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WORLD CONDITIONS AND THE CRAFT.



IT is already apparent to the most superficial observer that the mere conclusion in time of the great struggle in which the world has been engaged will not of itself usher in a better state of affairs than that which prevailed before the war. It is also clear that world rehabilitation will not be attained by just wishing it; that a safe and sound world, in short, will have to be striven for at least as strenuously as the fight for military victory, and may perhaps be even more difficult of attainment. The disappointments of a generation ago were due in the main to the fact that this situation was not appreciated either by the mass of the peoples of the world or by those in charge of policy.

This time, such a mistake is not likely to be made. It is clear to all that the temple of civilisation has been badly shaken; but the edifice is not beyond repair, though the task will be long and arduous. Some of the courts of this temple, to continue the analogy, are substantially intact, some are more or less damaged but can be repaired, some have been demolished but may be rebuilt, and some, perhaps, will not be reconstructed at all. At the moment a distressed world has hardly begun to contemplate the magnitude of the task that lies before it. The will to work of the builders is paralysed by calamity and distracted by bitter and conflicting emotions.

For a parallel to the present situation of the world we have to go back to the Dark Ages after the fall of Rome. There is however no need, and, we are glad to think, no probability, of so prolonged a period of civic decline and stagnation as prevailed when the barbarians of some fifteen hundred years ago inaugurated a long blackout of civilisation and culture. It all depends on whether there is enough energy and co-operative spirit in the world to rouse men from their lethargy before groups of ill-disposed dictators again assume control of an enfeebled social life. Can society be regenerated, vivified, and permeated, in time, with the moral principles essential to reconstruction? These principles are summed up in the cardinal virtues as taught by the Craft, and their derivatives.

The immediate outlook, though not without grounds for anxiety, does not appear as alarming as it looked a year ago, while the long-run view gives no cause for serious misgiving. Though it does appear that at the moment Europe is distracted by sectional and individual hatreds, it would be surprising, after what has taken place in the last few years, if this were not so; and at all events we have so far not witnessed any of the large-scale massacres of former oppressors by former oppressed that might quite easily have happened. At the same time, there is a call for patience and restraint in circumstances in which the exercise of those excellent qualities is more difficult than usual. Many peoples will be desirous of securing the sort of settlement they feel entitled to by jumping their opponents' claims in advance of the decisions of the Peace Conference, and presenting that body, which will early in its proceedings become a weary and distracted body, with a series of faits accomplis.

Fortunately, so far, tendencies in this direction have been restrained, if not definitely prevented, by appeals to reason; 'but it seems obvious that until urgent territorial and political issues of importance are settled it is idle to expect the world to settle down to the basic tasks of material, moral and spiritual reconstruction. The longer these tasks are delayed the harder they will be, if a permanent and satisfactory solution is desired.

In one important respect the present-day world is more fortunate than its predecessors, and it is this that affords the strongest ground for restrained optimism and confidence as to the future. We refer to the extraordinary technical productivity of contemporary economic life, a feature which the war has increased and not diminished. The technological apparatus of today, that is, the working tools of modern civilisation, are, in the material sense, productive to an extent to which past ages afford no parallel whatever, and they are available for use pretty well intact. Cities lie in ruins, but transport and manufacturing equipment are on a scale of efficiency never before equalled.

If these working tools are faithfully, consistently and efficiently applied, it seems probable that the material destruction of the war could be repaired in a decade at the outside, with few visible scars remaining to show that the conflict ever took place. The principal damage inflicted by the war, however, lies in other and more

important fields. It is the universal experience of the past that prolonged war exercises a highly detrimental effect on the mind and soul of man, reduces the moral and intellectual quality of his civilisation, and can be repaired only by the slow process of growth and the long passage of time.

It is here, we suggest, that the contribution of the Craft, directly through its members and through them as a leaven permeating the mass of the community, can be at its greatest. Only by the contemplation and application of the cardinal virtues of wisdom, courage, temperance and justice can a disorganised world be recalled to higher levels of moral and spiritual achievement. Above all, the world urgently requires, in the immediate short run, the application of the virtues of toleration, sincerity and steadfastness, important ancillary virtues, derivative in the main from the cardinal virtue of temperance, if a satisfactory solution of its troubles is to be found. Toleration in the international sphere, and sincerity in home affairs, are indispensable pre-conditions of rehabilitation. Never were they more needed, and never were they more conspicuously lacking, than today. Here, quietly and unobtrusively, but steadfastly, lies an avenue of usefulness for every member of the Craft.

YOUR GOOD DEEDS.

Let every dawn of morning be to you as the beginning of life and every setting sun be to you as its close; then let every one of these short lives leave its sure record of some kindly thing done for others, some goodly strength or knowledge gained for yourself.—John Ruskin.

W. BRO. A. E. KENNARD, P.G.D.

At the conclusion of a recent meeting of the Wellington United Board of Enquiry, the retiring President, W. Bro. G. E. Davies, took the opportunity of presenting to W. Bro. A. E. Kennard, P.G.D., a fountain pen and pencil in token of the high esteem in which he was held by members of the Board. W. Bro. Kennard had completed 21 years of continuous service as Secretary of the Board, and had resigned on account of Grand Lodge office going to Dunedin. His genial nature and happy personality will be missed by a host of Wellington brethren, who wish him success and happiness among his old Dunedin friends and brethren.

ADDRESS

**By R. W. Bro. T. E. Purchase, Dist.G.M. (Canterbury), given at the Anzac Meeting of
United Forces Lodge, No. 245, Christchurch, on 11th April, 1945.**

I am glad to join with you in again paying tribute to those who took part in the war that made the word "Anzac" an imperishable addition to our vocabulary and gained from all peoples recognition of the fact that from Australia and these small islands in the South Pacific there had come men of valour, endurance, initiative and resource equal to any in the world. As has been often said, they set the seal on this country's manhood. Our pride in their achievements is beyond measure: our tribute to their valour and loyalty sincere and wholehearted. We well know that if such expressions came from ourselves alone they would probably be heavily discounted or somewhat cynically received, but similar tributes have been made by others whose judgments must be considered to be at least impartial.

Listen to Masfield, who was attached to a medical unit at Gallipoli:—

"On all the roads of the plain which lay like salt in the glare, and on the sides of the gullies, strange sun-burned, half-naked men moved at their work with the bronze bodies of gods. Their half-nakedness made them more grand than clad men. Very few of them were less than beautiful: whole battalions were magnificent—they were the very flower of the world's men. They had a look in their eyes which those who saw it will never forget."

That our tribute has not been fulsome or our praise too generous has been clearly demonstrated in Greece, Crete, Africa, Italy, the Pacific, over and over again during the past five years. We would honour these men, too, and place them on the same high pedestal as we have placed their brothers who fought so bravely in the last war. We glory in the physical prowess of our men—we glory too in the spirit that animated them. The Great War was not the first occasion that our men had responded to the call of Empire. Some of us are old enough to remember the tumultuous enthusiasm with which we sent the N.Z. Contingent to the Boer War. Then there was no sorrow: it was the spirit of adventure that called, and in that spirit our men went.

But in 1914 it was a different matter. Again the call came, and again the response was instant; but there was a seriousness of purpose—a stern determination. The whole demeanour of the men was different. The honour of the Empire was at stake. The response and the sacrifice were made, not only because as a part of the Empire almost solely dependent on the Mother Country for our existence we ought to render what help we could, but because we are the same kind of folk here; because we are bone of their bone—and flesh of their flesh—influenced by the same traditions, accepting the same moral principles as a standard of living and ready to die if need be in defence of them. Let me give you an explanation of our attachment to the Mother Country in the words of a Continental writer of repute after an examination of our system of Government, our institutions, and our people. He writes:

"England has succeeded in making a spiritual conquest of her colonies. The tie that binds them to her is far more spiritual than political and therefore unbreakable. English customs, habits and ideals and the English language are supreme over half the globe; but the wonderful little island still stands at the centre of it all. Mother!—some day perhaps it will be the great-grandmother of the family, with her memories that stretch so far back into the past and her ancient traditions so full of contradictions, that have kept their vitality even in the age of Americanisation, Capitalism, Bolshevism. This England and the English of today, the figure they have cut in the world, their lives, ideals and activities are of the greatest possible consequence for the whole human race."

It is true that our characteristics and our sentiments come to us from the past, strengthened through the centuries by our teaching and our literature. It is quite worth while to remind ourselves of our beginnings, our progress and development, in order that we might more easily understand how we came to be the people we are. Let us look for a moment at some illustrations indicating the standard demanded and given even in far-off days. You remember how Tennyson describes the "swearing in" of the Knights of the Round Table. King Arthur says:—

"I made them lay their hands in mine and swear
To reverence the King as if he were their conscience,
and their conscience as their King!
"To ride abroad redressing human wrongs,
To honour his own word as if his God's.' "

These are Tennyson's words, but they are a true interpretation of the spirit of the time as gathered from the legendary stories attached to King Arthur, who was not a mythical but a real King.

You remember the ceremony associated with the conferring of Knighthood—the midnight vigil before the altar, the oath to maintain right against might, and the injunction never by word or deed to stain his character as a knight and a citizen.

You remember, too, how as youngsters the story of the Crusades fired our imagination and how heartily we approved of Richard I's participation—not being the least bit concerned because he neglected all his duties to his Kingdom to assist in freeing Jerusalem from the hands of the aggressor. Truly characteristic of that period of our history.

Recall the well-known speech put into the mouth of Henry V before Agincourt, when it was suggested that some of those men who were living comfortably in England would be a welcome addition to their strength:—

"I would not lose so great an honour
As one man more, methinks, would share from me
For the best hope I have. O! do not wish one more.
Rather proclaim it, Westmoreland, through my host
That he that hath no stomach to this fight
Let him depart! His passport shall be made
And crowns for convoy put into his purse.
We would not die in that man's company
Who fears his fellowship to die with us."

The spacious days of Queen Elizabeth furnish us with many examples. Let me take just one—the stay of Richard Grenville—"The one and the fifty-three"—"a battle almost unequalled in the history of the world." A foolish, futile effort truly, but it shows the stuff of which these men were Made. Listen to his dying words:

"Here die I, Richard Grenville, with a joyful and quiet mind—for that I have ended my life as a true soldier ought to do that hath fought for his country, Queen, religion and honour. Whereby my soul most joyfully

departeth of this body and shall always leave behind it an everlasting fame as a valiant and true soldier that has done his duty as he was bound to do."

Further quotations are unnecessary, though by way of contrast one might refer to the jingoistic spirit that became vocal at the end of last century. "We don't want to fight, but, by jingo! if we do." That effervescence was probably due to the conditions of the times, or maybe it is one of those contradictions that foreign writers find in the British "make-up."

I have made reference to these periods in our nation's history, firstly, to show that the splendid response of our country to the call in 1914 and in this war was not due to any sudden and temporary burst of military exhilaration or cheap jingoism. It was in harmony with the spirit of our forbears and shows clearly that our conceptions of honour and duty are as lofty as at any time depicted in our historical literature. And, secondly, to show that it would be foreign to our very nature to refuse to support the Mother Country in her time of need.

And so we return to our opening thought—an appreciative tribute to the Anzacs and a recognition of the fine spirit which animated them.

That spirit of devotion and self-sacrifice has been finely portrayed by Rupert Brooke:

"If I should die think only this of me:
That there's some corner of a foreign field
That is for ever England. There shall be
In that rich earth a richer dust concealed,
A dust that England bore, shaped, made aware,
Gave once her flowers to love, her ways to roam;
A body of England's breathing English air,
Washed by the rivers, blest by the suns of home."

Of the significance of Anzac, Major Waite wrote:

"And if Anzac means suffering, a hopeless longing, aching hearts, and a keen sense of loss to many in this land of ours, the gain cannot be measured—for the miner at Quinn's Post did not sweat at the tunnel face in the interests of self; the middies of the picket boats and the men of the trawlers were not working for dividends; the nurses on those hospital ships did not toil the long nights through for praise or notoriety; the women who waited so bravely and patiently at home in hourly dread of the telegraph boy thought nothing of themselves. One and all made their willing sacrifices for the common good. And that is the message of Anzac to the people of New Zealand. Place the interests of the community before the interests of self; follow in the footsteps of the early pioneers and make New Zealand a sweeter place for the little children."

On the stone which marks the grave of Sir Christopher Wren, the famous builder of churches, are the words—"si monumentum requiris circumspice"—if you seek a monument look around. The finest memorial to the devotion of our men and the finest recognition of their sacrifice and valour would be a happy, peaceful country where men live in harmony, without fear, free to work out their own destiny in this beautiful land we sometimes call "God's Own Country." Then we could proudly say—"If you seek their monument look around."

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF NEW ZEALAND.

The Supreme Committee met in Dunedin on Tuesday, 24th May, R.E. Comp. T. O'Shea, Chairman, presiding.

The Chairman extended a welcome to M.E. Comp. W. Reynolds, G.Z. and expressed the committee's appreciation of his attendance. The Chairman also welcomed the Acting-G.S.E.

The Acting-G.S.E. reported that the proofs of the Installation Ritual were to hand, would be re-read and printed, and that the stickers for Bibles had been distributed.

The expenses of the Annual Convocation held in March last were as follows:—Grand Chapter Officers, £81 17s. 9d.; delegates' expenses, £400 7s. 10d.

It was resolved that the sum of £100 be transferred from the P.O.S.B. Account to the National Savings Account.

The Acting-G.S.E. reported that the printer's copy for the Book of Proceedings of the Annual Convocation was ready, subject to some re-editing. It was resolved that it be printed.

The Grand Registrar was requested to bring down the consequential amendments in connection with the Pro G.Z. to the next Convocation.

A vote of thanks was accorded to M.E. Comps. R. W. McVilly, G.Supt., and F. J. Rea. P.G.Z., for their arrangements in connection with the next Convocation.

It was resolved that the name of R.E. Comp. T. A. Wilson, P.G.Reg.; be submitted to the Grand Chapter of Iowa as their Representative near this Grand Chapter, and that V.Em. Comp. J. A. Ross, G.Reg. of the Grand Chapter of Victoria, be appointed our Representative near that Grand Chapter.

V.E. Comp. A. W. T. Pooley, Sec.-Treas. of the Auckland Entertainment Committee, forwarded £26/4/10, being the balance of the funds received for the purpose of entertainment at the Convocation in March last, and conveying a request that it be allotted to the Jubilee Memorial. It was decided to record the appreciation of Supreme Committee of this generous action.

Mrs. L. L. Milne wrote expressing thanks for the Scholarship granted to her daughter Beverley.

A petition for a Charter for a new Chapter, signed by V.E. Comp. A. Bright and 59 others, strongly recommended by the Grand Superintendent of the Auckland District, had been received, praying that a Charter be granted under the name of Titirangi Chapter, and it was resolved that the petition be granted and that No. 79 be allotted.

Allocation of Grand Offices for 1946-47: A sub-committee, consisting of R.E. Comp. O'Shea and V.E. Comps. G. H. C. Green and V. R. Anderson, was set up to submit a scheme of distribution.

It was reported that some of the delegates to the last Convocation were not clothed in the appropriate regalia as Principals (Rule 137). It was decided to request Grand Superintendents of Districts to inform the Chapters that it is desired that Principals should be properly clothed. It was resolved that now the war emergency has largely disappeared, Chapters be invited to revert to the wearing of evening dress.

The date of the next meeting was fixed for Wednesday, 4th July, at Dunedin, and no further notice will be given to ex-officio members.

MASONIC BRETHREN IN WELLINGTON HOSPITALS.

COMMITTEE REPORT, No. 14.

Ewart Hospital.—Bro. R. Hobbs, Lodge Connaught, No. 187.

Public Hospital.—Ward 2: W. Bro. D. Howatson, Lodge Hataitai, No. 285. Ward 3a: Bro. J. C. Macaw, Londonderry. Ward 4: Bro. W. Rowe, Lodge Renown, No. 218. Ward 5: Bro. K. L. Livingston, Lodge Hataitai, No. 285; W. Bro. R. E. Dovey, Russell Lodge, No. 254. Ward 10: Bro. F. Sherwood, Lodge Leinster, No. 44; Bro. Hugh Clelland, Lodge Mt. Ida, Naseby. Ward 22: Bro. F/O. James, Lodge Taia, No. 229; Bro. S. G. Clements, Coronation Lodge, No. 127. Ward 27: W. Bro. Geo. King, Lodge St. Andrews, No. 32; Bro. Pearce, Coronation Lodge, No. 127. Victoria Ward, No. 1: Bro. E. Harris, Lodge Karori, No. 247.

Private Hospitals.—Bowen Street: W. Bro. J. P. Cottier, Takaka. Lewisham: W. Bros. H. Boon, Lodge Whetu Kairangi, No. 201, and A. Martin, Lodge Hinemoa, No. 122.

Bro. King hopes to be going home soon, and Bros. Pearce and Harris are putting up a good fight, although progress is slow. All the other brethren are making excellent progress towards recovery. Since our last report the following brethren have been discharged from hospital:—Bros. B. Barker, J. W. Leask, S. McDonald, L. Alexander, H. Jupp, T. Wells, J. B. Johnson, W. Saunders, Benjamin, Matthews, W. Skinner, W. Harvey, T. Tester, W. R. Anderson, Tilyard, C. Flockton, J. McArdle (deceased).

FOR FATHERLESS DAUGHTERS OF MASONS.

SITUATED 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.

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REVIEW OF PROCEEDINGS OF FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.



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

CALIFORNIA-1944.

582 Lodges, 138,738 members, a gain of 9229.

95th Annual Communication held at San Francisco, 10th, 11th and 12th October, M.W. Bro. Claude H. Morrison, G.M., presiding.

There were present the Grand Officers, 17 Past Grand Masters and 1278 officers and representatives from 520 Lodges.

After the reception of distinguished visitors from four other Constitutions, the Grand Chaplain, Very Rev. Bro. George A. Warner conducted a "most inspiring and thought-provoking devotional service on the theme 'Supreme Grand Master of the Universe.'"

The total funds of the Grand Lodge amounted to \$305,805 and the securities to \$3,158,437.

Requests for courtesy degrees from other Jurisdictions since the war began totalled 2274, and California had made 1739 requests to other Jurisdictions, including Lodges in "Australia, New Caledonia, New Zealand, England, and the Holy Land."

One new Lodge was formed.

13,216 were initiated (a record), 1576 affiliated, 1057 reinstated, 937 withdrawn, 629 suspended, N.P.D., 9 suspended or expelled for cause, and 2433 died.

Fifty-Year Buttons were presented to 79 brethren.

By-laws of Lodges approved included some fixing life membership fees at sums varying from \$125 to \$500.

Four Lodges each conferred over 300 degrees during the year.

The Grand Lecturer in his report said: "Though there be an abundance in the quarry, let us shape each ashlar well that the future edifice have no faulty blocks."

There were 128 men and 147 women resident in the Decoto Masonic Home, and 49 boys and 26 girls in the Covina Home.

Twelve of the guests were between 90 and 100 years.

The Grand Orator, W. Bro. William J. Courtiour, delivered the Annual Oration under the title, "The Master."

W. Bro. Roy C. Bryan, Representative of the Grand Lodge of the Phillipine Islands near the G.L. of California, presented a Report on the Phillipine Islands. He mentioned the death of M.W. Bro. Manuel Quezon, President, and P.G.M. of the Islands, the collection by the G.L. of California of \$13,428 dues of members of P.I. Lodges in trust for that Grand Lodge when it can function again, the general situation in Asia and the Far East, and the work of the Lodge in Chungking working under a dispensation from California.

Clandestine Masonry is still active in certain areas of California, and a new Negro Grand Lodge, with headquarters in San Francisco, was incorporated.

Five Judges of the Supreme Court of California were welcomed to the meeting, one being a P.M.

A proposal suggested twelve months before by the then retiring Grand Master that Lodges notify their members of all applications for membership was not adopted.

The 46 Jurisdictions reviewed by the Committee on Correspondence do not include New Zealand.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Gilbert C. De Forest Redding. Grand Secretary: M.W. Bro. Lloyd E. Wilson, P.G.M., San Francisco.

ILLINOIS-1944.

980 Lodges, 196,220 members, a gain of 6779.

105th Annual Communication held at Chicago, 10th and 11th October, M.W. Bro. Stuart E. Pierson, G.M., presiding.

Visitors were present from 18 other United States and one Canadian Grand Lodges.

There were 116 men and 54 women in the Illinois Masonic, and 65 children in the Masonic Orphans' Home. The rules of the latter had been changed to permit the admission of fatherless children.

9125 brethren were raised, 1558 admitted, 3599 reinstated, 1967 demitted, 1785 suspended, 2 expelled and 3732 died.

Of the 196,220 members, 28,317 were resident outside the State.

\$140,239 was expended on eight Masonic Service Centres.

"Bro. C. Wayland Brooks, R.W. Grand Orator and United States Senator from Illinois, delivered the oration. The brethren of the Grand Lodge arose and paid tribute to the speaker with hearty applause."

The proceedings reviewed do not include N.Z.

The Reviewer, M.W. Bro. Elmer E. Beach, P.G.M., in his foreword, said: "And now history repeats itself, conditions in this country are much as they were at the beginning of World War 1. Is there the same tendency to make it easy to become a Mason? This is not a rhetorical question, but one asked in all seriousness. There is the same urge or pressure on Grand Masters to issue dispensations to waive or set aside regulations adopted in earlier times after mature and careful consideration in order to protect the Fraternity and to prevent the admission of unworthy or unfit men. One Grand Master reported that he had in twelve months issued 343 such dispensations. In his address he expressed the opinion that the practice was 'dangerous.' We cannot help agreeing with his opinion. Would it not be wise to follow the advice posted at all country railroad crossings and 'STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN'?"

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Stuart E. Pierson, Carrollton.

Grand Secretary: M.W. Bro. Richard C. Davenport, P.G.M., Harrisburg.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. Oliver I. Underwood, Rock Island.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. A. C. Andrews, P.G.W., Christchurch.

IDAHO-1944.

80 Lodges, 9568 members, a gain of 459.

78th Annual Communication held at Boise 19th and 20th September, M.W. Bro. George E. Bacheller, G.M., presiding. Sixteen of the 20 living Past Grand Masters were present.

The Grand Master opened his address with these words: "From a beginning of five Lodges and 185 members when organised in 1867, this Grand Lodge has grown to 80 Lodges with 9568 members as we open this 78th Communication of this Grand Lodge. These Lodges are located from Montpelier in the south-east to Bonners Ferry in the north, a distance of 937 miles. Without doubt, Idaho Masonry has the opportunity of being the greatest unifying influence in the life of Idaho, considering the geographic form of the State."

The Grand Orator, W. Bro. Dwight S. Jeffers, delivered an address entitled "For Duty's Sake, and Smiled," concluding with this quotation:—

"One dared to die; in a swift moment's space
Fell in war's forefront, laughter on his face;
Bronze tells his fame in many a market place.
Another dared to live the long years through,
Felt his slow heart's blood ooze like crimson dew
For duty's sake, and smiled, and no one knew."

The oldest living Past Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Fred G. Mock, read a carefully-prepared address composed of a paragraph from the annual address of each of the Grand Masters from 1869 down to his own in 1897.

The 33 pages of Reviews by M.W. Bro. Jay Glover Eldridge, P.G.M., include over one and a-half pages devoted to New Zealand, 1943.

He quotes two paragraphs from what he calls the "notably fine address" of M.W. Bro. Herbert Teagle, but he says "four and one-half pages are devoted to the mere programme of an Installation in an evening meeting."

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Gifford H. Mayes, Kellogg.

Grand Secretary: M.W. Bro. Clyde I. Rush, Boise.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: M.W. Bro. Byron S. Defenbach, P.G.M., Lewiston.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. Robert Hay, P.G.W., Auckland.

TENNESSEE-1945.

381 Lodges, 43,374 members, a gain of 3598.

131st Annual Communication held at Nashville, 31st Jan. and 1st Feb., M.W. Bro. Burton F. Whitaker, G.M., presiding. 4113 were initiated, 586 affiliated, 862 restored, 579 withdrawn, 5 suspended U.C., 194 suspended N.P.D., 3 expelled, and 587 died.

50 Fifty-Year Certificates and Lapel Buttons were issued. The First and Third Degrees were conferred by special teams from Hamilton County Lodges. The account of the Third Degree reads as follows:—

"McWhirtersville Lodge, No. 375, was opened on the Third Degree in due and ancient form, for the purpose of raising Brother Brooks Scruggs Fitzpatrick. There being no objection, Brother Fitzpatrick was prepared, introduced, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason, and received the lecture pertaining to that Degree.

The catechetical lecture was given by Brother S. N. Keedy, the stereopticon lecture by Brother W. C. Durham, and the charge by Brother R. E. Troutman. The Lodge was then closed in due and ancient form."

There were 51 old Masons, 92 old widows, 17 mothers, 32 boys, and 27 girls in the Home.

The Reviews by W. Bro. Wallace P. Douglas are very concise, but he manages to condense quite a fair amount of information about the G.L. of N.Z. and our 1943 Proceedings into two-thirds of a page.

Tennessee's Representative, R.W. Bro. J. J. Pickett, is 91 years of age, but he is still a good ritualist and a very active worker in his district.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Benjamin T. Dawkins, Memphis.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. Thos. E. Doss, Nashville.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. Roy B. Collier, Clarksville.

Grand Representative, at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. J. J. Pickett, P.D.G.M., Hastings.

"KINDNESS."

Kindness is one of the strongest and most lasting things in the world. We never know how much we owe to it until sometimes it is too late. We need never mistake it for weakness, for true kindness is never soft.

There is an enormous amount of kindness in the world today which we sometimes take for granted, even overlook. In every sphere of life a little thought will show how much spontaneous kindness there is. Possibly never before in the history of the world has there been so much organised kindness. You need only travel in the tram to realise that immediately a real opportunity presents itself quite a number of people will jump forward to do an act of kindness.

The big thing about kindness is that no matter how trifling it usually provokes a response. We have all had experiences in which some act of kindness has thawed someone else's coldness. We can make it much more effective if we refuse to be restrained from doing acts of kindness by fear of a rebuff. Refuse to be hedged in by the apparently repellent attitude of others. When you once make the overture of kindness you will find that they are just as anxious as you to be friends. Kindness, to be effective, must be consistent. Nothing is worse than an erratic kindness, which simply serves to throw the other person into confusion. Strive to build up a habit of kindliness so that it becomes more natural for you to do the kind thing than the reverse.

Kindness grows by cultivation. In the final count, kindliness means more than most other things in the world. It makes people happy, enables them to forget the past, overlook faults, and share the smiles of life. Do not be grudging in your kindness. There is so much to be learnt in the way of doing things. Kindness that is really worth while will bridge the gap between the most unlikely people, and will serve to steady and hearten those in trouble. No one can tell you how to be kind, but in a thousand ways you can discover it for yourself, and in doing so find the real meaning of life.— Exchange.

GRAND MASTER'S VISIT TO AUCKLAND.

The Auckland city and suburban Lodges extended what has become their traditional welcome to the Grand Master for the time being when M.W. Bro. His Excellency Sir Cyril Newall, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.M.G., C.B.E., A.M., paid an official visit to them at the Auckland Masonic Temple on Friday, 1st June.

The meeting was held under the Charter of The United Service Lodge, No. 10, and the W.M., W. Bro. Charles Hunt, received a large gathering of visiting Lodges and other brethren. The Provincial Master, M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson, P.G.M., was received, and he in turn received R.W. Bro. A. T. Coppard, Dist. G.M. N.Z. North, under the Grand Lodge of Scotland, R.W. Bro. W. E. Redditch, Prov. G.M. of New Zealand

under the Grand Lodge of Ireland, and R.W. Bro. D. B. Patterson, Dist.G.M. of Auckland, under the Grand Lodge of England, and their respective Provincial and District Grand Lodge Officers.

The M.W. Grand Master, who was accompanied by sixty Grand Officers, including M.W. Bros. Maurice Thompson and Sir Stephen Allen, R.W. Bros. A. G. Graham, G. Gilcrest, W. G. Mason, W. W. Wright, Arch. Burns, G. H. Harle, R. Hay, F. G. Alpe, and L. Hammond; and V.W. Bros. Rev. A. Mitchell, J. A. Gentles, Arch. Burns, Jr., A. Bright, L. Tustaln, H. R. A. Vialoux, A. Howey Walker, W. C. Finnis, S. Irwin Crookes, A. C. Hallett and V. Kirk, was received and saluted, after which M.W. Bro. Nicholson extended to him a very cordial welcome to Auckland, and expressed the pleasure of the brethren. The Provincial Grand Master mentioned that the attendance of the distinguished brethren of the Sister Constitutions indicated their desire to share in the welcome.

M.W. Bro. Sir Cyril Newall (who was indisposed and attended at great inconvenience) expressed his pleasure at being present, and his gratification for the cordial welcome extended to him. His reference to his sincere and heartfelt conviction that the Most High had truly been with us and helped us in our darkest hour was greatly appreciated by the brethren.

After the gavel had been returned to the W.M., V.W. Bro. Rev. A. Mitchell, P.G.C., delivered the Special War Prayer, and the brethren sang the National Anthem. The proceedings were interspersed with appropriate odes, in which all joined heartily.

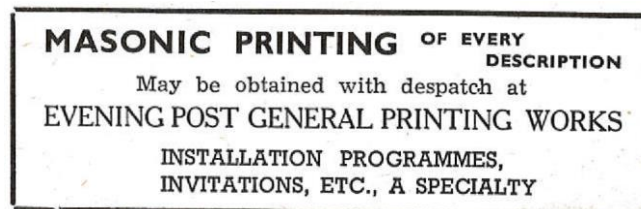
V.W. Bro. H. R. A. Vialoux, G.D.C., performed the duties of his office, and W. Bro. W. Keefe was Trumpeter. Greetings were tendered by W. Bro. R. G. Costin, W.M. of The Ara Lodge, No. 1, on behalf of visiting Lodges.

The preliminary organisation was in charge of R.W. Bro. Louis Hammond, P.G.W., and was thorough and complete.

In the refectory M.W. Bro. Colonel Sir Stephen Allen, K.B.E., P.Pro G.M., proposed the toast of the Grand Master, paying fitting tribute to his services to the nation, and making reference to his distinguished predecessors in the joint offices of Governor-General and Grand Master. Bro. E. J. Thomas led the musical honours in his usual inimitable manner.

The M.W.G.M., after expressing his appreciation, told the brethren some interesting details of the early days of the war.

The toast of the Sister Constitutions was proposed by M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson, who referred in cordial terms to the friendship which had existed for many years between them all. The visiting District and Provincial Grand Masters responded in the same cordial spirit. Musical items were given by the Lyric Four.



OUR DUTY IN RESPECT TO OUR CANDIDATES AND THE CRAFT.

By W. Bro. W. T. Surman, J.W.

No apology is necessary for introducing a subject which has so often been expounded by brethren actuated no doubt with the same motive—as Builders in our beloved craft.

Most Lodges are experiencing at the present time large influxes of new members. It may be that the stress of these dangerous days and the facing at close quarters of the realities of life bring many to more serious thoughts and spiritual aspects. Others may be looking for companionship and closer friendship. What better avenue is open for them than the Pathway of Freemasonry?

Not all, however, are actuated by the same desire. How often in past years has this been so sadly proved? Far too many are prompted by idle curiosity, or by a misconception as to some sort of social inner circle of purely convivial nature. Others undoubtedly have the expectation of material advantage at the back of their minds, even though they would be inclined to strenuously deny it.

Speaking generally from knowledge of New Zealand conditions, some form of investigation is undoubtedly made into the character of prospective candidates. In some Lodges this merely takes the form of obtaining testimonials from persons nominated by the petitioner. Perhaps, in addition, some enquiries are made in respect to financial position, but here the investigation ends. Surely you will agree that where such a state of affairs exists we are not carrying out our duty to the very best of our ability.

There is perhaps no duty pertaining to the affairs of the Lodge and Masonry in general that is more important than that of a proper investigation from all angles into the lives and actions of those who seek to become members of the fraternity.

How few brethren there are who fully comprehend the real service and responsibility that is implied in the obligation of investigating the character of a petitioner for the degrees in Masonry!

The regulations of Grand Lodges in respect to candidates are very similar and also very definite. I will quote from the Constitutions and Laws of the New Zealand Grand Lodge, with which I am more closely acquainted. Rule No. 144 requires that: "When a candidate for initiation or joining shall be proposed, it shall be the duty of the Master and Wardens of the Lodge to make investigation as to the moral character and the qualifications of the candidate, and report thereon to the next meeting of the Lodge, and no proposition shall be acted upon by the Lodge until satisfactory evidence can be obtained regarding the character and general fitness of the candidate." The rule goes on to explain the Master's duty in the event of the enquiries proving unsatisfactory. It also states: "Any Lodge may, by its By-laws, provide for the appointment of an Investigating Committee for the purposes of this rule, comprising one or more Past Masters of the Lodge, in addition to the Worshipful Master and Wardens."

Now, the rules of Grand Lodge in respect to Craft, Lodges are made for the express purpose of being strictly adhered to. I am not prepared to state that any Lodge lacks the machinery for proper investigation of candidates, but I know that in far too many Lodges the use of that machinery is very perfunctory and parts of the machinery do not do their jobs thoroughly.

Whether the Investigating Committee consists of the Master and his Wardens only, or includes other Past Masters, each member of that committee has a very definite and important job to do, and a job which should be carried out with just as much expedition and just as thoroughly as he would do an important job in his own walk of life.

Each member of the committee should realise that he is required to see the candidate personally and interview him. The best contact is to call upon him in his own home. By so doing, the investigator has the opportunity of observing general surroundings. Furthermore, by so doing, he will to a considerable degree be able to gauge the ability of the candidate to spend the money that is necessary to make him a Mason. Should such an approach be impossible, an appointment can be made elsewhere.

The approach should be as kindly and friendly as only a Mason knows how to make it. Be frank and open, explaining the necessity for such close enquiry as you go along. Certain questions should, of course, never be omitted, such as what were the motives prompting the candidate to request admission, and what benefit, pecuniary or otherwise, he expects to derive from being a Mason. If married, the enquirer should learn whether his *suggested* action meets with the approval of his family, and whether his dependents are likely to be adversely affected by the loss of the money which will be spent on Initiation Fees and Lodge Dues, etc.

His religious ideas, particularly in respect to a belief in God, should be determined. Make sure that he understands the seriousness of Masonry, and that he does not think that it is merely a "place of entertainment and amusement, or a social centre only.

Finally, when he has learned all he can by personal contact with the candidate, the member should verify his conclusions by making further investigations in a discreet manner amongst his acquaintances and business associates. In making a report to his Committee, he should allow no sentiment to enter into his consideration. He should deal honestly with cold facts based on careful observation and diligent enquiry and the report should be either favourable or unfavourable. I have upon occasions heard a report to the effect that nothing in particular has been found against the candidate, and that he is as good as others who are already members. Such a report is valueless, and, in my opinion is sufficient grounds for rejection, and merits it. There should always be sufficient positive good qualities to recommend him, otherwise he should not be admitted.

I know of at least one Lodge in Auckland City where a very good system is in use. A brother, having a prospective candidate, approaches the Master, giving full particulars. If the Master and his Wardens are satisfied, the brother is invited to bring his candidate along on an Instruction Night, when the Investigating Committee receive him in an ante-room. He is made to feel at home and in a friendly atmosphere, and is asked the usual questions, with others relevant to the occasion, which members of the Committee may think

it wise to ask, and he is told candidly the reasons why such enquiries are made from him. Having been duly subjected to kindly investigation, he is told that he is entitled to know something of the aims and objects of the society and the high standards of living expected of its members.

Such information is contained in the "Statement of the Aims and Objects of Freemasonry" contained in Rule 147 of the N.Z. Constitution, is then explained fully and enlarged upon, and the candidate is invited to ask questions, the answers to which are given, provided, of course, the candidate is entitled to receive them.

This system properly carried out, in addition to personal enquiries and written testimonials, should ensure a minimum of error in the selection of suitable stones for our building.

Appended to the N.Z. Grand Lodge proceedings is a guide to the actions of both the W.M. and M.Ms. in the matter of dealing with objections to candidates. These proceedings are probably fully read by very few Masters and P.Ms., and seldom come into the hands of the average M.M. The Board of General Purposes might well consider the advisability of all newly raised M.Ms. receiving similar instructions in printed form, together with the Book of Constitution.

Objections can be divided into two classes:

- (1) Those received from any source other than members of the Lodge concerned.
- (2) Those received from members of the Lodge concerned.

The case of objections from, outside the Lodge should be most fully investigated before any report is made, but they should nevertheless be treated just as seriously as those coming under the second class.

In the case of a member of the Lodge having a serious objection to the candidate, or suggested candidate, he has two courses' open to him:

- (a) To intimate in confidence to the W.M. that he entertains such an objection as would cause him to blackball in the event of a ballot being taken.
- (b) To blackball the candidate without notice of intention to do so.

The second course of action is, of course, entirely contrary to the true spirit which should prevail within our Fraternity, and the Grand Lodge of N.Z. realises this fact by suggesting under Rule 144 that the objector should intimate in confidence to the Master that he entertains such an objection. The Master cannot insist and should not coerce the objector to give his reasons, if he does not wish to disclose them. The reason for this suggestion under Rule 144 is obvious—to give the proposer an opportunity of avoiding the blackballing of his candidate by withdrawing the proposal. The proposer has the right to withdraw his proposal at any time before ballot, if he thinks fit, and it is not necessary (as is sometimes thought) for the proposer to obtain the consent of the candidate to the withdrawal of his name.

It cannot be stressed too strongly that the candidate is just as much entitled to a reasonable knowledge of the Aims and Objects and general principles of the society he seeks to join, as we are entitled to ensure that he is a suitable person to become a member. Freemasonry is a society with secrets, but not a Secret Society. The Aims, Objects and General Principles for which we stand are open for all the world to know, and most certainly should be fully understood by him who seeks admission.

My own experience is probably not dissimilar from those of many thousands of others. For a number of years I desired to join the Craft, but laboured under the impression that I had to be asked. My only motive for wishing to join was to share some of the genuine friendship I had observed between Masons of my acquaintance. I knew nothing of the aims and objects of the Order, and had just a hazy idea that I would have to go through some form of ceremony to become a member.

Grand Lodges evidently realise the importance of this matter, as Rule 147 of the N.Z. Constitution requires that "Each candidate applying for admission to the Craft shall be supplied with a copy of the statement in reference to the Aims and Objects of Freemasonry." Nothing would please me better than to be corrected in the statement that a considerable number of Lodges do not see that every candidate receives this statement, and in some Lodges the statement is never issued. This, of course, is not the fault of Grand Lodge, but is due to the machinery of the Lodges in question not functioning properly.

The statement is clear, but necessarily brief and concise. To my mind the mere reading of it is hardly sufficient. Official printed statements such as these are usually restrained and rather like "conditions of employment" and such like. They lack the warmth of personal explanation, which should in addition be given by an experienced brother. Also it must be realised that, to some, printed matter does not appeal—they fail to absorb the facts set out for them.

Masonic Secrecy is more concerned with the method than with the matter. Whilst the obligations associated with the ceremonies of the Craft do not leave a man free to disclose our Masonic signs, tokens and words, yet he enjoys perfect freedom to impart the principles, spirit, ideals and purposes of the Fraternity. More especially is this so in respect to those seeking admission, in order that they may be quite sure that the work they are about to undertake will really appeal to them. It must not be overlooked that there are some quite estimable men, to whose particular make-up our principles and ideals will not appeal, and that we have made many Masons who would have been inclined to withdraw if they had had imparted to them what they were quite entitled to know regarding the Society.

Do not misunderstand my ideas in respect to Masonic Secrecy. It has always been my strong conviction that the greatest caution and secrecy should be exercised in respect to whatever takes place within the temple buildings, whether it be ceremonies, business, or refectory proceedings. These should only be discussed with or told to brethren justly entitled to hear them.

If a candidate asks what Masonry really is, he can surely be told that the fundamental idea of all Masonic Lodges is a desire for moral improvement, or, in other words, "the establishment of a centre, where outside the occupation of everyday life, work is carried on through study, symbols, and a good understanding, with a view to the betterment of humanity, by favouring the development of the moral life of the members of the Lodges."

Freemasonry is a system of Philosophy, for as Voltaire says, "The discovery of what is True and the practice of what is good are the two most important objects of philosophy."

That in all Lodges, the Ritual, the teachings, the statutes and intercourse are founded on the principles of broadest toleration—that a man is not judged according to his origin, his position, his fortune or his religion. What is required of a man is to be a free man of good character, ready to favour the activity of the Lodge and the works it may create or support.

That in all Lodges we aspire to form men, to strengthen character, to fortify the will—to supply the family, the country and society with well tempered natures, which are happy to put themselves at the disposal of their fellowmen, and to further anything that adds to the glory of the country, or anything that tends to the welfare of mankind.

The Freedom and Tolerance of Freemasonry does not regiment or compel, but rather tends to inspire—it offers the precept—it is for the individual Mason to supply the example.

That in all Lodges throughout the world the spirit which presides over any action is a spirit of sincere friendship—that this friendship, which is experienced from the very outset, presides over all acts of Masonic Life. It inspires all the speeches. It is the very soul of Freemasonry in all its activities. It unites the members of the Craft by ties, the power of which is known to those alone who have experienced it.

And all this is not opposed to the personal ideas of a Freemason, who has the right and is at perfect liberty to belong to the religion that suits him best, and to join any political party he pleases—Masonry is not, nor should it be, either racial, political, or religious. It cannot be incorporated with any sect or attached to any particular school. It rises above all such discussions in order to be able to offer all the friends of truth a common platform of goodwill and fraternal union.

He should be told not to join our Order out of childish curiosity, because, if such were his only motive, he might be disappointed—it is not unlike certain grand sights in nature, or masterpieces in art, the first sight of which is sometimes disappointing, and which must be seen often and studied in detail in order to be understood and appreciated.

He might also learn that, apart from the essential belief in God, if in matters of religion he starts from the idea that anyone not having the same convictions is a fool or is not sincere, he would be wise not to come in collision with Masonic discipline, which, in its essence, enjoins Tolerance. If, however, he holds a respect for every serene conscience, or if, being religious himself, he can bear with those who are in a different way, or who have none beyond the Craft's minimum requirements, then he need have no fear in joining us, for no one will offend him, and he will offend no one.

Whatever the walk of life of the candidate, whether he be a lawyer, a doctor, a manufacturer, a storekeeper, a government official or a clerk, if he expects to find clients and patrons in Masonry, he will not only be disappointed, but will be living a lie right from the outset of his Masonic career. Further, he will render both his Masonry and his merchandise suspicious.

If he be ambitious, and has abilities to equal his ambitions, by all means let him join us, but, if he expects to find stepping stones in Masonry, he will not only be a disappointment to us, but will be wasting both his time and money.

Should he be a man whose opinions are such that they possess him, rather than he possesses them—if he has propensities which are so strong that they make him the censor of others, he will never have the character of a Freemason nor will he understand those who are.

Perhaps he is a man who is entirely absorbed by his profession, by his work, or by his position in the world. If so, he may be wise not to join us. It would be foolish for him to undertake assiduous duties which would be a burden to him.

He should be advised that if, in addition to a love of the true and good, he has not also a mind turned towards the poetry of life, if his reason is not mingled with a little delicacy of feeling, he might find himself bored with our ceremonies. If, however, he has a veneration for progress and the memory of the past—if, whilst pursuing knowledge, he understands at times the charm of a venerable error—if customs appeal to him merely because they are old, and old forms because they are beautiful, and even prejudices because they are the history of humanity—then he will find a field of action well suited to him in Masonry.

And now, our candidate, having satisfied us fully as to his suitability to become a Mason, having been given sufficient knowledge of our society to be quite sure that he wishes to join us, and having been elected a member of a Lodge subject to his initiation, what is our next duty towards him?

We know that every candidate requires and should have certain directions before he presents himself at the Lodge door. The duty of this preparation should be in the hands of an experienced brother or Past Master, as not infrequently the proposer and seconder may not have the necessary qualifications or experience. He should be "sounded" as to the answers he will be likely to give to the important questions, where he may not or should not be prompted, and he should be made aware of the contents of the Declaration he will be called upon to sign.

It is also our duty to see that the candidate approaches our threshold with a full conviction that Freemasonry is an Institution that stands for everything that is good—that he realises that the ceremony connected with the admission of a member is one of a very solemn but beautiful nature. See that his mind is thoroughly disabused of any false impressions, which may have been created by the jocular remarks made by his friends. We want nothing to interfere with the concentration of his mind on the ceremony through which he is passing.

The officer whose duty it is to look after the preparation should explain in a friendly and dignified manner that the rules of the Order require a certain form of preparation, but that a full and satisfactory explanation will be given to him. If he is treated and advised in this manner, he will rarely fail to become interested in the work, and we may look forward to his becoming a Freemason worthy of the name.

Such an address as this would not be complete without some reference to "Impressing the Candidate." There is so much that can be said, and the matter is of such great importance, that it should be the subject of an address itself. I hope that some brother will feel the urge to deal fully with it on some future occasion.

First impressions are often the most lasting. If you were asked why you attended a meeting at which a degree was being worked would you all agree that you came to assist in some way in making Freemasonry a real thing to the candidate? At his initiation, for instance, could the majority of us honestly state our main desire was to help the candidate to realise that he had that night taken a step so important that his whole life would be influenced for good? We must admit that brethren come for many other reasons. Some come from a sense of official duty, in which capacity they are mainly concerned with noting the technique of the officers. Some may come out of compliment to their W.M. Some are friends of the candidate longing to be with him during the period of his entrance to a new life, and to extend the hand of congratulation and good fellowship at the earliest opportunity. Others are largely concerned with the refectory proceedings to follow. But, above all, our first duty is to our candidate. He is the particular stone, on which we are working with such loving care and skill.

This should be the only thought in the mind of all the brethren, particularly the officers and brethren giving charges. They should give of their best so that the stone may be well and truly laid.

Finally, there is the duty we owe to our candidates over the first few years of their Masonic life. The sponsors assume a great responsibility and become invested with a privilege in the furthering of the welfare of the new member. Unfortunately it is true that in many cases, when a candidate completes his degrees, he is allowed to shift for himself, to "find" himself in the fraternity as best he can. If he happens to be of a

somewhat reticent and reserved disposition, he is apt to make little headway, and perhaps quite unconsciously will feel neglected, with the ultimate result that his interest wanes.

It is therefore the first great responsibility of a sponsor to see that his candidate is wholeheartedly received into all the activities of the Lodge, not in any formal manner, but by the exercise of those numerous little attentions, that will make him feel that he is more than just an onlooker, whose province is to assist in constituting an audience. Make him feel from the start and continue to make him feel that he is indeed one of the fraternity.

Practically all new members are hungry for information. In passing through the various degrees they have heard long and serious lectures. These beautifully prepared discourses are designed to give the information the novitiate needs, and they undoubtedly do give him a splendid background of the principles and objectives of the fraternity. Because, however, of the newness of the surroundings and the strangeness of the proceedings, even the most mentally alert are able to absorb but a fraction of their significance. What the new member requires is a friendly discussion of Freemasonry in language with which he is acquainted. This will give him a keener insight into the Fraternity than the set phrases of the ritual. He should be encouraged to seek further light upon any particular point which is not clear to him. He will naturally turn to his sponsor as his mentor and counsellor.

Unfortunately, all sponsors are not capable of assisting a candidate in this manner. If he does possess the necessary qualifications, he is undoubtedly the best man to carry out this important duty. It is, of course, the duty of us all to assist our newer brethren, but is it not also a very true saying that "Everybody's duty becomes Nobody's duty"?

It is a strong conviction of mine that each Lodge should have a well chosen committee of experienced brethren and Past Masters for the express purpose of assisting sponsors in this most important work: Quite apart from the fact that this duty thus becomes somebody's duty, an opportunity is given to occupy some of our Past Masters with good and wholesome work. Furthermore, we have amongst us many valued brethren, well versed in Masonry, who for various reasons do not wish or are unable to take office. Surely no greater opportunity for service can be offered to them, and how enjoyable would be fireside chats in their own home with one or more new members in the long winter evenings.

Before passing the Second Degree, our new brother should have a thorough grounding in the meaning of the First Degree, and before being raised to the Third Degree he should be well versed in both the two preceding degrees. Apart from learning the answers to a few questions, what does our average candidate know of his previous degrees? I leave the question unanswered. You know the answer.

Many Lodges make a practice of not inviting a candidate to attend Lodges of Instruction until he has been raised to the degree of M.M. even though degrees, through which he has passed, are being worked. Surely this is one means by which he can become more acquainted with the degrees, especially if he acts as candidate. Further, a few simple printed talks upon each of the degrees would be most helpful. In some countries a brother is requested to repeat portions of the ritual of the previous degree, usually the Obligation. I wholeheartedly subscribe to this procedure, but I think that the portions selected should be more useful, such as the W.Ts. and the Final Charges.

In connection with the suggestion of suitable printed matter, a P.M. of one of the Northern Lodges has suggested to me that the Board of General Purposes might well consider producing simple booklets dealing with each of the Three Degrees under such heads as—

- (a) Historical.
- (b) Analysis of the Ritual.
- (c) Symbolical.

Such a suggestion is well worth consideration, and one which would be most helpful to Lodges in carrying out this most important duty. Each Lodge would have several sets of these books and loan them to candidates as they go through the various degrees. We have in this country men who have made a considerable study in one or other of these aspects, and who could undoubtedly put their knowledge into simple language for the benefit of our new members.

In conclusion, brethren, you have listened to facts which are not new to you, but, if I have in some small degree thrown more light upon this most important duty, so as to enable you as Masons to do your work more assiduously in future, then I have not laboured in vain.

I think it was Bernard Shaw who made the remark that Christianity had not failed because it "had never been tried."

It may be that so many seemingly promising Masons fall by the wayside because Freemasonry, like Christianity, has "never been tried" by them.

OBITUARY.

W. BRO. J. W. AITKEN, W.M. LODGE MATAURA, No. 174.

The sudden passing of W. Bro. J. W. Aitken, W. Master Lodge Mataura, No. 174, was a great blow to his brethren. Our late brother, who died on 28th May, was initiated on 10th April, 1922. Installed Master on 14th October, 1936, and for a second term on 11th October, 1944, he celebrated his 64th birthday on the night of the May regular meeting, when opportunity was taken in the refectory to toast him and convey congratulations. There was an attendance of over 30 members of his Lodge at the funeral, as well as a number of representatives of sister Lodges. The Masonic service at the graveside was conducted by W. Bro. R. Pryde, G.S.

W. BRO. J. S. DOLLAR, P.M.

Since its Installation, Lodge Awatere is mourning the loss of one of its most highly esteemed brethren, its Secretary, W. Bro. J. S. Dollar, who at the early age of 49 was suddenly called to the Grand Lodge above. W. Bro. Dollar, or as he was more affectionately known, Jack Dollar, was a foundation member and was installed as Master of Lodge Awatere, No. 292, in 1935, and has since given untiring service as Secretary for approximately eight years. He will be greatly missed, not only by the brethren but by the whole community of Seddon, where he always took an active part in all proposals for the prosperity of the district. The sympathy of all brethren will be extended to his widow and three daughters.

W. BRO. LIEUT.-COL. M. A. STEDMAN, M.C., P.M., UNITED FORCES LODGE, No. 245.

Just prior to the entrance of more than two hundred visiting brethren on the occasion of the annual Anzac Service, W. Bro. M. A. Stedman, M.C., was stricken with a heart attack and retired. Immediate medical attention was forthcoming and he was removed to hospital. Later in the evening he rallied for a brief period, but then sank into a deep coma from which he did not regain consciousness, passing on to the Grand Lodge above early the following morning. W. Bro. Stedman had recently retired from the Army, after having filled the position of O.C. at Burnham Military Camp. A born soldier, he carried those qualities into his daily life, and never spared himself in the service of his Lodge, being at the time of his death D.C. His loss will be severely felt. United Forces and representatives of many Lodges paid their last tribute of respect when he was laid to rest in the Lawn Cemetery, the Masonic rites being conducted by the W.M. To his wife and son, who is serving in the Pacific, deepest sympathy is tendered.

W. BRO. J. C. DUFF, P.A.G.D.C.

W. Bro. J. C. Duff, P.A.G.D.C., after a brief illness, passed away on 13th June. He was a P.M. of Lodge Manaia and was held in high regard throughout Taranaki. Courteous, conscientious and thorough, he was indeed a model Freemason, living out in his daily life the teachings of the Masonic Craft which he so greatly loved. He was a foundation member of Opunake R.A. Chapter and also a member of Taranaki R.C. Chapter. A Lodge of Sorrow was held at Manaia (said to be the best attended ever held in Taranaki). R.W. Bro. Simmons, Prov.G.M., was in charge and was assisted by R.W. Bro. Barclay (who gave the eulogy), W. Bros. Brown (W.M. of Lodge Manaia), Rev. D. Millar, P.G.C., and Bro. Rev. Holland, Chaplain.

W. Bro. Duff was greatly esteemed and honoured for the offices he had held, but always something more substantial, something more enduring, something more intangible, lies at the foundation.

HOW TO KNOW A MASON.

For an answer to the question no earnest Mason need go beyond the confines of his own ritual, the many injunctions it contains or the illustrations so forcibly placed before him of the line of conduct among his fellow-men which will prove to the world outside, by the practice of virtue and the exercise of justice and charitableness to all, the high ideals expected of all who may rightly claim, by deed as well as in word, the title of Mason.

But, to not a few among us, mere precept and example more convincing as these must prove, above all other means, in the eyes of a thinking world, are not sufficient, and often from their pent-up 'enthusiasm, as not infrequently also, and in a not inconsiderable number of cases, from rather thoughtless conception of Masonic ethics, added evidence is resorted to by the visible means of symbols displayed to all and sundry.

Reviving consideration of the various aspects of such public ostentation, a contemporary in South Africa, although admitting that the practice is viewed with disfavour in English, Irish and Scottish Jurisdictions, and among the most earnest of their members recalls that in other parts of the world, far from receiving condemnation, it is given encouragement. It inclines to the view, after examination of all "pros" and "cons," that it cannot be held as reprehensible nor be made liable to the interpretation of self-advertisement, and with an interested motive, in business or other walks of life qualifying this conclusion, however, with the reserve that it should be carried out with a modicum of discretion and not too blatantly.

With this view few real earnest Masons will feel disposed to agree (states the "Freemasons' Chronicle," London, Eng.), notwithstanding full allowances being made, of course, for customs and ethnical characteristics of other Lands and people where public display of adornments or decorations is generally recognised and practised in contrast to the greater natural reserve of the Englishman in such matters.

Much improvement, it must be recognised has taken place generally during the last decade or two in this respect in England, and far more seldom than was, the case with the former generation, in the display of such emblems on watch chains, tie pins, or signet rings, are met with, while the exhibition in the home, or worse still, at a place of business, of framed certificates has now become gratifyingly rare.

The same may be said, in fact, of the wearing of Masonic jewels attached to regalia in Lodge, and no longer, as formerly, is it the rule rather than the exception to witness some elder of the Lodge, with cloth flap added to his coat-side, duplicated at times on the left as well as the right side, covered with row upon row of tinkling jewels—in one extreme and notable case, many of the older generation will remember, recourse being even had to the back of the coat to provide for the further display of these tokens.

It would indicate a welcome tendency to a greater realisation of the real meaning of Masonry and its great teachings, which is a most heartening indication of real progress in the satisfaction found in deeds which gain in value for being done by stealth and do not require the stimulus, if such may be found by some, in the display of rewards gained.

That such jewels in many cases have their use and personal intrinsic values and associations in which one has every reason to take pride, no one will dispute, even without the discrimination most brethren are prepared to make, and rightly so, between the reward which has been earned by merit and ability, as against that which merely records a generous action, and one not always equally within the reach of one and all with varying degrees of personal sacrifice, or due regard for dependents.

In the first category must be placed, of course, those associated with services rendered as Master or First Principal of a Chapter; many of these, however, in the present emergency of war and the demands of national needs having been generously sacrificed to provide the magnificent contribution sent to H.M. Treasury for the relief of war distress of well over R20,000. In the second are included permanent festival jewels, hall stone medals, and not least the charity jewel, all of which may provide their measure of incentive for others, for such is often the avowed intention of the wearer himself, and as such they may fulfil a purpose.

The fact that seldom, if ever, are Grand Lodge Officers to be seen wearing these jewels would tend to support the contention that no longer is there need felt in their case to give evidence by such ostentatious means to any claims for recognition on the basis of past achievements to which such emblems are made the visible testimony to one's brethren.

But to contend that the wearing of emblems outside the Lodge can possess any value for the cause of Freemasonry is to beg the question, for its direct results can only be expected by the wearer himself to accrue, in the first place, to him and to his own purpose. As a means of ready identification it must at once be recognised as valueless, while the Masonic lessons such display can convey to the outside world who are not Masons must be a very questionable quantity.

In illustration of the abuse to which such means can lead, the experience is recalled of a brother travelling in a railway carriage seated opposite a young man, wearing prominently as a tie-pin the Square and Compasses framing the letter G, but who on being cautiously questioned disclaimed all knowledge of the meaning of such emblems, which he admitted he had purchased mainly for their quaint appearance and from the fact that the initial was that of his own name.

Could better example serve to explode the whole contention and purpose of those who display such emblems, or the wariness with which they should be increasingly regarded by all Masons, seeing that they can be purchased by anyone, even with evil or mercenary intent aforethought, for not only must they remain valueless as proof of membership, but may well lead innocently the well-intentioned from the path of caution enjoined upon them in the approach of the stranger. The fact that under some foreign legislatures the wearing by an unqualified person may render him liable to prosecution, neither can be regarded as fulfilling the demands of caution, nor is cognate to the underlying principle involved.

"By your deeds shall ye be known" is the only true criterion of test and by which alone every true Mason not only should wish to be judged and ought to strive to be known, for Masonry is not merely a "membership" of which one may be entitled to wear the badge, but an ethical system of moral conduct and high character which alone can be reflected in the mirror of daily life!

SEVEN RULES OF LIFE.

Strive to live each day in every human relation so that all who know you will necessarily believe in the purity of your motives and the goodness of your purposes. Let this be the chief defence of your reputation.

Do not do anything anywhere that for moral considerations you would not do everywhere.

Do not say anything to anyone that for moral considerations you would not say to everyone.

Strive to avoid antagonism save at the expense of right principles, and always hold due respect for the viewpoint and feelings of others.

No matter what occurs, strive to treat everybody everywhere as though nothing unpleasant had ever taken place.

Be very slow to demand explanations or apologies when wronged and very swift to offer them when wrong.

When there is uncertainty as to the right or wrong of any proposed act, always give right the benefit of the doubt.

Never personally offend another and strive never to take offence.—Frank W. Luce, D.D.

AUCKLAND NOTES.

There was an attendance of almost pre-war dimensions at the Tuakau Temple on 21st June, when the Prov.G.M. installed Bro. Alf. R. Hodgson. All the Lodges of the South Auckland area were represented, as well as several city Lodges, including three working under the E.C., and the Thames Lodge of Light, I.C. The Masters of the Franklin and Papakura Lodges acted as Presenting Officers, and W. Bro. J. B. B. Blakemore, P.G.O., officiated at the organ. W. Bro. Cashmore, Asst.G.D.C., addressed the Master, while W. Bro. A. T. Begg, G.P., delivered the charge to the Wardens. There was a large collection for the W.O. and A.M. Fund, and a convivial hour was afterwards spent in the refectory, where V.W. Bro. L. Tustain, P.G.Lect., represented the Prov.G.M., who was unable to remain late. Lodge Tuakau, No. 278, has now completed twenty years of existence and its finances are in a very healthy condition.

HAWKES BAY NOTES.

At the May regular meeting of Heretaunga, No. 73, presided over by W. Bro. T. W. Smith, W.M., there was a very good attendance. A candidate was raised to the Third Degree.

Lodge Te Mata paid an official visit and was well represented by officers and brethren of the Lodge.

The monthly regular meeting of Haeata, No. 272, on Monday, 28th May, was presided over by the W.M., W. Bro. E. W. Mitchell. There was a very good attendance. Lodges Heretaunga and Te Mata both paid official visits, the W.Ms. of both Lodges being accompanied by large numbers of their brethren. The work was to pass two candidates, and the officers of Lodge Haeata are to be congratulated on the very efficient manner in which the ceremony was conducted. W. Bro. J. E. Jones delivered the Tracing Board Lecture, this being the main feature, and for which reason there was such a large attendance, particularly of visitors.

The annual meeting of Lodge Victoria, No. 21, and installation of W. Bro. J. B. Meachen was held on Tuesday, 5th June, the Worshipful Master being reinstalled for a second term of office. The ceremony was

conducted by R.W. Bro. Edgar. C. Hurdsfield, Prov.G.M., assisted by W. Bro. A. A. Hastings, A.G.D.C., R.W. Bro. P. H. Harris, P.G.W., V.W. Bros. C. L. Thomas, P.G.D.C. and E. E. Bott, G.C., W. Bros. T. Rowe, G.S., E. C. Commin: P.G.S., A. J. Turville P.G.Swd.B., J. Christie, P.G.S., J. Rockell, P.G.O., and P. J. S. George, .P.G.Std.B. Lodges from throughout the district were represented by the sitting Masters, who in many cases were accompanied by many brethren.

At the regular meeting of Lodge Te Mata, No. 298, held on 16th May. W. Bro. C. H. Goffin, W.M., presided over a good attendance. The business was the passing of two candidates.

It is pleasing to report that W. Bro. A. K. Johnston. P.M. Lodge Haeata, and P.Z. Heretaunga B.A. Chapter, is home again and progressing very satisfactorily after an operation.

W. Bro. Logan has been discharged from hospital and has resumed duties.

The annual convocation of Heretaunga R.A. Chapter, No. 38, was held on Saturday, 5th May, when the following Grand Chapter officers performed the ceremony of installing V.E. Comp. C. S. Samuelson as 1st Principal: R. E. Comp. J. W. Elliott, G.Supt., V.E. Comp. T. Rowe. P.G. Chanc., R.E. Comp. C. S. Palmer, P.G.J., R.E. Comp. E. E. Bott, P.G.Supt.; V.E. Comp. J. Newton, P.G.D.C., V.E. Comps. W. A. Tims, P.Z., E. Cline Little, P.Z., F. E. McRoberts, P.Z., J. B. Bird, P.G.S.N.. P. J. S. George, P.Z., Ex. Comp. W. Lord. The attendance probably constituted a record for an Installation of Heretaunga Chapter, evidencing the popularity of V.E. Comp. Samuelson, to whom we all extend very good wishes for a happy and successful year of office.

R.Ex. Comp. E. E. Bott, P.G.Supt., is making very steady progress in his health and continues to attend Grand Chapter and Grand Lodge functions.

TARANAKI NOTES.

Quite a lot of business was put through at the June meeting of Lodge Manaia. Lodge Hawera paid an official visit on that night and brought a candidate, who was raised to the Third Degree by the P.Ms. of Lodge Manaia.

Lodge Patea Kil. had four propositions for joining members at the June meeting. They came from far afield—one from Invercargill.

The May meeting of Lodge Moa was well attended. The ceremonial work was an initiation. It was decided to hold an emergency meeting to reduce the waiting list, so it can be seen that the Lodge is doing well.

Bro. Williams, who was transferred in 1917 from Inglewood to Kaitaia, has been spending a vacation here and reviving old friendships.

The S.W. of Lodge Hawera, Bro. J. Edwards, is now Master-elect, and will be installed as Master at the July meeting.

Mt. Egmont Lodge, No. 670. E.C., worked a Third Degree at the June meeting.

W. Bro. Todd, P.M., occupied the chair at Te Henui Lodge on 12th June and with the P.Ms. of the Lodge initiated a candidate. Two candidates were balloted for at this meeting.

Opunake R.A. Chapter held its annual meeting (the first) on 9th June. V. Ex. Comp. H. Shields was installed as Z., V.E. Comp. L. A. Young as H., and Ex. Comp. Harry Bayliss as J. The meeting passed off very happily under the direction of the G. Supt., R. Ex. Comp. J. L. Campbell. Grand Chapter was well represented and most of the G. Chapter representatives took part in the work. W. Bro. F. J. Young was installed as W. Mark Master by V.E. Comp. Alex. Ferguson. M.E. Comp. McVilly was on the programme to address the Comps. at large, but, much to the disappointment of the Comps., was unable to attend. In his absence, M. Ex. Comp. McAllister gave the address.

In addition to those mentioned, those taking the principal part in the Installation were R. Ex. Comps. W. W. Thomson and H. D. Caplen, P.G.Supts. R. Ex. Comp. T. Richardson, P.G.H., V. Ex. Comps. R. J. Watt, G.Swd.B., H. W. Douglas, and G. C. C. Willis. V. Ex. Comp. H. G. McDonald ably performed the arduous duties of D.C.

Lodge Kaponga raised a candidate at the June meeting. The W.M., W. Bro. J. A. Dawson, intends leaving the district shortly, much to the regret of the brethren as well as a host of friends. He takes with him our very best wishes.

Taku Hoa R.A. Chapter is doing well under the direction of V. Ex. Comp. G. Littlejohn, Z.

A very good rendering of the R. Ark Mark Degree was given at the June meeting of the Egmont R.A. Chapter, held at Stratford. It is intended to work the other side degrees at the July meeting.

A very welcome visitor at the Egmont R.A. meeting was V.Ex. Comp. T. A. H. Dixon, P.G.Soj., from the Wairarapa Chap., No. 12. The 1st Prin., V.Ex. Comp. Kohn, cordially greeted Comp. Dixon, who suitably replied.

The Installation meeting of Lodge Sir Donald McLean. No. 1646, E.C., took place at Waitara on Saturday. 2nd June. when Bro. L. A. Alexander, S.W., was installed in the chair. The Dist.G.M., R.W. Bro. J. W. Jack, P.G.D., was present and received Prov.G.L. officers of the Irish Constitution as visitors. There was a very large attendance and enthusiasm prevailed.

RUAPEHU NOTES.

R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, Prov.G.M., conducted the Installation of Bro. V. B. Short as W.M. of Lodge Manchester, No. 287. on 22nd May, at Feilding. There was an excellent attendance of Grand Lodge officers and brethren. The Wardens were invested by the W.M., and the other officers by W. Bro. W. P. Henderson, P.A.G.D.C.; the address to the W.M. was given by the Prov.G.M.; the Wardens were addressed by W. Bro. W. E. Carthew, P.G.D., and brethren by W. Bro. P. W. Morris, P.A.G.D.C.

The name of Ohakea Air Force Lodge has been changed to Ohakea Services Lodge. At the regular meeting in May the Third Degree was worked. The Installation meeting was to take place on 26th June at Palmerston North, and was to be conducted by R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash.

Every seat in the Temple was occupied at Lodge Awatea's May meeting, when the W.M. W. Bro. R. B. Jordan, carried out the ceremony of Initiation. W. Bro. C. Page again distinguished himself by organising the annual Ladies' Night, when no effort was spared in entertaining our women folk.

When Bro. L. C. Young was installed as W.M. of Lodge Whanganui OE 28th May by W. Bro. A. B. Gilmour, P.A.G.D.C., our Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, was in attendance and was supported by a large number of Grand Lodge officers. The various addresses were delivered by V.W. Bro. N. G. Armstrong, P.G.L., W. Bro. L. Sherriff and the Prov.G.M., conveying to the brethren the genuine principles and tenets of the Craft. A very enjoyable hour was spent in the refectory after the ceremony.

The Wanganui Royal Arch Chapter is to be congratulated on its efforts in arranging a combined meeting of the Chapters to witness the presentation of a suit of regalia to M. Ex. Comp. W. E. Sandford, P.G. 1st Principal. In making the presentation, R. Ex. Comp. W. A. Waters, G.Supt., referred to the service M. Ex. Comp. Sandford had given to Royal Arch Masonry over a number of years, the progress he had made in Grand Chapter, and his efforts in visiting so many Chapters throughout the country during his term as head of the Order. It was a fitting tribute to M. Ex. Comp. Sandford, and the large attendance of Companions from other districts besides Ruapehu was an indication of the respect he has earned for himself.

Marama Chapter, No. 224. Rose Croix of H.D.R.M, was well attended at the June convocation. The M.W.S., Ex. and Per. Bro. T. P. Hart, presided. Reference was made to the death on active service of Squadron Leader Ron. Bary. D.F.C., M.D., the eldest son of the Chapter Recorder. E. and Per, Bro. E. Bary.

At the June meeting of Feilding Lodge Bro. W. G. Hooper, S.W., was elected W.M.-elect for the coming year. This being the last regular meeting to be presided over by W. Bro. E. B. Cook, many complimentary references were made to the Lodge's progress during his administration. It is also pleasing to note that W. Bro. M. Hausmann has been re-elected Secretary.

One candidate for initiation, one ballot for a joining member, and two ballots for candidates was the business. W. Bro. G. M. Rennie, W.M. of the Manawatu Kilwinning Lodge, attended to at the last meeting. This will give readers some idea of the progress the mother Lodge of Palmerston North is making.

W. Bro. W. A. Sutherland, W.M. Rangitikei Lodge, Bulls, had a good attendance at the June meeting. A candidate was initiated. W. Bro. R. T. Colthart, of Lodge Waimarino, was elected a member.

The M.W. the Grand Master has been invited to attend Ruapehu Lodge's banquet and ladies' evening, and all the brethren throughout the district are hoping that he will be able to accept the invitation.

SOUTHLAND NOTES.

The "Victory" ball held by Lodge Victoria, No. 147, on 19th June in aid of the Hall Company "Peace Memorial" Fund has been the outstanding function during the past month. Congratulations must be extended to W. Bro. Buckingham, his officers and brethren for a delightful evening, truly in accordance with the high standard of organising established by this Lodge over a long period of years. Good music, a dainty supper, artistic decorations, and a well prepared floor enabled the 180 couples present to enjoy themselves to the full. Lodge Southern Cross, No. 9, has arranged to hold a high-class concert in the Forth Street Hall this month in aid of the "Memorial" Fund.

The generous gift of £1250 by the "grand old man" of Masonry in the Southland District, R.W. Bro. F. A. Steans, P.D.G.M., towards the erection of a caretaker's residence at the Forth Street Temple, was announced by R.W. Bro. A. Derby, P.Prov.G.M., chairman of directors, at the recent annual Installation of Lodge Southern Cross. No. 9.

Southern Cross Cryptic Council, No. 3. held its regular meeting on 20th June. One candidate was impressively received by V. Ex. Comp. K McK. Lyon. T.I.M., and officers. It was resolved to hold a meeting of the Council at Gore on 14th July, when several keen members of Huiroa Royal Arch Chapter will present themselves.

R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, Prov.G.M., and a number of Grand Lodge officers paid a fraternal visit to Lodge Aparima, No. 77, on 26th June. In the absence of ceremonial work, a most interesting and instructive address was given by R.W. Bro. Alex. Derby, P.Prov.G.M.

Lodge Fortitude, No. 64 (probably the most southern Lodge in the world), held their Installation of Master and investiture of officers on 16th June. R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, Prov.G.M., attended and installed W. Bro. D. J. Robertson into the chair of K.S. for a second term. The Wardens were invested and addressed by R.W. Bros. G. J. Yule and Jas. Manson, P.Prov.G.Ms., respectively. The Address to the Brethren was delivered by R.W. Bro. F. A. Steans, P.D.G.M. At this meeting the "skirl" of the pipes was in evidence during the entry and retirement of Grand Lodge officers. As usual, the renowned Foveaux Strait oyster proved a very popular dish at the refectory proceedings.

Bro. G. F. Griffiths S.W., will be installed Master of Lodge Waihopai, No. 189, on 16th July. The work of W. Bro. H. C. Mackenzie and Past Masters of this Lodge at the June meeting, when the 3rd Degree was worked, was of a very high standard.

A welcome visitor at the May convocation of Southern Cross Royal Arch Chapter, No. 3, was M.Ex. Comp. F. J. Rea, G.S.E. He was accompanied by R.Ex. Comp. G. H. Brown, G.Supt., and several Grand Chapter officers. The ceremony of "Passing the Veils" was conducted at this meeting by V.Ex. Comp. E. McK. Lyon, W.Ex. Master and officers, when a Mark Master of Wallace Royal Arch Chapter, No. 34, was acknowledged. V.Ex. Comp. J. M. Lindsay, 1st Prin., and several members of this Chapter were in attendance.

Ex. and Perf. Bro. A. W. G. McKee, M.W.S., and officers of Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, conducted their first meeting since the recent Installation. The ceremony of Perfection was conducted in a most impressive manner.

W Bro. L. H. Jones, Master Lodge Southland, 273, and a carload of brethren paid an official visit to the June meeting of Lodge Taringatura, No. 100.

W. Bro. J. G. Imlay, who has served Lodge St. John, No. 94, faithfully and well as Secretary for a number of years, has retired in favour of W. Bro. J. R. Battin.

Bro. F. C. Dale, who has taken over the duties of caretaker of the Invercargill Masonic Temple, is doing good work as a successor to W. Bro. J. L. Cheyne, P.G.S., who has held this office for a number of years. The large pavement in this Temple is one of the internal features of this beautiful building.

Bro. H. S. Harrington, of Lodge Victoria, No. 147, recently answered the call to the Grand Lodge above.

Bro. R. U. Macaulay was installed Master of Lodge Southern Cross, No. 9, the pioneer Lodge of the Province. in the presence of a large attendance of members and visitors, including M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, Pro G.M., R.W. Bro. J. D. Campbell, Prov.G.M., and a good following of Grand Lodge officers. The ceremony was conducted by the Prov.G.M., with W. Bro. Jas. Stobo as Asst.G.D.C. The Wardens were invested by R.W. Bro. A. Derby, P.Prov. GM., and addressed by W. Bro. W. J. Watson, P.Asst.-G.D.C.

Address to Master by Inst.O. M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith addressed the brethren. The junior officers were invested by W. Bros. E. P. Race, P.G.D., G. M. Turnbull, P,Asst.G.D.C., H. P. Weston, P.G.O., H. J. J. Farrant, P.G.St.B., Wm Kelman, P.Asst.G.D.C. A sacred solo was sung in the Temple by Bro. R. J. Laurenson, of Lodge Achilles, No. 310. The singing of Bros. Laurenson and A. Walmsley was an outstanding feature of the refectory proceedings.

Extremely cold weather prevailed for the Waikaka Installation, held on 26th May, when a record attendance of members and visitors was in evidence. 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 number of Grand officers. The Installation of Bro. P. R. Smillie as Master was conducted by the Prov. G.M., assisted by W. Bro. R. P. Boyne as G.D.C., M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, R.W. Bros. G. J. Yule, A. Derby, P.Prov. G.Ms., H. C. Macgibbon, S. C. K. Smith, P.G.Ws., and Jas. Manson, P.Prov.G.M., W. Bros. A. Scott, W. Kelman, Jas. McDonald, and V.W. Bro. W. Powell. The presence of "The Ladies" contributed much to the success of the refectory proceedings.

The Installation of Lodge Edendale, No. 289, will be held on the 24th of this month.

Two candidates were advanced at the June convocation of Southern Cross R.A. Chapter, No. 3, by the W. Mark Master and his officers.

OTAGO NOTES.

Brethren generally welcome the return to duty of V.W. Bro. G. S. M. Crawford, G.D.C., who entered Ranfurly Hospital rather urgently during the recent Otago Central tour.

The Otago District is delighted to learn that M.W. Bro. E. C. Smith, Pro. G.M., of Gore, is being nominated for the position of Grand Master for the ensuing year, and will look forward to an official visit in due course.

During the past month, Palmerston Lodge. No. 26, has carried out a full programme. The W.M., accompanied by 21 officers and brethren, paid a visit to Lodge Mt. Ida, Naseby, where a most enjoyable week-end was spent. Two brethren of Palmerston Lodge were passed to the Fellow Craft's Degree, the ceremony being performed by the W.M. and Officers of Lodge Mt. Ida in a most impressive manner. A further enjoyable evening was spent in the Palmerston Town Hall, when a social function in honour of the ladies was held. Over 250 guests were entertained, musical items being rendered by brethren of the lodge and members of their families. Bro. J. G. Park's dance band, augmented by players from the Dunedin Lodges, supplied the music for dancing, which was carried on until a late hour. At the regular meeting, one Brother was passed to the Second Degree, and the remainder of the year until the installation in August will be fully occupied in passing one brother and raising four brethren to the third degree. It is with extreme regret that the passing of W.Bro. C. M. Olsen, I.P.M., is recorded. A Lodge of Sorrow was held, and there was an exceptionally large attendance at the funeral, testifying to the esteem in which W.Bro. Olsen was held.

The Waitaki-Kilwinning Royal Arch Chapter, No. 8, held its monthly Convocation on 23rd May, but carried out only formal business. A Council of Red Cross Knights was then formed and degrees of Royal Ark Mariners and Red Cross Knights were conferred on four candidates with M.E. Chief Sir Knight Jas. Meikle presiding.

Oamaru Lodge, No. 260. held its annual meeting on 6th June, when a third degree was worked by the Past Masters of the Lodge. with W. Bro. Blackgrove in the chair. A very good attendance of members and visitors helped to make a fine meeting.

The Lodge of Waitaki, No. 11, at its meeting on 13th June initiated two candidates. This was the first meeting presided over by the new W.M., W. Bro. G. J. Sceats, and he was assisted by several P.M.'s. A W. Bro. of another Lodge was proposed for G. Lodge Office—a very fine gesture by this Lodge and showing that cordial relations between the Lodges of the District is evident.

In spite of Monday. June 4, being a holiday with many day and night counter attractions, the usual monthly meeting of Lodge Maori, No. 105, was very well attended by both the members and visitors from local and country lodges. Another candidate was initiated, and it was announced that at the next meeting craft members of the Returned Services Choir would probably be working the Second Degree. Matters in connection with the 50th Anniversary of the Lodge are receiving the attention of the committee set up for that purpose, and will shortly report progress. At the conclusion of the work in the Temple a bright and happy hour was spent in the refectory.

SOUTH CANTERBURY NOTES.

At the request of the Worshipful Master of Lodge Mackenzie, No. 93, a strong band of police brethren journeyed to Fairlie on 10th May for the purpose of conducting the ceremony of passing a brother of the local force. The ceremony was worked by all police brethren in South Canterbury, the following participating:—W.M., W. Bro. E. J. C. Hay, P.P.G.W., P.M. of Southern Star, No. 256; I.P.M., W. Bro. A. S. Bird, P.M. of Lodge Koranga, 197; S.W.ro. D. L. Calwell, Lodge Waihi, 112; J.W., Bro. C. J. L. Matheson, Caledonian Lodge, 16; Chap., Bro. D. J. Lloyd, Lodge Timaru, 196; D.C., W. Bro. J. Robertson, P.M. of Lodge Ashley, 28; S.D., Bro. G. H. Salisbury, Caledonian Lodge, 16; J.D., Bro. L. L. Stocker, Lodge St. Martin, 162; I.G., Bro. S. King, Lodge Koranga, 197. The various charges were delivered by W. Bros. A. S. Bird, T. W. Parkhill (Lodge St. George, 1128, E.C.), Bros. D. L. Calwell, C. J. L. Matheson, and S. King. W. Bro. G. A. Makeig (P.D.P.G.M.) assisted in the ceremony by a very fine rendering of the Second Tracing Board. The working of the degree was carried out in a very dignified manner, and W. Bro. Hay and his police brethren had every reason to be well satisfied with their effort.

This is the first occasion in South Canterbury that a degree has been worked by all brethren of the Law and Order section of the community, and the occasion created a great deal of interest as the lodgeroom was filled to capacity by Lodge Mackenzie brethren and visitors.

The proceedings were most happy and cordial, including the refectory, where community singing formed part of the social hour.

CHRISTCHURCH NOTES.

One of the most successful Masonic meetings of recent years was that held by the Masters and Past Masters' Lodge on Saturday, 26th May, under the charter of Lodge Koranga, No. 197, at the Masonic Hall, Banks Street, Timaru. There was an attendance of 156, which is believed to be the largest attendance at any meeting of the Masters and Past Masters' Lodge to date. There were present not only the four Timaru Lodges, but also the Masters and brethren of Lodge St. George, No. 29, Temuka, and Winchester, No. 1737, E.C., as well as representatives from Geraldine, No. 27, Pareora, No. 134, and other Lodges in the district. The Timaru brethren took a prominent part in the discussion on the papers read, and the meeting was one of the most enthusiastic which the Timaru brethren could remember. So much interest was aroused that a pressing invitation has been extended to the Masters and Past Masters' Lodge to make this an annual event.

The following special toasts were honoured in the refectory after the meeting:—"The Masters and Past Masters' Lodge," proposed by W. Bro. J. G. Duncan, Deputy Prov. G.M. and responded to by W. Bro. G. G. Calvert, W.M.: "V.W. Bro. R. B. Cape-Williamson, P.G.Lec.," proposed by W. Bro. G. A. McKeig, P.Dep.Prov.G.M.; "V.W. Bro. Dr. Ross Hepburn, G.Lec.," proposed by V.W. Bro. Geo. McKitterick, P.G.D.C. A very happy evening was spent in the refectory.

At the regular meeting of Civic Lodge, No. 157, on 5th June, the Master, W. Bro. G. G. Anderson, worked the First Degree. The candidate was the son of R.W. Bro. T. H. Williams, P.G.W., a P.M. of the Lodge. A number of Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers attended on this special occasion, including R.W. Bro. A. J. Jones, Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. J. W. Hillary, P.G.W., and V.W. Bro. Dr. Ross Hepburn, G.Lec. R.W. Bro. T. H. Williams gave the address in the North-East Corner.

R.W. Bro. F. F. Boustridge, P.Prov.G.M. (West Coast) has recently been a patient in St. George's Hospital and has been visited by many Christchurch brethren.

The Installation meeting of Doric Lodge, No. 275, was held on 14th June, when Bro. E. A. Baker, S.W., was installed as Master, the ceremony being conducted by R.W. Bro. A. J. Jones, Prov.G.M., assisted by officers of Provincial Grand Lodge.

Lodge Riccarton held its regular meeting on 19th June, when the Master, W. Bro. C. D. Marks, worked the Third Degree.

At the bi-monthly meeting of Prince of Wales R.A. Chapter on 20th June, the First Principal, V.W. Comp. J. C. Lindsay conferred the Royal Arch Degree on two candidates. There was a large attendance, this being the First Principal's last night in the chair.

Lodge Canterbury Kilwinning, No. 23, held its regular meeting at Lyttelton on 21st June, when there was a large attendance to honour the Master, W. Bro. S. E. Buchanan, on the occasion of his last night in the chair. The annual Soldiers gathering of United Forces Lodge was held on Saturday, 9th June. The function was largely attended, in all 55 different Lodges being represented, while the country representation from all parts of the province was a striking tribute to the attraction of this meeting. In the Temple the service took the form of a general thanksgiving, and an inspiring address was delivered by the Chaplain, V.W. Bro. Hardy, P.G.C. An outstanding musical programme was provided in the refectory, which was added to by Commander Bridson, D.S.O., D.S.C. and American Cross, who gave a highly interesting talk on some of his experiences with mine-sweepers and their personnel. The staff and team work so necessary in connection with this large function were of the high standard that has always characterised this Lodge.

NORTH CANTERBURY NOTES.

Will all town and country Masters and brethren please take notice that the Waimakariri-Hurunui Group will hold their annual conference and reunion on Saturday, 25th August, in the Cheviot Lodgeroom. The Masters of the group will meet at 7 p.m. and visitors will be admitted at 7.30 p.m.

Cheviot can handle this job, and all we require is the support of the Lodges in our group and as many outside the group who can attend, and they will get a great welcome. We know that W. Bro. Ernest Bathurst, Secretary of the Mid-Canterbury Group, is getting steam up ready for their Big meeting at Lincoln, and we wish him a very successful function.

The visit of Crown Lodge to Southern Cross was very successful, it being the annual exchange of gavel meeting. There was a good attendance. The Master, W. Bro. Tavendale, thanked Crown members for their attendance and also for supplying the candidate for the evening.

The recent regular convocation of Ashley Chapter was very good. Three candidates were advanced, the work was well done, and there was a good attendance. V.E. Comp. C. R. Turvey, Z., thanked the many visitors for their attendance. E. Comp. J. G. Nelson is now Scribe E. of Ashley Chapter, and his address is 49 Bush St., Rangiora.

V.E. Comp. Geo. Harlow did a wonderful job as Scribe E., but has retired on account of failing health.

Ashley Lodge is getting along very nicely, and W. Bro. Wally Nairn, the energetic Master, is having a very busy year and has a very enthusiastic team of officers and brethren to help him, not forgetting a solid support from the Past Masters. W. Bro. Andrew Shankland. Preceptor, has everything working splendidly and is a fountain of knowledge.

Tawera had a very good night when Cashmere attended and supplied a candidate to be raised. The work was excellent, and the Master, W. Bro. Woodham thanked W. Bro. Donald Minson, Master of Cashmere, for his kindness and generosity.

The Master of Mairaki Lodge, W. Bro. Arthur Chambers, has everything going in full swing and has a nice lot of work, and the educational side is also receiving very careful attention.

Acacia had a splendid meeting when Robert Burns once again attended and brought a candidate to be raised by Acacia. The work was nicely done, and W. Bro. Whittington thanked W. Bro. Richardson for coming such a long way to help.

Special mention should be made of the great work W. Bros. Richardson and Minson, Masters of Robert Burns and Cashmere, are doing in getting out into the country and bringing out candidates to provide work for the Lodges who are starving for candidates. We will never be able to thank or repay their generosity and thoughtfulness.

Cheviot had a splendid emergency meeting to receive W. Bro. Don Munson, Master of Cashmere, and his brethren, who journeyed all the way to Cheviot and supplied a candidate for Cheviot to work a Scotch Third, and W. Bro. Crossen, W.M., and his officers did very well, as usual. W. Bro. Minson and his Lodge were generously entertained and thanked for their kindness.

Amuri Lodge had a very nice little meeting recently, and W. Bro. Raymond Davison has his team in fine shape ready for some work that may come along shortly. He would also welcome any city Lodge who may find time to go out and lend a candidate.

The Hanmer Masonic Association has been founded, and will be a great help to the many soldier brethren in the Hospital. Bro. James Manson is Secretary and can supply information.

Kaikoura Lodge is full of progress and the news letter speaks of wonderful happenings.

W. Bro. James Johnson and the country Past Masters staged a come-back and it was a marvellous display of talent.

W. Bro. Arthur Turner occupied the chair recently and initiated his son, who has been overseas for five years. W. Bro. Tom Hitchcock, who has been Organist of the Lodge over a long period, was specially entertained, and W. Bro. W. Sherrard, an old-time Past Master, attended and received a warm welcome.

Great schemes are being hatched out to extend the refectory and add special conveniences ready for the Sixtieth Jubilee in 1947, and probably the Big Victory meeting, which the Group hope to stage when V Day comes.

W. Bro. Selby-Williams and his brethren are to be commended on their prosperous outlook and vision for the future.

NELSON-MARLBOROUGH NOTES.

On Saturday, 26th May, Lodge Victory, No. 40, celebrated its 64th anniversary, the occasion being marked by a most successful and largely-attended Installation ceremony, when Bro. Henry Grandison Walker, S.W., was duly installed as Worshipful Master. The Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. James Baird, presided, and he was assisted during the ceremony by R.W. Bros. Stiles, P.D.G.M., W. J. Girling, Deputy G.M.. C. A. Eckford, J. L. Ching, W. G. Rudd, P.Prov.G.Ms.; E. H. Thomson, P.G.W.; V.W. Bros. F. Mogridge, Asst. Prov.G.M.: F. J. Daynes, P.G.C.: S. Cannington, P.G.Lec.; T. A. Kirby. P.G.D.C.; W. Bros. S. E. O'Hara. P.G.D.: R. A. Craighead. P.Asst.G.D.C.; Morley, G.P.: Hood, G.S.; W. A. Armstrong, Past D.D.G.M. Westland-Nelson. E.C., R. Brown, Asst.G.D.C. Kawatiri-Westport Lodge, and the Worshipful Masters of Lodges Southern Star, Wairau, Waimea and Nelson. The attendance totalled 187, including 70 P.Ms., who formed an impressive Board. W. Bro. J P. Cottier, Asst. G.D.C., ably directed the proceedings, which under the presidency of the Prov. G.M., who took a leading part, particularly in the Board, were of a high order. The address to the brethren, delivered in such an impressive manner by the Deputy G.M., was especially appreciated. Full reference was made to the Installation occurring in Victory Lodge so shortly after VE Day and the central feature of the delightfully-decorated refectory was the name Victory worked in large letters of flowers, An excellent team of officers was installed, special reference being made to the reappointment for the 23rd consecutive year as Secretary of R.W. Bro. Stiles, who recently celebrated his 80th birthday. The visitors included many members of the Air Force, of which the W.M. is a member, also twenty brethren from the Marlborough Territory, including the W.Ms. of Lodges Wairau, Havelock and Waitohi, also the W.M. and brethren from St. Cuthbert's, Collingwood. The special prayer, prepared and read by V.W. Bro. Daynes, was most impressive and suitable to the occasion. The refectory proceedings were right up to the usual high standard associated with Victory Lodge and with the conclusion of a most happy Masonic function.

The Asst. Prov. G.M., V.W. Bro. Frank Mogridge, presided at the Installation meeting of Lodge Waitohi. No. 111, which took place at the Masonic Temple, Picton, on Saturday, 28th April. Bro. Percival Kenneth Elvy was duly installed as Worshipful Master in the presence of a large assembly of Marlborough brethren, W. Bro. C. G. Whiteford, P.Asst.G.D.C., officiating as G.D.C. The W.Ms. of Lodges Wairau, Havelock, Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity and Awatere, accompanied by a good following of their brethren, were in attendance, and also took part in the ceremony, following which the visitors were most cordially entertained in the refectory. Actually, the Lodge held its regular meeting at 3 p.m. on the Saturday afternoon of the Installation date, when a member of the Maori race was initiated.

Bro. David Ray Lockhart was installed Worshipful Master of Lodge Awatere on Saturday, 12th May. The Prov. G.M., R.W. Bro. James Baird, presided, whilst the duties of G.D.C. were carried out most efficiently by W. Bro. G. Mitchell, P.A.G.D.C., and those of G.O. by W. Bro. E. L. Hay, P.A.G.D.C. The Deputy Grand Master. R.W. Bro. Girling. was in attendance, and he was received with the Grand Honours due to his exalted rank. Many other G.L. officers were present and took part in the ceremony. The Worshipful Masters of Lodge Havelock, Wairau, Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity and Waitohi, together with a good following of their brethren, were also in attendance and took part. Representatives of many other Lodges were present, including the W.Ms. of Lodges Victory and Nelson.

During the past month all Lodges in the Territory have held well-attended meetings, and there have been several Emergency Meetings, including the return visit by Golden Bay Lodge, Takaka, to Southern Star. This visit, which took place on Saturday, 16th June, and was largely attended, represented the 25th of such annual

visits, a fact to which W. Bro. Baigent, who, with several others whom he mentioned, was present on the occasion of the first visit 25 years ago, made special reference.

On the same evening, 16th June, St. Cuthbert's Lodge, Collingwood, received an official visit from the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. Girling, who was accompanied by the Prov. G.M., R.W. Bro. James Baird, and other G.L. officers. It is understood that the D.G.M. has in prospect further visits to District Lodges in the near future; and these will be greatly appreciated and be most helpful to the Lodges concerned.

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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)	1900-01
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M.W. Bro. Alexander Stuart Russell (deceased)	1902-03
M.W. Bro. Herbert James Williams (deceased)	1904-05
M.W. Bro. Alfred Henry Burton (deceased)	1906-09
M.W. Bro. Lord Plunket (deceased)	1910-11
M.W. Bro. C. J. W. Griffiths (deceased)	1911
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M.W. Bro. Maurice Thompson	1914-15
M.W. Bro. John Joseph Dougall (deceased)	1916-17
M.W. Bro. Oliver Nicholson	1918-19
M.W. Bro. Sir Alexander L. Herdman	1920-21
M.W. Bro. Thomas Ross (deceased)	1922-23
M.W. Bro. Earl Jellicoe (deceased)	1922
M.W. Bro. S. C. Bingham (honoris causa) (deceased)	1924
M.W. Bro. Rt. Hon. W. F. Massey (deceased)	1924
M.W. Bro. Hon. H. L. Michel (honoris causa) (deceased)	1924
M.W. Bro. General Sir Charles Fergusson, Bart.	1925-28
M.W. Bro. George Russell (honoris causa)	1928
M.W. E. W. G. H. Watts (honoris causa) (deceased)	1929
M.W. Bro. James J. Clark (deceased)	1929
M.W. Bro. James H. Harkness (honoris causa)	1932
M.W. Bro. Viscount Bledisloe	1930-33
M.W. Bro. Colonel James J. Esson (deceased)	1934-35
M.W. Bro. William Lishner (honoris cause)	1938
M.W. Bro. Viscount Galway (deceased)	1936-39
M.W. Bro. Charles J. Ronaldson	1940
M.W. Bro. Campbell L. MacDiarmid	1941-42
M.W. Bro. H. G. Teagle	1943-44

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

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Whangarei, 102:—Founded 1870; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, second Mon., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., E. R. Wolledge; S.W., M. N. McLeod; J.W., J. E. Fuge; Sec., P. Connell, P.M., P.O. Box 164, Whangarei.

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

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Waitakere, 170:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Henderson, 3rd Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. L. Sadgrove; S.W., C. J. Polkinghorne; J.W., J. P. Dorman; Sec., W. H. Roberts, P.M., Te Atatu Rd., Henderson.

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

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Hauraki Plains, 249, Ngatea, Auckland.

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

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

Arohanui, 264:—Founded 1924; meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, 2nd Tues., except Jan. Install. May. W.M., H. H. Ward; S.W., G. J. Maddren; J.W., W. H. Scott; Sec., W. L. J. Cahill, 140 Mt. Albert Rd., Auckland, S.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.

Parahaki, 269:—Founded 5th Sept., 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. first Thurs. Aug. W.M., S. C. Hegley; S.W., A. Macpherson; J.W., L. G. Millar; Sec., A. E. Brown, 29 Mains Ave., Whangarei.

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Kumeu, 279, Kumeu.

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

The Combined Forces Lodge, 284:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, second Tues. (Jan. excepted). Install. March. W.M., 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., A. Philburn; S.W., V. C. Diamond; J.W., C. L. Shepherd; Sec., Walter Weaver, P.G.S., "Ingleside," 14 Mt. Royal Avenue, Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

Ararangi, 297:—Founded Sept. 3, 1928; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, first Mon. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Sept. W.M., W. M. Duncan; S.W., W. B. Tindall; J.W., G. E. Tennent; Sec., F. J. C. Wright, P.M., 11 Galatea Tce., Herne Bay, Auckland, W.1.

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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. Nicolson; 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. Simden; Sec., G. T. Bull, P.D.P.G.M., 141 Russell Street, Gisborne.

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

Ohinemuri, 107:—Founded 1898; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, third Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., J. M. 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. Copstake, P.M.; Sec., J. B. Beeche, P.M., Box 14, Waihi.

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

Waipā, 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. R. Rundle; S.W., A. Corlett; J.W., K. W. Low; Sec., Jas. Henderson, G.S., King St., 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., E. Petchell; Sec., H. R. Hill, Stewart St., Raglan.

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

Nau Mai, 177:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hakaia St., Taumarunui, first Wed., 8 p.m. Install. Nov. W.M., 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., Wm. Walsh; S.W., W. H. G. Allen; J.W., R. F. Schwarz; 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. Colinson 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 35, 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., A. J. Morsehead; S.W., E. Harries; J.W., R. J. Prebble; Sec., O. G. James, P.G.S., P.O. Box 12, Tolaga Bay.

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

Waipā, 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 8, 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., 64 Ulster St., Hamilton.

Kati Kati, 295:—Founded 25th May, 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Kati Kati, second Tues., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., G. A. Sherson; S.W., J. R. Bayliss; J.W., G. J. Hill; Sec., D. F. D. Wickham, P.M., Box 92, Kati Kati, Bay of Plenty.

Pukemiro, 301:—Founded 1930; meets Masonic Temple, Pukemiro, every fourth Saturday (commencing 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. Hurdsfield, Prov.G.M.)

Scinde, 5:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, third Tues., except Jan. Install. third Tues. in June. W.M., W. A. Painter; S.W., N. F. Harston; J.W., S. A. Bradshaw; Sec., Percy Kay, P.O. Box 25, 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, Walpukurau, first Wed., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., J. H. Hindman; S.W., A. Johnston; J.W., W. G. Mackenzie; Sec., J. A. Walker, P.O. Box 75, Walpukurau.

Abercorn, 30:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Waipawa, third Mon., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. H. Vooce; 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 St., Dannevirke, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. last Wed. in May. W.M., T. H. Pickard; S.W., D. H. Gordon; J.W., S. MacKenzie; Sec., J. A. Johnston, P.O. Box 137, Dannevirke (Phone No. 2654).

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 Thurs., 7.30. Install. fourth Wed. in June. W.M., W. C. P. Cotter; S.W., W. H. Couston; J.W., W. L. H. Peterson; 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., V. P. Williams; S.W., J. S. Tait; J.W., A. E. Hutcheson; Sec., E. H. Cload, 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.

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

Napier, 268:—Founded 1924; meets Scinde Temple, Church Lane, Napier, fourth Thurs. (except Dec., second Tues.). Install. Sept. W.M., P. W. Peters; S.W., F. W. Fox; J.W., H. Peters; Sec., J. A. McLean, P.M., 21 Vigor Brown St., Napier.

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

Porangahau, 296:—Founded 19th Sept., 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. Sivewright; J.W., T. C. Crawford; Sec., C. J. Cushing, 109A Duchess Crescent, Hastings.

Hawkes Bay Research Lodge, 305:—Founded August 1, 1933. Meets Hastings (or elsewhere) first Monday August, Nov., Feb., and May. Install. Aug. W.M., W. A. Meads; S.W., E. C. Pirie, P.A.G.D.C.; J.W., W. E. Bate; Sec., 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. Haberfeld; Sec., L. O. Storm, P.M., 49 Disraeli St., Hawera.

Ngamotu, 48:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Temple, Lizard 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, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., K. F. Mehrtens; S.W., B. O. Harris; J.W., J. Bridger; 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.

Ikarua, 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.

Whangamomona, 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. Proffitt, Huinga.

Taranaki, 240:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Union St., Hawera, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., H. Butchart; S.W., B. M. Barclay; J.W., T. C. Hobbs; Sec., R. A. Wilton, P.M., S. Union 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 38, Bulls.

Feilding, 41:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Feilding, second Mon. Install. July. W.M., E. B. Cook; S.W., W. G. Hooper; J.W., J. Mennie; Sec., M. Hausmann, P.M., P.O. Box 123, Feilding.

Manawatu Kil., 47:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., G. M. Reunie; S.W., W. B. Anderson; J.W., T. S. R. Taylor; Sec., D. F. Smillie, P.M., P.O. Box 28, Palmerston North.

Otagaki, 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., A. B. Abel; S.W., R. E. Rose; J.W., E. L. Ironmonger, P.G.D.; Sec., D. M. MacKay, P.M., P.O. Box 7, Hunterville.

St. Andrew Kil., 79:—Founded 1868; meets Freemasons' Hall, Wanganui, second Thurs., 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., L. Fletcher; S.W., C. Tunnicliffe; J.W., G. B. Cull; 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., J. H. Nash; S.W., F. Prain; J.W., I. Rickard; 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.

Manga-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. S. Guthrie; S.W., C. C. Browne; J.W., D. A. Morrison; Sec., D. A. C. Libburne, P.M., P.O. Box 254, 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 Jen.

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

Whanganui, 219:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Bell St., Wanganui, fourth Mon. (Dec. and Jan. excepted). Install. May. W.M., L. C. Young; S.W., J. A. Doidge; J.W., T. W. Battell; Sec., G. A. Campbell, P.M., P.O. Box 78, 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., R. 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., V. B. Short; S.W., A. R. Gibson; J.W., S. G. Norris; 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. Belton; Sec., E. C. Dallison, Box 42, Waverley.

DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON: 45 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. Stanley M. Stone, Prov.G.M.)

N.Z. Pacific, 21:—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, Kilbirnie, Wellington, E3.

Waterloo, 13:—Founded 1886; 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, S1.

Masterston, 19:—Founded 1873; meets Masonic Temple, Chapel St., Masterston, second Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. 2nd Wed. in May. W.M., A. R. Mills; S.W., E. G. Jones; J.W., A. J. Hume; Sec., F. Shearer, P.M., Box 65, Masterston.

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, E1.

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 Wakefield St., Carterton.

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

Tararua, 67:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Pahiatua, Thurs. nearest full moon, 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., A. R. Wylie; S.W., R. L. Parker; J.W., R. F. Vial; Sec., R. H. Taylor, P.M., Julia St., Pahiatua.

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

Greytown, 74:—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Hall, Greytown, fourth Tues., 8. Install. 24th June (St. John's Day). W.M., T. G. R. 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, S1.

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, N2.

Brooklyn, 132:—Founded Oct., 1903; meets Masonic Hall, Brooklyn, first Wed., except Jan., 7.15. Install. Oct. W.M., C. T. G. Barracough; 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., Weraora Rd., Levin.

Waihenga, 150:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Martinborough, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., L. A. Campbell; S.W., A. Aitchison; J.W., R. P. George; P.M.; Sec., W. J. Kitching, P.M., Venice St., Martinborough.

Tutanekai, 156:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Adelaide Rd., Berhampore, first Thurs. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., B. B. Kuch; S.W., J. D. McIntosh; J.W., W. C. D. Elliott; Sec., G. F. Lenzini, 327 The Parade, Wellington, S2.

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, C1.

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, C2.

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, E5.

Mokoia, 213:—Founded 1919; meets Mokoia Hall, Fifehire Avenue, off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, fourth Tues., 7.15 p.m. (January excepted). Install. first Sat. in Dec. W.M., G. M. F. Jackson; S.W., T. H. Ennis; J.W., J. G. Sissons; Sec., J. D. Eves, P.M., 54 Lavaud Street, Wellington, S1.

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

Renown, 218:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., G. T. M. Renner; S.W., C. A. Martin; J.W., S. T. Barnett; Sec., R. Laurie, P.G.Supt. Wks., 99 Sefton Street, Wellington, N2.

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 Kelburn Parade, Wellington, W1.

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, N2.

Tala, 229:—Founded 1921; meets Tala Masonic Temple, Bay Road, Kibbirnie, fourth Mon., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., G. A. Ferris; S.W., O. H. Benge; J.W., H. Cranston; Sec., H. J. Sweeney, P.M., S. Manley Tee, 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., G. T. Saker; S.W., J. C. Hendry; J.W., J. A. McQueen; Sec., J. Robson, P.O. Box 1168, Wellington, C.I.

Waitangi, 251:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. May. W.M., Fred. Goddard; S.W., W. R. Anderson; J.W., W. Ritchie; 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. 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., A. E. Potter; S.W., C. G. Bird; J.W., R. D. Christie; Sec., A. E. Browne, P.M., enr. 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 1268, Wellington.

Hataitai, 285:—Founded 1926; meets Tala Masonic Temple, opp. P.O., Kibbirnie, 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 Ferguson, 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. Turkma, P.M., 4 Armitage Street, Ngalo, 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.I.

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

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

Westminster, 308:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Friday, 5 p.m., except Dec., Jan. and either March or April, according to Easter. Install. Sept. W.M., Claude H. Weston, K.C.; S.W., J. W. Sandham; J.W., Hugh R. Biss; Sec., J. Norrie, P.G.S., 66 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., B. 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. Fauding; 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., P. K. Elvy; S.W., R. Berry; J.W., F. H. Ibbotson; Sec., A. S. C. Franklin, 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 1860; 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. Swafford; J.W., A. R. Watson; Sec., Noel Jones, 154 Hardy St., Nelson.

Nelson, 288:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, third Wed., 7.30 p.m., except Dec., 2nd Wed. 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. Bissett; Sec., J. B. Auld, P.M., P.O. Box 26, Reefton.

Advance, 61:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Hall, Taylorville, Brunerton, first Wed., 7.30. Install. third Sat. in Jan. W.M., L. J. Wickes; S.W., L. Rhodes; J.W., T. A. Gutherlet; Sec., W. N. Gutherlet, 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. Studholme; 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, Dennistown, 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, Dennistown, via Westport.

Mokihinui, 95:—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. Shaw; J.W., J. McCallum; Sec., A. D. McDougall, Faversham, Blackball, West Coast.

Connaught, 187:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Karamia, 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, Karamia.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (47 LODGES).

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

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

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

Southern Cross, 6:—Founded 1853; meets Masonic Hall, Kaiapoi, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., D. W. Ross; S.W., F. Bryden; J.W., H. Tavendale, P.M.; Sec., A. H. Wilson, P.M., 3 Broom St., Kaiapoi.

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

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

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

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., E. 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 Rakaia, 31, Rakaia.

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., H. W. Pascoe; S.W., J. Papps; J.W., Rev. J. F. Feron; Sec., A. J. Nicholas, P.M., 21 Petrie St., N. Richmond, Christchurch, N.E.I.

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., J. C. Smith, P.M.; J.W., H. A. Fairweather; 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., —; Fifth; Sec., H. Gamble, P.M., 590A Colombo Street, Christchurch, C.I.

MacKenzie, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fairlie, second Thursday, 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., A. E. Golding; S.W., J. Macdonald; J.W., F. Adams, P.M.; Sec., H. Carleton, 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. Hunt; 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., Ashburn, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Nov. W.M., G. R. Jordan; S.W., E. K. Gray; J.W., C. G. Werry; Sec., G. E. Argyle, P.M., 27 Alford Forest Road, Ashburn.

Cheviot, 124:—Founded 1902; meets Cheviot 3rd Thurs. Install. 1st Sat. April. W.M., T. E. Crossan; 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., E. 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.I.

Mairaki, 131:—Founded 1903; meets Masonic Hall, Cust, third Friday. No meeting Jan. Install. April. W.M., A. R. Chambers, P.M.; S.W., C. G. W. Briggs; J.W., S. E. Clements; Sec., G. J. Struthers, Box 5, Cust.

Pareora, 134:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, St. Andrew, second Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., A. H. Cookson; S.W., A. McGregor; J.W., C. R. Pye; Sec., A. W. G. Watkins, Timaru-Waimate, R.M.D., Timaru.

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.I.

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.I.

Waikora, 141, Leeston.
Civic, 157:—Founded 1903; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., G. G. Anderson; S.W., A. H. M. Manson; J.W., J. J. Brownlee; Sec., N. J. G. Speary, P.O. Box 957, Christchurch, C.I.

St. Martin, 162:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Pleasant Point, fourth Thurs., 8. Install. Aug. W.M., 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., V. 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.I.

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

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

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

Brighton, 236:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood St., New Brighton, first Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., 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.I.

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

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

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

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

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

Doric, 275:—Founded 1925; meets in Masonic Hall, Wordsworth St., Sydenham, 2nd Thurs. Install. June. W.M., E. A. Baker; S.W., J. G. Unwin; 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.I.

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., G. J. Scats; S.W., T. W. C. Dimick; J.W., C. G. L. Jones; 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. Major; Sec., James McNaughton, Box 45, Balclutha.

Palmerston, 264:—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., Keith Rodger; S.W., E. M. Love; J.W., J. E. Gibson; 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.

Mt. 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. Fowler; Sec., A. H. Macdonald, Box 40, Ranfurly.

Cromwell, Kil., 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., R. Mayfield; S.W., A. M. Ross, P.M.; J.W., G. Anderson; Sec., Albert Jordan, P.G.S., 91 Albany St., Dunedin, N.I.

Manuhierikia Kil., 109:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Temple, Alexandra, second Friday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., A. P. C. Reidy; S.W., J. Alan Arnott; J.W., J. H. Love; Sec., W. R. Lloyd Williams, P.M., Box 25 Alexandra, Central Otago.

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 1905; 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. Sincok, P.M., 31 Carnarvon St., Dunedin, W.I.

Teviot, 148:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Roxburgh, Sat. on or nearest full moon, 8. Install. March. W.M., J. A. Young; S.W., S. H. Wingfield; J.W., J. W. Barland; Sec., Dr. J. R. Gilmour, P.G.S.W.D., 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., D. J. Sinclair; S.W., P. W. Donaldson; J.W., A. H. Williams; Sec., J. D. King, P.G.D., 2 Dudley Place, Maori Hall, 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.

Kurow, 164:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Kurow, 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., J. G. O. Judd; S.W., W. Taylor; J.W., H. Roxburgh; 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 Taleri, 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. Bressell; 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. E. Drummond; S.W., J. C. Begg; J.W., J. H. McKay; Sec., P. G. Hall, P.M., 41 Ravelston St., Dunedin, E.1.

Taharangi, 235:—Founded 1922; meets Church Hall, Sim Street, Maori Hill, Dunedin, 7.30, second Tues. (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., N. W. Millard, 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, Dunedin, fourth Tues., 7.15 p.m., except Dec. Install. April. W.M., W. C. Whitworth; S.W., R. Taylor; J.W., E. J. Colson; Sec., F. W. A. Clayton, P.M., 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., F. C. Taylor, P.O. Box 503, 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., 7.20. Install. June. W.M., R. U. Macaulay; S.W., A. Fox, P.M.; J.W., D. T. Miller; Sec., H. J. J. Pierce, P.M., 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, 85:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Hall, Arrowtown, 3rd Mon., Install. Feb. W.M., D. R. Rowe, P.M.; S.W., I. W. Brown; J.W., W. G. Griever; Sec., E. J. Saunders, P.M., Box 56, Arrowtown.

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

Taringatura, 100:—Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Lumsden, third Monday, 8 p.m. Install. second Sat. in May. W.M., G. W. Gillespie; S.W., R. F. Gillespie; J.W., W. G. Menlove; Sec., F. W. Thomas, P.O. Box 50, Lumsden.

Winton, 108:—Founded 1890; 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 Monday in May, 8.30 p.m. W.M., P. R. Smillie; S.W., J. A. Fleming; J.W., W. Spittie; 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.), 7.20. 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. Acheson; 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, 213:—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. Bellinger, 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. D. Bie, P.Prov.G.M.; Sec., H. J. J. Pierce, 64 Filleul Street, Invercargill.

Hawke's Bay United:—Meets Seinde 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, 1939, 23 Shortland Street, Auckland, C.1.

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

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

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

Westland and Nelson—Deputy Grand Master: F. B. Lawn, Greymouth.

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. Bellinger, P.M., Box 65, New Plymouth.

Waitemata, 689, Auckland.

Tongariro, 705, E.C.:—Founded 1857; meets Masonic Hall, Bell St., Wanganui, 3rd Thurs., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. March. W.M., A. J. Pritchard; S.W., W. F. Nicholls; J.W., E. A. Moosman; Sec., T. Ballingall, P.M., P.O. Box 446, 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., 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. 2nd Sat. Sept. W.M., V. L. Newcombe; S.W., A. G. Reid; J.W., W. A. McElwee; Sec., T. A. Dellaena, 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., A. Maurice Anderson, P.M.; S.W., E. W. Andrew; J.W., A. O. Heany; Sec., E. A. Little, P.O. Box 1509, 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. Crove, 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., H. A. Smerdon; S.W., F. T. Peek; J.W., J. W. Willis; Sec., Ernest Peek, P.M., 82 Moncks Spur, Redcliffs, Sumner, Christchurch.

Opotiki, 1930, Opotiki.
Amberley, 2007, Amberley.
Zealandia, 2072, Whangaroa.
Duke of Albany, 2073, 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.
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CRAFT LODGES.

Ara, 348, I.C.—Founded 1842; meets Masonic Temple, Alredale St., Auckland, 1st Monday (Jan. and Feb. excepted), 7.30 p.m. Install. June 24th (St. John's Day), high noon. W.M., 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. Bates; J.W., S. S. Hall; Sec., Geo. Cooper, P.M., 48 Richardson St., St. Kilda, Dunedin, S.2.

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St. John, Kil, 662, Dunedin.
Peninsula Kil, 698, Portobello.
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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., 8. 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 Waikato, 72.

AUCKLAND DISTRICT (9 CHAPTERS).
(R.E. Comp. Dr. T. Gordon Short, Grand Supt.)

Auckland Prov., 91.—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.I.

Rangitoto 52.—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Devonport, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. G. F. Bartley; H., E. Comp. E. T. R. Hill; J., E. Comp. L. H. Postlewait; S.E., E. Comp. P. A. Syers, 4 Ward Terrace, Sandringham, Auckland, S.W.I.
Ara, 53.—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland; last Tues., except Dec., Jan., Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. 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.I.

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. G. 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. G. Harrison; H., E. Comp. J. W. B. Pennalligen; J., E. Comp. N. Macaulay; S.E., E. Comp. R. J. L. Thompson, 14 Otahuri Crescent, Remuera, S.E.4.

William Ferguson Massey, 61:—Founded 1926; meets in Masonic Temple, Pukekohe, on third Mon., except Jan. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. 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. T. Dean; H., E. Comp. M. Kew; J., E. Comp. R. Duncan; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. G. Phelps, 15 Wairoa Rd., Remuera, Auckland, S.E.2.

Karangahape, 69, Auckland.

Waitemata, 72, Northcote.

HAURAKI 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.Sw.D.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., W. McG. Carruthers; H., E. Comp. T. S. Robertson; J., E. Comp. J. Nicholson; 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, Ngaurawahia, fourth Mon., Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. A. A. Carlton; H., E. Comp. J. Gregory; J., E. Comp. J. H. Vowless; 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. H. J. F. Downard; H., E. Comp. C. S. Johnston; J., E. Comp. F. W. G. 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, third Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. H. O. Round; H., E. Comp. W. A. Dean; J., E. Comp. A. O. 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. L. G. Kohn; H., E. Comp. W. L. F. Porter; J., E. Comp. D. H. Proffit; 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.

Carlisle, 74:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, Patea, fourth Wed., except Dec. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. F. Lund, P.Z.; H., E. Comp. F. R. G. Souness; J., V.E. Comp. C. A. Edwards, P.Z.; 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.

RUCAPEHU 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.Sol., 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. Pairman; 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. Pauliger; 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, 41:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Hall, Tennyson St., Napier, fourth Tues., except June and Dec. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. D. Cox; H., E. Comp. J. Edwards; J., E. Comp. F. W. Fox; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. Newton, P.G.D.C., 30 Kennedy Road, Napier.

Rawhiti, 30:—Founded 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, 33:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Lodgeroom, corner Market and St. Aubyn Streets, Hastings, first Thursday, 8. Install. first Thurs. in May. Z., V.E. Comp. C. S. Samuelson; H., E. Comp. A. L. Baker; J., E. Comp. H. de Denne; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. B. E. Hird, G.S.N., 918 Nelson Street, Hastings.

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

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

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

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

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

Brooklyn, 24:—Meets Mokoia Masonic Hall, Fifehire Ave., off Cambridge Tee., 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, Hula 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.

Bledisloe, 77:—Founded June, 1941; meets Masonic Temple, Fitzherbert St., Petone, first Mon., 7.30 p.m.; Install. last Sat. in June. Z., V.E. Comp. R. A. Munro; H., E. Comp. F. B. Aburn; J., E. Comp. W. A. Fitzgerald; 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 34, Blenheim.

WESTLAND DISTRICT (4 CHAPTERS). (R.E. Comp. H. Campbell, Grand Supt.)

Inangahua, 18:—Founded 1901; meets Burns Masonic Hall, Shield 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. C. E. Austin; H., E. Comp. J. H. Johnston; J., E. Comp. E. J. Chapman; S.E., M.E. Comp. J. H. Harkness, P.G.Z., 85 Queen Street, Westport.

Westland Kil., 29:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, last Wed. each month. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. D. A. Young; H., E. Comp. D. D. Smart; J., E. Comp. W. H. Thompson; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. Lawn, 106 Park St., Hokitika.

Whanake, 70—Greymouth.

CANTERBURY DISTRICT (8 Chapters). (R.E. Comp. F. N. Kerr, Grand Supt.)

St. Augustine, 1:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, last Monday, bi-monthly (January, March, etc.) 7.30. Install. Feb. Z., V.E. Comp. W. A. Mackrell; H., E. Comp. N. S. Kirby; J., E. Comp. W. D. Crombie; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. Hunter, 38 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 Harkess, 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. Betten; H. E. Comp. D. K. Watson; J. E. Comp. Jas. Samways; S.B., 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. P. J. Shanks; S.E. V.E. Comp. H. E. Jarman, P.Z., 37 Straven Rd., Riccarton, W.I.

Rose and Thistle, 35.

Ashley, 45.

Grown, 56.

OTAGO DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS).

(R.H. 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. E. de Haro; H. E. Comp. W. H. Townrow; J. E. Comp. J. F. McKay; S.E. V.E. Comp. G. O. Reid, P.Z., 25 Claremont St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.I.

Wataki 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. Rushon; J. E. Comp. P. J. D. Blackgrove; S.E. V.E. Comp. H. S. Cox, P.Z., 70 Wharf 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. P. Dunne; H. E. Comp. S. Marshall; J. E. Comp. C. H. A. Bissland; S.E. R.E. Comp. J. C. Seelye, Grand Supt., 24 Leven St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.I.

Iwikatea, 33—Founded 1942; meets Masonic Hall, Balclutha, last Monday, except Dec. Install. Nov. Z. V.E. Comp. Jas. J. Tait; H. E. Comp. R. L. Egan; J. E. Comp. W. D. Thomson; S.E. E. Comp. W. D. Seelye, P.O. Box 61, Balclutha.

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

SOUTHLAND DISTRICT (3 CHAPTERS).

(R.H. 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. P. J. Logan; J. E. Comp. A. F. Crawford; S.E. R.E. Comp. Sydney G. K. Smith, P.Z., "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Wallace, 34—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Otautau, fourth Thurs., except Dec. Install. first Wed. in October. Z. V.E. Comp. J. M. Lindsay; H. E. Comp. J. G. Conolly; J. E. Comp. E. Mason; S.E. V.E. Comp. F. H. Hill, P.Z., Otautau.

Huioa, 47—Meets first Sat., except Jan., at Masonic Hall, Gore. Install. first Sat. in Aug. Z. V.R. Comp. J. W. Robb; H. E. Comp. D. Russell; J. E. Comp. R. W. Jones; S.E. V.E. Comp. W. H. Marshall, P.Z., 164 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, 1201, Dargaville.
Chapter of Harmony, 2180, Auckland, S.E.7.
Te Awamutu, 2221, Auckland, C4.
Aorangi, 2300, Wellington, C1.

South Island.

Otago, 844, Dunedin, C1.
Port Chalmers Marine, 942, Port Chalmers.
St. John, 1137, Timaru.
Greymouth, 1233, Greymouth.

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

District Grand Master.

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

LODGES.

Union, 154, Auckland, C1.
Newton, 280, Auckland, C2.
St. George, 579, Dargaville.
Concord, 588, Whangarei.
Mt. Egmont, 948, New Plymouth.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF IRELAND.

Provincial Grand Superintendent: W. E. Hedditch, 61 Campbell Road, Auckland, C1.

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, 167, Nelson.
Zealandia, 197, Gisborne.
Bruce, 381, Milton.
Ponsonby Kilwinning, 394, Auckland.
Tauranga Kil, 615, 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 St. 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, Lizard St., New Plymouth, third Tues., Feb., April, June, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. P. J. Aldous; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. E. L. Lye; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. Walter Jones, P.M.W.S., 12 Burriball St., New Plymouth.

Maungakiekie, No. 314—Onehunga.

Rotorua, No. 319, Rotorua.

Waimarino, 321—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Temple, Raetihi, third Sat. Feb., April, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. L. W. Nation; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. H. M. MacCallum; 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. A. J. Hayward; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. Rev. V. R. Jamieson, M.B.E.; Recorder, Ill. Bro. Peter Hunter, 30*, 58 Naylor St., Hamilton.

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

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

Latham, 93—Meets at Wanganui, first Mon. in April, May, Oct., Nov. and Dec. (Installation alternate years only.) M.W.S., 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. E., 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, 52 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 8th December, 1925; meets Masonic Hall, Italia 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. Wood; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. E. P. Williams; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. R. E. H. Pison, P.O. Box 257, Napier.

Wellisley, 303—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, C1., 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. Morpeth, 30*, Box 557, C.P.O., Wellington, C1., or 246 The Terrace, Wellington, C1.

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. A. H. Burgess; Recorder, Rev. and P. Bro. N. H. Finch, Levin.

Rangitikei, 333, Marton.

Inspector-General for South Island. V. Ill. Bro. W. J. Girling, 82*.

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

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

Marlborough, 206—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Charles St., Blenheim, first Tues., March, June, Sept. (Install.) and Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. J. Stewart; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. E. B. W. Smyth; Recorder, Ill. Bro. Frank Mogridge, 30*, Blenheim.

Nelson Provincial, 221:—Founded 1921: meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood Street, Nelson, four times a year as arranged. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. W. Rawlinson; Prelate, Ill. Bro. E. C. J. Cockburn, 30; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. P. Thomson, Trafalgar St., Nelson.

North Otago, 238:—Oamaru.

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

Dunedin, 317:—Dunedin.

Clifton, 324:—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Hall, 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. Loraine; Sec., Ill. Bro. W. J. Davidson, 20, 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. G. K. Smith, 31, "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Waikato, 37:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton East, third Monday Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. English; S.W., E. and P. Bro. G. I. Christiansen; J.W., E. and P. Bro. 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 Malos 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, 8th 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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District Grand Prior of New Zealand, V. Eminent Frater George Russell, K.C.T.

District Grand Secretary, Ven. Frater S. T. S. Martin, P.P., 11 Millward St., Wellington S.1.

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

Otago Preceptory.

Wellington Preceptory:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, 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.

Marlborough Preceptory:—Blenheim.

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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.

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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, Conclavor, 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; Counselor, L. G. Shimmends; 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.; Counselor, S. C. Richards; Guide, W. J. Taylor; Sec., J. Edgar Wade, P.S.R., P.G.Sd., D.G.Reg., 101, Colonial Mutual Bldgs., Queen St. (Box 1293), 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. Brilevich; 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.