
Spring Reunion

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED

SCOTTISH RITE

OF FREEMASONRY

VALLEY OF AUSTIN
ORIENT OF TEXAS



SATURDAY REUNION

January 28, February 11 and 25, March 17

FOUR-DAY REUNION

March 14, 15, 16, and 17

Thomas Neal Porter, 32°
CLASS

REUNION INSPIRATION

Do you remember the thoughts which filled your mind when you had just completed your degrees in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite? The enthusiasm for the principles of Freemasonry you then possessed, and the resolves you then made?

Possibly never before in your life were you so moved to the very foundations of your being as you were when you stepped forth a "Master of the Royal Secret"!

How you were thrilled at the magnitude of the work you had undertaken; at the examples of self-sacrifice you had witnessed; at the wonderful system of instruction which had been unfolded unto you! How you resolved that, God willing, you would do your part to carry on the great work of Scottish Masonry, and help make the world a better place to live for those who were to come after you!

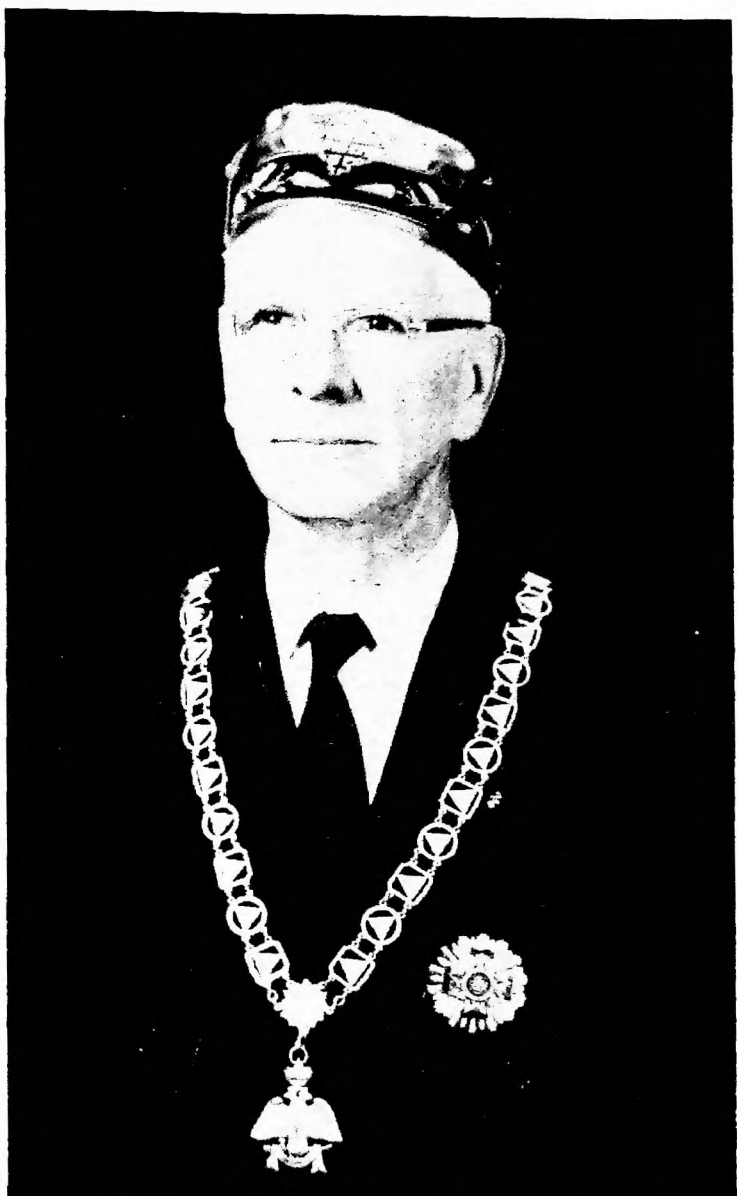
And now, with another Reunion before us, is it not time to take stock as to how these promises which we made to ourselves have been fulfilled? Do we still possess a part of that enthusiasm and desire to serve humanity? Have we DONE anything with the superior knowledge we then gained? Have we been the means of inspiring others to make the journey in search of Masonic Light that was so fully shed on us?

Reunion time! A period of introspection as well as renewal of our inspiration for the cause of Scottish Rite Masonry!

Why not resolve now that you will again make the journey with your brethren? Attend the beautiful degrees and renew your obligations to your brethren, and join with them in the fraternal spirit of the occasion. You will see faces whom perhaps you have missed in recent years. Perhaps you will be the means of lightening the burden of someone's cares and tribulations, or the inspiration to the members of the degree casts to better portray the lessons of the ceremonies.

Let's make this Spring Reunion more than a mere conferring of the degrees. With your presence and help we can make them, in every sense of the word, a—

SCOTTISH RITE REUNION!



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Sovereign Grand Commander, Southern Jurisdiction, U. S. A.



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CLAUD F. YOUNG, 33°

Grand Secretary General, Southern Jurisdiction, U. S. A.



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Sovereign Grand Inspector General in Texas

Allegiance

The four Co-ordinate Bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, sitting in the Valley of Austin, Orient of Texas, derive their charters from and acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council of the Thirty-third degree for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States (Mother Council of the World, of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General), whose See is at the Grand Orient of Charleston, in the State of South Carolina.

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Greeting:

A cordial and fraternal welcome is extended to all Scottish Rite Masons, from whatever Valley hailing, to be present and participate with us in welcoming to our ranks a large number of proselytes to the cause of Education, Tolerance and Fraternity, on

January 28, February 11 and 25, March 14, 15, 16, and 17.

THE ANNUAL SPRING REUNIONS

At which time all the degrees will be conferred
in full form

WILLIAM LEONARD DARNELL, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Venerable Master.

LUCIEN BARKSDALE DEAN, 32°
Wise Master.

JACK JULIUS LAMB, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Commander.

WILLIAM ORVAL FLYNN, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Master of Kadosh.

CARL MATTHEW MAYER, 33°
Stage Director.

HARLEY DePEW, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Degree Team Director.

CHARLES FLOMAN PETET, 33°
Reunion Director.

JOSEPH CLARKE PETET, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Secretary.

JAMES THOMAS BROWNING, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Assistant Secretary.

ABRAHAM HARRISON SWANSON, 33°
Secretary Emeritus.

Secretary's Bulletin

An applicant for the degrees in this Valley must be an affiliated Master Mason in good standing. He must have received the Master's Degree at least six months before the date of his application or he must have passed a satisfactory examination in the esoteric work of this Degree. He must have been a resident of the State of Texas for six months. If lodge membership is held outside of Texas, a certificate of good standing or receipt for dues for the current year must accompany the petition. Forfeiture of rights as a Master Mason for any reason works a forfeiture *ipso facto* of all rights in the Scottish Rite.

FEEES FOR THE DEGREES

| | <i>Fees</i> | <i>Annual Dues</i> |
|--|----------------|------------------------|
| 14° Lodge of Perfection, including Morals and Dogma and 14° Ring | \$ 60.00 | \$3.00 |
| 18° Chapter of Rose Croix | 30.00 | 2.00 |
| 30° Council of Kadosh..... | 30.00 | 1.50 |
| 32° Consistory | 30.00 | 1.50 |
| | <hr/> \$150.00 | <hr/> \$8.00 |

It is not required that the degrees in all of the different Bodies shall be taken at one session. A candidate may stop at the close of any one Body, if it is not convenient to proceed further.

PATENTS

Handsomely executed patents (in English) will be furnished all new members who attain the Thirty-second degree. They are issued under the seal of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America.

RING 14°

Perfect Elus (14°) of this Jurisdiction should wear the ring of the degree on the third finger of the left hand (not counting the thumb); it should be a flat gold band; engraved within the ring the motto of the degree, "*Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit*" (Whom Virtue Unites Death Cannot Separate), also the name of the brother, and the date on which he received the Fourteenth degree.

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 to 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 non-payment 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 post office 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 IN SATURDAY CLASS

Candidates who are beginning their Scottish Rite Degrees (4° through 14°) must report to the Secretary at the Scottish Rite Temple, 18th and Lavaca Streets, not later than 8 a.m., Saturday, January 28, 1956. The Class will be organized promptly at that time, and anyone absenting himself will delay the work just that much. Candidates living in the city should present themselves on Friday, January 27, for registration. This will help materially in preventing a rush in the office on Reunion day. Candidates who plan to complete their Degrees may register at their convenience.

FOUR-DAY REUNION

Candidates may register beginning Monday, March 12 and not later than 8 a.m., Wednesday, March 14.

Fraternally Submitted,

JOSEPH CLARKE PETET, 32°, K.C.C.H.

Address:
Austin, Texas.

Secretary.

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Commander, James D. Richardson Council of
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Allen Sears, 32°
Joe Henry Varden, 32°

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- Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32°
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- William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- John Henry Johnson, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *William Asa Darby, 32°
- Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 33°

*Deceased.

Program of Work

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1956

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1956

9:00 A.M.

Opening Ceremonies

Under Direction of
Charles Fleman Petet, 33°
Reunion Director

9:30 A.M.

Fourth Degree—Secret Master

Bruce Burke, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master
Herbert William Chalberg, 32°, Assistant to Degree Master

King Solomon..... Herbert William Chalberg, 32°
Adoniram..... Carl Alfred Hobbs, 14°
Master of Ceremonies
..... Walter Vernon Cartwright, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Expert..... William Woolsey Hunt, 18°
Assistant Expert..... William Anderson Eppright, 32°
Captain of the Guard..... Vincent Curt Swenson, 14°
Voice..... William Anderson Eppright, 32°
Voice..... Vincent Curt Swenson, 14°
Voice..... William Woolsey Hunt, 18°
Orator..... Walter Vernon Cartwright, 32°, K.C.C.H.

10:45 A.M.

Fifth Degree—Perfect Master

Alonzo Edwin Cocke, 32°, Degree Master

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| King Solomon..... | Theodore Philip Meyer, Jr., 32° |
| King Hiram..... | Edward Albert Knetsch, 32° |
| Adoniram..... | Jasper Arthur Jones, 32° |
| Zabud..... | Preston Edwin Hutchinson, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies..... | Joe Charles Parker, 32° |
| Expert..... | Howard Phillip Steinle, 32° |
| Lecture..... | Ephriam Herbert Smartt, 32° |

CATAFALQUE CORTEGE

Coy Lee Dobbins, 32°
Carson Richard Wilkerson, 32°
Fred Anderson Barge, Jr., 32°
Ernest Eugene Gilbert, 32°
Charles Cleveland Kinney, 32°
Gustave Johnson, 33°
James Albert Warren, 32°
Joe Donald Francis, 32°
Eric George Johnson, 32°
Irwin W. Popham, 32°
Herbert B. Rehfeld, 32°
James Albert Warren, 32°

11:45 A.M.

Sixth Degree—Intimate Secretary

Thomas Donald Blackwell, 32°, Degree Master

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| King Solomon..... | Thomas Donald Blackwell, 32° |
| | Haskell Pat Adelman, 32° |
| King Hiram..... | Ersell Calvin Duke, 14° |
| Captain of Guard..... | Truett Ozias Lang, 32° |

1:15 P.M.

Seventh Degree—Provost and Judge

Gustave Johnson, 33°, Degree Master

First Section

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| Zabud, Chief Judge..... | Gustave Johnson, 33° |
| Naboth..... | William Leatherwood Wier, 32° |
| Uriah..... | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |

Second Section

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| Chief Provost and Judge..... | Gustave Johnson, 33° |
| Senior Inspector..... | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |
| Junior Inspector..... | William Leatherwood Wier, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies..... | William Glenn Cater, 32° |

1:50 P.M.

Eighth Degree—Intendant of the Building

Robert Middleton West, 32°, Degree Master

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| King Solomon | Robert Middleton West, 32° |
| Tsadoc | John Edgar White, 32° |
| Ahishar | Vernon Othro Brown, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Samuel Claud McCullough, 32° |
| Adoniram | Philip Eugene Morgette, 32° |
| Gareb | William Vonceil Alsabrook, 32° |

(Jimmie D. Gober, 32°, will deliver the lecture)

2:15 P.M.

Ninth Degree—Elu of the Nine

Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32°, Degree Master

Eugene Digges, Jr., 32°, Alternate Degree Master

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| King Solomon | Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32° |
| King Hiram | Marion Shirley Bowen, 32° |
| Adoniram | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° |
| Ahishar | James Aubrey Turman, 32° |
| Pharos, the Shepherd } Master of Ceremonies } | Addison Earl Lee, 32° |
| Tsadoc | Otto Simon Steiner, 32° |
| Captain of the Guard | Walter Edmond Orr, 32° |
| Guard | Leroy Winters, 32° |
| Soliloquy | Leonard Paul Meadows, Jr., 32° |

3:00 P.M.

Tenth Degree—Elu of the Fifteen

Fred Lewis Blundell, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master

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| King Solomon | Fred Lewis Blundell, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Tsadoc | Moses Walter Glosserman, 32° |
| Adoniram | Henry Franklin Adlam, 32° |
| Banaias | Oland Thomas Moore, Jr., 32° |
| Zerbal | Thomas Dewitt Gambrell, 32° |
| Secretary | Francis Floyd Tate, 32° |
| First Ruffian | Gershon Rosenwasser, 32° |
| Second Ruffian | Moses Walter Glosserman, 32° |
| Orator | Thomas Dewitt Gambrell, 32° |

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

3:45 P.M.

Eleventh Degree—Elu of the Twelve

Frank James Swartz, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master

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| King Solomon | Frank James Swartz, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| King Hiram | Paul Farris, 32° |
| Adoniram | Walter William Puckett, 32° |
| Banaias | William Franklin Condron, Jr., 32° |
| Yosophat | Cecil Ralph Miller, 32° |
| Zabud | Joe Simon, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Sydney Lee Davis, 32° |

(Roy Otis Schanhals, 32°, will deliver the lecture)

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

4:15 P.M.

Twelfth Degree—Master Architect

Alton Lee Garrett, 32°, Degree Master

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| Venerable Master | Henry Edward Spears, 32° |
| Senior Warden | Earl D. Massey, 32° |
| Junior Warden | Alton Lee Garrett, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Bobby Clarence Holland, 32° |
| Expert | Will Sutton, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Orator | Harry A. Kenyon, 32° |

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

4:45 P.M.

Thirteenth Degree—Royal Arch of Solomon

Ennis H. Crowder, 32°, Degree Master

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| Venerable Master | John Wesley Childers, 32° |
| | Ennis H. Crowder, 32° |
| Grand Inspector | Edwin Marion McNeel, 32° |
| Senior Warden | Bill Palmos, 32° |
| Junior Warden | Obie Weldon Kirk, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Robert Lee Suggs, 32° |
| Captain of Guard | Terry Pendleton Culbreth, 32° |
| Expert | Roy Edward Berryhill, 32° |
| | Sydney T. Cooper, 32° |
| Assistant Expert | Robert Emmett Rohde, 32° |
| Tiler | Hubert Byron Priestly, 32° |
| Orator | Obie Weldon Kirk, 32° |
| | Sydney T. Cooper, 32° |

(This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Hearne, Tex.)

7:30 P.M.

Fourteenth Degree—Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Mason

John Henry Johnson, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master

Joe Kelton Wells, 32°, K.C.C.H., Alternate Degree Master

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| Venerable Master | John Henry Johnson, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Joe Kelton Wells, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Senior Warden | Bruce Burke, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Rollie Woodrow Cain, 32° |
| Junior Warden | Bertie Rex Shields, 32° |
| | William Vonceil Alsabrook, 32° |
| Orator | John Carroll Hinsley, 32° |
| | Eugene Digges, Jr., 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Lewis Hamilton Richardson, 32° |
| Expert | Herman Edwin McKinney, 32° |
| Assistant Expert | Albert Wesley Caster, 32° |
| | Leo Ferdinand Brockmann, 32° |
| Captain of the Host | Gustave Johnson, 33° |

“Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit”

Philip C. Tucker Chapter of Rose Croix

A. A. S. R.

OFFICERS

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| Wise Master | Lucien Barksdale Dean, 32° |
| Senior Warden | John Colvin Ward, 32° |
| Junior Warden | Albert Wesley Caster, 32° |
| Orator | William Jack Roberts, 32° |
| Almoner | Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Treasurer | Wilford Leon Turner, 32° |
| Secretary | Joseph Clarke Petet, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Master of Ceremonies | Franklin Henderson Ashmore, 32° |
| Expert | William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Assistant Expert, Louis Frank | Joseph Baethe, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Standard Bearer | John Carroll Hinsley, 32° |
| Guard of Temple | Sam Millerman Saxon, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Tiler | Leon Wesley Stromquist, 32° |

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, Sr., 33°
- *Charles Jay Marks, 33°
- George Shelton Dowell, 33°
- *Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Roger Barton Tyler, 33°
- *Morris Burns, 32°
- Alfred Castleman Bull, 33°
- *Claude Morley Bartholomew, 33°
- *Tobias Herman Bieze, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Erma Collin Munro, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Lee Shelton Thrift, 32°
- *Ora Manford Davis, 33°
- *Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Carl Matthew Maver, 33°
- *Owen Gibson Williams, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Leo Oswald Mueller, 33°
- William Henry Boerner, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Horace Chilton Barnhart, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Charles Floman Petet, 33°
- Bruce Burke, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Harley DePew, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Wiley Eugene Glaze, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- John Clarke Blankenship, 32°
- Bertie Rex Shields, 32°
- William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Wesley Hope Tilley, 32°
- *William Asa Darby, 32°
- Harvey Benart Henry, 32°
- Jack Julius Lamb, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Byron Elliott Short, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Joseph Garland Barcus, 32°

*Deceased.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1956

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1956

9:00 A.M.

**Fifteenth Degree—Knight of the East or
of the Sword**

Horace Kellard Jackson, 33°, Degree Master
Hugh Mason Rooks, 32°, Assistant Degree Master

Scene 1. Council of the Jews

Worshipful Ruler..... Lee Evans Madden, 32°
Zerubbabel..... Simon Milford Bunn, 32°, K.C.C.H.
High Priest..... James Morgan Hay, 32°
Captain of the Guard.....
..... Duncan Carnes Howard, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Master of Ceremonies..... James Albert Golay, 32°
Nehemiah..... Frank Taylor, 32°
Banah..... Charles Whitsitt Evans, Jr., 32°
Yehu Aber..... Mayfield Karns Odom, 32°
Satholkin..... Claude Lofton Manning, 32°
Zelec..... J. C. Smith, 32°
Hasim..... Ira Winthrop Seley, 32°
Balsan..... I. C. Anderson, 32°

Scene 2. Court of Cyrus at Babylon

Cyrus, King of Persia..... Harvey C. Byrd, 33°
Zerubbabel..... Simon Milford Bunn, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Captain of the Guard.....
..... Duncan Carnes Howard, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Master of Palace..... Billy Hickman Dennis, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Master of Household..... Arthur Christian Upleger, 33°
Master of Chancery..... Homer Addison Williams, 32°
Master of Cavalry..... Marcus Luther Gregory, 32°
Master of Infantry..... William Carroll Doshier, 32°
Salamiel..... William Jackson Woods, Jr., 32°
Kadmiel..... Jesse Virgil Gunterman, 32°
Hananiah..... W. R. Phillips, 32°

Scene 3. Same as Scene 1

Palace Guards

Captain..... Duncan Carnes Howard, 32°, K.C.C.H.
..... Robert Earl Riviere, 32°
..... Clarence Hubby Reese, Jr., 32°
Lecture..... William Richardson White, 33°
Orator..... Aaron Milton Goldstein, 32°, K.C.C.H.

(This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Waco
Scottish Rite Association)

10:45 A.M.

Sixteenth Degree—Prince of Jerusalem

B. Rex Shields, 32°, Degree Master
John Henry Johnson, 32°, K.C.C.H., Assistant to
Degree Master

Scene 1. Council of the Jews

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| Zerubbabel | James Cullis Jones, 32° |
| Joshua | Albert Wesley Caster, 32° |
| Haggai | David Andrew Reeves, 32° |
| Seraiah | Roy Warren Dalby, 32° |
| Mordecai | James Albert Warren, Jr., 32° |
| Salamiel | Herbert Benton Dunagan, Jr., 32° |
| Kadmiel | Gene Howard, 32° |
| Hananiah | Sidney Arthur Childress, 32° |
| Esdras | Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32° |
| Arial | Ernest Solomon Burks, 32° |
| Jarib | John Franklin Carruthers, 32° |
| Nehemiah | David Edmund Sponberg, 32° |

Scene 2. Antechamber of Palace of Darius

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| Captain of the Guard | Dave Archable Shipwash, 32° |
| First Guard | Richard Edison Chalmers, 32° |
| Second Guard | Herbert William Chalberg, 32° |
| Zerubbabel | James Cullis Jones, 32° |
| Mordecai | James Albert Warren, Jr., 32° |
| Kadmiel | Gene Howard, 32° |
| Hananiah | Sidney Arthur Childress, 32° |
| Esdras | Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32° |
| Secretary | Thomas Bryan Stephens, 32° |

Scene 3. Palace of Darius

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| Darius, King of Persia | Kenneth Wilbur Howard, 32° |
| Captain of the Guard | Dave Archable Shipwash, 32° |
| First Guard | Richard Edison Chalmers, 32° |
| Second Guard | Herbert William Chalberg, 32° |
| Zerubbabel | James Cullis Jones, 32° |
| Master of Chancery | Lee Jesse Wilborn, 32° |
| Mordecai | James Albert Warren, Jr., 32° |
| Kadmiel | Gene Howard, 32° |
| Hananiah | Sidney Arthur Childress, 32° |
| Esdras | Wilbur Collins Treadwell, 32° |
| Secretary | Thomas Bryan Stephens, 32° |

Scene 4. Banquet Hall of Darius

Servant. Joseph Clyde Pearson, 32°

Guards

William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H.
James Norman Harvey, 32°
George Palmer Coulter, 32°
Henry Banta Odell, 32°
Edward Burleson Young, 32°
L. Sherman Bolieu, 32°

Bugler. John Arnold Focht, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Orator. William Collins Treadwell, 32°

1:30 P.M.

**Seventeenth Degree—Knight of the East
and West**

Gustav Bradley Bourland, 32°, Degree Master
Frank Grant Bryant, 32°, Assistant to Degree Master

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| Venerable Preceptor..... | Gustav Bradley Bourland, 32° |
| Senior Warden..... | Jerome Murrill Smith, 32° |
| | Robert Seale Calvert, 32° |
| Junior Warden..... | William Blanks Hilgers, 32° |
| | Jehuc Boone Baker, 32° |
| Evangelist..... | William Jack Roberts, 32° |
| | Victor Houston Ritter, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies..... | Gustave Johnson, 33° |
| Expert..... | John Arnold Focht, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | John Osorio, 32° |
| Almoner..... | Theodore Robert McNeely, 32° |
| | Gordon Byron Thomas, 18° |
| Orator..... | Lester Melvin Lang, 32° |
| | Frank Grant Bryant, 32° |
| Captain of the Guard..... | Sidney Alexander Wooldridge, 32° |
| | Charles Miller Babb, 32° |
| Elders { | George Enoch Hurt, 32° |
| | Marion Shirley Bowen, 32° |
| | Hurley Griffith, 32° |
| | Rhea Bradley Merritt, 32° |
| | Earl Porter Deathe, Jr., 32° |
| | Reuben Benjamin Wright, 32° |
| | Ben White, 32° |
| | Edward Burleson Young, 32° |

(Lecture in this Degree will be delivered by
Lester Melvin Lang, 32°)

2:45 P.M.

Eighteenth Degree—Knight of Rose Croix

John Carroll Hinsley, 32°, Degree Master

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| Wise Master..... | John Carroll Hinsley, 32° |
| Senior Warden..... | Wilbur Dawson Gilbert, 32° |
| Junior Warden..... | Philip Eugene Morgette, 32° |
| | Ronald Wesley Zachman, 32° |
| Orator..... | William Vonceil Alsabrook, 32° |
| | Thomas Gilbert Bowen, 32° |
| Almoner..... | John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Master of Ceremonies..... | William Angus Wages, 32° |
| | Theodore Robert McNeely, 32° |
| Expert..... | Ralph Webster Yarborough, 32° |
| Standard Bearer..... | Donald Wesley Zachman, 32° |
| | Philip Eugene Morgette, 32° |
| Guardian of the Temple..... | Charles Floman Petet, 33° |
| | Victor L. Manning, 32° |

(Lecture of the Degree will be delivered by
Ralph Webster Yarborough, 32°)

James D. Richardson Council of Knights Kadosh

A. A. S. R.

OFFICERS

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| Commander | Jack Julius Lamb, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| First Lieutenant | William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Second Lieutenant | John Henry Johnson, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Chancellor | Byron Elliott Short, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Orator | Franklin Henderson Ashmore, 32° |
| Almoner | Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Treasurer | Wilford Leon Turner, 32° |
| Recorder | Joseph Clarke Petet, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Master of Ceremonies | James Guy Wiley, 32° |
| Turcopilier | Arville Farrington Jones, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Draper | Sam Millerman Saxon, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| First Deacon | James Thomas Browning, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Second Deacon | Walter Vernon Cartwright, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Bearer of Beauseant | John Carroll Hinsley, 32° |
| Bearer of White Standard | Jesse Bennett Malone, 32° |
| Bearer of Black Standard | Lucien Barksdale Dean, 32° |
| Lieutenant of Guard | Eugene Digges, Jr., 32° |
| Sentinel | Leon Wesley Stromquist, 32° |

PAST COMMANDERS

- *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, Sr., 33°
- *William Theodore Pfaefflin, 33°
- *Tobias Herman Bieze, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Morris Burns, 32°
- *Roger Barton Tyler, 33°
- *Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Beverly Sanford Dickinson, 33°
- Alfred Castleman Bull, 33°
- George Shelton Dowell, 33°
- Little Berry Burnette, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Lee Shelton Thrift, 32°
- *Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Carl Matthew Mayer, 33°
- *Owen Gibson Williams, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Leo Oswald Mueller, 33°
- *Horace Chilton Barnhart, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Charles Floman Petet, 33°
- Wiley Eugene Glaze, 32°, K.C.C.H.
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- *William Asa Darby, 32°
- John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- John Clarke Blankenship, 32°
- Harley DePew, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- Bertie Rex Shields, 32°
- Robert Hugh Francis, 32°, K.C.C.H.
- *Thomas Neal Porter, 32°
- Albert Wesley Caster, 32°
- Joseph Garland Barcus, 32°
- John Franklin Huff, 32°
- William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H.

*Deceased.

5:00 P.M.

Nineteenth Degree—Pontiff

William Hume Farmer, Jr., 32°, Degree Master
James Marion Burleson, 32°, Assistant to Degree Master

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| Pontiff | William Hume Farmer, Jr., 32° James Marion Burleson, 32° |
| Senior Warden | Hugh Lloyd Morrison, 32° |
| Prelate | Curtis Owen Smith, 32° |
| Assistant Expert | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° Richard Lee Coffman, 32° |
| Orator | William Drummond Gallier, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Joseph LeRoy Love, 32° |
| First Brother | Cadwell Tabb Harrell, 32° |
| Second Brother | Roy Edgar Le Mond, 32° |
| Third Brother | John William McBrine, 32° Cecil Lawrence Mitchell, 32° |
| Spirit of Evil | Donald Robert Richardson, 32° Weldon Terry Wright, 32° |
| Oracle | Herman Edwin McKinney, 32° |
| Spirit of Masonry | Warner Sale Lewis, 32° |
| First Spirit of Evil and Good | William Edward Washmon, 32° |
| Second Spirit of Evil and Good | Meteor Noska Frnka, 32° |
| Third Spirit of Evil and Good | Ross DeMauri Terry, 32° |
| Fourth Spirit of Evil and Good | Harry Gilbert Smith, 32° |
| Fifth Spirit of Evil and Good | Erwen Adams Gathright, Sr., 32° |
| Sixth Spirit of Evil and Good | Andrew Jacobsen, 32° Robert Middleton West, 32° |

7:30 P.M.

Twentieth Degree—Master of the Symbolic Lodge

Webster Wroe Owens, 32°, Degree Master

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| Venerable Master..... | Webster Wroe Owens, 32° |
| Senior Warden..... | Albert Louis Wade, 32° |
| Junior Warden..... | Earl Podolnick, 32° |
| Orator..... | Carleton Felts Card, 32° |
| Treasurer..... | Aaron Fenton White, Jr., 32° |
| Secretary..... | Togie Baylor, 32° |
| Expert..... | Benjamin Carroll McPherson, 32° |
| Assistant Expert..... | Cornelius William Swenson, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies..... | Clarence Taylor Uselton, 32° |

8:00 P.M.

**Twenty-first Degree—Noachite, or
Prussian Knight**

Cleo Lafoy Dowell, 32°, Degree Master

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| Lieutenant Commander .. | George Gurney Commons, 32° |
| Count Reinfred..... | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |
| Adolph the Saxon..... | Eugene Howard, 32° |
| Baron Altendorf..... | Randolph Lee Anderson, 32° |
| Isador of Bohemia..... | Noel Peter Amstead, 32° |
| Thaddeus of Poland..... | Thomas Edward Johnson, 32° |
| Richard of England..... | Bruce Burke, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Philippe of France..... | Roy Youngblood Martin, 32° |
| Alphonse of Castille..... | Phillip Chadwick Fahrenthold, 32° |
| Fernando of Italy..... | Thurlow Brush Weed, 32° |
| Knud of Denmark..... | William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Marshal..... | John Arnold Focht, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Grand Warder..... | Gus John Moos, 32° |
| Orator..... | Seth Darnaby Breeding, 32° |
| Sentinel..... | Gustave Johnson, 33° |
| Guard..... | Gerald Berndt Knappe, 32° |
| Guard..... | Harry Banta Odell, 32° |
| Guard..... | Ralph Alvin Lewis, 32° |
| Guard..... | Gerald Michaux Clopton, 32° |
| Guard..... | Stanley George Moos, 32° |

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1956

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1956

8:30 A.M.

**Twenty-second Degree—Knight Royal Axe;
Prince of Libanus**

Harley DePew, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master

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| Venerable Chief | Joseph Garland Barcus, 32° |
| Senior Warden | Louis Frank Joseph Baethe, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Assistants | Eugene Howard, 32° |
| | John Clarke Blankenship, 32° |
| | Charles Hobert Owens, 32° |
| Junior Warden | Edward Theodore Bloomquist, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Carl Matthew Mayer, 33° |
| Expert | Ora Mansford Davis, Jr., 32° |
| Assistant Expert | Edward Joseph St. John, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Orator | Lucien Barksdale Dean, 32° |
| Orator | Raymond Fernie Bethune, 32° |
| Workmen | Allen Emmett Hancock, 33° |
| | Leo Oswald Mueller, 33° |
| | William Henry Boerner, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Henry Fitzhugh Kunz, 32° |
| | Carl Henry Mueller, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Walter Ewald Seaholm, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Oscar Ludwig Kunz, 32° |
| | Leon Wesley Stromquist, 32° |
| | Jeff Miller Rhoades, 32° |
| | Frank Weldon Cook, 32° |
| | George Shelton Dowell, 33° |
| | Alfred Thomas Post, 32° |
| | Carl Lambert Hyltin, 32° |
| | Elbert Tom Penick, 32° |
| | Carson Richard Wilkerson, 32° |
| | Oliver Lester Wolfe, 32° |
| | John Colvin Ward, 32° |
| | Jacques Adoue Parker, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Thomas Cahal White, Sr., 32° |
| | William Harvey Young, 32° |
| James Dismukes Howard, 32° | |
| Euel Phillip Ischy, 32° | |
| Harlan Wetherell Myerly, 32° | |
| Clyde Jesse Barr, 32° | |
| Leon Alger Metcalf, 32° | |

9:00 A.M.

Twenty-third Degree—Chief of the Tabernacle

Eugene Digges, Jr., 32°, Degree Master

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| Venerable Master | Eugene Digges, Jr., 32° |
| Senior High Priest | Clyde Valton Shipp, 32° |
| Junior High Priest | Walter Pool Nass, Jr., 32° |
| Expert | Ernest Eugene Gilbert, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Porter Pierce Mitchell, 32° |
| Voices | Charles Frederick Goodenough, Jr., 32° |

9:45 A.M.

Twenty-fourth Degree—Prince of the Tabernacle

William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H., Degree Master

Honored Leader. William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Venerable High Priest. Roy Clifford Shelton, 32°
Excellent Priest. William Roland Robbins, 32°
Eliasaph. Raymond Chesleigh Wisdom, 32°
Elizaphan. Herbert Lee Lasseter, 32°
Zuriel. Charles Don Ward, 32°
Typhon. John Holly Sheffield, 32°
Expert. James Raymond Fraley, 32°
Assistant Expert. Jesse Bennett Malone, 32°
Master of Ceremonies. Adolph Aguren, 32°
Captain of the Guards. Donald Robert Richardson, 32°
Guard. Clyde Valton Shipp, 32°
Guard. Albert Henry Clopton, 32°
Guard. Barney Bowling, Jr., 32°
Guard. William Robertson Welty, 32°
Lecture. Holcomb Carlyle Booth, 32°

11:15 A.M.

Twenty-fifth Degree—Knight of the Brazen Serpent

James Frederick Beeman, 32°, Degree Master
Erwin Bell Bassford, 32°, Assistant to Degree Master

Hakam. Erwin Bell Bassford, 32°
Walter Vernon Cartwright, 32°, K.C.C.H.
First Elder. Luther Berry Randerson, 32°
John Pat Cotman, 32°
Koen Richard Reed, 32°
Marvin Homer Parker, 32°
Second Elder. William Everett Decker, 32°
Chester Worthing Cawfield, 32°
Larra Eldon Hamilton, 32°
Henry Fouts, 32°
Guide. Charles Woodrow McDougall, 32°
Arthur Lee Fogle, 32°
Lecture. Joe Oliver Arnold, 32°
Marcus Alvin Grumbles, 32°
James Frederick Beeman, 32°

(This Degree conferred by Brethren from
Austin Post Office)

7:15 P.M.

Thirtieth Degree—Knight Kadosh

Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 33°, Degree Master
John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H.,
Richard Gray Avent, 32°,
Assistants to Degree Master

Opening and Reception

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| Preceptor | Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| First Sub-Preceptor | Gustav Bradley Bourland, 32° |
| Second Sub-Preceptor | Theodore Roberts Mamer, 32° |
| Chancellor | Robert Leo Pollard, 32° |
| Chaplain | Henry LaPoe Phillips, 32° |
| Orator | John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Almoner | Herbert Lee Lasseter, 32° |
| Turcopilier | Walter Eugene Simms, Jr., 32° |
| Draper | Garland Abner Hagood, 32° |
| First Deacon | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° |
| Second Deacon | Togie Baylor, 32° |
| Lieutenant of the Guard | J. L. Bellotte, 32° |
| Marshal of Ceremonies | Carl Manly Wilson, 32° |
| Bearer of the United States Flag | Joseph Walter Pierce, 32° |
| Bearer of the Texas Flag | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |
| Bearer of the White Standard | William Harvey Young, 32° |
| Bearer of the Black Standard | John Edward Coats, 32° |
| Sentinel | James Albert Warren, 32° |
| Mausoleum Guards | Irving Norwood King, 32° |
| | Rhea Bradley Merritt, 32° |
| | Henry Allen Fredrich, 32° |
| | Oscar Raymond Brown, 32° |
| | Elmer Cornelius Bengtson, 32° |
| | William Everett Decker, 32° |

First Apartment

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| Preceptor | Richard Gray Avent, 32° |
| Spirit of the Departed | Sam Millerman Saxon, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Spirit of Death | James Thomas Browning, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Lieutenant of the Guard | J. L. Bellotte, 32° |
| Sentinel | James Albert Warren, 32° |

Second Apartment

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| The Hierophant | William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| The Sacrificer | Halcomb Carlyle Booth, 32° |
| | Benjamin Harrison Powell, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Lieutenant of the Guard | J. L. Bellotte, 32° |
| Sentinel | James Albert Warren, 32° |

Third Apartment

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| The Supreme Judge | Richard Gray Avent, 32° |
| The Frank Judges | John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Theodore Roberts Mamer, 32° |
| | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° |
| | Herbert Lee Lasseter, 32° |
| | Walter Eugene Simms, Jr., 32° |
| | Togie Baylor, 32° |
| Provost of Judges | J. L. Bellotte, 32° |
| Sentinel | James Albert Warren, 32° |

Fourth Apartment

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| Preceptor..... | Richard Gray Avent, 32° |
| First Sub-Preceptor..... | Gustav Bradley Bourland, 32° |
| Second Sub-Preceptor..... | Theodore Roberts Mamer, 32° |
| Almoner..... | Garland Abner Hagood, 32° |
| Recorder..... | Robert Leo Pollard, 32° |
| Turcopilier..... | Walter Eugene Simms, Jr., 32° |
| Draper..... | Herbert Lee Lasseter, 32° |
| First Deacon..... | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° |
| Second Deacon..... | Togie Baylor, 32° |
| Lieutenant of the Guard..... | J. L. Bellotte, 32° |
| Marshal of Ceremonies..... | Carl Manly Wilson, 32° |
| Chaplain..... | Henry LaPoe Phillips, 32° |
| Orator..... | John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Sentinel..... | James Albert Warren, 32° |

(This lecture will be delivered by
John Henry Kavanaugh, Jr., 32°)

Explanation of the Ladder

Togie Baylor, 32°
Forest Simms Pearson, 32°
John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Herbert Lee Lasseter, 32°
Theodore Roberts Mamer, 32°
Marvin Paul Halden, 32°
Gustav Bradley Bourland, 32°

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| Chancellor | Henry Banta Odell, 32° |
| Minister of State | Joseph Garland Barcus, 32° |
| Almoner | Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Treasurer | Wilford Leon Turner, 32° |
| Registrar | Joseph Clarke Petet, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Prelate | Lucien Barksdale Dean, 32° |
| Master of Ceremonies | Albert Wesley Caster, 32° |
| Expert | William Leonard Darnell, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Assistant Expert | Louis Frank Joseph Baethe, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Captain of the Guard | James Thomas Browning, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Tiler | Leon Wesley Stromquist, 32° |

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James Wooten McClendon, 33°
*William Theodore Pfaefflin, 33°
*George Charles Butte, 33°
*James Wilson McLaughlin, 33°
Allen Emmett Hancock, 33°
*Beverly Sanford Dickinson, 33°
*Charles Jay Marks, 33°
*Erma Collin Munro, 32°, K.C.C.H.
*Moritz Silver, 33°
*Roger Barton Tyler, 33°
*Alfred Emanuel DeViney, Sr., 33°
George Shelton Dowell, 33°
*Morris Burns, 32°
Alfred Castleman Bull, 33°
*Tobias Herman Bieze, 32°, K.C.C.H.
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*Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°, K.C.C.H.
*Owen Gibson Williams, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Carl Matthew Mayer, 33°
Leo Oswald Mueller, 33°
Charles Floman Petet, 33°
*Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H.
*Horace Chilton Barnhart, 32°, K.C.C.H.
William Henry Boerner, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Hubert Blackburn Jones, 32°
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*William Asa Darby, 32°
Harley DePew, 32°, K.C.C.H.
*Thomas Neal Porter, 32°
John Charles Eckert, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Bruce Burke, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Wesley Hope Tilley, 32°
John Clarke Blankenship, 32°
Jack Julius Lamb, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Robert Hugh Francis, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Bertie Rex Shields, 32°
Byron Elliott Short, 32°, K.C.C.H.

*Deceased.

THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1956

9:00 A.M.

Thirty-first Degree—Inspector Inquisitor

Thomas Laffayette Dyer, 32°
Degree Master

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| Husiris | Thomas Laffayette Dyer, 32° |
| Isis | Jerome Murrill Smith, 32° |
| Nephthys | Benjamin Palmer Atkinson, Jr., 32° |
| Atum | Joseph Carl Blaicher, 32° |
| Ma | Victor Houston Ritter, 32° |
| Toth | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |
| Anupu | Samuel Claud McCullough, 32° |
| Horus | John Edward Harrison, Jr., 32° |
| Kebhsenef | James Cullis Jones, 32° |
| Tua Mutef | John Edgar White, 32° |
| Hapi | Willard Caspar Finkelstein, 32° |
| Amset | Harold Kitchens Smith, 32° |
| | Hall of Equity |
| Zarathustra | Amasa Blevins Campbell, 32° |
| Manu | Albion Ross, 32° |
| Hermes | Carl Manly Wilson, 32° |
| Confucius | Thomas Bryan Stephens, 32° |
| Moshah | Walter Edmond Orr, 32° |
| Minos | Clarence Taylor Uselton, 32° |
| Numa | William Agnew Swindell, 32° |
| Alfred | Gustave Johnson, 33° |

1:30 P.M.

Thirty-second Degree—Master of the Royal Secret

Jack Julius Lamb, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Degree Master

Sam Millerman Saxon, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Assistant to Degree Master

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| Venerable Master | Jack Julius Lamb, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Prior | Sam Millerman Saxon, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| Preceptor | Marvin Paul Halden, 32° |
| Chancellor | Alvin Given East, 32° |
| Minister of State | Eugene Digges, Jr., 32° |
| Marshal of Ceremonies | Albert Wesley Caster, 32° |
| Captain of the Guard | John Henry Kavanaugh, Jr., 32° |

Voices

Louis Frank Joseph Baethe, 32°, K.C.C.H.
Henry Herman Hankey, 32°, K.C.C.H.
William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H.

Chanters and Sacrificers

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| Chief Priest | Claude Earnest Hill, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Erwen Adams Gathright, Sr., 32° |
| | J. C. Conradt, 32° |
| | Raymond Harold Stark, 32° |
| | Leon Ashford Pedigo, 32° |
| | Ronald Wesley Zachman, 32° |
| | Ellwyn Darwin Worley, 32° |
| | William Orval Flynn, 32°, K.C.C.H. |
| | Thomas Frank White, 32° |

Camp Guard

Captain..... Roy Warren Dalby, 32°

Ben Hur Patrol

MASONIC INSTITUTIONS IN TEXAS

Throughout the years Masons have taken pride in providing for the widows and orphans of their deceased Brethren and for those of their Brethren who, because of being aged, have become unable to take care of themselves. Today Texas Masons are following the pattern set by their forefathers.

The Home for Aged Masons, located in Arlington, Texas, is the home for many Masons and their wives who have reached an age which makes it impossible for them to care for themselves. This institution is operated by the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, and is open to Texas Master Masons and their widows. The widows are cared for through an arrangement with the Grand Lodge of Texas and come under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Masonic Home and School.

In order to properly care for the orphans of Texas Masons, the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge maintains and operates the Masonic Home and School at Fort Worth. This Home should be of particular interest to all Masons throughout Texas. Its spacious grounds and well-kept buildings provide a real home for the children of our deceased Brethren. The school is an efficiently-operated institution which prepares the child for further education in college or a job as the case might be.

SCOTTISH RITE DORMITORY AUSTIN, TEXAS

The Scottish Rite Dormitory for Girls is an institution erected near the campus of the University of Texas in Austin to provide for the daughters of Master Masons "suitable living quarters while attending the University, at a moderate price, and to surround them during their University course with wholesome, moral environment, and with the associations of home life, in addition to its comforts and conveniences." This object was the result of efforts by the late Samuel Poyntz Cochran, 33°, Sovereign Grand Inspector General in Texas.

The Dormitory is a five-story fireproof building designed originally to accommodate 315 girls. The capacity has been increased until approximately 340 girls are taken care of each school year. The Dormitory is under the direction of Mrs. F. C. McConnell who is assisted by a staff of trained matrons and counsellors.

Each of the six Scottish Rite Bodies in Texas has played an important part in the construction and maintenance of the Scottish Rite Dormitory. The Board of Directors is made up of representatives named by each of the Bodies. Their aim has been, as stated above, to offer suitable living quarters at a moderate price, and although the cost per student has necessarily been increased to meet the higher cost of operation, the Dormitory continues to offer its residents the best of living conditions at a price which is lower than charged by other resident halls in the area.

Applications should be presented to the Director well in advance of the date that entrance is desired as there is always a waiting list. The Secretary will be happy to furnish you with further information.

TEXAS SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

One of the most outstanding contributions of Texas Scottish Rite Masons in Texas to the future citizens of our State is the Crippled Children's Hospital located at Dallas. The Hospital was established in 1923 and since that time countless thousands of unfortunate children have been treated.

The Crippled Children's Hospital is sponsored by all of the Scottish Rite Bodies in Texas and is under the supervision of a Board of Directors composed of representatives from each Consistory. Admission to the Hospital is limited to those crippled children who live within the State of Texas whose parents are not financially able to bear the expense of the necessary treatment. The cost of operating the Hospital is met primarily from bequests and contributions. An Endowment Fund has been started for the purpose of perpetuating this benevolent institution. If you are interested, and well you might be, in making a bequest to this Fund, please contact your Secretary. Many Brethren throughout the State have made provisions in their wills so that their contribution to the Hospital will be a permanent memorial.

Admission to the Hospital is based on the following conditions:

1. That a child's home be in Texas.
2. That its parents be unable to bear the expense of treatment in a private hospital.
3. That its affliction be judged curable.
4. That the child shall not have reached its fifteenth birthday.

In Memoriam

Died

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| William Bartholomew Bevins, 14° | September 21, 1955 |
| Beal Jester, 32° | September 21, 1955 |
| Herbert Dristoll Hanberry, 32° | October 20, 1955 |
| William Henry Bridges, 32° | November 1, 1955 |
| Charles Sumner Heacock, 32° | November 8, 1955 |
| Gilbert Fred Koehler, 32° | November 14, 1955 |
| William Bly Thomas, 14° | November 29, 1955 |
| William Turner Johnson, 32° | December 17, 1955 |
| Edwin Eugene Dannelley, 32° | December 17, 1955 |
| George Madison Burns, 32° | December 18, 1955 |
| Earl Bryan Purdin, 32° | December 20, 1955 |
| Roosevelt Edward Sundberg, 18° | December 21, 1955 |
| Willie Bell Erwin, 14° | December 25, 1955 |
| Robert Edmond Johnson, 32° | January 1, 1956 |
| Irvin Elmer Isom, 32° | January 3, 1956 |

VIRTUS JUNXIT MORS NON SEPARABIT

The Supreme Council Favors

1. The American public school, nonpartisan, nonsectarian, efficient, democratic, for all of the children of all the people.
2. The inculcation of patriotism, respect for law and order, and undying loyalty to the Constitution of the United States of America.
3. The compulsory use of English as the language of instruction in the grammar grades of our public schools.
4. Adequate provision in the American public schools for the education of the alien populations in the principles of American institutions and ideals of citizenship.
5. The entire separation of Church and State, and opposition to every attempt to appropriate public moneys—federal, state or local—directly or indirectly, for the support of sectarian or private institutions.