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## MASONIC PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICAL PROBLEMS.

THE disturbed state of the world, material, political and psychological, resulting from the uprooting of traditional ways of life by nearly six years of devastating warfare, has raised for solution urgent problems of stabilisation and reconstruction that are already clamouring for solution, and are affecting the public mind more than any other events of our day and generation. It is only to be expected that they will have their repercussion on trends of thought and action within the Craft as well. Freemasons will desire to play their part in directing such movements along the lines marked out by Masonic teaching and Masonic idealism.

"Democracy," said a New Zealand speaker recently, "calls for an aristocracy of intellect and service drawn from every portion of the community, and there is an individual responsibility to make it work." In a somewhat similar vein, M.W. Bro. Clifford D. Jory, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Iowa (U.S.A.), is recently reported as saying: "Unless Masonry can make itself felt in a community, not through its actions as a Lodge, but through the lives of its members, it has failed in its mission."

Both these citations, the former from a lay source and the latter from a member of the Craft, rightly lay emphasis on the point we have always contended for; that is, that the responsibility involved is an individual one and not collective. M.W. Bro. Jory, it will be observed, expressly rules out collective "actions as a Lodge" in the solution of community problems. This view is confirmed and specifically endorsed by another high Masonic authority, M.W. Bro. H. Horn, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Colorado. Speaking on "Readjustment Problems of Freemasonry in the Post-War Period," at the Conference of Grand Masters in Washington early last year, he is officially reported as follows:—

"Freemasonry does not attempt to solve the specific problems of a nation, a state, nor those of a community. It should not assume, nor should it undertake to do, the work that primarily belongs to the church, the home, or the school. It is not a Y.M.C.A.: it is not a welfare organisation. It should not attempt to duplicate the work being done by organised charities or by governmental agencies."

All through his address M.W. Bro. Horn persistently stressed the civic duties of the Freemason, but as an individual, and not as a lodge or corporate body, and in this attitude we are satisfied that he was on the right lines. The civic duties of the Freemason are laid down for his pursuit in the Charge after Initiation, incidentally one of the noblest and finest passages in the whole range of English literature outside the V.S.L. These duties, however, are imposed upon the newly initiated brother expressly as an individual citizen, and he is specifically enjoined to refrain, while in Lodge, from every topic of political or religious discussion.

It is essential, in fact, for the immediate and ultimate welfare of the Craft as a whole that it should be kept within due bounds with itself and the outside world. Freemasonry embodies a universal code of morals; and, some would hold, a universal religion based on the fatherhood of God, the brotherhood of man, and whatever is necessarily implied in those two fundamental principles. It exacts from its members no sectarian affirmation whatever, and it affirms none for itself. On the moral side, its code is based on civic piety and virtue, and is likewise quite general in its implications. Freemasonry endorses or teaches no sect or school of thought in religion, and no party or school of thought in politics. It stands above all such sects and parties, identified with the core of good common to all, but neutral and tolerant where they differ.

The Craft, however, does not forbid or discourage a brother from membership of a sect in religion or a party in politics. Our members may fill in the canvas of their lives as seems good to them, but that is their individual act and choice. Men of goodwill with a sense of social responsibility, whether Freemasons or not, will normally identify themselves with specific religious or political movements; and indeed must do so, if they are to get anywhere at all in the direction of practical accomplishment. At the same time they cannot, and should not, attempt to draw the Craft as such into specific contentious movements.

It is a fact of common observation that men of goodwill, purity of purpose, and lofty idealism frequently differ seriously among themselves in matters relating to religion and politics. Their ultimate ideals of human

life and conduct may be the same; but as to the proximate goals to be striven for, and the means of attainment, the widest and often the most bitter differences of opinion may prevail. In the practical controversies and clashes of opinion arising from such issues, Freemasons are to be found on all sides, but in their capacity as citizens, and not as members of the Craft. To drag the Craft into controversial rivalries would mean breaking it up from within, and subjecting it to damaging attack from without.

The role of Freemasonry in matters of civic controversy is to mitigate the bitterness so frequently engendered by party and sectarian issues, to infuse a spirit of toleration and good personal feeling into factional strife, and to keep before the protagonists on both sides the higher issues upon which they are in substantial agreement, so that the final end may not disappear in the search for the means. Freemasonry, it may be suggested, is the leaven of common humanity and idealism that should permeate and elevate the controversies incidental to the shaping of the policies of everyday life. There surely never was a time when this leaven was more urgently needed, or capable of so much good, as is the case today.

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Every noble life leaves the fibre of it interwoven forever in the work of the world; by so much evermore the strength of the human race has gained.—Ruskin.

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### CONSECRATION OF NEW LODGE IN WELLINGTON.



LODGE ZETLAND, No. 312.

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An event of exceptional interest to Freemasons in Wellington took place at Lodge Island Bay Temple on 27th March, when Lodge Zetland, No. 312, was inaugurated. The Ceremony of Consecration was very impressive and was performed by the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Sir Cyril Newell, assisted by M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, Pro G.M., M.W. Bros, George Russell, H. G. Teagle, P.G.Ms., R.W. Bros. J. A. Nash, Prov.G.M. Ruapehu District, and E. J. Guinness, P.Prov.G.M.

The ceremony was interesting from the fact that it had never before been witnessed by the majority of the brethren.

Particularly impressive in the Temple was the address given by the Pro G.M., M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, as follows:—

It is at once a privilege and a responsibility to address this assembly of the brethren summoned to assist in the consecration of Lodge Zetland to the Glory of God and its dedication to the purposes of Freemasonry. As its name suggests, its Charter Members are either natives, or descendants of natives, of those sea-swept islands in the Northern sea whose people, the Shetlanders, have earned undying fame by their loyalty, resolution and courage.

Today, in compliance with their petition, the Lodge has been constituted according to accustomed usage and established rites. The Volume of the Sacred Law has been opened for the first time, and the Sacred Symbol displayed. The lamps of Wisdom, Strength and Beauty have been kindled within the Temple; and upon the pavement has been poured the corn, the wine, the oil and the salt. Corn, as a symbol of that nourishment of the mind to be found in the study of Masonic history and tradition, its ritual and its principles. Wine, the emblem of that refreshment which comes to the spirit as from time to time a brother enters the temple and the doors are closed against the disturbing things of his ordinary life, its irritations and its anxieties. For a Lodge is a place where a man may dwell in peace with brother man, a place still and calm, where he may work according to his will and add a share of beauty to the world, a place of which it may be said that "when fear knocks at the door, faith answers, and behold there is no one there." A refreshment too that comes from the joy of fellowship with his friends, and from the pouring out of the salt of hospitality for the entertainment of the visitor within the Temple doors.

The Warrant of the Lodge and the gavel of authority will later be handed to the Worshipful Master for the first time, and he and his officers and brethren authorised to receive members, carry on the business and duties of a Lodge and do all such acts as are for the honour and to the advantage of the Craft. Well for that Lodge which carefully selects its members, that maintains a high standard in its ceremonies, and freely spreads the cement of brotherly love and kindness and thereby excludes all dissension and want of harmony and union.

But every Lodge has another duty; to do all such acts as will bring honour and be to the advantage of the Art. Men stand as individuals at the door of the Lodge at their initiation, relying upon their own worthiness for admission. But as soon as they become members they assume all the obligations which membership imposes upon them, not only to serve the Lodge, but to carry out in the wider sphere outside the Lodge room those duties which the Craft requires a man to discharge to his God, his neighbour and himself. It becomes one of his duties and is his privilege to exemplify in life and conduct the spirit and meaning of Freemasonry. The Church proclaims its message as the tolling of the bells calls the people to worship, and when the evening shadows fall and the lights are lit within the sanctuary and upon the altar, there shines through the stained glass windows a message of faith, of salvation, of peace and goodwill. But a Free-masonic Lodge room is a Church without any windows, and the only way the light that shines from the altar within can be seen of men, is, as Masons themselves through thought, word and deed pass on that light which they themselves have seen.

And what is that light? What is that mission? It has been stated in various ways, but may it not be expressed in these four metaphors, similes or figures of speech. Builders of bridges, makers of roads, planters of trees and moulders of character. Bridges are built to fill the divisions which rivers make, and between man and man, nation and nation, there are separations made by misunderstanding, ignorance, self interest, ambition, greed and sometimes even hate. It has been said that the tragedy of life is not that men are poor or wicked or ignorant, but that men are strangers, and surely Masonry with its universal faith and its doctrine of universal brotherhood and friendship has a mission to reconcile man with man and to bring nations into closer and more friendly association.

Makers of roads; straight roads, smooth roads, removing from the path of the widow some of the hardships of life and the stumbling blocks from the path of little children, and laying down by Masonic line and rule a straight and undeviating course of conduct in following which the wayfaring man may find in Masonry a lamp to his feet and a light to his path..

Planters of trees; tall trees, the stately poplar, the graceful birch, the spreading elm, all to beautify the face of nature and to rejoice the heart of man. Are not trees symbols of the seven Liberal Arts and Sciences, the study of which is enjoined and encouraged by the Craft? The study of music, of rhetoric and of geometry as expressed in architecture have all a part in beautifying and adorning the mind of man.

Moulders of Character; builders not in steel and wood and stone, but in "the things the heart has made her own." A rough ashlar is placed in the hands of men as they enter upon life, and this by acts of piety and virtue, by self-knowledge, self-reverence and self-control can be made into some semblance of a perfect ashlar which the workman may without shame lay before the Great Architect at the close of life.

Builders of Bridges, makers of roads, planters of trees, moulders of character, there surely Masons may be building not only their own lives and destiny, but contributing something for the benefit of their brethren and the community in which they live. For it is true that as we build and plant we do so for the weal or otherwise of this Dominion. Does not the song remind us—

"All ye that plant the sapling in the glade,  
Not for your own its crown shall be displayed,  
Let others see the worth of what you've made."

And

"So plant and build and never cease to strive,  
Where heart and soul and hand can all contrive  
For those who follow keep you still alive,  
All this for England, all this for England."

For as men build and plant and shape worthily the future of this our native land, so may there come—and that speedily—the day when "out of all this noise and "groaning shall come a broader and a juster brotherhood, "a deep equality of aim postponing all selfish seeking to "the common good; a time when brotherhood grows "stronger than all the narrow bounds which now distract "the world; when the bars of creed and speech and race "which sever, shall be fused in one high humanity forever."

R.W. Bro. S. M. Stone, Prov.G.M., was the Installing Master, assisted by M.W. Bro. Sir Cyril Newall, G.M., M.W. Bro. George Russell, P.G.M., R.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, S.G.W., R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, Prov.G.M. Ruapehu District, V.W. Bro. C. H. Taylor, P.G.R., and other Grand Lodge officers.

Bro. Peter Scott Isbister was installed as the first Master. Bro. Daniel Andrew Moar was invested as Senior Warden, and Bro. John William Stewart as Junior Warden.

The Lodge has fifty-six Charter Members on its roll.

The refectory proceedings, at which about 350 brethren were present, were carried out with dignity and decorum. It was explained that the name of the Lodge was the ancient name for Shetland, and as is the custom amongst the Shetland Masonic brethren, a model of the ancient Viking galley and the Working Tools, consisting of the Pole Star, the Steer Oar and the Anchor, were presented to the Worshipful Master, the brethren taking part being attired in Ancient Viking costume.

W. Bro. Magnus Priest, W.M. of Lodge Eketahuna, made the presentation, and while still attired in his Viking costume proposed the toast of the W.M. This was one of the outstanding addresses of the evening and was followed by a very fine and homely address by the W.M. in reply to his toast.

There were many visitors who had travelled long distances to be present, among those being brethren from Bay of Plenty and Napier.

Altogether a very pleasant and memorable evening was spent, and the members of Lodge Zetland feel honoured in the fact that the M.W. Grand Master and many Grand Lodge Officers remained until after the Tyler's Toast was honoured.

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### **LODGE OWAIRAKA, No. 294, MT. ALBERT, AUCKLAND.**

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By the kind offices of brethren in the Old Country, we have received some portions of Roman Tessellated Pavement, and Brick, which have been cast into a panel, and it is intended to build this panel into the interior wall of our projected Temple.

These materials are from Colchester, Essex, the old British city of Camulodunum (Hill or Fort of Camulos, God of War), before Roman times. Colchester claims to be the oldest recorded city in England, and dates back to Cunobelinus, British King (Shakespeare's Cymbeline), who reigned from cir. 5 B.C. till his death, A.D. 43.

The letters on the marble tablet, "Camulodunum," are of the Classic Roman Alphabet, B.C. 50, and the date of the pavement is estimated at round about A.D. 200.

This panel should act as a connecting link with the Homeland, an Empire gesture of "Hands Across the Sea."

Julius Caesar invaded Britain in B.C. 55, but was obliged to return home without subjugating Britain, to preserve his Imperial Capitol, and it was not till A.D. 43 that the Emperor Claudius sent over an army under Plautius to conquer the country, Claudius came over himself about A.D. 44, and established his headquarters at Camulodunum with the 2nd, 4th and 9th legions.

Boadicea, a British Queen, owing to insults to herself and family, raised an army and burnt and devastated A.D. 61 Camulodunum, but was eventually conquered in turn, and ended her life by poison.

Camulodunum was rebuilt, and became one of the four leading cities in Britain. A large town was built—villas, forum, temples, baths, etc.—the town being surrounded by a wall 7ft. to 8ft. thick, a great deal of which can be traced today, particularly the Baleen Gate, with remains of the guard house.

That part of the country producing very little building stone, the Romans made bricks and tiles exceedingly hard and well burned.

The Roman occupation lasted till about A.D. 367, when they withdrew from Britain, and the inhabitants, Romans and Roman-Britains, being cut off from their parent nation, were gradually driven out by fresh invaders, who cared nothing about buildings, so in the course of centuries these buildings fell into decay. But not so the bricks, which remain today as good as ever.

Imagine buildings erected from the second century on, such as the Temple of Claudius, the foundations of which have been discovered under Colchester Castle, having done duty say two or three centuries, then in ruins for five or six hundred years, when the Saxons, under Norman influence, and afterwards the Normans after the conquest of 1066, used these bricks to build Monasteries, Abbeys, the Castle, and numerous Churches in the town and country villages for many miles around, where they can be seen today.

The Castle went into ruin again, and is now only two storeys high, instead of the original four.

The noble church of St. Botolph's Priory, built in the twelfth century, was destroyed during the siege of Colchester in the seventeenth century, and is today in ruins for the second time.

Many remains of Tessellated Pavements have been found in Colchester, the largest and most pictorial near Queen Street, and another large one near North Hill, about 17ft. square.

St. Helena (Colchester's patron saint), historians state, was the daughter of King Coel, of Colchester. She was married to the Emperor Constantius (A.D. 305). Helena was mother to the Emperor Constantine the Great; a very ancient entry in the Colchester Oaths Book says that Constantine was born in Colchester. He and his mother are venerated (especially Helena) for establishing Christianity in the Roman Empire.

It is perhaps a far cry to connect modern Freemasonry with Roman building materials, but the late R.W. Bro. A. A. Hough, P.G.W., W.A. Cons., says in his series of five-minute talks given at Lodge Ponsony, No. 708, S.C., and on 2nd August, 1939, at the United Masters' Lodge, Auckland:— "The actual origin of Freemasonry is enshrouded in mystery," He goes on to suggest a possible origin:

Egyptian Mysteries.

Greek Eleusinian Mysteries.

Roman Collegia.

English Guild of Operative Masons.

Modern Speculative Freemasonry.

Part of our Ritual states: "The customs and usages amongst us have a near affinity to those of the Ancient Egyptians." Amongst those who flocked to the renowned library at Alexandria were many Greek scholars. Pythagoras spent 22 years in Egypt and was initiated into the hidden mysteries.

The most important of the Grecian mysteries were the Eleusinian Mysteries.

The Eleusinian Mysteries travelled to Rome, and thence to other parts of the world.

The Roman Collegia, particularly that of Artificers, marched with the Legion and in company with the Christian missionaries built Churches, Cathedrals, etc, and were firmly established in England in the reign of Aethelston, A.D. 926-40.

The Guilds took the place of the Collegia, and thus the Operative Mason gave rise to modern Freemasonry.

Be this as it may, in our Panel we have the actual work of the Roman Collegia, during their occupation of Britain.

The mighty British Empire, with its many component parts upon which the sun never sets, is held together largely by sentiment, and if the kindness of our Essex brethren in sending these materials to us should assist in any degree to maintain this attachment, it will be well worth while. M. THOMPSON, P.G.M.

### **FOR FATHERLESS DAUGHTERS OF MASONS.**

**S**ITUATED in four acres of grounds, in Nelson's glorious climate, the Kirkpatrick Masonic Institute provides an ideal home, and also a first-class primary and secondary education for fatherless girls until they are sixteen.

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

The Institute is now full, but parents are advised to put their daughters' names on the waiting list, as vacancies are occurring from time to time.

Further particulars from

**The Secretary,**

**KIRKPATRICK MASONIC INSTITUTE,**

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## SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER.

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### ANNUAL CONVOCATION.

The 53rd anniversary of the foundation of Grand Chapter was marked by the Annual Convocation, held in the Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, on Wednesday, 21st March.

The Convocation which should have been held in 1943 was cancelled owing to the seriousness of the war position in the Pacific, while that which was to be held in Dunedin in 1944 had also to be cancelled on account of travel restrictions.

Owing to the death of M.E. Comp. J. H. Moir, G.Z., R.E. Comp. S. T. S. Martin, Depute G.Z., presided. There was a large and representative attendance, only one Chapter being unrepresented, while 12 P.G.Zs. and 63 Past and Present Grand Officers were present.

After Grand Chapter had been opened in Ample Form, R.E. Comp. Martin addressed Grand Chapter as follows:—

Companions, after a lapse of two years we rejoice in the opportunity the 53rd anniversary affords us of assembling in Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter. This should draw from us warm expressions of gratitude to the Most High for blessings vouchsafed us and our fellow-citizens throughout the Dominion, especially when we try to visualise what would have happened had Japan attacked New Zealand and Australia instead of Pearl Harbour. It is my pleasure and privilege to extend to you all gathered upon this occasion a Royal Arch welcome. May you enter into the spirit of the ceremonies and participate freely in our deliberations and return to your respective Chapters inspired and imbued with a spirit of loyalty and devotion to the Royal Craft and the principles for which it stands. To our M.E. Companions, the veterans, I rejoice to see so many of you in attendance, you have all done such splendid work in the past. I hesitate to single out any of you for special mention, but I am sure you all know the difficulties your Grand Scribe Ezra has had to contend with practically since Christmas. I am sure you would wish me to convey to M.E. Comp. McVilly the thanks of Grand Chapter, for without his help arrangements for your transport could not have been arranged so satisfactorily. To all Grand Chapter Officers and to all who have rendered service to Grand Chapter I tender thanks. To our Companions who are attending for the first time, the veterans of the future, we offer a cordial welcome. We trust you will enjoy yourselves and that you will return to your respective Chapters full of enthusiasm for our Institution. We hope you will actively participate in our discussions, and that a free exchange of ideas will result to our mutual advantage. To our visitors we offer the hand of brotherhood and hope your sojourn with us will be to your own and our profit. On behalf of Grand Chapter I give you a most cordial welcome.

Companions, we have been sent here by our various Chapters as representatives to deliberate and pass judgment upon matters affecting the interests of large numbers of Companions scattered throughout our Dominion. Both in discussion and decision will your conduct be weighed by your contemporaries, as well as by those who follow you. This time next year they will belong to the past. Let us make them out of the best material our intelligence can provide.

Companions, I am deeply conscious of the honour and responsibility that came to me through a great misfortune to Supreme Grand Chapter, when I was suddenly called upon to undertake the duties of Grand Principal. No one suddenly elevated could fail to realise the confidence and tribute bestowed. It has been a period I shall always look back upon with the happiest recollections. It has enabled me to dip deeply in rich friendships formerly made and to make many new ones. For all these and many other privileges and kindnesses I am indebted to numerous Companions throughout New Zealand. As stern business conditions reflect readily upon the lives of men, it is perhaps not too much to expect that the material affairs of Grand Chapter should also be affected. Nevertheless, most of the Chapters are in good heart, and as far as I have been able to judge, excellent work has been done. For the eighth year in succession we show an increase in membership, the increase this year being 207. I am not in a position to give you our losses. These, however, are outward forms only of progress or otherwise, and while they do not take the place of things for which our Institution stands, they must not be overlooked. The suspended, resigned, or unattached companions are usually those whose interest has not been held. It has been estimated that the number of non-active members equals the number of active members. If that is so there must be some reason, and the psychological effect upon our Chapters and upon those who do not know us surely is detrimental to both. Let us, my Companions, return to our various Chapters determined to make our regular convocations so interesting as to incite talk about them among the Companions between meetings, and so induce Companions to attend. I

know it is not easy, but there must be some way to solve the problem. Let us before our next Convocation try and find the solution to the question. I can still hear a dear old Mark Master Mason addressing me, "Should misfortune assail you, should other friends forsake you, should danger, doubts and difficulties beset you, force, attempt to drive you, or temptation entice you from the right path, among Mark Master Masons you will always find friends who will minister relief and comfort in the hour of your need." Are we practising that advice? As we look over our Dominion today we find a spirit of selfishness, intolerance, and injustice mingled with a desire for pleasure, wealth or popularity prevailing in the hearts and minds of many people. All this creates a discontent and dissatisfaction and unrest culminating in disputes and disagreements among those who have or have not, the latter sometimes resorting to what is known as direct action. But can you tell me of any dispute or disagreement among our people this year so far or during the whole of last year that could not have been thoroughly settled by an honest and intelligent application of the principles upon which our Institution is founded—brotherly Love, relief and truth? There is no great principle or set of principles nationally recognised that has sufficient support strong enough to regulate our conduct towards our fellow-men and communities around us. Educationally, we have advanced rapidly in all sections of human affairs. We congratulate ourselves that scientifically, economically, and materially we have left our fathers far behind us, but we are deficient in their moral and spiritual learning, and consequently there is a weakening in the people's morale. Our moral fibre has been strained almost to breaking point. Few men today are prepared to take a definite stand and say, "That is wrong. That is right. And, whatever the consequences, I stand for the right." Men have lost their faith in God and in their fellow-men, and they are losing faith in themselves. Fidelity to God, fidelity to one's neighbour, and fidelity to one's self are the only true incentives to right action. If men fail, how can we expect Governments, executives, or commissions, composed of men, to take a decisive stand in human affairs and to direct national policy in accordance with those lofty ideals? The salvation of the human race in the Dominion and in the world is to be found in the teaching of Masonry, in the great principles of brotherly love, relief and truth. But how shall the people come to know of these priceless treasures? Only when you and I and others like us by God's help practice those principles in our daily lives and actions. Companions, I wish you all a very happy Convocation.

The balance-sheets for the years 1942, 1943 and 1944 were presented by R.E. Comps. H. Hatch and W. R. McKenzie and were approved and adopted.

The Chairman of Supreme Committee for the years 1942 and 1943, R.E. Comp. J. R. Robertson, presented the reports for those years, as previously published, giving a detailed explanation of each Clause, which were unanimously adopted with the exception of Clause 11, relating to the recommendation that Honoris Causa rank be conferred upon V.E. Comp. C. Matthews, who unfortunately passed away before the date set for the meeting of Grand Chapter.

It was resolved that the salary of Grand Scribe E. from 1st December, 1943, should be £450 per annum.

The notice of motion relating to Pro Grand Zs. was approved.

After the Representative of Southern Cross Cryptic Council had given an explanation for the Notice of Motion standing in its name, leave was granted to withdraw same.

R.E. Comp. T. O'Shea, on behalf of Supreme Committee, presented the report for 1944, and permission was sought and granted to add a recommendation that R.E. Comp. F. J. Rea, Grand Scribe E., should, in recognition of the service he had rendered to Royal Arch Freemasonry and the faithful manner in which he had performed his duties, be granted the rank of Past First Grand Principal, Honoris Causa. This received the unanimous approval of Grand Chapter.

The other clauses in the report as published in our February issue were approved by Grand Chapter, with the alteration that Grand Scribe E. should be granted twelve months' leave of absence from 21st March instead of 21st February.

The amendments to the Jubilee Scholarship Fund were approved, and the following are now eligible for scholarships at Secondary Schools and Universities:—

- (a) Any child who is or has been an inmate of the Kirkpatrick Masonic Institute or the Papakura Masonic Home for boys, or any other Institution which Grand Chapter in Annual Convocation shall add to this sub-cause.
- (b) Any child of a deceased Royal Arch Mason who had at any time been a member of a Chapter holding under Grand Chapter.
- (c) Any child of a Royal Arch Mason who is a serviceman or a discharged serviceman within the meaning of the Rehabilitation Act, 1941, or any Act amending same, or any child of a Royal Arch Mason who was a

serviceman in the 1914/1918 war, and who at the time of the application for a scholarship is a member of a Chapter holding under Grand Chapter.

(d) Any Freemason who is a serviceman or discharged serviceman within the meaning of the Rehabilitation Act 1941 or any Act amending the same, and who at the time of the application for a scholarship is a member of a Chapter holding under Grand Chapter or a Lodge holding under the Grand Lodge of New Zealand.

The increase of the Annual Fee from 1/- to 1/6 per member was agreed to.

The Notice of Motion standing in the name of Karangahape Chapter, No. 69, did not meet with approval, while that of Rangitoto, No. 52, was, with the permission of Grand Chapter, held over for further consideration.

The evening session proved to be a very enjoyable and impressive ceremony, the Temple being filled to capacity, and the Companions noted with a great deal of pleasure the return to Capitular Freemasonry of that veteran, M.E. Comp. Oliver Nicholson. M.E. Comp. D. B. Patterson and his District Grand Chapter Officers of the English Constitution, and M.E. Comp. J. J. Laws, with the District Grand Chapter Officers of the Scottish Constitution, were very welcome visitors.

The First Grand Principal Elect, E. Comp. W. Reynolds, was addressed by the Depute Grand Z., R.E. Comp. S. T. S. Martin, and Obligated and Enthroned by M.E. Comp. Sir Stephen Allen, P.G.Z. The Depute Grand Z., R.E. Comp. W. J. Girling, was Obligated and Installed by M.E. Comp. C. A. Eckford, P.G.Z., and Grand H., R.E. Comp. J. Arm-stead, was invested and installed by M.E. Comp. W. Miller, P.G.Z. The Superintendents of Districts were invested by M.E. Comp. G. Russell, P.G.Z., the Executive Officers by M.E. Comp. E. Lane, P.G.Z., and the other Grand Officers by M.E. Comps. R. English and W. H. Sandford, P.G.Zs., after which the newly-installed First Grand Principal addressed Grand Chapter as follows:—

M.E., R.E., V.E., and Companions all,— It is my privilege and pleasure this evening, as your newly-installed First Grand Principal, to extend the North Auckland District's deep debt of gratitude and thanks, as well as my personal appreciation, to Auckland's Companions, who have so generously shouldered the responsibility for this Convocation, both from the business and entertainment points of view.

We in North Auckland would have dearly liked to have had the Convocation in our own District, to extend to you the pleasures of our Northland, but unfortunately accommodation was inadequate for such an attendance as we have here today.

My next thought is to thank the North Auckland Chapters for their confidence and support in nominating me for the office of First Grand Principal, likewise all Chapter representatives and Companions throughout New Zealand for their confirmation of the nomination.

To our honoured and distinguished guests who have been received this evening I wish to extend our fraternal greetings, and I sincerely trust that your sojourn among us will be both pleasant and profitable.

Companions, I am very sensible of the great honour you have conferred on me by electing me to the position I now occupy. Words fail me to adequately express my feelings.

Knowing my own limitations, I assume the sceptre with humility, and I promise that to the best of my ability I will endeavour to carry out the duties attached to the high office of First Grand Principal.

Our Annual Convocation gives us an opportunity to study in retrospect the events which have passed. It is also a time and opportunity to take an inventory of ourselves and our actions, to look forward to the tasks before us. Above all, it is a place where we may renew our faith and gain the inspiration and courage which we all need for the years that lie ahead.

Looking back over the years, there come into view the names of many able and distinguished Companions who have guided the destinies of Grand Chapter, each one has had special problems with which to deal. Some of those problems have been of such a nature as to bring joy to this Dominion and to make easier the task of the First Grand Principal for the time being. Others have been of a very different nature. As you are aware, the four horsemen of the Apocalypse have within recent years ridden roughshod over the free peoples of the world. It is difficult to believe that in the comparatively short life of Royal Arch Masonry in this Dominion there should have been experienced three major wars, a great pestilence and unprecedented depressions. That the great traditions of our people might be preserved and passed on to succeeding generations has unfortunately brought death to thousands of the flower of our Empire. Dictators have invaded smaller and less powerful nations, our Fraternity has been scourged, its altars razed, its properties confiscated, its members persecuted and its leaders doomed.

Companions, I wish, and I know you wish, that we could speak of this war in the past tense. Although we have reason to be greatly encouraged, we cannot but recognise that the struggle is not ended, that we, as a people, may have to pass through much travail before peace is restored.

As we look over the years we realise that war and pestilence have affected the very existence of Royal Arch Masonry, for there have been removed from this sublunary sphere many of those who, if they had lived, would have proved a tower of strength to Masonry in general and Royal Arch Masonry in particular.

In this respect I recall a remark by M.E. Comp. Sir Charles Fergusson, when addressing a Craft Lodge. He said that the great tragedy of the 1914-1918 war would make itself apparent some twenty years later, when the world would be without the advice and guidance of a generation who, but for the war, would have formed the young middle-aged men—the men with the enterprise and push of youth, yet mellowed by the experience which comes to the man in his early forties. Companions, that may well be repeated today as we look forward to another twenty-year period. Surely it calls for that devotion to the spiritual truths upon which our Institution is founded.

That, Companions, is why I feel the weight of responsibility which rests upon me during my term of office, why I appeal to all Companions not only to give me the assistance I surely will need, but to take a long and thoughtful view of the problem of world rehabilitation.

We rightly hear a great deal about the rehabilitation of returned servicemen, surely a most important subject, It has been suggested to me that rehabilitation be made the theme of my address.

Rehabilitation is a word which opens up an infinite field for serious consideration by all of us. In the time at my disposal I can but mention briefly some aspects which I venture to state are worthy of attention, for we should play a valuable part in the work of rehabilitating New Zealand servicemen, particularly those of this Grand Chapter. We can, in a material sense, assist to make successful the various schemes by which it is proposed to restore them to civilian occupations. These men put aside everything to safeguard New Zealand and us.

When the Knights of King Arthur's table dedicated themselves to a high ideal when they set out in quest of the Holy Grail they had impressed on them that only to the pure in heart would be given a glimpse of the sacred chalice, and they accordingly prayed for their rehabilitation in purity of soul. We know how those who entered upon that quest fared. They were not able to see the Grail because of the materialistic coating of their hearts.

That constitutes a lesson for us as we face the duty of rehabilitating our servicemen, of rehabilitating Freemasonry in countries where despots, devoid of all spiritual aspirations, have banished it, and also the task of rehabilitating ourselves, which is the most important of all.

It is this aspect of rehabilitation to which I think we should devote our most earnest attention, for if we do not incorporate in our very existence the teachings of Royal Arch Freemasonry our efforts may be in vain.

This is surely a crusade worthy of all Royal Arch Freemasons. The wearing of the Insignia of our Institution, however exalted the signification of the jewels may be, does not make a true Mason. It is the heart alone which provides the test, and from which flow the actions that bespeak the spirit of the Craft.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." Is it not the search for the ultimate, the God for whom all our Royal Arch ceremonies constitute a search, that our Institution exists?

If we are true to our obligation then will be given to us the power which shall enable us to assist in the problems of "rehabilitation of servicemen," the rehabilitation of Freemasonry in countries from which it has been banished, the rehabilitation of that which is for the good of the world, and, above all, the foundation of everything to which we should aspire—the rehabilitation of ourselves.

Companions, I would conclude by drawing to your attention a few lines of a poem which came under my notice recently:

"If there be some weaker one, give me strength to help him on.  
If a blinder soul there be, let me guide him nearer Thee.  
Make my mortal dreams come true with the task I fain would do,  
Clothe with life the weak intent, let me be the thing I meant.  
Let me find in Thy employ Peace that dearer is than Joy."

That, Companions, is the thought I would like to leave with you.

The collection in aid of the Jubilee Memorial Fund amounted to over £27.

The proceedings in the refectory were quite in keeping with the occasion, and the following toasts were proposed:-

"The First Grand Principal Z.," R.E. Comp. W. J. M. Dawson, P.D.G.Z.

"Our Companions on Active Service," M.E. Comp. Sir Cyril Newell, P.G.Z.

"Officers of Supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Zealand," M.E. Comp. E. C. Smith, P.G.Z.

"District Grand Chapters, Sister Constitutions," R.E. Comp. A. C. Hallett, P.D.G.Z.

On the following day the delegates and their wives were taken to the Mon Desir Hotel, where they were presented to their Excellencies, and whilst partaking of refreshments were entertained by several enjoyable vocal items.

Thus concluded one of the happiest Convocations that have been held for many years, and all came away delighted, not only with the manner in which the business had been conducted, but with very happy recollections the kindness and courtesy extended to the visitors by our Auckland Companions.

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**VISIT BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL THE GRAND  
MASTER TO NELSON-MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT.**

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April 21st, 1945, will long be remembered by the very large number of Masons representing the combined Lodges of Nelson and Marlborough, who assembled to meet their Grand Master on the occasion of his Official Visit to this portion of his wide territory. Over two hundred brethren were present, occupying both the Lodge Room and later the refectory to capacity, and undoubtedly the function was one of great inspiration and enjoyment in which the Grand Master obviously shared.

Lodge Nelson No. 288, under whose charter the meeting was held, tyled at 7 p.m., visiting brethren were admitted followed by the reception of the W.M.'s of Lodges Victor Wairau, Forest, Motueka, Murchison, Waimea, and Southern Star. The Prov. GM. R.W. Bro. James Baird, accompanied by the Asst. Prov. G.M., V.W. Bro. Frank Mogridge, and the large retinue of G.L. Officers were received. W. Bro. W. A. Armstrong, P. Deputy Dist. G.M., of District Grand Lodge of Nelson-Westland, representing the English Constitution, accompanied by his D.G.L. Officers, was then received, and promptly at 8 p.m. the Asst. G.D.C. W. Bro. Cottier announced the presence of the Grand Master, who was impressively received with the honours due to his exalted rank.

The Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro. Girling, and R.W. Bro. Stiles, P.D.G.M., accompanied the Grand Master, whilst amongst the G.L. Officers who were received with the Prov. G.M., were R.W. Bros. Ching and Rudd, Past Prov. G.M.'s.; Thomson, P.G.J.W.; V.W. Bros. Daynes and Smith, P.G. Chaplains; Gould and Cannington, P.G. Leo's.; and Kirby, P.D.G.C.

By arrangement there was no working and the service in the Lodge was comparatively brief, the main feature being the address delivered by the Grand Master, following the greetings conveyed on behalf of the district by the Prov. G.M., by W. Bro. Armstrong on behalf of the E.C. Lodges of Nelson-Westland, and from the visiting Masters on behalf of their respective Lodges.

The Grand Master's address was listened to with great attention and interest by the brethren, and his reference to the undoubted and beneficent intervention of the Great Architect during the period of the Battle of Britain, and the responsibilities and fitness by reason of their Masonic training of all brethren to accept their full share in the great work of post-war reconstruction, both moral and physical, was fully appreciated.

During the service, hymns were sung; the sacred solo by Bro. C. D. Ovens, of Lodge Nelson, and all present joined with V.W. Bro. Smith in the reading of the Special Prayer.

The Lodge closed at 9 p.m., following which the Grand Master caused arrangements to be made to enable him to meet and shake hands with each brother individually.

The proceedings in the refectory were most cordial, the Grand Master delighting the brethren with his further address following the toast very ably proposed by R. Bro. Baird. The Grand Master interspersed his remarks with some most amusing references to previous happenings, particularly concerning the time factor, and complimented the Nelson Lodges upon the promptness with which the evening's service had been commenced. He also referred the fact that it was his wish to visit all parts of New Zealand, but this might not be possible in the limited time available, but he undertook if at all possible to pay a visit to Marlborough.

The Deputy Grand Master very appropriately proposed the toast of the District Grand Lodge of Westland-Nelson E.C., during which he made reference to his visit to England about ten years ago and the great

hospitality then extended to visiting brethren from overseas, particular by the "Motherland Lodge." Following the personal condolences conveyed by the Grand Master. R.W. Bro. Girling made feeling reference to the recent "passing" of R.W. Bro. Jesse Steer, Dist. G.M., and said that he felt sure that the D.G.L. officers would continue to uphold the high tradition of the E.C. in the district pending the appointment of a successor as District Grand Master.

In his reply, W. Bro. Armstrong expressed appreciation for the references which had been made to the late R.W. Bro. Steer, whose sterling qualities and wonderful service to Freemasonry over so long a period he enumerated. W. Bro. Armstrong also mentioned the wonderful fraternal spirit between the two Constitutions in the district, and as chairman of the Kirkpatrick Masonic Institute, referred to the fact that the Institute was now fully occupied with twenty girls in residence, and said that the board would have to seriously consider the desirability of extensions. The visit paid by the Grand Master to the Institute that afternoon, W. Bro. Armstrong said, had been greatly appreciated.

The formal proceedings terminated at 11 p.m. with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem, and it should be mentioned that the refectory programme was interspersed with two vocal items by the Nelson Lodges octette and a violin solo by W. Bro. Farmer. W. Bro. Lord was the organist and accompanist for the evening.

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**LODGE HIKURANGI, No. 140.**

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**CONSECRATION OF TEMPLE.**

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On Wednesday, 4th April, the brethren of Lodge Hikurangi, No. 140, and visiting brethren, assembled to witness two very beautiful ceremonies, namely, the Consecration of the Temple and Installation of Bro. S. F. Ford, W.M.-elect.

The Consecration of the Temple was conducted by R.W. Bro. W. J. Girling, Deputy-G.M., and a retinue of G.L. officers. The ceremony was carried out to the setting of a beautiful programme which was presented to the Lodge by M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson, P.G.M., Prov.G.M. M.W. Bro. Nicholson also with a number of G.L. officers conducted the ceremony of Installation. To commemorate the occasion of W. Bro. Ford attaining the exalted rank of W.M., a set of working tools had been made and presented by W. Bro. H. Thomas, Sec., and encased in a very fine cabinet donated conjointly by W. Bro. W. Meadows, I.P.M., and the Wor. Master. The tools were officially presented to the Lodge by M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson. W. Bro. Thomas received commendations of Grand Lodge through R.W. Bro. W. J. Girling and M.W. Bro. Nicholson, also thanks and congratulations from the brethren.

A very pleasant hour was spent in the refectory. During the evening a special toast to the W.M. was proposed by R.W. Bro. W. W. Wright, P.G.W.

The refectory tables were most artistically set and brought forth "Praise to the ladies" responsible by R.W. Bro. Girling.

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**WILLIAM FERGUSON MASSEY R.A. CHAPTER, No. 61.**

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(By a Visitor.)

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On 19th March R.E. Comp. S. T. S. Martin, Depute First Grand Principal Z., accompanied by the Grand Supt. of Auckland, R.E. Comp. F. W. Herbert, paid an official visit to the William Ferguson Massey R.A. Chapter, Pukekohe.

The Grand Supt. was received with honours, and he in turn received the Depute First Grand Z. who suitably acknowledged the words of welcome, kindly greeting and loyal reception afforded him. The Excellent Degree was worked in a dignified and impressive manner and ought to remain fixed in the mind of the candidate for many years.

During the evening a very unique ceremony was performed. At the request of the Auckland Provincial R.A. Chapter, No. 9, the Depute Grand Z. presented the S.G.C.R.A. certificate (signed among the last in his official capacity) to his younger brother. In doing so he feelingly mentioned that the ceremony was unique in

his long Masonic experience, and as far as he knew it was unique in N.Z. Masonry, for one who was privileged to occupy the highest position in R.A. Masonry to present that certificate to his own brother who has just started in the lowest, and was attending his first Chapter meeting following his Exaltation.

The recipient of the certificate, Comp. E. H. Martin, thanked the Depute Grand Z. for the honour conferred, and assured him that he fully appreciated the courteous act of his Mother Chapter.

In the refectory, in response to the toast to the Grand Chapter, R.E. Comp. Martin gave a most interesting address. He likened the life of that great statesman and revered Grand Master, the late William Ferguson Massey, to a river starting first as a tiny rivulet limited in its power and usefulness, gathering momentum on its journey, expanding, widening its boundaries, increasing in force, power and usefulness; ever giving, never withholding, until it runs its course, and at last loses itself in the limitless and boundless ocean—a fine analogy that fitted well to the life of that great Companion whose name the Chapter proudly bears.

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### OBITUARY.

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R.W. BRO. JESSE STEER,  
District Grand Master, Westland and Nelson.

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All Lodges have learned with regret of the passing to the Grand Lodge above on 22nd March, of R.W. Bro. Jesse Steer, District G.M. of Westland and Nelson, who was most highly esteemed by the large circle of Masons of all constitutions with whom he came in contact during his extensive Masonic career. In conveying our deepest sympathy to the relations and to the brethren of the English Constitution, the writer feels that he cannot do better than quote the following from the Notice just issued by Southern Star Lodge:

#### IN MEMORIAM.

Since our last circular went to Press the Grim Reaper has removed a stalwart in Masonic activities from our midst, in the person of our District Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. Jesse Steer. Our departed Brother was born at Richmond, Nelson, on April 25th, 1863, was initiated a member of Greymouth Lodge on November 20th, 1888, and held membership in that Lodge up to the time of his passing to the Grand Lodge above, covering a period of 57 years. He was installed Worshipful Master in 1894 and 1898 appointed D.D.G.M. by Rt. Wor. John Bevan, enthroned District Grand Master on June 19th, 1912, and received the respect of his Brethren at Greymouth Lodge's Jubilees in 1918 and 1928. He was the Senior District Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England, holding the position for 33 years.

Eulogistic references were made to services rendered to the Craft by our late Brother at a Lodge of Sorrow held at Greymouth on the 27th March.

To be missed and remembered is the best epitaph that our Brother would have desired, as it can be said of him that he managed the affairs of his high office with skill and assiduity. He bestowed upon the Craft his earnest thinking, his loving service, and was one who put himself into Freemasonry and Freemasonry into himself in an endeavour to impart to his appreciative hearers his explanation of some of our beautiful masonic allegories, on the many occasions he was present to conduct our Installation ceremonies. His life will serve as a beacon light to our path, and while we are saddened by his loss, we are inspired by his example, as his interest in Freemasonry was more than lip service and formality, being diffused with fervency and zeal, which makes a true Freemason.

We have to acknowledge a debt of gratitude to our departed Brother for the spirit he breathed into the Craft, which has shed its influence on the lives and character of those left behind to emulate the high ideals he inculcated. Ours is the task to hand it on unimpaired to those who will follow us when our day is run,

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### REVIEW OF PROCEEDINGS OF FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.

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

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OKLAHOMA-1944.

399 Lodges, 47,578 members, a gain of 2667.

36th Annual Communication held at Guthrie, 8th and 9th February, M.W. Bro. J. Fred Latham, G.M., presiding.

In the course of reference to the administration of the Lodges the Grand Master said:—"The so-called 'Honorary Roll' is being grossly overworked, several Lodges carrying more than ten per cent. of their members on this list. Some do not give any reason whatsoever, even though the law is very plain. Others list 'years of service,' age, 'minister,' etc., as the reason, when the heading of the very page on which they are listed indicates that it is to be based on inability to pay. There are cases where members have been placed on these lists and carried for more than twenty years and the Lodge has not even heard from them in fifteen years. These are evidences that careful investigation has not been made to ascertain whether the member is still in need of this assistance. His financial status could have materially changed. In any event when a member has no more interest in Masonry than to absent himself for many years and not let a single member of the Lodge know of his places of residence or his appreciation of Masonic brotherhood it is definitely an imposition on the Lodge. There is no reason why anyone should be placed on any roll as exempt from dues merely because of his age. If a member is financially able to pay his dues he should do so and count it a privilege to do so. How else can we carry on the work of Masonry than by each one of us paying his part and carrying his portion of the load?" He also mentioned that three out of each ten Lodges could not confer the degrees.

Ten Lodges consolidated into five.

Fifty-year buttons were awarded to 15 brethren.

The following names were adopted as a roll call for use in the degree work in all Lodges:—"Abraham, Ahab, Asa, Benjamin, Elijah, Elisha, Ephraim, Heman, Hezekiah, Jacob, Jeroboam, Joab, Jonathan, Nathan, Zabud, Zedekiah."

2619 brethren were initiated, 1046 affiliated and 2373 reinstated, while 734 died, 1148 were suspended N.P.D., and 6 for U.M.C., one was expelled, and dismissions numbered 721.

1913 brethren were exempt from payment of dues to Grand Lodge.

There were 41 men, 52 women, 20 boys and 20 girls in the Masonic Homes.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Gerald L. Brown, Enid.

Grand Secretary: M.W. Bro. Claude A. Sturgeon, P.G.M., Guthrie.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. Arthur E. Miller, Woodward.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. Archibald J. Graham, P.Prov.G.M., Palmerston North.

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#### MONTANA-1944.

134 Lodges, 18,721 members, a gain of 668.

80th Annual Communication, held at Helena, August 15th and 16th, M.W. Bro. Charles E. Coe, G.M., presiding.

Before the opening of Grand Lodge, a short service of praise to God "under whose care and protection they in America had enjoyed liberty and freedom during those trying times since their country was forced into war" was conducted by the Grand Chaplain.

Certificates and badges were presented to 21 brethren, who had been Master Masons for fifty years or more and were then members of Montana Lodges.

The Grand Master reported that the financial condition of the Lodges was generally much improved. He participated in mortgage-burning ceremonies for four Lodges.

The Committee on Distribution, addressing the Grand Master, said: "As you retire from your high station of Masonic authority in this Grand Jurisdiction to take your place among those brethren who have 'also served' and sit again among the Craftsmen ready to answer the call for any duty in the Quarries of Masonic Service, your brethren pray that your life will continue to be filled with a Love that knows no barrier; a Courage that cannot be shaken; a Faith strong enough for the darkness; a Strength sufficient for your tasks; a Loyalty to Masonry's goal; a Wisdom to meet life's complexities, and a Power to lift men to life's highest idealism."

Initiations totalled 1016, 177 were "admitted," 305 reinstated, while 15 demitted, 1 was suspended U.M.C., 135 suspended N.P.D., and 344 died.

101 Lodges gained in membership, 11 showed no change, and 22 lost.

There were 32 men and 11 women in the Masonic Home, their ages varying between 63 and 96, and the average being 72.5.

The Report of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence was to be published in a separate volume, but this has not yet arrived.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Walter R. Flachesenhar, Terry.  
Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. Luther T. Hauberg, Helena.  
Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. S. A. Holt, Broadus.  
Grand Representative at N.Z.: V.W. Bro. J. G. R. Hewitt, P.G.R., Buckland.

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#### WYOMING.

50 Lodges, 8405 members, a gain of 445.

70th Annual Communication, held 28th and 29th August, M.W. Bro. Dr. G. O. Hanna, G.M., presiding. 468 brethren were raised, 76 affiliated, and 116 reinstated, while 79 demitted, 103 died, and 35 were suspended N.P.D.

The following resolution was carried:—"That all Master Masons in good standing, who have been such for a period of fifty years, and who are members of the subordinate Lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction, shall be entitled, upon application through the local Secretary to the Grand Secretary and approval of the Grand Master, to receive from the Grand Lodge a suitable button, which button shall be selected and provided by the Grand Secretary with the approval of the Finance Committee and paid for out of the Grand Lodge funds, and that this be made a standing resolution."

The 54 pages of Reviews by the Grand Secretary include one devoted to New Zealand, 1942, from which we quote the following:—

"Compared with Wyoming custom, the installation of the Grand Master in New Zealand is very elaborate and dignified indeed.

"It was reported that at one installation in a country district every member of the Lodge was present except those on active service. That is one for the book."

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. J. L. Sawyer, Torrington.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. Irving E. Clark, Casper.

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#### MISSOURI-1944.

608 Lodges, 89,884 members, a gain of 3296.

124th Annual .Communication held at Kansas City, 26th and 27th September, M.W. Bro. W. F. Woodruff, G.M., presiding.

During the year 95 fifty-year buttons were awarded of which the Grand Master presented 11.

3721 brethren were raised, 781 affiliated and 1842 reinstated, while 692 demitted, 716 were suspended N.P.D., 5 were expelled, and 1635 died.

The former Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Dr. Arthur Mather, died suddenly after 17 years' service in that office.

M.W. Bro. Ray V. Denslow's "Masonic World," covering 101 pages, appears to be even better than usual, and covers a large variety of topics in his most interesting style. He devotes 26 pages to Cuba and its Masonry. As usual he mentions a large number of prominent persons who are members of the Craft. Both Presidential candidates and both Vice-Presidential candidates in the United States elections were Masons.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Willis J. Bray, Kirksville.

Grand Secretary:—M.W. Bro. Harold L. Reader, P.G.M., St. Louis.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. J. Fred Park, West Plains.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. C. A. Eckford, P.Prov.G.M., Blenheim.

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### THE FINDING OF NOAH'S ARK.

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By A. G. EASTMAN.

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#### Part III.

Since that Covenant made with Noah, God has made Covenants with Abraham, Israel and David, in which He promised that from Abraham would come a great and mighty nation, which would be His Servant Race, invincible and indestructible, and become a Nation and a Company of Nations, ruled over by the Throne of David forever.

### **Further Proof of Noah's Ark.**

I spoke to you last week about the finding of Noah's Ark on Mount Ararat by some Russian aviators in 1917. This talk has caused very great interest, and since speaking to you I have received from a listener a report published in the Chicago "Tribune" on 13th August, 1883, of an earlier discovery of the Ark.

A rather remarkable coincidence, shall we say, happened in connection with this report, as this listener had only looked it up in an old book the week before I gave the talk, and intended to send it to me as it might be of interest to the listeners: and then he was amazed when I gave my talk with an account of the discovery in 1917 by the Russian aviators. It looks like the hand of God arranging for the publication of this discovery over the air, so I will read it to you now. Here it is—

"London, 9th August, 1883.—A paper at Constantinople announces the discovery of Noah's Ark. It appears that some Turkish Commissioners appointed to investigate the question of avalanches on Mount Ararat, suddenly came upon a gigantic structure of very dark wood protruding from a glacier. They made inquiries of the inhabitants. These had seen it for six years, but had been afraid to approach it because a spirit of fierce aspect had been seen looking out of the upper window. The Turkish Commissioners, however, are bold men, not deterred by such trifles, and they determined to reach it. Situated as it was among the fastnesses of one of the glens of Mount Ararat, it was a work of enormous difficulty, and it was only after incredible hardships that they succeeded. The Ark was in a good state of preservation, although the angles—observe, not the bow or the stern—had been a good deal broken in its descent. They recognised it at once. There was an Englishman among them who presumably had read his Bible, and he saw it was made of the ancient Gopher wood of Scripture, which, as every one knows, grows only on the plains of the Euphrates. Effecting an entrance to the structure, which was painted brown, they found that the Admiralty requirements for the conveyance of horses had been carried out, and the interior was divided into partitions fifteen feet high. Into three of these only could they get, the others being full of ice, and how far the Ark extended into the glacier they could not tell. If, however, on being uncovered it turns out to be 300 cubits long, it will go hard with disbelievers." That is from the Chicago "Tribune" of 13th August, 1883.

There appears to have been an earthquake at the beginning of 1883, which shook Mount Ararat and dislodged tremendous quantities of snow and ice, which buried whole villages at the foot. It may have been this earthquake which partly dislodged the Ark from the glacier which had been holding it all the centuries, and that by 1917, when the Russian aviators saw it, it was freed from its refrigeration.

A further confirmation is found in a book entitled "Yesterdays in Persia and Kurdistan," by Rev. Frederick G. Coan, published in 1989 at Claremont, Calif., U.S.A. The author was the son of a missionary and was himself a missionary born in Persia, and educated in America. Chapter 16 of his book is entitled "Archdeacon Nouri and the discovery of the Ark." Archdeacon Nouri was consecrated Bishop over the Nestorians in India, and spent some time with Rev. Coan. He spoke twelve languages fluently, had travelled widely over the world, and had called on President Theodore Roosevelt, and had been a speaker at the Parliament of Religions in Chicago. Here was his account of his discovery of the Ark, as given in this book by Rev. Coan: "He said he had made three attempts to scale Mount Ararat before he succeeded. At last he was rewarded and he stood overwhelmed and awed as he saw the old Ark there wedged in the rocks and half filled with snow and ice. He got inside, where careful measurements coincided exactly with the account given in the sixth chapter of Genesis. We invited him to give a lecture on this marvellous discovery in the College Chapel, and missionaries, teachers and students filled the place and were most deeply interested. He went to Belgium and tried to organise a company to take the Ark to Chicago to the World's Fair; but they felt that the risks of such a long journey were too great, in addition to the heavy expense of transporting it so far. He was much disappointed, for he knew it would be a great attraction, and that people from all over the world would go to see it. So there it lies."

God has apparently intended that it should be discovered in these days, but will not allow it to be removed, and so there it still lies as a witness to God's faithfulness.

### **THE FLOOD AND NOAH'S ARK.**

**The following is an extract from "The Antiquities of the Jews," by Josephus, the Jewish Historian.**

Vol. I, Book I, Chapter III, pages 419, 50, 51, 52.

Par. 2. Now God loved this man for his righteousness: yet he not only condemned those other men for their wickedness, but determined to destroy the whole race of mankind, and to make another race that should be pure from wickedness, and cutting short their lives, and making their years not so many as they formerly lived, but one hundred and twenty only, he turned the dry land into sea; and thus were all these men destroyed. But Noah alone was saved; for God suggested to him the following contrivance and way of

escape: That he should make an ark of four stories high, three hundred cubits long, fifty cubits broad, and thirty cubits high. Accordingly, he entered into that ark, and his wife and sons, and their wives, and put into it not only other provisions, to support their wants there, but also sent in with the rest, all sorts of living creatures, the male and his female, for the preservation of their kinds; and others of them by sevens. Now this ark had firm walls, and a roof, and was braced with cross beams, so that it could not be any way drowned, or overborne by the violence of the water. And thus was Noah, with his family preserved. Now he was the tenth from Adam, as being the son of Lamech whose father was Methuselah; he was the son of Enoch, the son of Jared; and Jared was the son of Malaleel, who, with many of his sisters, were the children of Cain, the son, of Enos. Now Enos was the son of Seth, the son of Adam.

5. When God gave the signal, and it began to rain, the water poured down forty entire days, till it became fifteen cubits higher than the earth, which was the reason why there were no greater number preserved, since they had no place to fly to. When the rain ceased, the water did but just begin to abate after one hundred and fifty days, that is, on the seventeenth day of the seventh month, it then ceasing to subside for a little while. After this the ark rested at the top of a certain mountain in Armenia; which, when Noah understood, he opened it, he continued quiet, and conceived some cheerful hopes of deliverance. But a few days afterward, when the water was decreased to a greater degree, he sent out a raven, as desirous to learn whether any other part of the earth were left dry by the water, and whether he might go out of the ark with safety; but the raven, finding all the land still overflowed, returned to Noah again. And after seven days, he sent out a dove, to know the state of the ground; which came back to him covered with mud, and bringing an olive branch: hereby' Noah learned that the earth was become clear of the flood. So, after he had stayed seven more days, he sent the living creatures out of the ark; and both he and his family went out, when he also sacrificed to God, and feasted with his companions. However, the Armenians call this place Apobaterion, the place of descent; for the ark being saved in that place, its remains are showed there by the inhabitants to this day.

6. Now all the writers of barbarian histories make mention of this flood, and of this ark, among whom is Berosus the Chaldean. For when he was describing the circumstances of the flood, he goes on thus: "It is said there is still some part of this ship in Armenia, at the mountain of the Cordyaeans, and that some people carry off pieces of the bitumen, which they take away, and use chiefly as amulets, for the averting of mischiefs." Hieronymus the Egyptian also who wrote the Phoenician Antiquities, and Manaseas, and a great many more, make mention of the same—Nicolaus of Damascus, in his ninety-sixth book, had a particular relation about them, where he speaks thus: "There is a great mountain in Armenia, over Minyas, called 'Baris,' upon which, it is reported, that many who fled at the time of the deluge were saved; and that one, who was carried in an ark, came on shore upon the top of it; and that the remains of the timber were a great while preserved: this might be the man about whom Moses the legislator of the Jews wrote:"

**Translator's Note:**

"This Apobaterion, or place of descent is the proper rendering of the Armenian name of this very city. It is called in Ptolemy Naxuana, and by Moses Chorenensis, the Armenian historian, Isheuan, but at the place itself, Nachidsheuan, which signifies the first place of descent; and is a lasting monument of the preservation of Noah in the ark, upon the top of that mountain, at whose foot it was built, as the first city or town after the flood; see *Antiq. b. xx. sec. 3, vol. 2*, and *Moses Chorenensis p. 71, 72*, who also says that another town was related by tradition to have been called Seron or the place of dispersion on account of the dispersion of Xisuthrus or Noah's sons from thence first made. Whether any remains of this ark be still preserved, as the people of the country suppose, I cannot certainly tell. Mons. Tournefort had, not very long since, a mind to see the place himself, but met with too great dangers and difficulties to venture through them." —*Masonic Journal of South Africa*. (The end.)

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## Correspondence.

We welcome correspondence on Masonic subjects, but are not responsible for the views expressed. It must be clearly understood that all letters must be couched in courteous and proper language, otherwise they will be at once declined. The Editor distinctly reserves the right not to publish, or only publish part of, any letter he may consider inimical to the best interests of the Craft.

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(To the Editor.)

Dear Sir and Brother,—

I read with surprise and regret the article in this month's "Craftsman" headed "The Finding of Noah's Ark."

When I sought admission to the Craft nearly thirty years ago I learned that belief in the Supreme Being was the sole religious test for membership, and when I joined I learned to regard this as a landmark of the Order. I learned also to admire and take pride in "the universality of the science," in the tolerance and respect shown for the belief of the individual, in the exclusion of "dogmas that divide," and in the fellowship of men of diverse sects and creeds united in the all-embracing faith of the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

Inasmuch as the article published is a controversial one, voicing the opinion of a section, and provocative of resentment amongst those Brethren who do not hold the fundamentalist CT literal view of the V.S.L., I consider it definitely un-Masonic. In my own personal opinion it is open to criticism in other respects, but as I consider religious controversy as much out of place in a Masonic journal as in a Lodge, I refrain from any further comment.

Yours fraternally,  
G. H. NICHOLLS.

[The series of articles to which our correspondent refers are not in our view reasonably open to the criticism levelled against them. They are proving very acceptable to many readers, and in any case, are carried as narrative and in no sense as doctrinal necessarily carrying editorial endorsement.—Ed.]

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## THE PHILOSOPHY OF SCOTTISH RITE FREEMASONRY

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W. O. Bissonett, 32°.

A man comes into Masonry ignorant, helpless from a Masonic standpoint, and, perhaps, blinded by superstition. He is taught the value of association with others and the necessity of knowledge, in order that he may become a free man. While becoming a Master Mason, he is taught the Doctrine of Another Life and the Immortality of the Soul. He is shown how to attain unto a Life of Freedom and Intelligence. These are the things that are impressed upon him, and become his working tools.

The right kind of working tools are essential, but one must become skilled in the use thereof, otherwise they have no value. The Scottish Rite Degrees, from the Fourth to the Thirty-second, are designed to make a candidate proficient in the use of the working tools given him when he became a Master Mason.

For instance, he is taught how to ascend toward the heights on which Truth is enthroned; how best to serve his fellow-men, his country and mankind in general; to do that which is right. There are many human virtues brought to his attention. He is reminded to be generous; to heal dissensions and differences among his fellow men; to prevent wrongdoing wherever and whenever possible; to judge impartially, fairly and mercifully; to show reverence for God and respect for law.

All free men have equal rights and are entitled to equal opportunities. Masonry, in its degrees, recognises, perhaps more than any other fraternity, the rights of the labouring classes. It is pledged to the cause of free thought, free speech and free action among men. But, of course, it does not tolerate the unbridled license of the mob.

One who industriously applies the principles of truth revealed to him, soon finds himself advancing into the realm of morality and true philosophy. It is important to devote one's self to honour and duty, and become adept in the art of searching out the meaning of the True Word. Apathy and indifference must be discarded. Otherwise, the symbolic meaning of true religion, comprising love and tolerance, of true philosophy, true morality and true brotherhood will never be recognised by the initiate. These symbolic meanings regenerate the human soul, which might otherwise become weary in its endless search for that true light of Masonic philosophy that shall give it peace; that peace which John the Divine experienced, as recited in the Apocalypse.

You have perhaps sometimes wondered how it is possible to reconcile the existence of sin and wrong, pain and suffering, the wretchedness of the good, and the prosperous fortunes of the wicked, with the theory of the unbounded love and beneficence of God. Scottish Rite Masonry gives you a key whereby you may arrive at a solution of that great problem of life.

The candidate is taught that the human race must wait with patience for the coming of the Eternal Reign of Good. Men should recognise the rights of one another and the dignity of labour, regardless of rank or material wealth. It is always well to remember that your fellow man is your brother and that the destiny of your soul depends-entirely upon your own conduct towards yourself, your fellow men and your God. You

learn, by examples that will become engraved on the tablets of your memory, the true meaning of the word brother.

The initiate soon realises that, in order to benefit by the lessons of the degrees, he must practice all the virtues and remember that one who is humble and patient is less likely to fall into the errors of intolerance and oppression than one who is arrogant and self-righteous. One should also be ready to champion the cause of the oppressed and seek to preserve human rights and human liberties.

The responsibilities placed upon the candidate who subscribes to the degrees is indeed heavy. If his soul can successfully withstand the searching inquiry to which it is subjected, he is truly ready to be entrusted with the Royal Secret of them all, and to take up an abode in that house not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens.

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### BRETHREN IN WELLINGTON HOSPITALS.

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COMMITTEE REPORT No. 12.

**Ewart Hospital:** Bro. Rowland Hill, Lodge Pacific, No. 2, has not made such good progress recently owing to his eyes causing him some trouble and much inconvenience. We hope that he will recover from this indisposition before very long.

**Public Hospital:**

Bro. T. Wells, Lodge Brooklyn, No. 132, is progressing very well and hopes to make complete recovery soon.

Bro. J. Bradley, Lodge Renown, No. 218, is making slow progress towards recovery and is putting up a good fight.

Bro. K. L. Livingston, Lodge Hataitai, No. 285, has made such a splendid recovery as he hopes will enable him to be discharged this week.

Bro. Pearce, Lodge Coronation, No. 127, who has been an inmate of the eye ward, has had a successful operation and is making good progress towards recovery.

Bro. Harris, Lodge Karori, No. 247, who is in No. 1 Ward, Victoria Hospital, is very cheerful and is making an excellent recovery.

All these brethren desire to be remembered to the brethren of their respective lodges.

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### WAIKATO NOTES.

Monday evening the 12th March, must be an exceedingly pleasant memory for those who attended the monthly meeting of Lodge Beta Waikato No. 12 at their lodge room, Claudelands, the third degree being worked by the Past Masters of the lodge. The W. Master, W. Bro. J. C. Pollock, handed the gavel to W. Bro. C. Muir, P.M., who was assisted by the following P.M.'s in the offices mentioned, D.M., W. Fricker; S.W., A. E. H. Gronwell; J.W., B. S. Marshall; Chaplain, W. P. Aldridge; D. of C., I. Webster; S.D., J. W. Lewis, Sen.; J.D., J. K. Irwin; I.G., P. M. Burrows; Tyler, Carrick Nisbet.

Two brethren presented themselves for raising to the sublime degree, one of whom was put through on behalf of Lodge Hamilton No. 291 under special dispensation, he being on short leave from the Navy.

The ceremony was conducted in a very efficient manner, the work evoking favourable comment from those who witnessed it. A happy time was spent in the refectory proceedings, which followed. W. Bro. Muir, in responding to the toast of the P.M.'s, mentioned that no less than five of those who took part in the Temple were his officers during the year when he was Master of the lodge.

A number of musical items were pleasingly rendered and the Tyler, W. Bro. J. T. Millington, whose flair for verse writing is well known among the lodges in the Waikato, recited several verses composed by himself and which were pertinent to those P.M.'s who took part in the ceremony.

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### TARANAKI NOTES.

Lodge Stratford Installation meeting was a great success in every way. The attendance was greater than ever before with one pre-war exception.

The Provincial G.M., R.W. Bro. Dr. Simmons, was in charge and it was good to see him once more at the helm and apparently completely recovered from his illness.

W. Bro. W. E. Williams, the new Master, is keen and able and he has with him a team of officers, most of whom are young and earnest, and with quite a number of candidates applying for admission, the outlook is very bright.

R.W. Bro. Barclay, P. Prov. G.M., gave the address to the W.M. in his usual faultless style.

The ritual work was good and the refectory proceedings were up to Lodge Stratford's customary high standard.

A tribute was paid to the work of the preceptor. W. Bro. T. Richardson, P.G.Supt. W., and to Bro. W. Faull, who for some years has been a tower of strength to the lodge.

Egmont R.A. Chapter installation meeting took place on April 9th, when Ex Comps. L. G. Kohn, W. L. F. Porter, and D. H. Proffit were installed as 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Principal respectively.

R. Ex Comp. J. C. Campbell, G. Supt., was in charge and this, his first meeting, was well managed. V. Ex. Comp. McDonald also appeared for the first time as G.D.C., and his work was excellent.

The attendance was not up to the usual standard, and the representation could have been better. However, in these times when travelling is difficult and benzine precious, one should not expect too much.

In addition to the two already mentioned, the following G. Chapter Officers took part M. Ex. Comp.

McAllister, P.G.Z.; R. Ex Comps. Tyrer and Caplen, P.G. Supts., R. E. Comp. T. Richardson, P.G.H. V. Ex. Comps. F. J. Hodges, P. 3rd. G. Soj., F. Harkness, P.G.D.C., V. Ex. Comp. H. W. Douglas, P.G. Std. B.

Lodge Hawera No. 34 held an emergency meeting a week after the regular meeting to pass two E.A. The work at the regular meeting was a third degree.

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### RUAPEHU NOTES.

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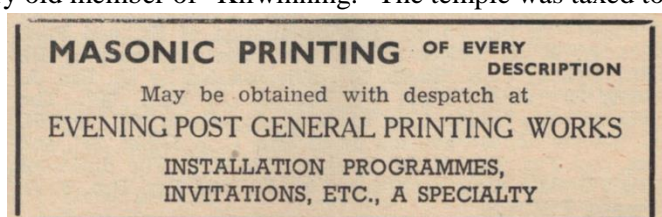
R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, Prov. G.M., was the installing Master at Lodge Awatea No. 258 on Saturday, 24th March, and the ceremonial was in charge of W. Bro. C. S. Pees, A.G.D.C. The Senior Warden, Bro. R. B. Jordon, was installed before an exceptionally large Board of Installed Masters, after which he was addressed by the Prov. G.M. The Wardens, Bros. D. W. J. McDowall and W. Buchanan, were invested by W. Bro. H. R. Thorburn, P.A.G.D.C., and addressed by V.W. Bro. W. A. Waters, P.G.Lec. W. Bro. E. R. B. Holben, P.G.Swd.B., invested the other officers, and R.W. Bro. Edgar C. Hurdsfield, Prov. G.M., of Hawke's Bay, delivered the address to the brethren. There was a large attendance of G.L. officers present, and it was very pleasing to the brethren of Awatea to welcome G.L. officers from Hawke's Bay. Special reference was made of this in the refectory, when the Prov. G.M. of Ruapehu District called upon R.W. Bro. Hurdsfield to address the brethren.

Ohakea Air Force Lodge still continues to prosper. Incidentally the secretary for Ohakea is now W. Bro. G. R. B. Boswell, 340 Featherston Street, Palmerston North. At the March meeting of this lodge, W. Bro. Len Wood conducted the ceremony of initiation on account of the illness of the Acting Master W. Bro. Smith.

W. Bro. E. B. Cook, W.M., and the officers and brethren of Fending Lodge No. 41 initiated a candidate at their April meeting and paid an official visit to Lodge Manchester the same month. It is very nice to see the fraternal feeling existing between the two lodges in Fending.

Although Lodge Oroua, Apiti, is a fair distance away, this presented no difficulty to our R.W. Prov. G.M., who was the installing Master at the installation on 10th April. A good number of G.L. officers were present too, to assist in the ceremony of installing Bro. H. C. McIntyre as W.M. W. Bro. C. S. Pees, A.G.D.C., officiated in his official capacity, and W. Bro. A. C. Buist, P.A.G.D.C., P. W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C., and several Past Masters of the lodge took part in the ceremony.

Bro. G. M. Rennie is the new Master of the Manawatu-Kilwinning Lodge No. 47. He was installed on 12th April by R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, who is himself a very old member of "Kilwinning." The temple was taxed to its utmost. The new W.M. must, indeed, have been a very proud man on this occasion. His Wardens, Bros. W. E. Anderson and T. R. Taylor, were invested by W. Bro. E. R. B. Holben, P.G.Swd.B., and addressed by W. Bro. A. Clark, P.G.Std.B. Other officers were invested by W. Bro. W. P. Henderson, P.A.G.D.C., and the



brethren addressed by W. Bro. P. W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C. Knowing W. Bro. Rennie as well as the writer does, there is no doubt that the year ahead will be one of extreme pleasure to him and of decided benefit to the Lodge in general. Good luck, Gilbert!

At the April meeting of Lodge Huia, the W.M. W. Bro. J. H. Nash, assisted by the officers and members of his lodge, initiated two candidates. The acting W.M., officers, and brethren of the Ohakea Air Force Lodge were the official visitors and received a very hearty welcome.

In town last week -the writer ran across the W.M. of Rangitikei Lodge, W. Bro. W. A. Sutherland with two of his Past Masters, W. Bro. C. H. Thorby, P.G.S., and the Secretary, W. Bro T. Carson. They were on their way home from Dannevirke, where they had visited Lodge Rawhiti for the express purpose of thanking the brethren, officers, Past Masters, and W. Master for their kindness to an old and esteemed Past Master of Rangitikei, the late W. Bro. Powell. It was a happy thought to attend Rawhiti and express thanks in person. A big night for the Manawatu Royal Arch Chapter last Thursday, 19th April. After opening the Chapter the First Principal Ex. Comp. P.W. Morris, adjourned for the purpose of opening a lodge of Royal Ark Mariners. Bro. C. Tunnicliffe was installed as W. Com. N. and several candidates were elevated. The installation ceremony was conducted by P.W.C.N., W. H. L. Cameron and the brethren excelled themselves in the working of the Degree. It is the intention of this Chapter to work the Red Cross of Babylon Degree at their May meeting.

Lodge Awatea held a Lodge of Sorrow on 16th April to honour the memory of a very esteemed member, the late Bro. W. G. Ross. Masonry can ill afford to lose a brother of such sterling qualities, and the brethren of Awatea mourn his passing.

When the news came through that Squadron Leader Ron Bary, D.F.C., M.D., was missing believed killed quite a gloom was cast over the brethren in Palmerston North, and to his father, W. Bro. E. Bary, P.M., of Lodge Huia, and Mrs. Bary the sincere sympathy of the brethren throughout the Ruapehu District is extended.

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### SOUTHLAND NOTES.

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The Installation of Bro. A. H. Davidson as Master of Lodge Harvey, No. 49 (Gore), and the investiture of officers, held on 18th April, passed off most successfully. It was with the greatest difficulty that sufficient seating accommodation could be found for the large number of members and visitors. Grand Lodge was represented by M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, Pro G.M., R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, Prov.G.M., and a large following of Grand Officers.

The ceremony of Installation was carried out by R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, assisted by W. Bro. Jas. Stobo. Asst.- G.D.C., R.W. Bro. G. J. Yule, P.Prov.G.M., M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, R.W. Bros. F. A. Steans, P.D.G.M., H. C. Macgibbon, S. C. K. Smith, P.G.W.S., W. Bro. A. L. Dolamore, P.G.D., together with a number of Grand Officers and Past Masters.

Wonderful progress has been made by this Lodge in recent years, to such an extent that when the war is over serious consideration to the establishment of a new Lodge will have to be given.

During the past month a number of Lodges in the district exchanged visits, taking with them candidates to be passed to the Second Degree

The Installation of Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, proved a most successful function. There was an attendance of thirty members, also four visitors from sister Chapters in the North. The Installation of Ex. and Perf. Bro. A. W. G. McKee as M.W.Sov. was conducted by Ill. Bro. Sydney C. K. Smith, 31°, ably assisted by Ill. Bro. A. Scott, 30°, as M.C., and Ill. Bro. A. C. Ford, 30°. The officers were invested by Ill. Bros. Jas. Greer, 30°, and H. C. Mackenzie, 30°, assisted by Ill. Bro. . B. Gibbs, 30°, and Ex. and Per. Bro. T. M. Rankin, P.M.W.S. The duties of High Prelate were carried out by Ex. and Per. Bro. F. A. Steans,

The refectory proceedings were of a very happy and inspiring nature. Beautiful floral decorations, arranged by Ex. and Per. Bro. F. A. Steans, P.M.W.S., contributed much to the success of the meeting. Ex. and Per. Bro. T. M. Rankin, the senior P.M.W.S. of the Chapter, congratulated members on the wonderful progress made during the twenty-five years it has been in operation.

A handsome sepia wash drawing of the Forth Street Temple, Invercargill, prepared and framed by the architect prior to the erection of this handsome structure, has been presented to the directors of the Hall Company, to be hung in the main assembly room.

Past Masters of Lodge Southern Cross, No. 9, with W. Bro. Shepherd, P.M., in the chair, conducted the ceremony of raising at their regular meeting, held last month.

V.Ex. Comp. Alex. Derby was invested with the insignia of Grand J. at the regular convocation of Southern Cross Royal Arch Chapter, No. 3, held last month. The ceremony of Holy Royal Arch was conducted at this meeting by V.Ex. Comp. E. McK. Lyon, Z., and his officers. Members of Lodge Tuatapere, No. 210, entertained their lady friends at a social gathering held in the refectory after the closing of the meeting held on 18th April.

Bro. Rev. W. W. H. Greenslade, Lodge Waihopai, No. 189, has been appointed to a charge in Christchurch. Officers and members of Lake Lodge of Ophir, No. 85, recently paid a fraternal visit to Lodge Arrow Kil., No. 86, and witnessed a working of the Second Degree.

The W. Master of Lodge Fortitude, No. 64, accompanied by his officers and a number of brethren, paid an official visit to Lodge St. John, No. 94, and conducted the ceremony of raising.

The Installation of Lodge St. John, No. 94, will be held on 24th May, when Bro. C. B. Gibbs will be installed Master by M.W. Bro. T. M. Rankin, P. Pro G.M., assisted by Past Masters.

Huiroa, No. 47, and Wallace Royal Arch Chapter, No. 34, are both very busy with ceremonial work.

The quarterly meeting of Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, will be held on 30th May. The Southland Preceptory of Knight Templars will hold a meeting on 10th May.

On the evening of 24th March, Bro. E. L. J. Souness was installed Master of Lodge Tuatapere, No. 210, in the presence of another good attendance. The ceremony was conducted by the Prov.G.M., assisted by R.W. Bros. J. Manson, G. J. Yule, and A. Derby, P.Prov.G.Ms. A very happy hour was spent in the refectory.

Members of Lodge Tuatapere, No. 210, must be congratulated on the excellent condition of their Temple and the well-kept rooms and general surroundings.

W. Bro. W. McLean, P.M., and fellow Past Masters of Lodge Matura, No. 174, conducted the ceremony of Initiation at their April meeting.

The brethren of Lodge Edendale, No. 289, mourn the loss of Bro. A. M. Mortimer, who recently lost his life as the result of an aircraft fatality while serving his King and country in New Zealand in the Air Force.

Good work has been done at the various Installation meetings this year by Bros. W. Philpot and H. Larsen as Trumpeters.

Four candidates were recently Exalted as Royal Arch Masons at the April convocation of Huia Royal Arch Chapter, No. 47.

Ex. and Perf. Bro. A. G. McNaughton, who has filled the office of Organist in Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, with marked distinction for many years, has been promoted to a higher office in the Chapter.

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### OTAGO NOTES.

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On 21st March Lodge Oamaru-Kilwinning No. 82 worked a degree under W. Bro. W. Shirkey. The postponed "Burns" night was held in the refectory. V.W. Bro. W. Miller addressed the Haggis, and Bro. J. Macmillan gave an address on our late Brother Robert Burns. There was a good gathering and an excellent repast.

Royal Arch Chapter Waitaki-Kilwinning No. 8 at its meeting on 28th March, under the guidance of Ex. Comp. J. Y. Rushton, acknowledged a Mark Master.

Lodge Oamaru No. 260 at its meeting on 4th April, passed a brother to the 2nd Degree. W. Bro. I. Dalmer was in the Chair and had a number of P.M.'s assisting. The W. Master of the Lodge, W. Bro. C. McDonald, has been indisposed, and the P.M.'s are taking over the work. A number filled various positions at this meeting, as several officers were away on holiday over Easter.

The lodge of Waitaki No. 11 initiated a brother under W. Bro. H. C. Cameron on 11th April. Two well-known brethren were farewelled in the refectory, Bros. Reid and J. (Joe) Crisp.

A farewell morning tea was given to W. Bro. Millen by the brethren of Lodge Oamaru 260, on his being transferred to Nelson, and his successor welcomed. Two bankers are being transferred at the same time.

There was an excellent attendance at Owaka Lodge No. 180 Installation, in spite of very heavy rain, and the party of Grand Lodge officers, headed by V.W. Bro. Harold Archbold, Asst. Prov. G.M., received most generous hospitality.

It is understood the local hospital ovens were working to capacity several days before to provide the excellent refectory amenities. Owaka Lodge is in a flourishing condition. There is talk of the erection of a new lodge room at an early date, and generally good progress is evident.

The next evening was spent at Kaitangata for the Installation of St. Thomas-Kil. Lodge No. 83, where also an excellent attendance is recorded, amongst the visitors being five car loads from various lodges in Dunedin. This lodge appears also to be in good heart, notwithstanding being almost surrounded with floodwaters from the recent storm.

It is to be regretted that R.W. Bro. J. G. Dykes, Prov. G.M. who had planned to be at both of these installations, was unavoidably called to Wellington and could not therefore officiate.

Excellent support was given Research Lodge of Otago No. 161 by local lodges at the Installation on 28th March, no less than fourteen reigning Masters being present. V.W. Bro. C. G. Hedge, Pres. Bd., G.P., the retiring Master, passed the control of this lodge over to V.W. Bro. R. C. Rutherford, P.G.Lec. The Research Lodge has experienced a good year and has received excellent assistance, particularly at the November meeting, which was "question night," and one of the most successful held for some time past.

Generally the largest installation of the year, the Service Lodge No. 237, will be held on Anzac Day, the Board of I.M. in the morning and the remainder of the ceremony in the evening.

Many delays in getting alterations to selected offices in Tilbury Buildings, 7 Crawford Street, to make it suitable for Greand Lodge, have occurred, but happily these alterations are now completed and all the staff, together with Grand Secretary, will be satisfactorily installed in their new location by the end of April. The Board of General Purposes meets in the Chamber of Commerce Board Room.

The regular meeting of Cromwell Coronation R.A. Chapter, No. 20, was held in the Temple of Lodge Dunstan, Clyde, on 19th April, when, under the direction of W. Bro. H. G. Wailes, W.M.M., a brother of the latter Lodge was advanced to the Mark degree. This was the first occasion the Mark degree had been worked in Clyde, and a very happy evening was spent by all Companions. The Chapter, generally, is in a very flourishing condition, and although the district is widely scattered, it says much for the keenness of members when such meetings away from home can be arranged. Quite a number of brethren are seeking advancement, and the year ahead promises to be a very busy one for all.

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### WEST COAST NOTES.

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The installation meeting of Lodge Connaught, 187, was held on Saturday. 10th March, when Bro. Vincent David Rhind was installed as Wor. Master by W. Bro. McIvor, Prov. G.M. Bro. B. J. R. Simpson was invested as S.W., Bro. L. A. Johnson as J.W., and Bro. R. Simpkin again as Secretary,

Following on the recommendation made in Grand Lodge Communication. Bro. R. A. J. Marston was installed as Almoner by R.W. Bro. Bustridge, Prov. G.M., who, after ably setting out the duties pertaining to the office, congratulated Bro. Marston on his appointment, and Lodge Connaught on being the first lodge in the West Coast district to appoint an Almoner.

Following an appeal to brethren by R.W. Bro. Boustridge, the Secretary stated donations amounting to £13 4s 6d for the W.O. and A.M.'s Fund had been received, and the collection at the installation meeting amounted to £6 4s 6d.

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### CHRISTCHURCH NOTES.

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Lodge Shirley No. 263, held its regular meeting on 10th April, when there was a large attendance on the occasion of- W. Bro. E. R. McDonald's last night in the chair.

At Lodge Riccarton No. 276 on 17th April, the Master, W. Bro. C. D. Marks, worked the First Degree.

Prince of Wales R.A. Chapter held its bimonthly meeting on 18th April, when V.E. Comp. J. C. Lindsay exalted two candidates to the Royal Arch Degree.

The Installation meeting of Christchurch Lodge No. 91 was held on 24th April, when Bro. J. W. Vivian, S.W., was installed as Master. The ceremony was conducted by R.W. Bro. A. J. Jones, Prov. G.M., assisted by officers of Provincial Grand Lodge.

The annual gathering at the Anzac service held by United Forces Lodge No. 245 at their April meeting was largely attended by lodges from all over the Province, 262 brethren signing the attendance register. District

Grand Lodge and Provincial Grand Lodges were strongly represented. The address of the evening was delivered by R.W. Bro. J. E. Purchase, Dist. G.M., and was an inspiration to all. For over twenty years United Forces Lodge has paid this tribute annually to the brethren who fell in the Great War, and to these has been added the names of those who have fallen in World War II.

The names of the latter were read out, and a wreath of poppies was placed on the Honours Board of those who fell in the 1914-18 struggle.

Following this the solemn act of dedication carried out with full military decorum, was most impressive. The assembly in the refectory was excellently handled by the stewards, and the musical items and speeches maintained the high and dignified tone set in the Temple. The W.M. is deserving of every praise, his splendid staff work and attention to detail, made the evening an occasion long to be remembered.

New methods to promote fellowship have been some of the highlights of Avon Lodge, No. 185, Christchurch, during the past six months. In December a very fine meeting was held, when there was an attendance of approximately 170 to pay tribute to the friendship that existed between R.W. Bro. C. S. Thompson and Avon Lodge, promoted during the six years he was Prov. G.M. of Canterbury. This meeting was thoroughly organised as can be seen by the attendance, and ex-Prov. G.L. officers to the number of 16 led R.W. Bro. C. S. Thompson to the East.

Following R.W. Bro. Thompson's toast the Wor. Master, W. Bro. J. Collins, asked him to accept on behalf of Mrs. Thompson a beautiful posy of flowers as a tribute to the high esteem in which he was held and for the great "brother" she had been to him during his very active period of the past six years.

Avon Orchestra: It is very pleasant indeed to see the orchestra of Avon Lodge once again in existence, in large numbers, after being in recess for two years. Today, under Bro. Sedley Wells as conductor, they number 17 strong, and under his very able conductorship and winning personality are developing into a very fine musical combination. The presence of the orchestra in the Temple undoubtedly adds dignity and a fine atmosphere to the proceedings. It also assists at Provincial Grand Lodge meetings and other lodge functions. At an emergency meeting held on Saturday, 3rd March, Lodge Ionic No. 212 received a visit from the sister Lodge Ionic, No. 191, Green Island, Dunedin. These biennial visits have been interchanged between the lodges without a break since No. 212 was formed in 1919, and on this occasion W. Bro. Jack Geddes, of No. 191, was accompanied by 16 of his officers and brethren, all the regular officers except the J.D. being at their posts.

The Officers of No. 191 raised a candidate in a very impressive manner. There was an excellent attendance of 212 members.

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### NORTH CANTERBURY NOTES.

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The star attraction in our group was the Cheviot Installation and it was a champion meeting, the lodge room being well filled and a pleasing feature was that the "Hurunui Four" had their Masters present, Amberley brethren were also in attendance, and the "Waimak Four" were prevented from being present owing to transport and the Riccarton "gymkana."

R.W. Bro. Alfred J. Jones, Prov. Grand Master and officers of Prov. Grand Lodge, did a splendid job of work which was greatly enjoyed by the large audience. Grand Lodge was represented by R.W. Bro. Fred Allen and V.W. Bro. Chas. E. Jones and others.

R.W. Bro. Allen was a welcome visitor after a long absence and presented Cheviot with some record of when the lodge was first founded, and they were most acceptable and interesting.

The refectory proceedings were right up to standard and the new Master, W. Bro. Crossen, specially thanked all the ladies and other helpers for their generosity and help. Bro. Guy Struthers presided at the piano and organ and also sang. W. Bro. Percy Browne, Prov. G. Treasurer, was with the party.

Acacia had a wonderful night when Robert Burns paid a visit and worked a Scotch Third—it was most instructive for all present, and W. Bro. Richardson and his efficient team of officers deserve great praise for their display of talent. Several Acacia brethren assisted and did good work. The Acacia Master, W. Bro. H. Huttington, thanked Robert Burns and hopes are entertained that they will go right round our group. They will get a great welcome.

Kaikoura has a full agenda paper and could lend some candidates. If any lodges could arrange to go to Kaikoura they would get a great welcome. The train will run right through in the near • future and it would

be possible for Kaikoura to arrange some week-end meetngs, and the Master, W. Bro. Selby-Williams or the Secretary, W. Bro. C. A. Jensen, can supply particulars.

The Amuri Lodge is getting some interesting meetings put on, and they all enjoyed their trip to the Cheviot Installation.

The Waimakariri-Hurunui group annual conference and ye-union will be held at Cheviot this year, and it should be a real good meeting. The date will be announced in good time. It will be round about August. Cheviot is the lodge which can handle it well, and will all lodges please note, that all brethren can attend? We want to see all the young Masons turn out. They will learn and see a lot, and there is a chance Marlborough and Nelson will send down a car load.

Mairaki is getting very busy for W. Bro. Arthur Chambers' installation.

Tawera is getting a start with its new year and hopes that town and country Masters will visit as often as possible. The Secretary, Bro. Drummond, will be pleased to furnish any information.

Ashley Chapter had a very good night at its last meeting and advanced a companion in their usual faultless fashion. Many visitors attended and it was a pleasant function.

Ashley Lodge has a formidable programme. W. Bro. Nairn and his brethren are going to be very busy. The visit of Cashmere Lodge was most successful and W. Bro. Nairn thanked W. Bro. Minson and his brethren for their attendance and assistance.

Southern Cross had a very nice little meeting when they passed a brother for Riccarton. It was a very nice and attractive ceremony. Riccarton received and enjoyed a hearty welcome.

The Waimate-Hurunui Lodges thank the city lodges for visiting and providing work. It is most encouraging. Cheviot and Amuri are ready to welcome any city lodge if they can manage to get out, and at present they could do with some work.

W. Bro. Arthur Burke, Master of Amberley, had a splendid meeting for his first year as Master. He will be installed again as Master first Monday in May and all lodges are invited to attend.

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### NELSON-MARLBOROUGH NOTES.

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All lodges throughout the territory have held splendid meetings during the past month, and with the exception of one or two of the country lodges, large numbers of candidates are coming forward. This is a remarkable feature of this war period, and one which did not occur during the Great War period.

Lodge Victory No. 40 had a very large attendance, including an official visit from Waimea Lodge, for their April meeting. There was a triple initiation and upon completion of the ceremony no less than eight E.A.'s were seated in the N.E.

Lodge Havelock No. 104 met Saturday, 14th April, when a member of Wairau Lodge was raised, the Degree being worked by officers of Lodge Havelock and the charges delivered by the members of the Nelson Marlborough "1942" Masters' Association, who had held a general meeting at Havelock earlier in the day. The presence of these P.M.'s representing their respective lodges in the territory was greatly appreciated by Lodge Havelock, and similar visits to other lodges, particularly the country lodges, are contemplated.

The annual official visit of Southern Star Lodge to the Golden Bay Lodge took place on Saturday, 14th April, when a candidate was initiated by the W.M. and officers of Southern Star. These interchange of visits between the two E.C. lodges are always greatly enjoyed, and this year's visit was no exception. Special mention was made of the most efficient secretarial work which had been carried on by W. Bro. G. Maunder during the period he has been stationed at Takaka. He received congratulations upon his promotion to Motueka.

Wairau Lodge No. 42 met 27th March, there being a large attendance, including an official visit from Lodge Awatere. An F.C. was raised. During the month a Lodge of Sorrow was held following the passing after a short illness of the Inner Guard, Bro. Douglas Tapp. There was an extremely large attendance at the funeral, testifying to the respect in which this promising young Mason was held. He leaves a widow and two young children to whom the deepest sympathy of the brethren is extended.

St. Cuthbert's Lodge No. 144 met Saturday, 21st April, when three propositions for initiation were submitted, and two candidates initiated.

The Prov. G.M., R.W. James Baird paid an official visit at the regular meeting of Waimea Lodge No. 266 on 4th April. The W.M. and officers of Lodge Victory were also in attendance officially as well as other

visitors. A candidate was initiated. During the refectory proceedings, the Prov. G.M. delivered a most interesting address, making particular reference to the history of Waimea Lodge, of which, he is a P.M. At its meeting held on 21st March Lodge Nelson No. 288 raised an F.C. The Prov. G.M. was present. This lodge was to pay a visit to Lodge Motueka on April 25th.

Lodge Waitohi raised two F.C.'s on 22nd March. This lodge is to initiate a member of the Maori race at its next meeting, and Wairau Lodge will be doing likewise shortly.

On 10th April the Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity met, when the Prov. G.M. paid an official visit. A F.C., who since being initiated some 2½ years ago had been overseas, was raised. The lodge, which has considerable work in prospect, received the congratulations of the Prov. G.M. upon its efficient working.

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M.W. Bro. Henry Thomson (deceased) .. ..	1890-91
M.W. Bro. Malcolm Niccol (deceased) .. ..	1892-93
M.W. Bro. Edward Thomas Gillon (honoris causa) (deceased) .. ..	1894
M.W. Bro. Rt. Hon. Sir Francis Henry Dillon Bell (deceased) .. ..	1894-95
M.W. Bro. William Barron (deceased) .. ..	1896-97
M.W. Bro. Rt. Hon. Richard John Seddon (deceased)	1998-99
M.W. Bro. Carl Weibe (honoris causa) (deceased)	1900
M.W. Bro. Alexander Stuart Russell (deceased) ..	1900-01
M.W. Bro. Herbert James Williams (deceased) ..	1902-03
M.W. Bro. Alfred Henry Burton (deceased) .. ..	1904-05
M.W. Bro. Lord Plunket (deceased) .. ..	1906-09
M.W. Bro. C. J. W. Griffiths (deceased) .. ..	1910-11
M.W. Bro. F. C. Binns (honoris causa) (deceased)	1911
M.W. Bro. Maurice Thompson .. ..	1912-13
M.W. Bro. John Joseph Dougall (deceased) .. ..	1914-15
M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson .. ..	1916-17
M.W. Bro. Sir Alexander L. Herdman .. ..	1918-19
M.W. Bro. Thomas Ross (deceased) .. ..	1920-21
M.W. Bro. Earl Jellicoe (deceased) .. ..	1922-23
M.W. Bro. S. C. Bingham (honoris causa) (deceased)	1922
M.W. Bro. Rt. Hon. W. F. Massey (deceased) ..	1924
M.W. Bro. Hon. H. L. Michel (honoris causa) (de- ceased) .. ..	1924
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**Arohanui, 264:**—Founded 1924; meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, 2nd Tues., except Jan. Install. May. W.M., W. P. Traill; S.W., H. H. Ward; J.W., G. J. Madden; Sec., J. S. Palmer, 75 Williamson Ave., Grey Lynn, Auckland, W.2.

**Arawhaiti, 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.

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**The Combined Forces Lodge, 284:**—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, second Tues. (Jan. excepted). Install. March. W.M., M. Watson; S.W., E. D. Chapman; J.W., J. Horspool; 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. 8, 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. Paton, 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.

**Wellsford, 306, Wellsford, Auckland.**

**DISTRICT OF WAIKATO: 30 Lodges.**  
(R.W. Bro Alfred Bullock, Prov.G.M.)

**Beta-Waikato, 12:**—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton, second Mon., 7.30. Install Mon. on or after 24th June. W.M., J. C. Pollock; S.W., A. K. Liddell; J.W., J. W. Nicollas; Sec., F. H. Ibbotson, P.M., P.O. Box 316, Hamilton.

**Te Aroha, 52:**—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Te Aroha, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., R. L. Ingham; S.W., R. W. Smith; J.W., G. de C. Peele; Sec., G. H. Nicholls, P.G.C., Whitaker St., Te Aroha.

**Abercorn, 76:**—Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Ormond Road, Gisborne, first Tues., 8, except Jan. Install. Oct. W.M., T. A. N. Corson; S.W., H. P. Hansen; J.W., H. T. Sinden; 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 May. 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., Jno. Turnbull; S.W., Sid. T. Wilkes; J.W., F. C. Sparks; Sec., R. J. W. Clark, P.O. Box 11, 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. Vowless; 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. P. 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., N. Andersen; S.W., L. W. Osborne; J.W., F. H. Stretton; 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. Rundle; 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, Hakaika St., Taumarunui, first Wed., 8 p.m. Install. Nov. W.M., W. H. Johns; S.W., P. T. Burgess; J.W., C. T. Harrington; Sec., J. S. Kerr, Box 31, 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. Collinson 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 Friday in Feb. W.M., G. Swan; S.W., N. W. Wilkie; J.W., O. C. Finer; Sec., W. S. Parker, P.M., P.O. Box 85, Ohura

**Taneatua, 220:**—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Taneatua, second Thursday (except Jan.). Install. Aug. W.M., A. Gulliver-Cradwick; S.W., R. 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.

**Waipuu, 241:**—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Tokomaru Bay, third Thursday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., W. R. Cooper; S.W., E. East; J.W., K. MacKay, P.M.; 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 20th Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. 9th June. Two meetings September, 1st and 29th. 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.)

**Scinde, 5:**—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, third Tues. except Jan. Install. third Tues. in June. W.M., A. Swales; S.W., W. A. Painter; J.W., S. A. Bradshaw; Sec., R. E. H. Pilon, 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., A. J. M. Kilpatrick, P.M., 34 Latham St., Napier.

**Bedford, 25:**—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Waipukurau, first Wed., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., 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., G. H. Voce; S.W., F. M. Tickner; J.W., R. J. Ashley; Sec., Ernest E. Bott, G.C., 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. Mummery; 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 1890; 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. Cloud, Box 18, Ormondville.

**Puketoi, 149:**—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Pongaroa, third Wed., 8 p.m. Install. 4th Wed. in March. W.M., R. C. N. Scott; S.W., S. W. Euston; J.W., D. J. M. Riddell; Sec., A. P. Campbell, P.M., P.O. Box 50, Pongaroa.

**Waikaremoana, 158:**—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., second Tues., 7.30. Install. second Tues. in March. W.M., E. Ashburn; S.W., E. C. Welsh; J.W., L. A. Webster; Sec., W. E. Martin, P.M., P.O. Box 2, Wairoa, H.B.

**Ruataniwha, 172:**—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Takapau, last Friday, 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Aug. W.M., A. G. Parker; S.W., W. McG. McKay, P.M.; J.W., C. B. Matheson, Sec., Thos. Taylor, P.M., Box 33, Takapau, H.B.

**Umarunui, 216:**—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, Taradale, second Wed. Install. March. W.M., A. H. Burr; S.W., C. F. Northe; J.W., F. W. Wiseman; Sec., W. Pollock, P.M., Osier Road, Greenmeadows.

**Napier, 263:**—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.

**Haeta, 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., 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Abercromby St., Porangahau, fourth Mon., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. R. Franklin; S.W., J. Macaskill; J.W., H. C. Mills; Sec., J. A. Jones, 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. Goffin; S.W., A. H. Siewright; J.W., T. C. Crawford; Sec., C. J. Cushing, 109A Duchess Crescent, Hastings.

**Hawkes Bay Research Lodge, 305:**—Founded August 1, 1935. 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., Ernest E. Bott, G.C., 507 Southampton St., E., Hastings.

**Tauhara, 307:**—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Roberts St., Taupo, first Sat., 7.30 p.m. Install. first Sat., April. W.M., R. Anderson-Bak; S.W., J. F. Gamble; J.W., F. Fletcher; Sec., J. W. Woodward, P.O. Box 72, 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, P.M.; S.W., T. F. Hills; J.W., E. A. Bowen; 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. Habersfield; 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. E. Williams; S.W., N. S. Deare; J.W., E. P. Aldridge; Sec., H. E. Lawrence, P.M., Fenton 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.

**Moa, 110:**—Founded 1896; meets Freemasons' Hall, Inglewood, third Monday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., E. Wright; S.W., W. L. Silson; J.W., T. A. Wilson; Sec., L. G. Kohn, P.M., P.O. Box 7, Inglewood.

**Ikaroa, 115:**—Founded 1899; meets Masonic Hall, Opunake, fourth Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. Install. Nov. (Saturday prior to G.L.); Dec. second Tues. W.M., E. Watson; S.W., W. A. Weaver; J.W., H. J. Meharry; Sec., F. J. Young, P.M., Oanui R.D., Opunake.

**Kaponga, 208:**—Founded 1918; meets Lodgeroom, 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.

**Whangamomora, 234**—Founded 1922; meets Coronation Hall, Toko, 1st Sat., 8 p.m. Install. Feb. W.M., W. Sheriff; S.W., L. J. Loveridge; J.W., G. L. Anderson; **Sec.**, D. H. Proffit, 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., C. G. White; S.W., A. G. Lander; J.W., H. M. Cole; **Sec.**, J. H. Johnston, P.M., 35 Fitzroy Road, New Plymouth.

**Manaiia, 286**—Founded 1927; meets in the Temple, Manaiia, 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, Manaiia.

DISTRICT OF RUAPEHU: 22 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.**, S. 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., G. M. Rennie; S.W., W. E. Anderson; J.W., T. S. R. Taylor; **Sec.**, D. F. Smillie, P.M., P.O. Box 28, Palmerston North.

**Otaga'i, 70**—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Ashhurst, 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, Hunterville, 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, Hunterville.

**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. Batchelar; S.W., F. 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., L. Smith; S.W., J. I. Morgan; J.W., K. N. Glasgow; **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., W. S. McPhail; S.W., A. O. P. Batley; J.W., W. N. Anderson; **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., R. S. Blanchard; S.W., A. Paulger; J.W., F. W. Pearce; **Sec.**, W. H. Sandford, P.M., Duncan St., Raetihi.

**Man'a-te-Weka, 178**—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Mangaweka, second Mon., 8. Install. 1st Mon. in Oct. W.M., H. G. Stowers; S.W., R. D. T. MacRae; J.W., L. G. P. Mahoney, P.M.; **Sec.**, M. Sutherland, P.M., Mangaweka.

**Moutoa, 195**—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Gonville, 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.

**Ngauruhoe, 205**—Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Miro St., Ohakune, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., W. F. Kerr; S.W., F. Woodward; J.W., G. B. M. Dunn; **Sec.**, W. F. Petherbridge, 164 Ruapehu Rd., Ohakune Jcn.

**Oroua, 215**—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Apti, second Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., H. C. McIntyre; S.W., H. D. Cowan; J.W., A. McMurtrie; **Sec.**, W. Hogan, P.M., Box 44, Apti.

**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., R. B. Jordan; S.W., D. W. J. McDowall; J.W., W. Buchanan; **Sec.**, Percy W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 145, Palmerston North.

**Manchester, 287**—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Feilding, fourth Tues., except Dec. third Tues. (No meeting Jan.) Install. May. W.M., J. Jamieson; S.W., V. B. Short; J.W., A. R. Gibson; **Sec.**, A. C. Buist, 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 (Overseas), Acting W.M., W. W. Smith, P.M.; S.W., A. H. Bowyer; J.W., H. B. Swales; **Sec.**, G. R. B. Boswell, P.M., 340 Featherstone St., 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. Belmont; **Sec.**, E. C. Dallison, Box 42, Waverley.

DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON: 45 LODGES.  
(R.W. Bro. Stanley M. Stone, Prov.G.M.)

**N.Z. Pacific, 2**—Founded 1942; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Mon., 7.30 (no meeting Dec.). Install. Mar. W.M., H. L. P. Smith; S.W., A. Sinclair; J.W., K. O. Thomson; **Sec.**, W. A. Ramsay, P.G.Std.B., 44 Duncan Terrace, Kilmirnie, 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.P., 53 Bidwell Street, Wellington, S.1.

**Masterton, 19**—Founded 1878; 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., J. G. Ellis; S.W., R. W. Leask; J.W., F. Tait, P.M.; **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., J. A. Juno; S.W., W. Connell; J.W., P. A. Wilton; **Sec.**, J. W. Holland, Clifford Square, 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., W. S. Steven; S.W., R. J. Grimmer; J.W., T. Lynch; **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, Pahiataua, 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., Pahiataua.

**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. Ingley; 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., 7.30, except Jan. Install. first Wed. Sept. W.M., C. W. Foster; S.W., J. A. Kilsby; 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. Aitcheon; 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., B. B. Kuch; S.W., J. D. McIntosh; J.W., W. C. D. Elliott; **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, 190**—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. W.M., H. I. Austad; S.W., C. M. Bowden; J.W., C. S. Perry; **Acting Sec.**, W. D. Dobson, P.M., 12 Maurice Tee., Wellington, C.2.

**Whetu Kairangi, 201**—Founded, 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, second Sat., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Oct. W.M., L. M. Tweedie; S.W., W. P. Manley; J.W., J. S. Davies; **Sec.**, H. A. Snelling, P.M., 13 Ludlam St., Seatoun, E.5.

**Mokoia, 213**—Founded 1919; meets Mokoia Hall, Fifeshire Avenue, off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, fourth Tues., 7.15 p.m. (January excepted). Install. first Sat. in Dec. W.M., G. M. F. Jackson; S.W., T. H. Ennis; J.W., J. G. Sissons; **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.Swt. 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., E. 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. Bengel; 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., G. H. Ruston; S.W., G. B. Young; J.W., T. H. Drew; 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.1.

**Waitangi, 251:**—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. May. W.M., E. C. 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., F. S. 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. Emeny; S.W., A. J. T. Aitken; J.W., D. O'Brien, P.M.; Sec., H. 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., D. M. Dickson; S.W., J. R. Taylor; J.W., G. Wood; 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 1283, 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 Fergusson, 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, Ngaio, N.4.

**Aroha, 293:**—Founded 1928; meets Mokoia Masonic Temple, Fifeshire Ave., off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington first Monday (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., I. A. Sinclair; S.W., E. Ketko; J.W., J. Zucker; Sec., H. Hatch, P.Pres. B.B., P.O. Box 1046, Wellington C.1.

**Lower Hutt, 299:**—Founded 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, third Friday, 7.30 (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. June. W.M., J. W. Mackisack; S.W., J. B. McCallum; J. W. Claude S. Woodbury; Sec., J. Fletcher, P.M., Laines 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.1.

**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. W. Norrie, P.G.S., 66 Kainui Rd., Hataitai, Wellington, E.2.

**Zetland, 312:**—Founded 1945; meets Mokoia Hall, Fifeshire Avenue, off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, fourth Wed., 7.30 p.m. Install. third Tues. in March. W.M., P. S. Isbister; S.W., D. A. Moar; J.W., J. W. Stewart; Sec., A. Izatt, P.M., Woodland Road, Johnsonville.

### 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. C. Brown; Sec., W. C. Lucas, P.G.W., P.O. Box 185, Blenheim.

**Havelock, 104:**—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock, third Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., H. C. Stratford, P.M.; S.W., W. S. B. Hardy; J.W., J. J. Horton; Sec., R. N. C. Wratt, 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. Bendall; 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., Waimea 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., G. D. Polglase; S.W., J. R. Haldane; J.W., W. H. Green; Acting-Sec., W. D. Lash, P.M., Rockville, Collingwood.

**Murchison, 257:**—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Murchison, second Tues., 7.45 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. 1st Sat. Dec. W.M., J. L. Hutchings; S.W., G. W. G. Locke; J.W., L. A. Bradley; 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. Swaford; 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. No meeting Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., W. F. M. Ott; S.W., H. F. Allan; J.W., L. R. Palmer; Sec., C. W. Leford, 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. Dollar, 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., F. M. Sara; S.W., J. McG. Latham; J.W., W. G. Bisset; Sec., J. B. Auld, P.M., P.O. Box 28, 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., L. 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, 8. Install. Feb. W.M., James Matland; S.W., L. Stadholme; J.W., E. Rose. Sec., W. Stewart, P.M., Kumara.

**Westland Kil, 88:**—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. St. Andrew's Day. W.M., W. G. Bryant; S.W., W. J. Bruce; J.W., J. F. Gleeson; 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., H. Smith; S.W., R. Anderson; J.W., W. McDonald; Sec., E. S. Lewis, Denniston, via Westport.

**Mokihinui, 96:**—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Seddonville, first Sat. Install. Dec. W.M., W. McFarlane; S.W., J. N. Niven; J.W., F. Young; 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., J. W. Dalzell; S.W., A. Pattison; J.W., S. Manderson; 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., P. S. James; S.W., J. S. Shaw; J.W., J. McCallum; 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., V. D. Rhind; S.W., B. J. R. Simpson; J.W., L. A. Johnson; Sec., S. R. Simpkin, P.M., P.O. Box 14, Karamea.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (47 LODGES).

(K.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., T. J. H. Harkess; S.W., A. P. H. Godart; J.W., J. A. W. Labudde. Sec., H. P. McIver, 55 Courtenay St., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.1.

**St. Augustine, 4:**—Founded 1852; meets Masonic Hall, Christchurch, second Tues., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. M. Woods, P.M.; S.W., F. O. G. Matheson; J.W., W. G. Grant; Sec., F. A. Grant P.G.D.C., Box 363, Christchurch, C.1.

**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, Onawa, Christchurch, S.E.1.

**Geraldine, 27:**—Founded 1880; 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., W. G. Nairn; S.W., L. I. Hawkins; J.W., B. E. Stanton; 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., F. M. Martin; S.W., W. Cain; J.W., R. S. McCully; Sec., F. A. Joynt, P.O. Box 40, Temuka.

**South Rakai, 31, Rakai.**  
**Lincoln 33:**—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Lincoln, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. No meeting Jan. W.M., A. K. McLay; S.W., F. 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.1.

**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., G. R. Jordan; S.W., E. K. Gray; J.W., C. C. Werry; 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., Guy G. Calvert; S.W., F. J. Shanks, P.Pres. Prov. B.B.; J.W., Jas. Carter; Sec., Dr. Ross Hepburn, G.Lec., P.M., 7 Rimu St., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.1.

**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.

**Paraora, 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., Paraora.

**Crown, 138**—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Wordsworth St., Sydenham, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. first Tues. Dec. W.M., W. Swann; S.W., I. W. L. Grenfell; J.W., J. W. Orr; Sec., W. G. King, P.M., 52 Harper St., Sydenham, Christchurch, S.1.

**Robert Burns, 139**—Founded under Scottish Constitution as No. 604, 7th May, 1877, under N.Z. Constitution, 17th Jan., 1905; 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. Rinaldi; Sec., G. A. Blackmore, 457 Colombo Street, Christchurch, S.1.

**Waihora, 141, Leeston.**

**Civico, 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.1.

**St. Martin, 162**—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Pleasant Point, fourth Thurs., 8. Install. Aug. W.M., J. Smith; S.W., A. H. Giles; J.W., R. E. White; Sec., A. D. Anderson, P.O. Box 29, Pleasant Point.

**Ahurewa, 181**—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Dunsandel, fourth Mon. Install. Oct. W.M., K. W. MacPherson; S.W., W. V. Chatterton; J.W., H. C. H. Curry; 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., J. Collins; S.W., P. A. Le Brun; J.W., A. M. Prentice; Sec., W. McK. Norrie, P.G.D.C., 32 Warden St., Shirley, Christchurch, N.1.

**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., L. A. Whiting; S.W., W. J. Quantock; J.W., W. T. Lowe; Sec., F. W. Gifkins, P.G.S., Mt. Somers, Alford Forest R.D.

**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., W. J. Schorah; S.W., N. H. Gale; J.W., W. M. Wilson; Sec., P. C. Browne, Box 567, Christchurch, C.1.

**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., G. H. Arnold; S.W., W. S. Grigg; J.W., A. Luke; Sec., B. S. H. Ward, P.M., 65 Mayfield Avenue, St. Albans, Christchurch, N.1.

**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.1.

**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.1.

**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.1.

**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.1.

**Riccarton, 276**—Founded 1925; meets third Tues., 7.30. Masonic Hall, Totara St., Riccarton. Install. February. W.M., C. D. Marks; S.W., G. Bates; J.W., R. J. Roberts; Sec., H. E. Jarman, P.M., 37 Straven Rd., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.1.

#### OTAGO DISTRICT: 37 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro James G. Dykes, Prov.G.M.)  
(V.W. Bro Harold Archbold, 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.

**Waitaki, 11**—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Hall, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, second Wed., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., H. C. Cameron; S.W., G. J. Scats; 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. Scats; J.W., T. H. R. Mar; 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. C. Gorrie; Sec., E. F. Allen, P.M., 407 North Rd., Dunedin, N.E.1.

**Ngapara, 68, Ngapara.**

**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, Mosgiel.**

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

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

**Dunstan, 103**—Meets Masonic Hall, Clyde, first Tues. Install. Feb. W.M., L. J. P. Meiklejohn; S.W., W. C. Wilson; J.W., E. E. Love; 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.1.

**Manuhierkia 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. Tilbury; Sec., Alex. Armstrong, P.M., Otarehua R.D., Otago.

**Otago Kil, 143**—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., C. E. Corley; S.W., F. D. Moore; J.W., T. R. Evans; Sec., E. Sincock, P.M., 31 Carnarvon St., Dunedin, W.1.

**Teviot, 148**—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Roxburgh, Sat. on or nearest full moon, 8. Install. March. W.M., J. A. Young; S.W., S. H. Wingfield; J.W., J. W. Earland; Sec., Dr. J. R. Gilmour, P.G.Sw.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.1.

**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.1.

**Kurov, 164**—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall Kurov, 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., A. L. Cameron; S.W., T. J. Cockburn; J.W., W. H. Bressel; 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., F. H. Demus; S.W., O. Wilson; J.W., L. T. Hillier; 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. H. Drummond; S.W., J. C. Begg; J.W., J. E. 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, 7.50, second Tues. (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., N. W. Millard, P.M.; S.W., T. Bowie; J.W., G. P. Laing; Sec., Wm. Forbes, P.G. Supt. Works, 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.

**Koputai, 239, Port Chalmers.**

**St. Clair, 246:**—Founded 1922; meets Hiram Masonic Hall, Cargill Rd., first Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., S. F. Chalmers; S.W., S. G. B. Slater; 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., W. A. Tipping; S.W., F. G. Mackay; J.W., W. E. Bell; Sec., J. W. Jowsey, P.M., 45 Oakland St., Anderson's Bay, Dunedin, E.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. Sowler, P.O. Box 883, Dunedin.

#### DISTRICT OF SOUTHLAND: 21 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. John D. Campbell, Prov.G.M.).

**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. Millow, Box 11, Riverton.

**Lake Lodge of Ophir, 85:**—Founded 1864; meets Masonic Hall, Queenstown, third Wed. Install. Feb. W.M., D. Galbraith; S.W., G. T. Jardine; J.W., A. E. Short; 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. Imlay, 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, 103:**—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.

**Wallace, 129:**—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Otautau, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. A. Wyeth; S.W., F. R. Insall; J.W., M. L. Thomson; Sec., E. Matheson, P.O. Box 10, Otautau.

**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., F. J. Edwards; S.W., J. Mills; J.W., G. Y. Excell; Sec., J. T. Mosley, P.M., Box 75, Ohai.

**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. Smilie; 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., E. L. J. Souness; S.W., Geo. G. Findlay; J.W., H. Atcheson; 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, 23:**—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Forth Street, Invercargill, second Wed., except Jan. Install. March. W.M., L. H. Jones; S.W., W. D. Robson; J.W., A. H. E. Aldridge; Sec., K. G. Roy, Box 238, 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, 744 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, Bell St., Wanganui, 2nd Wed., 7.45 p.m. President, A. Doig, P.M.; Sec., S. M. Dixon, P.M., 5 Peakes Road, 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.

#### United Grand Lodge of England.

##### District Grand Masters.

Auckland—D. B. Patterson, 1839, 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, 2t Hacktlorne 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, 699, Auckland.**

**Tonāroiro, 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, 1048, 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, 1188, Hamilton.**

**Pacific Lodge of Hokitika, 1229, E.C.:**—Founded 1869. Meets Masonic Temple, Revell St., Hokitika, 2nd Tues., 7.30 p.m. Install. Feb. W.M., F. H. Bristow; S.W., S. G. Havill; J.W., J. Coxhill; 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., V. L. Newcombe; S.W., A. G. Reid; J.W., W. A. McElwee; Sec., T. A. Delacca, 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, 2672, Whangaroa. Duke of Albany, 203, Helensville. Franklin, 2138, Paparoa. 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, 2597, Christchurch.**

**Grand Lodge of Ireland.**

Provincial Grand Master, Walter E. Hedditch, Box 298, Auckland, C.I.

**CRAFT LODGES.**

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

**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, Thames 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. Rates; J.W., S. S. Hall; Sec., Geo. Cooper, P.M., 48 Richardson St., St. Kilda, Dunedin, S.2.

**Grand Lodge of Scotland.**

**District Grand Masters.**

New Zealand North, A. T. Coppard, c/o Masonic Institute, H.M. Arcade, Auckland.  
New Zealand South, R. C. Torrance, 73 Grosvenor Street, Dunedin, C.2.

**CRAFT LODGES.**

**Otago Kil., 417, Dunedin. St. Andrew, 418, Auckland. St. Andrew, 432, Dunedin. St. John, 461, Milton. Celtic, 477, Dunedin. Cargill, Kil., 632, Port Chalmers. St. John, Kil., 662, Dunedin. Peninsula Kil., 696, Portobello. Ponsonby, 708, Auckland. Montrose, 722, Gisborne. Hinemoa, 786, Stratford.**

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**NORTH ISLAND.**

**NORTH AUCKLAND DISTRICT.**

(6 CHAPTERS)  
(R.E. Comp. S. L. Spanhake, 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., T. J. V. Dunlop, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 45, Russell.

**Kaipara, No. 66.**

**Kaitiaki, 67:**—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Kaitiaki, second Tues. S. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. F. B. Mitchell; H., E. Comp. W. H. Snelling; J., E. Comp. E. Matthews; S.E., E. Comp. E. Panther, 110 R.D., Kaitiaki.

**Hokianga, 71. Northern Wairoa, 73.**

**AUCKLAND DISTRICT (9 CHAPTERS).**

(R.E. Comp. Dr. T. Gordon Short, 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. Bart Millar; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. J. Wilson, P.Z., 28 Ponsonby Terrace, Auckland, W.1.

**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.1.

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

**Akarana, 58:**—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, first Thurs. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. C. A. Crum; H., E. Comp. C. J. Ellis, J., E. Comp. W. H. R. Teape; 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. W. H. Pellow; H., E. Comp. W. J. Short; J., E. Comp. R. L. Ramsay; S.E., E. Comp. W. T. Cheeseman, P.O. Box 28, Pukekohe.

**Ellerslie, 68**—Founded 1928; 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. M. Kew; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. Gordon Short, P.G.D.C., 4 Fern Ave., Epsom, Auckland, S.E.3.

**Karagahape, 69, Auckland.**

**Waitemata, 72, Northcote.**

**HURAKI DISTRICT (7 CHAPTERS).**  
(R.E. Comp. F. A. Pickett, 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. Echlin; 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, Ngauruhia, 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. J. L. Campbell, Grand Supt.)

**Paritutu 51**—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple; Liardet 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. J. Jeromson; H., E. Comp. S. R. Veitch; J., E. Comp. R. Ure; S.E., E. Comp. W. A. Sharp, Box 94, Hawera.

**Carlyle, 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. F. H. Billing, Egmont Street, Patea.

**Opunake, 78**—Founded 10th June, 1944; meets Masonic Temple, Opunake, second Saturday. Install. June. Z., V.E. Comp. F. J. Young, P.G.D.C.; H., V.E. Comp. H. Shields; J., V.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.Soj., 7 Oxford St., Marton.

**Wanganui, 23**—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Temple, Bell St., Wanganui, first Thurs. except Jan., first Tues. Dec. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. 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 Wed. in Feb., April, June, August and October (Install.). Z., V.E. Comp. L. G. P. Mahoney; H., E. Comp. T. W. Fairman; J., E. Comp. W. Butterworth; 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. C. D. Cox; H., E. Comp. J. Edwards; J., E. Comp. F. W. Fox; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. Newton, P.G.D.C., 80 Kennedy Road, Napier.

**Rawhiti, 30**—Founded 1903; 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. C. Hillyard; H., E. Comp. E. A. Muir; J., E. Comp. J. Wilson; 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. Clinch Little, c/o Box 98, Waipukurau.

**Waikaremoana, 76**—Founded 1940; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., 4th Monday. Z., V.E. Comp. R. W. Hawthorne; H., E. Comp. T. I. Stewart; J., E. Comp. A. E. Smith; S.E., E. Comp. R. A. Pez, P.O. Box 84, Wairoa, H.B.

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

**Waterloo, 21**—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Wed. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. C. D. Morpeth; H., E. Comp. E. I. Kernahan; J., E. Comp. V. M. Broughton; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. G. Robson, 12 Moutague 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. Shorman; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. A. H. Dixon, P.G.Soj., 38 Pownall Street, Masterton.

**Brooklyn, 24**—Meets Mokoia Masonic Hall, Fifehire Ave., off Cambridge Tce., 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.1.

**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.1.

**Hutt Valley, 41**—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, fourth Tues., except Dec. Install. March. Z., V.E. Comp. H. E. McDougall; H., E. Comp. V. A. Pool; J., E. Comp. A. C. H. Beu; 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 Kairanga, 60**—Meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. E. R. Glass; H., E. Comp. L. Tweedie; J., E. Comp. S. King; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. A. Whitaker, 30 Ventnor St., Seatoun, E.5.

**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. R. F. McCartney; H., E. Comp. W. D. Dobson; J., E. Comp. E. A. Sapsford; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. N. Morris, P.O. Box 1533, Wellington, C.1.

**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.

**Biedstoe, 77**—Founded June, 1941; meets Masonic Temple, Fitzherbert Street, Petone, first Mon., 7.30 p.m.; Install. last Sat. in June. Z., V.E. Comp. F. G. Robson; H., E. Comp. R. A. Munro; J., E. Comp. F. B. Aburn; S.E., E. Comp. L. T. Boyes, 163 Esplanade, Petone.

**SOUTH ISLAND.**

**NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT**  
(2 Chapters).

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

**Victory, 12**—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Nelson, fourth Thurs., as required. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. H. Pierce; H., E. Comp. E. D. Jack; J., E. Comp. P. S. McLaren; S.E., R.E. Comp. R. W. Stiles, P.Dep.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 84, 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, 11**—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, last Monday, bi-monthly (January, March, etc.) 7.30. Install. Feb. Z., V.E. Comp. W. A. Mackrell; H., E. Comp. N. S. Kirby; J., E. Comp. W. D. Crombie; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. Hunter, 33 Chancellor St., Shirley, Christchurch, N.1.

**Albert Edward, 61**—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. Betton; H., E. Comp. D. K. Watson; J., B. Comp. Jas. Samways; S.E., E. Comp. R. P. Harris, 51 Harris St., Waimate.

**Prince of Wales, 31:**—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, third Wed. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct., Dec. Install. Aug. Z., V.E. Comp. 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. Towarow; 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. W. Watson; H., E. Comp. J. Y. Rushton; J., E. Comp. F. J. D. Blackgrove; 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. Labour week-end Sat.) and Dec. Z., V.E. Comp. Geo. Wishart; H., E. Comp. J. Harley; J., E. Comp. H. G. Wallis; 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. F. 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. P. 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, 3:**—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. F. R. Crawford; S.E., R.E. Comp. Sydney C. K. Smith, P.Z., "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

**Wallace, 34:**—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Otautau, fourth Thurs., except Dec. Install. first Wed. in October. Z., V.E. Comp. 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.I.M., Ill. 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, 2180,** Auckland, S.E.7.  
**Te Awamutu, 2221,** Auckland, C.4.  
**Aorangi, 2300,** Wellington, C.1.

**South Island.**

**Otago, 844,** Dunedin, C.1.  
**Port Chalmers Marins, 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, 578,** Dargaville.  
**Concord, 558,** 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: J. J. Laws, Box 1349, Auckland.

**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, 35\*.

**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 Hawera Masonic Temple fourth Mon. in Feb., April, Aug., Sept. (Install.) and Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. C. R. Honeyfield; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. C. E. Whittington; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. H. D. Caplen, Box 125, Hawera.

**Pukekura, 304:**—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, Liardet St., New Plymouth, third Tues., Feb., April, June, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. 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.

**Waimarimo, 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\*, 58 Naylor St., Hamilton.

Inspector-General for Central Division of New Zealand, V. Ill. Bro. Herbert G. Teagle, 35\*.

**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.

**Lathom, 93:**—Meets at Wanganui, first Mon. in April, May, Oct., Nov. and Dec. (Installation alternate years only.) M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. G. F. Lomas; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. F. W. Gilligan; 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. W. A. Meads; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. E. Bate; Recorder, Ill. Bro. E. E. Bott, 30\*, 507 Southampton St., Hastings.

**Tararua, 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. G. F. Davies; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. H. R. Fell; Recorder, Ill. Bro. S. T. S. Martin, 30\*, 11 Millward St., Wellington, S.I.

**Lower Hutt, 279:**—Warrant dated 6th 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. L. R. Wood; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. B. P. Williams; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. R. E. H. Pilon, P.O. Box 227, Napier.

**Wellstey, 303:**—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, C.1., third Tues., March, June, Sept. Install. second Thurs., Dec. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. F. W. Furkert, C.M.G.; Prelate, Ill. Bro. E. A. Wallace, 30\*; Recorder, Ill. Bro. C. D. Morphet, 30\*, Box 857, C.P.O., Wellington, C.1., or 246 The Terrace, Wellington, C.1.

**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, 35\*.

**Excelsior, 78:**—Founded 22nd March, 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch, Feb., May, Aug. (Install.), Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. S. Dooreen; 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 Mogrige, 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 1933; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock 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. R. S. Jack; S.W., E. and P. Bro. J. Mitchell; J.W., E. and P. Bro. J. R. Lorraine; Sec., Ill. Bro. W. J. Davidson, 30°, 57 Bird St., Dunedin, S.2.

**Zealandia, 30:**—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, first Wed., March, June, Sept. and Dec. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. 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 1919; meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, four times a year (fifth Wed.). Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. W. G. McKee; H. Prelate, E. and P. Bro. A. F. R. Crawford; S.W., E. and P. Bro. B. J. Perkins; J.W., E. and P. Bro. G. D. Sutton; Sec., Ill. Bro. Syd. 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. O. I. Christiansen; J.W., E. and P. Bro. E. 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. W. Metcalfe; S.W., E. and P. Bro. J. Beljivich; J.W., E. and P. Bro. W. T. Surman; Sec., E. and P. Bro. E. G. Burt, P.M.W.S., 26 Mains Avenue, Whangarei.

**Tauranga, 64:**—TAURANGA

**Te Kuiti, 65:**—Te Kuiti.

**Coronation, 66:**—Founded Nov., 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Princes St., Auckland. Dates for 1945: 3rd March (Install.), 9th April, 4th June, 6th August, 1st October, 3rd December (9th Degree). 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.

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**Otago Preceptory.**

**Wellington Preceptory:**—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, fourth Thurs. Jan. April, July and Oct. (Install.). Preceptor, E. Morris, Junr.; Sub-Preceptor, R. W. McVilly; 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.

**Mariborough Preceptory:**—Blenheim.

**Taranaki Preceptory:**—Meets second Wed. March, June, Oct., Dec. Install. Oct. Preceptor, Ven. Frater A. G. Johnson; Sub-Preceptor, Frater A. Orton; Registrar, Frater M. Smale, P.O. Box 16, 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., Ven. Frater 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, April, July and October (Installation). December 2nd Saturday. Preceptor, Ven. Frater L. R. Hegley. Sec., Ven. Frater W. T. Surman, Nixon St., Whangarei.

**Southland Preceptory:**—Meets in Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, second Thursday in March, May, August and November (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater A. W. Jones; Sub-Preceptor, Frater A. C. Ford; Sec., Ven. Frater E. McK. Lyon, P.P., P.O. Box 235, Invercargill.

**Waikato Preceptory:**—Hamilton.

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**Auckland Tabernacle, No. 12.**

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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:**—Patea.

**Aotea Preceptory and Priory, 291,** Hawera

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**Aotearoa Conclave, 44:**—Meets four times a year, Masonic Temple, Wellington. S.R., G. A. Clark; Counsellor, W. B. Hardy; Sec., F. 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 1945: 6th March, 1st May, 3rd July, 4th Sept., 17th Oct., 6th Nov. (Installation). S.R., T. C. Webster, P.G.Sd.; Counsellor, S. C. Richards; Guide, W. J. Taylor; Sec., J. Edgar Wade, P.S.R., P.G.Sd., D.G.Regr., 101, Colonial Mutual Bldgs., Queen St. (Box 1263), 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. Brljevič; Sec., L. R. Hegley, 16 Oranga Rd., Whangarei.

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

**Dunedin Conclave, 176:**—Meets Oceanic Hall, St. Kilda, Dunedin, 1st Saturday in March, July and November (Install.). M.P.S., V.Em. Sir Knt. Gordon J. Reed; Viceroy, Em. Sir Knt. A. W. Jones; Sec., Sir Knt. R. S. Jack, P.M.P.S., Constitution St. Port Chalmers.