Junior Officers were invested by R.W. Bro. S. C. K. Smith, P.G.W., W. Bros. J. A. Cushen, P.A.G.D.C., Jas. Stobo, P.G.Std.B., and F. Tilley, P.G.O.

Lodge St. John, No. 94, will hold their annual "Scotch Night" at their regular meeting this month. The ceremony of raising will be worked by the P.M.'s of the Lodge.

The Installation of Frater A. W. Jones as V. Preceptor of the Southland Preceptory of Knight Templars was conducted on the 10th November by Past Preceptor S. C. K. Smith. There was a good attendance of Knights present. Past Preceptors G. J. Reed, A. Scott, E. McK. Lyon and J. L. Sutton assisted in the ceremony.

During the past couple of months various members of the Directors of the Invercargill Freemasons' Hall Co. have been attending the several Inveicargill Lodges and addressing the members on matters relating to the Peace Memorial Campaign being fostered by the Hall Company.

The Ceremony of Advancement was most impressively conducted by the Officers of the Mark Degree of Southern Cross Royal Arch Chapter, No. 3, at their October meeting.

W. Bro. G. J. Reed was recently installed M.P.S. of the Dunedin Conclave, No. 176, of Red Cross of Constantine.

Huiroa Royal Arch Chapter is in for a busy time for the next few months as there is a number of good candidates applying for membership.

Southland lodges were well represented at the recent Grand Lodge Communication held in Dunedin. The various delegates returned fully impressed with the dignity and importance of this well-organised function.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Invercargill Freemasons' Hall Company held at the end of October disclosed another year of careful and efficient management by R.W. Bro. A. Derby and his co-directors.

W. Bro. Buckingham, Master, Officers and a strong following of Past Masters and Brethren of Lodge Victoria, No. 147, paid an official visit on 25th November to the Service Lodge, No. 237 (Dunedin) and worked the ceremony of raising.

V.Ex. Comp. E. McK. Lyon was installed into the office of T.I. Master of the Southern Cross Cryptic Council, No. 3, on 24th October. The ceremony was conducted by R.Ex. Comp. S. C. K. Smith, assisted by R.Ex. Comps. G. H. Brown, F. A. Steans, A. Scott, and V.Ex. Comp. W. R. Allen and A. Derby in the presence of a good company of members.

Several Invercargill Lodges intend holding Children's Xmas Parties on Saturday afternoons towards the end of the school year.

Ex. and Perf. Bro. R. H. Waddell, M.W.S., and officers of Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, conducted the ceremony of Perfection at the quarterly meeting held on 29th November. The work was carried out with a dignity fully in accordance with the high traditions of this beautiful unit of the Craft.

W. Bro. J. C. Prain, P.M., Lodge Waihopai, No. 189, is making a splendid recovery from his recent severe illness.

W. Bro. Lewis Clapp, well known in Masonic and educational circles in Southland, recently died in Wellington.

Invercargill members of the Zealandia Consistory, No. 10, attended the annual meeting of this unit in Dunedin on 18th November.

Christmas and New Year Greetings are extended to all members of the Craft throughout the Dominion.

Excellent support is being given by Lodge Southland, No. 273, and other Lodges throughout the district to a circular appeal on behalf of the widow of a deceased Brother.

Two sitting Masters from Wellington city recently attended one of the Invercargill Lodges just prior to the Annual Communication.

OTAGO NOTES.

On 18th October the Installation ceremony of Lodge Oamaru Kilwinning, No. 82, was carried out by V.W. Bro. J. S. Duncan, Asst.Prov.G.M. of Otago, assisted by local G.Lodge Officers. Bro. W. Shirkey was installed as W. Master of the Lodge. W. Bro. J. G. Duncan,

Dep.Prov.G. of Canterbury, was also present with a goodly number of Brethren from South Canterbury, and took part in the proceedings. V.W. Bro. G. S. M. Crawford, G.D.C., was Director of Ceremonies. Bro. J. Mayfield rendered a beautiful solo in the Temple.

Lodge Oamaru, No. 260, at its meeting on 1st November, initiated a Brother, with W. Bro. Clayton McDonald in the chair. This Lodge has now several E.A.'s awaiting advancement. A discussion took place on the question of Grand Lodge headquarters, and it was decided to instruct the Delegate to G.Lodge Communication to oppose the rescinding of last year's decision in this matter.

The Lodge of Waitaki, No. 11, carried out an initiation ceremony at its meeting on 8th November, with W. Bro. H. C. Cameron in the chair. A fraternal visit was paid by Lodge St. Augustine, No. 299, from Waimate, under W. Bro. D. Shaw, W. Master of the Lodge. This Lodge meets on the same evening as Lodge of Waitaki, and had held their meeting early in order to make the visit possible—a fine gesture.

On 15th November Lodge Oamaru Kilwinning initiated a Brother under the guidance of W. Bro. W. Shirkey, the new W. Master of the Lodge, this being his first meeting as Master.

There was a good attendance of Companions at the Installation meeting of Waitaki Kilwinning Royal Arch Chapter, No. 8, on 27th September when Ex. Comp. J. W. Watson was installed as 1st Principal, J. Y. Rushton as 2nd Principal, and F. J. D. Blackgrove as 3rd Principal. At the monthly Convocation of the Chapter on 25th October Ex. Comp. F. J. D. Blackgrove was installed as W. Mark Master, and a Brother was advanced to the honourable degree.

On 26th September a meeting of the North Otago Rose Croix Chapter was held. Ill. Bro. W. J. Girling, 33°, G.I.C., South Island Division, accompanied by several Ill. Brethren, installed Ex. and Per. Bro. H. S. Cox as M.W.S.

CHRISTCHURCH NOTES.

The St. Augustine Royal Arch Chapter held its meeting on 30th October when the Excellent Degree was worked.

The regular meeting of Canterbury Kil winning R.A. Chapter was held on 6th November when there was a good attendance.

At the regular meeting of Lodge Riccarton on 21st November V.W. Bro. Ross Hepburn occupied the chair for the Past Masters' Night when the Third Degree was worked. The visitors present included the Groups of Past Masters of the years 1938-39 and 1941-42 of which V.W. Bro. Hepburn is a member and also the 1937-38 Group. An official visit was paid by the Masters and Past Masters, Lodge No. 130, of which V.W. Bro. Hepburn is Secretary.

V.W. Bro. Alan Fisher presided at the regular meeting of the Masters' and Past Masters' Lodge No. 130 on 15th November which was his last night in the chair. Eight questions of Masonic interest were answered by V.W. Bro. Ross Hepburn, Grand Lecturer. There was a large attendance of visiting Masters and Brethren.

At the regular meeting of Robert Burns Lodge on 17th October opportunity was taken to enable the sitting Masters to give an unofficial farewell to R.W. Bro. C. S. Thompson prior to his retirement from the office of Provincial Grand Master of Canterbury.

R.W. Bro. H. A. Lamb, Grand Secretary, and V.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, Pres.B.G.P., accompanied the M.W. the Grand Master on the occasion of his official visit to the Provincial Grand Lodge of Canterbury on 28th October.

The regular meeting of the Royal Canterbury Preceptory of K.T.'s was held on 20th November when the Eminent Preceptor, E.Kt. F. J. Shanks, presided. There was a good attendance of members of the Preceptory.

Excelsior Chapter, No. 78, Rose Croix, held its regular meeting on 24th November, the M.W.S. Ex. and Per. Bro.

Darcy Doreen presiding. The ceremony of Perfection was carried out by the M.W.S., assisted by Past M.W.S. and officers. V.II1. Bro. W. J. Girling, Grand Inspector General, Southern Division, and several visiting Illustrious Brethren were present

The local Masters and other Brethren from Christchurch who have been at Dunedin for the recent Grand Lodge Communication express their sincere appreciation of the hospitality extended to them by the Brethren of Otago.

NORTH CANTERBURY NOTES.

The Waimakariri-Hurunui Group wish all Sister Groups the Compliments of the Season.

The last night special at Southern Cross, No. 6, in honour of their popular Master, W. Bro. D. W. Ross, will long be remembered and he deserves great praise for his energy and efficiency and the installation of his successor on the first Thursday in December should be extra good as W. Bro. Ross has done such a splendid job and his work will be reflected in the 1945 Master's mirror.

Ashley Lodge has had a busy time and W. Bro. Appleby has done a lot of visiting and had excellent receptions. Regret is felt in our group through the loss of W. Bro. Withers. He did great work in Ashley and was a tower of strength at the organ. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Withers and family and Ashley Lodge.

Ashley Royal Arch Chapter Installation will take place on Saturday, 2nd December, at 7 p.m. Sister Chapters are urged to attend and help Ashley in their great effort.

Mairaki, 131, has quite a busy agenda paper and has a special function on 13th December in the Temple in Christchurch when the Master, W. Bro. J. B. Struthers, and his officers will raise his son in co-operation with the Master and Brethren of Lodge United Forces. City and suburban lodges should keep this date free, as to see Mairaki work in the Temple will be an educational treat.

Tawera worked an initiation recently and did the job in their usual thorough manner. Visitors to lovely Oxford should look up Bro. R. C. Drummond, secretary of Tawera, address, "Police Station," and he can direct you to the scenic wonders.

Kaikoura has a couple of candidates and hopes to stage a De Luxe meeting in January in honour of their Master.

W. Bro. Selby-Williams, who has had such a successful year. The installation of his successor will take place in February and Brethren wanting a real good outing should get the date from R.W. Bro. Geo. Yemm.

Cheviot Lodge is still busy and W. Bro. McPherson and his Brethren are going up to Kaikoura in February for the "Big Night."

Acacia and Amuri have just started their new year and W. Bros. Whittington and Davison, the new and young Masters, hope to see their sister lodges visit them often.

Amberley Lodge is very busy and W. Bro. Arthur Burke sends his kind regards and Season's Greetings to all his friends in the Waimak.-Hurnui Group.

The country Brethren turned out well to the annual communication, of Prov. Grand Lodge of Canterbury to say farewell to R.W. Bro. C. L. Thompson and see installed our new Prov. Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Alfred J. Jones. Also to have the pleasure of meeting our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Teagle, whose kind words and friendly hand shake caused great satisfaction. V.W. Bro. Charles Jones was Grand D.C. and had a team of splendid assistants who looked after the visitors' comforts. The Jones turned out in force and several Smiths were also present. The country groups desire to thank R.W. Bro. Yemm and Prov. Grand Lodge for their hospitality and friendly welcome.

On Monday, 18th December, all country Masters should try and be in Christchurch to attend the eightieth anniversary of the Canterbury Lodge. This Lodge has a wonderful record and the members will be delighted to see as many old Brethren present as possible.

R.W. Bros. John Du Feu and Charles Flavell send the Season's Greetings to all Lodges in our group.

NELSON-MARLBOROUGH NOTES.



The Installations of four Lodges in the territory, namely St. Cuthberts, Motueka, Waimea, and Forest, have been carried through with complete satisfaction by the Prov. G.M., R.W. Bro. James Baird, assisted by G.L. Officers. The attendances at each was remarkably good and fully representative, and the presence of the Asst. Prov.G.M., V.W. Bro. Frank Mogridge, of Blenheim, at St. Cuthberts and Motueka was greatly appreciated.

The keenness and the Masonic knowledge and ability of the Worshipful Masters and Officers elected and installed augurs well for the future progress and expansion of the Lodges, whilst the warm fraternal spirit apparent between all the Lodges of each constitution has been again amply demonstrated.

During these ceremonies the Prov.G.M. has made reference firstly to the increased contributions throughout the territory to the W.O. and A.M. Fund, and the need for the Junior Officers to become fully conversant with the Ritual. At Lodge Forest particular reference was made to the presence of the three venerable members of the Lodge, each of whom are P.M.'s, having been members

for over 50 years. They are W. Bros. Cowin, Syder and Tunnicliff.

At each of the four Lodges the S.W. was installed as W.M. as follows:—St. Cuthberts, W. Bro. George Davis Polglase; Motueka, W. Bro. John Francis Heath; Waimea, W. Bro. George Victor Swafford; Forest, W. Bro. Herbert William Hunt.

We regret to report that W. Bro. W. C. Lucas, P.G.W., Secretary of Wairau Lodge, No. 42, is at present indisposed and best wishes for his steady and complete recovery are expressed by a very wide circle of Masonic friends and associates. W. Bro. A. W. O. Renner, P.G.D., has been appointed Acting Secretary. At the last meeting W. Bro. J. Stewart, P.M., delivered a most interesting address, his subject being "The Geometry of the Freemason." The lecturer traced man's recognition of the hand and the mind of the Grand Geometrician who had arranged and ordered the creation in a vast series of superb and perfect designs.

W. Bro. Blackmore and Officers of Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity, No. 106, are having a very busy year. At the last meeting two F.C.'s were "raised." A special invitation has been issued to all M.M.'s to attend rehearsals and also the Wairau Lodge of Instruction which is held in the Masonic Temple on the third Wednesday of each month. The Christmas Tree Function will be held again as usual on 18th December. An official visit was paid to Lodge Awatere on 16th November when two F.C.'s were "raised" by No. 106. Consequent upon the transfer of numerous members of the Air Force from Blenheim both Wairau Lodge and the Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity have had to say farewell to many Brethren in the Service who during their stay had been regular visitors. The Blenheim Lodges have spared no effort to entertain these visiting Brethren and eulogistic references to the many kindly acts were made by the representatives of the Brethren in Blue during their farewell speeches.

Both Lodge Havelock, No. 104, and Lodge Waitohi, No. 111, report good progress and successful meetings.

At the November meeting of Golden Bay Lodge, No. 2194 E.C., a double Second Degree was worked.

Lodge Nelson, No. 288, has had two splendid meetings since its Installation in September. The special feature in December will be the initiation of a candidate who was a member of the Nelson National Reserve. It is expected that all Brethren who were members of the Nelson National Reserve will be in attendance.

Motueka Lodge has suffered a bereavement in the "passing" of one of its esteemed Brethren, Bro. F. H. Cooper, who during his travels in many parts of the world had accumulated wide Masonic knowledge. The veteran Lodge Chaplain, W. Bro. G. Budden, P.G.B.B., is at present a patient in the Nelson Hospital, and it is earnestly hoped that he will make a complete recovery from his indisposition.

Victory Lodge, No. 40, is as usual having a busy time with well-attended meetings. A triple initiation took place at the November meeting. With the approach of the Festive Season greetings have been sent to over forty

Brethren who are either serving in the Forces or who are now resident away from Nelson.

The annual combined meeting arranged each year by Lodge Victory is to take place on Saturday, 9th December, when the Prov.G.M. will attend officially. This is always a bright function with all Lodges participating, whilst the special feature this year will be a presentation by the District Lodges to R.W. Bro. Stiles, P.D.G.M. The annual children's and parents' night is to be held 16th December.

The Installation of Murchison Lodge is to take place Saturday, 2nd .December, and in conjunction with this meeting the first annual meeting of the "1942" Masters' Association is to be held.

WELLINGTON NOTES.

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The Installation of Bro. M. W. Priest, S.W., as Worshipful Master of Eketahuna Lodge, No. 92, and the investiture of his officers took place in the Masonic Temple, Eketahuna, earlier in the year. The Installing

Master, R.W. Bro. G. M. Stone, Prov.G.M., M.W. Bro. Geo. Russell. P.G.M., and G.L. Officers attended.

In his remarks the W.M. said he was conscious of the high standard that would be demanded of him and also of what Freemasonry could do for the world in the change-over from war to peace. If he wanted strength for the task then it was for each and everyone of us to dwell in the secret place of the Most High. Having done that as individuals then we could hope as a nation to live under the shadow of the Almighty.

A feature of the "Banquet" was the visit of several Shetland Brethren from Wellington, Martinborough, and Ormondville. These Brethren had come long distances in order to present the W.M. with the working tools of his Ancient forefathers—The Vikings. They were the Pole Star, the Anchor, and the Helm Pin. These working tools were embodied in a beautifully carved model of an old Viking Galley, and this together with an illuminated address which explained the tools, and signed by all the Shetland Brethren was presented to the W.M. by his fellow-Shetlanders.

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Sir Walter Scott, 15:—Founded 1870; meets Freemasons' Hall, Mackay Street, Thames, third Tues., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., Wm. Cook; S.W., N. H. Murray; J.W., W. G. Wiloughby; Sec., W. Bongard, G.St.B., P.O. Box 33, Thames.

Coromandel, 17:—Founded as No. 456, I.C., 1872. Meets in Masonic Hall, Coromandel, 2nd Wed., except January. Install. March. W.M., E. Anthony; S.W., J. G. Strongman, P.M.; J.W., A. H. Benham; Sec., C. H. McKenzie, Coromandel.

Manukau, 24:—Founded 1876; meets Masonic Hall, Princess St., Onehunga, first Wed. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. April. W.M., I. E. Hammond; S.W., C. O. Baker; J.W., J. H. M. Lister; Sec., R. G. Laking, 117 Grey Street, Onehunga, Auckland, S.E.5.

Albion, 45:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Devonport, 2nd Thurs., 7.30, except Jan. and Feb. Install. June. W.M., H. Douglas; S.W., E. Traves; J.W., H. E. Mann; Sec., G. F. Bartley, P.M., 527 Manukau Rd., Epsom, S.E.3.

Ponsonby, 54:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, first Tues. except Jan., 7.30 p.m. Install. July. W.M., C. R. de Loutour; S.W., W. Holehouse; J.W., J. S. Smardon; Sec., C. E. Dutton, P.G.W., 36 Halston Rd., Mt. Eden, Auckland, S.2.

Wairoa, 55:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Arthur Street, Ellerslie, third Mon., 7.30, except Jan. Install. April. W.M., T. Dean; S.W., V. S. Smith; J.W., C. D. Birchfield; Sec., W. V. Smith, P.M., P.O. Box 16, Auckland, C.I.

Papakura, 56:—Founded 1885; meets Masonic Hall, Papakura, first Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., R. T. J. Henderson; S.W., F. A. H. Lindesay; J.W., M. McKenzie; Sec., A. M. Richardson, P.M., P.O. Box 31, Papakura.

Franklin, 58:—Founded 1885; meets Masonic Hall, Pukekohe, second Mon., 8 p.m., except Jan. Install. Nov. W.M., F. Sutcliffe; S.W., N. D. Booth; J.W., F. H. Hewitt; Sec., John Patterson, P.G.S., Pukekohe.

Hokianga, 69:—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Kohukohu, on 1st Thursday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. Duncan; S.W., J. C. W. Jensen; J.W., W. Cochrane; Sec., A. A. Potter, P.M., P.O. Box 8, Kohukohu.

Mangonui, 78:—Founded 1892; meets Freemasons' Hall, Kaitiaki, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., W. Snelling; S.W., R. R. Lewis; J.W., C. Wood; Sec., E. N. Matthews, Awani Road, Kaitiaki.

Auckland 87:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., F. Brown; S.W., J. E. O. Matthews; J.W., J. E. Marriott; Sec., V. J. Burrow, 6 Coyle St., Sandringham, Auckland, S.W.1.

United Waiuku, 90:—Founded 1903, meets 4th Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., H. Lawrence; S.W., G. F. Sim; J.W., J. Tomlinson; Sec., J. McQuire, P.M., P.O. Box 21, Waiuku.

Ohacawai, 101:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Ohacawai, third Tuesday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., K. A. Pearson; S.W., D. W. Hudspeth; J.W., R. P. Smith; Sec., F. G. Dibble, P.M., Ohacawai.

Whangarei, 102:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, second Mon., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., J. S. T. Tudehope; S.W., E. R. Woledge; J.W., W. J. Dodd; Sec., P. Connell, P.M., P.O. Box 104, Whangarei.

Hobson, 120:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Aratapu, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Jan. 29th. W.M., J. Guy, P.M.; S.W., A. McLeod; J.W., J. Wood; Sec., H. C. Searle, P.M., Te Kopuru.

Hikurangi, 140:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Hikurangi, first Friday, 7.30. Install. April. W.M., W. Meadows; S.W., S. F. Ford; J.W., D. W. L. Ruff; Sec., H. Thomas, P.M., Hikurangi.

United Masters, 167:—Founded 1900; meets fourth Thurs. February to October, in Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, 7.45. Install. Oct. W.M., R. F. Newton, P.M.; S.W., W. Weaver, P.G.S.; J.W., F. J. C. Wright, P.M.; Sec., F. Kennedy, P.M., Masonic Institute and Club, H.M. Arcade, Auckland.

Maungawhau, 168:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, 5 Woodside Rd., Mt. Eden, third Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Dec., second Thurs. Install. Nov. W.M., D. McConochie; S.W., J. F. Buckrell; J.W., R. H. Barker; Sec., G. W. A. Clark, P.G.St.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., C. J. Halligan; S.W., F. Leslie; J.W., W. R. Williams; Sec., W. J. Dell, P.M., P.G.S., P.O. Box 5, Maungaturoto.

Waitakeri, 170:—Founded 1910, meets Masonic Hall, Henderson, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., C. J. Matthews, S.W., W. L. Sadgrove; J.W., C. J. Polkinghorne; Sec., W. H. Roberts, P.M., Te Atatu Rd., Henderson.

Waipu, 179:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Waipu, third Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., C. W. Moje; S.W., J. D. Bodle; J.W., C. F. Morrison; Sec., F. Rountree, P.O., Waipu.

Onewa, 182:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Northcote, last Mon. (Dec. and Jan. excepted), 7.30. Install. last Mon. May. W.M., C. W. Parrish; S.W., H. Nightingale; J.W., W. G. Ungemuth; Sec., J. P. Verran, P.M., Hauraki Road, Birkenhead, Auckland, N.2.

Takapuna, 202:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Hurstmere Rd., Takapuna, third Monday, 7.30, except Jan. and Feb. Install. Nov. W.M., C. H. M. Wills; S.W., F. E. Sutherland; J.W., R. F. Baird; Sec., J. M. Spear, P.M., 30 Sanders Avenue, Takapuna, Auckland, N.2.

Pono, 203:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Hokianga Rd., Dargaville, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., C. A. Morse; S.W., R. J. Wentzel; J.W., A. L. Little; Sec., B. Berry, P.M., Box 55, Dargaville.

Titirangi, 204:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Rosebank Road, Avondale, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., E. A. Foster; S.W., W. Earland; J.W., F. F. Roberts; Sec., A. Bright, P.M., 1225 New North Rd., Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

Ruawai, 207:—Founded 1917; meets Masonic Hall, Ruawai, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Jan. W.M., N. W. Smith; S.W., W. J. Tanner; J.W., J. B. Craven, P.M.; Sec., W. Armstrong, P.M., P.O. Box 4, Ruawai.

Manurewa, 222:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Manurewa, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., P. M. McAnallan; S.W., S. Stephen; J.W., F. Westall; Sec., C. J. Dew, P.M., McVilley Rd., Manurewa.

Papatoetoe, 227:—Founded 1921; meets third Thurs., 7.30, except Jan. Masonic Temple, Papatoetoe. Install. Dec. W.M., W. G. Hoyle; S.W., W. A. Cairns; J.W., F. E. Carr; Sec., D. Penman, P.G.S., 23 Rosella Rd., Mangere East, Auckland, S.E.7.

Morningside, 228:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Thurs. (except Jan. and Feb.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., C. H. Kean; S.W., H. W. Howell; J.W., J. J. Ordine; Sec., W. H. Keatley, P.G.S., 4 St. George St., Glenmore, Auckland, S.W.1.

St. James, 244:
Ararua, 248:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Mititai, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., C. C. Toad; S.W., A. F. Smith, P.M.; J.W., T. R. Wilkins; Sec., V. H. Baird, P.M., Bassett St., Mangawhaka, North Wairoa.

Hauraki Plains, 249.

Calliope, 252:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Apia, Thurs. nearest full moon, 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., J. W. Liston; S.W., A. Williams; J.W., R. G. Speirs; Sec., H. M. Barnett, Apia, Western Samoa.

Kaikohe, 255:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall on fourth Wed. except Dec., 8 p.m. Install. April. W.M., G. Williamson; S.W., R. P. Garner; J.W., F. J. Williams; Sec., A. P. Leigh, P.M., Box 46, Kaikohe.

Arohanui, 264:—Founded 1924; meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, 2nd Tues., except Jan. Install. May. W.M., W. P. Trill; S.W., H. H. Ward; J.W., G. J. Madden; Sec., J. S. Palmer, 75 Williamson Ave., Grey Lynn, Auckland, 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. A. Donald; S.W., M. B. Thorpe; J.W., A. R. White; Sec., W. S. Spence, P.M., P.O. Box 852, Auckland.

Parahaki, 269:—Founded 5th Sept., 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. 1st Thurs. Aug. W.M., S. C. Hegley; S.W., A. Macpherson; J.W., L. G. Millar; Sec., A. E. Brown, 26 Mains Ave., 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., W. S. Horne; S.W., V. A. Scarborough; J.W., E. W. Hilton; Sec., W. G. Phelps, P.M., 15 Wairua Rd., Remuera, Auckland, S.E.2.

Selwyn, 274:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Bayview Rd., St. Helier's Bay, Tamaki, first Wed., 7.15, Jan. excepted. Install. Oct. W.M., E. B. Clarke; S.W., H. Baxter; J.W., J. Newall; Sec., W. C. Glenn, P.M., 4 Brilliant Street, St. Heliers, Auckland, E.1.

Tuakau, 278:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Hall, Harrisville Road, Tuakau, 2nd Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. June (3rd Thurs.); W.M., Jos. Fulton; S.W., A. R. Hodgson; J.W., G. E. Udy; Sec., H. L. Richards, P.M., Schoolhouse, Pokeno.

Kumeu, 279.

Rongomau, 280:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., E. W. Hardy; S.W., A. R. Wheeler; J.W., H. B. Brown; Sec., H. W. Lindsay, P.M., 21 Kenyon Avenue, Mt. Eden, Auckland, S.2.

The Combined Forces Lodge, 284:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, second Tues. (Jan. excepted). Install. March. W.M., G. A. Wooller; S.W., M. Watson; J.W., E. D. Chapman; Sec., V. Dunne, P.M., 23 Cleveland Rd., Parnell, Auckland.

Owairaka, 294:—Founded 1928; meets Methodist Hall, Mount Albert, third Thursday, 7.30, except Jan. Install. March. W.M., F. B. Watts; S.W., A. Philburn; J.W., V. C. Diamond; Sec., Walter Weaver, P.G.S., "Ingle-side," Mt. Royal Avenue, 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., W. M. Duncan; S.W., W. B. Tindall; J.W., C. E. Tennent; Sec., F. J. C. Wright, P.M., 11 Galatea Tce., Herne Bay, Auckland, W.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., J. M. Stormont; S.W., E. G. C. Cox; J.W., G. Salter; Sec., W. K. Blow, P.M., 7 Sadgrove Tce., Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

Chevalier, 303:—Founded September 29, 1930; meets Masonic Temple, Target St., Point Chevalier, Auckland, last Tues., 7.30 p.m. (except Dec.). Install. Oct. W.M., John McLean; S.W., J. F. Dalgarno; J.W., C. H. O'Callaghan; Sec., R. J. Patton, P.G.S., 1011 Great North Road, Auckland, W.3.

Kororareka, 304:—Founded 25th Sept., 1931; meets Town Hall, Russell, first Fri. after full moon, 7.30 p.m. Install. Sept. W.M., H. J. C. King, P.M.; S.W., N. F. Potter; J.W., A. W. Mulligan; Sec., Maurice Ashton, P.M., Box 24, Russell.

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Te Aroha, 52: Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Te Aroha, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., R. Henderson; S.W., R. L. Ingham; J.W., R. W. Smith; Sec., H. H. Wood, Kenrick St., Te Aroha.

Abercorn, 76: Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Ormond Road, Gisborne, first Tues., 8, except Jan. Install. Oct. W.M., A. K. Russell; S.W., T. A. N. Corson; J.W., H. P. Hansen; Sec., G. T. Bull, P. Dep.G.M., 141, Russell Street, Gisborne.

Alpha, 81: Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, Cambridge, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. June. W.M., H. F. Haycock; S.W., G. I. Christiansen; J.W., H. J. Nelson; Sec., T. H. Hampshire, Lake Street, Cambridge.

Ohinemuri, 107: Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, third Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., Leo V. Landman; S.W., Jno. Turnbull; J.W., S. T. Wilkes; Sec., J. M. Craig, P.O. Box 59, Paeroa.

Waihi, 112: Founded 1899; meets Masonic Hall, Waihi, first Mon., except Jan., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., B. Carnahan; S.W., A. E. Waite; J.W., C. Copestake, P.M., Sec., J. B. Beeche, P.M., Box 14, Waihi.

Taupiri, 118: Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Huntly, third Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., H. P. Morris; S.W., J. Vowles; J.W., S. Firkin; Sec., N. Greenwell, P.O. Box 14, Huntly.

Waipa, 119: Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Te Awamutu, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., W. J. D. Melville; S.W., H. N. Dudley; J.W., W. F. Perrin; Sec., R. Ross, P.O. Box 14, Te Awamutu.

Tauranga, 125: Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, First Ave., Tauranga, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., J. W. Kenyon; S.W., J. R. Bongard; J.W., J. G. Dickson; Sec., J. K. B. Lusk, P.M., Box 27, Tauranga.

Rotorua, 153: Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Fenton St., Rotorua, second Tues., 7.30. January third Tues. Install. Aug. W.M., T. S. Robertson; S.W., W. T. Powell; J.W., H. K. Heaton; Sec., P. A. Kusabs, P.M., P.O. Box 123, Rotorua.

Piako, 160: Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Morrinsville, first Wed., 7.30, except Jan. Install. March. W.M., R. D. Wilson; S.W., L. W. Osborne; J.W., F. H. Stretton; Act. Sec., L. D. Blomfield, P.M., Thames St., Morrinsville.

Plunket, 163: Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Te Kuiti, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., W. Hedley; S.W., W. R. Ruddle; J.W., A. Corlett; Sec., Jas. Henderson, P.M., King Street, Te Kuiti.

Karioi, 165: Founded 17th Nov., 1909; meets Masonic Temple, Raglan, second Friday, 7.30 p.m. Install. March. W.M., J. Hartstone; S.W., G. Dent; J.W., F. Petchell; Sec., H. R. Hill, Stewart St., Raglan.

Tawhiri, 166: Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Kent St., Frankton Junction, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., T. S. Henry; S.W., J. H. Tapper; J.W., T. J. W. Evans; Sec., F. Vause, P.G.P., 11 Parr Street, Frankton Junction.

Nau Mai, 177: Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hakaia St., Taumarunui, first Wed., 8 p.m. Install. Nov. W.M., E. C. Eady; S.W., W. H. Johns; J.W., P. T. Burgess; Sec., A. Wilson, P.G.S., P.O. Box 19, Taumarunui.

Te Marama, 186: Founded 1911; meets Masonic Temple, Ngaruawahia, first Monday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. E. H. Diver; S.W., W. McCaig; J.W., W. H. S. MacPherson; Sec., H. J. Sampson, P.G.S., Ngaruawahia.

Tirau, 193: Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Tirau, third Wed. Install. May. W.M., A. Tervit; S.W., S. W. Brownlie; J.W., W. H. G. Allen; Sec., A. Begbie, P.M., Putaruru.

Whakatane, 198: Meets first Wed. Install. Aug. W.M., C. F. Thomas; S.W., C. A. Head; J.W., D. S. Radcliffe; Sec., C. A. Suckling, P.M., Box 35, Whakatane.

Maniapoto, 206: Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Otorohanga, on third Tues. Install. Oct. W.M., S. S. Wheeler; S.W., E. J. Col-linson Smith; J.W., P. Phillips; Sec., H. J. F. Downard, P.M., Te Kuiti.

Ohura, 214: Founded 1920; meets Lodgeroom, Ohura, second Friday. Install. first Fri. in Feb. W.M., E. J. Anderson; S.W., G. Swan; J.W., R. A. Cameron, P.M.; Sec., W. S. Parker, P.M., P.O. Box 35, Ohura.

Taneatua, 220: Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Taneatua, second Thursday (except Jan.). Install. Aug. W.M., A. Gulliver-Gradwick; S.W., E. E. Butler; J.W., A. Thomson; Sec., T. E. Hamerton, P.M., Box 39, Taneatua.

Uawa, 232: Founded 1922; meets Freemasons' Hall, Tolaga Bay, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., J. M. Fraser; S.W., A. Morsehead; J.W., V. I. Curry; Sec., O. G. James, P.G.S., P.O. Box 12, Tolaga Bay.

Gisborne, 233: Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Childer's Rd., Gisborne, fourth Tues., 8. Install. 4th Tues. in May (subject to alteration). W.M., H. E. Nunns; S.W., W. H. Sherwood; J.W., J. A. Thomas; Sec., P. Schwabe, G.S., 106 Russell St., Gisborne.

Waipatu, 241: Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Tokomaru Bay, third Thursday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. Eibbert; S.W., W. R. Cooper; J.W., E. W. East; Sec., T. Edge, P.M., P.O. Box 16, Tokomaru Bay.

Te Puke, 261: Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Oxford St., Te Puke, fourth Thurs., 7.30; Install. April. W.M., D. F. Wickham; S.W., H. Granger; J.W., E. H. Hargreaves; Sec., A. B. Mollgaard, P.G.S., Te Puke.

Matamata, 265: Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Matamata, last Thursday. Install. Aug. W.M., A. J. Carter; S.W., J. D. Sherwin; J.W., H. E. Sutherland; Sec., T. H. Eddy, P.M., Matamata.

Otanake, 283: Founded 1925; meets in Masonic Hall, Pio Pio, first Thurs., 7.30, except Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., W. J. Brown; S.W., C. J. Coyle; J.W., J. W. Hunter; Sec., J. A. Trust, P.M., P.O. Box 3, Pio Pio.

Hamilton, 291: Founded 22nd Sept., 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Hamilton East, third Mon. Install. Aug. W.M., J. Purdie; S.W., M. McIntyre, P.M.; J.W., W. H. F. Bynon-Powell; Sec., V. Towers, P.M., 54 Ulster St., Hamilton.

Kati Kati, 295: Founded 25th May, 1928; meets Masonic Hall, Kati Kati, second Tues., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., W. H. Poole; S.W., G. A. Sherson; J.W., G. Wade; Sec., W. T. H. Wright, Kati Kati, Bay of Plenty.

Pukemiro, 301: Founded 1930; meets Masonic Temple, Pukemiro, every fourth Saturday (commencing Feb. 19th), 7.30 p.m. Install. June. Two meetings September, 2nd and 30th. W.M., L. Lawrence; S.W., W. Bloxham; J.W., H. Saul; Sec., T. Grimshaw, P.M., P.O. Box 4, Pukemiro, via Huntly.

DISTRICT OF HAWKE'S BAY: 18 LODGES.
(R.W. Bro. E. C. Hurdfield, Prov.G.M.)

Seinde, 5: Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, third Tues. Install. third Tues. in June. W.M., A. A. Hastings; S.W., A. Swales; J.W., W. A. Painter; Sec., R. E. H. Pilson, 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., J. B. Meachen; S.W., J. P. Turnbull; J.W., F. W. Jenkins, P.M.; Sec., J. 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., G. A. Ellison; S.W., J. H. Hindman; J.W., A. Johnston; Sec., R. W. Carpenter, P.G.D., P.O. Box 109, Waipukurau.

Abercorn, 30: Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Waipawa, third Mon., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., B. R. C. McNicol; S.W., G. H. Voyce; J.W., F. M. Tickner; Sec., E. E. Bott, P.G. Lect., 507 Southampton St. E. Hastings.

Rawhiti, 66: Founded 1890; meets Freemasons' Hall, High Street, Dannevirke, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. last Wed. in May. W.M., A. H. R. Gillespie; S.W., T. H. Pickard; J.W., D. H. Gordon; Sec., J. A. Johnston, P.O. Box 137, Dannevirke.

Heretaunga, 73: Founded 1878; meets Masonic Temple, cnr. Market and St. Aubyn Sts., Hastings, second Tues., 7.30. Install. second Tues. in July. W.M., T. W. Smith; S.W., T. L. Cater; J.W., V. L. Munnery; Sec., Henry de Denne, P.M., P.O. Box 113, Hastings.

Ruahine, 80: Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Woodville, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. fourth Wed. in June. W.M., C. G. H. S. McIntosh; S.W., L. P. Cotter; J.W., G. L. B. Whillans; Sec., R. Bly, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 3, Woodville.

Lion, 114: Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Ormondville, second Mon., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in April. W.M., R. Tait; S.W., V. P. Williams; J.W., J. S. Tait; Sec., E. H. Clod, Box 18, Ormondville.

Puketoi, 149: Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Pongaroa, third Wed., except Jan., 7.30. Install. 4th Wed. in March. W.M., W. H. Weeds; S.W., R. C. Scott; J.W., S. W. Eumson; Sec., W. Pickett, P.M., Box 50, Pongaroa.

Waikaremoana, 158: Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., second Tues., 7.30. Install. second Tues. in March. W.M., M. B. Svensen; S.W., E. Ashburn; J.W., E. C. Welsh; Sec., K. H. Kippenberger, P.O. Box 2, Wairoa, H.B.

Ruata-iwha, 172: Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Takapau, last Friday, 7.50. Install. third Wed. in Aug. W.M., Gilbert Severinsen; S.W., A. G. Parker; J.W., M. McG. McKay, P.M.; Sec., Thos. Taylor, P.M., Box 33, Takapau, H.B.

Omarunui, 216: Founded 1910; meets Masonic Temple, Taradale, second Wed. Install. March. W.M., S. Williams; S.W., A. H. Burr, P.M.; J.W., C. F. Northe; 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., P. W. Peters; S.W., F. W. Fox; J.W., H. Peters; Sec., J. A. McLean, P.M., 21 Vigor Brown St., Napier.

Haeata, 272: Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Market Street, Hastings, 4th Monday, 7.30 (except Dec.). Install. 4th Mon., Sept. W.M., E. W. Mitchell; S.W., R. W. Fraser; J.W., A. Grant; Sec., A. K. Johnston, P.M., P.O. Box 50, Hastings.

Porangahau, 296: Founded 19th Sept., 1928; meets Masonic Temple, Abercromby St., Porangahau, fourth Mon., 7.30. Install. Feb. Regular meetings April, June, Aug., Oct., Dec., and Jan. W.M., A. G. A. Jeffrey; S.W., E. N. McLeod; J.W., J. R. Franklin; Sec., J. E. White, P.M., Box 25, 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. H. Giffin; S.W., A. H. Sivewright; J.W., T. C. Crawford; Sec., C. J. Cushing, 109A Duchess Crescent, Hastings.

Hawkes Bay Research Lodge, 305: Founded August 1, 1933. Meets Hastings (or elsewhere) first Monday August, Nov., Feb., and May. Install. Aug. W.M., W. A. Meads; S.W., E. C. Pirie, P.A.G.D.C.; J.W., W. E. Bate; Sec., E. E. Bott, P.G.Lec., 107 Southampton St., Hastings.

Tauhara, 307: Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Roberts St., Taupo, first Sat., 7.30 p.m. Install. first Sat., April. W.M., A. S. Henry; S.W., R. Anderson-Bak; J.W., J. F. Gamble; Sec., T. A. Heath, P.M., Box 12, Taupo.

DISTRICT OF TARANAKI: 12 LODGES.
(R.W. Bro. Dr. W. T. Simmons, Prov.G.M.)

Patea Kil, 18: Founded 1870; meets Masonic Hall, second Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., J. C. Taylor; S.W. (acting), C. A. Edwards, P.M.; J.W., T. F. Hills; Sec., G. J. Broker, P.O. Box 1, Patea.

Hawera, 34: Founded 1880; meets Masonic Temple, Union St., Hawera, first Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., C. E. Whittington; S.W., J. Edwards; J.W., L. Haberfield; Sec., L. C. Storm, P.M., 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., H. N. Wolfe; S.W., L. T. Aylward; J.W., H. L. Hay; Sec., A. R. Carley, P.M., P.O. Box 231, New Plymouth.

Stratford, 75: Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Stratford, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. A. Faulk, P.M.; S.W., W. E. Williams; J.W., D. S. Douglas; Sec., H. E. Lawrence, Penton Street, Stratford.

St. John's, 95: Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Eltham, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., H. Vause; S.W., A. M. MacLeod; J.W., B. O. Harris; Sec., S. E. Carson, P.M., Box 55, Eltham.

Moā, 110: Founded 1896; meets Freemasons' Hall, Inglewood, third Monday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. L. F. Porter; S.W., E. Wright; J.W., W. L. Silson; Sec., L. G. Kohn, 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., P. L. Wilson; S.W., E. Watson; J.W., W. A. Weaver; Sec., F. J. Young, P.M., Opunake.

Kaponga, 208: Founded 1918; meets Lodge-room, Kuri St., Kaponga, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., J. A. Dawson; S.W., I. E. Lewis; J.W., C. H. Ross; Sec., E. A. Piper, Box 75, Kaponga.

Whangamomona, 234:—Founded 1922: meets Coronation Hall, Toko, 1st Sat., 8 p.m. Install. Feb. W.M., A. Raynor; S.W., W. Sheriff; J.W., L. Loveridge; Sec., D. H. Profit, Huinga.

Taranaki, 240:—Founded 1922: meets Masonic Temple, Union St., Hawera, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., J. C. Thomas; S.W., H. Butchart; J.W., B. M. Barclay; Sec., D. S. Richardson, 17 Milmo St., Hawera.

Te Henui, 281:—Founded 1925: meets the Temple, Darnell St., Fitzroy, New Plymouth, second Tues. Install. Sept. W.M., S. G. Rimmington; S.W., C. G. White; J.W., A. G. Lander; 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. 2nd Monday in May. W.M., K. J. Murray; S.W., W. Brown; J.W., H. Bayliss; Sec., H. H. Mead, Mania.

DISTRICT OF RUAPEHU: 21 LODGES. (R.W. Bro. James A. Nash, 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., W. A. Sutherland; S.W., L. R. Vile; J.W., A. D. Young; Sec., T. Carson, P.M., Box 36, Bulls.

Feilding, 41:—Founded 1881: meets Masonic Temple, Feilding, second Mon. Install. July. W.M., E. B. Cook; S.W., W. G. Hooper; J.W., J. Mennie; 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., E. J. Hickin; S.W., G. M. Rennie; J.W., W. E. Anderson; Sec., D. F. Smillie, P.M., P.O. Box 23, Palmerston North.

Otagaki, 70:—Founded 1891: meets Masonic Hall, Ashurst, fourth Wed. (except Dec., third Wed.), 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., Angus McKinlay; S.W., S. J. Parkes; J.W., J. M. Townsley; Sec., C. S. Pees, P.M., 353 College St., Palmerston North.

Rangitira, 71:—Founded 1891: meets Masonic Hall, Huntville, first Tues., 7.45 p.m. Install. 2nd Wed. in March. W.M., G. S. Crichton; S.W., W. G. Grey, P.M.; J.W., R. E. Rose; Sec., D. M. McKay, P.M., Box 7, 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., W. Bracks; S.W., W. H. Rowe; J.W., P. P. Buchan, P.M.; Sec., M. G. Bignell, P.M., Box 86, Wanganui.

Kimbolton, 123:—Founded 1884: meets Masonic Hall, Kimbolton, first Thurs., 8. Install. Feb. W.M., R. D. Batchelor; S.M., P. Whitehead; J.W., D. Jensen; Sec., A. H. Morgan, P.M., Post Office, Kimbolton.

Ruapehu, 128:—Founded 1884: meets Masonic Hall, Marton, second Thurs., 7.30. No meeting in Jan. Install. Feb. W.M., D. F. Gorrie; S.W., L. Smith; J.W., J. I. Morgan; Sec., C. E. Fogelberg, P.M., Kensington Road, 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., W. Ogden; S.W., L. Fletcher; J.W., J. C. Fowler; Sec., S. E. Cowley, P.M., P.O. Box 58, Foxton.

Otaihape, 142:—Founded 1905: meets Masonic Hall, Taihape, second Tues., 7.45. Install. first Tues., Nov. W.M., C. W. Newport; S.W., W. S. McPhail; J.W., A. O. P. Batley; Acting Sec., G. W. Ryan, Box 81, Taihape.

Rongotea, 146:—Founded 1906: meets Masonic Hall, Rongotea, second Wed., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., L. A. Hogg; S.W., W. A. Churchill; J.W., L. W. Burrell; Sec., W. A. Davison, P.M., Box 36, Rongotea.

Huia, 171:—Founded 1910: meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, first Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., A. Stableford; S.W., J. H. Nash; J.W., F. Prain; 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., G. F. Foster; S.W., R. S. Blanchard; J.W., A. Paulger; Sec., W. H. Sandford, P.M., Duncan St., Raetihi.

Manga-te-Weka, 178:—Founded 1910: meets Masonic Hall, Mangaweka, second Mon., 8. Install. 1st Mon. in Oct. W.M., J. H. Dalrymple; S.W., H. G. Stowers; J.W., R. D. T. MacRae; Sec., M. Sutherland, Mangaweka.

Moutoa, 195:—Founded 1913: meets Masonic Hall, Gouville, fourth Thurs. Feb. to Nov. inclusive, third Thurs. Dec. Install. fourth Thurs. April. W.M., A. Anderson; S.W., A. S. Guthrie; J.W., C. C. Brownie; Sec., W. R. Smith, P.O. Box 25, Wanganui.

Ngauruhia, 201:—Founded 1916: meets Masonic Hall, Miro St., Ohakune, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., C. H. Crighton; S.W., F. Kerr; J.W., F. Woodward; Sec., W. J. B. Dinwoodie, Clyde St., Ohakune.

Oroua, 215:—Founded 1920: meets Masonic Hall, Aputi, second Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., T. K. McLean; S.W., H. C. McIntyre; J.W., H. D. Cowan; Sec., W. Hogan, P.M., Box 44, Aputi.

Whanganui, 219:—Founded 1920: meets Masonic Hall, Bell St., Wanganui, fourth Mon. (Dec. and Jan. excepted). Install. May. W.M., J. Hutchinson; S.W., L. C. Young; J.W., J. A. Doidge; Sec., S. M. Dixon, P.M., P.O. Box 413, 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., W. W. Jones; S.W., R. B. Jordan; J.W., D. W. J. McDowell; Sec., Percy W. Morris, 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., J. Jamieson; S.W., V. B. Short; J.W., A. R. Gibson; Sec., A. C. Bulst, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 34, Feilding.

Ohakea Air Force, 309:—Founded 31st May, 1941. Meets Masonic Temple, Bulls, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. W.M., L. G. Baker; S.W., A. H. Bowyer; J.W., H. B. Swales; Sec., P. W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C., 21 South Street, Palmerston North.

Waverley Kil., 311:—Founded Oct., 1944: meets Masonic Temple, Waverley, first Mon. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., S. F. Morris, P.M.; S.W., E. J. Kelly, P.M.; J.W., W. G. Belton; Sec., E. C. Dallison, Box 42, Waverley.

DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON: 44 LODGES. (R.W. Bro. Stanley M. Stone, Prov.G.M.)

N.Z. Pacific, 2:—Founded 1849: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Mon., 7.30 (no meeting Dec.). Install. Mar. W.M., E. T. Murray; S.W., H. L. P. Smith; J.W., A. Sinclair; Sec., W. A. Ramsay, P.G.Std.B., 44 Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, Wellington. E3.

Waterloo, 13:—Founded 1866: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Mon., 7.30 (Jan. and Feb. excepted). Install. Sept. W.M., G. E. Cox; S.W., G. A. Dawson; J.W., E. J. Marklew; Sec., W. A. Parton, P.G.E., 53 Bidwell Street, 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., P. G. Ramsay; S.W., A. R. Mills; J.W., E. G. Jones; Sec., F. Shearer, P.M., 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., G. Maclean; S.W., R. B. Thomson, P.M.; J.W., J. G. Ellis; Sec., E. Edwards, P.M., P.O. Box 661, Wellington.

St. John's, 37:—Founded 1873: meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield St., Featherston, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., C. J. Nix, P.M.; S.W., J. A. Juno; J.W., W. Connell; Sec., Frank White, P.M., Featherston.

Leinster 44:—Founded 1882: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Mon., 6 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., G. W. Lake; S.W., F. A. Peacock; J.W., A. G. Farmer; Sec., A. McLaren, P.G.Swd.Br., 126 Austin St., Wellington, E.1.

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

Ulster, 62:—Founded 1887: meets Masonic Hall, Petone, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Sat. in June. W.M., H. L. Fabian; S.W., R. E. A. Pomfrey; J.W., A. J. Greenfield; Sec., W. H. Melhuish, P.G.D., 49 Britannia St., Petone.

Tararua, 67:—Founded 1890: meets Masonic Hall, Pahiatua, Thurs. nearest full moon, 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., J. D. Moncrieff; S.W., W. T. Brown, P.M.; J.W., H. H. Chinery, P.M.; Sec., R. H. Taylor, P.M., Julia St., Pahiatua.

Otaki, 72:—Founded 1891: meets Masonic Hall, Otaki, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., Wm. Morton; S.W., J. D. Cookley; J.W., J. J. Robinson; Sec., F. W. Box, P.A.G.D.C., Domain Road, Otaki.

Greytown, 74:—Founded 1877: meets Masonic Hall, Greytown, fourth Tues., 8. Install. 24th June (St. John's Day). W.M., T. G. R. Ingle; S.W., R. I. Dyson; J.W., G. D. Kearney; Sec., W. W. Tully, P.M., P.O. Box 14, Greytown.

Eketahuna, 92:—Founded 1893: meets Masonic Hall, Bengston St., Eketahuna, third Tuesday, 7.30. Install. May. W.M., M. P. Priest; S.W., Geo. Farrow; J.W., W. D. Hart; Sec., R. Dickson, P.M., Eketahuna.

Hinemoa, 122:—Founded 1901: meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., J. M. Middleton; S.W., G. A. Haslett; J.W., R. W. Cawthorn; Sec., E. F. Stevens, P.M., 9 Bidwell Street, Wellington, S.1.

Coronation, 127:—Founded 1902: meets Masonic Hall, Brook St., Johnsonville, first Sat. each month (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., G. Bruce; S.W., A. S. Cathcart; J.W., F. A. Davis; Sec., J. S. Sleeman, P.M., 27 Oban Crescent, Wellington, N.2.

Brooklyn, 132:—Founded Oct., 1903: meets Masonic Hall, Brooklyn, first Wed. except Jan., 7.15. Install. Oct. W.M., C. T. G. Barraclough; S.W., E. S. Trask; J.W., T. M. Wilson; Sec., T. I. Webster, P.M., 11 Fortunatus St., Brooklyn, Wellington, S.W.1.

Horowhenua, 135:—Founded 1904: meets Masonic Temple, Stanley St., Levin, first Thurs., 7.20, except Jan. Install. first Wed. Sept. W.M., C. W. Foster; S.W., J. A. Kilaby; J.W., J. A. Chapman; Sec., R. J. Foss, P.G.D.C., Weraroa Rd., Levin.

Waihenga, 150:—Founded 1907: meets Masonic Hall, Martinborough, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., L. A. Campbell; S.W., A. Aitchison; J.W., R. P. George, P.M.; 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. Feb. W.M., F. T. Bryant; S.W., B. B. Kuch; J.W., J. D. McIntosh; Sec., G. F. Lenzini, 327 The Parade, Wellington, S.2.

Waiwhetu, 176:—Founded 1910: meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, second Wed. 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., H. G. Flux; S.W., A. Ackroyd; J.W., G. L. Judd; Sec., A. Burgess, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 43, Lower Hutt.

Otari, 180:—Founded 1912: meets Freemasons' Hall, Nairnville, Khandallah, second Tues., 7.30. No meeting January. Install. July. W.M., W. W. Tanner; S.W., J. H. Christie; J.W., R. W. Macnab; Sec., W. A. Tanner, P.M., Box 102, Wellington, C.1.

Research Lodge of Wellington, 194:—Founded 1912: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Thurs. Feb., April, May, July, Sept. Install. Oct. Wm., O. W. S. Kohn; S.W., W. A. Leeming; J.W., H. I. Austad; Sec., A. E. Kennard, P.M., 33 Kano St., Wellington, W.3.

Whetu Kairangi, 201:—Founded 1914: meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, second Sat., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Oct. W.M., L. Albert; S.W., L. M. Tweedie; J.W., W. P. Manley; Sec., H. A. Snelling, P.M., 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., Chas. J. Pirie; S.W., G. M. Jackson; J.W., T. H. Ennis; Sec., J. D. Eves, P.M., 54 Lavaud Street, Wellington, S.1.

Eastbourne, 217:—Founded 1920: meets Masonic Hall, Main Road, Eastbourne, fourth Wed., 7.30 p.m. Jan. excepted. Install. fourth Sat. August. W.M., F. G. Northern; S.W., R. L. H. Jones; J.W., G. Y. Berry; Sec., A. A. Hendry, P.M., 312 Muritai Rd., Eastbourne.

Renown, 218:—Founded 1920: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., G. T. M. Renner; S.W., C. A. Martin; J.W., S. T. Barnett; Sec., R. Laurie, P.G.Supt. Wks., 99 Sefton Street, Wellington, N.2.

Raukawa, 224:—Founded 1921: meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. July. W.M., R. A. Davison; S.W., H. G. M. Priestley; J.W., T. McLaren; Sec., H. V. Croxton, P.M., 62 Kelvin Parade, Wellington, W.1.

Empire, 225:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Wellington Terrace, Wellington, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., R. Hogg; S.W., K. Cook; J.W., H. J. Johnson; Sec., V. R. Earnshaw, P.M., 23 Margaret Street, Wellington, N.Z.

Taia, 229:—Founded 1921; meets Taia Masonic Temple, Bay Road, Kilbirnie, fourth Mon., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., E. R. Toop; S.W., G. A. Ferris; J.W., O. H. Benge; Sec., S. F. Pinder, 121 Wallace St., Wellington, S.I.

Mangahao, 231:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Shannon, third Mon., 7.30. No meeting Jan. Install. May. W.M., B. A. Moody; S.W., H. D. Richards; J.W., H. L. Taylor; Sec., J. R. Alexander, P.A.G.D.C., Shannon.

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., J. Grey; S.W., W. H. Saunders, P.M., J.W., G. R. Young; Sec., Raymond Lee, P.M., P.O. Box 120, Masterton.

Island Bay, 243:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Clyde St., Island Bay, first Tues., 7.30. Install. July. No meeting Jan. W.M., J. E. Osborne; S.W., G. T. May; J.W., H. H. Waugh; 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. Jan.). Install. May. W.M., A. Morris; S.W., G. T. Saker; J.W., J. C. Hendry; Sec., J. Robson, P.O. Box 1168, Wellington, C.I.

Waitangi, 251:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. May. W.M., E. G. Young; S.W., —; W. R. Anderson; Sec., A. J. Underwood, 13 Maire St., Woburn, Lower Hutt.

Tawera o Kapiti, 253:—Founded 1923; meets Paraparaumu, third Tues., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., A. J. Patterson; S.W., H. Shaw; J.W., E. K. Spilman; 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., R. H. Emery; S.W., A. J. T. Aitken; J.W., D. O'Brien, P.M.; Sec., H. Hitchens, 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., T. R. Kirker; S.W., D. M. Dickson; J.W., J. R. Taylor; Sec., W. B. Reesby, P.M., 47a Victoria St., Petone.

Trentham, 262:—Consecrated 5th April, 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Islington Rd., Trentham, third Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. third Sat. in April. W.M., C. E. Biggs; S.W., A. E. Potter; J.W., J. Hartley; 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., F. B. Anyon; S.W., F. H. Bustin; J.W., J. W. Howes; Sec., J. L. Arcus, P.M., P.O. Box 1288, Wellington.

Hataitai, 285:—Founded 1926; meets Taia Masonic Temple, opp. P.O., Kilbirnie, third Wed. except Dec. and Jan., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., Rev. Walter Langston; S.W., E. J. Barry; J.W., R. S. Owen; Sec., A. J. Linney, P.M., 12 Matai Rd., Wellington, E.2.

Charles Ferfusson, 290:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Sept. W.M., Henry Bradshaw; S.W., M. C. E. Hugo; J.W., C. D. Bell; Sec., E. Turksma, P.M., 4 Armitage Street, Ngāio, N.4.

Aroha, 293:—Founded 1928; meets Mokoia Masonic Temple, Fifeshire Ave., off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, first Monday (except Jan.), Install. March. W.M., A. Greenberg; S.W., I. A. Sinclair; J.W., E. Ketko; Sec., H. Hatch, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 1040, Wellington, C.I.

Lower Hutt, 299:—Founded 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, third Friday, 7.30 (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. June. W.M., J. W. Mackisack; S.W., J. B. McCallum; J.W., Claude S. Woodbury; Sec., J. Fletcher, P.M., Laings Road, Lower Hutt.

Herbert Teagle, 300:—Founded 1929; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Thurs., except Jan., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., Graham McIntosh; S.W., I. T. Cook; J.W., W. C. O. Wade; Sec., A. Schmidt, P.G.St.B., 24 Myrtle Crescent, Wellington, S.I.

Westminster, 308:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Friday, 5 p.m., except Dec., Jan. and either March or April, according to Easter. Install. Sept. W.M., Claude H. Weston, K.C.; S.W., J. W. Sandham; J.W., Hugh R. Biss; Sec., J. Norrie, P.G.S., 66 Kaimui Rd., Hataitai, Wellington, E.2.

SOUTH ISLAND

NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH: 12 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. James Baird, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. Frank Mogridge, 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., G. S. Stiles; S.W., H. G. Walker; J.W., D. C. H. Gill; Sec., R. W. Stiles, P.D.G.M., Box 105, Nelson.

Wairau, 42:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., F. L. Smith; S.W., F. Faulding; J.W., F. G. Brown; Sec., W. C. Lucas, P.G.W., P.O. Box 185, Blenheim.

Havelock, 103:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock, third Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. A. Adams, P.M.; S.W., I. J. Horton; J.W., W. S. B. Hardy; Sec., H. F. Pickett, P.M., Havelock.

Marlborough Unanimity, 106:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., A. J. Blackmore; S.W., W. B. Benda; J.W., J. S. Hill; 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., J. A. Fuller; S.W., P. K. Elvy; J.W., R. Berry; Sec., A. S. C. Franklyn, P.M., Wellington Street, Picton.

Forest, 116:—Founded 1898; meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield, second Wed. Install. Nov. W.M., A. E. Shuttleworth; S.W., W. H. Hunt; J.W., L. A. Palmer; Sec., S. E. O'Hara, P.G.D., Waima, West. R.M.D., Brightwater.

Motueka, 117:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Motueka, fourth Wed. (except Dec.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., N. G. Harding; S.W., J. F. Heath; J.W., J. M. Lowe; Sec., A. Canton, Greenwood St., Motueka.

St. Cuthbert's, 144:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall Collingwood, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., Alven J. Flowers; S.W., G. D. Polglase; J.W., J. R. Haldane; Actg. Sec., O. C. Skilton, P.M., Batham, Collingwood.

Murchison, 257:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Murchison, second Tues., 7.45 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. December. W.M., A. J. McCaa; S.W., J. L. Hutchings; J.W., G. W. G. Locke; Sec., A. A. Fleming, P.M., Murchison.

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., E. D. Jack; S.W., G. V. Swafford; J.W., A. R. Watson; Sec., Noel Jones, 154 Hardy St., Nelson.

Nelson, 288:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, third Wed., 7.30 p.m., except Dec., 2nd Wed. Install. Sept. W.M., K. S. Farmer; S.W., W. F. M. Ott; J.W., C. W. Johnson, P.M.; Sec., C. W. Letford, 12 Harper St., Nelson.

Awatere, 292:—Founded 5th Dec., 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon, third Thurs. Install. May. W.M., E. L. Walker; S.W., D. R. Lockhart; J.W., D. W. Hammond; Sec., J. S. Dolan, P.M., Box 29, Seddon.

DISTRICT OF WEST COAST: 12 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. David McIvor, 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., N. W. Haldane; S.W., F. M. Sara; J.W., J. M. Latham; Sec., J. B. Auld, P.M., P.O. Box 26, Reefton.

Advance, 61:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Hall, Taylorville, Brunerton, first Wed., 7.30. Install. third Sat. in Jan. W.M., A. J. Lewis; S.W., I. J. Wicks; J.W., R. W. Johnson; Sec., A. E. Mahon, Brunerton, Westland.

Kumara, 65:—Founded 1899; meets Freemasons' Hall, Seddon St., Kumara, Tues., nearest full moon, S. Install. Feb. W.M., James Maitland; S.W., L. Studholme; J.W., E. Rose. Sec., W. Stewart, P.M., Kumara.

Westland Kil, 88:—Founded 1867; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. St. Andrew's Day. W.M., R. V. Frederic; S.W., T. Seddon; J.W., W. G. Brvant; Sec., H. W. G. Park, Box 68, Hokitika

Aorangi, 89:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Denniston, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. in Dec. W.M., G. Higgins; S.W., H. Smith; J.W., R. Anderson; Sec., A. Openshaw, P.M., Denniston.

Mokihinui, 96:—Founded 1898; meets Masonic Hall, Seddonville, first Sat. Install. Dec. W.M., E. P. Marris; S.W., W. McFarlane; J.W., J. N. Niven; Sec., F. J. Neilsen, P.M., Ngakawau, via Westport.

Torea, 121:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Granity, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., Colin Campbell; S.W., A. G. Dougray; J.W., A. C. Nightingale, P.M.; Sec., A. A. G. Kerr, Granity.

Mawhera, 136:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Tainui St., Greymouth, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., R. F. Woodhouse; S.W., M. W. T. Moore; J.W., F. W. Canter; Sec., O. W. Eastwood, P.M., P.O. Box 13, Greymouth.

Kawatiri-Westport, 152:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Russell St., Westport, second Mon. Install. May. W.M., C. W. Kearns; S.W., A. G. Kearns; J.W., S. A. Spencer; Sec., C. Ballantyne, P.M., 1 Fonblanque St., Westport.

Runanga, 159:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon St., Runanga, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. Farquhar; S.W., J. W. Dalziel; J.W., A. Pattison; Sec., S. Braithwaite, P.G.P., Ballance St., Runanga.

Waro, 173:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hart St., Blackball, second Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. J. Walker; S.W., P. S. James; J.W., J. Shaw; Sec., A. D. McDougall, Faversham, Blackball, West Coast.

Connaught, 187:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Karamea, 3rd Wed., 8 p.m. Install. 1st Sat. in March. W.M., N. A. Simpson; S.W., V. Rhind; J.W., B. J. R. Simpson; Sec., S. R. Simpkin, P.M., P.O. Box 14, Karamea.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (47 LODGES).

(R.W. Bro. Alfred J. Jones, Prov.G.M.)

Unanimity, 3:—Founded 1851; meets Masonic Hall, Sumner Rd., Lyttelton, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., G. Osborne, S.W., T. J. H. Harkess; J.W., A. P. H. Godart; Sec., H. P. McIvor, 55 Courtenay St., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

St. Augustine, 4:—Founded 1852; meets Masonic Hall, Christchurch, second Tues., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., A. E. G. Lytle, P.M.; S.W., H. E. Hamilton; J.W., F. O. G. Mathieson; Sec., F. A. Grant, P.G.D.C., Box 363, Christchurch, C.I.

Southern Cross, 6:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Kaiapoi, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., D. W. Ross; S.W., F. Bryden; J.W., H. Tavendale, P.M.; Sec., A. H. Wilson, P.M., 3 Broom St., Kaiapoi.

Caledonian, 16:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Temple, Bank Street, Timaru, first Mon., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., R. A. McKessar; S.W., W. M. Beynon; J.W., C. J. L. Matheson; Sec., G. A. Robertson, P.M., P.O. Box 132, Timaru.

Progress, 22:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, second Monday, 7.30. Install. Nov. No meeting Feb. W.M., E. F. Smith; S.W., G. M. Doyle; J.W., C. G. Gilbert; Sec., R. B. Willis, P.M., Southbridge.

Canterbury Kil, 23:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Canterbury St., Lyttelton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., S. E. Buchanan; S.W., H. R. Sinclair; J.W., A. O. Ward; Sec., D. Loader, P.M., 121 Hawford Road, Opawa, Christchurch, S.E.1.

Geraldine, 27:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Geraldine, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., S. King; S.W., C. Davies; J.W., W. C. Grotty; Sec., W. A. Sherratt, P.M., Geraldine.

Ashley, 28:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Rangiora, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., D. Appleby; S.W., E. D. Fleming; J.W., W. G. Nairn; 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., G. H. S. Erwood; S.W., F. M. Martin; J.W., W. Cain; Sec., F. A. Joynt, P.O. Box 40, Temuka.

South Rakaia, 31:

Lincoln 33:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Lincoln, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. No meeting Jan. W.M., A. K. McLay; S.W., P. E. Hoskin; J.W., J. W. Calder; 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., E. Wilson; S.W., H. W. Pascoe; J.W., J. Papps; Sec., A. J. Nicholas, 21 Petrie St., Christchurch, N.E.1.

Phoenix, 43:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Jolie St., Akaroa, second Fri., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., W. E. Brown; S.W., L. A. Brown; J.W., W. A. Newton; 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., J. R. Dalton; S.W., S. H. Anderson; J.W., E. J. Watson; Sec., F. G. Mangin, P.G.S., P.O. Box 52, Methven.

Kaikoura, 60:—Founded 1887; meets at Masonic Hall, Kaikoura, second Thurs. Install. Feb. W.M., R. S. Williams; S.W., A. J. Stubberfield, P.M.; J.W., H. Austin, P.M.; 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., W. Latham; S.W., J. W. Vivian; J.W., —Firth; Sec., H. Gamble, P.M., 590A Colombo Street, Christchurch, C.I.

Mackenzie, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fairlie, second Thursday 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., A. E. Golding; S.W., J. Macdonald; J.W., F. Adams, P.M.; Sec., H. Carlton, P.M., Main Street, Fairlie.

St. Augustine, 99:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Leonard St., Waimate, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., D. Shaw; S.W., W. J. Hutt; J.W., T. W. A. Hunter; Sec., Albert J. Hoskins, P.G.D.C., 66 Lower High St., Waimate.

Thistle, 113:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St. W., Ashburton, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Nov. W.M., R. C. Carter; S.W., E. R. Gray; J.W., A. J. Donn; Sec., G. E. Argyle, P.M., 27 Alford Forest Road, Ashburton.

Cheviot, 124:—Founded 1902; meets Cheviot 3rd Thurs. Install. 1st Sat. April. W.M., J. G. McPherson; S.W., R. M. Williamson; J.W., J. W. Abernethy; Sec., F. D. Childs, P.M., R.D., Cheviot.

Masters and Past Masters, 130:—Founded 1902; meets third Wednesday, January, March, May, July, Sept. and Nov., 7.30 p.m., Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch. Install. Jan. W.M., Alan F. Fisher, P.G.T.; S.W., G. Calvert; J.W., F. J. Snanks, P.Pres. Prov. B.B.; Sec., Dr. Ross Hepburn, G.Lec., P.M., 7 Rimu St., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.I.

Mairaki, 131:—Founded 1903; meets Masonic Hall, Cust, third Friday. No meeting Jan. Install. April. W.M., J. B. Struthers, P.M.; S.W., D. L. Prouse, P.M.; J.W., C. G. W. Briggs; Sec., C. B. Forbes, P.M., Box 9, Cust.

Pareora, 134:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, St. Andrew, second Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., A. Lambie; S.W., A. H. Cookson; J.W., L. Brown; Sec., A. R. H. Wallace, P.M., Pareora.

Crown, 138:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Wordsworth St., Sydenham, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. first Tues., Dec. W.M., G. A. Cooper; S.W., W. Swann; J.W., L. W. L. Grenfell; Sec., W. G. King, P.M., 52 Harper St., Sydenham, Christchurch, S.I.

Robert Burns, 139:—Founded under Scottish Constitution as No. 604, 7th May, 1877, under N.Z. Constitution, 17th Jan., 1903; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, third Tuesday, 7.30. Install. August. W.M., D. C. Richardson; S.W., R. T. Cowper; J.W., A. J. Emdali; Sec., G. A. Blackmore, 457 Colombo Street, Christchurch, S.I.

Civic, 157:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., G. G. Anderson; S.W., A. H. M. Manson; J.W., J. J. Brownlee; Sec., N. J. G. Speary, P.O. Box 957, Christchurch, C.I.

St. Martin, 162:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Pleasant Point, fourth Thurs., 8. Install. Aug. W.M., R. D. Cox; S.W., F. R. Clarke; J.W., C. H. Struthers; Sec., D. M. France, Tycho R.D., Timaru.

Ahurewa, 181:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Dunsandel, fourth Mon. Install. Oct. W.M., C. M. Sheat; S.W., K. W. Macpherson; J.W., W. V. Chatterton; Sec., F. E. Owers, P.M., P.O. Box 11, Dunsandel.

Amuri, 184:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Rotherham, Amuri, 2nd Friday, at 8 p.m., Install. Oct. W.M., H. R. Davison; S.W., R. L. Jordan; J.W., E. Macdonald, P.M.; Sec., Edw. T. Roberts, "Riverside," Private Bag, Christchurch.

Avon, 185:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, first Thurs. Install. Sept. W.M., G. L. Campbell; S.W., R. G. Hamilton; J.W., J. Collins; Sec., W. McK. Norrie, P.M., 68 Weston Road, St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

Tawera, 188:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Hall, Oxford, 1st Tues., 8 p.m. Install. March. W.M., C. R. Tovey; S.W., J. G. Woodham; J.W., G. L. Fairweather; Sec., R. C. Drummond, Oxford.

Timaru, 196:—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Temple, Bank St., Timaru, third Monday in each month (except December). Install. April. W.M., S. E. Cantwell; S.W., C. J. Muir; J.W., A. B. Shipley; Sec., A. W. Saunders, 12 Albert Street, Timaru.

Koranga, 197:—Meets Masonic Temple, Bank St., Timaru, fourth Tues., except Dec., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., R. A. Heron; S.W., J. Somerville; J.W., M. L. Applegarth; Sec., W. J. Hogg, P.M., 21 Wai-iti Road, Timaru.

Erewhon, 200:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Mt. Somers, fourth Thurs., 7.45. Install. Oct. W.M., O. J. McDougall; S.W., A. L. Chalmers; J.W., L. A. Whiting; Sec., F. W. Giffins, P.G.S., R.D., Mt. Somers.

Acacia, 209:—Founded 1918; meets Masonic Hall, Waikari, third Monday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., C. W. McKeegan; S.W., H. J. Whittington; J.W., W. A. Harris; Sec., B. A. Coe, P.M., Scargill.

Eirene, 211 (Little River).

Ionic, 212:—Founded 1919; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., M. J. Barnett; S.W., W. J. Schorah; J.W., N. H. Gale; Sec., P. C. Browne, Box 567, Christchurch, C.I.

Malvern, 230:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Coalgate, third Thursday at 8 p.m. Install. April. W.M., W. G. Hunt; S.W., H. A. Thorne; J.W., W. H. Faulkner; Sec., L. A. Marshall, P.M., Glentunnel.

Brighton, 236:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood St., New Brighton, first Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., T. G. Hillier; S.W., W. S. Grigg; J.W., G. H. Arnold; Sec., B. S. H. Ward, 65 Mayfield Avenue, St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

Summer, 242:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Mayland St., Sumner, third Monday. Install. Sept., third Monday. W.M., J. J. Barton; S.W., Geo. Patience; J.W., Geo. Brown; Sec., S. K. Bassett, P.M., 15 Richmond Hill, Sumner.

United Forces, 245:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., R. C. Hamilton; S.W., J. Johnston; J.W., J. Alexander; Sec., W. L. McCallum, 56 Knowles St., Christchurch, N.I.

Southern Star, 256:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., J. P. Scull; S.W., H. A. Townsend; J.W., H. H. Wilson; Sec., F. S. Palmer, P.M., 9 Achilles St., Shirley, Christchurch, N.E.I.

Shirley, 263:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Shirley Road, Shirley, second Tues. Install. May. W.M., E. R. McDonald; S.W., L. W. Barwell; J.W., F. H. Wright; Sec., A. M. Mollison, P.M., 148 Springfield Rd., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

Cashmere, 271:—Founded 1924; meets fourth Thurs. (except Dec.) Cashmere Hills. Install. Oct. W.M., H. M. Minson; S.W., F. H. Brown; J.W., L. L. Smith; Sec., C. G. M. Boyce, 119A Hackthorne Rd., Cashmere, Christchurch, S.2.

Doric, 275:—Founded 1925; meets in Masonic Hall, Wordsworth St., Sydenham, 2nd Thurs. Install. June. W.M., G. E. Naylor; S.W., E. A. Baker; J.W., N. D. Russell; Sec., C. S. Johnston, P.M., 40 Andover St., Christchurch, N.W.I.

Riccarton, 276:—Founded 1925; meets third Tues., 7.30. Masonic Hall, Totara St., Riccarton. W.M., R. T. Sladen; S.W., C. D. Marks; J.W., G. Bates; Sec., H. E. Jarman, P.M., 37 Straven Rd., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.I.

OTAGO DISTRICT: 37 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. James G. Dykes, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. James S. Duncan, Asst. Prov.G.M.)

Otago, 7:—Founded 1860; meets Masonic Temple Moray Place, Dunedin, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., C. J. Hayward, P.M.; S.W., H. E. Lyon; J.W., A. G. Mason; Sec., W. S. Cayzer, P.M., 34 County Road, Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.2.

Waikati, 11:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Hall, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, second Wed., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., H. C. Cameron; S.W., G. J. Seatts; J.W., T. W. C. Dimick; Sec., D. J. Crawley, P.M., Box 22, Oamaru.

Clutha, 14:—Founded 1866; meets Masonic Hall, Douglas St., Balclutha, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., J. A. McDonald; S.W., W. D. Seatts; J.W., T. H. R. Major; Sec., James McNaughton, Box 45, Balclutha.

Palmerston, 26:—Founded 1876; meets Masonic Hall, Palmerston, third Thurs. Install. Aug. W.M., J. A. Galloway; S.W., S. E. Smith; J.W., R. C. Kilgour; Sec., G. B. Smith, P.G.S., Box 24, Palmerston, Otago.

Hercules, 36:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Tapanui, first Wed., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., J. M. McDonald; S.W., K. Rodger; J.W., D. McNeil; Sec., A. G. Dumbleton, P.G.B.B., Tapanui.

Hiram, 46:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Cargill Rd., South Dunedin, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., Adam Harris; S.W., J. Lockhart; J.W., A. W. Corrie; Sec., F. Allen, P.M., 407 North Rd., Dunedin, N.E.I.

Ngapara, 68.

Oamaru Kil., 82:—Founded 1872; meets Masonic Temple, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, third Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Install. Oct. R.W.M., Wm. Shirkey; S.W., C. R. Galbraith; J.W., J. W. Watson, P.M.; Sec., J. A. Meldrum, P.M., 4 Dee Street, Oamaru.

St. Thomas Kil., 83:—Kaitangata.

St. John, 84.

Mt. Ida, 97:—Founded 1868; meets Masonic Hall, Naseby, second Mon. Install. Feb. W.M., Willis Jopson; S.W., W. C. Mawhinney; J.W., W. J. Lobb; Sec., A. H. Macdonald, Box 40, Ranfurly.

Cromwell Kil., 98:—Founded 1872; meets Masonic Hall, Cromwell, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., W. W. Webb; S.W., A. B. Pearson; J.W., J. W. T. Anderson; Sec., W. B. Moffat, P.M., C/o N.Z. Railways, Cromwell.

Dunstan, 103:—Meets Masonic Hall, Clyde, first Tues. Install. Feb. W.M., G. E. Walldron; S.W., L. J. P. Meiklejohn; J.W., W. C. Wilson; Sec., H. E. Stevens, P.G.St.B., Clyde.

Maori, 105:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Ravensbourne, Dunedin, first Mon., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., S. Marshall; S.W., R. Mayfield; J.W., T. F. Roger, P.M.; Sec., Albert Jordan, P.G.S., 91 Albany St., Dunedin, C.I.

Manukerikia Kil., 109:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Temple, Alexandra, second Friday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. R. Earwaker; S.W., A. P. C. Reidy; J.W., A. C. Iversen; Sec., W. R. Lloyd Williams, P.M., Box 25, Alexandra.

St. Bathans, 126:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Becks, second Thursday, 8. Install. Feb. W.M., T. H. Rhodes; S.W., W. A. Armstrong; J.W., L. Tibbary; Sec., Alex. Armstrong, P.M., Otarehua R.D., Otago.

Otago Kil., 143:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, first Thursday, 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., R. N. Ridd; S.W., C. E. Corley; J.W., F. D. Moore; Sec., E. Sincoc, P.M., 31 Carnarvon St., Dunedin, W.I.

Teviot, 148:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Roxburgh, Sat. on or nearest full moon, 8. Install. March. W.M., F. L. Bloxham; S.W., J. A. Young; J.W., S. H. Wingfield; Sec., Dr. J. R. Gilmour, P.G.S.W.D.B., Box 18, Roxburgh.

Oceanic, 154:—Founded 1907; meets St. Kilda Masonic Hall, third Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. F. Glass; S.W., G. R. Armstrong; J.W., E. A. Payton; Sec., W. R. McKenzie, P.M., 35 Grove St., St. Kilda, Dunedin.

Haeremai, 155:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Great King St. (opp. Museum), Dunedin, third Mon., 7.45. Install. May. W.M., C. L. Stevenson; S.W., D. J. Sinclair; J.W., C. G. Carnie; Sec., J. D. King, P.G.D., 2 Dudley Place, Maori Hill, Dunedin, N.W.I.

Research Lodge of Otago, 161:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, King St., Dunedin, May, July, Sept., Nov., Jan., on last Wed. Install. March. W.M., C. G. Hedge, P.G.P.; S.W., J. B. Thomson, P.M.; J.W., J. R. Weir, P.M.; Sec., Axel Newton, P.G.Lect., 78 Easter Crescent, Dunedin, S.W.I.

Kuraw, 164:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Kuraw, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., A. H. Chapman; S.W., W. E. Shannon; J.W., Alex. Don; Sec., R. G. Smith, P.M., Otiake, 7 K.R.D., Oamaru.

Owaka, 180:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Owaka, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., William Friend; S.W., Jas. Johnson; J.W., I. G. Dryden; Sec., A. H. Latta, P.M., Box 25, Owaka.

Clinton, 183:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Clinton, second Thurs. in each month, 7.30. Install. May. W.M., C. C. Stuart; S.W., E. Houlston, P.M.; J.W., J. G. O. Judd; Sec., A. E. Gladwin, P.M., P.O., Clinton.

Ionic, 191:—Founded 1912; meets Ionic Masonic Temple, Dee St., Green Island, second Mon., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., H. Smellie; S.W., J. K. Geddes; J.W., V. Pringle; Sec., W. A. Miller, P.M., Box 2, Green Island, Dunedin. S.W.2.

Morning Star, 192:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Hall, Haig St., Mornington, Dunedin, first Tues., 7.30. Install. first Tues. in Sept. W.M., Wm. B. Walker; S.W., T. H. V. Dickel; J.W., S. J. Williams; Sec., A. L. Leaman, P.O. Box 584, Dunedin.

Strath Taieri, 199:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Middlemarch, second Monday. Install. April. W.M., W. D. Weir; S.W., T. J. Cockburn; J.W., W. H. Brenssel; Sec., E. W. Messent, P.M., Middlemarch.

Karitane, 221:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Waikouaiti, second Monday, 8 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., D. Milne; S.W., F. H. Demus; J.W., C. Wilson; Sec., D. Russell, Waikouaiti.

Waverley, 226:—Founded 1921; meets Lodge-room, Anderson's Bay, 3rd Tues. (except Jan., no meeting), and Aug. (4th Monday), 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., J. E. Drummond; S.W., J. C. Begg; J.W., J. H. McKay; Sec., F. G. Hall, P.M., 41 Ravelston St., Dunedin, E.1.

Taharangi, 235:—Founded 1922; meets Church Hall, Sim Street, Maori Hill, Dunedin, 7.30, second Tues. (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., N. W. Millard; S.W., J. McDonald; P.M., J. W. P. Laing, P.M.; Sec., Wm. Forbes, P.M., 620 Highgate, Maori Hill, Dunedin, N.W.1.

The Service Lodge, 237:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, fourth Tues., 7.15 p.m., except Dec. Install. April. W.M., H. A. White; S.W., W. C. Whitworth; J.W., Allan Wright; Sec., T. O'Shea, P.M., Box 467, Dunedin.

Koputa, 238:—Founded 1922.

St. Clair, 246:—Founded 1922; meets Hiram Masonic Hall, Cargill Rd., first Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., J. B. A. Sutherland; S.W., S. F. Chalmers; J.W., J. Rennie; Sec., I. L. Turnbull, P.O. Box 755, Dunedin.

Roslyn, 250:—Founded 1878; meets Linden Hall, Roslyn, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. W. Jowsey, jun.; S.W., H. C. Osborn; J.W., W. A. Tipping; Sec., James Davidson, 3 Sheen St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.1.

Oamaru, 260:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Oamaru, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., C. McDonald; S.W., J. H. Main, P.M.; J.W., V. Baker; Sec., E. D. Watts, P.G.S., P.O. Box 53, Oamaru.

Wanaka, 277:—Founded 1925; meets first Sat., at Pembroke. W.M., Geo. Atkins; S.W., R. Scott; J.W., I. M. Templeton; Sec., H. A. Halliday, P.M., Wanaka.

Achilles, 310:—Founded 1944; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, second Friday, 7.30 (except Jan., Feb.). Install. Aug. W.M., N. R. McIsaac; S.W., S. G. Scouler; J.W., A. S. Bruce Smith; Sec., R. E. Sowter, P.O. Box 883, Dunedin.

DISTRICT OF SOUTHLAND: 21 LODGES. (R.W. Bro. John D. Campbell.)

Southern Cross, 9:—Founded 1864; meets Masonic Hall, Forth St., Invercargill, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., G. E. O. Butson; S.W., C. J. Johnson; J.W., R. U. Macaulay; Sec., H. J. J. Pierce, 64 Filleul St., Invercargill.

Harvey, 49:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Gore, third Wed., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., A. Gregory; S.W., A. H. Davidson; J.W., H. L. Smith; Sec., R. P. Boyne, P.M., Box 90, Gore.

Mokoreta, 63:—Founded 1888; meets Masonic Temple, Wyndham, second Thurs. Install. Sept. W.M., G. A. McMillan; S.W., R. McCaughan; J.W., B. D. Bennie; Sec., J. C. Fraser, Box 9, Wyndham.

Fortitude, 64:—Founded 1888; meets Masonic Hall, Bluff, 3rd Sat. Install. June. W.M., D. J. Robertson; S.W., J. V. Nicholson; J.W., E. M. Matheson; Sec., E. G. Parsons, P.M., 57 Liffey St., Bluff.

Aparima, 77:—Founded 1876; meets Masonic Hall, Riverton, fourth Tues. (Dec. third Tues.), 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., E. S. Fossey; S.W., H. M. Tweedie, P.M.; J.W., D. C. Matheson; Sec., G. H. Milow, Box 11, Riverton.

Lake Lodge of Ophir, 85:—Founded 1864; meets Masonic Hall, Queenstown, third Wed. Install. Feb. W.M., A. B. Burns; S.W., G. J. Jones, P.M.; J.W., D. Galbraith; Sec., C. H. McKay, P.G.S., Box 1, Queenstown.

Arrow Kil, 86:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Hall, Arrowtown, 3rd Mon. Install. Feb. W.M., D. R. Rowe; S.W., A. E. Paterson; J.W., J. W. Brown; Sec., G. H. Hansen, Arrowtown.

St. John, 94:—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Hall, Forth St., Invercargill, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., J. O. Brown; S.W., G. H. Gibbs; J.W., T. S. Grose; Sec., J. G. Inlay, P.M., P.O. Box 373, Invercargill.

Taringatura, 100:—Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Lumsden, third Monday, 8 p.m. Install. second Sat. in May. W.M., L. W. Allison; S.W., G. W. Gillespie; J.W., R. F. Gillespie; Sec., F. W. Thomas, P.O. Box 30, Lumsden.

Winton, 108:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Park Street, Winton, first Tues. Install. Nov. W.M., H. A. Knowles; S.W., L. Murdoch; J.W., R. King, P.M.; Sec., J. F. Harrison P.M., Box 1, Winton.

Winton, 108:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Park Street, Winton, first Tues. Install. Nov. W.M., H. A. Knowles, P.M.; S.W., L. G. Murdoch; J.W., J. A. Stewart (Junr.); Sec., J. F. Harrison, P.M., Box 1, Winton.

Orepuki, 137:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Orepuki, 1st Sat., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., A. C. Macdonald; S.W., H. J. Townshend; J.W., J. E. Cook; Sec., E. J. Weir; P.O. Box 36, Orepuki.

Wairaki, 145:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Nightcaps, second Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. N. Dover; S.W., F. J. Edwards; J.W., J. Mills; Sec., James Thomson, P.M., Box 4, Ohai, Southland.

Victoria, 147:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Forth Street, Invercargill, second Tues., 7.30, except January. Install. August. W.M., J. H. Buckingham; S.W., D. T. McNeil; J.W., H. J. Hoskin; Sec., C. J. McEachran, P.G.S., P.O. Box 172, Invercargill.

Waikaka, 151:—Meets Masonic Hall, Waikaka, fourth Mon. (Dec. third Mon.), 7.30. Install. fourth Wed. in May, 3.30 p.m. W.M., J. Harvey; S.W., R. P. Smillie; J.W., J. Fleming; Sec., K. F. McKay, P.M., Box 23, Waikaka.

Mataura, 174:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Mataura, second Mon., 7.30. Install. second Wed. in Oct. W.M., J. W. Aitken; S.W., E. G. Wilson; J.W., F. Poskitt; Sec., R. Pryde, P.M., P.O. Box 24, Mataura.

Waihopai, 189:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, third Monday (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. July. W.M., A. Scott, P.M.; S.W., G. F. Griffiths; J.W., C. D. Anderson; Sec., G. E. Mitchell, 81 Leet Street, Invercargill.

Tuatapere, 210:—Founded 1919; meets Masonic Temple, Tuatapere, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., H. B. M. Brookes, P.M.; S.W., D. Rodgers, P.M.; J.W., G. G. Findlay; Sec., C. F. Bruce, P.M., c/o P.O. Box 15, Tuatapere.

Switzers, 223:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Waikaka, first Monday, 7.30. Install. first Wed. in Sept. W.M., A. W. Ferris; S.W., R. Edwards; J.W., R. J. Lindsay; Act. Sec., W. G. Duff, Box 36, Waikaka, Southland.

Southland, 273:—Meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, second Wed., except Jan. Install. March. W.M., G. R. W. Barnes; S.W., L. H. Jones; J.W., A. H. E. Aldridge; Sec., A. A. Campbell, 167 George St., Invercargill.

Edendale, 289:—Founded 1927; meets Lodge-room, Public Hall, Edendale, fourth Tuesday, except Dec. Install. fourth Tues. in July. W.M., F. T. McKenzie; S.W., R. Muir; J.W., J. R. Gibson; Sec., W. L. Norton, P.M., Edendale.

BOARDS OF INQUIRY.

North Taranaki United:—Meets Security Buildings, 74 Devon Street East, New Plymouth, first Monday at 7.30 p.m. President, A. R. Milne, P.M.; Sec., N. B. Bellringer, P.M., Box 65, New Plymouth.

Wanganui:—Meets Freemasons' Hall, Ball St., Wanganui, 2nd Wed., 7.45 p.m. President, T. B. R. Dix, P.M.; Sec., S. M. Dixon, P.M., Box 413, Wanganui.

Hutt Valley:—Meets Masonic Temple, Huia St., Lower Hutt, 2nd Mon. Pres., L. Hall, Sec., A. Burgess, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 43, Lower Hutt.

Southland:—Meets Freemasons' Hall, Forth Street, Invercargill, fourth Thurs. Pres., A. Derbie, P.Prov.G.M.; Sec., H. J. J. Pierce, 64 Filleul Street, Invercargill.

Hawke's Bay United:—Meets Scinde Lodge-room, Church Lane, Napier, first Monday at 7.30 p.m. President: A. Hobson, P.M.; Sec., A. A. Hastings, P.M., P.O. Box 72, Napier.

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District Grand Masters.

Auckland—D. B. Patterson, 1939, 23 Shortland Street, Auckland, C.1.

Canterbury—John Ernest Purchase, 1935, c/o Box 437, Christchurch, C.1.

Otago and Southland—John Simpson, 1941, 84 Grendon St., Maori Hill, Dunedin, N.W.1.

Wellington—James W. Jack, P.G.D., 1935, Box 334, Wellington, C.1.

Westland and Nelson—Jesse Steer, 1912, 2 Hackthorne Road, Christchurch, S.2.

CRAFT LODGES.

Mt. Egmont, 670, E.C.:—Founded 1853; meets Masonic Temple, Lizard St., New Plymouth, 2nd Wednesday, except Jan. and Aug. Install. 2nd Sat. Aug. W.M., A. S. Kirkland; S.W., J. W. Taunt; J.W., G. E. Putt; Sec., N. B. Bellringer, P.M., Box 65, New Plymouth.

Waitemata, 689, Auckland.

Tonkariro, 705, E.C.:—Founded 1857; meets Masonic Hall, Bell St., Wanganui, 3rd Thurs., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. March. W.M., W. Penlington Jones; S.W., A. J. Pritchard; J.W., W. F. Nicholls; Sec., V. B. Willis, P.M., P.O. Box 203, G.P.O., Wanganui.

Southern Star, 735, E.C.:—Founded 1853; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood Street, Nelson, fourth Tues., 7.30 (except Dec.). Install. Oct. W.M., C. F. Christall; S.W., R. H. Richards; J.W., C. G. Lockyer; Sec., W. J. Shand Smith, 88 Halifax Street, Nelson.

Otago, 844, Dunedin.

Dunedin, 931, Dunedin.

Port Chalmers Marine, 942, Port Chalmers

Canterbury, 1043, E.C.:—Founded 1864; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., W. J. Cartwright; S.W., J. A. C. Frogley; J. W., Geo. Hedges; Sec., Geo. H. Weir, P.D.G.W., 115 Warrington St., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.1.

St. George, 1128, Lawrence.

St. John, 1137, Timaru.

Alexandra, 1138, Hamilton.

Pacific, 1229:—Founded 1869. Meets Masonic Temple, Revell St., Hokitika, 2nd Tues., 7.30 p.m. Install. Feb. W.M., D. J. Hyndman; S.W., F. Bristow; J.W., S. G. Havill; Sec., G. A. King, P.O. Box 50, Hokitika.

Greymouth, 1233, E.C.:—Founded 1868; meets Masonic Hall, Greymouth, first Tues. Install. first Tues. in Sept. W.M., R. L. Olsen; S.W., J. S. Olsen; J.W., A. Dalziel; Sec., T. H. Jones, P.M., P.O. Box 182, Greymouth.

Prince of Wales, 1338, Auckland.

Pacific Lodge of Reefton, No. 1453, E.C.:—Founded 1873; meets Masonic Hall, Shield St., Reefton, 2nd Sat. Install. 1st Tues. Sept. W.M., R. A. Black; S.W., V. L. Newcombe; J.W., A. G. Reid; Sec., T. A. Dellaca, P.M., Broadway, Reefton.

Turanganui, 1480, Gisborne.

Wellington, 1521, E.C.:—Founded 1874; meets Masonic Temple, Wellington Terrace, Wellington, third Wed. except in Jan., Feb. and March. Install. June. W.M., Frank Davidson; S.W., A. Maurice Anderson, P.M.; J.W., W. H. Hindle; Sec., W. R. C. Oswin, P.M., Box 682, Wellington, C.1.

Eden, 1530, Auckland.

Sir Donald McLean, 1646, Waitara.

Star of the North, 1647, Whangarei.

Corinthian, 1655, Thames.

Lazar, 1689, Greymouth.

Phoenix, 1690, E.C.:—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Hall, Westport, Thurs. nearest full moon. Install. June. W.M., F. Stafford; S.W., A. W. Hodgson; J.W., C. Walker Treloar, P.M.; Sec., L. W. Crowe, P.M.; Pakington St., Westport.

Remuera, 1710, Auckland.

Rodney, 1711, Warkworth.

United Manawatu, 1721, Palmerston North.

Winchester, 1737, Winchester.

St. George, 1801, Dargaville.

Ashburton, 1811, E.C.—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St., Ashburton, second Tuesday. Install. Oct. W.M. D. F. C. Milne; S.W., D. R. Gordon; J.W., S. W. Gower; Sec., C. J. McEachen, 143 Cameron St., Ashburton.

Northern Light, 1878, Kawa Kawa.
Conyers, 1916, E.C.—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch, second Thurs. Install. March. W.M., R. J. Eatwell; S.W., H. A. Smerdon; J.W., F. T. Peck; Sec., Ernest Peck, 82 Moncks Spur, Redcliffs, Sumner, Christchurch.

Opotiki, 1930, Opotiki.
Amberley, 2007, Amberley.
Zealandia, 2072, Whangaroa.
Duke of Albany, 203, Helensville.
Franklin, 2138, Paparua.
Harmony, 2180, Otahuhu.
Golden Bay, 2194, Takaka.
Te Awamutu, 2221, Parnell.
Aorangi, 2300—Founded 1888; meets at Masonic Hall, 38 The Terrace, Wellington, C.I., 4th Tues., April to November. Secretary's address, Box No. 122, Wellington, C.I.
St. Alban's, 2977, Christchurch.

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CRAFT LODGES.

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De Burgh Adams, 446, I.C.—Founded 1864; meets Masonic Hall, Robe St., New Plymouth, third Wed. (except July). Install. first Sat. after third Wed. in July. W.M., E. Spedding; S.W., A. J. Bishop; J.W., C. H. Taylor; Sec., J. F. Andrews, P.M., 81 Young St., New Plymouth.

Lodge of Light, 454, Thomas.
St. Patrick 468, I.C.—Founded 1880. Meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, fourth Wed. (Dec. excepted) at 7.30 p.m. Install. June. W.M., R. C. Macpherson; S.W., J. C. Bates; J.W., S. S. Hall; Sec., Geo. Cooper, P.M., 48 Richardson St., St. Kilda, Dunedin, S.2.

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NORTH ISLAND.

NORTH AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

(6 CHAPTERS)
(R.E. Comp. F. C. Purvis, Grand Supt.)

Whangarei, 27—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, last Wed. (except Dec. and Jan.). Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. W. J. McLeod; H., E. Comp. W. T. Surman; J., E. Comp. D. Wilson; S.E., E. Comp. A. E. Brown, 26 Mains Avenue, Whangarei.

Bay of Islands, 65—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Kawakawa, second Saturday. Install. August. Z., V.E. Comp. G. J. Frengley; H., E. Comp. H. A. Savage; J., E. Comp. W. Lees; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. J. V. Dunlop, P.Z., P.G.D. of C., P.O. Box 1, Kawakawa.

Ka para, No. 66.

Kaitiaki, 67—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Kaitiaki, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. W. Geard; H., E. Comp. F. B. Mitchell; J., E. Comp. W. H. Snelling; S.E., E. Comp. C. S. Wood, Box 55, Kaitiaki.

Hokianga, 71.

Northern Wairoa, 73.

AUCKLAND DISTRICT (9 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. F. W. Herbert, Grand Supt.)

Auckland Prov., 9—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, third Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. Thos. Bailey; H., E. Comp. H. G. Montgomery; J., E. Comp. B. Z. Millar; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. J. Wilson, P.Z., 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. G. F. Bartley; H., E. Comp. E. T. R. Hill; J., E. Comp. L. H. Postlewaite; S.E., E. Comp. P. A. Syers, 4 Ward Terrace, Sandringham, Auckland, S.W.I.

Ara, 53—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict St., Auckland, last Tues., except Dec., Jan., Feb. Install. April Z., V.E. Comp. R. J. Eyles; H., E. Comp. R. King; J., E. Comp. E. P. Wright; S.E., E. M. J. Litt, 1st G. Soj., P.O. Box 844, Auckland, C.I.

Akarana, 58—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, first Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. D. T. C. Lewis, P.Z.; H., E. Comp. C. A. Crum; J., E. Comp. C. J. Ellis; 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, Princess St., Onehunga, second Wed. Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. W. G. Bennett; H., E. Comp. G. Harrison; J., E. Comp. J. W. S. Pennalligen; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. H. Penney, 6 Grotto St., Onehunga, S.E.5.

William Ferguson Massey, 61:—Founded 1926; meets in Masonic Temple, Pukekohe, on third Mon., except Jan. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Donaldson; H. E. Comp. W. H. Pellow; J. E. Comp. W. J. Short; S.E., E. Comp. W. T. Cheeseman, P.O. Box 28, Pukekohe.

Ellerslie, 68:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Hall, Ellerslie, on first Monday, except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. L. Elsmore; H. E. Comp. T. Dean; J. E. Comp. S.E., V.E. Comp. T. Gordon Short, P.G.D.C., 4 Fern Ave., Auckland, S.E.3.

Karangahape, 69, Auckland.

Waitemata, 72, Northcote.

HAURAKI DISTRICT (7 CHAPTERS.) (R.E. Comp. D. Andrews, Grand Supt.)

Ohinemuri, 17:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, fourth Thurs. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Sept., Oct. and Dec. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. O. P. Bell; H. E. Comp. D. E. Gallie; J. E. Comp. W. H. Armour; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. T. Mettan, P.G.Swd.B., 6 Albert St., Paeroa.

Waikato, 22:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton, fourth Tues., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. P. Aldridge; H. E. Comp. A. Wood; J. E. Comp. D. E. D. Malins; S.E., V.E. Comp. P. P. Bynon Powell, P.G.D.C., 38 Wellington St., Hamilton.

Rotorua, 44:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Rotorua, 4th Thurs. (Dec. and Jan. excepted). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. N. Christie; H. E. Comp. W. McG. Carruthers; J. E. Comp. T. S. Robertson; 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. Behlin; H. E. Comp. L. D. Blomfield; J. E. Comp. H. F. McConnell; S.E., V.E. Comp. R. B. Morton, P.O. Box 12, Morrinsville.

Te Marama, 54:—Founded 31st March, 1924; meets in Masonic Temple, Ngaurawahia, fourth Mon. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. H. D. Sampson, P.Z.; H. E. Comp. A. A. Carlton; J. E. Comp. J. Gregory; S.E., V.E. Comp. Geo. Jamieson, P.G.D.C., 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. A. S. Gresham; H. E. Comp. H. J. F. Downard; J. E. Comp. C. S. Johnston; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. McRae, Box 94, Te Kuiti.

TARANAKI DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS.) (R.E. Comp. W. W. Thomson, Grand Supt.)

Paritutu 5:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, Lizard Street, New Plymouth, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. H. O. Round; H. E. Comp. W. A. Dean; J. E. Comp. A. C. Nicol; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. G. McDonald, P.Z., P.O. Box 266, New Plymouth.

Tahu-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. G. Littlejohn; H. E. Comp. M. Beattie; J. E. Comp. J. R. Miller; S.E., E. Comp. A. A. M. Green, Conway Road, Eltham.

Egmont, 37:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Stratford and Inglewood alternately, 7.30, first Mon., except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. J. Burnip; H. E. Comp. L. G. Kohn; J. E. Comp. D. S. Douglas; S.E., E. Comp. W. J. Villers, Stratford.

Turuturu, 55:—Founded 5th May, 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Hawera, third Monday. Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. R. S. F. Craig; H. E. Comp. D. McCormick; J. E. Comp. J. Jeromson; S.E., E. Comp. W. A. Sharp, Box 94, Hawera.

Carlisle, 74:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, Patea, fourth Wed., except Dec. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. F. Lund; H. E. Comp. R. M. Stevens; J. E. Comp. F. R. G. Souness; S.E., E. Comp. P. H. Billing, Egmont Street, Patea.

Opunake, 78:—Founded 16th June, 1941; meets Masonic Temple, Opunake, second Saturday. Install. June. Z., V.E. Comp. F. J. Young, P.G.D.C.; H. E. Comp. H. Shields; J. E. Comp. L. A. Young; S.E., E. Comp. H. J. Meharry, Opunake.

RUAPEHU DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS.) (R.E. Comp. W. A. Waters, Grand Supt.)

Manawatu, 11:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Palmerston North, third Thurs. (except Dec.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. L. Wood; H. E. Comp. P. W. Morris; J. E. Comp. E. J. Hickin; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. H. L. Cameron, King St., Palmerston North.

Ruapehu, 19:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Marton, first Tues., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. J. Kilpatrick; H. E. Comp. A. E. Watts; J. E. Comp. K. N. Glasgow; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. W. Gibson, P.G.Soi., 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. C. P. Bates; H. E. Comp. W. V. Tremewan; J. E. Comp. W. E. Longshaw; S.E., V.E. Comp. E. Lind, Ridgway St. (P.O. Box 20), Wanganui.

Otaihape, 43:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Taihape, fourth Friday in Feb. April, June, August and October (Install.). Z., V.E. Comp. H. Hayman; H. E. Comp. L. G. Mahoney; J. E. Comp. T. W. Pairman; S.E., A. B. Swedlund, P.G.St.B., P.O. Box 95, Taihape.

Oroua, 49:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Feilding, 3rd Mon., except December. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. I. McLennan; H. E. Comp. C. Pearson; J. E. Comp. R. Burne; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. M. Sargisson, P.O. Box 64, Feilding.

Waimarino, 50:—Meets Masonic Temple, Raetihi, fourth Mon., except Dec. Install. Jan. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Paulger; H. E. Comp. Ivan Carter; J. E. Comp. D. H. Cantwell; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. W. Nation, Raetihi.

HAWKE'S BAY DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS.) (R.E. Comp. J. W. Elliott, Grand Supt.)

Victoria 4:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Hall, Tennyson St., Napier, fourth Tues., except June and Dec. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. D. Cox; H. E. Comp. J. Edwards; J. E. Comp. F. W. Fox; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. Newton, P.G.D.C., 30 Kennedy Road, Napier.

Rawhiti, 30:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Dannevirke, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. first Sat. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. McMillan; H. E. Comp. E. A. Westlake; J. E. Comp. S. Eaton; S.E., R.E. Comp. W. Dobson, P.G.H., P.O. Box 69, Dannevirke.

Gisborne, 36:—Founded 1914; meets Abercorn Hall, last Mon. (except Dec.) Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. J. S. Strawbridge; H. E. Comp. C. Hillyard; J. H. P. Hansen; S.E., R.E. Comp. G. T. Bull, P.G.J., 141 Russell St., Gisborne.

Heretaunga, 38:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Lodgeroom, corner Market and St. Aubyn Streets, Hastings, first Thurs., 8. Install. first Thurs. in May. Z., V.E. Comp. W. A. Meads; H. E. Comp. C. S. Samuelson; J. E. Comp. A. L. Baker; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. B. E. Hird, G.S.N., 918 Nelson Street, Hastings.

Bedford, 39:—Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Waipukurau, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. fourth Thurs. in Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. T. H. Roach; H. E. Comp. C. H. J. Pease; J. E. Comp. J. H. Hindman; S.E., V.E. Comp. E. Clince Little, c/o Box 98, Waipukurau.

Waikaremoana, 76:—Founded 1940; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., 4th Monday. Z., V.E. Comp. W. Taylor; H. E. Comp. R. J. Wilson; J. E. Comp. R. W. Hawthorne; S.E., E. Comp. A. E. Smith, Box 10, Wairoa, H.B.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT (10 CHAPTERS.) (R.E. Comp. R. W. McVilly, Grand Supt.)

Waterloo, 2:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Wed. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. C. D. Morpeth; H. E. Comp. H. I. Kernahan; J. E. Comp. V. M. Broughton; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. G. Robson, 12 Montague St., Lower Hutt.

Wairarapa, 10:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Masterton, first Thurs., Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct. and Dec. Installation first Sat. in Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. G. Milne; H. E. Comp. H. Graham; J. E. Comp. S. V. Sharman; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. A. H. Dixon, P.G.Soi., 38 Pownall Street, Masterton.

Brooklyn, 24:—Meets Mokoia Masonic Hall, Fifehire Ave., off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, third Mon. (except Dec. and Jan.). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. W. Barke; H. E. Comp. H. A. McKinley; J. E. Comp. S. C. Cross; S.E., R.E. Comp. A. McLaren, P.G. Treas., 126 Austin St., Wellington, E.I.

Hinemoa, 25:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Donald McLean St., third Thurs., except Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. H. Leah; H. E. Comp. A. Cooley; J. E. Comp. A. V. Allen; S.E., S. T. S. Martin, D.G.Z., 11 Millward St., Wellington S.I.

Hutt Valley, 41:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, fourth Tues., except Dec. Install. March. Z., V.E. Comp. C. W. Burgess; H. E. Comp. H. E. McDougall; J. E. Comp. A. V. Stamp; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. Burgess, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 43, Lower Hutt.

Russell, 51:—Meets Mokoia Masonic Hall, Fifehire Avenue (off Cambridge Terrace), Wellington, second Monday (except January). Install. Aug. Z., V.E. Comp. V. J. Rowe; H. E. Comp. R. M. Morgan; J. E. Comp. C. Flockton; S.E., K. O. Thomson, 15 Reading St., Karori, W.3.

Whetu Kairangi, 60:—Meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. A. S. Barr; H. E. Comp. R. Glass; J. E. Comp. L. Tweedie; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. A. Whitaker, 30 Ventnor St., Seatoun, E.3.

Wellington, 62:—Founded Oct., 1926; meets first Thurs., except Jan. and Feb., 6 p.m., Masonic Temple, Wellington Terrace. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. E. Cannons; H. E. Comp. R. F. McCartney; J. E. Comp. W. D. Dobson; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. N. Morriss, P.O. Box 1533, Wellington, C.I.

Horowhenua, 63:—Founded Nov., 1926; meets Masonic Temple, Levin, fourth Thurs., 7.30 p.m., except Dec. Install. third Wed. in Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. H. Walker; H. E. Comp. J. C. Moodie; J. E. Comp. C. J. H. Trim; S.E., R.E. Comp. R. J. Foss, P.G.J., Levin.

Bedisloe, 77:—Founded June, 1941; meets Masonic Temple, Fitzherbert Street, Petone, first Mon., 7 p.m. Z., V.E. Comp. F. G. Robson; H. E. Comp. R. A. Munro; J. E. Comp. P. B. Aburn; S.E., E. Comp. L. T. Boyes, Post Office, Petone.

SOUTH ISLAND.

NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT (2 CHAPTERS)

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

Victory, 12:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Nelson, fourth Thurs., as required. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. J. W. Biddle; H. E. Comp. H. Pierce; J. E. Comp. E. D. Jack; S.E., R.E. Comp. R. W. Stiles, P.D.P.G.Z., Box 105, 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. J. D. McRobie; H. E. Comp. A. H. R. Hood; J. E. Comp. K. L. Hammond; S.E., M.E. Comp. C. A. Eckford, P.G.Z., Box 34, Blenheim.

WESTLAND DISTRICT (4 CHAPTERS.)

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

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

Kawatiri, 21:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Westport, third Tues., except Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. F. McDonald; H. E. Comp. C. E. Austin; J. E. Comp. J. H. Johnston; S.E., M.E. Comp. J. H. Harkness, P.G.Z., 85 Queen Street, Westport.

Westland Kil., 29 (Hokitika).

Whanake, 70—Greymouth.

CANTERBURY DISTRICT (8 Chapters.) (R.E. Comp. F. N. Kerr, 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. H. A. Coutts; H. E. Comp. W. A. Mackrell; J. E. Comp. N. S. Kirby; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. Hunter, 33 Chancellor St., Shirley, Christchurch, N.I.

Albert Edward, 6:—Founded —; meets Masonic Hall, Lyttelton, fourth Tues. in Sept., Nov., Jan., Mar., May, July and Aug. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. R. T. H. Norton; H. E. Comp. T. A. Austin; J. E. Comp. J. W. Burgess; S.E., E. Comp. Harold Harkness, 19 Reserve Terrace, Lyttelton.

Timaru, No. 15.

Waimate, 16:—Founded 1901; meets St. Augustine's Masonic Hall, Waimate, fourth Wed. bi-monthly. Install. Sept. Z. V.E. Comp. L. A. Bettel; H. E. Comp. D. K. Watson; J. E. Comp. Jas. Sawways; S.E. E. Comp. R. P. Harris, 51 Harris St., Waimate.

Prince of Wales, 31:—Founded 1885; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, third Wed. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct., Dec. Install. Aug. Z. V.E. Comp. J. C. Lindsay; H. E. Comp. R. L. Reid; J. E. Comp. F. J. Shanks; S.E. V.E. Comp. H. E. Jarman, P.Z., 37 Straven Rd., Riccarton, W.I.

Rose and Thistle, 35.

Ashley, 45.

Crown, 56.

OTAGO DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS). (R.E. Comp. J. C. Seelye, Grand Supt.)

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

Waitaki Kil, 8:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, fourth Wed. Install. Sept. Z. V.E. Comp. J. Meikle; H. E. Comp. J. W. Watson; J. E. Comp. J. Y. Rushon; S.E. V.E. Comp. H. S. Cox, P.Z., 70 Wharfe St., Oamaru.

Cromwell-Coronation, 20:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Cromwell, third Thurs., Feb., April, June, August, Oct. (Install.), and Dec. Z. V. E. Comp. D. J. Munro; H. E. Comp. Geo. Wishart; J. E. Comp. J. Harley; S.E. E. Comp. R. V. E. Waldron, "Hotel Cromwell," Cromwell.

Maori, 28:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Ravensbourne, 4th Wed., except Dec. Install. Oct. Z. V.E. Comp. E. G. P. Dunne; H. E. Comp. S. Marshall; J. E. Comp. C. H. A. Bissland; S.E. R.E. Comp. J. C. Seelye, Grand Supt., 24 Leven St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.I.

Iwikatea, 33:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Hall, Balclutha, last Monday, except Dec. Install. Nov. Z. V.E. Comp. Jas. J. Tait; H. E. Comp. E. L. Egarr; J. E. Comp. W. D. Thomson; S.E. E. Comp. W. D. Scats, P.O. Box 61, Balclutha.

Celtic, 42:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Moray Place, Dunedin, 3rd Wed., except Dec. and Jan. Install. June. Z. V. E. Comp. G. A. Douglas; H. E. Comp. S. F. Chalmers; J. E. Comp. J. Brownlie; S.E. R.E. Comp. E. Rackley, P.Z., 3 Hamel St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.I.

SOUTHLAND DISTRICT (3 CHAPTERS). (R.E. Comp. G. H. Brown, Grand Supt.)

Southern Cross, 31:—Meets Masonic Hall, Invercargill, fourth Wed. (Dec. third Wed.) except Jan. Install. Sept. Z. V.E. Comp. E. McK. Lyon; H. E. Comp. F. J. Logan; J. E. Comp. A. P. R. Crawford; S.E. R.E. Comp. Sydney G. 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. J. M. Lindsay; H. E. Comp. J. G. Conolly; J. E. Comp. E. Mason; S.E. V.E. Comp. F. H. Hill, P.Z., Otautau.

Huiroa, 47:—Meets first Sat., except Jan., at Masonic Hall, Gore. Install. first Sat. in Aug. Z. V.E. Comp. L. W. Robb; H. E. Comp. D. Russell; J. E. Comp. R. W. Jones; S.E. V.E. Comp. W. H. Marshall, P.Z., 154 Main Street, Gore.

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

Ara, 53:—Founded 1936; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict Street, Auckland, four times a year as arranged. Install. June. T.L.M. H. Comp. A. L. Nugent; D.M. Comp. A. Williamson; P.C.W. Comp. L. E. R. Wake-man; Recorder, Comp. C. J. Wilson, 28 Ponsonby Terrace, Auckland, W.I.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ENGLAND.

Grand Superintendents.

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.
St. George, 1801, Dargaville.
Chapter of Harmony, 2150, Auckland, S.E.7.
Te Awamutu, 2221, Auckland, C.4.
Aorangi, 2300, Wellington, C.1.

South Island.

Otago, 840, Dunedin, C.1.
Port Chalmers Marine, 942, Port Chalmers.
St. John, 1137, Timaru.
Greymouth, 1233, Greymouth.

GRAND LODGE OF MARK MASTER MASONS OF ENGLAND AND WALES, ETC.

District Grand Master.

Auckland—G. H. Plummer, 1940, Auckland.

LODGES.

Union, 154, Auckland, C.1.
Newton, 280, Auckland, C.2.
St. George, 579, Dargaville.
Concord, 589, Whangarei.
Mt. Egmont, 948, New Plymouth.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF IRELAND.

Provincial Grand Superintendent: W. E. Hedditch, 61 Campbell Road, Auckland, C.1.

CHAPTERS.

Ara, 348, Auckland.
Hauraki, 454, Thames.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF SCOTLAND.

District Grand Superintendent: R. F. Rutherford, Milton.

CHAPTERS.

Kilwinning Otago, 116, Dunedin.
Canterbury Kil, 136, S.C., Christchurch.
Trafalgar, 157, Nelson.
Zealandia, 197, Gisborne.
Bruce, 381, Milton.
Ponsonby Kilwinning, 394, Auckland.
Tauranga Kil, 515, S.C., meets Masonic Hall, First Avenue, Tauranga, fourth Mon., 7.30 p.m. Install. Sept. Z. M.E. Comp. H. L. Duncan; H. M.E. Comp. John Auld; J. M.E. Comp. J. W. Kenyon; S.E. R. Comp. C. T. Macfarlane, P.Z., 161 Cameron Rd., Tauranga.
St. Andrew Kilwinning, 564, Auckland.
Kilwinning Peninsula, R.A.C., 573, S.C.
Hinemoa Kilwinning, 601, Stratford.
Kilwinning S. John, 609, Dunedin.

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

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

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

Auckland, 266.

Taranaki, 272:—Meets Stratford Masonic Lodge, second Mon. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Sept. (Install.) and Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. Steven; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. C. E. Honeyfield; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. H. D. Coates, Box 195, Hawera.

Pukekura, 304:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, Lizard St., New Plymouth, third Tues., Feb., April, June, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. J. W. Garner; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. W. Taunt; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. Walter Jones, P.M.W.S., 12 Barribal St., New Plymouth.

Maungakiekie, No. 314:—Onehunga.

Rotorua, No. 319, Rotorua.

Waimarua, 321:—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Temple, Raetihi, third Thurs., Feb., April, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. E. O. Lightband; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. L. W. Nation; Recorder, Ill. Bro. W. H. Sandford, 30°, Duncan Street, 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. Andrew Wood; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. Rev. E. A. Addis, Recorder, Ill. Bro. Peter Hunter, 30°, 59 Naylor St., Hamilton.

Inspector-General for Central Division of New Zealand, V. Ill. Bro. Herbert G. Teagle, 33°.

Wellington, 91:—Meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Tuesday in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. Install. Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. Leslie Wall; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. A. B. Kilroy; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. A. Izatt, P.M.W.S., Woodland Road, Johnsonville.

Latham, 93:—Meets at Wanganui, first Mon. in April, May, Oct., Nov. and Dec. (Installation alternate years only.) M.W.S., G. W. Currie; Recorder, E. A. Marchant, P.O. Box 29, 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. J. T. Duck; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. E. Bate; Recorder, Ill. Bro. E. E. Bott, 30°, 507 Southampton St. E., Hastings.

Taranua, 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. H. A. R. Dunderdale; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. Ven. Archdeacon E. J. Rich; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. T. A. H. Dixon, P.M.W.S., 38 Pownall Street, Masterton.

Marama, 224:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston N., second Sat. in March, June, Sept. and Nov. (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. T. P. Hart; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. A. W. Mewton; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. E. Bary, 62 Argyle Ave., Palmerston North.

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. W. B. Hardy; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. H. R. Bell; Recorder, Ill. Bro. S. T. S. Martin, 30°, 11 Millward Street, Wellington, S.I.

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. James Stonehouse; Prelate, Ill. Bro. W. Raine, 30°; Recorder, Ill. Bro. Ralph V. King, 30°, High St., Lower Hutt.

Scinde, 302:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, first Wed., Feb., May, July, Oct. (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. E. G. Loden; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. C. H. Williams; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. R. E. H. Pilson, P.O. Box 227, Napier.

Wellisley, 303:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, C.I., third Tues., March, June, Sept. Install. second Thurs. Dec. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. W. J. Gaudin; Prelate, Ill. Bro. R. D. Button, 30°; Recorder, Ill. Bro. C. D. Morphet, 30°, Box 857, C.P.O., Wellington, C.I., or 246 The Terrace, Wellington, C.I.

Monckton, 315:—Founded 1937; meets Masonic Hall, Levin, last Sat. Feb., May, Aug., Nov. Install. Feb. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Lt.-Col. L. J. Hunter; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. T. G. Vincent; Recorder, Rev. and P. Bro. N. H. Finch, Levin.

Rangitikei, 333, Marton.

Inspector-General for South Island, V. Ill. Bro. W. J. Girling, 33°.

Excelsior, 78:—Founded 22nd March, 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch, Feb., May, Aug. (Install.), Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. S. Dorreen; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. Ven. Archdeacon Petrie; Recorder, Ill. Bro. W. Wood, 30°, 19 Manning St., Christchurch, W.I.

Beckett, 135:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch, June, Sept., Jan. and March (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Dr. A. Stenhouse; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. Copeland; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. S. K. Bassett, 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. J. Stewart; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. E. B. W. Smyth; Recorder, Ill. Bro. Frank Mogridge, 30°, 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. D. W. Rawlinson; Prelate, Ill. Bro. F. C. J. Cockburn, 30°; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. P. Thomson, Trafalgar St., Nelson.

North Otago, 238:—Oamaru.

Kawaitiri, 269:—Meets Masonic Hall, Russell Street, Westport, first Tuesday June, Sept., Dec. and March. Install. Sept. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. Swan; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. W. Glendinning; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. A. J. Green, P.M.W.S., Box 35, Westport.

Dunedin, 317:—Dunedin.

Clifton, 324:—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Hall, Haylock Street, Ashburton, March, June, September (Install.) and December as arranged. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. D. Cochran; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. A. T. Smith; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. E. K. Gray, 25 Princes Street, Ashburton.

Star of the South, 335:—Greymouth.

A. AND A.S. RITE.

Inspector-General for New Zealand: —.

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. H. R. Mitchell; S.W., E. and P. Bro. R. S. Jack; J.W., E. and P. Bro. J. Mitchell; Sec., E. and P. Bro. C. W. Jacobson, P.M.W.S., 48 Maitland Street, Dunedin, C.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. C. H. Bull; S.W., E. and P. Bro. J. N. Carson; J.W., E. and P. Bro. E. Knewstubb; Sec., E. and P. Bro. J. W. Roberts, P.M.W.S., 31 Stevens Street, Sydenham.

Nelson, 35:—Nelson.

Murihiku, 36:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, four times a year (first Wed.). Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. H. Waddell; H. Prelate, E. and P. Bro. A. W. G. McKee; S.W., E. and P. Bro. A. F. R. Crawford; J.W., E. and P. Bro. B. J. Perkins; Sec., Ill. Bro. Sydney C. K. Smith, 31° "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Waikato, 37:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton East, third Monday Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. English; S.W., E. and P. Bro. G. I. Christiansen; J.W., E. and P. Bro. R. J. Roche; Sec., Ill. Bro. S. B. Sims, 31°, 4 Knox Street, Hamilton.

Rose and Thistle, 41:—Gisborne.

Aorangi, 42:—Timaru.

Mawharanui, 43:—Greymouth.

Kintore, 51:—Auckland.

Unity, 60:—New Plymouth.

Northland, 63:—Founded 1936; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday June, September and December. Install. last Saturday February. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. T. W. Bowman; S.W., E. and P. Bro. F. C. Purvis; J.W., E. and P. Bro. J. Belgeviech; Sec., E. and P. Bro. A. E. Brown, 26 Mains Ave., Whangarei.

Tauranga, 64:—Tauranga.

Te Kuiti, 65:—Te Kuiti.

Coronation, 66:—Founded Nov., 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Princes St., Auckland. Dates for 1944: 4th March (Installation), 3rd April, 5th June, 7th August, 2nd October, 4th December. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. T. C. Lewis; S.W., E. and P. Bro. H. F. Garland; J.W., E. and P. Bro. J. Newsome; Sec., E. and P. Bro. H. W. Bullock, P.M.W.S., Box 921, Auckland.

Zealandia Consistory, 10:—Dunedin.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Great Priory of Scotland of the Order of the Temple.

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District Grand Seneschal, W. Miller; District Grand Sub-Prior, T. M. Gillies, P.P.; District Grand Constable, E. McKenzie Lyon, P.P.; District Grand Treas. F. J. Rea.

Otago Preceptory.

Wellington Preceptory:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, De Meane St., Wellington South, fourth Thurs. Jan., April, July and Oct. (Install.). Preceptor, H. Wade; Sub-Preceptor, E. Morris; Treas. and Sec., Ven. Frater S. T. S. Martin, P.P., 11 Millward St., Wellington South, S.1.

De Molay Preceptory and Priory:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland. Dates for 1945: 3rd April, 5th June, 7th August, 3rd Sept., 2nd Oct. (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater A. H. Penny; Sub-Preceptor, Frater R. E. Laxon; Sec., Ven. Fr. L. E. R. Wakeman, 202 N.Z. Insurance Bldgs., Queen St., Auckland, C.1.

St. Augustine Preceptory and Priory.

Nelson Preceptory:—Nelson.

Marlborough Preceptory:—Blenheim.

Taranaki Preceptory:—Meets second Wed. March, June, Oct., Dec. Install. Oct. Preceptor, Ven. Frater A. W. Diprose; Sub-Preceptor, Frater E. Everiss; Registrar, Ven. Frater W. A. Dean, 32 David St., New Plymouth.

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

Southern Cross Preceptory:—Founded 1931; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Friday April, June, August and October (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater E. McDonald; Sub-Preceptor, Ven. Frater Alex. Service, Jr., P.P.; Sec., Arch. Burns, Jun., P.P., 413 New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen St., Auckland.

Tairāwhiti Preceptory, Gisborne.

Northland Preceptory:—Meets in Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday, July and October (Installation). December 2nd and Saturday. Preceptor, Ven. Frater L. R. Hegley, Sec., Ven. Frater W. T. Surman, Nixon St., Whangarei.

HOLY ROYAL ARCH KNIGHT TEMPLAR PRIESTS UNDER THE GRAND COLLEGE OF ENGLAND.

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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. H. A. Lamb; VII Pillar, Sir Knt. R. W. McVilly; Sec., Em. Sir Knt. S. T. S. Martin, P.H.P., 11 Millward Street, Wellington South, S.1.

Northland Tabernacle, No. 11.
Auckland Tabernacle, No. 12.

GREAT PRIORY OF ENGLAND, WALES AND DEPENDENCIES OF THE BRITISH CROWN.

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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. F. J. Shanks; Registrar, Em. Kt. E. J. Woolf, P.P., Box 551, Christchurch.

Waitemata Preceptory and Priory, 254:—Auckland.

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

Royal Taranaki Preceptory, 287:—Palen.

Aotea Preceptory and Priory, 291, Hawera.

ROYAL ORDER OF SCOTLAND. New Zealand Provincial Grand Lodge.

Meets four times per year in different parts of New Zealand. Prov.G.M., —; Dep.Prov. G.M., H. J. Barnham, New Plymouth; Prov.G.S.W., W. H. Hewitt, Wellington; Prov.G.J.W., H. Jolly, Wellington; Treas., J. A. Sparrow, Dunedin; P.G.Sec., —.

ORDER OF THE SECRET MONITOR.

District Grand Conclave of New Zealand.

District Grand Supreme Ruler of N.Z.,

Dep. Dist. G.S.R. of N.Z., R.W. Bro. Geo. Russell, P.G.G.

Dist. Grand Recorder, R.W. Bro. V. R. Anderson, P.G.G., 7 Bedford St., St. Clair, Dunedin.

Aotearoa Conclave, 44:—Meets four times a year, Masonic Temple, Wellington. S.R., G. A. Clark; Counsellor, W. B. Hardy; Sec., P. E. Hall, P.S.R., 66 Donald St., Karori, W.3.

Otakou Conclave, 53:—Meets four times a year in King St. Masonic Hall, Dunedin, Jan., April, July (Install.), October. S.R., F. C. Taylor; I.P.S.R., A. McCulloch Ross; Counsellor, L. G. Simmonds; Guide, A. F. De Haro; Sec., H. L. Boock, 37 Princes St., Dunedin, C.1.

Otakara Conclave, 54:—Christchurch.

Arawa Conclave, 55:—Meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland. Dates for 1944: 6th March, 2nd May, 4th July, 5th September, 18th October, 7th November (Installation). S.R., C. H. Barker; Counsellor, T. C. Webster; Guide, S. C. Richards; Sec., J. Edgar Wade, P.S.R., P.G.Sd., D.G.Regr, 101, Colonial Mutual Bldgs., Queen St. (Box 1283), Auckland.

Tairāwhiti Conclave, No. 72:—Gisborne.

Invercargill Conclave, 73:—Invercargill.

Northern Conclave, 82:—Meets in Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday, Aug., Nov., Feb. and May. Install. Nov. S.R., J. Belgeviech; Sec., L. R. Hegley, 16 Oranga Rd., Whangarei.

THE MASONIC AND MILITARY ORDER OF THE RED CROSS OF CONSTANTINE, K.H.S. AND ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST UNDER THE GRAND IMPERIAL CONCLAVE OF ENGLAND.

Intendant General for New Zealand Division, V. Ill. Knt. George Russell, P.M.P.S.

New Zealand Conclave, 172:—Meets Masonic Hall, The Terrace, Wellington, March, May, August and November (Install.). M.P.S., V. Em. Sir Knt. H. A. Lamb; Viceroy, Em. Sir Knt. R. V. King; Sec., Sir Knt. S. T. S. Martin, P.Sov., 11 Millward St., Wellington, S.1.

Dunedin Conclave, 176:—Meets Masonic Hall, Dunedin, 1st Monday, March, July and November (Install.). M.P.S., V. Em. Knt. Sydney C. K. Smith; Viceroy, Em. Sir Knt. G. J. Reed; Sec., V. Em. Sir Knt. R. S. Jack, Constitution St., Port Chalmers.