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Royal Arch Masons

OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
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1996

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ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

& THE YUKON

SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVOCATION

held in

BURNABY, BRITISH COLUMBIA

MAY 30, 31 & JUNE 1, 1996

WILLIAM D. JASPER
Grand First Principal
Victoria, B.C.

ALEXANDER S. ROLLO
Grand Scribe Ezra
Vancouver, B.C.



**MOST EXCELLENT COMPANION LESLIE JAMES TUTT,
GRAND FIRST PRINCIPAL 1995-96**

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born January 9, 1922 in Lancashire, England. Served in the Infantry during the nd World War in Africa, Sicily and Italy. Immigrated to Canada March 1948. ied with a son Philip and daughter Margaret and six grandchildren. Worked in the food industry from 1948. Retired in 1982.

ONIC HISTORY:

FT:
Raised in Kerrisdale Lodge 117, 1959
Worshipful Master 1967-68
Affiliated Duke of Connaught 64, 1980-81
and currently a Member

K RITE:
Exalted North Vancouver Chapter 16, R.A.M., June 1976
First Principal, 1979-80 and 1985-86
Grand Superintendent District 7, 1989-90
Grand First Principal, 1995-96
Royal and Select Master, Cryptic Rite, 1981
Thrice Illustrious Master, 1984
Sovereign Great Priory of Canada
Jordan Preceptory, April 1977
Presiding Preceptory, 1979-80

CORDANT BODIES:
Order of the High Priesthood, June 1981
Red Cross of Constantine, November, 1982
Knight York Cross of Honour, June 1984
Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests, Abbotsford, 1984
Noble of the Mystic Shrine - Gizeh Temple, 1977
Member of Patrol, 1978
Captain of Patrol, 1990 and 1991
Member of North Shore Shrine Club, 1985
President of North Shore Shrine Club, 1988
Parade Marshall - Gizeh Temple, 1992
Ambassador York Rite - Gizeh Temple, 1994 and 1995

GRAND CHAPTER

ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

& THE YUKON

I, Alexander S. Rollo, Grand Scribe Ezra, of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon, do hereby certify that the following pages contain a true and faithful transcript of the Proceedings of the Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation, held in Burnaby, British Columbia, on May 30, 31 and June 1, 1996, of the Annual Returns of the Chapters and other matters authorized to be published.



In testimony whereof I have appended my official signature and have affixed the seal of Grand Chapter at the office of the Grand Scribe Ezra, in the City of Vancouver, British Columbia, this fifth day of September, 1996.

Alexander S Rollo

Grand Scribe Ezra

The order of this Agenda may be changed at any time at the pleasure of the Grand Zerubbabel.

THURSDAY, May 30.

1. Grand Chapter Informal Opening - 7:30
2. Admission & Reception Distinguished Guests: Sister Gr. Jurisdictions, Civic & Concordant Body Reps., Grand Lodge
3. Flag Ceremony
4. Anthems
5. Memorial Service
6. Response by Civic & Concordant Body Reps.
7. Informal Grand Chapter - Closing

FRIDAY, MAY 31.

REGISTRATION FOR GRAND CHAPTER: 7:30-12:00

Credentials Committee - Gizeh S. Temple

8. Grand Chapter Opening in Ample Form: 9 am
9. Reception of Visitors
10. Invocation: Grand Chapter
11. Resolution of Loyalty to the Queen
12. Minutes of last Grand Convocation
13. Grand Zerubbabel's Address
14. Grand 2nd & 3rd Principals' Reports
15. Grand Chaplain's Address
16. Reception: Past Grand First Principals
17. Reception: First Principals
18. Report: Grand Treasurer
19. Report: Grand Scribe Ezra
20. Report: Committee: Constitution & Jur.
21. Unfinished Business from last Gr. Chapter
22. Committee on Finance
23. Report: Grand Historian
24. Report: Committee: Petitions & Grievances

NOON RECESS: 12:00 - 1:15 sharp

25. Reception of Grand Representatives
26. Report: Committee on Credentials
27. Motions: Amendements to Constitution
28. New Business
29. Report: Committee on Printing
30. Report: Committee: Warrants & Disp.
31. Report: Committee on Regalia
32. Report: Committee: Foreign Correspond.
33. Presentation: Honorary Membership Cards
34. Election of Officers
35. Report: Bursary Trustees
36. Report: Committee on Grand Z's Address

CALL FROM LABOUR TO REFRESHMENT

SATURDAY, JUNE 1.

GRAND CHAPTER RECONVENES - 8:30 am sharp

37. Report: Committee on Ritual
38. Report: S.R.A.M. & R.A.M.H.S.
39. Report: Keystone of Life Foundation
40. Report: Committee on Gr. Superintendents
41. Report: Committee on Merit Award
42. Report: Committee on Past Grand Z's Award
43. Good of the Order
44. Vote of thanks to the Host Chapter
45. Installation of Officers
46. Read names of Committee Chairmen
47. 1997 Grand Convocation, 1998, 1999
48. Grand Chapter Closing in Ample Form

THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVOCATION
GRAND CHAPTER
ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA & THE YUKON

The Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Columbia & the Yukon was held on May 30, 31 and June 1, 1996 at the Gizeh Temple, Burnaby, B.C. **Grand Chapter was informally opened at 7:32 pm, May 3(**

OFFICERS (as recorded on the Porch Sheets)

MEC Leslie J. Tutt	Grand Zerubabbel
MEC Trevor O. Thomas	Immediate Past Grand Zerubbabe
REC William D. Jasper	Grand Haggai
REC Leonard Pickell	Grand Joshua
REC Joe E. Quan	Grand Treasurer
MEC Alexander S. Rollo	Grand Scribe Ezra
REC Joseph R. Marshall	Grand Principal Sojourner
REC Denis S. Carriere	Grand Senior Sojourner
REC David D.S. Anderson	Grand Junior Sojourner
REC A.E.T. Hanna	Grand Superintendent District 1
REC Herbert F. Chow	Grand Superintendent District 2
REC Charles W. Ferguson	Grand Superintendent District 3
REC Thomas A. Lymbery	Grand Superintendent District 4
REC Richard L. Mercer	Grand Superintendent District 5
REC Edward A. Martin	Grand Superintendent District 6
REC John Tupholme	Grand Superintendent District 7
REC Charles B. Edington	Grand Superintendent District 9
REC Clayton Matthews	Grand Superintendent District 10
REC James D. McKinnon	Grand Superintendent District 11
REC Robert McCubbin	Grand Scribe Nehemiah
VEC Walter M. Schierer	Grand Historian
REC Harold Freeston	Grand Director of Ceremonies
VEC Jacob A. Terpstra	Grand Marshall
VEC Phillip Robinson	Grand Master 4th Veil
VEC Roy Pearson	Grand Master 3rd Veil
VEC Carl Anderson	Grand Master 1st Veil
VEC William O. Woodman	Grand Standard Bearer
REC Norman Monro	Grand Sword Bearer
REC Richard Schafer	Grand Steward
VEC Stanley Horner	Grand Steward
VEC Robert Sellwood	Grand Steward
VEC Donald Martin	Grand Chaplain
Comp. Worthington Connolly	Grand Organist
VEC Walter Maslaniec	Grand Tyler

NOTE: We regret the passing of our Grand Pursuivant, VEC James H. Croft. EX C Galt, acted as Grand Pursuivant.

RECEPTION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1996.

MEC Alexander S. Rollo, Grand Scribe Ezra, was requested by MEC Tutt to invite the Distinguished Guests to enter.

BURSARY RECIPIENT: Miss Jennifer Murray introduced by REC R. Schafer

INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF JOBS DAUGHTERS: Mrs. Wyn LeComte, Grand Guardian; Mr. Frank Hallam, Associate Grand Guardian; Mrs. Mim Lamont, Supreme Guide; Miss Becky Bozman, Honoured Queen of Bethel No. 9, presented by EC H. Maundrell.

ORDER OF DeMOLAY: EC (Dad) William O. Woodman, Grand Master of the Canadian Supreme Council Order of DeMolay. Companion Dave Birce, Shrine Ambassador of B.C. DeMolay representing the B.C. Executive Officer, presented by REC T. Price.

ORDER OF THE AMARANTH: Mrs. Betty Thomson, Grand Royal Matron and Sir Knight Don Thomson, Grand Royal Patron, presented by EC K. Gorman.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR: Mrs. Eleanor Crick, Grand Trustee, Grand Chapter of B.C. & the Yukon, representing Mrs. Barbara Caswell, Grand Worthy Matron, presented by EC G. Wardlaw.

DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE: Mrs. Audrey Grieve, Queen of Zarah Temple No. 72, presented by REC W. Youde.

LADIES OF THE ORIENTAL SHRINE: Mrs. Kris Reicher, High Priestess, Pyramid Court No. 74 presented by REC J. Gordon.

ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE: Ill Sir Robert Parkes, Potentate, Gizeh Temple, A.A.O.M.S. presented by MEC J. White.

ANCIENT & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE: Ill. Bro. Richard E. Barr 33, Deputy for B.C. & the Yukon, Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of Canada, presented by MEC H. Clare.

CRYPTIC RITE MASONS OF WESTERN CANADA: M. Ill. Comp. Roderick A. Cutler, Grand Master, Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, R. & S.M., presented by VEC A Jesperson.

SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA & THE UNITED ORDERS OF MALTA & THE TEMPLE: Rt. Em. Kt. A.E. (Bud) Porter, Provincial Grand Prior of the Pacific Coast District, representing M. Em. Kt. W.M. Black, Supreme Grand Master, presented by REC V. Halverson.

RED CROSS OF CONSTANTINE: Rt. Ill. Kn. Comp. Leonard S. Churchill, Grand Intendant General of the B.C. Division, representative of the Grand Imperial Conclave of Canada, presented by REC M. Jasper.

YORK RITE COLLEGE OF NORTH AMERICA: Comp. Kn. David B. Turner, representing E.R. Saunders, College Grand Master General, presented by EC B. Hemingway.

HOLY ROYAL ARCH KNIGHT TEMPLAR PRIESTS: Rt. Ill. Kn. W.C.K. Crick, Grand Superintendent, District 17, representing M. Ill. Kn. Priest J.O. Place, District of Canada, West No. 17, presented by EC F. Kendrick.

KNIGHT OF THE YORK CROSS OF HONOR & IDAHO: Em. Kn. Kent Gist, personal representative of the Grand Master, General M. Em. Kn. D.L. Smith, Convent General Knight of the York Cross of Honor, presented by REC T. Prince.

ALABAMA: EC Franklin Lafayette Moon, Grand Representative of B.C. & the Yukon, at or near the Grand Chapter of Alabama, also representing MEC E.J. Ferguson, Grand High Priest, presented by REC A. Burchill.

ALBERTA: MEC Alvin Edstrom, Grand First Principal, accompanied by REC Leif Hanson, Grand District Superintendent; REC Jim Kemp, Grand Jr. Sojourner; REC Ken White, Executive Committee; presented by MEC T. Thomas.

MANITOBA: MEC Stan Payne, Grand Scribe Ezra, representing the Grand First Principal of Manitoba, presented by REC A. Deans.

OREGON: EC Thomas T. Lanman, representing the Grand High Priest of Oregon, also Grand Representative of B.C. & the Yukon, at or near the Grand Chapter of Oregon, presented by MEC W. Shippam.

SASKATCHEWAN: MEC J. Reg Tait, Past Grand First Principal, active in all the other Concordant Bodies, representing MEC Don Orr, Grand First Principal, presented by VEC G. Tillotson.

WASHINGTON: MEC Charles P. Towne, Grand High Priest and EC Harry Dial, presented by MEC T. Thomas.

The Grand First Principal gave three knocks to receive **MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER CLARK M. GILMOUR, GRAND MASTER, GRAND LODGE OF B.C., A.F. & A.M.,** presented by MEC Thomas O. Mickey. (MWB Gilmour is a Companion of Triple Tau Chapter No. 21)

IN MEMORIAM

The Memorial Service was opened with a solo by MEC William R. Shippam singing "The Lord's Prayer", accompanied by Companion Worthington Connolly. Followed by the Roll Call of the Fraternal Dead read by REC Robert McCubbin during which the designated Companions placed roses on the Altar. "Flowers of the Forrest" was then piped by Bill Baird of Gizeh Shrine Pipe Band. Our Grand Chaplain VEC Donald Martin took over with a Prayer of Remembrance, then had all present repeat the 23rd Psalm. He then gave the Scripture Lesson of St. Matthew,Chapter 25, Verses 34 - 40, followed by his address. This was followed by the Hymn "The Day Thou Givest", he then closed with Prayers and Blessing. The foregoing was given in a most moving, dignified and reverential manner. Those who attended were deeply impressed and offered many favourable comments.

IN MEMORIAM

SACRED TO THE MEMORY

OF

OUR BELOVED DEAD

GRAND CHAPTER

ROYAL ARCH MASONS

OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

& THE YUKON

OUR SISTER JURISDICTIONS

FAMILIES OF ALL COMPANIONS

1995

ROLL CALL - FRATERNAL DEAD

COLUMBIA NO. 1.
Charles W. Coupar
Albert E. Manning
Charles E. Moggridge
Gordon H. Webster

KOOTENAY NO. 3.
E. Calbick
S. Gardner
W. Hendren

ROSSLAND NO. 4.
Walter C. Bradshaw
Carless Wharton MacBey

NELSON NO. 5.
Elmore Calbick

WESTMINSTER NO. 6.
Clifford Airth
George R. Cobb
Albert Earle
Gordon E. Fisher
Gerald G. Hobbis
Earl M. Jansen
Malcolm McKenzie
Edward W. Parker
Wm. W. Ross
Herbert M. Spong
Melvin Stevenson
Ken W. Stewardson
Ralph Tutin

ROCKY MOUNTAIN NO. 7.
George T. Sewell
Archibald Leonard
Ernie Damstrom

KEYSTONE NO. 8.
John F. Cowie
Robert H. Sloan

REVELSTOKE NO. 9.
Bahne A. Heisler
Malcolm J. Cummings
Wm. B. Franks

CYRUS NO. 10.
Herbert G. Cameron
Christofer Laithewaite
Reginald Smith
Richard Emblem

OKANAGAN NO. 11.
Charles Christofferson

KAIEN NO. 13.
David S. McMeekan

CAMOSUN NO. 14.
John Dobell
Albert Lindseth
Leslie T. Clarke
Stanley C. Cornish
Vincent C. Lerik
James Ross
Milton P. Gibson
Frederick L. Mitchell

NORTH VANCOUVER NO. 16.
T.J. Harris
F.S. Martin
C. Kiff
W. Scott

KELOWNA NO. 17.
B.L. Mearns

KAMLOOPS NO. 18.
Wm. Frederick E. Grenfell
John M. Martin

CHILLIWACK NO. 19.
Charles E. Pollard
Charles Dixon

OUNT MORIAH NO. 20.
eorge Allen
avid May

RIPLE TAU NO. 21.
enjamin Wosk
lexander Chorne
lorst Schaffer
ohn C. Moore

NTICTON NO. 22.
enneth I. MacKenzie
avid Churchman
alter A. Cousins

MPOSITE NO. 24.
alter Ozol
obert Mason

BSERVATORY NO. 25.
illiam Maxwell

OUHALEM NO. 26.
homas A. Marsden
oy E. Schultz

PYRUS NO. 27.
ark A. Rickson

SSION NO. 28.
avid A. Jennings
avid A. Leedham

RANITE NO. 29.
tuart F. Hanna
rederick M. Sklapsky

NG SOLOMON NO. 30.
oland Armstrong
homas W. Clarke
illiam Graham
illiam Gray
illiam Rankin

JOPPA NO. 31.
John A. Laffling
Ray B. Cayen
Donald Campbell
Constantine Raziz
John C. Horton
George R. Douglas
Garry A. Russell
Donald Stephenson
Richard J. Meek
John Norfolk

MAJUBA NO. 33.
Stanley Dyke
Fred Deacon

SEMIAHMOO NO. 34.

CATHEDRAL NO. 35.
Joseph H. Bullock
George Harris
Gavin A. Craig

FORT GEORGE NO. 36.
John P. Neff
Wm. B. Rash
Gordon H. Rush

KALUM NO. 37.
John G. Lesage
Edward Redmond

YUKON NO. 38.
Richard J. Meek
Joseph E. Whitehouse
Sidney M. White

GEORGIAN NO. 39.
David Brown
Larry Blankstein
William Rankin

SIMON FRASER NO. 40.
Donald A.W. Robertson

DAWSON CREEK NO. 41.
Dalton L. Temple
George A. Broadhurst
Ronald M. Witherspoon

CARIBOU NO. 43.

PACIFIC NO. 44.
Frederick Griffiths
Stewart Youngson

OUR SISTER JURISDICTIONS

FAMILIES OF ALL COMPANIONS

1995

GRAND CHAPTER OFFICE HOURS

January - March & June - December
10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Monday - Thursday

April - June
10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Monday - Friday

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Prior to the Flag Ceremony the Grand First Principal thanked all the Distinguished Guests, Companions and Ladies for coming, then proceeded to tell a little story. He related how, when he was at the Grand Chapter of Saskatchewan, the Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan was there and gave a little speech after the Meeting which was very nice but he made a statement saying "if you want a good place to live Saskatchewan is the best place in Canada" After the meeting he was presented to him and in talking said to him "Excuse me Sir, you've been badly misinformed" He replied "Oh, how come?" MEC Tutt said "Well, if you want to live in a Garden of Eden you've got to visit beautiful British Columbia". Just a little thing MEC Tutt threw in for nothing promoting our Province and Jurisdiction.

FLAG CEREMONY

MEC Tutt informed all he had some bad news, how the Flag Ceremony is usually presented by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in their red uniforms under the direction of EC L.L. Atkinson. Unfortunately, they were all placed on call by the R.C.M.P. and were not available. The Ceremony was presented on very short notice by REC A.R. (Kurt) Wensler. He was assisted by the following flag bearers: EC Larry Lowden and EC Jim Elton from King Solomon Chapter No. 30; E.C. Bert Raeburn from Semiahmoo Chapter No. 34 and EC David Lewis from Triple Tau Chapter No. 21 followed by the singing by all of "O Canada" and the "Star Spangled Banner".

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The service commenced with the singing of "The Lord's Prayer" by MEC William Shippam accompanied by Companion Worth Connolly, followed by the Roll Call of the Dead by Districts, read by REC Robert McCubbin. This was followed by the piping of "Flowers of the Forrest" by Bill Baird of Gizeh Temple Shrine Pipe Band.

VEC Donald Martin, Grand Chaplain, then took charge of the Service with "A Prayer of Remembrance". He then had all repeat "Psalm 23". This was followed by Scripture reading of St. Matthews, Chapter 25, Verse 34 - 40. VEC Martin then gave his Address, followed by all singing the hymn "The Day Thou Givest", followed by a Prayer of Thanksgiving and concluding with the Blessing "May the Road Rise to Meet you, may the wind be always at your back, may the sunshine be upon your face and the rains fall softly upon your field and until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen"

This concluded the Memorial Service.

The Grand First Principal then called upon the following:

1) Due to unforseen circumstances the Mayor or representative of Burnaby, B.C. were unable to attend the Grand Convocation, however, they sent a letter of welcome which was read by REC R. Schafer.

2) Miss Jennifer Murray, Bursary Recipient, to speak on behalf of all Bursary Recipients.
3) Miss Becky Bozman, Honoured Queen of Bethel 9, International Order of Jobs Daughters.
4) EC Bill Woodman, Grand Master, Canadian Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay.
5) Mrs. Betty Thompson, Grand Royal Matron, Order of the Amaranth.
6) Mrs. Eleanor Crick, Grand Trustee, Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star of B.C. & the Yukon.
7) Mrs. Audrey Grieve, Reigning Queen of Zarah Temple No. 72, Daughters of the Nile.
8) Mrs. Chris Reiker, High Priestess of Pyramid Court, Ladies' Oriental Shrine of North America.
9) Illustrious Sir Robert G. Parkes, Potentate, Gizeh Shrine Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S.
10) Most Worshipful Brother Clark M. Gilmour, Grand Master, A.F. & A.M., of B.C..

The Grand First Principal then asked the Grand Director of Ceremonies to present the following Companions: EC G. Galt, VEC Roy Pearson, REC Norm Monro and himself to the East. MEC Tutt then presented each with a plaque in appreciation of their support during his year.

He then requested the Grand Director of Ceremonies to present Mr. Greg Runzer to the East. Mr. Runzer was then introduced to all as the Administrator for almost fifteen years and since its inception of the Royal Arch Masonic Home. Following this the Grand Director of Ceremonies was directed to present REC James Gordon, retiring President of Royal Arch Masonic Home Society, EC Grant Wardlaw, current President R.A.M.H.S., and REC William Youde, Secretary and Provincial Government Representative to the East. EC Wardlaw then presented to REC Wm. Youde a framed certificate in appreciation for his years of service to the Home, indicating the Royal Arch Home was the 'flagship' of Care Homes in B.C.. At this point REC Youde was called upon to say a few words.

REC Schafer was called upon for any announcements - he extended an invitation to retire for refreshments downstairs after the closing.

MEC Tutt thanked MEC Shippam, Companion Worth Connolly and Companion W. Walls for their music. Comp. Walls, Joppa Chapter 31, provided a musical interlude prior to and immediately after the Informal Opening and Closing. MEC Tutt announced the Formal Opening to be at 9:00 am Friday, May 31st, 1996.

Informal Grand Chapter was closed at 9:45 pm by the Grand First Principal.

Formal Opening of Grand Chapter in ample form.

The Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon was opened at 9:00 am, Friday, May 31st, 1996 with thirty-six Chapters represented. Those missing being Nelson Chapter 5 and Kaien Chapter 13.

The Grand Sword Bearer REC Norman Monro, the Grand Constitution Bearer EC George Eaton and the Grand Standard Bearer VEC William Woodman entered performing their normal duties.

The Grand First Principal and his Council then entered Grand Chapter. They opened Grand Chapter in the usual traditional manner. The Grand First Principal then called upon upon our Grand Chaplain, VEC Donald Martin, for the opening prayer. The Grand First Principal then declared Grand Chapter Open in Ample Form giving the appropriate knocks, advising the Grand Pursuivant accordingly. He then requested the Grand Scribe Nehemiah to open the V.O.S.L. and Grand Scribe Ezra and Nehemiah to perfom their duty by unveiling the pedestal.

MEC Tutt then welcomed all present. The Distinguished Visitors were brought to the Altar in a group for self-introduction. The Grand Director of Ceremonies escorted them to the East, gave Grand Honours and all were seated in the East.

The Grand First Principal gave three knocks for all to rise. The Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother Clark M. Gilmour, was escorted and presented at the Altar - given nine Grand Honours. He was presented by MEC T.O. Mickey then escorted and seated in the East.

The following regrets were given by the Grand Scribe Ezra: MEC Alvin Alexander, MEC George Coupland, MEC Robert Gornall, MEC M. Hannah, MEC Redgrave, REC M.C. Nicholson, REC G. Hollingsworth, REC Ian Campbell, Companion Gordon Phillips, the Grand Chapter of Canada in Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland and New York.

MEC Alexander S. Rollo then moved the Minutes of the Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation be adopted as printed in the 1995 Proceedings of Grand Chapter. Seconded by REC Robert McCubbin, Grand Scribe Nehemiah.

In the handling of various Reports of Committees, the Grand First Principal called upon the balance of the Distinguished Visitors to bring greetings from the various Concordant Bodies and Jurisdictions. These were interspersed during Friday's business.

REPORT OF THE GRAND FIRST PRINCIPAL

To the Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon:

Companions:

Thank you all and welcome to Burnaby to enjoy with us our Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon. A 'tip of the hat' to all those Companions who have travelled a long distance to be with us in our fair city for the first time. I know you will enjoy your visit to Vancouver because no stone as been left unturned to cater to all your needs and wishes. REC Right Schafer, the Grand Steward, and his crew have spent the last 2 years under his direction working and planning diligently, honing to a fine point, all plans for a successful Convocation. REC Schafer and your Committee - thank you for a job well done as the Host Chapter.

Companions - what a year! From May 1995 to May 1996 this has been the best year of my life travelling north, south, east and west of our great Province . At my Installation I decided to visit each Chapter in the Jurisdiction. This I accomplished and in may instances more than once. I feel that I am richer by having met approximately 3,700 Companions and being received in their Chapters with open arms. My year is now over but the memories I have will last forever. The many gifts I received are on display as a testimony to our companionship and friendship. Thank you all very much!

In my journeys throughout British Columbia & the Yukon I have had the pleasure of four Companions who accompanied me on my visits - their faithfulness and support was something to behold. Many thanks - REC Harold Freeston, REC Norman Monro, VEC Roy Pearson and EC Gordon Galt. To our Grand Scribe Ezra, MEC Alex Rollo and Mrs. Auriole Prpchuk, they have given me unsparingly their knowledge and guidance for which I am very grateful - thank you for being there.

NECROLOGY:

Once again the great Architect as called 110 Companions to the Grand Chapter Above. Two in particular, MEC Jack A. Laffling and REC Douglas Thornbury, who are well known in all branches of Freemasonry. Also VEC J.H. Croft who was my Grand Pursuivant. Our sympathies go out to all families, relatives and friends. I can relate to their loss as my wife Lily passed away eight months ago. They have found everlasting peace.

VISITATIONS:

As I have stated, I visited all thirty-eight Chapters. The highlight being when thirty-nine Companions and ladies boarded bus in Vancouver travelling north, stopping and visiting Caribou No. 43 at Quesnel, Fort George No. 36, Dawson Creek No. 41, Yukon No. 38. Again the reception was priceless and everyone agreed that the trip was worth every penny.

The scenery around Fort Nelson and Watson Lake was wonderful. Another fantastic trip was to Kootenay No. 3, Kaslo, when approximately thirty-two Companions and ladies visited with me - another great meeting and reception. Another planned visit was to the Installation of Triple Tau No. 21 where the Grand Master, Clark Gilmour, the High Priest - Harold Tomkins from the State of Washington; MEC Rod Cutler, Deputy Grand Master of Cryptic Rite; Deputy for Scottish Rite, Ill Sir Richard Barr; Grand Prior Vern Halverson - another plus for Royal Arch. It was my pleasure to attend and install fourteen First Principals and, as Installing Principal, to four Chapters - this was a labour of love. I visited Bellingham Bay Chapter No. 3 of two occasions; Grand Chapter of Washington; Grand Chapter of Alberta; Grand Chapter of Saskatchewan; Ladies of the Oriental Shrine; Daughters of the Nile; the Installation of Worthy Matron Joan Pickell, Chapter No. 48; the Installation of Ill. Sir Bob Parks, Potentate, Gizeh Shrine Temple; the Church parade called for by Grand Master Clark Gilmour. I thank all Royal Arch Masons who supported this parade.

My own Church parades at St. Martins, North Vancouver and St. Stephens, Qualicum, both services were well attended. I think that both parades should be an annual affair. We need a religious break to remind us of Jesus and what we are doing and where we are going.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES:

Commissions received:

Arizona	Robert J. McCubbin
Dist. of Columbia	Matthew A. Glenn
Florida	Denis S. Carriere
India	Edwin Berrington
Israel	William J. Broderick
Kentucky	Jens Block
Louisana	Barney J. Maslaniec
Minnesota	Gordon W. Reed
Netherlands	David D.S. Anderson
North Carolina	Bernard Hoare
South Carolina	John Robson
Texas	Donald L. Martin
West Virginia	Donald L. Reed

Commissions granted:

Massachusetts	M.E. Host
Newfoundland	O. White
New Mexico	L.O. Bates
Ontario	S. Boomhour
Virginia	D.E. Wettstone

GRAND SUPERINTENDENTS

All eleven Companions carried out their duties with sincerity. I had on occasion made phone calls to each one of them concerning visits, etc. They looked after me and the Companions who travelled with me. They fulfilled their obligations as Grand Superintendent to the Chapters in their District. Thank you for your co-operation Companions. It is an honour for me to recommend the following for the Rank of Right Excellent Companion: A.E.T. (Tom) Hanna, Herbert F. Chow, Charles W. Ferguson, Thomas A. Lymbery, Richard L. Mercer, Edward A. Martin, John Tupholme, Raymond A. Huey, Charles B. Edington, Clayton Matthews and James D. McKinnon.

GRAND SENIOR STEWARD

My choice for Grand Senior Steward was very clear to me as North Vancouver No. 16 had in their midst a very successful businessman by the name of Richard F. Schafer. He took over the job as if it was his own business and with the help of his crew, he manipulated it to the success it is. I am glad that I had the foresight to pick REC Schafer as Grand Senior Steward. Thank you Sir and your crew for a tremendous Convocation.

SPRING AND FALL BOARDS

The Fall Board was hosted by North Vancouver No. 16. It was a great success due to the effort of EC Don Reed and the Pink Lodge arranged for VEC Jake Terpstra and wife Jacquie. We all enjoyed watching what they think we look like. Great work Jacquie - Thanks. The Spring Board was hosted by Camosun No. 14 - another well run meeting and the banquet after was the icing on the cake. Several ideas came from those two Meetings. Thanks to REC Jens Block for his effort in Victoria.

OBSERVATIONS:

At all Chapter meetings throughout the Jurisdiction I found all Companions to be very friendly and receptive to what I had to say and I left them knowing that they were glad they came to the Meeting. I am confident that Royal Arch Masonry is alive and moving in the right direction to mix the Concordant bodies and socialize.

APPRECIATION:

Companions, in my year as your Grand First Principal I started out with a goal and I know in my mind that I successfully reached that goal and surpassed it but only with your help and co-operation. Companions, as I had over the reins to REC William Jasper, your next Grand First, I know you will support him like you did me. That way Royal Arch Masonry will become stronger - thanks to MEC Alvin Alexander for the fine travelling Porch Book - it is full. Once again to MEC Alex Rollo, Grand Scribe Ezra, and Mrs. Auriole Prepchuk - thanks from the bottom of my heart for all your help.

Fraternally submitted,

LESLIE J. TUTT,
Grand First Principal.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HAGGAI

To the Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

It has been a most enjoyable year, participating in as many of our Grand First Principal's visitations as possible, and to have actively participated in quite a number of Chapter Installations. I was able to meet many new Companions and renew old acquaintances. I saw parts of our Grand Jurisdiction I had not seen before and I have enjoyed travelling with the Most Excellent Grand First Principal Les Tutt. I was not able to participate as much as I would have preferred due to the changes in my life, i.e. marriage, seeling two homes, etc.

The sojourn to Kootenay Chapter No. 3, in Kaslo, was most enjoyable.

The highlight for my wife and me was the ten day bus trip, visiting Chapters in Quesnel, Dawson Creek, Whitehorse and Prince George. The companionship was terrific, so much so that I am planning to make a similar trip during my term as Grand First Principal.

I presided over the Fall and Spring Boards of General Purposes held in North Vancouver and Victoria respectively. The Companions of North Vancouver Chapter No. 16 and of Camosun Chapter No. 14 are to be commended for the excellent programs they provided as Host Chapters.

I was pleased to represent the Grand First Principal at the Grand Chapter of Manitoba, held in the City of Winnipeg on April 12 and 13, 1996.

Due to the fact that I have to submit my Report prior to the end of my term of office, I am also looking forward to accompanying the Grand First Principal to the Grand Chapter of Washington to be held in May.

In closing, I express my sincere thanks and appreciation to the Grand Scribe "E', MEC Alex Rollo and his secretary, Mrs. Auriole Prepchuk, for all their patience, kindness and support during the past year.

My wife Beth and I thank you for the courtesies extended to us during my term as Grand Haggai.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM D. JASPER,
Grand Haggai

REPORT OF THE GRAND JOSHUA

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

It has been my pleasure and privilege to have served this Grand Jurisdiction as Grand Third Principal for 1995 - 96. In this capacity I have had the pleasure of visiting many Chapters and I would be remiss if I did not remark on the hospitality received on those occasions. Thank you, my Companions, for extending the hand of friendship on these visits.

I do not think a list of my visits is required. Suffice to say - this has been an informative, rewarding and thoroughly enjoyable year - filled with many memories

Fraternally submitted,

LEONARD G.B. PICKELL,
Grand Joshua.

THE GRAND CHAPLAIN'S ADDRESS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

The Grand Chaplain has enjoyed the privilege of attending a number of services with the Grand First Principal and his Officers when the Officers were Installed in several Island Chapters. I appreciated the privilege of reading the Scriptures and offering the Prayers on these stately occasions. I had the pleasure of accompanying the District Superintendent of District No. 11, REC Donald McKinnon, on several of his Official Visits.

The Grand Chapter attended two Church Services this year. A Service was held on Sunday, the 14th of April, 1996 at St. Martin's Anglican Church in North Vancouver. This Service was well attended. The Grand First Principal read the Lesson. It was a most enjoyable Service. The second Service was held on Sunday, the 28th of April, 1996 at St. Stephen's United Church in Qualicum Beach, Vancouver Island. The Minister of the Church, The Rev. Phil Spencer, was in charge of the Service. The Grand First Principal, MEC Les Tutt, read the Scriptural Lesson for the day. The Grand Chaplain was the Guest Speaker for the occasion. Some sixty Companions and their Ladies worshipped and enjoyed fellowship with the Qualicum Beach United Church on this beautiful April day.

In March, 1996 the world was shocked by the incomparable tragedy which happened in Dunblane, Scotland. One lone man slaughtered a class of sixteen innocent children and their teacher. We can say it is an act of an insane person, but Scotland would claim, successfully that they have no more insanity than the rest of the world. The startling truth is, that with all the insanity in society, it is not the norm for innocent children to be slaughtered. There is something more serious to study. It is the break-down of the moral fibre in a man's soul. It is easy to point our finger at those who are corrupt with the moral signs of man, but without confession we are conscious that the hidden sin in the soul of man causes mistrust, hatred and shame. Man needs to have a greater understanding of the goodness of God. The quality of goodness required of Christians was such as to appear startling new, and incredibly high. The impact of Christianity upon the world consisted not only in the new thoughts of God it brought, and in the certainty of His approach to men in Christ, but also in the new quality of life which we now speak of as goodness, or Christ-likeness.

C. Leslie Mitton of Birmingham in his article: "**Motives for Goodness in the New Testament**" writes: "In a society where sexual indulgence and even gross vice was not even disapproved, the Christian stood for chastity before marriage and complete faithfulness within marriage. Where racial and class antagonism held men apart, the Christian would not recognize any barriers to friendship. He sought the welfare of all men, not only his friends, but unknown strangers, and even enemies. Forgiveness and kindliness marked his conduct where men expected vengeance and hate. Love, honesty, hard work, generosity characterized his life. Womanhood and child life were treated with a new respect. In times of plague and disaster, when others fled for safety, the Christian was found to risk his health and life itself in giving help to others. It was this practical goodness which attested to practical-minded men and women the truth of the Faith which the Christian proclaimed. Christianity also brought a driving power and higher set of ethics, which, in spite of human weakness, revealed the goodness of the God they served. We can thank God for His grace as we journey on the road of life.

Fraternally submitted,

REV DONALD L. MARTIN
Grand Chaplain

RECEPTION - FIRST PRINCIPALS OF CONSTITUENT CHAPTERS

If the First Principal is absent, the Proxy for the First Principal will then answer:

Columbia Chapter 1	Victor Lane *
Kootenay Chapter 3	Edwin Berrington a
Rossland Chapter 4	Paul R. Tupholme P
Nelson Chapter 5	William R. Proctor a
Westminster Chapter 6	Hector Findlay *
Rocky Mountain Chapter 7	Arthur L. Whitlock P
Keystone Chapter 8	Frank Merritt a
Revelstoke Chapter 9	Donald Miskiman *
Cyrus Chapter 10	John Bradley *
Okanagan Chapter 11	Norman R. Butler P
Kaien Chapter 13	T. Vaughn Tattersal a
Camosun Chapter 14	Russ McDowell *
North Vancouver Chapter 16	Gordon Galt *
Kelowna Chapter 17	Robert Sellwood P
Kamloops Chapter 18	Charles H. Rutherford P
Chilliwack Chapter 19	William F. Fooks P
Mt. Moriah Chapter 20	Brian R. Flewelling a
Triple Tau Chapter 21	Claude Bergman *
Penticton Chapter 22	Egon Ruetters *
Composite Chapter 24	Dwight S. Coul *
Observatory Chapter 25	Edward A. Michayluk a
Tzouhalem Chapter 26	William A. Somerville *
Papyrus Chapter 27	Norman Monro *
Mission Chapter 28	David Varcoe *
Granite Chapter 29	Gerald Newton P
King Solomon Chapter 30	Stan Sorensen *
Joppa Chapter 31	Jim Benny P
Majuba Chapter 33	Graham Beresford P
Semiahmoo Chapter 34	George Bellamy *
Cathedral Chapter 35	Wm Fullerton P
Fort George Chapter 36	Homme Van Der Meer P
Kalum Chapter 37	Wm. D. McCauley P
Yukon Chapter 38	Allen J. Morrison P
Georgian Chapter 39	Charles Nicholson *
Simon Fraser Chapter 40	Larry Hambleton P
Dawson Creek Chapter 41	Donald Stirling a
Caribou Chapter 43	Brian Craig *
Pacific Rim Chapter 44	Carl Deyaeger *

a - absent
P - proxy
*** - present**

GRAND TREASURER'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT
GENERAL ACCOUNT

Bank Balance April 30, 1995		$24,384.42
Receipts : May 1, 1995 to April 30, 1996		
Bank Interest	52.26	
Received from G.S.E.	55,141.77	
Maturing Bonds/GICs	15,000.00	
Loans from Bursary	10,000.00	80,194.03
TOTAL		$104,578.45
Disbursements : May 1, 1995 to April 30, 1996.		
Warrants Issued	59,290.16	
Loan Payment to Bursary Account	10,000.00	
Payment for Bonds/GICs	30,000.00	$99,290.16
Bank Balance April 30, 1996		$ 5,288.29

SECURITIES - GENERAL ACCOUNT $101,000.00

$ 10,000	J25V19417/18	May 1, 2002	10%	Canada Bonds
25,000	BCCD-J000151	July 9, 2002	9	Pro. of B.C.
3,000	J2M12232-3-4	Oct 1, 2001	9 1/2	Canada Bonds
3,000	RADB00536	Oct 15, 2001	10 1/4	B.C. Tel
2,000	J13M06345-6	Oct 15, 1999	9	Canada Bonds
15,000	CIR02704-05	Feb 1, 1998	7 3/4	Prov. of Alta
10,000	A56V000665-6	Feb 1, 1998	6 1/4	Canada Bonds
3,000	BCCD000164	Mar 2, 1998	7 %	Pro. of B.C.
30,000	---	Aug 1, 1996	4%	Canada T. Bill

Audited: Joseph Marshall

Fraternally submitted
JOE D. QUAN,
Grand Treasurer

GRAND TREASURER'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

BURSARY ACCOUNT

Bank Balance April 30, 1995		$ 8,963.64
Receipts - May 1, 1995 - April 30, 1996		
Bank Interest	47.80	
Received From Grand Scribe Ezra	9,848.89	
Maturing Bonds/GICs	22,000.00	
Repayment of loan to General Acc.	10,000.00	$ 41,896.69
TOTAL		$ 50,860.33
Disbursements - May 1, 1995 - April 30, 1996		
Bursary Awards	$ 4,100.00	
Payment to BCMF	30.00	
Loan to General Account	10,000.00	
Payment to Bonds/GICs	35,000.00	49,130.00
Bank Balance April 30, 1996		1,730.33
Add o/s cheque 119		500.00
Bank Balance April 30, 1996		$2,230.33

SECURITIES - BURSARY ACCOUNT ..... $ 72,000.00

$10,000	J25V19391/2	May 1, 2002	10%	Canada Bonds
9,000	RADB00537	Oct 15, 2001	10%	B.C. Tel
3,000	J13M06363,4,5,	Oct 15, 1999	9%	Canada Bonds
5,000	A56V000667	Feb 1, 1998	6 1/4	Canada Bonds
10,000	BCCD000165	Mar.21, 1998	7%	Pro. of B.C.
25,000	--	July 6, 1996	4%	Canada T.Bill
10,000	--	Aug. 2, 1996	4%	Canada T.Bill

Audited: Joseph Marshall

Fraternally submitted,
JOE D. QUAN
Grand Treasurer

REPORT OF THE GRAND SCRIBE EZRA

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Companions of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of B.C. & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

I have the honour to submit the Seventy-Seventh Annual Report of the Grand Scribe Ezra, together with the Statistical table for the year 1995, and the Financial year ended April 30, 1996, appended and included in the envelopes of the Annual Convocation Notice you received upon Registration.

From the Statistical table, I present the following:

Exalted	81
Restored	15
Affiliated	38
Deaths	110
Demits	94
Suspensions	54
Expelled	--
Adjustments	13
Mbrs on Roll Dec. 31, 1994,	3,758
Mbrs on Roll Dec. 31, 1995,	3,621

Once again, from the above, you will note another overall loss of Members, totalling 137 or 3.8%. Although less than last year, still a substantial loss. Companions, only you can stem these losses by attending your Craft Lodges and promoting **ROYAL ARCH MASONRY** to create membership. We are currently looking into producing a new brochure on Invitations to Master Masons.

Most of the Chapters of our Jurisdiction had their Returns in by the February 1st deadline. However, some were late and were fined. One Chapter almost lost the right to vote and was severely chastised. Remember the Rules: 1) Returns received after the last day of February will be charged $1.00 per day. 2) Any Return received after April 1st indicates you may not be entitled to representation at Grand Chapter. To the Scribes Ezra who submitted Returns before the last day of February - we thank you. To those who did not - try harder next year. A reminder to First Principals - remember the Charge at your Installation: **You must ensure the Scribe Ezra has submitted the Annual Returns before the Deadline.** I am pleased to report that again - all Chapters are eligible to vote.

To all Chapters - when the Scribe Ezra orders any item for your Chapter - Certificates (Royal Arch, Past First Principal, Past Grand Superintendent) or any other item, publication, etc. - ensure a cheque accompanies the order and that when any Certificate is ordered, it should be as soon as possible, not more than a month later. We have had

occasion when it is ordered 3 to 6 months later and even more. In addition, use the correct forms when ordering and not simply by letter. Photo copy the forms when you have them on hand so you won't have to order them separately. We fully realize a Scribe Ezra has a lot to do for their Chapter and we wish to thank them for an overall job well done.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

A reminder to all Chapters, once again this year you will receive the four mandatory Proceedings. **If you require more than four (4) in your Chapter, your order must be received before June 30, 1996. In any event, you will be billed for the four (4).**

This year has not been a good one, due to the fact that all the Offices at the Grand Lodge Building, 1495 West 8th Avenue, Vancouver, had their doors smashed in twice with computers taken from all the Offices. This has created many problems for each Office and caused delays in some computer programming. In particular, the proposed membership program. During the last year we had input from some Scribes Ezra and Chapters, making suggestions about a programme to keep Grand Chapter Records updated. But due to the theft of the computers this has been put on hold until just lately with the Installation of alarm systems. We now need to know which Chapters have access to computers and if so, is their system compatible to Word Perfect 5? If so, we probably will be able to supply a floppy for submission to Grand Chapter. Please contact the Grand Chapter as soon as possible when you receive our questionnaire.

By this time each Chapter has received the new Bursary Application forms to be photo copied for the Companion's children who wish to apply. Please ensure you use the latest Forms and that these Applications must be received in my Office no later than July 15, 1996.

When changes occur to your By-Laws, do not forget to submit the correct forms to eliminate needless delays. If you are uncertain, contact the Grand Chapter Office to ensure you are using the correct form. Remember, it must have the Chapter Seal, the signature of the First Principal, Scribe Ezra and Grand Superintendent. In addition, if you vary any functions of your Chapter - location, time, etc. make sure you apply for a Dispensation on the correct form.

To REC Joe D. Quan, our Grand Treasurer, I thank you for all your hard work setting up financial programs for the Grand Chapter. I look forward to another good year ahead - thanks Joe. To the one person who serves our Grand Chapter, silently keeping track of many phone calls, answering enquiries for any Companions whether I have been present or not, handling the many letters and the computer input, etc. All of this with a smile - who is this person - it is, of course, my friend Auriole Prepchuk. (The real boss) Thanks Auriole!

Fraternally submitted,
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO,
Grand Scribe Ezra.

STATISTICAL TABLE

CHAPTER	CHAPTER NO	MBRS DEC.31/94	EXALTED	AFFIL	RESTORED	DIED	DEMITS	SUSPENDED	EXPELLED	ADJ.	MBRS DEC.31,1995
COLUMBIA	1.	177	4	5	-	4	3	-	-	-	179
KOOTENAY	3.	27	-	-	-	3	5	-	-	-	19
ROSSLAND	4.	75	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	72
NELSON	5.	47	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	46
WESTMINSTER	6.	106	-	-	2	13	3	7	-	-	89
ROCKY MOUNTAIN	7.	170	-	-	5	3	2	7	-	-	163
KEYSTONE	8.	116	3	1	2	2	4	-	-	-	116
REVELSTOKE	9.	95	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	89
CYRUS	10.	219	5	1	-	4	7	-	-	1	213
OKANAGAN	11.	84	2	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	83
BOUNDARY	12.	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35
KAIEN	13	75	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	74
CAMOSUN	14.	174	-	6	-	8	-	1	-	-	171
NORTH VANCOUVER	16.	90	1	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	86
KELOWNA	17.	62	-	1	-	1	5	2	-	-	55
KAMLOOPS	18.	136	1	1	-	2	4	3	-	-	129
CHILLIWACK	19.	121	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	122
MOUNT MORIAH	20.	39	-	2	-	2	4	-	-	-	35
TRIPLE TAU	21.	175	1	1	-	4	8	7	-	-	158
PENTICTON	22.	96	1	2	1	3	10	3	-	-	96
COMPOSITE	24.	82	2	-	-	2	3	5	-	-	74
OBSERVATORY	25	46	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	49
TZOUHALEM	26.	103	4	-	1	2	5	-	-	-	101
PAPYRUS	27.	56	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	54
MISSION	28.	54	1	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	50
GRANITE	29.	29	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	26
KING SOLOMON	30.	84	-	-	1	5	3	2	-	-	80
JOPPA	31.	262	9	2	1	10	3	-	-	12	249
MAJUBA	33.	34	-	3	-	2	1	-	-	-	34
SEMIAHMOO	34.	77	1	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	74
CATHEDRAL	35.	77	7	3	-	3	1	2	-	-	81
FORT GEORGE	36.	150	4	1	-	1	1	6	-	-	145
KALUM	37.	78	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	76
YUKON	38.	90	2	1	1	-	2	1	-	-	88
GEORGIAN	39.	39	2	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	36
SIMON FRASER	40.	97	5	1	-	3	2	1	-	-	99
DAWSON CREEK	41.	162	11	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	168
SIDNEY	42.	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47
CARIBOU	43.	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45
PACIFIC RIM	44.	27	2	3	-	2	2	1	-	-	27
		3758	81	38	15	110	94	54	-	13	3621

GRAND SCRIBE EZRA'S FINANCIAL REPORT

GENERAL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS : May 1, 1995 to Apr. 30, 1996

General (Operating) Fund		
Investment Interest	$ 6,335.00	
Grand Chapter	250.00	
Annual Returns - Per Capita	42,464.49	
- Affiliation	190.00	
Certificates	1,270.00	
Dispensations	130.00	
50 Yr. & 60 Yr. Jewels	180.00	
Miscellaneous - Income	301.99	
Loan from Bursary	10,000.00	
Life Member Registration	90.00	
Overpayments	6.29	
		$61,217.77
Publications Fund		
Constitutions	835.00	
Rituals	480.00	
Ceremonies & Officers' Guide	381.00	
Manuals	133.00	
Keystones	951.00	
Proceedings	1,144.00	
Royal Art	- - -	
		3,924.00
Regalia Fund		
Investment Interest	--	
Regalia Sold	--	
		52.26
Bank Interest		
		$15,000.00
Maturing CSBs		
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$80,194.03

Audited Wm. O. Woodman

Fraternally submitted,
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO
Grand Scribe Ezra

GRAND SCRIBE EZRA FINANCIAL REPORT

GENERAL ACCOUNT

DISBURSEMENTS : May 1, 1995 to April 30, 1996

General (Operating Fund)

Insurance	$ 750.00	
Rent	3,170.32	
Telephone	1,271.66	
Postage	1,639.00	
Office Equipt. & Expense	1,993.84	
Stationery	1,304.80	
Misc. Printing	173.10	
Misc. Expenses	879.41	
G.Z. Travel	4,500.00	
G.S.E. Travel	1,178.55	
District 10 Travel	400.00	
G.S.E. Honorarium	15,720.00	
Gr. Treasurer Honorarium	500.00	
Office Secretary - Salary	14,800.00	
- Retirement Benefit	1,500.00	
Employers Portion of Payroll Fringes	1,219.34	
Repayment to Bursary Account	10,000.00	
Purchase T-Bills	30,000.00	
		$91,000.02

Publications Fund

Constitution Covers & Amendments	$1,112.64	
Keystones	788.88	
Proceedings	2,179.12	
Rituals	--	
		4,080.64

Regalia Fund	2,740.63
Grand Convocation Fund	1,468.87
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$99,290.16

Audited: Wm. O. Woodman

Fraternally submitted,
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO
Grand Scribe Ezra

GRAND SCRIBE EZRA FINANCIAL REPORT

BURSARY ACCOUNT

Receipts: May 1, 1995 - April 30, 1996

Bond Interest	$3,868.75
Donations	5,980.14
Bank Interest	47.80
Maturing Bonds	22,000.00
Loan to General Account	10,000.00

Total Receipts $41,896.69

Disbursements: May 1, 1995 to April 30, 1996.

Bursary Awards	$ 4,100.00
Bonds/GICs	35,000.00
Transfer to General Account	10.000.00
Other	30.00

Total Disbursements:..... $49,130.00

Audited: Wm. O. Woodman

Fraternally submitted,
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO,
Grand Scribe Ezra.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

MEC Les Tutt informed the Companions how, last year at the Grand Convocation, he had presented a Notice of Motion that the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon contribute to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge Charity Fund "WE CAN HELP", the sum of $2,000.00.

At this point REC Jim Gordon made the Motion that $2,000.00 be given to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge Charity Fund "WE CAN HELP", this was seconded by EC George Eaton. Motion Carried.

Boards of General Purposes will be held as follows:

November 5, 1996 - King Solomon Chapter 30, West Vancouver

April 5, 1997 - Kelowna Chapter 17, Kelowna

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION & JURISPRUDENCE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

This Committee, as directed by the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, has undertaken a comprehensive review of our Constitution. Our mandate is to 'correct any mistakes' and 'simplify the wording'. We accepted this task with enthusiasm, and have completed a preliminary re-write. The last similar review was completed in 1983.

We repeat our invitation to each Chapter and Standing Committee for suggestions. Please help us make sure that the language of our Constitution is simple, clear and correct and that its provisions are reasonable. This invitation was mailed to each Chapter and Standing Committee, and repeated in our reports to meetings of the Board of General Purposes in October and March. We welcome further input.

There is before you one Notice of Motion to amend the Constitution, broadening the terms of reference for awards of student Bursaries.

We are grateful to MEC Alexander Rollo, Grand Scribe Ezra, for his valuable support in his capacity as Advisor and Secretary to this Committee and to his secretary, Mrs. A. Prepchuk for her assistance.

This Committee will continue to welcome your enquiries and suggestions and we offer our assistance.

Fraternally submitted,

GEORGE W. EATON
LEONARD G.B. PICKELL
ROBERT McCUBBIN

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

The records of the Grand Scribe Ezra have been audited and found to be in order by VEC Bill Woodman. The supporting vouchers for Receipts and Expenditures have been examined, and the totals of these items agree with the amounts appearing in the Statement of the Grand Treasurer. The bank balances have been verified, and the securities have been examined by REC Joe R. Marshall.

The Expenditures of Grand Chapter, until April 30, 1996, were fairly close to the budget total approved by you at the Convention held at the Florence Filberg Centre, Courtenay, B.C., in June 1995, with the exception of the following four items. There was a building break-in this year resulting in the loss of several computers, our's included. The insurance deductibles is $500.00, and the upgraded replacement computer cost an additional $700.00. Because of the break-in, a security system has now been installed for the four offices on the building main floor, and the charge to Grand Chapter is $590.32 or one quarter of the total cost.

Two donations were made last summer; firstly, to the Order of DeMolay for $500.00, and secondly, to purchase a set of Regalia for the newly formed Grand Chapter of Newfoundland. The other Grand Chapters in Canada also assisted in a similar manner with the purchase of a set of Regalia. We paid for the Grand Tyler's regalia which amounted to $503.00.

These two worthy donations, followed by the computer loss and replacement, and the new security system have shot holes in last year's budget. We show a large overrun in Miscellaneous Expenses.

This year the Finance Committee has modified the Proposed Budget by listing last year's Budget, the actual expenses, as well as the Proposed Budget 1996-1997. By the addition of these two columns, we believe each Companion would have a better understanding of the costs to operate the Grand Chapter Office.

Each year your Finance Committee has recommended that every Companion in every Chapter should make a real effort to increase the membership of their Chapter. This Grand Chapter has an ageing membership and because of deaths and demits, we have had a diminishing membership every year since 1978, The Grand Scribe Ezra, Grand Treasurer, and your Finance Committee all agreed that a new item should be added to the Proposed Budget entitled "Promotional Material" for $1,000.00 in an effort to encourage and promote

new Candidates for your Chapters. MEC Alex Rollo has an example of promotional material sent to him by the Grand Chapter of Ontario, which could be modified, printed, and distributed to all potential Candidates in this Grand Chapter of British Columbia & the Yukon.

The proposed budget for 1996-97 totals $56,360.00 which is a 9.99% increase over last year's budget being caused by your approval of the $2,000.00 contribution to assist Grand Lodge in the $20,000.00 program "WE CAN HELP". With a total membership in Grand Chapter of 3,621 Companions as of January 1st, 1996 the proposed budget will amount to $15.56 per capita payable January 1, 1998.

Thus, by your vote of adoption of the proposed budget 1996-1997, the per capita will be automatically established for 1997 at $15.56.

I now move the adoption of this Report.

ROY A. MACDONALD (moved by)
REC JOE R. MARSHALL (seconded by)
VEC BILL WOODMAN

An Amendment was made by EC Clancy Wilson: "To reduce the Grand Scribe Ezra's honorarium due to large increase". This was duly seconded. It was defeated, however, the original submission by the Finance Committee passed.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1996 - 97

	BUDGET 1996-97	ACTUAL EXPENSES	BUDGET 1995-96
Insurance	750.00	750.00	500.00
Rent	3,000.00	2,580.00	3,000.00
Telephone	1,200.00	1,271.66	1,200.00
Postage	1,750.00	1,639.00	1,750.00
Office Equip. (Repair/Maint.)	1,000.00	647.18	1,000.00
Stationery	1,000.00	896.27	1,000.00
Misc. Printing	500.00	2,008.68	500.00
1996 Annual Proceedings	1,200.00	2,179.12	1,200.00
Grand Z's Travel	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
Grand Scribe E's Travel	1,500.00	1,144.55	1,500.00
District No. 10 Travel	400.00	400.00	400.00
Grand Treasurer (Honorarium)	500.00	500.00	500.00
Grand Scribe E. (Honorarium	17,200.00	15,720.00	15,720.00
Office Secretary (Salary)	14,760.00	14,478.16	14,400.00
R.R.S.P.	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Employer's Port. P'roll Fringes	1,100.00	2,482.82	1,070.00
Office Assistance	1,000.00	--	1,000.00
Misc. Expenses (Computer)	500.00	1,429.18	500.00
Promotional Material	1,000.00	--	--
Donation:Regalia: Gr. C. of Newfoundland		503.00	--
Donation to the Order of Demolay	--	500.00	--
Newly Installed Security System	--	590.32	--
	$54,360.00	$55,719.94	$51,240.00
Donation to the Program "WE CAN HELP" (Basic 1st Aid Training for Children)	2,000.00	--	--
Regalia	--	2,740.63	--
Grand Convocation	--	1,468.87	--
	$56,360.00	$59,929.44	$51,240.00

NOTICE OF MEETING

THIS NOTICE TO BE READ IN OPEN CHAPTER

SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVOCATION

Excellent Companions:

You are hereby notified that the Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon will be held at the GIZEH SHRINE TEMPLE, 3550 Wayburne Drive, Burnaby, B.C., Thursday, May 30, Friday, May 31, and Saturday, June 1 (am) 1996, for the transaction of General Business and to elect and install Officers for the year 1996 - 97.

The following will constitute notice to all Members of Grand Chapter and is sent through the Scribe Ezra of their Chapter.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION:

Notice of Motion for the following Amendment has been submitted to the Committee on Constitution & Jurisprudence in prescribed form in accordance with Section 150 of the Constitution:

MOTION 1. by Excellent Companion William A. Somerville:

At the next Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of B.C. & the Yukon, I will move or cause to be moved that Section 73, paragraph 1 be deleted and replaced with the following:

73. BURSARY FUND - REVENUE AND INCOME

The revenue or income from the Bursary Fund shall be used for the purpose of assisting by way of bursaries, children and/or grandchildren of members in good standing, or of deceased members, of Royal Arch Chapters in British Columbia and the Yukon, who need assistance to continue their education by attendance at a recognized Canadian University, the B.C. Institute of Technology, a regional or community college in British Columbia or any other B.C. technical school including schools of nursing, and shall be administered by a Board of Trustees, five in number, three to form a quorum for the transaction of business.

NOMINATIONS:

Nomination for the OFFICE OF GRAND FIRST PRINCIPAL:
Right Excellent Companion William David Jasper, Camosun Chapter 14, Victoria, B.C.
Nominated by: REC A.E.T. (Tom) Hanna
REC Robert V.Cleaver

Nomination for the OFFICE OF GRAND SENIOR SOJOURNER:
Right Excellent Companion David Duncan Scott Anderson, Semiahmoo Chapter 34, Langley,
Nominated by: MEC Rod A. Cutler
REC W.C.King Crick

Nomination for the OFFICE OF GRAND JUNIOR SOJOURNER:
1. *Right Excellent Companion Norman Keron Monro, Papyrus Chapter 27, Powell River, B.C.*
Nominated by: REC Leonard G.B. Pickell
MEC Leslie J. Tutt

2. *Right Excellent Companion David Bridges Turner, Cathedral Chapter 35, Parksville.*
Nominated by: MEC Trevor O. Thomas
REC William G. Surgenor

3. *Right Excellent Companion Alfred R. (Kurt) Wensler, Chilliwack Chapter 19, Chilliwack.*
Nominated by: MEC William R. Shippam
MEC Rod A. Cutler

COMMITTEES:

The Chairman of each Standing Committee is expected to have his report prepared in concise and written form ready for presentation at Grand Chapter when called for. It is requested that a copy of this report be in the Grand Chapter Office as early as possible but not later than APRIL 15TH. (PREFERABLY EARLIER) In the event there is a 'NIL' report, please submit written notification to the Grand Scribe Ezra prior to Friday opening.

Excellent Companions will take note of the regulations for government of Grand Chapter during the time of business as set out in Section 147 (Page 51) of the Constitution as amended to June 15, 1991. Every Chapter shall be represented by its three Principals, and in case they may not be present, the Chapter shall elect Proxies and a certificate in the form provided be submitted to the Grand Scribe Ezra by MAY 1ST (or earlier) with a copy to the Proxy. Every Past Principal shall be entitled to his own ballot which he may obtain by registering with the Credentials Committee under the Chapter for which he first served as First Principal. To avoid confusion for the Credentials Committee, he shall not register under another Chapter except as a Proxy if he is to exercise one. No member can represent by Proxy more than one vote.

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REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Most Excellent Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

During the year 1995-96, being the 78th year of this Grand Chapter, no new Chapters were Constituted, but on May 1st, 1995 we were able to record the Amalgamation of Sidney Chapter 42 and Columbia Chapter l. Boundary Chapter 12 is 'holding' under direction of REC George Kalmakoff.

Grand First Principal, MEC Leslie J. Tutt, accompanied by more than twenty Companions with their Ladies, travelled on a northern tour September 15th, 1995 from Vancouver. Stops were made at Quesnel, Dawson Creek, Watson Lake and, finally, Whitehorse, Yukon Territory. After Official Visits, and well-rested, the group left for the return trip. The whole event took ten days and thirty-two hundred miles. This pilgrimage to the North will be well remembered by the Grand Council and all who travelled with them, as well as those whom they met at the various stops.

Of significance to Royal Arch Masonry in B.C. & the Yukon, was the passing to the Grand Chapter Above of two well known Companions. One of our active Past Grand First Principals, MEC Jack A. Laffling and one very active Companion from the Fraser Valley, REC Douglas J. Thornbury. Both these Companions were well known, touched the hearts of many, and will be sadly missed.

Fall and Spring Boards of General Purposes were held in Victoria and in North Vancouver. Both were well attended and of good interest.

Capitular Masonry is active in many areas of the Province. As many as seven Candidates were Exalted during one meeting - an encouraging sign for Royal Arch.

A Grand Chapter Church Parade was held at St. Martin's Anglican Church in North Vancouver. Royal Arch Regalia was worn. Ladies and friends were also in attendance.

We have been informed of five Companions who have been awarded fifty year membership certificates and pins:

Companion Douglas Inkster, Cyrus Chapter 10
Companion John Figueiredo, Cyrus Chapter 10
Companion Ronald Turner, Cyrus Chapter 10
Companion Ronald H. Cull, Kelowna Chapter 17
Companion Campbell LeBlond, Kelowna Chapter 17

Kamloops Chapter 17 was Constituted on July 26, 1916 and is celebrating its Eightieth Anniversary. Composite Chapter 24, Constituted in July 26, 1926 is celebrating a Seventieth Birthday during 1996.

A number of Chapters have appointed a Chapter Historian. These Chapters are requested to send copies of the Histories and Annual Reports to the Grand Historian, in care of the Grand Scribe Ezra. These are to be stored in the archives of Grand Chapter. These could prove to be of great use to future Grand Historians and Constituent Chapters. All Chapters are encouraged to emulate this practice and to appoint a Grand Historian.

Fraternally submitted,

WALTER M. SCHIERER,
Grand Historian

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

During this year there has been little correspondence regarding Foreign Jurisdiction.

There has, however, lately been another letter requesting recognition from a Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Greece.

This is the same Grand Chapter who applied in 1994 for recognition. Investigation by this Committee indicates the situation in Greece has not been resolved.

It is, therefore, the opinion of this Committee that we continue to refuse to recognize this irregular body of Grand Chapter but continue recognition of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Greece until further clarification and/or resolution is achieved.

Fraternally submitted,
MEC S.G. REDGRAVE
VEC D.O. TYERS
EC D. LEWIS

REPORT OF THE REGALIA COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

Your Regalia Committee submits the following report for 1995-96. We have order the following items:

1 Grand First Principal's Apron
1 Grand First Principal's Sash
1 Past Grand First Principal's Chain Collar
4 Grand Chapter Officers' Collars with gold fringe
4 Tri-coloured Sashes
1 Grand Scribe Nehemiah's Apron refurbished
1 Grand Chaplain's Apron refurbished
1 Grand Scribe Ezra's Apron
6 Flat Cases

We have replaced Grand Superintendents' Cases for Districts 5, 7, 8, 9 and 11.

We have also replaced the Grand Senior Sojourner's Case.

We have had the following cleaned: 1 Junior Sojourner's Apron and 2 Tri-Sashes cleaned.

Fraternally submitted,
GORDON GALT,
Chairman

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES AS JUNE, 1996.

TO	GRAND CHAPTER	FROM	CHAPTER
F.L. Moon	ALABAMA	David B. Milne	27
J. Houtchen	ALASKA	N. Moorehouse	13
B. Collier	ALBERTA	Mark H. Hannah	35
H.R. Newmarkt	ARGENTINA	G.H. Horwood	30
T.R. Lewis	ARIZONA	R.J. McCubbin	34
D.O. White	ARKANSAS	M.P. Raynor	31
G. Uhlich	AUSTRIA	P. Tupholme	29
P. Noel	BELGIUM	F. Kendrick	30
R.D. Kelly	CALIFORNIA	R.J. Gornall	35
S. Boomhour	CANADA (in Ont.)	W.C.K. Crick	6
J.E. Erickson	COLORADO	M.C. Nicholson	28
R.C. Raines	CONNECTICUT	P.E. Mussell	16
R. N. Biggs	DELAWARE	W.D. Jasper	14
M.E. Fowler	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	M.A. Glenn	7
J. Tuonien	FINLAND	E. White	5
R.E. Burleson	FLORIDA	D.S. Carrier	18
B. Charpentier	FRANCE	A.D. Clarke	22
W.A. Berryhill	GEORGIA	G.H. Coupland	4
C. Kotsakis	GREECE	Brian Craig	43
R.W. Pate	HAWAII	E.A. Wood	39
J.I. Hagen	IDAHO	B.K. Tarling	10
J.D. Deetz	ILLINOIS	Wm. Rideout	40
H.P. Mathur	INDIA	E.Berrington	3
H.R. Hoolihan	INDIANA	Wm. D. Quail	20
G.W. Shaulis	IOWA	A. Burchill	24
K. Patterson	IRELAND	Tom W. Price	31
G. Berkow	ISRAEL	Wm J. Broderick	25
F. Bonafe	ITALY	R.S. Gela	27
D.B. Hanson	KANSAS	P. Drysdale	19
J.T. Frasier	KENTUCKY	Jens Block	1
J.P. David	LOUISIANA	B.J. Maslaniec	20
E. Robinson	MAINE	J. McBain	6
N.A. Pow	MANITOBA	J.A. Bell	35
L.O. Eshenour	MARYLAND	W.G. Surgenor	10
M.E. Host	MASSACHUSETTS	H.D. Freeston	30
P. Dumke	MEXICO	L.H. Stoneberg	25
J.R. Sprague	MICHIGAN	H.J. White	8
A.N. Dull	MINNESOTA	G.W. Reed	12
J.W. Hamil	MISSISSIPPI	J. Banyay	22
J.W. Stafford	MISSOURI	H.A. Bregenhus	40
J. Grotts	MONTANA	F.J. Perkins	31
H.C. Lofton	NEBRASKA	J.G. Young	31
J.J. Hanrath	NETHERLANDS	David D.S. Anderson	34
D. Cauch	NEVADA	S.G. Redgrave	31
C.H. Webber	NEW BRUNSWICK	A. Brunt-Tompsett	31
O. White	NEWFOUNDLAND	Alan Dean	44
E.J. LaPointe	NEW HAMPSHIRE	D. Thornbury	19
H.J. Dilks	NEW JERSEY	G.B. Clever	11

L.O. Bates	NEW MEXICO	R. Tetlow	14
E.G. Mehrtens	NEW SOUTH WALES	P.J. Bottaro	28
P.M. Desault	NEW YORK	L.J. Tutt	16
P.E. Kennedy	NEW ZEALAND	R.A. Cutler	6
R.L. Parker	NORTH CAROLINA	B. Hoare	28
V.B. Koon	NORTH DAKOTA	A.R.K. Wensler	19
C.S. Dean	NOVA SCOTIA	J.R. Elton	30
A.D. Hart	OHIO	Allan Gordon	24
E.L. Berryman, Jr.	OKLAHOMA	Stan Horner	14
T.T. Lanman	OREGON	W.R.Shippam	23
E. Greese	PENNSYLVANIA	F. McKee	18
	QUEBEC	J.R. Marshall	31
F.S. Bell	QUEENSLAND	Ian Campbell	38
M.L. Nonate	REP. OF PHILIPPINES	Jay Catury	34
R.L. Mandeveille	RHODE ISLAND	G. Tillotson	10
H.E. Hill	SASKATCHEWAN	L. Pickell	30
S.T. Geddes	SCOTLAND	A.S. Rollo	23
D.A. Eatts	SOUTH AUSTRALIA	D.G.J. Marsh	11
H.D. McAllister	SOUTH CAROLINA	John Robson	1
M. Christensen	SOUTH DAKOTA	G. Gibbens	31
F.S. Schumacher	SWITZERLAND	J.D. Wray	28
J.W. Richards	TENNESSEE	T.O. Mickey	38
L.W. Ramos	TEXAS	D.L. Martin	10
R.H. Simons	UTAH	M. Lundeen	29
B. Warner	VERMONT	T. Kuiperi	17
K.L. Paroissien	VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA	R.H. Clare	36
W.D. Graham	VIRGINIA	L.S. Churchill	16
T.R. Fonis	WASHINGTON	T.O. Thomas	31
G.F. Walder	WEST AUSTRALIA	B. Hemingway	33
H. Thomas	WEST GERMANY	R.F.E. Schafer	16
W.E. Bird	WEST VIRGINIA	D.L. Reed	16
G. Jolivette	WISCONSIN	G.W. Kalmakoff	12
A.R. Corsberg	WYOMING	A. Yates	14

The Resolution of Loyalty was given by MEC Les Tutt followed by the singing of God Save The Queen.

RESOLUTION OF LOYALTY

BE IT RESOLVED that this, the Most Excellent the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon, at their Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation in the City of Burnaby, British Columbia, on May 30, 31 and June 1, 1996 reaffirms the loyalty of all its Members to Her Most Gracious Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, Queen of Canada; His Royal Highness, the Duke of Edinburgh; and all the members of the Royal Family.

WE RESPECTFULLY wish Her Majesty and the Royal Family, health and strength to carry out the many duties in the service of the Commonwealth of Nations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a true copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Her Majesty through the Honourable Secretary of State for Canada under the seal of this Most Excellent Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia and the Yukon.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY of the Resolution, passed at the Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia and the Yukon, on Friday, May 31, 1996.

Leslie J. Tutt,
Grand First Principal

BUCKINGHAM PALACE

4th July, 1996.

Dear Mr. Rollo,

I am commanded by The Queen to thank you for the message of loyal greetings, sent on behalf of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia and the Yukon on the occasion of their seventy-eighth Annual Convocation in Burnaby, British Columbia, from 30th May to 1st June, 1996.

Her Majesty much appreciated this message and hopes the occasion was successful for all concerned.

Yours sincerely,

(MRS. J. COULSON)

Mr. A. S. Rollo.

REPORT OF THE ROYAL ARCH BURSARY FUND TRUSTEES

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

The Trustees of the Royal Arch Bursary Fund met on Wednesday, July 16, 1995 in the Freemasons' Hall, 1495 West 8th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C., at 9:30 am for the purpose of examining and evaluating the Bursary applications and allotting the available funds.

The Trustees for 1994-95 and 1995-96 present were: REC A.E. Porter, REC Wm Youde, REC Henry Furness, Comp. Wm. Carter, REC Alastair Ross. Absent: REC Dick Schafer, EC R. Doige and REC D.D.S. Anderson.

A total of twenty-seven applications were received and reviewed. Of these applications - eight Bursaries of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) each were awarded, totally Four Thousand Dollars ($4,000.00) in total. The Trustees therefore recommend Warrants be drawn on the Grand Treasurer against the Bursary Account as follows:

University of British Columbia	$ 500.00
University College of Cariboo-Kamloops	1,000.00
Douglas College - New Westminster	500.00
University of Victoria	500.00
Simon Fraser University	500.00
Kwantlan College	500.00
Okanagan University College, Kelowna	500.00
TOTAL	**$4,000.00**

In addition, we recommend you issue a cheque to U.B.C. in the amount of $100.00. This for the credit of D. Woolgar and covers the cheque returned to us from last year. Mr. Woolgar misplaced this cheque and it became staledated, therefore it needs replacing.

The Trustees wish to thank MEC Trevor Thomas and all the Grand Superintendents for their part in promoting the Bursary Fund during their visits to the Chapters. Also, to all Companions and Chapters for their support, especially Semiahmoo Chapter 34. A special thanks to MEC Alexander Rollo and Mrs. Auriole Prepchuk for their invaluable assistance.

Fraternally submitted,
REC D. SCHAFER
REC W. YOUDE, REC H. FURNESS
REC A. ROSS, EC R. DOIGE

REPORT OF THE KEYSTONE OF LIFE FOUNDATION

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

I am pleased to report to Grand Chapter that the Keystone of Life Foundation, as at April 30, 1996, has the following funds on deposit:

Life Membership (current account) $1,833.18 and $8,500. Term Deposit
Donation Account(current account) $817.72 and $6,571. Term Deposit
Current Account $2,674.29 and $7,632. Term Deposit

Your Foundation fulfilled a commitment December 28, 1995 to the Eagle Ridge Hospital for $4,247.90. Present to make the presentation were: REC Don Lea, REC Joe Quan, MEC Alexander Rollo and REC Nick Nicholson and his wife Kate.

The Society has also agreed to co-sponsor a project to place a Augmentive Speech Therapy Machine in Sunny Hill Hospital, in which the Society has agreed to contribute $500.00.

As of this date there are committed funds to the Shuswap General Hospital totalling $4,000.00.

Currently your Foundation has 296 Members and Life Members. We are grateful for your support, and would encourage more Companions to join and donate to this very worthwhile Foundation. It is only because of your generous donations that we can support the organizations that we do.

Please note that spouses of Companions are able and very welcome to become Members of the Keystone of Life Foundation.

Fees to become Members are as follows:
Regular and Association Members... $5.00 annually.
Life Membership for regular and associations:
Up to 50 years of age $150.00
51 - 75 years of age ..... $150.00 less $4.00 per year over 50 years of age.
Minimum Life Membership.... $50.00

Fraternally submitted,

PETER GUICHON
Secretary

REPORT OF THE MERIT AWARD COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

We, your Merit Award Committee, thank the Grand First Principal for appointing us to serve on this Committee.

This year there is a change to the Merit Award in the fact that there are four recipient Areas - A, B. C. and D., therefore, making a choice difficult.

We thank all Chapters for their submissions and have pleasure in recommending the following Companions to receive the Merit Award.

A. COMPANION LESLIE ERSKINE SCOTT, Semiahmoo Chapter No. 34.
B. COMPANION ALFRED GORDON LARSON, Kelowna Chapter No. 17.
C. COMPANION ALBERT H. MEYER, Kamloops Chapter No. 18.
D. COMPANION DANIEL DAVIS, Cyrus Chapter No. 10.

PREVIOUS AWARDS

1977 Comp. D. Hunter (38)
1978 EC A. Hickman (24)
1979 Comp. H. Brown (23)
1980 Comp. A. Yates (8)
1981 Comp. E. Latta (6)
1982 Comp. C. Brown (18)
1983 no award
1984 Comp. A. Brown (32)
1985 Comp. W. Joe (11)
1986 Comp. H. Smith (14)
1987 Comp. J. Wolford (27)
1988 Comp. N. Martin (8)
1989 Comp. G. Redding (17)
1990 Comp. E. Merit (1)
1991 Comp. J. Gardner (33)
1992 Comp. J. Bell (10)
1993 Comp.W. Connolly (21)
1994 Comp. W. Bavis (31)
1995 Comp.I. McLellan (24)

To all Chapters - don't be disappointed if your Chapter Companion was not selected. Please submit application next year.

Fraternally submitted,

REC N. NICHOLSON
REC J. LePAGE
EC B. ARMSTRONG

REPORT OF THE RITUAL COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Member of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

At the last Grand Chapter Convocation, your Committee informed you that the revised Ritual was at the printers. We have since run into several mix-ups but are now back on track. Enough said!

Our target date is the fall of 1996.

We apologize for any inconvenience this has caused, but - please - have patience.

Fraternally submitted,
REC J.H. FINDLAY (Chairman)
EC J.R. ELTON
MEC A.S. ROLLO (Adviser)

REPORT OF THE PRINTING COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

The Printing Committee are still waiting for the Ritual Committee to finish all the revisions on the Ritual. Since they are still working on it, we can only make a NIL Report.

Fraternally submitted,
VEC MICHAEL RAYNOR (Chairman)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS & DISPENSATIONS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

We, the Committee on Warrants and Dispensations, have examined the twenty-eight (28) Dispensations granted by the Most Excellent Grand First Principal for the year 1995 - 96, and report the following:

- three Dispensations granted to wear full regalia in the Masonic Church Parade, Victoria Day Parade and Grand Lodge.
- one Dispensation granted by special edict of the Grand First Principal to confer the Mark Master Mason Degree, the Most Excellent Master Degree and the Degree of the Holy Royal Arch upon Companion Allan Henry Fraser.
- one Dispensation granted to allow several Companions to accompany the Grand First Principal on a bus tour to Whitehorse, Yukon.
- one Dispensation granted to allow a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons to convene early at 6:00 pm to accommodate the Grand First Principal at their annual Christmas Party.
- six Dispensations granted to accommodate the Grand First Principal at regular Chapter Installations.
- one Dispensation granted to change the date of Regular Convocation to avoid a conflict in dates with the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.
- 8 Dispensations granted to change the location of the Regular Convocations to increase the membership.
- two Dispensations were granted to change the date of Chapter Installations to install Officers who would have been out of town.
- one Dispensation granted to convene a joint Chapter Convocation to support the Grand Superintendent.
- one Dispensation granted to cancel a Convocation due to the absence of the Chapter Officers.
- one Dispensation granted to avoid the conflict of dates of the Spring Board.
- one Dispensation granted to change the date of the Convocation to allow Companions to attend International Weekend at Harrison Hot Springs.
- one Dispensation to change the date of the Convocation to visit the Grand First Principal of Alberta.

We, the Members of the Committee on Warrants & Dispensations, thank the Grand Scribe Ezra and Mrs. Prepchuk for their invaluable assistance in these matters.

Fraternally submitted,

MEC R.A. CUTLER
EC J. CALDERWOOD
EC L. ATKINSON

REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS' COMMITTEE

Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon, your Credentials Committee hereby reports as follows:

Total Numbers of Chapters in the Jurisdiction:	38
Chapters represented	36
Chapters not represented	2
Companions - this Jurisdiction	3
Visitors from other Jurisdictions	9
Grand Representatives	28
Grand First Principals	7
Number Registered	171
Number of Past First Principals	133
Number of Proxies	39
TOTAL VOTES	210

Moved by: REC J. Quan
Seconded: EC L. Lowden
EC S. Sorenson

ROLL CALL OF PAST GRAND FIRST PRINCIPALS

1967 Most Excellent Companion Mark Hannah - absent
1978 Most Excellent Companion George H. Coupland - absent
1982 Most Excellent Companion Stephen G. Redgrave- absent
1983 Most Excellent Companion Alvin P. Alexander - absent
1985 Most Excellent Companion R. Hilliar Clare - present
1987 Most Excellent Companion Roderick A. Cutler - present
1989 Most Excellent Companion Thomas O. Mickey - present
1990 Most Excellent Companion Robert J. Gornall - absent
1991 Most Excellent Companion Alexander S. Rollo - present
1992 Most Excellent Companion H. James White - present
1993 Most Excellent Companion William R. Shippam - present
1994 Most Excellent Companion Trevor O. Thomas - present

LIVING PAST GRAND FIRST PRINCIPALS

1967 MARK HANNAH
124479 - 205th Street,
MAPLE RIDGE, B.C.
V2X 0B1

1978 GEORGE H. COUPLAND
1386 McQuarrie,
TRAIL, B.C.
V1R 1X3

1982 STEPHEN G. REDGRAVE
121 - 14280 - 19A Avenue,
SURREY, B.C.
V4A 8W4

1983 ALVIN P. ALEXANDER
29 Saunders Crescent S.E.,
MEDICINE HAT, Alberta
T1B 3G5

1985 R. HILLIARD CLARE
P.O. Box No. 942,
PRINCE GEORGE, B.C.
V2M 2A6

1987 RODERICK A. CUTLER
6654 Fulton,
BURNABY, B.C.
V5E 3H1

1989 THOMAS O. MICKEY
1413 Holly Street,
WHITEHORSE, Y.T.
Y1A 4V2

1990 ROBERT J. GORNALL
Apt. 512-2700 McCullum Rd.
ABBOTSFORD, B.C.
V2S 6X9

1991 ALEXANDER S. ROLLO
355 Laurentian Cres.
COQUITLAM, B.C.
V3K 1Y3

1992 H. JAMES WHITE
No. 13, 9 Buttertubs Drive,
NANAIMO, B.C.
V9R 3X8

1993 WILLIAM R. SHIPPAM
5911 Kerr
VANCOUVER, B.C.
V5R 4B9

1994 TREVOR O. THOMAS
6290 Waterbury Rd.,
NANAIMO, B.C.
V9V 1M3

1995 LESLIE J. TUTT
2699 Violet St.,
N. VANCOUVER, B.C.
V7H 1H2

Order of High Priesthood

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The Twentieth Annual Convention of the Holy Order of High Priesthood of British Columbia & the Yukon was held in the Park Lodge Masonic Hall, 4474 Rupert Street, (29th Avenue & Rupert Street) Vancouver, B.C., on Thursday, May 30th, 1996 at 10:00 am. Alexander S. Rollo presiding. All Officers were present.

Present per Porch Sheets were sixty-seven Officers, Members and visitors plus eighteen Candidates.

ME President Rollo welcomed all Members and Visitors. The Visitors were asked to introduce themselves after which they received a warm welcome by all present. The ME President declared a revision to the Order of Business by conferring the Holy Order of High Priesthood on the following Candidates: Claude J. Bergman, John H. Bradley, Kenneth O. Coburn, Dwight S. Coull, Carlos E.C. Deyaeger, Stewart Drever, William F. Fooks, Victor G. Lanes, William A. Lawson, Russell R. McDowell, Sidney A. McEown, Ernest L. Mayer, Charles Edwin Nicholson, Fred G. Quebec, Robert J. Simpson, William A. Somerville, Stanley P. Sorenson, David E. Varcoe.

The following not being present, continue to be hold-overs: John Murphy, Kenneth Poznikoff, W. Ian Thompson, John White, Richard Williams.

Following the conferral of the Holy Order, honorary cards were presented by the ME President to Frank Moon, Alabama; Leif Hansen, Jim Kemp, Ken White, Alberta; Kent Gist, Idaho; Ed Burrows, Saskatchewan; Tom Lanman, Oregon.

The Nominating Committee then recommended the following names for the Officers for 1996-97:

ME President:	W.R. Shippam	EX Conductor:	L. Pickell
EX Vice-Pres:	T.O. Thomas	EX Herald:	H.J. White
EX Chaplain:	K. Anderson	EX Steward:	H. Findlay
EX Treasurer:	J.G. Young	EX Sentinel:	W. Hoskins
EX Recorder:	R.A. Cutler	EX D. of C.:	R. Macdonald
EX M. of C.:	L.J. Tutt		

The Treasurer then presented his Financial Report for 1995-96.

Bank Balance as of May 1, 1995		$1,590.50
RECEIPTS:		
Bank Interest:	8.83	
Deposits	900.00	908.83
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Refund of Double payment from last year		45.00
BALANCE.....		$2,454.33
Cash on hand: $45.00		

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The following bills are to be paid following this Convention:

Grand Chapter Office Services	$100.00
R.A. Cutler (supplies)	18.69
Dominion Regalia	563.68
T.H. (Dick) Dickason	275.09
Park Building Association	50.00

There being no further business other than the Installation of Officers for 1995-96, ME President Rollo, assisted by D. of C. R. Macdonald, took charge of the Installation of Officers obligating ME President Shippam; EX Vice-President Thomas; EX Chaplain Anderson; after placing these Officers at their respective stations, he then had all other Officers obligated at the Altar, then seated at their respective stations.

There being no further business, the newly Installed Officers closed the Convention at 12:10 pm in the prescribed for. Peace and harmony prevailing.

Fraternally submitted,
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO, President

HONORARY MEMBERS

ALBERTA
R. Dockstader (89)
I. Melnick (89)
A.S. Horn (89)
D. Neill (93)
P. Fairbridge (94)
L. Hansen (96)
J. Kemp (96)
K. White (96)
A. Edstom (96)

MANITOBA
C. Storie (89)
J. James (89)
S. Payne (96)

NEWFOUNDLAND
W.J. Parsons (95)

NOVA SCOTIA
H. Woodham (90)
C. Decker (90)

ONTARIO
G. Stuart (94)

SASKATCHEWAN
H. Horn (89)
R. Kondra (89)
A. Robinson (89)
J. Hall (89)
J. Porter (91)
E. Burrows (91)
W. Hobbs (92)
I. Kingston (92)
R. Little (95)
J. Reg Tait (96)

SCOTLAND
Stan Geddes (94)

ALABAMA
F. Moon (96)

ALASKA
I. Tiggs (90)
J. Underwood (90)
T. Winters (90)
W. Clucas (90)
R. Burnett (90)
F. Eric (90)
W. Lefferson (90)
A. Carpin (90)

CALIFORNIA
R. Kelly (93)

FLORIDA
W. Winchester (91)
H. Yaeger (93)

IDAHO
S. Houston (91)
K. Gist (96)

MONTANA
D. Volkman (91)
C. Burgess (92)

OREGON
F. Rentions (89)
T. Lanman (89)

WASHINGTON
R. VanLuven (90)
V. Boergadine (91)
G. Short (91)
D. Dickason (94)
C. Towne (95)

SCOTLAND
S. Geddes (94)

REPORT OF THE ROYAL ARCH HOME SOCIETY

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

As the appointed Representative of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon, I have much pleasure in submitting the following report for the year 1995 - 96.

The Board of Directors have had a very busy year making preparations for the upcoming renovations which will increase the resident capacity. With the addition of the new multi-level unit, which will accommodate 36 special care beds, the total resident capacity will be 150.

Architectural plans are completed and have been approved by the City of Vancouver and the required development permits have been issued. Tenders were scheduled to be called for May 28, however, due to some administrative changes in the Ministry of Health Department there has been a slight delay. It is anticipated that the call for tenders will be made on June 1.

However, we can report that in preparation for the new construction, a new emergency generator is nearing completion. This will deliver sufficient power to operate all services including one elevator in the event of a power outage.

I have been particularly impressed by the co-operation and dedication shown by the Administrator and his staff who, while fulfilling their regular duties, have found time to contribute their knowledge, experience and expertise in the planning of this new project.

The Annual Report of the Royal Arch Masonic Home Society will be distributed at the 1996 Grand Chapter Convocation. This will give a more detailed report with respect to Financial matters.

My thanks to MEC Leslie J. Tutt, for allowing me the privilege to serve as a Board member of the Royal Arch Masonic Home Society.

Fraternally submitted,
VEC WILFRED C. HOSKINS
Grand Chapter Representative.

PAST GRAND ZERUBBABEL'S AWARD

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

The Past Grand Zerubbabel's Award was instituted by our late MEC William Young in 1977 and is presented to the Chapter attaining the highest percentage net increase in membership, as shown by the Annual Returns submitted to the Grand Scribe Ezra.

During 1995 only six Chapters show an increase in membership. The Chapter with the highest percentage increase in 1995 was **OBSERVATORY CHAPTER NO. 25**. The Companions of Observatory Chapter are to be congratulated on an increase of 6.5%. I extend my sincere thanks to the staff at Grand Chapter for their work in providing me with the data necessary to compile this Report.

Fraternally submitted,

HILLIARD CLARE, PGZ
ALEXANDER S. ROLLO, Seconded

PREVIOUS WINNERS

1977	Rocky Mountain 7	13.2%	1986	Cathedral 35	22.2%
1978	Tzouhalem 26	13.7%	1987	Nelson 5	5.5%
1979	Caribou 43	14.9%	1988	Rocky Mountain 7	3.8%
1980	Tzouhalem 26	7.9%	1989	Sidney 42	10.0%
1981	Tzouhalem 26	13.8%	1990	Kalum 37	5.6%
1982	Kootenay 3	20.6%	1991	Dawson Creek 41	13.4%
1983	Mission 28	7.6%	1992	Mission 28	6.0%
1984	Rocky Mountain 7	8.7%	1993	King Solomon 30	12.7%
1985	Mount Moriah 20	13.3%	1994	Chilliwack 19	7.%

EMERITUS OFFICERS

To those who have served the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon, retired and due to exemplary service, have been honored by having the title of 'Emeritus' conferred upon them:

MEC Alvin P. Alexander, Grand Scribe Ezra Emeritus - 1992
REC John G. Young, Grand Treasurer Emeritus - 1995

HONORARY MEMBERS OF GRAND CHAPTER PRIOR TO 1977 (incomplete)

	M.E. Companion A.C. Gunning	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Jack Daniels	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Erick Mulder	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Philip Kendall	Alberta
	M.E. Companion O.P. Thomas	Alberta
	M.E. Companion R.H. Strumm	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion Walter Taber	Washington
	M.E. Companion Anton Marek	Washington
	M.E. Companion Gilbert Kaseburg	Washington
	M.E. Companion Lloyd Reeder	Washington
	M.E. Companion Edward Caddy	Washington
	M.E. Companion Frank Dixon	Washington
	M.E. Companion Elgin Cox	Washington
	M.E. Companion Wayne Demming	Washington
	M.E. Companion A.L. Lamont	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion Harold Yaeger	Montana
	M.E. Companion W.A. Thaanum	Montana
	M.E. Companion Norman Hoard	Oregon
	M.E. Companion George Walter	Oregon
	M.E. Companion George Robinson	Oregon
1977	M.E. Companion Robert Henderson	Arizona
	M.E. Companion Fred DeBarrows	California
	M.E. Companion William Leeson	California
1978	M.E. Companion John Clark	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion Ted Fonis	Washington
1979	M.E. Companion Merv Harper	Alberta
	M.E. Companion J.R. Doherty	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Stanley Orton	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion Roy A.W. Krows	Washington
	M.E. Companion Vern Shipman	Oregon
1980	M.E. Companion Borge Agerbak	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion Jack Brooks	Saskatchewan
	R.E. Companion Ramon Opsata	Washington
	R.E. Companion James Grotts	Montana
1981	M.E. Companion Cliff Storie	Manitoba
	R.E. Companion F.W. Know	Manitoba
	R.E. Companion W.H. Pollard	Alberta
1982	R.E. Companion Gene Miles	Washington
	M.E. Companion Lee Abbott	Oregon
	M.E. Companion Jack Lee	Alberta
	M.E. Companion G.W.D. Steenson	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion William Sproule	Canada in Ontario
1983	M.E. Companion Edgar Boyd	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Gordon Stuart	Canada in Ontario
	M.E. Companion Robert Truesdale	Washington
	E. Companion Craig Raines	Connecticut
1984	M.E. Companion Allen Wadstein	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Louis O. Mason	California
	M.E. Companion V.F. Boergadine	Washington

HONORARY MEMBERS OF GRAND CHAPTER (continued)

1985	M.E. Companion George Bromwell	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion Milton R. Benson	Washington
1986	M.E. Companion Harold Horn	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion Albert A. Mortlock	Alberta
1987	M.E. Companion James M. Braemner	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Donald D. McCune	Washington
1988	M.E. Companion Robert L. Costigan	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Alfred F. Hill	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion Donald Stephenson	Washington
	E. Companion Thomas T. Lanman	Oregon
1989	M.E. Companion Robert H. Eckhardt	Washington
	M.E. Companion John C. James	Manitoba
	R.E. Companion E. Jesse Carr	Alberta
	R.E. Companion Ernest Tyler	Alberta
	R.E. Companion Earl J. McKeever	K.Y.C.H.
	E. Companion Harry C. Moore	Idaho
	M.E. Companion C.C. Hardy	Manitoba
1990	M.E. Companion Anton Aspeslet	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Gene Freeman	Alaska
	M.E. Companion Lloyd Triggs	Alaska
	M.E. Companion Jay Underwood	Alaska
	M.E. Companion Cecil Decker	Nova Scotia
	M.E. Companion Lindsay Woodhams	Nova Scotia
	E. Companion Roland E. VanLuvan	Washington
1991	M.E. Companion Samuel Houston	Idaho
	M.E. Companion David H. Volkman	Idaho
	R.E. Companion Robert Porter	Saskatchewan
1992	R.E. Companion Dennis Marsh	British Columbia
	M.E. Companion William G. Milson	Quebec
	M.E. Companion A.A. Carpin	Alaska
	M.E. Companion Walter Winchester	Florida
	E. Companion C. David Burgess	Montana
	R.E. Companion Thurston H. Dickason	Washington
	M.E. Companion Lorne Kingston	Saskatchewan
1993	M.E. Companion James A. Hall	Saskatchewan
	R.E. Companion Gilbert G. Cook	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion David Neill	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Richard Kelly	California
	Companion Jack Hagan	Idaho
	R.E. Companion Peter Fairbridge	Alberta
1994	M.E. Companion Stan T. Geddes	Scotland
	M.E. Companion Richard Hien	Washington
	R.E. Companion Robert Little	Alberta
	M.E. Companion Gordon H. Stuart	Ontario
	M.E. Companion Ted Moore	Ireland
1995	M.E. Companion Lawrence McKercher	Alberta
	M.E. Companion W. Job Parsons	Newfoundland
	R.E. Companion Charles Towne	Washington

HONORARY MEMBERS OF GRAND CHAPTER (continued)

1996	M.E. Companion Stan Payne	Manitoba
	M.E. Companion Reg Tait	Saskatchewan
	M.E. Companion Alvin Edstom	Alberta
	R.E. Companion Leif Hansen	Alberta
	R.E. Companion Jim Kemp	Alberta
	R.E. Companion Ken White	Alberta
	E. Companion Franklin Moon	Alabama
	M.E. Companion Kent Gist	Idaho



NOTICE TO ALL SCRIBES EZRA

Notices of all Convocations to be sent to the following:

1) **GRAND FIRST PRINCIPAL - to his home address:**
MEC Wm Jasper,
304 Songhees Road,
VICTORIA, B.C. V9A 6T3

***2) GRAND SCRIBE EZRA**

***3) EDITOR - THE KEYSTONE**

***4) GRAND HISTORIAN**

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Grand Scribe Ezra,
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VANCOUVER, B.C. V6H 1C9

ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION IN 1919

Year	Grand Zerubbabel	Grand Haggai	Grand Joshua
1919	*Harry H. Watson	*Daniel M. Harrison	*Charles F. Sherwin
1920	*Edward B. Paul	*Daniel M. Harrison	*Charles F. Sherwin
1921	*D.M. Harrison	*Charles F. Sherwin	*Vernon W. Stewart
1922	*C.F. Sherwin	*Vernon W. Stewart	*Frank C. Bird
1923	*Veron W. Stewart	*Frank C. Bird	*John G. Gamon
1924	*Francis C. Bird	*John G. Ganon	*Thomas H. Carey
1925	*John G. Gamon	*Thomas H. Carey	*Henry Giegerich
1926	*Thomas H. Carey	*Henry Giegerich	*Donald Adams
1927	*Henry Giegerich	*Donald Adams	*Wm. T. Phillips
1928	*Donald Adams	*Wm. T. Phillips	*Ernest P. Allen
1929	*Wm. T. Phillips	*Ernest P. Allen	*Donald A. Stewart
1930	*Ernest P. Allen	*Donald A. Stewart	*Samuel Drake
1931	*Donald A. Stewart	*Samuel Drake	*Daniel W. Sutherland
1932	*Samuel Drake	*Alexander McDuff	*Alex M. Manson
1933	*Alexander McDuff	*Alex M. Manson	*Wm. R. Trench
1934	*Alex M. Manson	*Wm. R. Trench	*Wm. R. Yule
1935	*Wm. R. Trench	*Wm. R. Yule	*George H. McKay
1936	*Wm. R. Yule	*George H. McKay	*K.K. Reid
1937	*George H. McKay	*K.K. Reid	*W.P. Marchant
1938	*K.K. Reid	*W.P. Marchant	*Stanley Gordon
1939	*W.P. Merchant	*Stanley Gordon	*Thomas B. Goodall
1940	*Stanley Gordon	*Thomas B. Goodall	*George E. MacKinnon
1941	*G.E. MacKinnon	*M.J. Little	*W. Coastes Taylor
1942	*M.J. Little	*W. Coates Taylor	*J.H. Morgan
1943	*W.C. Taylor	*J.H. Morgan	*F.A. Willis
1944	*J.H. Morgan	*F.A. Willis	*Edward T. Searle
1945	*F.A. Willis	*Edward T. Searle	*Edgar B. Baker
1946	*Edward T. Searle	*Edgar B. Baker	*John MacLeod
1947	*Edgar B. Baker	*John MacLeod	*Gerald M. Sedger
1948	*John MacLeod	*Gerald H. Sedger	*A.E. Davidson
1949	*Gerald H. Sedger	*A.E. Davidson	*A.R. Byrnell
1950	*A.E. Davidson	*A.R. Byrnell	*Andrew Coutts
1951	*A.R. Byrnell	*Andrew Coutts	*C.E. Renecker
1952	*Andrew Coutts	*C.E. Renecker	*H.P. Wyness
1953	*C.E. Renecker	*H.P. Wyness	*R.L. Williams
1954	*H.P. Wyness	*R.L. Williams	*G.M. Harmen
1955	*R.L. Williams	*G.M. Harmen	*Arthur Hamilton
1956	*G.M. Harmen	*Arthur Hamilton	*T.W.H. Walker
1957	*Arthur Hamilton	*T.W.H. Walker	*Olaf Nelsen
1958	*T.W.H. Walker	*Olaf Nelsen	*J.R. Mitchell
1959	*Olaf Nelsen	*J.R. Mitchell	*E.V. Bell
1960	*J.R. Mitchell	*E.V. Bell	*J.S.E. Meiss
1961	*E.V. Bell	*J.S.E. Meiss	*J.S. Dyke
1962	*J.S.E.Meiss	*J.S. Dyke	*R.T. Litt
1963	*J.S. Dyke	*R.T. Litt	*T.A. Dobson
1964	*R.T. Litt	*T.R. Smalley	*L.R. Gamey
1965	*T.R. Smelley	*L.R. Gemey	*E.E. Andrews
1966	*L.R. Gamey	*E.E. Andrews	Mark H. Hannah
1967	Mark H. Hannah	*E.E. Andrews	*Tom Isbister
1968	*E.E. Andrews	*Tom Isbister	*A.E. Fleetham
1969	*Tom Isbister	*A.E. Fleetham	*C.F. Armstrong

ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION IN 1919

YEAR	Grand Zerubbabel	Grand Haqqai	Grand Joshua
1970	*A.E. Fleetham	*C.F. Armstrong	*Evan H. Carl
1971	*C.F. Armstrong	*Evan H. Carl	*W.C. McCalpin
1972	*Evan H. Carl	*W.C. McCalpin	*J.A. Manzer
1973	*W.C. McCalpin	*J.A. Manzer	*Wm. H. Young
1974	*J.A. Manzer	*Wm. H. Young	*C.D. Biddulph
1975	*C.D. Biddulph	*Wm. H. Young	*Henry M. Dayton
1976	*Wm. H. Young	*Henry M. Dayton	George Coupland
1977	*Henry M. Dayton	George Coupland	*Wm. Blake
1978	George H. Coupland	*Wm. Blake	*R. Cedric Telford
1979	*Wm A. Blake	*R. Cedric Telford	*James Randall
1980	*R. Cedric Telford	*James Randall	Stephen G. Redgrave
1981	*James Randall	Stephen G. Redgrave	Alvin P. Alexander
1982	*Stephen G. Redgrave	Alvin P. Alexander	*F. Melvin Fulton
1983	Alvin P. Alexander	*F. Melvin Fulton	R. Hilliard Clare
1984	*F. Melvin Fulton	R. Hilliard Clare	*Huie S. Lamb
1985	R. Hilliard Clare	*Huie S. Lamb	Roderick A. Cutler
1986	*Huie S. Lamb	Roderick A. Cutler	*Jack A. Laffling
1987	Roderick A. Cutler	*Jack A. Laffling	Thomas O. Mickey
1988	*Jack A. Laffling	Thomas O. Mickey	Robert J. Gornall
1989	Thomas O. Mickey	Robert J. Gornall	Alexander S. Rollo
1990	Robert J. Gornall	Alexander S. Rollo	H. James White
1991	Alexandcer S. Rollo	H. James White	Wm. R. Shippam
1992	H. James White	Wm. R. Shippam	Trevor O. Thomas
1993	Wm. R. Shippam	Trevor O. Thomas	Leslie J. Tutt
1994	Trevor O. Thomas	Leslie J. Tutt	Wm. D. Jasper
1995	Leslie J. Tutt	Wm. D. Jasper	Leonard Pickell
1996	William D. Jasper	Leonard Pickell	Joseph R. Marshall

YEAR	GRAND SCRIBE EZRA	YEAR	GRAND TREASURER
1919-37	*J.W. Prescott	1919-37	*John M. Rudd
1938-41	*F.C. Bird	1938-65	*D.A. Stewart
1942-50	*G.H. McKay	1966-73	*A. Hamilton
1951-67	*E.B. Baker	1974-79	*Huie S. Lamb
1968-70	*A.R. Byrnell	1980-94	Jack G. Young
1971-73	*E.E. Andrews	1995-96	Joe D. Quan
1974	*A.E. Fleetham		
1975-76	*Sidney Hyams		
1977-84	*Evan H. Carl		
1984-91	A.P. Alexander		
1992-96	Alexander S. Rollo		

ELECTIVE OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION IN 1919

YEAR	GR.PRINCIPAL SOJ.	GR. SENIOR SOJ.	GR. JUNIOR SOJ.
1919	*Thomas J. Armstrong		
1920	*Thomas J. Armstrong		
1921	*John G. Gamon		
1922	*Thomas H. Carey		
1923	*Donald Adams		
1924	*Wm. T. Phillips		
1925	*Ernest P. Allen		
1926	*Harry P. Moody		
1927	*Henry Giegerich		
1928	*Donald A. Stewart		
1929	*Daniel W. Sutherland		
1930	*Alexander MacDuff		
1931	*Alex M. Manson		
1932	*A. Anderson		
1933	*G.H. MacKay		
1934	*K.K. Reid		
1935	*W.P. Marchant		
1936	*Stanley Gordon		
1937	*Thomas B. Goodall		
1938	*G.E.L. MacKinnon		
1939	*M.J. Little		
1940	*J.Asson		
1941	*F.A. Willis		
1942	*E.T. Searle		
1943	*E. Baker		
1944	*J. MacLeod		
1945	*G.H. Sedger		
1946	*D.G. Penny		
1947	*A.E. Davidson		
1948	*A. Coutts		
1949	*C.E. Renecker		
1950	*M. Hogarth		
1951	*R.L. Williams		
1952	*G.M. Harman		
1953	*C.H. Carr		
1954	*A. Hamilton		
1955	*Olaf Nelsen		
1956	*J.R. Mitchell		
1957	*J.H. McKergow		
1958	*J.P. Robertson		
1959	*J.S.E. Meiss		
1960	*R.T. Litt		
1961	*T.A. Dobson		
1962	*T.R. Smalley		
1963	*L.R. Gamey		
1964	Mark H. Hannah		
1965	*T. Isbister		
1966	*A.E. Fleetham		
1967	*C.F. Armstrong	*Evan H. Carl	*W.C. McCalpin
1968	*Evan H. Carl	*W.C. McCalpin	*J.A. Manzer
1969	*W.C. McCalpin	*J.A. Manzer	*Wm. H. Young

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YEAR	GR. PRINCIPAL SOJ.	GR. SENIOR SOJ.	GR. JUNIOR SOJ.
1970	*J.A. Manzer	*Wm. H. Young	*C.D. Biddulph
1971	*Wm. H. Young	*C.D. Biddulph	*Henry M. Dayton
1972	*C.D. Biddulph	*Henry M. Dayton	George Coupland
1973	*Henry M. Dayton	George Coupland	*Wm. Blake
1974	*George Coupland	*Wm. Blake	*R. Cedric Telford
1975	*Wm. Blake	*R. Cedric Telford	*James Randall
1976	*R. Cedric Telford	*James Randall	Stephen G. Redgrave
1977	*J. Randall	Stephen G. Redgrave	Alvin P. Alexander
1978	Stephen G. Redgrave	Alvin P. Alexander	*F. Melvin Fulton
1979	Alvin P. Alexander	*F. Melvin Fulton	R. Hilliard Clare
1980	Alvin P. Alexander	*F. Melvin Fulton	R. Hilliard Clare
1981	*F. Melvin Fulton	R. Hilliard Clare	*Huie S. Lamb
1982	R. Hilliard Clare	*Huie S. Lamb	Roderick A. Cutler
1983	*Huie S. Lamb	R.A. Cutler	*Jack A. Laffling
1984	Roderick A. Cutler	*Jack A. Laffling	Thomas O. Mickey
1985	*Jack A. Laffling	Thomas O. Mickey	Robert J. Gornall
1986	Thomas O. Mickey	Robert J. Gornall	Alexander S. Rollo
1987	Robert J. Gornall	Alexander S. Rollo	H. James White
1988	Alexander S. Rollo	H. James White	Wm. R. Shippam
1989	H. James White	Wm. R. Shippam	Trevor O. Thomas
1990	Wm. R. Shippam	Trevor O. Thomas	Leslie J. Tutt
1991	Trevor O. Thomas	Leslie J. Tutt	Wm. D. Jasper
1992	Leslie J. Tutt	Wm. D. Jasper	Leonard Pickell
1993	Wm. D. Jasper	Leonard Pickell	Joseph R. Marshall
1994	Leonard Pickell	Joseph R. Marshall	Denis S. Carriere
1995	Joseph R. Marshall	Denise S. Carriere	David D.S. Anderson
1996	Denis S. Carriere	David D.S. Anderson	David B. Turner

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Date	Place of Meeting	Chapters on Roll	Chapters Represented	Delegates Present	No. of Proxies	Total Votes	No. of R.A.M's on Roll
June 18, 1919	Vancouver	17	12	101	36	146	1742
June 3, 1920	Vancouver	17	17	-	-	84	1831
June 21, 1921	Victoria	17	15	-	-	82	2034
June 21, 1922	Prince Rupert	18	17	-	-	70	2175
June 20, 1923	New Westminster	21	20	-	-	104	2376
June 18, 1924	Vancouver	21	20	-	-	114	2437
June 17, 1925	Kamloops	22	11	-	-	101	2549
June 16, 1926	Victoria	22	22	-	-	133	2630
June 22, 1927	New Westminster	24	24	-	-	150	2645
June 20, 1928	Vancouver	25	24	-	-	114	2756
June 19, 1929	Victoria	27	27	-	-	128	2817
June 18, 1930	Vancouver	27	27	-	-	151	2847
June 17, 1931	New Westminster	28	28	101	36	146	2844
June 22, 1932	Vancouver	28	28	119	39	137	2783
June 21, 1933	Victoria	28	28	103	43	158	2635
June 20, 1934	Vancouver	28	28	115	43	146	2491
June 19, 1935	New Westminster	28	28	115	43	158	2357
June 17, 1936	Nanaimo	28	28	94	36	158	2232
June 16, 1937	Vancouver	28	28	121	45	130	2162
June 11, 1938	Nelson	28	22	73	32	166	2139
June 21, 1939	Victoria	28	28	116	41	105	2112
June 19, 1940	New Westminster	28	26	122	32	157	2097
June 18, 1941	Vancouver	28	27	135	37	154	2024
June 17, 1942	Victoria	28	25	116	34	172	2005
June 16, 1943	New Westminster	28	24	110	36	146	1953
June 21, 1944	Vancouver	28	26	138	41	179	1983
June 20, 1945	Victoria	28	28	124	39	163	2080
June 18, 1946	Victoria	28	27	123	45	168	2249
June 18, 1947	New Westminster	28	26	124	32	156	2453
June 16, 1948	Vancouver	29	24	122	39	161	2735
June 15, 1949	Victoria	30	26	106	43	145	2958
June 21, 1950	New Westminster	32	31	148	39	191	3245
June 20, 1951	Vancouver	32	32	144	50	194	3412
June 18, 1952	Nanaimo	33	30	131	48	179	3622
June 17, 1953	Penticton	33	32	148	43	191	3821
June 16, 1954	Victoria	34	32	143	45	188	4064
June 17, 1955	New Westminster	34	30	148	34	182	4258
June 20, 1956	Vancouver	34	34	149	40	189	4508

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June 19, 1957	Duncan	35	34	141	43	184	4806
June 16, 1958	Vancouver	37	34	150	35	185	4943
June 16, 1959	Victoria	38	36	135	42	177	5170
June 21, 1960	Vancouver	38	35	151	51	202	5276
June 21, 1961	New Westminster	38	33	153	55	208	5457
June 20, 1962	Vancouver	41	38	160	35	195	5564
June 17, 1963	Victoria	41	35	132	55	187	5574
June 17, 1964	Victoria	41	37	140	51	191	5584
June 17, 1965	New Westminster	41	37	126	43	169	5581
June 22, 1966	Vancouver	41	36	159	57	216	5584
June 20, 1967	Victoria	41	38	135	56	191	5539
June 18, 1968	Vancouver	41	36	133	57	190	5561
June 18, 1969	Victoria	42	38	147	62	209	5455
June 17, 1970	Prince George	42	37	114	60	166	5348
June 11, 1971	Victoria	42	35	128	42	170	5312
June 16, 1972	Penticton	42	39	148	49	197	5228
June 16, 1973	Chilliwack	42	41	255	49	204	5137
June 14, 1974	Kamloops	42	38	117	53	170	5080
June 14, 1975	Parksville	42	37	153	30	183	5065
June 10, 1976	Penticton	42	38	139	60	199	5100
June 8, 1977	Victoria	43	39	186	49	235	5067
June 9, 1978	Richmond	43	38	181	63	244	5084
June 15, 1979	Vernon	43	41	201	55	256	5026
June 13, 1980	Kamloops	43	39	180	49	229	5041
June 5, 1981	Richmond	43	40	183	44	227	5007
June 4, 1982	Victoria	43	42	186	61	247	5003
June 3, 1983	Courtenay	43	40	177	49	226	4981
June 1, 1984	Vancouver	43	43	191	48	239	4915
June 7, 1985	Vernon	43	43	200	47	247	4849
June 6, 1986	Prince George	43	40	133	66	199	4832
June 4, 1987	Powell River	43	40	174	61	235	4741
June 9, 1988	Richmond	43	42	196	60	256	4651
June 9, 1989	Nanaimo	43	40	197	53	250	4483
May 18, 1990	Whitehorse	41	39	173	63	236	4372
June 7, 1991	Nanaimo	40	38	206	55	261	4258
June 12, 1992	Vernon	40	39	155	62	217	4124
June 4, 1993	Nanaimo	40	36	163	43	206	3994
June 3, 1994	Chilliwack	40	38	190	53	243	3920
June 2, 1995	Courtenay	39	37	187	61	248	3758
May 31, 1996	Burnaby	38	36	171	39	210	3621

REPORT OF THE SOCIETY OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

The Society of Royal Arch Masons has had a quiet year with only one request for a special wheelchair for a Companion in the Interior. We were pleased to supply that wheelchair, and, although that Companion has since passed to the Grand Chapter Above, we hope that we helped in some small way.

On the agenda for next year is the disposition of that special wheelchair, and also a request from the Royal Arch Home for a roof for the Gazebo.

We once again solicit your support for our Charity and hope that we can continue helping.

Fraternally submitted,
VEC MICHAEL RAYNOR,
President.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS & GRIEVANCES

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

Your Committee on Petitions and Grievances, having received no letters, phone calls or personal contact regarding any grievances, must presume that peace and harmony continue to prevail. Therefore, we have much pleasure in submitting a NIL report.

Fraternally submitted,
REC A.R. KURT WENSLER
VEC A.H. JESPERSON
EC E. WILSON

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

Herewith the Report of the Committee on the Grand Superintendents' Reports - all Reports having been examined from which the following comments have derived.

All Reports show a sincere dedication to the position of Grand Superintendent and an aptitude towards the Royal Arch Masonic ideals. Their time and efforts have been unselfishly committed to the Order and to their various Chapters within their Districts. Whilst on this aspect - we would ask the Grand Chapter to take cognizance of the territory of District No. 10, where the distance from one end to the order - from Quesnel to Whitehorse is 1,757 Kilometres (1,100 miles); which we all can agree is a fair days' - or more - travel!

The recurring theme amongst all the Reports has been the difficulties with both membership and attendance - all Chapters seeming to have both problems, however, it seems to be a greater burden for the smaller Chapters. They are all managing to cope with these problems - each in his own way - however, these are problems that could well use a little of 'The Wisdom of Solomon'. At this time we would make note of Boundary Chapter, which seemingly has chronic and possibly fatal circumstances with membership and attendance.

The devotion and effort of the Grand Superintendents to their work and position during the past year, underscores our recommendation to the Grand First Principal, that they all be accorded the title of Right Excellent Companion. They are as follows: A.E.T. (Tom) Hanna, Herbert F. Chow, Charles W. Ferguson, Thomas A. Lymbery, Richard L. Mercer, Edward A. Martin, John Tupholme, Raymond A. Huey, Charles B. Edington, Clayton Matthews, James D. McKinnon.

Respectfully submitted,

A.S. FLEETHAM (Chairman)
C.T. GORDON
R. PEARSON

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND Z'S ADDRESS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers & Members of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons of British Columbia & the Yukon.

Excellent Companions:

Your Committee appointed to review the Grand First Principal's Address beg to report as follows:

I join with the Grand First Principal in extending a welcome to the City of Burnaby and trust that the plans of the Convocation Committee unfolded as planned.

I congratulate the Grand First Principal in having been able to visit all the Chapters in this Jurisdiction - a tremendous undertaking.

Special mention must be made of the four devoted Royal Arch Masons who accompanied our Grand First Principal on all his visitations - theirs is a special contribution to Royal Arch Masonry. One problem does trouble me - how they were able to listen to the same talk and jokes for thirty-eight visits.

It is always with sadness that we must recognize the passing of a number of our Companions, in particular, those who have made such a tremendous contribution to our Craft, in the persons of MEC Jack Laffling, REC Doug Thornburn and VEC J.H. Croft. I wish to associate with the Grand Z. in extending sincere sympathies to all their families. Mention must also be made of our own Grand First who lost his wife early in his term of Office.

Recognition is also made of the number of special Masonic events in which the Grand S. attended and participated in, including a number of Installations of Royal Arch Chapters. The holding of two Church Parades is also acknowledged and commended.

I concur with the Commissions received and granted and offer congratulations to those Companions who have been thus honoured. I also concur with the recommendations that the eleven Grand Superintendents be confirmed with the Rank of Right Excellent for their devotion to the Royal Craft. Special thanks must be made of the efforts of REC Dick Schafer and his Committee for the organization of this Grand Chapter.

I conclusion, I extend to MEC Les Tutt - Congratulations on a job well done and trust he will continue to enjoy good health and happiness.

Fraternally submitted,

MEC R.H. CLARE
MEC G.H. COUPLAND
MEC S.G. REDGRAVE

NEW BUSINESS - FRIDAY

1) The one Motion relating to the Amendment to the Constitution, Section 73, Paragraph 1, as shown on the Notice of Meeting included in these Proceedings, was presented by EC W. Somerville, duly seconded and passed.
2) Report of Special Committee appointed by MEC Tutt regarding one Board of General Purposes in the Spring and Grand Chapter in September, was moved by MEC R. Cutler, duly seconded and passed.
3) Motion by MEC R. Cutler to confer Honorary Membership on: MEC Stan Payne - Manitoba. MEC J. Reg Tait - Saskatchewan. MEC Alvin Edstom, REC Leif Hansen, REC Jim Kemp, REC Ken White - Alberta. EC Franklin Moon - Alabama. MEC Kent Gist - Idaho. This was duly seconded and passed.
4) Resolution by EC G. Galt to present to REC Richard Schafer a Past Grand Steward's Collar and Jewel. Seconded by REC Bud Freeston. Carried unanimously.
5) Motion by EC Clancy Wilson to confer the permanent Rank of Very Excellent Companion on 1995-96 Appoint Grand Chapter Officers, but no jewels, issued by Grand Chapter. Seconded by EC S. Sorenson. Carried.
6) EC Grand Wardlaw announced as of today May 31st, 1996, the Royal Arch Home had approval to proceed with renovations and building to Care Facility now. (Note: this has been put on hold by the Provincial Government)
7) EC Brian Hemingway moved that, as soon as possible, Grand Chapter create a new Office - that of being "Director of Masonic Education", and all Chapters appoint a similar Office. This was seconded by VEC M. Raynor.
8) MEC Les Tutt presented the Honorary Memberships to the above mentioned.
9) Following the Election of Officers, REC David B. Turner thanked the Companions for electing him Grand Junior Sojourner.
10) After the announcement of the four recipients of the Merit Award - as none were present - the Grand Superintendents 1995-96 were requested to present these Awards. It was announced that Companion Les Scott had passed away and his family lived in Ontario. The Grand Scribe Ezra was requested to arrange presentation to his family. (Note: The Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter of Canada in Ontario made the presentation on behalf of the Grand Chapter of B.C. & the Yukon)
11) MEC Les Tutt had his Director of Ceremonies, REC Bud Freeston, present REC Richard Schafer to the East where he presented him with his Past Grand Steward's Collar.
12) On the Report of the Past Grand Z's Award by MEC Hilliard Clare, as no Companion was present from Observatory Chapter 25, he and MEC Les Tutt requested MEC R. Cutler to see this was presented. (Note: At the Installation of Observatory 25. REC Leonard Pickell, Grand H., made the presentation on behalf of Grand Chapter)
13) MEC Thomas O. Mickey moved that a vote of thanks be given to the North Vancouver Chapter 16 for hosting the Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter. Seconded by MEC Jim White. Carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS (continued from Saturday)

14) MEC Trevor O. Thomas gave Notice of Motion that: "Any Grand Representative of other Jurisdictions at or near British Columbia & the Yukon, who do not attend three Grand Chapters in a row will be replaced".
15) Motions made as follows regarding Grand Chapter Convocations:
    79th - June 1997 - Victoria, by VEC Robin Tetlow
    80th - September 1997 - Kelowna, by VEC Bob Sellwood
    81st - September 1998 - Prince George, by VEC Darcy Kavanaugh
16) The Installation of 1996-97 Officers was then held in a most dignified and formal manner by MEC Hilliard Clare. After the Installation of the Immediate Past Grand Z - MEC Les Tutt thanked his Officers and the Companions for all their support and friendliness during his term. Also Jack Gornall for recording Grand Chapter.
17) The Installation being concluded, the Grand Zerubbabel, MEC William Jasper spoke for a few minutes to thank MEC Clare, for an excellent job well done, and the Companions for their trust reposed in him. He also mentioned he would do his utmost to retain the high dignity of his Office. He thanked his Officers for taking time to serve Grand Chapter, also MEC Rollo and Mrs Prepchuk for assisting with hard work to prepare him for his year as Grand Z.
18) MEC Jasper invited all Companions and Ladies to his Grand Chapter in Victoria, June 12, 13, 1997.
19) He informed all to see REC Roy Comre regarding his bus tour of this Jurisdiction September 9th to the 16th. Information regarding the tour was on each chair.
20) The Seventy-Eighth Annual Convocation was closed in Ample Form at 10:45 pm, Saturday, June 1st, 1996.
21) MEC H. Clare moved that the permanent rank of Right Excellent be conferred on all eleven Grand Superintendents. This was duly seconded and passed.
22) Semiahmoo Chapter 34, after the Bursary Trustees' Report, presented $1,000.00 to the Bursary Fund and challenged all Districts, except District 2, to contribute to the Bursary Fund.
23) The wheelchair mentioned in Report of S.R.A.M., had been donated to Revelstoke Hospital in memory of VEC H.Croft.
24) The following Commissions were presented at Grand Chapter:
    B. Raeburn, South Australia. R. McCubbin, Arizona. B. Hoore, North Carolina. J. Robson, South Carolina. E. Berrington, India. R. Tetlow, New Mexico. D. Martin, Texas.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following Grand Chapter Officers were elected for 1996 - 97.

Grand First Principal:	**WILLIAM DAVID JASPER**
Grand Second Principal:	**LEONARD G.B. PICKELL**
Grand Third Principal:	**JOSEPH R. MARSHALL**
Grand Treasurer:	**JOE D. QUAN**
Grand Scribe Ezra:	**ALEXANDER S. ROLLO**
Grand Principal Sojourner:	**DENIS S. CARRIERE**
Grand Senior Sojourner:	**DAVID D.S. ANDERSON**
Grand Junior Sojourner:	**DAVID B. TURNER**

LESSONS FROM GEESE

1. As each bird flaps its wings, it creates an uplift for others behind him. There is 71 percent more flying range in v-formation than flying alone. *Lesson: People who share a common direction and sense of common purpose can get there quicker.*

2. Whenever a goose flies out of formation, it quickly feels the drag and tries to get back into position. *Lesson: It's harder to do something alone than together.*

3. When the lead goose gets tired, it rotates back into the formation and another goose flies at the head. *Lesson: Shared leadership and interdependence gives us each a chance to lead as well as opportunities to rest.*

4. The geese in formation honk from behind to encourage those up front to keep up the speed. *Lesson: We need to make sure our honking is encouraging and not discouraging.*

5. When a goose gets sick or wounded and falls, two geese fall out and stay with it until it revives or dies. They will catch up or join another flock. *Lesson: Stand by your colleagues in difficult times as well as good.*

INSTALLATION & INVESTITURE OF OFFICERS - 1996-97.

GRAND ZERUBBABEL:	**MEC WILLIAM D. JASPER (Beth)**	**(14)**
	304 - 55 Songhees Dr. VICTORIA V9A 6T3	
GRAND HAGGAI:	**REC LEONARD PICKELL (Joan)**	**(30)**
	89-21928 - 48th Ave. LANGLEY V3A 8H1	
GRAND JOSHUA:	**REC JOSEPH R. MARSHALL (Maggie)**	**(31)**
	17054 Friesian Dr. SURREY V3S 5T2	
I.P.G.Z.:	**MEC LESLIE J. TUTT ------**	**(16)**
	2699 Violet Street N.VANCOUVER V7H 1H2	
GRAND TREASURER:	**REC JOE D. QUAN (Hilda)**	**(21)**
	200 - 842 Thurlow VANCOUVER V6E 1W2	
GRAND SCRIBE EZRA	**MEC ALEXANDER S. ROLLO (Beverley)**	**(21)**
	355 Laurentian Cres. COQUITLAM V3K 1Y3	
GRAND PRINCIPAL SOJOURNER:	**REC DENIS S. CARRIERE (Shirley)**	**(18)**
	2455 Parkcrest Avenue KAMLOOPS V2V 4Y4	
GRAND SENIOR SOJOURNER:	**REC DAVID D.S. ANDERSON (Monica)**	**(31)**
	17054 Friesian Dr. SURREY V3S 5T2	
GRAND JUNIOR SOJOURNER:	**REC DAVID B. TURNER (Joan)**	**(35)**
	Box 28, Madrona Dr. NANOOSE BAY V0R 2R0	
GRAND SUPER. DISTRICT NO. 1.	**REC STANLEY HORNER (Helen)**	**(44)**
	2904 Leigh Road VICTORIA V9B 4G3	
GRAND SUPER. DISTRICT NO. 2.	**REC WALTER M. SCHIERER (Evelyn)**	**(34)**
	4523-217 B. Street, LANGLEY V3A 2M8	
GRAND SUPER. DISTRICT NO. 3.	**REC RONALD J. BUSHBY (Lillian)**	**(18)**
	755 Fleming Drive, KAMLOOPS V1S 1A2	
GRAND SUPER. DISTRICT NO. 4.	**REC THOMAS A. LYMBERY (Sharon)**	**(3)**
	Box 38, GRAY CREEK V0B 1S0	
GRAND SUPER. DISTRICT NO. 5.	**REC BERNARD LUNDBERG (-----)**	**(20)**
	#187,400-10816 McLeod Trail, CALGARY T2J 5B8	

GRAND SUPER.	REC DERRICK M. FORCE	(Julie)	(7)
DISTRICT NO. 6.	1633 Overlook St. PRINCE RUPERT		V8J 2C7
GRAND SUPER.	REC LARRY R. LOWDEN	(----)	(30)
DISTRICT NO. 7.	310-255 W. 3rd N. VANCOUVER		V7M 1G2
GRAND SUPER.	REC ANTHONY J. CLARE	(---)	(22)
DISTRICT NO. 8.	Box 100, SUMMERLAND		V0H 1Z0
GRAND SUPER.	REC BRIAN FRASER	(Ruby)	(40)
DISTRICT NO. 9.	3320 Broadway St. RICHMOND		V7E 2X5
GRAND SUPER.	REC FRANK E. PERKINS	(Marjorie)	(41)
DISTRICT NO. 10.	10420-103 Ave. FT. ST. JOHN		V1J 2H9
	(Deceased September 10, 1996)		
GRAND SUPER.	REC ROBERT A.W. LASSER	(Barbara Jean)	(8)
DISTRICT NO. 11.	5451 Ocean View Terrace NANAIMO		V9V 1G7
GRAND SCRIBE	EC CHARLES HODGINS	(Dorothy)	(18)
NEHEMIAH	45644 Wellington Ave. CHILLIWACK		V2P 2E6
GRAND SWORD	EC EDWARD H. SCOTT	(Julie)	(40)
BEARER	11674 - 98a. Ave. SURREY		V3V 2K9
GRAND MASTER	EC. KENNETH E. BROWNS	(Joan)	(41)
4TH VEIL	Box 102 CHETWYND		V0C 1J0
GRAND MASTER	EC BRYON LATHAM	(Rita)	(35)
3RD VEIL	3057-10th Avenue PORT ALBERNIE		V9Y 2N5
GRAND MASTER	EC BRIAN CRAIG	(Mary)	(43)
2ND VEIL	559 Willis, QUESNEL		V2J 1E1
GRAND MASTER	EC BASIL R. HOBBS	(---)	(8)
1st VEIL	255 Stewart Ave. NANAIMO		V9S 4C2
GRAND STANDARD	EC DONALD G. LEISCHNER	(Irene)	(8)
BEARER	RR1, 3500 Hallberg Rd. LADYSMITH		V0R 2E0
GRAND DIRECTOR	EC CHARLES M. JASPER	(Joan)	(14)
OF CEREMONIES	634 - 203 Kimta Road VICTORIA		V9A 6T5
GRAND MARSHALL	EC DAVID VARCOE	(Nancy)	(28)
	1050 Burrard St. #1810 VANCOUVER		V6Z 2R9

GRAND	VE WILLIAM T. PATTERSON	(Mary-Lou)	(1)
PURSUIVANT:	5699 Wallace Drive VICTORIA		V8X 4M6
GRAND	VE ROBERT TETLOW	(Marie)	(14)
STEWARD:	1010 Falmouth Road VICTORIA		V8X 3A5
GRAND	VE ROBERT SELLWOOD	(Elizabeth)	(17)
STEWARD:	3539 Galloway Road WESTBANK		V4T 1J1
GRAND	VE DARCY CAVANAUGH	(Lorelie)	(36)
STEWARD:	2446 Ridgeview Place PR. GEORGE		V2K 3Z3
GRAND	VE DONALD L. MARTIN	(Helen)	(10)
CHAPLAIN:	2078 Gull Avenue COMOX		V9M 1L5
GRAND	COMP. GORDON B. BELL	(---)	(10)
ORGANIST:	2010 Lake Trail COURTENAY		V9N 9C3
GRAND	VE MALCOLM ROBERTSON	(Agnes)	(28)
HISTORIAN:	3174 Capstan Crescent COQUITLAM		V3C 4H2
GRAND	VE BRIAN HEMINGWAY	(June)	(33)
TYLER:	Site 180, C.40, RR 1 COMOX		V9N 5N1

GRAND DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS & DISTRICTS - 1996 - 97.

DISTRICT:

1. **REC STANLEY HORNER, 2904 LEIGH RD., Victoria V9B 4G3**
   - Columbia No. 1, Victoria (1st Tue)
   - Camosun No. 14, Victoria (2nd Mon)
   - Tzouhalem No. 26, Duncan (3rd Tue)
   - Pacific No. 44, Sooke (3rd Thu)

2. **REC WALTER M. SCHIERER, 4523-217 B. Street, Langley V3A 2M8**
   - Westminster No. 6, New Westminster (3rd Tue)
   - Chilliwack No. 19, Chilliwack (2nd Tue)
   - Mission No. 28, Pt. Coquitlam (4th Wed)
   - Semiahmoo No. 34, Langley (2nd Tue)

3. **REC RONALD J. BUSHBY, 755 Fleming Drive, Revelstoke V0E 2S0**
   - Revelstoke No. 9, Revelstoke (3rd Mon)
   - Okanagan No. 11, Vernon (3rd Thu)
   - Kamloops No. 18, Kamloops (3rd Tue)
   - Granite No. 29, Salmon Arm (1st Wed)

4. **REC THOMAS A. LYMBERY, Box No. 38, Gray Creek V0B 1S0**
   - Kootenay No. 3, Kaslo (3rd Fri)
   - Rossland No. 4, Trail (1st Tue)
   - Nelson No. 5, Nelson (3rd Tue)
   - Boundary No. 12, Grand Forks (3rd Wed)

5. **REC B.Leroy LUNDBERG, No. 187, 440-10816 MacLeod Trail SE., Calgary, Alberta T2J 5N8**
   - Rocky Mountain No. 7, Cranbrook (2nd Tue)
   - Mount Moriah No. 20. Fernie (2nd Wed)

6. **REC DERRICK M. FORCE, 1663 Overlook St., Pr. Rupert V8J 2C7**
   - Kaien No. 13, Prince Rupert (3rd Wed)
   - Kalum No. 37, Terrace (3rd Tue)

7. **REC LARRY R. LOWDEN, 310-255 W. 3rd, N. Vancouver V7M 1G2**
   - N.Vancouver No. 16, North Vancouver (2nd Thu)
   - Papyrus No. 27, Powell River (3rd Mon)
   - King Solomon No. 30, West Vancouver (4th Thu)
   - Georgian No. 39, Roberts Creek (3rd Tue)

8. **REC ANTHONY J. CLARE, Box 100, Summerland V0H 1Z0**
   - Kelowna No. 17, Kelowna (3rd Tue)
   - Penticton No. 22, Penticton (2nd Tue)
   - Observatory No. 25, Princeton (2nd Mon)

9. **REC BRIAN FRASER, 3320 Broadway St., Richmond V7E 2X5**
   - Triple Tau No. 21, Vancouver (4th Tue)
   - Composite No. 24, Vancouver (2nd Tue)
   - Joppa No. 31, Vancouver (3rd Mon)
   - Simon Fraser No. 40, Richmond (2nd Tue)

10. **REC FRANK E. PERKINS, 10420-103rd Ave., Fort St. John V1J 2H9**
    - Ft. George No. 36, Prince George (3rd Wed)
    - Yukon No. 38, Whitehorse, Y.T. (4th Mon)
    - Dawson Creek No. 41, Dawson Creek (3rd Tue)
    - Caribou No. 43, Quesnel (3rd Mon)

11. **REC ROBERT LASSER, 5451 Ocean View Terrace, Nanaimo V9V 1G7**
    - Keystone No. 8, Nanaimo (3rd Thu)
    - Cyrus No. 10, Courtenay (3rd Wed)
    - Majuba No. 33, Ladysmith (4th Wed)
    - Cathedral No. 35, Parksville (4th Tue)

NOTE: For Meeting times of Constituent Chapters - Refer to Pages 75 to 84.

PLEASE NOTE: The information shown on Pages 75 to 84 is obtained from the 1995 Annual Returns from each Chapter being reported to December 31, 1995. For names and addressed of Scribes Ezra, revised June 1st, 1996, see Pages 85 to 87.

STANDING COMMITTEE FOR 1996-97.

CONSTITUTION & JURISPRUDENCE:	E. Comp. G. Eaton
	R.E. Comp. R. J. McCubbin
	R.E. Comp. Len Pickell
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COLUMBIA CHAPTER NO. 1.

INSTITUTED: FEBRUARY, 1867 **CONSTITUTED:** June, 1867
REGULAR MEETING: 1st Tue. of each month, except July & August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 640 Fisgard Street, Victoria, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Tuesday of November.
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Victor Lane, 2067 Zeal St. Victoria. V8S 2X1
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Jens Block, 305, 3420 Quadra Street, Victoria, B.C. V8X 1G7 Phone: (250) 386-9273

KOOTENAY CHAPTER NO. 3.

INSTITUTED: 1898 **CONSTITUTED:** June 17, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Friday of March, May, July and September and the 1st Saturday in November.
TIME: 7:30 pm March, May, July and September
2:00 pm in November
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, Kaslo, British Columbia
INSTALLATION: 1st Saturday of November.
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Ed Berrington, Box No. 913, Kaslo B.C. V0G 1M0
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. Gordon Gaskell, Box No. 1109, Kaslo, B.C. V0G 1M0 Phone: (250) 353-7395

ROSSLAND CHAPTER NO. 4.

INSTITUTED: November 19, 1898 **CONSTITUTED:** Jan. 25, 1899.
REGULAR MEETING: 1st Tue., except January & September when the Convoctions are on the 3rd Tuesday. Recessed July and August.
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 815 Victoria St., Trail, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Tuesday of December.
FIRST PRINCIPAL: REC Paul R. Tupholme, RR 1, Site 30, Comp. 48, Castlegar, B.C. V1N 3H7
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Gordon C. Smith, 3663 Rosewood Drive, Trail, B.C. V1R 2V3 Phone: (250) 368-5108

NELSON CHAPTER NO. 5.

INSTITUTED: June 18, 1919 **CONSTITUTED:** December 3, 1919.
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday of each month, except July & August.
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION; MASONIC TEMPLE, 329 Bakers Street, Nelson, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Tuesday in June
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC William Proctor, 412 Morgan Street, Nelson, B.C. V1L 4A8
SCRIBE EZRA: REC William Oke, 212 Anderson Street, Nelson, B.C. V1L 3X7 Phone: (250) 354-4908

WESTMINSTER CHAPTER NO. 6.

INSTITUTED: January 24, 1900 **CONSTITUTED:** January 23, 1901
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday of each month, except July, August & Dec.
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 508 Agnes St. New Westminster, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Tuesday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Hector Findlay, 6751 Acacia Avenue, Burnaby, B.C. V5E 3J8
SCRIBE EZRA: EC L.L. Atkinson, 6239-188th Street, SURREY, B.C. V3S 4N9 Phone: (604) 576-2174

ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER NO. 7.

INSTITUTED: **CONSTITUTED:** October 9, 1900
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Tuesday of each month, except July & August.
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 401-3rd Avenue S., Cranbrook, B.C.
INSTALLLATION: 2nd Tuesday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC L. Whitlock, 426- 27th Avenue S. Cranbrook, B.C. V1C 3J5
SCRIBE EZRA: REC O. Westrup, 423-24th Ave. S. Cranbrook, V1C 2X7 Phone: (250) 426-3543

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 8.

INSTITUTED: December 16, 1891 **CONSTITUTED:** June 17, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Thursday of each month, except July & August March - on the 3rd Saturday 2 pm
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 101 Commercial Street, Nanaimo, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Saturday of March
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Frank Merritt, 1851 Meredith Road, Nanaimo, B.C. V9S 2M6
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. S. Freestone, 5879 Primrose Drive, Nanaimo, B.C. V9T 6B8 Phone: (250) 277-9050

REVELSTOKE CHAPTER NO. 9

INSTITUTED: January, 1901. **CONSTITUTED:** March 4, 1902
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Monday of January, April, June, September and November. Recess July & August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, Revelstoke, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Monday of April
FIRST PRINCIPAL: REC Donald Miskiman, Box 2552, Revelstoke. V0E 2S0
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. C.E. Bennett, Box 2753, Revelstoke, B.C. V0E 2S0 Phone: (250) 837-3170

CYRUS CHAPTR NO. 10.

INSTITUTED: July 30, 1904 **CONSTITUTED:** June 18, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Wed. of each month, except July & August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 361-5th St. Courtenay, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Wednesday of April
FIRST PRINCIPAL: REC John Bradley, 3773 McDougall Way, Campbell River, B.C. V9W 5Z8
SCRIBE EZRA: REC William G. Surgenor, P.O. Box 1456, Comox, B.C. V9N 3Z0 Phone: (250) 339-3155

OKANAGAN CHAPTER NO. 11.

INSTITUTED: July 30, 1904 **CONSTITUTED:** June 18, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Thur. of each month, except July & August.
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 3005-32nd Street, Vernon, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Thursday in January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Norman R. Butler, 1207 - 25th Avenue, Vernon, B.C. V1T 7L5
SCRIBE EZRA: VEC F.D.S. MacKay, 8005 Westkal Road, Vernon, B.C. V1B 1Y4 Phone: (250) 545-1809

KAIEN CHAPTER NO. 13.

INSTITUTED: August 2, 1910 **CONSTITUTED:** February 28, 1912
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Wed. each month except July, August & Nov.
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 6th & Bowser Street Prince Rupert, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Saturday of November at 2:00 pm
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC T. Vaughn Tattersal, 1511-7th East, Prince Rupert, B.C. V8J 2K4
SCRIBE EZRA: REC John R. Steele, Box 464, Prince Rupert, B.C. V8J 3R2 Phone: (250) 627-1292

CAMOSUN CHAPTER NO. 14.

INSTITUTED: December 15, 1911 **CONSTITUTED:** August 12, 1912
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Monday of each month except July & August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, Fisgard & Douglas, Victoria, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Monday in January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Russ McDowell, 3000 Carroll Street, Victoria, B.C. V9A 1P9
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Jens B. Block, 305-3420 Quadra, Victoria, B.C. V8X 1G7 Phone: (250) 386-9273

NORTH VANCOUVER CHAPTER NO. 16.

INSTITUTED: February 25, 1914. **CONSTITUTED:** June 17, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Thursday, except July and August
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 1142 Lonsdale Avenue, North Vancouver
INSTALLATION: 2nd Thursday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Gordon Galt, 425 West 23rd Street, North Vancouver, B.C. V7M 2B8
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Phil Robinson, 104-226 E. 15th Street, North Vancouver, B.C. V7M 1N6 Phone: 987-8480

KELOWNA CHAPTER NO. 17.

INSTITUTED: 1916 **CONSTITUTED:** June 17, 1919
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Tuesday of each month except July, August and December. 2nd Tuesday in June
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: ST. GEORGE'S MASONIC HALL, 1564 Pandosy St, Kelowna
INSTALLATION: 4th Tuesday in November
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Allan W. Akehurst, RR 5, S. 15, C.60 Kelowna, B.C. V1Z 4K4
SCRIBE EZRA: EC William H. Ferguson, 2031 Keller Place, Kelowna, B.C. V1Y 2G7 Phone: (250) 762-0505

KAMLOOPS CHAPTER NO. 18.

INSTITUTED: August 2, 1920 **CONSTITUTED:** July 26, 1920
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday each month, except on 2nd Tuesday of June
TIME: 7:30 pm Recessed July and August
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 351 Nicola Street, Kamloops, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Tuesday of May
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Charles H. Rutherford, 18-1570 Freshfield Road, Kamloops, B.C. V2E 1R6
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Gerry Newton, 208-1343 Nicola Street, Kamloops, B.C. V2C 5X6 Phone: (250) 828-0950

CHILLIWACK CHAPTER NO. 19.

INSTITUTED: May 12, 1921 **CONSTITUTED:** June 21, 1922
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Thursday of each month except July & August.
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 45905 Hocking Ave, Chilliwack, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Thursday of December
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC William F. Fooks, 36252 Lower Sumas Road, Chilliwack, B.C. V2R 4N4
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Roy W. Fraser, 52-6001 Promontory Road, Sardis, B.C. V2R 3E3 Phone: (604) 858-4189

MOUNT MORIAH CHAPTER NO. 20

INSTITUTED: **CONSTITUTED:** June 1922
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Wednesday of each month, except January - on the 3rd Saturday. Recess July & August
TIME: 8:00 pm of each month, except Jan. at 3:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 392-4th Avenue, Fernie, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Saturday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Brian R. Flewelling, 50 Mt Proctor, Fernie, B.C. V0B 1M0
SCRIBE EZRA: REC William Quail, Box 100, Fernie, B.C. V0B 1M0 Phone: (250) 512

TRIPLE TAU CHAPTER NO. 21.

INSTITUTED: May 22, 1922 **CONSTITUTED:** June 29, 1922
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Tue each month, except July, August & December
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 4474 Rupert St. Vancouver
INSTALLATION: 2nd Saturday in September
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Claude Bergman, 158 - 585 Austin Avenue, Coquitlam, B.C. V3K 3N2
SCRIBE EZRA: REC M.C. Nicholson, 2627 Davies Avenue P. Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 2K1 Phone: (604) 945 0737

PENTICTON CHAPTER NO. 22

INSTITUTED: June 18, 1923 **CONSTITUTED:** September 9, 1924
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Tuesday of each month, except July & August
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 157 Orchard Avenue, Penticton, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2ND Tuesday of December
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Egon Ruetters, 124 - 102 Forestbrook Place, Penticton, B.C. V2A 7N3
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. T. Long, Site 67, C. 8. RR 1, Osoyoos, B.C. V0H 1V0 Phone: (250) 495-2208

COMPOSITE CHAPTER NO. 24

INSTITUTED: May 29, 1925 **CONSTITUTED:** June 7, 1926
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Tuesday each month, except July & August
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 4306 Victoria Dr., Vancouver, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Tuesday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Dwight S. Coull, 3690 East 48th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. V5S 1H9
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Karl Anderson, 519 East 3rd Street, North Vancouver, B.C. V7L 1G4 Phone: (604)9326

OBSERVATORY CHAPTER NO. 25

INSTITUTED: June 18, 1919 **CONSTITUTED:** August 26, 1927
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Monday each month, except July, August & October
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, Vermillian Avenue, Princeton, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Monday in June
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Ed. Michayluk, R.R. 1, Site 50, Comp. 14, Merritt, B.C. V0K 2B0
SCRIBE EZRA: REC B. Broderick, Box 342. Princeton, B.C. V0X 1W0 Phone: (250) 295-7252

TZOUHALEM CHAPTER NO. 26.

INSTITUTED: February 28, 1928 **CONSTITUTED:** June 20, 1928
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday of each month, except July & August
TIME: 7:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 163 Canada Avenue, Duncan, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Tuesday of October
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC William A. Somerville, 409 - 2885 Boys Road, Duncan, B.C. V9L 4Y9
SCRIBE EZRA: REC D.W. Walkey, R.R. 5, 1437 Belcarra Road, Duncan, B.C. V9L 4T6 Phone: (250) 748-5063

PAPYRUS CHAPTER NO. 27

INSTITUTED: March 30, 1927 **CONSTITUTED:** September 17, 1928
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Monday each month, except July, August & December
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 6274 Walnut Street, Powell River, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Saturday in January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: REC Norman Monro, R.R. No. 1, Black Point, Powell River, B.C. V8A 4Z2
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Martin D. Taylor, 5279 Manson Avenue, Powell River, B.C. V8A 3P3 Phone: (604) 483-3431

MISSION CHAPTER NO. 28

INSTITUTED: April 18, 1930 **CONSTITUTED:** August 14, 1930
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Wed each month, except July, August & December
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 2660 Shaughnessy St, Pt. CVoquitlam, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 4th Wednesday in September
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC David R. Varcoe, 1810-1050 Burrard St, Vancouver, B.C. V6Z 2R9
SCRIBE EZRA: REC M.C. Nicholson, 2726 Davies Avenue, P. Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 2K1 Phone: (604) 945-0737

GRANITE CHAPTER NO. 29

INSTITUTED: August 8, 1946 **CONSTITUTED:** October 10, 1947
REGULAR MEETING: 1st Wednesdy each month, except July and August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 270 Alexander Aveue, Salmon Arm, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Wednesday of December
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Gerald Newton, 256 Vallyview Place, Kamloops, B.C. V2C 6M3
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Percy J. Harkness, 33-2930 Broad Rd. Salmon Arm, B.C. V1E 4M1 Phone: (250) 832-6983

KING SOLOMON CHAPTER NO. 30

INSTITUTED: September 23, 1947 **CONSTITUTED:** September, 1948
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Thursday each month except July, August & December
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 1763 Bellevue Avenue, W. Vancouver, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 4th Saturday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Stan Sorensen, 503-2280 Bellevue Avenue, West Vancouver, B.C. V7V 1C6
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Jim Elton, 406 E. Braemar Road, North Vancouver, V7N 1R1 Phone: (604) 988 6704

JOPPA CHAPTER NO. 31

INSTITUTED: January 3, 1949 **CONSTITUTED:** August 1, 1949
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Monday each month, except July, August & December
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 8486 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Monday in January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Jim Bennie, 602-1095 Butte Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6E 1Z2
SCRIBE EZRA: REC V.M. Halverson, Suite 103-2286 W. 39th, Vancouver, B.C. V6M 1T9 Phone: (604) 261-2153

MAJUBA CHAPTER NO. 33

INSTITUTED: January 13, 1951 **CONSTITUTED:** July 14, 1951
REGULAR MEETING: 1st Tuesday each month, except July, August & January
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 26 Gatacre Street, Ladysmith, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Tuesday in April
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Richard G. Beresford, 162 Sir Lancelot Place, Nanaimo, B.C. V9T 4K4
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. D.M. Greer, 3401 Ross Road, Nanaimo, B.C. V9T 2S3 Phone: (250) 756-4375

SEMIAHMOO CHAPTER NO. 34

INSTITUTED: September 29, 1952 **CONSTITUTED:** July 14, 1951
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Tuesday each month, except July and August
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 20710 Fraser Highway, Langley, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 2nd Tuesday in May
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC George Bellamy, 120 - 32691 Garabaldi Drive, Abbotsford, B.C. V2T 5T7
SCRIBE EZRA: EC W.R. Biener, 9847 - 128th Street, Surrey, B.C. V3T 2Y5 Phone: (604) 589-7371

CATHEDRAL CHAPTER NO. 35

INSTITUTED: June 21, 1956 **CONSTITUTED:** September, 1956
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Tuesday, except April & December, to be set at March & November Convocations. Recessed July & August
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 136 Memorial Ave., Parksville, B.C.
INSTALLATION: Last Saturday in April
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Wm Fullerton, 252 Moss Avenue, Parksville, B.C. V9P 1L7
SCRIBE EZRA: Comp. J. Bremner, 4-146 Kincade Road, Qualicum Beach, B.C. V9K 1P8 Phone: (250) 752-9640

FORT GEORGE CHAPTER NO. 36

INSTITUTED: **CONSTITUTED:** September 20, 1957
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Wednesday of each month. Except July, August. 1st Wednesday in December
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 450 Vancouver, Prince George
INSTALLATION: 1st Wednesday of December
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Homme VanDerMeer, 7560 St. Kevin Place, Prince George, B.C. V2N 4L3
SCRIBE EZRA: MEC R. Hilliard Clare, P.O. Box 942 Prince George, B.C. V2M 2A6 (P) 1-800-661-3885

KALUM CHAPTER NO. 37

INSTITUTED: May 26, 1956 **CONSTITUTED:** September 19, 1957
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday each month, except July & August & October
TIME: 8:00 PM
LOCATION: Masonic Hallk, 4915 Lazelle Avenue, Terrace, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Saturday of October
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Wm. D. McCauley, 27 Ochwe Street, Kitimat, B.C. V8C 2A5
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Cecil E. Bartlett, 75-3232 Apsley Street Terrace, B.C. V8G 5L1 Phone: (250) 635-5914

YUKON CHAPTER NO. 38

INSTITUTED: January 30, 1950 **CONSTITUTED:** January 30, 1950
REGULAR MEETING: 4th Monday each month, except July, August & September
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 505 Lambert St. Whitehorse, Y.T.
INSTALLATION: 4th Monday of November
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Allan J. Morrison, 29-35 Lewes Blvd., Whitehorse, Y.T. Y1A 4S5
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Ian Campbell, 505 Lambert, Whitehorse, Y.T. Y1A 1Z8 Phone: (403) 667-7484

GEORGIAN CHAPTER NO. 39

INSTITUTED: May 25, 1960 **CONSTITUTED:** September 30, 1961
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday each month June to April, 1st Tuesday in May. Recessed July, August & December
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, Roberts Creek, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Saturday in May
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Charles Nicholson, P.O. Box 1926, Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0
SCRIBE EZRA: REC Cecil T. Gordon, Box 38, Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0 Phone: (604) 885-2130

SIMON FRASER CHAPTER NO. 40

INSTITUTED: March 29, 1961 **CONSTITUTED:** July 29, 1961
REGULAR MEETING: 2nd Tuesday each month, except July & August at 7:30 pm, February when it will be on the 1st Saturday at 1:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 6730 No. 3 Rd., Richmond, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 1st Saturday of February
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Larry Hambleton, 17804 60th Avenue, Surrey, B.C. V3S 1V4
SCRIBE EZRA: EC R. Doige, 1136 Pacific Drive, Delta, B.C. V4M 2K6 Phone: (604) 943-5487

DAWSON CREEK CHAPTER NO. 41

INSTITUTED: October 15, 1960 **CONSTITUTED:** September 1, 1962
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Tuesday each month, except July, August & December
TIME: 8:00 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC TEMPLE, 901-103rd Street, Dawson Creek, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Tuesday of September
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Terry Mooney, P.O. Box 607, Pouce Coupe, B.C. V0C 2C0
SCRIBE EZRA: EC D. Stirling, Box 341, Charlie Lake, B.C. V0C 1H0 Phone: (250) 787-9659

CARIBOU CHAPTER NO. 43

INSTITUTED: May 23, 1975 **CONSTITUTED:** September 4, 1976
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Monday each month, except July, August, & December when meeting is held on the 2nd Monday
TIME: 7:30 PM
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 520 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Saturday in September
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Brian Craig, 559 Willis, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1E1
SCRIBE EZRA: EC Joe Bare, No. 19, R.R. 2, Quesnel, B.C. V2S 3H6 Phone: (250) 992-7937

PACIFIC RIM CHAPTER NO. 44

INSTITUTED: May 3, 1990 **CONSTITUTED:** April 11, 1992
REGULAR MEETING: 3rd Thursday each month, except June, July & August.
TIME: 7:30 pm
LOCATION: MASONIC HALL, 6544 Throup Road, Sooke, B.C.
INSTALLATION: 3rd Thursday of January
FIRST PRINCIPAL: EC Carl Deyaeger, 203 - Kaltasin Road, Sooke, B.C. V0S 1N0
SCRIBE EZRA: REC E.W. Burrows, Box No. 504 Sooke, B.C. V0S 1N0 Phone (250) 642-7270

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1996 DATE	DAY	DIST.	CHAPTER		LOCATION	MEETING
July 20	Sat.	4	Kootenay No.	3	Kaslo	Dist.
		4	Rossland No.	4		
		4	Nelson	5		
		4	Boundary	12		
Sept. 9	Monday	3	*Kamloops	18	Kamloops	Dist.
		3	*Granite	29		
		3	*Revelstoke	9	(* denotes Bus Trip)	
		3	*Okanagan	11		
Sept. 11	Wednesday	10	*Fort George	36	Prince George	
12	Thursday	6	*Kalum	37	Terrace	
13	Friday	6	*Kaien	13	Pr. Rupert	Dist.
16	Monday	11	*Keystone	8	Nanaimo	
21	Saturday	9	Triple Tau	21	Vancouver	Inst.
24	Tuesday	11	Cathedral	35	Parksville	
25	Wednesday	2	Mission	28	Pt. Coquitlam	Inst.
Oct. 1	Tuesday	11	Majuba	33	Ladysmith	
8	Tuesday	9	Simon Fraser	40	Richmond	Dist.
21	Monday	10	Caribou	43	Quesnel	
NOV.2, SATURDAY - FALL BD. GENERAL PURPOSES, HOST: KING SOLOMON 30. W.Van.						
Nov. 5	Tuesday	1	Columbia	1	Victoria	Inst.
12	Tuesday	2	Semiahmoo	34	Langley	Dist.
14	Thursday	2	Chilliwack	19	Chilliwack	
18	Monday	9	Joppa	31	Vancouver	
19	Tuesday	10	Dawson Creek	41	Dawson Creek	Dist.
21	Thursday	1	Pacific Rim	44	Sooke	Dist.
30	Saturday	7	King Solomon	30	W. Vancouver	Dist.
1997						
Jan. 11	Saturday	7	Papyrus	27	Powell River	Inst.
13	Monday	1	Camosum	14	Victoria	Inst.
14	Tuesday	9	Composite	24	Vancouver	
21	Tuesday	2	Westminster	6	New Westminster	
Feb. 13	Thursday	7	N. Vancouver	16	N. Vancouver	
18	Tuesday	1	Tzouhalem	26	Duncan	
19	Wednesday	11	Cyrus	10	Courtenay	
Mar. 11	Tuesday	5	Rocky Mountain	7	Cranbrook	
12	Wednesday	5	Mount Moriah	20	Fernie	Dist.
18	Tuesday	7	Georgian	39	Roberts Creek	
24	Monday	10	Yukon	38	Whitehorse	
APRIL 5, SATURDAY, SPRING BD. GENERAL PURPOSES, HOST: KELOWNA 17, Kelowna						
Apr. 8	Tuesday	8	Penticton	22	Penticton	Dist.
		8	Kelowna	17	Kelowna	
		8	Observatory	25	Princeton	

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