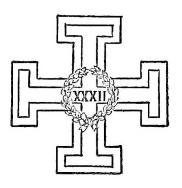
Spring Reunion

Ancient and Accepted SCOTTISH RITE of Freemasonry



VALLEY OF AUSTIN ORIENT OF TEXAS

APRIL 15, 16, 17, 18, 1929

Jurisdiction

The jurisdiction of the Supreme Council, 33°, A. & A. S. R., for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America ("Mother Council of the World"), includes all of the United States and Territories thereof (as well as the Army and Navy of the United States), and also Hawaii and the Empires of China and Japan; except the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin, which fifteen States were apportioned by said Supreme Council to the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States in the year 1827.

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The Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States, under whose authority we work, disclaims all jurisdiction or control over the Degrees of Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft and Master Mason, and accepts only applicants for its Degrees who are Master Masons in good standing in Lodges recognized by the Grand Lodge of the State in which the applicant resides.

The Ineffable Degrees, as conferred in this jurisdiction, begin with the Fourth and extend through the Fourteenth, and are conferred in Lodges of

Perfection.

Historical and Religious Degrees begin with the Fifteenth and extend through the Eighteenth, and are conferred in Chapters of Rose Croix.

The Chivalric and Philosophic Degrees begin with the Nineteenth and extend through the Thirtieth, and are conferred in Councils of Kadosh.

The Official Degrees are the Thirty-first and Thirty-second, and are conferred in the Consistories.

Allegiance

The four Co-ordinate Bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, 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.

JOHN H. COWLES, 33° Grand Commander Southern Jurisdiction, U. S. A.

HYMAN W. WITCOVER, 33° Secretary General Southern Jurisdiction, U. S. A.

SAMUEL POYNTZ COCHRAN, 33° Sovereign Grand Inspector-General in Texas.

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

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURS-DAY, APRIL 15, 16, 17, 18, 1929

THE

ANNUAL SPRING REUNION

1929

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

ALFRED EMANUEL DeVINEY, 33° Venerable Master.

ALFRED CASTLEMAN BULL, 32° K. C. C. H. Wise Master.

SULLY BAYARD ROBERDEAU, 32° Commander.

MORRIS BURNS, 32°

Master of Kadosh.

BEVERLY SANFORD DICKINSON, 33° Stage Director.

EDWARD CHRISTIAN HENRY BANTEL, 33° Reunion Director.

JOE HENRY MUENSTER, 33° Secretary.

Secretary's Bulletin

An applicant for the degrees in this Valley must be an affiliated Master Mason in good standing, and a resident of the State of Texas for six months. lodge membership is held outside of Texas, a certificate of good standing or receipt for dues for the current year must accompany the petition. For-feiture of rights as a Master Mason for any reason works a forfeiture ipso facto of all rights in the Scottish Rite.

WEEG BUD WEED DRUDEES

	FRES FUR THE DEGREE	722				
				Ann	ual	
		Fe	es.	Due	8.	
140	Lodge of Perfection, including					
	Morals and Dogma and 14°					
	Ring\$	42	00	\$2	00	
180	Chapter of Rose Croix	31	00	1	00	
30°	Council of Kadosh	31	00	1	00	
32°	Consistory	51	00	1	00	
	\$1	155	00	\$5	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 Latin and 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.

LADIES' CERTIFICATES

The Supreme Council issues certificates to the wife, widow, mother, sister or daughter of any Thirty-second degree member of the Rite in this Jurisdiction. These certificates are obtainable through the Secretary. The price is \$2.00.

Data required for certificate: Name in full; date of birth; residence; relationship (wife, widow, mother, sister, daughter); the brother's name in full and degree, and his residence.

RING 14°

Perfect Elus (14°) of this Jurisdiction should wear the ring of the degree on the third linger 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 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, April 15, 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:
Austin, Texas.

General Secretary.

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, April 14, 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 George W. Tod, Box 982, 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 an additional feature for the entertainment of the class, visitors and members, Stephen F. Austin Chapter, Order of DeMolay, will confer the Initiatory and DeMolay Degrees immediately after the conferring of the Twenty-third degree on Tuesday evening. This feature will be open to all Master Masons.

This Chapter of DeMolay is sponsored by the Scottish Rite Bodies of Austin and should enjoy

your interest and support.

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

Henry Loua Clamp, 32° K. C. C. HDirector				
William Henry Barrett, 32° C. C. H Organist				
William Henry Barrett, 32° Organist Miss Irene Maddox Organist William Gillespie Stacy, 32° Trumpeter				
Mrs. C. E. Mick				
SCOTTISH RITE QUARTETTE				
Mrs. Luther ThompsonSoprano				
Mrs. Geo. Seawell				
James William Chapman, 32°				
SCOTTISH RITE MALE QUARTETTE				
Alfred Emanuel DeViney, Jr., 32°				
Homer Wilkins Griffitts, 32°				
Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H. Milton Eugene Horner, 32°				
4º Organ Prelude: "And the Glory of the				
Lord"				
Quartette: "Abide With Me"				
5° Organ: "Aria" Lamare				
Organ: "Asa's Tod" (Peer Gynt Suite) Grieg				
5° Organ: "Aria" Lamare Organ: "Funeral March" Chopin Organ: "Asa's Tod" (Peer Gynt Suite) Grieg Organ: "Postlude" Duboise				
7° Organ: "Prelude"				
8° Organ: "Barcarolle"				
9° Soprano: "Open the Gates of the Temple"				
Knapp				
Organ: "Andante"				
10° Organ: "Funeral March"				
11° Soprano Solo: "Hear Ye Israel" Mendelssohn				
14° Violin Solo: Selected.				
Duet: "Raise Me, Jesus"				
Violin Solo: Selected Quartette: "I Will Extol Thee"Wilson				
Organ: "Prayer"				
Quartette: "O Lamb of God"				
Organ: "Communion"				
15° Soprano: "By the Waters of Babylon"Howell Organ: "Prayer"				
Organ: "Triumphal March"				
16° Organ: "Requiem March" Cato				
Organ: "Dead March" (Saul)				
17° Organ: "Scherzo" Dvorak Organ: "Onward, Christian Soldiers"				
CARARA MARKATA, MARKSTANIA DURANTA				
Organ: "Invocation"				

180	Violin Solo: Selected
	Organ: "Celestial Voices"
	Organ: "Scherzo" Salome Organ: "Ave Maria" Schubert
	Organ: "Ave Maria"Schubert
	Organ: "Melodia"
	Organ: "Melodia"
	Organ: "Ionian"
	Organ: "Ionian"
190	Organ: "Rosary" (Chimes)
	Organ: "War March of the Priests" (Athalie) Mendelssohn
	(Athalie) Mendelssolvn
	Organ: "Aria" Lamare Quartette: "Immortality"
	Quartette: "Immortality"
	Soprano Solo: "The Holy City"Adams
	Chorus: "God Be With You Till We Meet
	Again"
20°	Organ: "La Prophet" Meyerbeer
	Chant
	Organ: "Processional March"Flagler
24°	Organ: "Night Song"Loeshorn
	Soprano Solo: "Arise, Shine, for the Light
	Has Come"
	Duet for Soprano and AltoSelected
	Organ: "Funeral March"
25°	Organ: "Chimes" Grieg
	Organ: "Chimes" Grieg Organ: "Funeral March" Battman
	Organ: "Postlude "
26°	Violin Solo: Selected
	Soprano Solo: "One Sweetly Solemn 'Thought"
	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" Scotch
	Male Quartette: "Evening Shadows"Parks Baritone Solo: "Laddie"Evans Tenor Solo: "Annie Laurie"
	Baritone Solo: "Launie"
	Chimes
	Baritone Solo: Selected
4440	
30*	Organ: "Chorus of Angels"
	Soprano Solo: "If With All Your Hearts"
	Duet, "How Long, Oh Lord, Wilt Thou For-
	get Me" Pthueger
	get Me" Pflueger Quartette: "Evening Prayer" Wilson
	Contralto Solo: "Thou Wilt Keep Him" Speaks
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٠,	Organ: "Grand Choir"
	Organ: "Adagio Religioso"Lamare
	String Quartette: Selected
	Organ: "March Militaire"Lemmens
	Male Quartette: "Tenting Tonight"
	Quartette: "To My Temple 1 Repair" Shelley
	Organ: "March Recessional"Best
	Organ: "March Recessional"
	"Star-Spangled Banner"
	"America"

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Program of Work

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 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.

King Solomon	. Henry Herman Hankey, 32°
Adoniram	James Harvey Baugh, 32°
	dlief Thomas Henrichson, 32°
ExpertI	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 brower 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°
King Khairom William Payne Nieholl, 32°
Adoniram Franklin Henderson Ashmore, 30°
ZabudRobert Hugh Francis, 32°
Master of Ceremonies Richard E. Callender, 32°
Expert Frank Albert Gomillion, 33°

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

DIGEST

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 falls to avert an injury to another, the other where he falls 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.

Chief Provost and Judge.....Gustave Johnson, 33° Orator.....James William Lowber, 32° K. C. C. H. Senior Inspector........John Tett Cox, 32°

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11:15 A.M.

Eighth Degree-Intendant of the Building

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

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Yehu-aber... Leland Edwin Hope, 14°
Satolkin. Melvey Earnest Clark, 14°
Gareb. Eugene Nixon, 14°
Zelec. William Houston Day, 32°

Lieutenant of Guard... Benjamin Fred Edwards, 14° (Edwin Allen Blankinship, 14°, will deliver the

lecture.)
(This Degree is conferred by brethren from

Prairie Lea, 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 erndicate 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.

King Solomon ... Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°
King Khairom ... Alfred Emanuel DeViney, 33°
Adoniram ... Morris Burns, 32°
Pharos, the Shopherd \(\) Harry Lee Gray, 32°
Banaias ... Edmond C. Rather, 32°
Tsadoc ... Claude Ernest Hill, 32°
Captain of the Guard ... Early Ervin Baker, 30°
Orator ... Q. 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 univorsal 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 SolomonFred Lewis Blundell, 32°
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AdoniramCharles Shuff Glass, 32°
Banaias
ZerbalThomas Dewitt Gambrell, 32°
SecretaryFrank Albert Gomillion, 33°
First Ruffian William Payne Nicholl, 32°
Second Ruffian Charles Morriston Ashmore, 32°
OratorThomas 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.

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	Banaias Richard Meek, 32°
	YosophatJames Clinton Miller, 32°
	ZabudJoe Sandgarten, 32°
	Treasurer William Henry Korges, 32°
	(Lancelot Mischaux Clopton, 32°, will deliver the
	lecture)
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(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-consciousness 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.

Venerable Master ... Hugh Thomas Insall, 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.

Thirtcenth Degree-Royal Arch of Solomon

William Richmond Fristoe, 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 "Adonai" 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 notions. 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 boginning of the buman race.

Venerable Master ... William Richmond Fristoe, 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 blinself. 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 unaffainable, yet we must ever press on, more nearly approaching it. We receive as much of the Divine Light as we are capable of anderstanding. God has arranged His great purpose so that each man has a work to do, a duty to perform to belp in the progress of the great plan for culightenment and growth. The Mason believes that the sorrows and trials of this life are a part of the plan of God, designed to purity and strengthen our souls. Surely a wise and merciful God would not send these things upon his chileren 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 realing above.

Venerable Master Merton Leonard Harris 32°
Senior Warden
Rush Andrews Modrall, 32° K. C. C. H.
Junior Warden Benjamin Harrison Powell, 32°
Oraior Mark Hutchins Young, 32°
Master of Ceremonies
ExpertJames Bascom Giles, 32°
Assistant Expert
Captain of the Host Custave Johnson 33°

"Virtus Junxit Mors Non Separabit"

Philip C. Tucker Chapter of Rose Croix No. 1

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OFFICERS

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 Pfacillin, 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°

7:00 P.M.

Fifteenth Degree—Knight of the East or of the Sword

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

DIGEST

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 Ruler Aaron Louis Frank. 32°
ZorobabelJames Wooten McClendon, 33°
High PriestDavid Ashur Goodstein, 32°
Captain of the GuardWilliam Joseph Koen, 32°
Master of Ceremonies Max Michelson, 32°
Nehemiah Arthur Henry Simon, 32°
BanahJake Frank, 32°
Yehu AberLeo Loewenstein, 32°
Satolkin
Zelec Erwin Marcus Joseph, 32°
Hasim
BalsanMorris Israel, 32°

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Scene 2. Court of Cyrus at Babylon
Cyrus, King of Persia
ZorobabelJames Wooten McClendon, 33°
Captain of the Guard Howard Walton Bull, 32°
Master of the PalaceAlfred Emanuel Deviney, 33°
Master of HouseholdJoe Henry Muenster, 33°
Master of ChanceryEdward James Smith, 32°
Master of CavalryNewton Allen Brunson, 32°
Master of InfantryGeorge Peter Searight, 32°
Salamiel Milton Eugene Horner, 32°
KadmielLomis Slaughter, 32°
Hananaiah Homer Wilkins Griffitts, 32°

Scene 3. Same as Scene 1

Palace Guards

Henry William Wendlandt, 32° James Albert Warren, 32° John Broshear DuPriest, 32° Clay Louis Price, 32°

Roy James West, 32° Marvin Paul Halden, 32°

8:30 P.M.

Sixteenth Degree-Prince of Jerusalem

Frank Holt, 32° K. C. C. H., Degree Master Robert Lee Lockwood, 32°, Assistant Degree Master

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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 trewel 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

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Yeshua .		John 1	Maxwell, 32°
Haggai			
Screaigh		erome B.	Rogers, 32°
Mordecai	W	illiam Bu	i-banan, 32°
Salamiel	Lemn	el Winfie!	d Joues, 32°
Kadmiel		. Theode	ore Ray, 32°
Hananaiah			
Esdras	Aaron	Moses G	oldstein, 32°

Scene 2. River Scene

Barbarians-

Julius Genecov, 32° John Louis Bergstrom, 32° Alphonso D. Farrow, 32°

Scene 3. Ante-Chamber of Palace of Darius

Captain of the Guard
Herman Frederick Hellmuth 32°
First Guard Joseph Matthews, 32°
Second Guard Thomas Whitfield Moss. 32°
Zorobabel Frank Holt, 32° K. C. C. H.
Mordecai William Buchannan, 32°
Kadmiel
Hananaiah Isaac W. Kiersky, 32°
Esdras Aaron Moses Goldstein 32°

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Darius, King of Persia
Captain of the Gnard
First GuardJoseph Matthews, 32°
Second Guard Thomas Whitfield Moss, 32°
ZorohabelFrank Holt, 32° K. C. C. H.
Master of Chancery Frank Oldham, 32°
Mordecai
Kadmiel Theodore Ray, 32°
Hananaiah
Esdras Aaron Moses Goldstein 32°

Scene 5. Banquet Hall of Darius

Guards

CaptainJames Luther Richardson, 32°
Thomas Whitfield Moss, 32°
George Colias, 32°
C. L. Mansell, 32°
Ralph Burleson Buchannan, 32°
Mark Thomas Bell, 32°
Lars Nicklas Ockander, 32°
Emmett Oates, 32°
John Morehead Dockery, 32°
George Rider Minier, 32°

Orator...... Joseph Weldon Hale, 32° (This Degree is conferred by Brethren from Waco, Texns)

TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 1929

9:00 A.M.

Seventeenth Degree—Knight of the East and West

Edward Christian Henry Bantel, 33°, Degree Master

DIGEST

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 Baptist, 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.

Venerable Preceptor
Edward Christian Henry Bantel, 33°
Senior Warden Martyn Elliott, 32°
Junior Warden
Master of CeremoniesGustave Johnson, 33°
ExpertBenjamin Carroll Tharp, 32°
Orator Paul W. McFadden, 32° K. C. C. H.
Captain of the Guard
Trumpeter John Arnold Focht, 32°
Everette Edward Pittman, 32°
John Edward Stullken, 32°
Elders Samuel Edward Gideon, 32°
William Harvey Simmons, 32°
John A. Focht, 32°
William Frederick Warren, 32°
L Banks McLaurin, 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. life.

Wise Master	Daniel Franklin Bobbitt, 32°
Senior Warden	Hubert Blackburn Jones, 32°
	William Robert Nabours, 32°
Orator	Edwin Clinton Kreisle, 32°
Master of Ceremoni	ies
. A	gesilaus 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

CommanderSully Bayard Roberdeau. 32°
First LieutenantBevery Sanford Dickinson, 33°
Second Lieutenant Arthur Wellington Griffith, 32°
Chancellor Alfred Castleman Bull, 32° K. C. C. H.
OratorGeorge Shelton Dowell, 33°
Almoner Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32°
Treasurer
RecorderJoe Henry Muenster, 33°
Master of Ceremonies Roger Earl Wickline, 32°
Turcopilier Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.
Draper Horace Chilton Barnhart, 32°
First Deacon
Second Deacon Edmond C. Rather, 32°
Bearer of Beauseant
Bearer of White Standard
Bearer of Black StandardLee Huling Bowles, 32°
Lieutenant of Guard
Charles Julian Baldwin, 32° K. C. C. H.
Sentinel Edward White, 32° K. C. C. H.

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, 33°
William Theodore Pfaeillin, 33°
Tobias Herman Bieze, 32° K. C. C. H.
Morris Burns, 32°
Roger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H.

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 PontiffGeorge Albert Giese, 32°
Senior PrelateRobert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Junior Prelate Luther Berry Randerson, 32°
Orator Amos Martin Felts, 32°
Senior Deacon Henry Bascomb Lee, 32°
Junior DeaconHickline Prescott Hunnicutt, 32°
PhiletusDewey Charles Bradford, 32°
Shade of Hermes Richard David Cox, Jr., 32°
Shade of Manu Harry Lee Gray, 32°
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Shade of Philo Haston Clay Smith, 32°
Shade of John John Henry Faulk, 327
Spirit of Evil
Spirit of Masonry
Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H.
Spirit of Good and Evil Elgin Otto Burrer, 309
Spirit of Good and Evil John 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°
Spirit of Good and Evil
Charles Newton Bustin, Jr., 32°
Acolyte Fred Anderson Barge, 32°
Acolyte Benjamin Franklin Moore, 32°
Thurifer Jim Nathan Jones, 32°
Thurifer John Brashear DuPriest, 32°
Oracle Henry Loua Clamp, 32° K. C. C. H.

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.

Venerable Master
James Bouldin Rector, 32° K. C. C. H.
Senior Warden Floyd Smith, 32°
Junior Warden Calvin Willard Gilfillan, 32°
OratorRalph Conrad Goeth, 32°
TreasurerJohn Brashear DuPriest, 32°
Secretary
Expert Robert Wallace Tobin, 32°
Assistant Expert Edward Erik Dunlay, 32°
Master of Ceremonies. Samuel Edward Gideon, 32°

Second Section

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Ven. G. M., Frederick II. Joe Henry Muenster, 33	30
S. G. W., Prince William Andrew Clinton Ellis. 33	90
J. G. W., Prince Charles. Walter Lambuth Cox, 35	
Gr. Orator, Prince Bielfeld	
James Milford Callahan Pharr, 39	20
Gr. Treasurer, Prince von Oberg	
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Gr.	Secretary,	Prince	von Low	en		
			Jar	nes Bas	scom Giles	, 32°

S.	G. Deacon, Prince von Striven	
	John Robb Reed,	Jr., 32°
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Francis I. G. M., of Austria. Louis Harry Kirk, 32° Prince de Kaunitz.....Richard Niles Graham, 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.

Lieutenant Commander. Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 32°
Count ReinfredGeorge Albert Endress, 32°
Adolph the SaxonWilliam Frederick Kuhn, 33°
Baron AltendorfClaude Ernest Hill, 32°
Isador of BohemiaIra Polk Hildebrand, 32°
Thaddeus of PolandEugene Howard, 32°
Richard of EnglandStephen Norris Gage, 32°
Philippe of France Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Alphonse of CastileBanton White Giles, 32°
Fernando of ItalyCarl Einar Berkman, 32°
Knud of Denmark Everett Edward Pittman, 32°
MarshalWilliam Gillespie Stacy, 32°
Grand Warden Henry Bascomb Lee, 32°
Orator Early Ervin Baker, 30°
Warder of the NorthJohn Edward Stullken, 32°
Sentinel
First Guard Don C. Peterson, 32°
Second Guard
Third GuardJohn William Ralson, 32°

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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Venerable ChiefAllen Emmett Hancock, 33° Senior WardenLee Shelton Thrift, 32° Junior WardenLeo Oswald Mueller, 32° Master of CeremoniesRobert Irwin Freeman, 32° ExpertCharles Julian Baldwin, 32° K.C.C.H. Assistant ExpertJesse James Smith, 32°
OratorBeverly Sanford Dickinson, 33°
Workmen John Grist, Jr., 32° K. C. C. H. Ora Manford Davis, 32° K. C. C. H. Horace Chilton Barnhart, 32° Carl Matthew Mayer, 32° Alvin Thomson, 32° Ben Fromme, 32° Edward White, 32° K. C. C. H. Carl Henry Mueller, 32° William Robert Armstrong, 32° Collier Read Granberry, 32° Jesse Lee Rose, 32° George Shelton Dowell, 33°

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 cach candidate was left to interpret the truths for himself. Moses undoubtedly received from the Egyptians these Mysteries and in turn taught them to the Hobrow 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 Houfgen, 32° Master of Ceremonies......Clyde Littlefield, 32° Expert.....Little Berry Burnette, Jr., 32°

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1929

9:30 A.M.

Twenty-fourth Degree—Prince of the Tabernacle

Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. C., 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° Eliasaph.... Henry Herman Hankey, 32° Elizaphan..... Morris Burns, 32° Zuriel.... John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Expert.... Robert Cochran Armstrong, 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

Thomas Hall Shelby, 30°, 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 the Hebrews and Gnosties 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 tench every religion and philosophy known and so in this degree, we find the moral lesson of some of the older religions taught with vigor, especially that of the inystical death, which symbolized the descent of the soul into the infernal regions and afterwards its rise to the state of light, truth and perfection.

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Second Elder	
Claude M	orley Bartholomew, 32° K. C. C. H
Guide	

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 WardenJohn Clifton Welch, 30°
OratorClaude 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
Preceptor Archibald Woodruff Hart, 32°
Hospitaller Arthur Newell McCallum, Jr., 32°
Draper
First LieutenantClaude Ernest Hill, 32°
Second Lieutenant Thomas Coleman Green, 32°
Chancellor John Robh Reed, Jr., 32°
Captain of the Guard Robert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Chaplain Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.
Assisting Jim 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
Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32°
Brother TruthJames Milford Callahan Pharr, 32°
Herald
TsaphielRoger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H.
ZarakhielWalter Lambuth Cox, 32°
HamalielWilliam Harvey Simmons, 32°
RaphielJohn Ledel Gammel, 32°
Auriel
MichaelRichard David Cox, Jr., 32°
Master of CeremoniesCharles 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 bumility, 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 Andrews Modrall, Jr., 32° K. C. C. H.
PriorJohn Murray Ramsey, 32°
Preceptor Donald McColl, 32°
Seneschal Edward Christian Henry Bantel, 33°
Seneschie
Hospitaller Hugh Fackler McDonald, 32°

Warder Stephen Norris Gage, 32°
Sentinel Charles Frederick Mann 200
Captain of the GuardGustave Johnson 330
GuardLittle Berry Burnette, 32° K C C H
Guard Henry Loua Clamp, 32° K C C H
GuardJames William Chapman 320
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

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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 DeaconRobert Nolan Wickline, 32°
Bearer of the United States Flag
Bearer of the Texas Flag
Lieutenant of the GuardRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
Bearer of the BeauseantTinsley Penick, 32°
Bearer of the White Standard
Bearer of the Black Standard
Sentinel Frank Albert Gomillion, 33°

First Apartment

"Fumanity is our neighbor. We all onter life in one manner, and face to face with punctual death, rank and privileges disappear"

Preceptor......James Wooten McClendon, 33° Spirit of the Departed. Benjamin Carroll Tharp, 32° Spirit of Death.....John Brashear DuPriest, 32° Lieutenant of the Guard.......

Erma Collin Munro, 32° K. C. C. H. Sentinel......Frank 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° f Albert Leman Haynes, 32°

The Frank JudgesJ. Bascom Giles, 32°

Henry Herman Hankey, 32°

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

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°
Turcopilier Sully Bayard Roberdeau, 32°
Draper Haston Clay Smith, 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°
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, APRIL 18, 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.

HusirisClaude Morley Bartholomew, 32° K. C. C. H.
Isis Merton Leonard Harris, 32°
NephthysJames Bouldin Rector, 32° K. C. C. H.
Atum
Ma Roger Barton Tyler, 32° K. C. C. H.
Thoth
AnupuRalph Conrad Goeth, 32°
Horus William Frederick Kuhn, 33°
KebhsenefCharles Allen Wilcox, 32°
Tua MutefGeorge Albert Endress, 32°
HapiRoger Earl Wickline, 32°
Amset

Hall of Equity

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

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.

Prior..... Ralph Conrad Goeth, 32° Preceptor..... Ira Polk Hildebrand, 32° Minister of State William Frederick Kuhn, 33° Almoner......Abraham Harrison Swanson, 32° Captain of the Guard......Little Berry Burnette, 32° K. C. C. H.

Chanters and Sacrificers

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

Camp Guard

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

In Memoriam

Edward Marion Culley, 32°, died August 22, 1928.

Frank Domschke, 32°, died February 2, 1929. George Adam Bernard Fiegel, 32°, died February 16,

1929.

Newton Frederic Pease, 18°, died December 20, 1928.

Edwin Anderson Reinhardt, 32°, died November 9, 1928.

Willie Michael Studer, 32°, died December 26, 1928.

Hal C. Weaver, 32° K. C. C. H., died January 12, 1929.

John Henry Washington Williams, 18°, died December 14, 1928.

Moore George Williams, 18°, died March 22, 1929.

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