

# Fall Reunion

Ancient and Accepted

Scottish Rite

of Freemasonry

VALLEY OF AUSTIN ORIENT OF TEXAS



November 11-12-13-14 1929

#### ADMISSION BY CARD ONLY

Brethren will please take notice that, in accordance with the Statutes of the Supreme Council and under our By-Laws, a Brother not in possession of an identification card for the current year cannot be admitted to the meetings of the reunion or of the Bodies of the Rite. Identification cards must be presented to the registration committee. THIS RULE IS IMPERATIVE.

Identification cards can only be issued by the Secretary, upon payment of dues in full, including the calendar year.

#### VISITORS

The law requires all visitors to have properly authenticated patents or letters of credence, together with identification cards, from Bodies recognized by and in relations of amity with the Supreme Council of the Southern Masonic Jurisdiction, A. A. S. Rite of the United States of America.

#### SUSPENSION IN BLUE LODGE

If a member is suspended in his Blue Lodge for nonpayment of dues, or other cause, he automatically loses his membership in the Scottish Rite Bodies.

#### REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE SCOTTISH RITE BODIES

Regular meetings of the Scottish Rite Bodies are held on the first Friday in each month.

#### CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Kindly notify the Secretary of any change in your postoffice address, in order that communications addressed to you may be delivered promptly. The last address furnished him is the one used, and should you change your residence without notifying him your mail may fail of delivery.

#### SPECIAL TO CANDIDATES

Candidates must report to the Secretary at the Scottish Rite Cathedral not later than 8:00 a.m., Monday, November 11, 1929. The class will be promptly organized at that time, and anyone absenting himself will delay the work just that much and confuse the proper handling of the matters essential to such organization. Candidates living in the city may present themselves on Saturday or Sunday before the Reunion for registration. This will help out materially in preventing a rush in the office on the first day of the Reunion.

#### INFORMATION

The Secretary will be pleased to give any information regarding the Rite that is in his power to furnish.

Fraternally submitted,
JOE HENRY MUENSTER, 33°,
Address: General Secretary.

Austin, Texas.

# A Word to Candidates from the Entertainment Committee

One of the principal duties of the Entertainment Committee is to look after the comfort and entertainment of those taking the degrees during our Scottish Rite Reunions. This is a pleasant duty and one of the many results is the formation of life-long friendships which are begun during these Reunions.

The Entertainment Committee plans to meet all incoming trains beginning Sunday evening, November 10, for the purpose of escorting candidates and for the purpose of escorting candidates and visitors to the Cathedral or hotel. Cars will also be at the service of the members of the class during the entire week, and the members of the Entertainment Committee will be on hand to render any service possible, even to running errands.

Out-of-town candidates may facilitate matters by communicating with Lomis Slaughter, 1810 Lavaca Street, Austin, Texas, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, and advising him of the date and hour of their arrival. He will also be glad to make hotel reservations or any other arrangements, if the candidates will make their wants known to him.

The Entertainment Committee will have charge of the serving of two meals each day during the Reunion for the convenience of the candidates. This saves time and confusion and adds much to the pleasure of our meetings. Meals will be furnished to all members of the class by the Scottish Rite Bodies during the time the degrees are being taken.

As additional entertainment for the Class and Visitors the young ladies of Austin Assembly Number 5 of the Order of Rainbow will exemplify their degree work immediately after the conferring of the Twenty-third Degree on Tuesday evening. This feature will be open to all Master Masons whether members of the class or not.

The chairman of the Entertainment Committee and the individual members extend to you a most cordial invitation to be with us, and assure you that they will do all in their power to make your visit long remembered as one of the most pleasant experiences of a lifetime.

# Musical Program

Mis Wil	rry Loua Clamp, 32° K. C. C. H Director liam Henry Barrett, 32° Organist is Irene Maddox Organist cliam Gillespie Stacy, 32° Trumpeter s. C. E. Mick Violinist
	SCOTTISH RITE QUARTETTE
Mrs Her	Luther Thompson
40	Organ Prelude: "And the Glory of the Lord"
5°	Organ: "Aria"
7°	Organ: "Prelude"
80	Organ: "Barcarolle"Tschaikowsky
	Soprano: "Open the Gates of the Temple"
	Organ: "Andante"
10°	Organ: "Funeral March"
11°	Soprano Solo: "Hear Ye Israel" Mendelssohn
	Violin Solo: Selected.  Duet: "Raise Me, Jesus"
15°	Soprano: "By the Waters of Babylon"Howell Organ: "Prayer" Organ: "Triumphal March"Costa
16°	Organ: "Requiem March"
17°	Organ: "Scherzo"

18° Violin Solo: Selected
Organ: "Celestial Voices" Flagler Organ: "Scherzo" Salome Organ: "Ave Maria" Schubert
Organ: "Scherzo"Salome
Organ: "Ave Maria"Schubert
Organ: "Melodia"
Contralto: "My Friend" Robert H. Coleman
Organ: "Ionian" Anon Organ: "March Militaire" Baptiste
Organ: "March Militaire"Baptiste
19° Organ: "Rosary" (Chimes)
Organ: "War March of the Priests"
(Athalie)
Organ: "Aria"Lamare
(Athalie)
Soprano Solo: "The Holy City
Chorus: "God Be With You Till We Meet
Again"
20° Organ: "La Prophet"
Chant
Organ: "Processional March"Flagler
24° Organ: "Night Song"Loeshorm
Soprano Solo: "Arise, Shine, for the Light
Has Come"
Duet for Soprano and AltoSelected
Organ: "Funeral March"
Organ: Funeral March
25° Organ: "Chimes" Grieg Organ: "Funeral March" Battmar
Organ: "Funeral March"Battman
Organ: "Postlude "
26° Violin Solo: Selected
Soprano Solo: "One Sweetly Solemn
Thought"
27° Organ: "March Naaman"
Quartette: "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"
Contralto Solo: "God Shall Wipe Away
Contralto Solo: "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears"
29° Organ: March, "The Campbells Are Com-
ing" Scotci Male Quartette: "Evening Shadows" Park Baritone Solo: "Laddie" Evan
Male Quartette: "Evening Shadows"Park
Baritone Solo: "Laddie"Evan
Tenor Solo: "Annie Laurie"
Chimes
Baritone Solo: Selected
30° Organ: "Chorus of Angels"
30° Organ: "Chorus of Angels"
Soprano Solo: "If With All Your Hearts"
Duet, "How Long, Oh Lord, Wilt Thou Forget Me"
Duet, "How Long, Oh Lord, Wilt Thou For-
get Me" Pfluege
Quartette: "Evening Prayer"Wilso
Contralto Solo: "Thou Wilt Keep Him" Speak
31° Organ: "Grand Choir"
Duet: "My Father Knows" Exce 32° Organ: "Adagio Religioso" Laman
String Quartette, School
String Quartette: Selected Organ: "March Militaire"Lemmer
Male Quartette: "Tenting Tonight"
Operate with the Mr. Temple I Persir" Challe
Quartette: "To My Temple I Repair" Shelle Organ: "March Recessional"
Quartette: "Crossing the Bar"
"Star-Spangled Banner"
"America"
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## Reunion Committees

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## Program of Work

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1929

#### 9:00 A.M.

#### Fourth Degree—Secret Master

Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The Fourth Degree, or Secret Master, is the first step into the inner sanctuary of the Spiritual Temple, where he who seeks finds Truth. In this degree, we are to learn the duty of obedience to law, not to the edict of a tyrant, contrary to the law of God or nature, but the law that is an expression of the will and judgment of the people and for the benefit of the whole people.

Adoniram ...... James Harvey Baugh, 32° Master of Ceremonies..... Expert......Randolph Hooper Warren, 32°

#### 9:45 A.M.

## Fifth Degree—Perfect Master

Charles Morriston Ashmore, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The Fifth Degree, or Perfect Master, emphasizes the two virtues, Industry and Honesty. The Master Khurum (Hiram) had both these virtues. Idleness is the great enemy of growth, whether mental or spiritual. It is the brewer of mischief and vice. "To sleep little, study much; say little, think and hear much; to learn to do earnestly and vigorously whatever is required by duty" are the precepts of the Mason who follows the Master. A Mason should also be honest in his contracts, sincere in his statements, and keep all promises and covenants even to his own disadvantage.

King Solomon.....Charles Morriston Ashmore, 32° 

#### 10:45 A. M.

## Sixth Degree-Intimate Secretary

William Madden Fly, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The Sixth Degree, or Confidential Secretary, teaches us to be zealous, faithful, disinterested and benevolent. No good Mason can be worldly, covetous or sensual, but must be kind and affectionate, broad-minded and charitable, keeping his thoughts only on the good and true, with a feeling of thankfulness for all favors rendered and a sincere desire to do unto his brother as he would wish done unto him.

King Solomon..William Madden Fly, 32° K. C. C. H. King Khairom . . Alonzo Alverly Ross, 32° K. C. C. H. Captain of Guard ..... Louis Charles Brenner, 32°

#### 10:55 A.M.

## Seventh Degree-Provost and Judge

Gustave Johnson, 33°, Degree Master

The Seventh Degree, or Provost and Judge, has for its chief lesson the great principle of justice. Those with the power of judgment should judge impartially, without any personal consideration, without prejudice or preconception and without haste. Two kinds of injustice may be done a fellow-man: one where a man does an injury to another, the other where he fails to avert an injury when it is in his power to do so. A man may repent, be forgiven both by God and man, yet the consequences remain. In judging a wrong, we should remember the motive and temptation. Some men are born with noble instincts, while others are less fortunate. Perhaps the man who leads a clean life has never had the temptation which came to his fallen brother; so we should judge with charity and pitying kindness.

Joabert, Second Judge.....John Tett Cox, 32°
Hajib, Third Judge...William Leatherwood Wier, 32°
Jothkin, Fourth Judge....David Sam Bassist, 32°
Ahaijah Ben Shaisha, Fifth Judge......

Amoz. Howard Walton Bull, 32° Jeroboam. Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H. Alihorep, First Inspector....Don C. Peterson, 32° 

#### Second Section

Chief Provost and Judge.....Gustave Johnson, 33° Orator....James William Lowber, 32° K. C. C. H. Senior Inspector......John Tett Cox, 32° Junior Inspector—William Leatherwood Wier, 32° Master of Ceremonies.... ......Robert Cochran Armstrong, 32°

#### 11:15 A.M.

## Eighth Degree-Intendant of the Building

Lemuel Edward Maddox, 32°, Degree Master Earnest Joseph Luark, 18°, Assistant Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The Eighth Degree, or Intendant of the Building, impresses upon the candidate the futility of advancing unless the lessons already taught have been carefully considered. The jurisprudence, learning and morality of Masonry, and not the mere work and ceremonies, should have our most profound thought and attention. We are seekers after Light, and we should consider this earthly life of ours a field for noble action, the beginning of heaven and a part of immortality. This degree teaches us that we have high duties to perform and a high destiny to fulfill on this earth. We should love this earth as the garden on which the Creator has lavished such miracles of beauty, has made it the dwelling place of the wise and good, the place of opportunity for the development of the noblest passions, the tenderest sympathies and the loftiest virtues. King Solomon.....Lemuel Edward Maddox, 32° Tsadoc. Earnest Joseph Luark, 18°
Ahishar. Lee Roy Reedy, 32°
Master of Ceremonies...Charles Hamilton Wooten, 32° Adoniram Ben Kilgore, 14°
Yehu-aber Marshall A. Fuglaar, 18°
Satolkin Melvey Earnest Clark, 14° Gareb. William Houston Day, 32° Zelec .....Leland Edwin Hope, 14° Lieutenant of Guard ... Benjamin Fred Edwards, 18° (Charles Hamilton Wooten, 32°, will deliver the

lecture.) (This Degree is conferred by brethren from Prairie Lea, Fentress and Luling, Texas.)

#### 11:35 A. M.

#### Ninth Degree-Elu of the Nine

Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

This degree is consecrated to bravery, devotedness and patriotism. It is summed up in "Protect the oppressed against the oppressor and devote yourself to honor and interest of your country." Masonry calls for active service in comforting the unfortunate and raising the degraded. Most men have sentiment to the right, but do the wrong. They may talk much of virtue but live little of it. They may even talk much of wrongs but do little to eradicate them. He who fights against cruelty, oppression, wrongs and abuse fights for his country's honor. Life is not measured by days but by the deeds we have done for our fellow-man and our country.

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King SolomonSully Bayard Roberdeau, 32° King KhairomAlfred Emanuel DeViney, 33° AdoniramMorris Burns, 32°
Pharos, the Shepherd Master of Ceremonies (Harry Lee Gray, 32°
Banaias . Edmond C. Rather, 32° Tsadoc . Claude Ernest Hill, 32°
Captain of the GuardEarly Ervin Baker, 30° OratorQ. C. Taylor, 32°

#### 1:00 P.M.

## Tenth Degree-Elu of the Fifteen

Fred Lewis Blundell, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

This degree is devoted to religious and political toleration and to the enlightenment of the mind and soul. Toleration holds that every man has a right to his opinion, and liberality claims that no human being can say he alone knows the truth. Whatever a man sincerely and conscientiously believes is truth to him, and only through enlightenment and education are intolerance and fanaticism put down. Masonry is not a religion, but is founded on the essential truths of all religions; it is the universal morality underlying every creed. A belief in the one true God and a moral and virtuous life are the only requirements that Masonry promulgates as a necessity for membership.

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King Solomon	Fred Lewis Blundell, 32°
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Secretary	Frank Americ Committee, co
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Second Puffian	Charles Morriston Ashmore, 32°
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Orator	Thomas Dewitt Gambrell, 32°
(This Degree is	conferred by Brethren from Lock-
,	hart, Texas)

#### 1:40 P.M.

## Eleventh Degree-Elu of the Twelve

Frank James Swartz, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The duties of this degree are to be earnest, true, reliable and sincere; to protect the people against illegal impositions; and contend for their political rights. It is a Mason's duty to serve his brothers; not Masons alone, but all humanity. The safety of every free government depends upon the integrity of the common people. The nation that bases its greatness on the tyranny over prostrate states, heavy and unjust taxation and crafty alliances will find its empire tottering in ruins. Masonry should do all in its power to protect the people, to better their living conditions and to supply their needs.

King Solomon	Frank James Swartz, 32°
King Khairom	Lancelot Mischaux Clopton, 32°
Adoniram	William Howard Rivers, 32°
	Richard Meek, 32°
Yosophat	James Clinton Miller, 32°
Zabud	Joe Sandgarten, 32°
Treasurer	William Henry Korges, 32°
(Lancelot Mischaux	Clopton, 32°, will deliver the lecture)

(This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Elgin, Texas)

#### 2:10 P.M.

## Twelfth Degree-Master Architect

Hugh Thomas Insall, 32°, Degree Master Mark Hutchins Young, 32°, Assistant Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The human soul ever travels toward the Light and God. It never wholly loses the sense of its own powers, but there are many faculties within us of which we are dimly conscious; to arouse that slumbering soul-conseclousness to the realization of Truth is the divinest object of all human helpfulness. Masonry strives to develop these half-forgotten God-given traits and to induce men to accept them as their guide. Life is what each man makes it; the optimist turns every trial into a blessing; the pessimist sees only ruin and disaster. All our earthly transactions and institutions are based on faith in our fellow-man. How much more so must we believe in God. The belief in a Supreme Being is an instinct in all races. No man can suffer and be patient, can struggle and conquer, can improve and be happy, without faith in a just, wise and beneficent God.

Mark Hutchins Young, 32° Senior Warden Mark Hutchins Young, 32°
Junior Warden Merton Leonard Harris, 32° Master of Ceremonies....Oscar Alvin Anderson, 32° Expert ..... Arthur Lee Smith, 18°

(The lecture will be delivered by Merton Leonard Harris, 32°)

(This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Smithville, Texas)

#### 2:40 P.M.

### Thirteenth Degree-Royal Arch of Solomon

John Brashear DuPriest, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

For centuries, the Hebrews have been forbidden to pronounce the sacred name of God, and whenever it occurred they have read the name "Adonal" instead. The knowledge of the true pronunciation was supposed to give to the possessor supernatural powers. This idea of the sanctity of the Creator's name was common to all ancient nations. Among them the conception of God varied according to their intellectual capacities; among the ignorant, He was invested with the lower attributes of humanity; among the spiritual, He was a Being pure and holy. This knowledge of God, however, was not given out to the common people, but was kept secret by the favored few. The communication of this knowledge of the true nature of the Creator with other esoteric truths is what is now called Free Masonry, which under other names has existed since the beginning of the human race.

Venerable Master.....John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Master of Ceremonies ...... Ira Aubrey Hayes, 32° Inspector ...... Wallace Wells Shropshire, 32° Captain of the Guard... Henry Herman Hankey, 32° Expert ..... Stephen Decatur Heffington, 32° Orator.....Andrew Clinton Ellis, 32°

#### 3:05 P.M.

## Fourteenth Degree—Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Mason

Merton Leonard Harris, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

This degree is the last of the Lodge of Perfection, and we have reached the point where each individual Mason must discover the secret of Masonry for himself. This can be done only upon reflection of its symbols and a wise consideration and analysis of what has been said and done in the work. Perfect Truth is unattainable, yet we must ever press on, more nearly approaching it. We receive as much of the Divine Light as we are capable of understanding. God has arranged His great purpose so that each man has a work to do, a duty to perform to help in the progress of the great plan for enlightenment and growth. The Mason believes that the sorrows and trials of this life are a part of the plan of God, designed to purify and strengthen our souls. Surely a wise and merciful God would not send these things upon his children without some ultimate good resulting. On this life depends our future well-being, and we should so live that death will have no terror for us, but will be only a release from this earth to spiritual realms above.

Venerable Master.....Merton Leonard Harris, 32° Senior Warden ........Rush Andrews Modrall, 32° K. C. C. H. Junior Warden .... Benjamin Harrison Powell, 32° Orator......Mark Hutchins Young, 32° Expert ... James Bascom Giles, 32°
Assistant Expert ... Polk Shelton, 32°
Captain of the Host ... Gustave Johnson, 33°

"Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit"

## Philip C. Tucker Chapter of Rose Croix No. 1

A.'.A.'.S.'.R.'.

#### OFFICERS

Wise Master
Senior Warden Tobias Herman Bieze, 32° K. C. C. H.
Junior Warden . Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H.
OratorLee Shelton Thrift, 32°
Almoner Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32
Treasurer
SecretaryJoe Henry Muenster, 33°
Master of Ceremonies. William Harvey Simmons, 32°
Expert
Assistant ExpertRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
Standard BearerCharles T. Harrison, 32° Guard of TempleThomas Coleman Green, 32°
TilerEdward White, 32° K.C.C.H.

#### PAST WISE MASTERS

John W. Glenn, 32° Henry Lincoln Carleton, 33° John McDonald, 32° K. C. C. H. William Gilmer Bell, 33° J. B. Pope, 32° Ritchie Jones Briggs, 32° K. C. C. H. William George Franklin, 33° James Wooten McClendon, 33° Joe Henry Muenster, 33° Allen Emmett Hancock, 33° Malcolm Hiram Reed, 33° Milton Morris, 32° K. C. C. H. Moritz Silver, 33° William Theodore Pfaefflin, 33° Beverly Sanford Dickinson, 33° Alfred Emanuel DeViney, 33° Charles Jay Marks, 33° George Shelton Dowell, 33° Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32° Roger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H. Morris Burns, 32° Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H.

#### 7:00 P.M.

## Fifteenth Degree-Knight of the East or of the Sword

Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

This is the first degree of the Knights Rose Croix, and the leading lesson is fidelity to obligation and constancy under difficulty. Masonry carries on a war against ignorance, intolerance and error. The chief stumbling blocks on the way to success in this crusade are the indifference of its own members and the world. Masonry teaches that God is paternal, having a concern for each individual, for each individual soul is an emanation from Him, made for good and not evil. Therefore, we must persevere even as the ancient brethren have done, notwithstanding all obstacles. We must resist temptation and be upright and virtuous, assisting in God's great plan for the eternal salvation of the universe.

## Scene 1. Council of the Jews

Worshipful RulerAaron Louis Frank, 32°
Zorobabal James Wooten McClendon, 33
High PriestDavid Ashur Goodstein, 32°
Captain of the GuardSimon Cohn, 32°
Master of Ceremonies Harry Abe Bassist, 32
Nehemiah Arthur Henry Simon, 32°
Banah Jake Frank, 32°
Vehn Aber Leo Loewenstein, 32°
Satolkin Dave Gellman, 32
Zelec Erwin Marcus Joseph, 32°
Hasim Aaron Frank, 32°
BalsanMyer London, 32°

#### Scene 2. Court of Cyrus at Babylon

Cyrus, King of Persia
Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H.
ZorobabelJames Wooten McClendon, 33°
Captain of the Guard Howard Walton Bull, 32°
Master of the Palace Alfred Emanuel Deviney, 33°
Master of HouseholdJoe Henry Muenster, 33°
Master of Chancery Edward James Smith, 32°
Master of Cavalry Newton Allen Brunson, 32°
Master of Infantry George Peter Searight, 32°
Salamiel Milton Eugene Horner, 32°
Kadmiel Ernest DeWitt Harris, 32°
Hananajah Homer Wilkins Griffitts, 320

#### Scene 3. Same as Scene 1

#### Palace Guards

Everette Edward Pittman, 32° Chester Bernard Kilpatrick, 32° Eugene Thompson Smith, 32° Henry William Wendlandt, 32° James Albert Warren, 32° John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Clay Louis Price, 32°

Roy James West, 32° Marvin Paul Halden, 32° Edwin William Gazley, 32°

#### 8:30 P.M.

### Sixteenth Degree-Prince of Jerusalem

Robert Lee Lockwood, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The story of the rebuilding of the temple at Jerusalem is of peculiar interest to Masons, and while we no longer plan to build it, yet its story ever conveys to us the thought that the world and every noble heart is God's temple and we should labor to establish the reign of love and peace, thus building a lasting temple to God. The trowel is the emblem of this degree, teaching Masons the ennobling effect of honest labor. The work of the soul, developing the virtues of patience and gentleness, ought to be as important to us as that of earning our daily bread.

#### Scene 1. Council of the Jews

ZorobabelJoseph Welden Hale, 32°
Yeshua John Maxwell, 32°
Haggai Arthur Christian Upleger, 32°
SereaiahJoseph Heyman, 32°
MordecaiLars Nicklas Ockander, 32°
SalamielLemuel Winfield Jones, 32°
Kadmiel
Hananaiah
EsdrasIsaac W. Kiersky, 32°

#### Scene 2. River Scene

#### Barbarians-

Edgar Douglass Johnson, 32°, Chief Julius Genecov, 32° John Louis Bergstrom, 32° Alphonso D. Farrow, 32° Frank Oldham, 32°

## Scene 3. Ante-Chamber of Palace of Darius

Captain of the Guard
First GuardJoseph Matthews, 32°
Second GuardFrank Oldham, 32°
ZorobabelJoseph Welden Hale, 32°
MordecaiLars Nicklas Ockander, 32°
Kadmiel Theodore Ray 32°
HananaiahCalvin Lee Mansell, 32°
Esdras Isaac W. Kiersky, 32°

#### Scene 4

Darius, King of PersiaTom Bush, 32°
Cartai, King of Fersia
Captain of the Guard
First GuardJoseph Matthews, 32°
Second GuardFrank Oldham, 32°
ZorobabelJoseph Welden Hale, 32°
Master of Chancery Bryan Hartigan, 18°
MordecaiLars Nicklas Ockander, 32°
KadmielTheodore Ray, 32°
HananaiahCalvin Lee Mansell, 32°
EsdrasIsaac W. Kiersky, 32°

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## TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1929

#### 9:00 A.M.

### Seventeenth Degree-Knight of the East and West

Edward Christian Henry Bantel, 33°, Degree Master

This is the first of the philosophical degrees which penetrate the inner mysteries of Masonry. In all times, Truth has been concealed in symbols. At the time of John the Eaptist, all the ancient philosophical and religious doctrines became intermingled on account of the various conquests which brought the nations together. John, who taught some creed older than Christianity, must have belonged to the sect of Essenes, which was very similar to Christianity. It is from the Essenes that this degree is sprung. The Essenes believed that Truth was scattered throughout the world among different sects. They believed it the duty of man to gather these fragments of divine revelation into a harmonious whole, to be used in spreading right thinking and right living among mankind. Thus they combined the thought of the Orient and the Occident, from which fact we draw the name of this degree.

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Junior Wards	enEdward Jackson Mathews, 32°
Master of Co	eremonies Gustave Johnson, 33°
Expert	Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 32°
Orator	Paul W. McFadden, 32° K. C. C. H.
Captain of th	ne GuardHickline Prescott Hunnicutt, 32°
Trumpeter	John Arnold Focht, 32
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Elders \	William Harvey Simmons, 32°
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#### 10:15 A. M.

## Eighteenth Degree-Knight of Rose Croix

Daniel Franklin Bobbitt, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The ceremonies of this degree are given different explanations, each interpreting it according to his faith; in no other way can Masonry retain its universal character. To all antiquity, Light was the type of Good, while Darkness was Evil. Evil was a principle represented in demons and fallen angels, who first having fallen themselves, tempted others to do so, thus bringing sin into the world. The future life was to be obtained by purification and suffering, through the Redeemer, who would overcome Evil. The belief was general that He was to be born of a virgin and suffer death. The cross has been a sacred symbol of earliest antiquity among many nations, with various meanings. In this degree, its interpretation was taken from the Egyptian hieroglyphic for life, emanating from Deity, the eternal life for which we all hope. The rose is the symbol of dawn, of the resurrection of life. Together, the rose and cross represent the dawn of eternal life.

Wise MasterDaniel Franklin Bobbitt, 32°
Senior Warden Hubert Blackburn Jones, 32°
Junior Warden William Robert Nabours, 32°
Orator Edwin Clinton Kreisle, 32°
Master of Ceremonies

Agesilaus Wilson Walker, Jr., 32° Guardian of the Temple. . Howard Walton Bull, 32°

The lecture in this Degree will be delivered by William Pinkney Dumas, 32°.

## James D. Richardson Council of Knights Kadosh No. 4

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#### OFFICERS

Commander Beverly Sanford Dickinson, 33°
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Second LieutenantGeorge Shelton Dowell, 33°
ChancellorLittle Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.
Orator Lee Shellon Inflit, 32
Almoner Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32
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Pecorder Joe Henry Muenster, 55
Master of CeremoniesRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
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Draper Lemuel Edward Maddox, 32°
First DeaconCongress Eivens Stanley, 32°
Second Deacon Edward Francis Mikeska, 33
Rearer of Reauseant
Ora Manford Davis, 32° K. C. C. H.
Rearer of White Standard
Lancelot Mischaux Clopton, 32°
Bearer of Black Standard
Lieutenant of Guard
Charles Julian Baldwin, 32° K. C. U. H.
SentinelEdward White, 32° K. C. C. H.

#### PAST COMMANDERS

William Gilmer Bell, 33° William Gilmer Bell, 33°

James Wooten McClendon, 33°

William George Franklin, 33°

Charles Jay Marks, 33°

James Wilson McLaughlin, 33°

Moritz Silver, 33°

Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. Frank Albert Gomillion, 33° Alfred Emanuel DeViney, 33°
William Theodore Pfaefflin, 33°
Tobias Herman Bieze, 32° K. C. C. H.
Morris Burns, 32° Roger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H. Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°

#### 1:30 P.M.

## Nineteenth Degree-Pontiff

George Albert Giese, 32°, Degree Master Amos Martin Felts, 32°, Assistant Degree Master

#### DIGEST

This is the first degree of the Council of Kadosh. In it the fact of the influence of the past upon the present and future is forcibly exemplified. The true Mason labors for the enlightenment of future ages. All good men hope to live after their death through the work they have done. We still feel the influence of the great deeds of heroism done in the past and are uplifted by the monuments of art and literature of ages gone by. It is the dead that govern. The living only obey, for we are still governed by the laws enacted in the past. Then let us so live that our acts may endure to uplift a brother unborn.

## Prologue: Delivered by Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H.

Grand Pontiff
Senior Prelate Robert Wolah Wickine, 32
Junior Prelate Luther Berry Randerson, 32°
OratorAmos Martin Felts, 32°
Senior Deacon
Junior DeaconHickline Prescott Hunnicutt, 32°
Philetus Dewey Charles Bradford, 32°
Shade of HermesRichard David Cox, Jr., 32°
Shade of Manu Harry Lee Gray, 32°
Shade of Philo
Shade of John John Henry Faulk, 32°
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Spirit of Masonry
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Spirit of Good and EvilJohn Robb Reed, Jr., 32°
Spirit of Good and Evil Charles Wendlandt, 32°
Spirit of Good and Evil . Frank Altman Burnette, 32°
Spirit of Good and Evil Edmond C. Rather, 32°
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AcolyteFred Anderson Barge, 32°
Acolyte Benjamin Franklin Moore, 32°
ThuriferJim Nathan Jones, 32°
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#### CHOIR

Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H. Howard Walton Bull, 32° Howard Walton Bull, 32° Henry Loua Clamp, 32° K. C. C. H. William Francis Gidley, 32° Homer Wilkins Griffitts, 32° George Herbert Harrington, 32° John W. Hawkins, 30° W. Dudley Miller, 32° Louis Slandton, 32° Louis Slandton, 32° Lomis Slaughter, 32° Moflitt Kennard Smith, 32°

#### 3:10 P.M.

## Twentieth Degree-Master of the Symbolic Lodge

James Bouldin Rector, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

#### DIGEST

As Grand Master of all Lodges one must first learn to be able to teach. There is uothing more sublime than leading the initiate into the sublime truth of Masonry, but to do so properly requires the utmost study and thought. The legends and allegories recited by Masonry are of worth only when understood. The lessons of this degree are liberty, fraternity, and equality. These must be applied to every day life and not reserved for the lodge room only. The world will judge us by our acts and Masonry itself will be judged by the character of its members. Let the Light shine always.

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Orator Ralph Conrad Goeth, 32	, -
Treasurer John Brashear Dufflest, 32	
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Secretary
Expert Robert Wallace Tobin, 32°
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Master of Ceremonies. Samuel Edward Gideon, 32°
Second Section
Ven. G. M., Frederick II. Joe Henry Muenster, 33°
S. G. W., Prince William Andrew Clinton Ellis, 32°
J. G. W., Prince Charles. Walter Lambuth Cox, 32°
J. G. W., Prince Charles. Watter Dambuch Cox, 02
Gr. Orator, Prince Bielfeld
James Milford Callahan Pharr, 32°
Gr. Treasurer, Prince von Oberg
David Ashur Goodstein, 320
Gr. Secretary, Prince von Lowen
James Bascom Giles, 32°
S. G. Deacon, Prince von Striven
John Robb Reed, Jr., 32°
J. Grand Deacon, Truch-Sess
3. Grand Beacon, Trach Session Earl Wickline, 32°
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Grand Hospitaler, Keyserling 320
George Albert Endress, 32°
Francis I. G. M., of Austria. Louis Harry Kirk, 32°
Prince de KaunitzRichard Niles Graham, 32°
Herr Hinuber, Grand Master of Hanover
Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H.
General Wallraven
Roger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H.
Marshal Daun Lomis Slaughter, 32
Marshal Laudon Henry Herman Hankey, 32°
Guard Morris Burns, 32°

#### 5:10 P.M.

### Twenty-first Degree-Noachite, or Prussian Knight

Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

In this degree we are admonished to be modest and humble, speaking only of the good in mankind and forgetting the evil. Slander is the exact opposite to mercy, for "Mercy blesseth him that gives and him that takes." while slander curses him that speaks it, and to say the least, does no good to the other. Our ancient brethren met to redress wrongs and defend the helpless. Masonry today has the same great mission, and woe to him or them who would attempt to destroy it.

#### 7:00 P. M.

## Twenty-second Degree-Knight Royal Axe; Prince of Libanus

Allen Emmett Hancock, 33°, Degree Master DIGEST

The lessons of this degree have always been of great moment to a large number of people. The respect for labor itself and sympathy for the laboring classes are purely Masonic. Masonry has made a workingman and his associates the heroes of her principal legend, and himself the companion of kings. From first to last, Masonry is work. Labor is man's great function, his peculiar distinction and his privilege. He pours his own thoughts into the moulds of nature, fashioning them into forms of grace and fabrics of convenience.

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	Carl Matthew Mayer, 32°
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	Alvin Thomson, 32°
	Ben Fromme, 32°
Workmen	Edward White, 32° K. C. C. H.
	William Robert Armstrong, 32°
	Collier Read Granberry, 32°
	Jesse James Smith, 32°
	George Shelton Dowell, 33°
	Roy Emmett Cain, 32°
	Samuel Edward Gideon, 32°
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#### 7:45 P.M.

#### Twenty-third Degree-Chief of the Tabernacle

Thomas Coleman Green, 32°, Degree Master DIGEST

Most of the ancient religious ceremonies consisted of public worship and private rites, called the Mysteries, which only the intiated could attend. Only after years of practice of the most rigid virtue and great spiritual development could the initiate hope to attain the greater mysteries. These ceremonies were often held at night in some secret place and consisted of sacred dramas, portraying some legend which contained a lesson, but little explanation was given and each candidate was left to interpret the truths for himself. Moses undoubtedly received from the Egyptians these Mysteries and in turn taught them to the Hebrew priesthood, emphasizing the doctrine of the one God, supreme and unapproachable. Venerable High Priest. Thomas Coleman Green, 32° Senior High Priest.....Wiley Eugene Glaze, 32°
Junior High Priest....Harold William Hoefgen, 32° 

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1929

#### 9:30 A. M.

## Twenty-fourth Degree-Prince of the Tabernacle

Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The Jewish Tabernacle was more symbolic than an ordinary reading of the Scriptures would indicate. Whether it was copied after other religions or not has never been settled to the satisfaction of the leading scholars. Josephus, the great Hebrew historian, says that in the construction of it, and its vestments and sacred vessels, the whole world was in some way represented. In this we again see the influence of the Egyptians' teachings. The twelve loaves of shew bread signify the twelve months of the year and the candlestick the twelve signs of the Zodiac. Philo asserts that the cherubim represented the two hemispheres.

Honored Leader . Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. Venerable High Priest....Roger Earl Wickline, 32° Excellent Priest.......Howard Walton Bull, 32° Assistant Expert.....Alfred Emanuel DeViney, 33° Master of Ceremonies..... Amos Martin Felts, 32° Captain of the Guards. . Charles Arthur Davis, 32° Assisting..... Edward Christian Henry Bantel, 33°

#### 10:30 A.M.

## Twenty-fifth Degree-Knight of the Brazen Serpent

Edward Jackson Mathews, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The serpent was regarded in olden days with reverence and was known as the author of the fate of souls. The serpent in coil with head erect was the royal ensign of the Pharos. Other mysteries as well as those of Bacchus Saba-Zeos it was flung into the bosom of the Hebrews and Gnostics consecrated it. In those of Bacchus Saba-Zeos it was flung into the bosom of the Initiate. In a system of degrees so complete as the Scottish Rite, it was necessary to teach every religion and philosophy known and so in this degree, we find with vigor, especially that of the mystical death, which symbolized the descent of the soul into the infernal truth and perfection.

Hakam .... Edward Jackson Mathews, 32° First Elder.....Benjamin Harrison Powell, 32° Second Elder ..... Orator ..... Claude Morley Bartholomew, 32° K. C. C. H. Gnide ..... Thomas Hall Shelby, 30° 

#### 1:30 P.M.

## Twenty-sixth Degree-Prince of Mercy

Stephen German Gernert, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

#### DIGEST

To know many sciences and to know them thoroughly is an impossible task for our finite minds. But we can take time from our daily tasks to learn a little. That the light from some great sun has been traveling toward the earth for many centuries and is not yet visible to us is almost unbelievable, when we know that light travels 186,000 miles each second, and yet is it any more wonderful to know that the great tree, the clinging vine and the little plant all spring from seeds so similar that only a botanist can tell one from another. The truth is that everything in nature is a mystery to us and we are mysteries to ourselves. Then let us watch and pray for that understanding which comes only after being tried in the fire of time and experience.

Venerable Chief ... ..... Stephen German Gernert, 32° K. C. C. H. Senior Warden . . . . . Harris Armstrong Melasky, 32° Junior Warden ..... John Clifton Welch, 32°
Orator ..... Claude Warren Patterson, 32° Master of Ceremonies . . . . Albert Ernest Probst, 32°

(This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Taylor, Texas)

### 2:45 P. M.

### Twenty-seventh Degree-Knight Commander of the Temple

Roger Earl Wickline, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

Practical charity, knightly attributes of character and a scorn for the base and selfish are but a few of the lessons taught in this degree. Truth and honor are more to be cultivated than the gathering of wealth and power, and while we have been studying the historical, philosophical and religious lessons of Masonry, let us not forget the practical side of it, ever remembering our many duties to the poor and helpless, the weak and unhappy.

Venerable MasterRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
Sub-master
PreceptorArchibald Woodruff Hart, 32
Hospitaller Arthur Newell McCallum, Jr., 32
DraperWilliam Richmond Fristoe, 32
First Lieutenant
Second LieutenantThomas Coleman Green, 32
ChancellorJohn Robb Reed, Jr., 32°
Captain of the GuardRobert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Chaplain Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.
AssistingJim Nathan Jones, 32°

#### 3:40 P.M.

## Twenty-eighth Degree-Knight of the Sun, Adept

Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The study of the ancient religions is of such vast proportions, that were one able to devote his entire lifetime to it, he could not hope to complete it. The worship of the sun and its planets, with more or less variations, was the most prevalent, although originally the planets, as well as fire, light and heat, were but symbols, or rather outward manifestations of the Supreme Being or Intellect. Almost every heathen nation, or at least all of whose Mythology we have knowledge, believed in one supreme God, whose name was never uttered. All rites and creeds, the evolution of some one or more of these ancient beliefs, have come down to us, sometimes purified by experience and added wisdom, but often a distorted vision has made what once was pure as gold nothing but dross. This degree especially was the real belief of our first brethren, who lived long before the Pyramids of Egypt or the first Babylon.

Venerable Father Adam
Brother TruthJames Milford Callahan Pharr, 32°
Herald
TsaphielRoger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H.
Zarakhiel
HamalielWilliam Harvey Simmons, 32°
RaphielJohn Ledel Gammel, 32°
Auriel
Michael
Master of Ceremonies Charles Floman Petet, 32°
GabrielJohn Brashear DuPriest, 32°

#### 4:30 P.M.

#### Twenty-ninth Degree—Scottish Knight of Saint Andrew

Rush Andrews Modrall, Jr., 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

Donald McColl, 32°, Assistant Degree Master

#### DIGEST

Traditions and folk songs, handed down through the ages, are the foundation stones for the building of the national character. The glorious achievements of our ancestors are the beacon lights of our efforts today. The cross of St. Andrew has always been the emblem of humility, patience and self-denial, and even more than these, that of charity and forbearance for the weak, the poor, and the helpless; the knights of old held virtue and truth and honor the most essential qualities of character.

Chief Rush Andre	ews Modrall, Jr., 32° K. C. C. H.
Prior	John Murray Ramsey, 32°
Preceptor	Donald McColl. 329
SeneschalEdw	ard Christian Henry Bantel, 33°
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Hospitaller	Hugh Fackler McDonald, 32°

Warder	Stephen Norris Gage, 32°
Sentinel	Charles Frederick Mann, 32°
Captain of the G	uardGustave Johnson, 33°
Guard Li	ttle Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.
Guard	Henry Loua Clamp, 32° K. C. C. H.
Guard	James William Chapman, 32°
Guard	Paul W. McFadden, 32° K. C. C. H.
Guard	John W. Hawkins, 30°
Pianist	William Henry Barrett, 32°

#### 7:00 P.M.

#### Thirtieth Degree-Knight Kadosh

James Wooten McClendon, 33°, Degree Master Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H., Assistant Degree Master

#### DIGEST

Of all the degrees of the Scottish Rite, we should consider this as one of the most important. "Lives of great men," as the poet has said, "remind us we can make our lives sublime." If in death there is life, then the great martyrs of history live indeed in the hearts of the followers after truth. Every Mason who has attained this degree should study the history of the Templars, for it is as true now as then that the esoteric teachings of Masonry are only to be appreciated when studied diligently and continually. This degree particularly teaches the great necessity of combating arbitrary and unscrupulous power and all influences which would keep the people in ignorance.

Opening and Reception
PreceptorErma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. First Sub PreceptorEugene Edwin Barrow, 32° Second Sub PreceptorJ. Bascom Giles, 32° OratorAlbert Leman Haynes, 32° AlmonerAbraham Harrison Swanson, 32° TurcopilierSully Bayard Roberdeau, 32° DraperHaston Clay Smith, 32° First DeaconHenry Herman Hankey, 32°
Second Decemp Debert Malan William 200
Second DeaconRobert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Bearer of the United States Flag
Bearer of the Texas FlagEllwood William Schulz, 32°
Lieutenant of the GuardRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
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Bearer of the BeauseantTinsley Penick, 32°
Bearer of the White Standard
Bearer of the Black Standard
SentinelFrank Albert Gomillion, 33°

#### First Apartment

"Humanity	is our	neighbor.	We al	l enter	life in	one
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Preceptor James	Wooten McClendon, 33°
Spirit of the Departed Ben	jamin Carroll Tharp, 32°
Spirit of Death John	Brashear DuPriest, 32°
Lieutenant of the Guard	
Erma Coll	in Munro, 32° K. C. C. H.
Sentinel Fran	k Albert Gomillion, 33°

#### Second Apartment

"As you judge here below, so you yourself shall be judged hereafter."

The Hierophant Alonzo Alverly Ross, 32° K. C. C. H. The Sacrificer ..... Benjamin Harrison Powell, 32° Lieutenant of the Guard...Roger Earl Wickline, 32° Sentinel.....Frank Albert Gomillion, 33°

#### Third Apartment

"Our aim is to be distinguished among Masons and enrolled among the benefactors of mankind"

The Supreme Judge. Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32° .....Albert Leman Haynes, 32° .....J. Bascom Giles, 32° .... Henry Herman Hankey, 32° The Frank Judges

......Haston Clay Smith, 32° ....Robert Nolan Wickline, 32° ... Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°

Provost of Justice .... ...... Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. Sentinel......Frank Albert Gomillion, 33°

#### Fourth Apartment

"The pages of the world's history are studded all over with the names of Martyrs"

Preceptor . . .....James Wooten McClendon, 33° First Sub Preceptor ... Albert Leman Haynes, 32° Second Sub Preceptor ... Alfred Bramlette Smith, 32° Chancellor ... Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. Almoner......Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32° First Deacon. Henry Herman Hankey, 32°
Second Deacon. Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Lieutenant of the Guard. Roger Earl Wickline, 32°
Marshal of Ceremonies Frank Albert Gomillion, 33°
Chanlain Chaplain....Lyman John Bailey, 32°
Orator....Eugene Edward Barrow, 32°

#### Explanation of the Ladder

Robert Nolan Wickline, 32° Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32° Albert Leman Haynes, 32° Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32° Alfred Bramlett Smith, 32° Henry Herman Hankey, 32° Eugene Edwin Barrow, 32°

(The lectures in this Degree will be delivered by Past Grand Master William Madden Fly, 32° K. C. C. H., and William Henry Korges, 32°)

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### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1929

9:00 A.M.

### Thirty-first Degree-Inspector Inquisitor

Claude Morley Bartholomew, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master

#### DIGEST

The title of this Degree conveys the thought of self-examination as well as that of others. Every man, and more especially every Mason, should ponder prayerfully and soberly on his thoughts and acts of the day. The wrongs of today must not be repeated on the morrow, for each day should add some light and truth for our guidance of the next, and then as the days and weeks and months go by our characters should be so far above reproach, so filled with love for our fellowman, that the world would instinctively say: "There is a good man for he is a Mason." To correct the faults of others, to admonish with love and forbearance, is the duty we owe each other, but never to judge, for that is a divine prerogative alone.

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NephthysJames Bouldin Rector, 32° K	. C. C. H.
Atum	erry 320
MaRoger Barton Tyler, 32° K.	CCH
Inoth Charles Burton C	ook. 320
AnupuRalph Conrad Go	eth 320
Horus William Frederick Ki	1hn 330
Meonsenet	cox 320
Tua Mutet	1999 320
HapiRoger Earl Wickl	ine 32°
Amset	nes. 32°

## Hall of Equity

#### Assistant Degree Master, Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.

Zarathustra	John Henry Faulk, 32°
Manu	Alfred Emanuel DeViney, 33°
Hermes	Rudolph D. Thurston, 32°
Confucius	Thomas Coleman Green 320
Moshah	Frank Ross Barron, 32°
Minos	Little Berry Burnette 320 K C C H
Muma	Edward Christian Henry Bantel 330
Alfred	Gustave Johnson 330

#### 2:00 P.M.

#### Thirty-second Degree-Master of the Royal Secret

George Green, 32°, Degree Master

#### DIGEST

In this degree the crowning point is reached by those who have studied and thought. The Royal Secret like the occult science of the ancients is concealed even here—but remember, "Faith begins where Reason sinks exhausted." Magic, contrary to the belief of many, is but the absolute science of nature and its laws, hence the Star of Hope shines for us as truly as it did for the Wise Men of the East two thousand years ago. Today, as in the first days of the creation, the universal equilibrium still retains its predominant position in the eternal plan of the Omnipotent. Good and evil, right and wrong, justice and mercy, attraction and repulsion, balance each other to teach us to remember ourselves as immortal souls, retaining for each other respect and charity, and remembering always that each is slowly climbing to the State of Perfection, the final goal of all. Venerable Master......George Green, 32°

Prior.....Ralph Conrad Goeth, 32° Preceptor..... Ira Polk Hildebrand, 32° Chancellor......John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Minister of State.....William Frederick Kuhn, 33° Almoner......Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32° Marshal of Ceremonies.....

...... Cornelius William Swenson, 32° Captain of the Guard..... .....Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.

#### Chanters and Sacrificers

Chief Priest......Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°

Charles Arthur Davis, 32° Frank Altman Burnette, 32° Hans Carl Hess, 32° John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Claude Ernest Hill, 32° Roy James West, 32° Henry Bascomb Lee, 32° Woodlief Thomas Henrichson, 32°

#### Camp Guard

Captain.....Joseph D. Hahn, 32°

Lee Huling Bowles, 32° Newton Allen Brunson, 32° John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Robert Todd Ford, 32° Charles Wendlandt, 32° Archibald Woodruff Hart, 32° Edwin Ringer Harrell, 32° Henry Herman Hankey, 32° Jim Nathan Jones, 32° Percy Allen McDannell, 32° Camille Alexis Maufrais, 32° Tinsley Stuart Penick, 32° Everette Edward Pittman, 32° John Robb Reed, Jr., 32° Polk Shelton, 32° Thurlow Brush Weed, 32°

## In Memoriam

Jack Alessandro, 32°, died May 2, 1929. Harry Birk Beck, 32°, died May 7, 1929. Edward Cary Canon, 32°, died March 29, 1929. John Clyde Dean, 32°, died July 21, 1929. Chester Erhard, 32°, died April 10, 1929 Sanders Ragland Fuller, 32°, died September 3, 1929. Thomas Anderson Gullett, 32°, died August 25, 1929. Seth William Mabry, 14°, died March 25, 1929. Joseph Mansel Matthews, 30°, died June 7, 1929. Winston Dudley Miller, 32°, died June 10, 1929. James Charles Petmecky, 33°, died August 16, 1929. Joseph Edgar Philips, 18°, died April 14, 1929. Joseph Draper Sayers, 32° K. C. C. H., died May 15,

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