

**GRAND COUNCIL
of
CRYPTIC RITE MASONS
of
WESTERN CANADA,
R. & S.M.**



**SIXTY-SEVENTH
ANNUAL ASSEMBLY**

2005
Gordon A. Ebel
Grand Master

PROCEEDINGS
of the
GRAND COUNCIL
CRYPTIC RITE MASONS
of
WESTERN CANADA, R. & S.M.

The 67th Annual Assembly
held in the
Holiday Inn South

Winnipeg, MB

April 20th – 21st, 2005

ORGANIZED MAY 10th, 1938

PRESIDING

Most Ill. Comp. Gordon A. Ebel Grand Master

ELECTED

Most Ill. Comp. James R. Graham Grand Master



Gordon Ebel
Most Illustrious Grand Master 2004 - 2005 Term

**BIOGRAPHY OF MIC. GORDON A. EBEL
GRAND MASTER OF CRYPTIC RITE MASONS OF WESTERN
CANADA 2004-2005**

Gordon Ebel was born in Stratford, Ontario, on March 9, 1928; the son of the late Herbert Ebel and Marie (Broadfoot) Ebel.

On 24 August 1951, he married Helen Catherine Pogson, also of Stratford, Ontario. Gordon and Helen have three children - Christine, Michael and Holly.

Gord joined the RCAF in May of 1946 at the age of eighteen and served until June of 1979. After military service he worked for the Manitoba Government as a Safety Officer, retiring again in 1990.

MASONIC HISTORY

A.F. & A.M.

Lebanon Forest Lodge #133 - Exeter, Ontario

Initiated - 24 October 1960

Passed,- 27 February 1961

Raised- 23 May 1961

Affiliated- Marquette Lodge #21 - Portage la Prairie 26 Nov 1979

Worshipful Master - 1983

District Deputy Grand Master 1993-1994

Affiliated - Gothic Temple Lodge, 1994

Affiliated - Assiniboine Lodge #7, 2002

ROYAL ARCH MASONS

Huron Chapter #30- Goderich, Ontario 15 April 1967

Affiliated Keystone Chapter #2, Portage la Prairie MB May 1977

First Principal 1982

Grand Outer Guard - 1982-1983

Grand Scribe "N" - 1989-1990

Grand "J" - 1990-1991

Grand "H" - 1991-1992

Grand "Z" - 1992.-1993

Order of High Priesthood - 1983 (founding member Roll #20)

Grand Superintendent - 1985 Dist.#2

PRECEPTORY

Mount Carmel Preceptory #22 - Neepawa, MB June 1975

Presiding Preceptor - 1982 - 1999 - 2000

Provincial Grand Prior - Man. NW Ontario District 1991-92

A.A.O.N.M.S. (Shrine) Khartum Temple

- Winnipeg, MB Oct 1975

Past President- Portage Shrine Club
Portage Motor Patrol (Model T)
Khartum Past Masters Club 1991

MANITOBA PRIORY #69 (K.Y.C.H.)

Knight York Cross of Honor - 14 April 1989
Knight York Grand Cross of Honor (3 quadrants) - October 2004

YORK RITE SOVEREIGN COLLEGE OF NORTH AMERICA

Manitoba Crocus College #89 - 23 May 1987 Governor- 1996
Grand Governor Manitoba - 2001-2004
Gold Honor Award - 1985
Order of Purple Cross - 1996

RED CROSS OF CONSTANTINE

Selkirk Conclave #6, Winnipeg, Man. - 15 October 1990
Sovereign - 1998
Grand Valley Conclave #36- Brandon, Man. (charter Member)
Sovereign - 1997

ROYAL ARK MARINERS - Crescent Lake Lodge #14

Commander Noah - 1989
Grand Commander Noah - 2004-2005

CRYPTIC RITE MASONS OF WESTERN CANADA (R.&S M.)

Portage Council #17 - 13 April 1981
T.I.M. 1988
Grand Marshall 1991-1992
G.P.C.W. - 2002-2003
D.G.M. 2003-2004
Grand Master - 2004-2005
Order of Silver Trowel - 1981

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Electa Chapter #2. - Portage la Prairie, MB
Worthy Patron 2001-2002/2003-2004
Grand Page - 2004

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION

Major Taylor Fawcett Branch Portage la Prairie, MB

THE SIXTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS

The Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, R. & S.M. met in Annual Assembly in the Holiday Inn South, Winnipeg, MB, April 20th – 21st, 2005.

CEREMONIAL OPENING

The Grand Council was paraded in at 7:35 P.M.
The MIGM, Gordon Ebel welcomed everyone to this 67th Annual Assembly.

INTRODUCTION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The Grand Marshal, VIC Cliff Hartmier, then introduced the following guests.

Representing the International Order of Job's Daughters;
The Grand Guardian Diane Hardy
Associate Grand Guardian Tim McIsaac

Representing Sphinx Temple, Daughters of the Nile;
Queen Linda Fraser

Representing the Order of the Eastern Star;
Worthy Grand Matron Georgina Hodgson
Worthy Grand Patron Art Buckley

Representing the Royal Arch Masons of Manitoba;
Most Excellent Grand First Principal Jack Hooper

Representing the Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite;
The Deputy of Manitoba & Nunavit Don Murray

Representing the A.A.O.N.M.S. – Khartum Shrine;
Chief Rabban Bill McKeigan

Representing the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada;
Provincial Grand Prior Clifford C.P. Hardy

Representing the Supreme Grand Council Eastern Jurisdiction of Canada
Royal and Select Masters;
Deputy Grand Master RIC Job Parsons
Past Most Illustrious GM MIC Robert Mundy

Representing the MIGM of Colorado;
Illustrious Companion Charles Baum

Representing the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of Minnesota;
Most Illustrious Companion Kevin Jones

Representing the City of Winnipeg - Councilor Donald Benham

Representing the Grand Lodge of Manitoba AF & AM;
Grand Master, Manitoba MWBro. Donald Beattie

Regrets were received from the Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba,
The Hon. John Harvard

MIGM – To our distinguished guests thank you for coming, some of you have traveled a great distance and your attendance is greatly appreciated.

PRESENTATION OF FLAGS

The following flags were presented with suitable tributes.
The flag bearers were officers of the Manitoba Bethels.

Sally Li	Canadian Flag	Bethel #9
Bianca Orvis	Flag of the USA	Bethel #13
Natasha Hudek	Flag of Manitoba	Bethel #2

CANADIAN FLAG

THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

THE FLAG OF MANITOBA

LONG MAY THEY WAVE

SO MOTE IT BE

MIGM – I now ask our Deputy Grand Master RIC Robert Taylor to come forward and conduct the Memorial Service.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

DGM – Most Ill. Grand Master, Distinguished East, Companions, Ladies and Gentlemen; We are gathered here this evening to participate in this Memorial Service and it is fitting that we should pay tribute to our departed Companions. While we deplore their passing, we do not grieve for them, for

we believe that they are in the loving care of the Eternal Ruler of the Universe.

This service is prepared by our Very Ill. Grand Chaplain, Ernie Zander, PMIGM. He has asked PMIGM Ron Beirnes to conduct the service, he is assisted by Ill. Comp. Marvyn Rogers acting as organist. I now invite Ronald to come forward and proceed with the service.

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Officers and Companions of the Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, Royal & Select Masters.

It is with sadness we report the death of 31 of our Companions. Each Grand Council year brings many blessings and each year produces much progress and happiness, yet each year brings with it a measure of sadness.

It is therefore most fitting that we pause and pay tribute to those of our companions who have laboured long and fruitfully on our behalf and have, during this year, heeded the beckoning of the Supreme Architect of the Universe and answered His call to the Eternal Home of the Select.

We mourn the passing of our departed Companions and shall miss their wise counseling, productive assistance and sense of humour.

We are grieved by their passing and yet, we are well aware that all of us, as mere mortals, must pass through death's door and step into eternity.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the wives and families and I pray that our Heavenly Father will watch over and comfort them during their time of sorrow.

Psalm 139: 1-11

1. Lord, you have searched me out and known me; you know my sitting down and my rising up; you discern my thoughts from afar.
2. You trace my journeys and my resting places and are acquainted with all my ways.
3. Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, but you, O Lord, know it altogether.
4. You press upon me behind and before and lay your hand upon me.
5. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
6. Where can I go then from your Spirit? Where can I flee from your presence ?.
7. If I climb up to heaven, you are there; if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.
8. If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,
9. Even there your hand will lead me and your right hand hold me fast.
10. If I say, " Surely the darkness will cover me, and the light around me turn to night"
11. Darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day; darkness and light to you are both alike.

HYMN; Unto the Hills

The Grand Recorder will read the names of those departed in 2004.

Deaths in 2004

Zabud Council #1

#423 Don Lea Nov. 2004 N. Vancouver

Cyrus Council #2

#214 Peter Lamprell Oct. 2004 Winnipeg

#395 Robert Griffith June 2004 Winnipeg

Zadok Council #3

413 RIC John Ernest Flatt June 3rd, 2004 Calgary

298 Comp. Alfred McInnes Feb. 3rd, 2003 Calgary

471A RIC Bertram S. Quaintance Feb. 19th, 2004 Calgary

659 Comp. Walter A. Paylor June 13th, 2004 Calgary

735 IC Kenneth Walter Oliver May 9th, 2004 Calgary

761 Comp. Robert J. Kemp March 6th, 2004 Victoria

Zohar Council #4

291 Comp. Reginald H. Smith Dec. 27th, 2004 Edmonton

428 Comp. Everett Oberg Nov. 2004 Forestburg

457 Comp. John L. Templeton Jan. 24th, 2004 Edson

421 Comp. E.R. Baxter -----1995 Edmonton

436 Comp. John Sprigings Sept. 10th, 2004 Vegreville

Alberta Council #5

18 Comp. Lawrence Edward Larcombe Apr. 25th, 2004 Camrose

Saskatchewan Council #6

224 IC Mansell Elwood Clothier Sept. 13th, 2004 Regina

Zarthan Council #7

#37 Peter John Bottaro April 6th, 2003

#80 Al Gordon 2004

Zaphon Council #8

140 Comp. Kerry D. McCranor May 12th, 2004 Vancouver

Brandon Council #10

93 VIC George A. Reid June 10th, 2004 Brandon

Alpha Council #11

172 Comp. James McCormick Sep. 25th, 2003 Campbell River

69 RIC William George Surgenor July 20th, 2004 Comox

74 RIC Archibald Alexander Piercy Sept. 9th, 2004 Courtenay

Zaccai Council #12

None reported

Zophiel Council #13

218	Comp. Norval Frances Bell	March 16 th , 2004	
250	Comp. Donald George Fraser	Feb. 19 th , 2004	

Acme Council #14

#47	J. Ross Bradshaw	Sept 19 th , 2004	Victoria
#173	A. Stanley Trueman	Jul. 7 th , 2004	Victoria
#183	Lyle Wicks	Feb. 1 st , 2004	Victoria
#194	Ernest Hogg	Jul. 5 th , 2004	Victoria

Adoniram Council #15

None reported

Zenith Council #16

127	Comp. Martin Glenn Clapson	March 31 st , 2004	
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Portage Council #17

None reported

Cascade Council #18

None reported

Wheatland Council #19

21	Comp. Earl Danielson	Sept. 6 th , 2004	Eston
27	IC Pieter de Haan	Oct. 12 th , 2004	Biggar

Let us pray: Eternal God, we praise you for our companions who have this past year stepped into eternity.

Let your glorious & eternal light shine upon these that have gathered here. Grant your peace, and help us to believe where we have not seen, that your presence may lead us through our years, and bring us at last with our loved ones -- into the joy of your home not made with hands but eternal in the heavens;

We now come to a point in time that we offer our companions back into your arms, comfort us in our loneliness, strengthen us in our weakness, and give us courage to face the future unafraid.

Draw those of us who remain in this life closer to one another. We pray that nothing good in their lives will be lost, but will be of benefit to the world; that all that was important to them will be respected by

those who follow; and that everything in which they were great will continue to mean much to us now that they are dead.

We ask you that we who were close to them may now, because of their death, be even closer to one another, and that we may, in peace and friendship here on earth, always be deeply conscious of your promise to be faithful to us in death.

We pray for ourselves, who are severely tested by these deaths, that we do not try to minimize the loss, or seek refuge from it in words alone, and also that we do not brood over it so that it overwhelms us and isolates us from others.

We ask this in the name of the risen Lord.
Mighty God Receive our companions into the arms of your mercy. Raise them up with all your people. Receive us also, and raise us into a new life. Help us so to love and serve you in this world that we may enter into your world and come into your hands, O merciful Savior
To you we commend your servants, our companions.

Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you,
-as sheep of your own fold,
-as lambs of your own flock,
-as sinners of your own redeeming

Receive our companions into the arms of your mercy,
-into the blessed rest of everlasting peace,
-and into the glorious company of the saints of light. **Amen.**

Greetings

Greetings were received this evening from:

Noble Bill McKiegan, Chief Rabban, Khartum Temple AAONMS

Ill. Bro. Don Murray, AASR, Deputy for Manitoba & Nunavit

Daughters of the Nile – Linda Fraser, Queen of Sphinx Temple #116 .

Representative of the City of Winnipeg – Councilor Donald Benham.

Order of the Eastern Star – Worthy Grand Matron –Georgina Hodgson

IOJD – Mrs Diane Hardy Grand Guardian

MWBro. Donald Beattie, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba.

MIGM, Distinguished East, Ladies and Gentlemen, Brethren all.

What you don't know is that due to advances in hi-tech, this new eye of mine has a telephoto lens and wireless internet capabilities. I'll be wired for sound.

What a wonderful thrill to be here with you this evening .I thought I would give you a brief idea of some of the things we are doing in Manitoba.

It is disheartening to hear of the problems that the Jobies are experiencing. However, on the other hand we have initiated eleven young men into the Order of Demolay. I believe that on May 14th we will formally reinstitute Winnipeg Chapter #1, Order of Demolay It was the first Chapter outside the USA, I believe it was back about 1923. It went into darkness in the 1970s. we are just thrilled to have it back.

Virtually all jurisdictions that have Demolay Chapters find that the young men eventually join the Craft.

At our G.P. meeting last week we approved the formation of two new Lodges. I am thrilled as I am about to sign the dispensations for these two new Lodges.

.The Grand Lodge of Manitoba has committed to several other projects in the community. I wish you all a successful Assembly

MIGM – In lieu of gifts I am making a donation to the Khartoum Temple Transportation Fund and to the RAM charity. I am also giving a donation to the Job's Daughters for the flag presentation ceremony. I want to thank you all for attending this evening and I now declare this unofficial opening closed.

**Sacred
To the Memory
of the
Distinguished Dead**

Ever in the realms of Glory
Shall shine their earthly fame,
Angels have recorded their story
And God knows their every name.

**Sacred
To the Memory
of the
Distinguished Dead
of
Other Grand Jurisdictions**

A solemn murmur of the soul
Tells us of the world to be,
As travelers hear the billows roll
Before they reach the sea.

April 21st, 2005
OFFICIAL OPENING

The Grand Recorder reported that a constituent number of Councils were present and represented by their qualified representatives.

The Most Illustrious Grand Master, M.I.C. Gordon Ebel then proceeded to open this Grand Council in ample form at 9:05 AM, April 21st 2005. The Grand Master then welcomed everyone who was in attendance this morning.

The following Grand officers were in attendance.

M. Ill. Comp Gordon Ebel	(17)	Grand Master
R. Ill. Comp James Graham	(19).	Grand Deputy Master
R. Ill. Comp. Robert Taylor	(4)	Grand P.C.W.
R. Ill. Comp. Walter Seifert	(3)	Grand Treasurer
R. Ill. Comp. Donald B. Russell	(3)	Grand Recorder
R. Ill. Comp. John McLeod	(10)	G.I.G. Manitoba
R. Ill. Comp. Tony Aspeslet	(5)	G.I.G. Alberta
R. Ill. Comp. David Ogilvie	(16)	G.I.G. BC. Interior
R. Ill. Comp. Alex Rollo	(1)	G.I.G. BC. Mainland
R. Ill. Comp. Gary Gordon	(15)	G.I.G. Van. Island
M. Ill. Comp Ernest Zander	(5)	Grand Chaplain
V. Ill. Comp. William Leipert	(6)	Grand Captain of the Guard
V. Ill. Comp. Leif Hansen	(17)	Grand Steward – Manitoba
V. Ill. Comp. Ken McKenzie	(16)	Grand Steward – BC. Interior
V. Ill. Comp. Alistair Ross	(7)	Grand Steward – BC Mainland.

The distinguished guests were then received with Grand Honors.

Preliminary report of the credential committee

The preliminary report of the registration committee was, Councils on the roll – 18, Councils in attendance = 15. PTIM's =50, TIM's =5, IDM's = 1, IPCW's = 2, Visitors = 5. Total = 58

Grand Council Officers = 15, PMIGM's = 10

The Grand Marshal was asked to present all P.M.I.G.M.'s in attendance

M.I.C. John C. James	(17)	1991
M.I.C. S. F. Johnson	(17)	1995
M.I.C. R. A. Cutler	(7)	1996
M.I.C. D.H. Wilson	(13)	1997
M.I.C. E.F. Zander	(5)	1998
M.I.C. Neil A. Pow	(2)	1999
M.I.C. M.A. Glenn	(18)	2000
M.I.C. Lorne Kingston	(6)	2001

M.I.C. Ronald O. Beirnes (3) 2003

M.I.C. G.R.E. Tillotson (11) 2004

Grand Honors were given under the direction of the acting Gr. Marshal. They were greeted and welcomed by the MIGM.

The Grand Recorder read the list of Grand Representatives and the following were acknowledged, including visiting Representatives.

Alabama	D.H. Wilson
Arkansas	D.B. Russell
Canada – Eastern	S.F. Johnson
Dist. of Columbia	R.O. Beirnes
Illinois	James Graham
Iowa	Lorne Kingston
Indiana	Stan Payne
Israel	Cliff Hartmier
Minnesota	Jim Hall
From Montana	David Burgess
Nebraska	Matthew Glenn
Nevada	R.A. Cutler
New York	John C. James
North Carolina	Gordon Ebel
Ohio	E.F. Zander
Oklahoma	Ken McKenzie
Pennsylvania	Eric Weigelt
Rhode Island	Alex Rollo
Wisconsin	Geo. Tillotson

M.I.G.M.

–Yours is a worthwhile job to our Grand Council. Thank you very much for coming. (applause)

M.I.G.M. – Will the members of the KYCH please stand & be recognized.

M.I.G.M. – Will the members of the York Rite College please stand and be recognized

M.I.G.M. – Will the members of the Red Cross of Constantine please stand and be recognized..

M.I.G.M. - Thank you for coming, it is good to have you here. (applause)

MINUTES of 2004 ASSEMBLY

It was moved by R.I.C. Don Russell that the minutes of the previous

assembly be accepted as printed in the proceedings. Seconded by MIC
R.O. Beirnes. Carried

REPORT of the GRAND TREASURER

To the MIGM, Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, R. & S.M..

This report covers the period of March 1st, 2004 to Feb. 28th, 2005. A balance sheet was available for your perusal at the registration desk.

The income exceeded the budget for the past year. This was due in part to a larger amount of supplies being sold to the Councils than was expected. Also some of the annual returns from the previous year were received in this year. The expenses were slightly lower than budgeted for, but some expenses were carried forward into the 2005 – 2006 term.

It was also found that the \$5,000.00 GIC belonging to the L/M fund had been invested in a triple value GIC tied to the S & P stock index, this was to acquire a better, as yet unknown, interest rate, which will be decided upon at the time of maturity in 2007. This leaves the L/M fund with no income until that time. Due to this we have not budgeted for any transfer of funds from the Life Membership account.

We have just received a letter from the TD Bank informing us that the monthly bank charge is doubling from \$5.00 to \$10.00 a month plus the usual transaction fee. The Recorder and I will be negotiating with the TD Bank, I am sure there are no fee accounts available to non-profit organizations

The increase in the per capita fee last year has certainly been responsible for showing a small profit this year and not the small losses of the past couple of years.

If there are any questions, the Grand Recorder and I will try to answer them.

I move the adoption of this report, RIC W.L. Seifert, seconded by RIC D.B. Russell.

REPORT OF THE GRAND RECORDER

To the MIGM, Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, Royal and Select Masters.

I submit the following report for the year ending February 28th, 2005 and the statistical report for the year ending December 31st, 2004.

There was a net loss of 42 members in 2004, leaving us with a membership of 856 members. There were 30 admissions, 7

restoration/affiliations for a total of 37. There were 28 withdrawals, 19 suspensions and 32 deaths for a total of 79 losses. (Same as last year) There is nothing we can do about the deaths but we must try and improve upon the withdrawals and suspensions.

Four Councils showed an increase, two Councils remained the same and twelve Councils showed a loss in membership. This is a situation we must try and correct.

There is an ample stock of Constitutions now, some of the smaller rituals will have to be reprinted this year and I have lots of generic dues cards available should anyone need some.

We have an adequate supply of Silver Trowel Pins and may not have to purchase more in 2005. We have been able to use refurbished collars and aprons for the last couple of years and this has helped considerably. A GIG apron and collar were lost and replaced with the Grand Council paying half the cost of replacement.

We have been able to supply to those Councils requiring them, Past Commander Noah certificates.

I would once again thank the Council Recorders for their patience and cooperation this past year. I appear to have been moving slower than my usual snails pace. Perhaps it is about time that we should be thinking of a replacement for the Grand Recorder. I have told RIC Graham that I will stay on for another term at least. We will see how persuasive the next officers are, or perhaps there will be a rush to get rid of me. This will be the tenth Annual Proceedings that I have published, which isn't bad for a three fingered typist. I have certainly enjoyed the tasks and the Companions I have met.

STATISTICS

Membership to December 31 st , 2003		895
	AdditionsAdmissions	30
	Restorations/Affiliations	7
	Error from previous year	3
		935
Deduction	Withdrawals	28
	Suspensions	19
	Deaths	32
		856

Membership as a percentage by District Dec. 31st, 2004

Manitoba District	9%
Saskatchewan District	14%
Alberta District	34%
B.C. Interior District	10%
B.C. Mainland District	18%
Vancouver Island District	15%

Respectfully submitted and I move adoption of this report.
RIC D.B. Russell, seconded by RIC W.L. Seifert

CONDITION of the RITE

Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions.

I have reviewed the reports of the Grand Inspector General and summarized the same. Based on these reports I would congratulate the Inspectors General on their performance this year in the Grand Jurisdiction of Western Canada. I submit the following report for your consideration.

British Columbia-Vancouver Island District, RIC Gary Gordon:

Adoniram #15: Companions performed twelve varying degrees during the year. The work was well done. Held District Meeting.

Alpha Council #11: Companions were busy with degree work as well, and also some affiliations.

Acme #14 some degree work as well as long service pin awards. It's quite evident these three councils work very well together. Gary also represented the Grand Master at Job's Daughters.

Recommended: For Grand Inspector General - James Whyte. For Grand Steward - G.D. Hebden.

British Columbia Mainland, - RIC Alex Rollo.

Councils 1,7,8,12. It sounds like these councils for the most part are very busy. The problem with recorders sending notices filters down to the Grand Recorder, the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master. I'm glad to see the other Masonic bodies in your district are getting together to try and improve communication between all bodies, as is Manitoba. Alex, you've had a busy year, I believe you will get results.

Recommended

For Grand Inspector General - Alastair M. Ross For Grand Steward - Brian A. Richman

British Columbia Interior - R.I.C. David Ogilvie

Zenith Council #16 - Kamloops

I received all your notices, which I thank you for. It sounds like a vibrant and busy council with several degrees, and it's nice to see you sharing work with other councils.

Cascade Council #18

It's good to see candidates there as well. I'm sure the smaller councils will continue to grow.

Recommended

For Grand Inspector General - Thomas B. Purves.

For Grand Steward - Hugh E. McLachlan.

Very good report, David.

Alberta District - RIC A.0. Aspeslet (5)

Zadok Council #3 - Calgary

This Council has a very large membership. They are noted for work well done. The GIG report was very favorable.

Zohar Council #4 - Edmonton

Council has a large membership and I was present for the initiation of five candidates. They are famous for their field days in full costume.

Alberta Council #5_ - Lethbridge

This council is known for its good work and wonderful hospitality. I had the pleasure of attending their council for three years when I lived in Medicine Hat.

Recommended

For Grand Inspector General - RIC Marvyn Rogers For Grand Steward - VIC Robert K. Liddell

Saskatchewan District - RIC George Elliott

Saskatchewan Council #6 Regina.

This council processed numerous degrees during the year. The GIG was well received.

Zophiel #13. - Saskatoon

This is a very active council with several candidates in progress. The district meeting is also held here.

Wheatland Council #19 - Rosetown

This is probably the smallest and youngest council. It's suffering a bit in membership due to losses to the grand council above. This council is lacking in good memory work, but is improving. Installation was done by Prairie Lily York Rite College #17.

Recommended

For Grand Inspector General - Daniel P. Gerle For Steward - Tom Howe.

Manitoba District - RIC Jack McLeod

Cyrus. Council #2

Processed some super excellent masters during the year. Attendance numbers are low for such a large city. Brandon.Council #10.is suffering the same problems as other small councils.

Portage. Council #17

A small council as well, but the spirit and companionship is high. I think the innovative idea of Manitoba councils and other concordant bodies meeting the same night and same place is interesting. This is worth watching in the future. Maybe this is the answer for sparsely settled areas. Having a Grand Master of the calibre of MIC Gordon

Ebel from Manitoba should certainly boost membership in the province. Recommended:

For Grand Inspector General - VIC Lief Hanson.

For Grand Steward - VIC Ted York.

Summary

The number of candidates initiated is quite good in the larger centres. And I think some of the innovative changes that are being tried may be the way to go. Time will tell. It would be good for the Deputy Grand Master to get more notices on a consistent basis. On special occasions it would be valuable to get a copy of the minutes. I thank the Grand Recorder for all his assistance and the Grand Inspectors General for their fine reports. Job well done.

Recommended

That the title of Right Illustrious Companion be conferred on;

RIC Jack McLeod #10

RIC George Elliott #13

RIC A.O. Aspeslet #5

RIC David Ogilvie #16

RIC Alex Rollo #1

RIC Garry Gordon #15

Respectfully submitted,

RIC James R. Graham DGM 2nd by RIC Bob Taylor, GPCW, Carried

Grand Inspector Generals.

Manitoba District - RIC Jack McLeod, reported that all was going well in this district and that they were watching the Brandon initiative closely. They will be “Floating the Ark” in Brandon on July 17th, 2005.

Alberta District – RIC A.O. Aspeslet, reported that the Alberta Councils were doing well and all had candidates.

B.C. Mainland – RIC Alex Rollo, reported that with one exception all Councils were doing well. He had stressed the importance of sending notices to the Grand Council, and expressed how much they had enjoyed MIC Ebel’s visit to the Mainland.

B.C. Interior District – RIC Dave Ogilvie, reported that they have been trying to get a Council started in Prince George. Prince George is 6-1/2 hours driving from Kamloops and Osoyoos is 3-1/2 hours further South.

Vancouver Island District – RIC Gary Gordon, reported that things are improving on the Island and that all Councils were showing improvement.

MEC Jack Hooper brought greetings from the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Manitoba and expressed how pleased he was to be here.

MIGM – Thank you, and now what everyone has been waiting for, The Grand Masters Address.

MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER’S ADDRESS

To the Officers , Members and Visitors I extend warm fraternal greetings to our 67th Annual Assembly, Cryptic Rite, Royal and Select Masters of Western Canada. It is my hope that your stay with us in Winnipeg will be most enjoyable and rewarding.

NECROLOGY

This year as in the past we take time to remember those Companions who have served their time on earth and are now in the care of the Supreme Architect of the Universe.

We particularly remember the recent passing of Most Illustrious Companion Donald Orr in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. I have always admired Don , a true example of a perfect Mason. MIC Orr installed me as Grand Master last year in Courtney, BC.

At our unofficial opening last evening, our memorial service to their memory was conducted by Rt. Ill. Comp. Robert Taylor in a very dignified manner.

VISITATIONS

11 July 2004 “Floating the Ark”

Crescent Lake Lodge 14A and Whatepanah Lodge combined on Sunday to “Float the Ark” at the farm home of R.I.C. Jack McLeod and his lady. This is an excellent setting with a small man made lake. Approximately 40 gathered after lunch for this fun family afternoon. At about 3:00 pm all gathered at the Lake for the floating. This ceremony was carried out by Grand Commander Noah, Worshipful Commander Noah and sons Ham, Shem and Japheth. After the launch was successful, all adjourned to a nice screened -in porch to partake of lunch. This consisted of pickerel fillets, salads, rolls and dessert, and tea and coffee to wet the whistle. A fun day was held by all. I will be mentioning this event on my visits.

On Saturday, 11 September 2004, I was invited to attend the Order of the Eastern Star School of Instruction and give a short talk on Leadership in the Visionary segment of the program. This was a very informative day. Helen accompanied me as we are both members. I found the session informative and constructive.

13 September 2004

Official visit to my home Council, Portage No 17. This meeting was opened at 8:00 pm and my suite and I were escorted in by M.I.C. Stanley Johnson. I was introduced and given Grand Honors; my suite of M.I.C. John James, R.I.C.s Jim Graham, Leif Hansen, Al Christoffersen, Jack McLeod, Lawrence McInnis and Hugh Ross were introduced. The business was carried out. I gave a short talk and the 67th Grand Assembly was discussed. The meeting was closed and an hour of fellowship concluded the evening.

18 September 2004, St. Paul, MN. U.S.A.

I was invited to attend a field day conducted by the Grand Councils of Wisconsin and Minnesota to be held in St. Paul on 18 Sept. On the 17th R.I.C. Leif Hansen and wife Hilda and myself and my wife Helen enjoyed a nice drive to St. Paul. After checking in we enjoyed a nice dinner and a leisurely evening. In the morning we went to the beautiful Masonic Centre and were met by Barnes Sharitt Jr. The ladies were escorted by host ladies and taken to the Great Mall of America. The Council was opened and the Royal Master and Select Master Degrees were conferred. After lunch the Grand Council was re-convened and the Super Excellent Master Degree was conferred. In all there were 17 candidates. The degrees were conferred in an excellent manner. Leif and I were formally introduced and given all courtesies of Grand Chapter Officers. We had an excellent dinner and drove back home Sunday 19 Sept.

21 September 2004, Brandon Council No. 10.

I attended Brandon Council No 10 accompanied by Ill. Comp. Trevor Lambert. The Council was opened at 8:00 pm in full form and we were escorted in, introduced and given Grand Honors. I was introduced and escorted to the East. The business was conducted, and at the appropriate time I brought greetings from Grand Council and was asked to attend the pedestal and we adjourned to the lower hall for fellowship.

29 September 2004, Saskatchewan Council No 6

On 29 September R.I.C. Al Christoffersen and his lady Wanda accompanied my wife Helen and myself on a motor trip to Regina. We checked into the hotel and met up with R.I.C. Leif Hansen and his lady Hilda. After a mood adjustment the ladies adjourned to the Red Lobster , and Al, Leif and I went to the Masonic Centre where a supper was being held. The meeting was opened in full form and myself and suite were escorted in. I was introduced, we were given Grand Honors and I was escorted to the East. I was given the gavel and introduced those accompanying me. G.I.G. George Elliott escorted and did the introductions. The business of the Council was carried out. I asked V.I.C. Wm Leipert to meet me at the altar. I presented him with his Certificate as Capt. of the Guard. It appeared that no one could locate the

regalia. I installed him and the regalia was located and I mailed it to him. The Council was closed in harmony and we enjoyed coffee.

6 October 2004. We drove (Helen and I) to Dauphin, MB. Stayed overnight with Leif and Hilda Hansen and the four of us drove to Saskatoon the next day. We were met by M.I.C. David Wilson, recorder of Zophiel Council No 13, and given directions to our hotel. Zophiel Council No 13 met on 6 October and the meeting was preceded by a meal. The meeting opened at 7:30 pm and I and my suite were escorted in to the altar by G.I.G. G.Elliott, introduced, given Grand Honors and escorted to the East. The meeting was well attended and I gave a short talk on "Floating of the Ark"; a fun family picnic thing which was instigated in Manitoba a number of years ago. This was well received. I was asked to attend the pedestal and close the Council.

16 October 2004, Alpha No 11, Acme No 14, Adoniram No 15

I traveled West Jet to Comox, B.C. and was met by R.I.C. Gary Gordon. He drove me to Nanaimo and I got settled in the hotel and relaxed. Had supper and the next day I met the members at a restaurant near the Lodge room for a delicious lunch. The Council was opened, and my suite and I were escorted in, introduced by G.I.G. Gary Gordon and given Grand Honors. I was escorted to the East and my suite was introduced. The degrees of Royal Master and Select Master were conferred in an excellent manner. I was presented a cheque for \$100.00 for a charity of my choice. I chose the transportation fund of Khartum Temple to transport sick children to the Montreal hospital. This was well received by all in attendance. I thanked the Councils for an excellent day and all courtesies afforded me. The Council was closed in harmony and all dispersed. I was driven back to Comox by M.I.C. George Tillotson and was invited to stay overnight. George and his wife Prue and I went out and enjoyed a superb Chinese dinner. We went back home and reminisced, and George was kind enough to get up real early and take me to the airport. I arrived back in Winnipeg to the cold and snow. A very enjoyable trip to the Island.

25 November 2004, Rosetown, Sask. Wheatland No 19

Helen and I drove to Rosetown, SK and were met by the recorder Maynard Slater. We got settled in a motel and R.I.C. Jim Graham and his wife Georgie came along. She and Helen went out for supper and Jim and I went to the Masonic Hall where a supper was planned. After a few tales, we adjourned to the Lodge Room. The Council was opened in ritualistic order and myself and suite were escorted in, introduced, given Grand Honors and I was escorted to the East. After a well run meeting, I gave an address which was well received. The Council was closed in harmony and all dispersed. The next day Helen and I drove to Edmonton, Leduc, Red Deer and on to Calgary on 29 Nov visiting along the way.

29 November 2004, Zadok No 3

Arriving in Calgary we settled in the Four Points Sheraton Hotel, and were met by M.I.C. Ron Beirnes. Helen and I relaxed for a while. Ron and Joan accompanied by several companions and their ladies joined us for dinner. The ladies joined Helen in our room and the men went to the Lodge Hall. The meeting was opened and myself and suite were escorted in. I was introduced by M.I.C. Ron Beirnes, we were accorded Grand Honors and I was escorted to the East. M.I.C. Beirnes introduced the suite. The business of the evening was conducted and the Officers of Zadok Council No 3 for 2005-06 were installed in an exemplary manner. The Council was closed and a Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners was convened. The degree of Royal Ark Mariners was conferred in an exemplary manner with no books and very little prompting. I gave a short talk entitled "Floating of the Ark", a family fun day enjoyed by the Companions and friends in Manitoba. I was asked to remove the Porphyry Stone and close the Lodge. Members from Alberta No 5 including G.I.G. Tony Aspeslet journeyed up to the meeting as well as R.I.C. Robert Taylor, G.P.C.W. came down from Edmonton. I appreciated their attendance. It was a very enjoyable evening. Helen and I drove back to Portage la Prairie and enjoyed the countryside..

17 January 2005, Lake Winnipeg Lodge No 4 The Lodge was opened at 7:30 pm, preceded by a very enjoyable banquet. Worthy. Comm. Noah, Larry Brown was in the East. I was escorted into the Lodge with my suite by M.I.C. Neil Pow. I was introduced, given Grand Honors and escorted to the East. I introduced my suite. The business was conducted and W.C.N. Larry Brown called on the Installing Master Neil Pow to assume the gavel. The officers for 2005 were installed and the Lodge set up for the Royal Ark Mariner degree. The degree was performed in an excellent manner on two candidates. I was called upon and gave a short address on "The Altar". I was asked to remove the Porphyry Stone and close the Lodge.

4 February 2005 Zabud No 1 Vancouver BC

I flew out to Vancouver the morning of 4 February and was met at the airport by R.I.C. Alex Rollo, G.I.G. for BC Mainland. Alex drove me on a sightseeing tour of Vancouver and we had lunch. We visited the Masonic Hall. What a beautiful building. We drove back to Richmond and I got settled in the hotel. Alex Rollo picked me up and we went to the Masonic Hall in Richmond where Job's Daughters served a very nice roast beef dinner. The meeting was opened in full Ritualistic form, we were brought in, I was introduced by G.I.G. Alex Rollo, given Grand Honors and escorted to the East. The gavel was handed to the Installing T.I.M., Rt.III. Comp. Michael Raynor, who conducted the installation in a most proficient manner. The meeting was closed and we adjourned to enjoy coffee and cake. The

meeting was attended by Companions from the following Councils: Zabud No 1, Zarthan No 7, Zarphon No 8 and Zaccai No 12.

5 February 2005, Simon Fraser Chapter R.A.M. Alex Rollo picked me up and we drove to Richmond Masonic Temple for a luncheon and Chapter Officer Installation. The Chapter was called to Order at 1:30 pm. I was invited to join the suite of Grand Z, George Eaton, and recognized as G.M. of Cryptic Rite. General business of the Chapter was conducted and the installing team was introduced. The installation was performed in a very efficient manner. The installing master was M.E.C. Alex Rollo. There was a time for fellowship after the meeting and Alex dropped me off at the hotel. He picked up his wife Beverly and they joined me for dinner at the Richmond Westin. I flew back to Winnipeg the next morning on Air Canada.

4 March 2005 Zenith No 16 - Thompson River Lodge No 14

I traveled by West Jet to Kelowna and was met by Ted Kuiperi. We took a sightseeing tour around Kelowna area and stopped at a country café for a good lunch of homemade soup and sandwich. We continued on up and down the hills and arrived at Ted's apartment. After relaxing and becoming better acquainted, went out for a top notch dinner. The next morning we were up bright and early and on the road to Kamloops. The meeting was opened at 11:00 am and my suite and I were escorted in, introduced by R.I.C. David Ogilvie, given Grand Honors and escorted to the East. R.I.C. Kuiperi introduced my suite. A short business meeting ensued. The meeting was handed over to the Installing Master. The officers were installed and placed in their respective stations. On behalf of Grand Council I gave the proclamation. There being no further business, I was given the honor of closing the Council.

A meeting of Thompson River Lodge No 14 was opened by Worshipful Commander Noah, Norman MacDonald. I was recognized as Grand Worshipful Commander Noah, given Grand Honors, and escorted to the East along with David Ogilvie. The meeting was turned over to the Installing Master and the officers were installed for the ensuing year. I was invited to give the Proclamation. I gave a short address and explained Manitoba version of the "Floating of the Ark", and left one of our "Rituals" with the Recorder. There being no further business, the Lodge was closed and I was asked to remove the Porphyry Stone and recite the closing. Ted Kuiperi and I drove back to Kelowna, relaxing at his apartment and then went out for a delicious Chinese dinner. The next morning Ted drove me to the airport and I arrived back in Winnipeg to a blustery day and icy highway. Many thanks to Ted Kuiperi and the officers of Zenith Council who were great hosts.

10 March 2005 Zohar No 4 I WestJeted to Edmonton on 9 March (my birthday) arriving at 4:30 pm. I was met by the Recorder Charles Slater and taken to the hotel - relaxed and amazed at the beautiful weather. I had supper and went for a walk and sacked in early. The next morning , the 10th, was the memorial service for the slain 4 RCMP officers. I walked to a mall enjoying the 16 degree above weather. Later in the afternoon R.I.C. Don Russell and his wife Neila arrived. We talked over a few things for the upcoming 67th Grand Session and prepared for dinner. We went down to the hotel restaurant and met with five other Companions. The meeting opened up at 7:30 pm and myself and suite consisting of R.I.C. Robert Taylor, R.I.C. Don Russell and R.I.C. J. McKee were escorted in. I was introduced by GPCW Robert Taylor, Grand Honors were given and I was escorted to the East and met by protem T.I.M. William Boone. I introduced my suite and thanked R.I.C. Taylor for introducing me. The business was carried out and I presented a Certificate to Comp. Dale Toffan who recently completed the Degrees as a Cryptic Rite Mason. A moments silence was observed in memory of the four slain RCMP officers. I was asked to attend at the Altar and close the Council. We adjourned to the banquet hall for lunch and fellowship. I returned to the hotel and prepared to fly back to Winnipeg the next morning. My thanks to Recorder Charles Slater for arranging the visit and my welfare while in Edmonton.

18-19 March 2005 North Dakota York Rite Session

The Combined Grand Session of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council and Grand Commandry of North Dakota was held at Mandan ND.

Helen and I drove to Mandan on Thursday, 17 March and settled in at the Seven Seas Hotel. York Rite College was on Thursday evening; Friday morning Public Opening and Reception followed by Memorial Service at 10.00 am. In the afternoon was Grand Chapter, with an informal dinner at 6:00 pm. Grand Council was held on Saturday AM followed by men's and ladies luncheons. I was formally introduced and given Grand Honors. The Officers for 2005-2006 were installed. Grand Commandry was convened at 1:30 pm. The meeting and election of Officers was held. The new Grand Commandry Officers were installed and Grand Commandry closed. The Grand York Rite Banquet was called for 6:30 pm.

There was a lot of work crammed into a two day period. It was well organized and executed. We drove back to Canada on Sunday.

I would like to have made more visits, but time and circumstances did not permit.

Dispensations Granted:

April 2, 2004	Alberta Council #5	To change date of regular meeting
Sept 7, 2004	Cascade Council #18	To change date of regular meeting

Feb 1, 2005 Saskatchewan Council #6 To change date of regular meeting
March 1, 2005 Zarthan Council #7 To change date of regular meeting

Appointments:

Grand Reps in other Jurisdictions

Vermont John R. Campbell Jr.

In this Jurisdiction:

Rhode Island	RIC Alexander Rollo
England & Wales	RIC Jeremy Gomersall
Alaska	IC James W.E. Warren
Texas	IC Richard Craig Trippel
Oklahoma	RIC Kenneth J. McKenzie
Romania	RIC William P. Spek

I wish to thank the Grand Inspector Generals for their support and dedication to duty in their respective districts. It is with pleasure that I confirm the rank of Right Illustrious on the following Companions:

Rt. Ill. Comp. Jack McLeod	Manitoba District
Rt. Ill. Comp. George Elliott	Saskatchewan District
Rt. Ill. Comp. Tony Aspeslet	Alberta District
Rt. Ill. Comp. David Ogilvie	B.C. Interior District
Rt. Ill. Comp. Alex Rollo	B.C. Mainland District
Rt. Ill. Comp. Gary Gordon	Vancouver Island District

Conclusion:

I find it difficult to express my feelings for the friendship accorded me by the Companions of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada. It has been most gratifying. You have shown me hospitality which cannot be measured in thank you. I have done my best to promote Cryptic Rite Masonry and the Royal Ark Mariner Lodge.

I would like to thank Rt. Ill. Comp. Don Russell for his expertise and keeping me on the straight and narrow. To R.I.C. Jim Graham and his officers, I extend my best wishes for a successful and productive year.

To my wife Helen, my wife of 54 years, for your support of over 45 years as a Freemason and this past three years as a Grand Officer and for your indulgence in keeping the home fires burning.

Companions, I would like to leave you with these last few lines:

God gave me an important task
to work on day by day.
I hope I've done it well, as I've
asked for His help along the way.
The task has taken almost one year to do,

with my love, I've done my best.
I've worked at it ever with heart so true,
and God has completed the rest.

I move the adoption of this address
Gordon A. Ebel Grand Master, 2nd by RIC Bob Taylor, Carried

GRAND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

RIC Richard Armitage's suggestions from the Grand Council last year were discussed and the Grand Recorder will try and put them in booklet form. Any further suggestions will be appreciated.

There was some discussion as to whether the Grand Council should have its own flags. It would require a minimum of 6 maybe 7 flags. The general consensus was that we should use the flags available from local Councils, Chapter etc.

It was also discussed as to whether or not we should have our own recognized charity. The DGM felt that we should. MIC Stan Johnson will be delivering his report on this tomorrow.

All other reports are in hand for tomorrow.

MIC Ebel noted that there were some pamphlets available on the "Floating of the Ark" this year.

The "Brandon accord" was discussed at some length and explained by RIC McInnes. We will all be watching with great interest. MIC Zander said he had been given a ritual that covered the York Rite Bodies and he will try and find it. MIC John James said this had been in effect in Hawaii 20 years ago and probably still was.

It was noted that Ontario had a net increase of membership last year.

RIC Taylor moved adjournment.

AUDITORS REPORT

To the Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada,
R. & S.M..

We have examined the books of the Grand Treasurer & Grand Recorder and find them well kept and in balance.

The guaranteed investment certificates in the name of the Grand Council are as follows;

8049537-09	\$2,047.30	3.25%	28-Feb- 06
8049537-10	\$2,046.00	3.25%	28-Feb.-06
8049537-12	\$5,235.00	2.1%	05-Mar.-05
8049537-11	\$2,046.00	3.25%	27-Mar.-05
8049537-03	\$3,000.00	1.4%	26-Jun.-05
Life Membership			
8049537-06*	\$5,000.00	Unk,	01-Mar.-07

TOTAL \$19,000.00

Respectfully submitted

MIC R.O. Beirnes

RIC R.L. Costigan

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions of the Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada Royal & Select Masters.

The members of the Finance Committee are RIC R.L. Costigan, VIC R. J.MacDougall, and RIC W.L. Seifert, Grand Treasurer.

We have examined the statements of the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Recorder and again find them in good order. As usual the Grand Treasurer and Grand Recorder have been very thorough in their record keeping and reporting.

The Grand Treasurer will be reporting the details of the 2004-2005 Balance Sheet and 2005-2006 Budget. The Grand Treasurer and Grand Recorder have maintained excellent control over the expenses and thanks to the increase in the per capita have budgeted for a minor excess of revenue over expenses, approximately \$500.

The Council recorders are to be commended for their timely returns, all but two Councils filed in a timely basis.

As mentioned last year the 2004 Grand Session costs were in excess of receipts and we feel that they will be again this year, thus we can not rely on extra dollars for the general operations from this source.

Again there has been no budget for per capita from the Life membership fund and we will continue to defray the transfer until things improve.

We recommend that RIC R.L. Costigan and MIC R.O. Beirnes be retained as auditors for the coming year. We recommend that the Grand Treasurer and Grand Recorder be empowered to re-invest maturing investments.

Adoption of this report moved by VIC R.J. MacDougall, seconded by RIC W.L. Seifert.

RIC Job Parsons brought greetings from the Supreme Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Canada, Eastern Jurisdiction. He mentioned that “Silence” was Golden, also, that their Grand Assembly would be in Gander, Newfoundland next year

MIC Kevin Jones GM of the Grand Council of Minnesota brought greetings from all Cryptic Masons in Minnesota. He noted that they were down to about 1000 members now, but this is a general movement. Most of our members are not in the work force anymore making it difficult to find new members.

JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

A Nil Report

WARRANTS & DISPENSATIONS

A Nil report

GRIEVANCES & APPEALS

A grievance was presented to the committee immediately prior to last years Grand Assembly, this had been on going for 2 or 3 years. In the past year we have tried to resolve this, unfortunately to date this has not happened. This refers to a member who requested a life membership, has made a contribution toward this and it has not been resolved to his satisfaction. I would like the GM, DGM, Grand Recorder and Council Recorder to meet with me when convenient this afternoon and we will try to resolve this.

Moved by MIC Johnson, 2nd by RIC Christofferson, Carried

COMMITTEE on GRAND MASTERS ADDRESS

To the Grand Council of Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, Royal and Select Masters Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions

We join our Most Illustrious Grand Master in the honour and pleasure to welcome all the officers and visitors to this 67th Anniversary. He especially would like to welcome all visitors and extends every courtesy to them and that they will leave with memories of enjoyment and renewed relations.

We join our Most illustrious Grand Master in mourning the passing of those Companions and to our Past Most Illustrious Grand Masters Donald Orr and David Neill, who have passed to the Grand Council above and, to the eternal care of our Supreme Grand Master.

We commend the Grand Principal Conductor of Work Robert Taylor on his memorial service last night.

Our Most Illustrious Grand Master was accompanied by his wife, Helen, on many of his official visits and we extend our thanks and appreciation for her support and company. We are pleased to see that he was received and treated with dignity on all his official visits. His shorted time in office did not deter him from completing all the necessary official visits. He is to be commended in promoting the "Floating of the Ark", ceremony and family day. The many gifts he received will be a kindly reminder of his term in office.

He has expressed his thanks to the Grand Inspector Generals and all Companions for their support and hospitality. Also the assistance of the Grand Recorder Don Russell in keeping him well informed. He has conferred the Rank of Right Illustrious Companions on all his Grand Inspector Generals and expresses his appreciation for their support during the year.

We thank our Most Illustrious Grand Master for a year of dedicated service to the Grand Council of Cryptic Rite masons of Western Canada Royal & Select Masters

We welcome him to the Ranks of the Past Grand Masters.

Respectfully Submitted Sincerely and Fraternally,

M.III. Comp. George R. E. Tillotson and all Past Grand Masters
2nd by RIC Jim Graham, Carried with applause

RITUAL COMMITTEE

Nil Report

FRATERNAL RELATIONS & CORRESPONDENCE

MIGM, your committee on Fraternal Relations and Correspondence wish to report as follows. In the past year our Grand Recorder has handled the usual flow of correspondence from other Grand Jurisdictions. This is mostly about appointing Grand Representatives. The usual dispensations and orders of supplies from local Councils were also handled. Invitations from other Grand Jurisdictions were forwarded to our Grand Master for his information.

The Grand Recorder sent out questionnaires to all the Grand Representatives in this jurisdiction. Of these 16 were returned.

Two asked to be relieved of their appointment.

One his counterpart had passed away this year.

One, our representative passed away – after sending in his report Ernie Zander's counterpart was quite informative.

Interesting letter to the Grand Recorder from our man in Connecticut.

MIC Len Churchill replied and wants to keep his appointment.

Oregon – The G/R has written to find out who our Rep. Is there.

Arizona – Grand Session is in August – Hottest time of year.

Six said they had no response at all

We need to have a more determined effort put forth in trying to contact these Reps in other jurisdictions and passing some of this information on to the Grand Recorder.

We also need someone to coordinate this committee, as the Grand Recorder appears to be the last person remaining on it.

Moved that this report be accepted by RIC D.B. Russell, seconded by RIC W.L. Seifert.

MIC. Robert Munday brought greetings to the Assembly. He noted that traveling alone he has become an authority on rest stops across the country, every thing from porta-potties to Oases. Also on hotel showers, he is looking for the “Shorty” who designed them. He wished RIC Graham and his officers all the best in the coming year.

REGALIA

The only item of regalia purchased this year was a carry over from last years report. Half the cost of an apron. Thanks to MIC Ebel as he is using refurbished regalia this year. The cost of a regalia case will be in next years report. We hope to start a slow replacement of regalia in the coming years. Respectfully submitted MIC R.O. Beirnes, 2nd RIC D.B. Russell, Carried

HONOURS & AWARDS

Grand Council Cryptic Rite Masons of Western Canada, R. & S.M.
Most Ill. Grand Master and all Companions.

The Grand Council Awards Committee is pleased to announce that we have two candidates for the Grand Council Service Award.

The recipients of the service award for the year 2005 are;

Comp. Charles Eugene Stocking
Cascade Council no. 18
Creston, B.C.

Comp. Edward Schiller
Alpha Council No. 11
Comox, B.C.

These are two well qualified Companions and it is a pleasure to recommend them.

We would remind all Councils to recommend Companions for this award.

Respectfully submitted by the Grand Council Awards Committee.

MIC Matthew Glenn
MIC Lorne Kingston
MIC Ronald Beirnes

These awards were given to the incoming GIG's of the Districts to be presented.

GENERAL BUSINESS

The official warrant from Rhode Island was then presented to RIC Alex Rollo.

MIC Ebel presented honorary membership cards to Charles M. Baum - Colorado, Job Parsons – Eastern Jurisdiction, C. David Burgess – Montana. He presented an honorary GM,s card to MIC Kevin Jones of Minnesota.

Regrets were received from MIC Stan Tickner, celebrating his brothers 50th wedding anniversary in B.C.

PMIGM-Tillotson – With advances in technology, can we send out the Council notices of meeting by E-mail? Can the committee change the Constitution to allow this?

MIGM – We will refer this to the Jurisprudence Committee.

COMMITTEE ON STAND ALONE GRAND ASSEMBLIES

RIC Pickell – For a long time all provinces held their Grand Assemblies with their respective Grand Chapters, until B.C. changed to September and forced us to stand alone. The purpose of this committee was never to suggest that the other provinces had to have stand alone assemblies. It goes without saying that when the Assembly is held in any one of the provinces they do have the right to have a stand alone assembly, or it can be in conjunction with their Grand Royal Arch Convocation.

I thought it might be interesting to know that in the early days Grand Council did have stand alone Assemblies. It is interesting that the dates of the assemblies ranged from February to July.

One of the purposes of the committee was to try and get the assemblies a little closer together. The MIGM coming from MB is installed in B.C. , generally in June and goes out in April in MB. There is a discrepancy, the terms of office range from 10 to 13 months. I don't think this is going to change significantly. I want to point out that these date were subject to

change greatly over the years. I don't imagine anyone here will recall that in 1945 it was held in February, right here in Winterpeg. For several years after that June appeared to be the preferred date. Then we came to the conclusion that it should be held with the Grand Chapters, which makes some sense from the attendance point of view. I wanted to point out some of the past history on this subject.

It is the recommendation of this committee that we maintain the status quo and that wherever possible we hold the Grand Assembly in the months of April & May. I say wherever possible because in B.C. we are sometimes forced to go into June.

PMIGM Glenn – I feel it should be held in late April.

RIC Pickell – We investigated those dates and we felt that SK and MB wanted to have theirs with their Grand Chapters. Note, that B.C. also had a stand alone Assembly in 1993.

MIGM Ebel – I lost two months in my term, but with the kind cooperation of the Councils and West Jet I was able to fulfill my obligations. It was a very rewarding year. I looked at having a stand alone assembly this year in MB, but could not get the dates I wanted.

RIC Pickell – I move that in order to keep the terms of office of the Grand Masters as uniform as possible, the annual Grand Assemblies will be held in April or May, whenever possible.

Moved by RIC Pickell, 2nd by PMIGM Johnson, Carried.

COMMITTEE ON A GRAND COUNCIL CHARITY

PMIGM Johnson – Having spent two years gathering the feelings of the membership, they have told us that the feeling is that there are enough charities available right now without adding another. It is felt that our charity would not grow to an appreciable amount quickly enough to do much good.

Therefore, your committee recommends that any contributions be left to the discretion of the MIGM. It is to be noted that General Grand Cryptic Rite International does have a charity, Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation Inc, supporting the prevention of Arteriosclerosis. This could be supported on an individual basis.

Moved by PMIGM Johnson, 2nd by RIC Pickell, Carried

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE FINAL REPORT

Councils on the Roll	18	
Councils Represented	16	
Councils not Represented	2	
Past T.I.M.s	51	
Thrice Illustrious Masters	5	
Illustrious Deputy Masters	1	
Illustrious P.C.W.s	2	
		59
Past Most Illustrious Grand Masters	10	
Grand Council Officers Present	15	
Visitors	5	
Non voting Companions	1	
TOTAL		65

Moved by PMIGM James, 2nd by RIC Russell, Carried

Companions in attendance;

- Zabud Council #1 – Alex Rollo,
- .Cyrus Council #2 – Ivan Leblanc, Jack Hooper, David English, Cliff C.P. Hardy, Fred Magerl, Stan Payne, Neil Pow, Ted Yorke, Bill McKenzie, John C. James (hon)
- Zadok Council #3 - David Hongisto, Ron Beirnes, Walter Seifert, Don Russell, Lawrence Anderson
- Zohar Council #4 - Robert Taylor, Marvyn Rogers.
- Alberta Council #5 - Eric Weigelt, Don Murray, Ernie Zander, Tony Aspeslet, John Maloney
- Saskatchewan #6 - Dale Appel, Jim Hall, Lorne Kingston, Jack Colenutt, Bill Leipert
- Zarthan Council #7 - Rod Cutler, Len Pickell, Alistair Ross, ,
- Zaphon Council #8 – None present
- Brandon Council #10 – P.J. Webster, John James, Hugh Ross, Lawrence McInnes, Ron Church, J.S. McLeod, Cliff Hartmier, Bert Chambers

- Alpha Council #11 - G.R.E. Tillotson,.
- Zaccai Council #12 – William Fooks
- Zophiel Council #13 - D.H. Wilson,
- Acme Council #14 – None Present.
- Adoniram Council #15 - Gary H. Gordon
- Zenith Council #16 H.G.T. Kuiperi, Norman MacDonald, David Ogilvie, Ken McKenzie. R.A. Cutler (Affil)
Comp. Fred Maides
- Portage Council #17 – Donald Beattie, Leif Hansen, Gordon Ebel,
Stan Johnson, Trevor Lambert, Al Christofferson,
John James
- Cascade Council #18 - Matthew Glenn, Thomas Purves
- Wheatland Council #19 - Jim Graham, Dan Gerle

Respectfully submitted by John C. James
seconded D.B. Russell, Carried

M.I.G.M. – I congratulate the credential committee for a job well done, under a lot of pressure at times.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

From all reports everyone was pleased with our Annual Assembly held in the Holiday Inn, Winnipeg MB, as the culmination of the 2004-2005 year with M.I.C. Gordon A Ebel as our Illustrious Grand Master. Our numbers are small here in Manitoba, your committee was also the cast for the Degree of Thrice Illustrious Master or Silver Trowel.

Reservation and registration arrangements were put in place early, the Hotel was booked and an account opened for fees and expenses. Our figures were very close leaving very little room for a surplus. Something for nothing was NOT part of our mandate, we made use of 'freebies' for presiding Illustrious Grand Masters and the Grand Master of the Jurisdiction only.

I was very pleased when our Illustrious Grand Master decided to forego the expense of an envelope full of maps and brochures, etc, along with trinkets for visitors to take home and collect dust; his pens and cards were plenty. Instead, he made a donation to the Royal Arch Philanthropic Project, another

to the Shrine Transportation Fund and paid for the entertainment. Much better use of his money.

In conclusion, the Companions of the Manitoba Councils are grateful for the manner in which the Western Canada Councils worked together for the good of all, and we wish for future Grand Assembly Committees the privilege of making their own mistakes as we have made ours.

A Book of Instruction for the future could be a useful guideline, BUT let's not stifle the creativity of incoming Committees. We are already saddled with an over abundance of regimentation - open the door and make way for CHANGE.

Fraternally submitted,
MIV John C James - Chairman

MIC Stanley F. Johnson, Gordon A Ebel, and Neil A. Pow
RIC Alfred Christoffersen, Lawrence McInnes and the Companions from the Manitoba Councils.

GRAND OFFICERS ELECTED

M.I. Grand Master	James Graham	(19)
R.I. Grand Deputy Master	Robert Taylor	(4)
R.I. Grand Prin. Cond. of the Work	Leonard Pickell	(7)
R.I. Grand Treasurer	Walter Seifert	(3)
R.I. Grand Recorder	D.B. Russell	(3)
R.I. G.I.G Manitoba	Leif Hansen	(17)
R.I. G.I.G. Saskatchewan	Dan Gerle	(19)
R.I. G.I.G. Alberta	Marvyn Rogers	(4)
R.I. G.I.G. B.C. Interior	Thomas Purves	(18)
R.I. G.I.G. B.C. Mainland	Alistair Ross	(7)
R.I. G.I.G. Vancouver Island	Jim Whyte	(11)

GRAND OFFICERS APPOINTED

V.I. Grand Chaplain	E.F. Zander	(5)
V.I. Grand Capt. of the Guard	Donald Murray	(5)
V.I. Grand Cond. of the Council	Cliff Hartmier	(10)
V.I. Grand Organist	D.R. (Skip) Wilson	(4)
V.I. Grand Marshal	Clare Cooney	(19)
V.I. Grand Steward Manitoba	Ted Yorke	(2)
V.I. Grand Steward Saskatchewan	Tom Howe	(13)
V.I. Grand Steward Alberta	Robert Liddell	(5)
V.I. Grand Steward B.C. Interior	Hugh McLaughlin	(18)
V.I. Grand Steward B.C. Mainland	Brian Richman	(7)
V.I. Grand Steward Vancouver Island	G.D. Hebden	(15)
V.I. Grand Sentinel	Stan Rogers	(19)

GRAND EXECUTIVE

R.I. Comp. Peter Isbister (15) V.I. Comp. Ed Skafffield (13)
V.I. Comp. David Ogilvie (16) V.I. Com.Griffith-Cochrane(11)
V.I. Comp. Dick Gutfriend (6)

SUB - COMMITTEES

AUDIT COMMITTEE

* R.I. Comp. R.L. Costigan (3), MIC Ronald Beirnes (3)

FINANCE COMMITTEE

* VIC R.J. MacDougall (3), I. Comp W.L. Seifert (3)
V.I. Comp. R.L. Costigan (3)

LAWS & JURISPRUDENCE

* R.I. Comp. L.R. McInnes (10), R.I. Comp. P.J. Webster (10)
R.I. Comp. Ken White (4)

WARRANTS & DISPENSATIONS

* M.I. Comp. D.H. Wilson (13), M.I. Comp. S. Tickner (6),
R.I. Comp. R.A. Foskett (13),

GRIEVANCES & APPEALS

* M.I. Comp. Stan Johnson (17), R.I. Comp. C.M. Jasper (14),
R.I. Comp. I. Comrie (1)

CONDITION of the RITE

* R.I. Comp. Robert Taylor (4) - With power to add.

HONOURS & AWARDS

*MIC Matthew Glenn (18) - M.I. Comp. Lorne A. Kingston (6)
MIC Ronald O. Beirnes

RITUAL

* M.I. Comp. Ernest Zander (5) - And all P.M.I.G. Masters

FRATERNAL DEAD

* R.I. Comp. Leonard Pickell (7) - With power to add.

REGALIA

*MIC. R.O. Beirnes (3), V.I.C. W.L. Seifert (3)
With power to add if necessary.

HISTORIAN

*VIC Trevor Lambert (17), Leonard Pickell (7)

FRATERNAL RELATIONS & CORRESPONDENCE

* V.I. Comp. William Brown (3), R.I. Comp. D.B. Russell (3)

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

* M.I. Comp. Gordon Ebel (17), And all P.M.I.G. Masters.

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE

*VI Comp. – Hugh Stearn And all G.I.G.s.

GRAND ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

*M.I.C.) Dave Wilson with power to add from Councils
#6 - #13 & #19

""* Indicates Chairman of the Committee.

The MIGM called RIC Russell up and presented him with a nice model of the historic Red River Cart. RIC Russell expressed his thanks for this fine present.

The MIGM Gordon Ebel then discharged all committee appointments formed during his term.

The Grand Council was called off for lunch at 11:25 AM

The Grand Council was called on for Installation at 1:05 PM

It was moved by PMIGM Dave Wilson, seconded by RIC David Ogilvie that in future years the Immediate Past Grand Master be responsible for forming the installation team. Carried

The gavel was then given to PMIGM Stan Johnson to carry on the installation & investiture of officers.

INSTALLATION OF GRAND OFFICERS

Installing Officer- M.I.C. Stan Johnson

Installing Grand Marshal- M.I.C. Dave Wilson

In charge of Regalia MIC Ronald Beirnes

These officers were ably assisted by the PMIGM's present in an efficient and well managed installation ceremony.

The business of the 67th Annual Grand Assembly being completed, the Grand Council was closed in ample form by M.I.C. James Graham at 1:45 PM

**SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION
ROYAL ARK MARINERS OF WESTERN CANADA**

The Grand Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners was opened in ample form at 2:00 PM by GCN Gordon Ebel There being no business to come before the Lodge, PGCN Stan Johnson was called upon to install the officers.

Installing Grand Commander Noah	PGCN Stan Johnson
Installing Grand Director of Ceremonies	PGCN Dave Wilson

Install Grand Commander Noah	PGCN
Install Past Grand Commander Noah	PGCN
Install Senior Warden (Japheth)	PGCN
Install Junior Warden (Shem)	PGCN
Proclamation	PGCN

WGCN James Graham thanked the installing officers for their work. There being no further business this Grand Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners was closed in ample form at 2:25 PM. PWGCN Gordon Ebel attended at the pedestal.

D.B. Russell
Grand Scribe

THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS DEGREE

A Council of Thrice Illustrious Masters opened in the Holiday Inn South, Winnipeg, MB., at 2:55 PM Thirty Four members, two visitors and eleven candidates signed the register.

The following received the Silver Trowel (PTIM) degree.

David Hongisto (3)	Marvyn Rogers (4)	Bert Chambers (10)
Lawrence Anderson (3)	Dale Appel (6)	Cliff Hartmier (10)
Ted Yorke (2)	Ivan Leblanc (2)	John Maloney (5)
Larry Brown (2)	Jack McLeod (10)	

MIC Graham thanked those who took part in the degree and warmly welcomed those who had taken the degree this afternoon. The new members were presented with their certificates and Silver Trowel pins. There being no further business this Council of Past Thrice Illustrious Masters was closed in form at 3:40 PM.

LIVING PAST MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTERS

GRAND MASTER	COUNCIL	ADDRESS	YEAR
H. Moglove	(2)	768 Oak Street, Winnipeg, Man. R3M 3R3	1978
G.G. Cook	(6)	3337 Brookshire Lane, Regina, Sask. S4V 2R1	1980
S.G. Redgrave	(1)	#121, 14280 - 19A Ave., Surrey, B.C. V4A 8W4	1988
J.C. James	(17)	834 - 4th Street Brandon, Manitoba R7A 3H7	1991
S.F. Tickner	(6)	1014 Hall Street, Moose Jaw, Sask. S6H 2S6	1993
S.F. Johnson	(17)	119 - 5th St. S.E., Portage la Prairie, Man., R1N 1H5	1995
R.A. Cutler	(7)	6654 Fulton Avenue Burnaby, B.C., V5E 3H1	1996
D.H. Wilson	(13)	423 Avenue "U" South, Saskatoon, SK, S7M 3C4	1997
E.F. Zander	(5)	79 Greenbrook Crescent Brooks, AB, T1R 0J6	1998
N.A. Pow	(2)	23 Southmoor Road Winnipeg, MB R2J 2P3	1999
M.A. Glenn	(18)	Box 216 Wawota, SK, S0G 5A0	2000
Lorne Kingston	(6)	159 Weaver Crescent Swift Current, SK, S9H 4B8	2001
Ronald O. Beirnes	(3)	27 Pensacola Close SE Calgary, AB, T2A 2K5	2002
George R.E. Tillotson	(11)	2045 Beaufort Avenue Comox, BC, V9M 1V8	2003
Gordon A. Ebel	(17)	259 Seneca Street Portage la Prairie, MB, R1N 3T1	2004

CONSTITUENT COUNCIL RECORDERS and DAY of ASSEMBLY

Zabud No. 1 Marpole Masonic Hall, 8486 Granville Street
 Pacific Ocean Lodge #1 R.A.M.
 Vancouver, B.C. Michael Raynor, 808 W. 19 St., N. Vancouver V7P 1Z6
 First Friday, Jan-Mar-May-Sept-Nov.

Cyrus No. 2 Masonic Temple, 596 St. Mary's Road,
 Lake Winnipeg Lodge #4, R.A.M.
 Winnipeg, Man. Stanley Payne, 101 - 70 Dunkirk Drive, Winnipeg, MB R3M 5R4
 3rd Monday, Jan-Mar-May-Sept-Nov.

Zadok No. 3 Bowhaven Lodge #3, R.A.M. Calgary, Alta. 29th day of Jan-Mar-May-Sept-Nov.	Bowmont Hall, 7704 - 39 Avenue N.W., R. Beirnes, 27 Pensacola Close, S.E.	T2A 2K3
Zohar No. 4 Alberta Lodge #2, R.A.M. Edmonton, Alta. 2nd Thursday, Jan-Mar-Oct., 2nd Wed. in June	Highlands Masonic Hall, 5526 - 118 Ave., Charles Slater, 6811 – 112A Street	T6H 3K5
Alberta No. 5 Arrarat Lodge #5, R.A.M. Lethbridge, Alta. First Saturday, Mar-Sept-Nov. 2:00PM, 3rd Fri. in Oct. at 7:30PM	Lethbridge Masonic Hall, 315 Tenth St. South, Eric Weigelt, 490 Columbia Blvd. W, Lethbridge, AB	T1K 6T3
Saskatchewan No.6 Saskatchewan Lodge #6 Regina, Sask. 5th Week, Jan-Mar-Sept-Oct..	Masonic Temple, 1930 Lorne Street, Dick Gutfriend, 150 Rink Avenue, Regina, SK	S4R 5W1
Zarthan No. 7 Fraser River Lodge #7, R.A.M. Langley,BC 3rd Thursday, Mar--May-Sept.-Nov.	Eureka Temple Bldg., 20701 Fraser Highway David Lewis, #67 – 15037 – 58th Ave. Surrey, B.C.	V3S 8Z5
Zaphon No. 8 Capilano River Lodge #8, R.A.M. N. Vancouver, BC. 4th Tues. Feb-Apr-Sept-Nov. & 2nd Sat. June	Masonic Temple, 1142 Lonsdale Avenue, Michael Duff, #26 – 41449 Government Road, Squamish, BC, V0N 3G0	
Brandon No. 10 Lake Wahtapanah Lodge #13, R.A.M. Brandon, Man. 1st Thursday, Feb-Apr-May-Sept-Nov-Dec.	Brandon Masonic Temple, 902 – 8yth Street, Brandon, MB L.R. McInnes, #1 - 510 Victoria Ave., Brandon, MB	R7A 0Z9
Alpha No. 11 Port Augusta Lodge #9, R.A.M. Courtenay, B.C. 1st Wednesday, Feb-Mar-Apr-Oct-Nov-Dec.	Hiram Masonic Temple, Courtenay, B.C. G.R.E. Tillotson, 2045 Beaufort Ave., Comox, BC	V9M 1V8
Zaccai No. 12 Vedder River Lodge #10, R.A.M. Chilliwack B.C. 4th Thursday, Feb-Apr-Oct.-Nov.	Chilliwack Masonic Hall, 45945 Hocking Avenue. James Dalgleish, 22 – 2803 Marble Hill Drive, AbbotsfordV3G 2Y4	
Zophiel No. 13 Lake Manitou Lodge #11, R.A.M. Saskatoon, Sask. 1st Wednesday, Feb-Apr-June-Oct-Dec.	Masonic Temple, 1620 Herman Avenue, David H. Wilson, 423 Avenue U, South	S7M 3C4
Acme No. 14 Strait of Juan de Fuca Lodge #12, R.A.M. Victoria, B.C. 2nd Wednesday Except July , August & Sept.	Masonic Temple, 630 Fisgard Street, Don Hamilton, 636 Fernhill Road, Victoria, BC	V9A 4Y9

Adoniram No. 15	St. Johns Masonic Temple.	
Strait of Georgia Lodge #17		
Ladysmith, B.C.	Joel Chiri, Box 989, Ladysmith, BC,	V0R 2E0
2nd Friday, Apr-May-Sept-Oct-Nov. & 4th Sat. Feb.		
Zenith No. 16	Masonic Hall, 351 Nicola Street	
Thompson River Lodge #14, R.A.M.		
Kamloops, B.C.	Ken J. McKenzie, #41-1750 Pacific Way, Kamloops, BC, V2E 2K8	
1st Saturday, Mar-May-Sept-Nov.		
Portage No. 17	Masonic Temple, 52 Tupper Street South...	
Crescent Lake Lodge #14A, R.A.M.		
Portage la Prairie	J.C. James, 834 - 4th Street, Brandon, Man.	R7A 3H7
2nd Monday, Jan-Mar-May-Sept-Nov.		
Cascade No. 18	Masonic Hall, Creston, B.C.,.	
Moyie Lake Lodge #16.		
Creston,	Thomas Purves, 2325 Elm Street, Creston, B.C.	V0B 1G5
3rd Sat., Feb-Apr-Sept. & 4th Sat. October		
Wheatland No. 19	Rosetown Masonic Temple, Rosetown, SK.,	
Kiyui Lodge #17		
Rosetown, Sask.	Maynard Slater, Box 22, Rosetown, SK	S0L 2V0
4th Thursday, Mar-Oct-Nov., 3rd Thur. in April		

REPRESENTATIVES of WESTERN CANADA NEAR OTHER GRAND COUNCILS

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Alabama	B.R. Haller	5767 Ziegler Blvd., Mobile,	36608
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Canada – Ontario	Donald C. Dockstader,	36 Chapple Hill Rd, London, ON	N6G 2H3
Connecticut	Edward S. Eby	20 Colonial Drive, Waterford, CT.	06385-3332
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Kansas	E.F. Cleaver	2566 Ridge Court, Lawrence	66046
Kentucky	W.G. Thompson	R. 1, Box 356 Berryn	41003
Louisiana	W.H. Morris	3904 Castle Road, Alexandria	71303-3214
Maine	M.A. Wiener	23 Hillcrest Street, Auburn	
Maryland	C.B. Morris	5803 Chestnut Hill Rd., College Park	20740
Massachusetts	Leon H. Cudworth, Jr.	14 High Street, Assonet, MA,	02702-1719
Michigan	Henry L. Seitz,	E710 Gerue, Stephenson, MI,	49887-8923
Minnesota	Donald L. Briggs.....	Box 134, Hills, MN	56138
Mississippi	Leslie Reeves,	66 Perry Ave., Grenada, MS ,	38901

Missouri	Matthew L. Quesenberry, 9513 E – 68 St., Raytown, MO,	64113-5917
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Nebraska	R.L. Williams 1000 North Showboat Blvd. NE, Hastings	68901
Nevada	D.E. Cauch 58 Royal Drive, Carson City	
New Hampshire	F.H. Heuss 6 Vernon Avenue, Rochester	03867
New Jersey	Kenneth.C. Worrell 129 Main Street, Vincentown, NJ	08088-8873
New Mexico	R.L. Hauptert P.O. Box 433, Farmington	87499
New York	L. Edward Walker, 162 Campbell Park, Rochester,	14606-1304
North Carolina	James Mills 4508 Secrest Shortcut Rd. Monroe, NC	28110
North Dakota	D.J. Eck 316 Capitol Ave. E., Bismarck	58501
Ohio	Norman R. Russell – 67471 Kirkwood Hts. Rd. Bridgeport, OH	43912
Oklahoma	W.L. Keeling 2312 East Okmulgee, Muskogee	74403
Oregon	Dwayne Adams 475 S. 4th Street, St. Helens, OR	97051
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Scotland	S.T. Geddes 21 Craigmount Grove, Edinburgh	EH2 8BP
South Carolina	J.F. Gilliland 411 South Elm Street, Pendleton	29670
South Dakota	Robert Lee 609 - 44th Street, Rapid City,	57702
Tennessee	B.W. Surret P.O. Box 294, Loudon	37774
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Utah	Keith E Nichols, 3768 Jackson Avenue, Ogden	84403-1954
Vermont	John R. Campbell Jr., 53 Valleyview Dr., Milton, VT,	05468
Washington	James T. Stephens, 17030 – 2 nd Ave. NW, Seattle, WA,	98177-3606
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Arizona	Richard Armitage, 2688 Piercy Ave., Courtenay, BC	V9N 7E3
Arkansas	D.B. Russell,..... 3103 - 34th Ave., S.W., Calgary, AB,.	T3E 0Z1
California	J.C. Hildebrandt., 311 – 900 Arbour Lake Road, NW, Calgary	T3G 5J1
Canada – Eastern	S.F. Johnson, 119-5 Street S.E., Portage la Prairie, MB,	R1N 1H5
Canada - Ontario		
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Connecticut	H. Moglove 768 Oak Street, Winnipeg, MB	R3M 3R8
Delaware	R.I. Comrie, 2594 Eastdowne Road, Victoria, B.C.....	V8R 5P9
Dist. of Columbia	R.O. Beirnes, 27 Pensacola Close S.E., Calgary, AB,	T2A 2K5
England - Wales	Jeremy Gomersall, 985 – 56A Street, Delta, B.C.	V4L 1Y6
Florida	D.S. Carriere, 2455 Parkcrest Ave., Kamloops, B.C.	V2B 4Y4
Georgia	Richard Mercer, SS1, Site 13, 106, Cranbrook, B.C.	V1C 4H4
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Idaho	A. Wadstein, #407 - 20 Third Street,S, Lethbridge, AB,	T1J 4P1
Illinois	James R. Graham, Box 629, Elrose, SK	S0L 0Z0
Indiana	Stanley Payne, 101 – 70 Dunkirk Ave., Winnipeg, MB,	R3M 5R4
Iowa	Lorne Kingston, 159 Weaver Cres., Swift Current, SK	S9H 4B8
Israel	Cliff Hartmier,Box 830, CFB Shilo, MB	R0K 2A0
Kansas	Ron Johnson, 313 – 19th Avenue S, Cranbrook, B.C.,	V1C 3E3
Kentucky	Robert Sellwood, 3539 Galloway Road, Westbank, BC,	V4T 1J1
Louisiana	Bernard Hoare, 1377 Lincoln, Dr, Port Coquitlam, BC	V3B 7B9
Maine	Len Pickell, #89 – 21928 – 48 th Avenue, Langley, B.C.	V3A 8H1

Maryland	A. Tingle,22 Daffodil Cresc., Regina, Sask.	... S4S 5A3
Massachusetts	Vern Halvorsen, 2167 – W 46, Ave, Vancouver, BC	V6M 2L3
Michigan	Hugh E. Ferster, 1035 Bernard Ave., Kelowna, BC	V1Y 6P7
Minnesota	J.A. Hall,P.O. Box 535, Assiniboia, Sask.,	... S0H 0B0
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New Mexico	S.G. Redgrave, #121, 14280 19A Ave., Surrey, BC.,	..V4A 8W4
New York	J.C. James, ..834 - 4th Street, Brandon, Manitoba, .	R7A 3H7
North Carolina	Gordon Ebel, 259 Seneca St., Portage la Prairie, MB	R1N 3T1
North Dakota	G.G. Cook,3337 Brookshire Lane, Regina, Sask.	.. S4V 2R1
Ohio	E.F. Zander, P.O. Box 359, Herbert, SK	S0H 2A0
Oklahoma	Ken McKenzie, #41 – 1750 Pacific Way, Kamloops, B.C.	V2E 2K8
Oregon	George W. Eaton, 3922 – W 37 th Ave., Vancouver, BC	V6N 2W5
Pennsylvania	Eric Weigelt, 490 Columbia Blvd. West, Lethbridge, AB,	T1K 6T2
Romania	William Spek, 398 Upper Bench Road, Penticton, B.C.	V2A 8S9
Rhode Island	Alex Rollo, 355 Laurentian Cres., Coquitlam, B.C.,	V3K 1Y3
Scotland		
South Carolina	H.R. Horn,2121 Ewart Ave., Saskatoon, Sask.,...	S5J 1X8
South Dakota	K.E. White,9608 - 52nd Street, Edmonton, AB,	T6B 1G9
Tennessee	S.H. Scott ...1304 – 1818 Simcoe Blvd. SW.Calgary, AB	T3H 3L9
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Utah	Robert Shillito, 618 Houston St., Nelson, BC	V1L 5J1
Vermont		
Washington	Joseph R. Marshall, 17054 Friesian Dr, Surrey, BC	V3S 5T2
Wisconsin	George Tillotson, 2045 Beaufort Ave., Comox, BC	V9M 1V8
Wyoming	R.A. Foskett, .2001 Wiggins Avenue, Saskatoon, SK.,	S7J 1W2

**GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS ELECTED SINCE INSTITUTION,
May 10th, 1938 UNTIL THE PRESENT TIME**

YEAR	ASSEMBLY LOCATION	GRAND MASTER	GRAND DEP. MASTER	GRAND P.C.W.
1938	Edmonton *	*C.A. Hill	*F.J. Hand	*G.H. McKay
1939	Winnipeg	*F.J. Hand	*Dr. S. Fea	*J.E. Ramard
1940	Calgary	*Dr. S. Fea	*J.E. Ramard	*F.B. Reilly
1941	Vancouver	*J.E. Ramard	*F.B. Reilly	*H. Sandilands
1942	Edmonton	*F.B. Reilly	*H. Sandilands	*J. France-Hughes
1943	Regina	*H. Sandilands	*J. France-Hughes	*J.R. Flan
1944	Edmonton	*J. France-Hughes	*J.R. Flan	*John McLeod
1945	Winnipeg	*J.R. Flan	*John McLeod	*Sam Harris
1946	Calgary	*John McLeod	*Sam Harris	*J.O. Clarke
1947	Vancouver	*Sam Harris	*C.W. Lilley	*A. Crawford
1948	Calgary	*C.W. Lilley	*J.T. Boyd	*J.W. Verge
1949	Edmonton	*J.T. Boyd	*H.W.B. Bell	*G. Plasteras
1950	Regina	*H.W.B. Bell	*G. Plasteras	*F. Brockbank
1951	Edmonton	*G. Plasteras	*F. Brockbank	*W.M. Boyd
1952	Calgary	*F. Brockbank	*W.M. Boyd	*E.G. Ellerton
1953	North. Van.	*E.G. Ellerton	*A.A. Wilson	*H.E. Bentley
1954	Calgary	*A.A. Wilson	*H.E. Bentley	*G.H. Lambert
1955	Moose Jaw	*H.E. Bentley	*G.H. Lambert	*D.B. Watt

YEAR	ASSEMBLY LOCATION	GRAND MASTER	GRAND DEP. MASTER	GRAND P.C.W.
1956	New Westminster.	*G.H. Lambert	*D.B. Watt	*J.L. Innes
1957	Edmonton	*D.B. Watt	*J.L. Innes	*J.C. Allen
1958	Vancouver	*J.L. Innes	*J.C. Allen	*Dr. N.D. Kennedy
1959	Edmonton	*J.C. Allen	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*E.V. Bell
1960	Winnipeg	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*E.V. Bell	W.G. Scott
1961	Regina	* W.G. Scott	*E.V. Bell	*A.C. Woods
1962	Calgary	*E.V. Bell	*A.C. Woods	*T.P. Crowther
1963	New West.	*A.C. Woods	*T.P. Crowther	*W.S. Neate
1964	Saskatoon	*T.P. Crowther	*W.S. Neate	*G.C. Russell
1965	North. Vancouver	*W.S. Neate	*G.C. Russell	*J.M. Auchterlonie
		*G.C. Russell		
1966	Calgary	* L.S. Churchill	*S.E. Greenburg	* E.O. Burt
1967	Victoria	*S.E. Greenburg	*E.O. Burt	*C.E. Pollard
1968	Winnipeg	*E.O. Burt	*C.E. Pollard	*R.F. Hopkinson
1969	Yorkton	*C.E. Pollard	*R.F. Hopkinson	*A.C. Gunning
1970	North. Van.	*R.F. Hopkinson	*A.C. Gunning	* O.P. Thomas
1971	Regina	* A.C. Gunning	*O.P. Thomas	*W.J. McGregor
1972	Calgary	*O.P. Thomas	*W.J. McGregor	*L.A. Nygren
1973	Edmonton	*W.J. McGregor	*L.A. Nygren	*Art Robinson
1974	Brandon	*L.A. Nygren	*Art Robinson	*Ernest Giese
1975	New Westminster	* Art Robinson	* Ernest Giese	* Dr. P.J. Kendal
1976	Regina	*Ernest Giese	*Dr. P.J. Kendal	H. Moglove
1977	Victoria	*Dr. P.J. Kendal	H. Moglove	*C.H. Chamberlain
1978	Edmonton	H. Moglove	*C.H. Chamberlain	G.G. Cook
1979	Winnipeg	*C.H. Chamberlain	G.G. Cook	* S.F.G. Slater
1980	Kamloops	G.G. Cook	S.F.G. Slater	*J. Auchterlonie
1981	Saskatoon	* S.F.G. Slater	*J. Auchterlonie	*W.E. Axon
1982	Edmonton	*J. Auchterlonie	*W.E. Axon	*T.W. Price
1983	Courtenay	*W.E. Axon	*T.W. Price	*Ray Harwood
1984	Winnipeg	*T.W. Price	*Ray Harwood	*J.M. Bremner
1985	Prince George	*Ray Harwood	*J.M. Bremner	* C.E. Storie
1986	Moose Jaw	*J.M. Bremner	* C.E. Storie	S.G. Redgrave
1987	Edmonton	* C.E. Storie	S.G. Redgrave	* D.A. Orr
1988	Winnipeg	S.G. Redgrave	* D.A. Orr	*Dr. L.A. McKercher
1989	Nanaimo	*D.A. Orr	* Dr. L. McKercher	J.C. James
1990	Yorkton	*Dr. L.A. McKercher	J.C. James	* W.D. Jasper
1991	Lethbridge	J.C. James	* W.D. Jasper	S.F. Tickner
1992	Winnipeg	*W.D. Jasper	S.F. Tickner	* David Neill
1993	Parksville	S.F. Tickner	* D. Neill	*W. Schade
1994	Cypress Hills	* D. Neill	*W. Schade	R.A. Cutler
1995	Edmonton	S.F. Johnson	R.A. Cutler	D.H. Wilson
1996	Winnipeg	R.A. Cutler	D.H. Wilson	E.F. Zander
1997	Victoria	D.H. Wilson	E.F. Zander	Neil A. Pow
1998	Moose Jaw	E.F. Zander	Neil A. Pow	Matthew Glenn
1999	Edmonton	Neil A. Pow	Matthew Glenn	Lorne Kingston
2000	Winnipeg	Matthew Glenn	Lorne Kingston	Ronald Beirnes
2001	Cranbrook	Lorne Kingston	Ronald Beirnes	George Tillotson
2002	Yorkton	Ronald Beirnes	George Tillotson	Gordon Ebel
2003	Camrose	George Tillotson	Gordon Ebel	James R. Graham
2004	Courtenay	Gordon Ebel	James R. Graham	Robert Taylor
2005	Winnipeg	James R. Graham	Robert Taylor	Leonard Pickell

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YEAR	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND RECORDER	GRAND CHAPLAIN	GRAND MARSHALL
1938	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Dr. Sam Fea	*J. Rannard
1939	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*J. France-Hughes
1940	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*J. Flan
1941	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*J. McLeod
1942	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*Sam Harris
1943	*C.W. Lilley	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*J. Clarke
1944	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Dr. Sam Fea	*C. Lilley
1945	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*A. Crawford
1946	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*J. Verge
1947	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Rev. S. Middleton	*R. Cave
1948	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*Can. S. Middleton
1949	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*E. Ellerton
1950	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*A. Wilson
1951	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*H. Bentley
1952	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*G. Lambert
1953	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*D. Watt
1954	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*J. Allen
1955	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*N. Kennedy
1956	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*E. Bell
1957	*R. Lamberton	*M.M. Downey	*Sam Harris	*W. Scott
1958	*A. Peart	*C.W. Lilley	*Sam Harris	*A. Woods
1959	*A. Peart	*C.W. Lilley	*Sam Harris	*T. Crowther
1960	*A. Peart	*C.W. Lilley	*C.E. Rennecker	*W. Neate
1961	*A. Peart	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*G.C. Russell
1962	*A. Peart	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*G. Gilcash
1963	*W.G. Scott	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	E. Rose
1964	*W.G. Scott	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*A. Love
1965	*G.C. Russell	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*C.E. Pollard
1966	*W.G. Scott	*C.W. Lilley	*Dr. N. Kennedy	*F. Mayer
1967	*G.G. Kelso	*L.S. Churchill	L. Harris	*E. Giese
1968	*G.G. Kelso	*L.S. Churchill	..H. Bell	*F.H. Gibson
1969	*E.E. Andrews	*L.S. Churchill	*J. St. Miese	*L. Nygren
1970	*E.E. Andrews	*L.S. Churchill	*H.D. Gleave	*L. Nygren
1971	*E.E. Andrews	*L.S. Churchill	*C.H. Chamberlain	*W. Weberg
1972	*E.E. Andrews	*L.S. Churchill	*Dr. P.J. Kendal	*David Neill
1973	*E.E. Andrews	*L.S. Churchill	J.B. Brooks	R. Weir
1974	*C.H. Chamberlain	*L.S. Churchill	*W. Pace	A. Cutler
1975	*C.H. Chamberlain	*L.S. Churchill	R. Webster	R. Johnson
1976	*C.H. Chamberlain	*L.S. Churchill	G. Stancombe	G. Rilkoﬀ
1977	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	*S.F.G. Slater	*J. Lee
1978	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	*C. Cork	C. Jasper
1979	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	G. Bromwell	S. Tickner
1980	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	H.R. Horn	R. Parker
1981	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	N.H. Fissell	S. Redgrave
1982	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	J. Rennie	J. James
1983	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	*C.E. Storie	W. Austin
1984	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	*E.H. Carl	T. McLachlan
1985	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	Rev. J. Phillpotts	*E.R. Tyler
1986	R.A. Cutler	*L.S. Churchill	*Rev. H. Miller	*A. Baumbick
1987	*W.H. Young	*L.S. Churchill	R.A. Foskett	*E.L. Boyd

YEAR	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND RECORDER	GRAND CHAPLAIN	GRAND MARSHALL
1988	* C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	Rev. D.L. Martin	H.B. Talbot
1989	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	W. Bayne	H.R. Clare
1990	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	*Rev. W.J. Collett	D.B. Russell
1991	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	*Rev. W.J. Collett	G.A. Ebel
1992	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	Rev. D.L. Martin	*W.L. Hobbs
1993	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	F.C. Cooper	J.R. Tait
1994	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	Rev. J. Phillpotts	D.T. Clarke
1995	*C.G. Whiddon	K.E. White	C.C.P. Hardy	A.P. Christofferson
1996	R.O. Beirmes	D.B. Russell	Rev. D.L. Martin	D. Hodgins
1997	R.O. Beirmes	D.B. Russell	Geo. R. Taylor	H.G.T. Kuiperi
1998	R.L. Costigan	D.B. Russell	*W.J. Collett,	Alex S. Rollo
1999	R.L. Costigan	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Les Payne
2000	R.L. Costigan	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Eric Weigelt
2001	R.L. Costigan	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Norman G. Cook
2002	R.L. Costigan	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	R.B. Church
2003	W.L. Seifert	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Joseph Marshall
2004	W.L. Seifert	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Larry D. Brown
2005	W.L. Seifert	D.B. Russell	E.F. Zander	Clare Cooney

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YEAR	GRAND ORGANIST	GRAND SENTINAL	G.I.G. VANCOUVER ISLAND	G.I.G. B.C. INTERIOR
1938	*G. Plasteras	*W. Smith		
1939		*W. Fowler		
1940		*W. Eldridge		
1941		*F. Truesdale		
1942	*A. Crawford	*F. Truesdale		
1943	*F. Summerill	*F. deBeck		
1944	*W. Boorman	*E. Fritze		
1945	*W. Bailey	*M. May		
1946	*F. Harrop	*W. Edgeridge		
1947	*E. Ellerton	*P. Fielding		
1948	*J. Davies	*E. Fritze		
1950	*W. Scott	*R. Parton		
1951	*N. Kennedy	C. Buchanan		
1952	*G. Sweetman	*H. Killam		
1953	T. Jeffrey	R. Smith		
1954	*G. Cook	*R. Gerrie		
1955	*J. Gleave	*R. Cutler		
1956	W. Roberts	J. Brownlee		
1957	*C. Cosgrove	*E. Logan	G.I.G. VANCOUVER ISLAND	
1958	*A. Acton	*R. Lister		
1959	L. Harris	*E. Fritze		
1960	W. Rowe	A. Smith		
1961	*A. Acton	C. McCormack	*J.M. Auchterlonie	
1962	*D. Manson	*L. Davies	*T.F. Isbister	
1963	W. Rowe	R. Reeves	*T.W. Walker	
1964	L. Southwell	*G. Kelso	*W.E. Barracloughs	
1965	*S. Bowman	*J. Lucas	*G.W. Slater	
1966	*A. Acton	*L. Davies	J. Aikens	

YEAR	GRAND ORGANIST	GRAND SENTINAL	G.I.G. VANCOUVER ISLAND	G.I.G. B.C. INTERIOR
1967	*S. Bowman	H. Harrison	*M. Morton	
1968	*S. Bowman	*C. Morton	*H. Henderson	
1969	L. Southwell	*W. Bulmer	O.K. Webstad	
1970	A. Tingle	*J. McKergow	*F. Rowbottom	
1971	M. Hannah	J. Murray	*J.B. Bradshaw	
1972	*H. Cuthbert	*D. Wilson	P. Johnson	
1973	*B. Agerbak	J. McKinnon	J. Bell	
1974	W. Ozal	*F. Carter	*E. Giese	
1975	*G. Coupar	*S. Dunn	A.A. Piercy	
1976	*G. Coupar	A. Deans Peggs	R.G. Morse	
1977	*H. Cuthbert	*J. Bremner	H. Carlson	
1978	*S. Blair	*S. Brown	*W. Pace	
1979	*G. Coupar	*L. Welsh	W. Jackson	
1980	M. Bales	*R. Phillips	C.C. Walkey	
1981	*H. Cuthbert	H. Hill	*B.G. Harvey	
1982	*G. Coupar	J. McKee	*W.C. Surgenor	GIG B.C
1983	*G. Coupar	J. McKee	*W.D. Jasper	INTERIOR
1984	M. Nicholson	E. Houghton	B. Hemingway	
1985	*H. Cuthbert	*A. Jacques	*R.V. Gray	G.H. Coupland
1986	*H. Cuthbert	L. Anderson	J.E. Dobell	*D. Rankin
1987	*A. Belliveau	C. Goodwin	J.A. Rennie	H.E. Cauldwell
1988	*S. Lentle	*T. Reilly	G.A. Yates	R.H. Hodge
1989	* M.B. Learmonth	*M. Kuykendall	W.W. Isbister	F.J. Bird
1990	S.H. Scott	H.T. Vallevand	*B.B. Hetherington	G.C. Bulloch
1991	R. McMillan	A.E. Porter	C.M. Jasper	C.M. Jasper
1992	G.B. Bell	J.D. Cleaver	D.E. Machan	F.T. Melnick
1993	* M.B. Learmonth	D.J. McGillivray	P. Pitz	O.C. Westrup
1994	S.H. Scott	R.W. Hooper	R.V. Cleaver	R.R. Hodge
1995	R.R. Reid	*W.R. Shippam	A.J. Pritchard	B.L. Lundberg
1996	G.B. Bell	D. MacDonald	D.B. Turner	D.S. Carriere
1997	* Bruce Learmonth	Jim Hill	J.D. Cleaver	R.A. Shillito
1998	S.H. Scott	Jens Block	D.L. McEachern	Ron Bushby
1999	R. McMillan	Jim Barratt	G. Tillotson	Albert Laine
2000	Greg Constable	Hugh McLachlan	Thomas Hanna	Ted Kuiperi
2001	* Bruce Learmonth	Clare Cooney	Frank Merritt	Richard Mercer
2002	D.R. (Skip) Wilson	Trevor Lambert	Richard Armitage	Rob't Sellwood
2003	Greg Constable	Robert Lasser	Clifford Crow	Ronald Johnson
2004	None	James Dalgleish	Gary H. Gordon	David Ogilvie
2005	D.R. (Skip) Wilson	Stan Rogers	James C. Whyte	Thomas Purves

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YEAR	G.I.G. B.C. MAINLAND	G.I.G. MANITOBA	G.I.G. ALBERTA	G.I.G. SASKATCHEWAN
1938	*Sam Harris	*W.J. Motherwell	*J.W. Verge	
1939	*J.A. Davies	*S.D. Cruden	*J.W. Verge	*L.S. Sifton
1940	*H.G. Crumplin	*C.F. Lister	*W.H. Smith	*Geo. Plasteras
1941	*J.S. Wilson	*G. Macaulay	*W. Hill	*Geo. Plasteras
1942	*C. Byrne	*J.T. Boyd	*F. McJunkie	*A.E. Miscampbell
1943	*C. Byrne	*A. Crawford	*E.A. Shaw	*J.O. Clarke
1944	*R.H. Hilton	*A.G. Hall	*J.E. Dunn	*F.E. Doull

YEAR	G.I.G B.C. MAINLAND	G.I.G MANITOBA	G.I.G ALBERTA	G.I.G. SASKATCHEWAN
1945	*C. Byrne	*G. Macaulay	*W.H. Green	*H.M. deRouche
1946	*M. Crompton	*J.P. Waller	*A. Snowden	*F. Kimberley
1947	*J.S. Wilson	*G.A. Noble	*F. Mayer	*F. Kimberley
1948	*F. Brockbank	*G.A. Noble	*H.W. Bell	*F.E. Doull
1949	*F. Brockbank	*J.H. Stenberg	*A.H. Avery	*F.E. Doull
1950	*D.B. Watt	*A. Shanks	*A. Peart	*A.A. Wilson
1951	*T.S. Bayne	*J.M. Davies	*J.L. Innes	*S.C. Atkinson
1952	*E.V. Bell	*J.M. Davies	*G.H. Lambert	*H.R. Robinson
1953	*D.A. Hatch	*S.E. Greenberg	*A.L. Williams	G.E. Stuhr
1954	*H. Killam	*D. Cookery	*A. Anderson	C.M. Buchanan
1955	*T.P. Crowther	*G.M. Kruger	*C.C. Duthie	*L.C. Boyle
1956	*T. Irwin	*J.M. Bain	*W. Lurd	J.J. Jones
1957	*R.O. Cutler	*W.S. Neate	*W.E. Baker	*A.C. Woods
1958	*J. Bennett	*C.E. Strange	*R.J. Smith	*G.L. Cook
1959	*G.M. Gilcash	*C.A. Cabel	*C.W. Lester	*H.R. Nicholson
1960	*C.F. Williamson	*W.J. Wyburn	*E.C. Logan	*T.J. Brown
1961	*A.C. Brown	*H. Purton	*J. Farrugie	*R. Best
1962	*L.S. Churchill	*R.A. Cruthers	*W.H. Houghton	*E.O. Burt
1963	*C.E. Pollard	*A.E. Love	*H. Bertles	J.W. Hill
1964	*H.E. Johnson	*J. Mitchie	H.D. Fawcett	*G.G. Botting
1965	*J.A. Manzer	*P.E. Ross	*J.K. Cowan	*A. Robinson
1966	*G.G. Kelso	*F.H. Gibson	*E.C. Ross	*F.R. Hopkinson
1967	*A. Gunderson	*E.E. Smith	*J.A. Atkinson	*R.C. Carter
1968	*J.A. Hume	*W.J. McGregor	*O.P. Thomas	*H.K. Haldorson
1969	*P.J. Bottaro	*W. Wilson	*W.J. Forsyth	*H.D. Gleave
1970	*J.G. Davidson	*E.A. McCullen	*T.M. White	H. Bell
1971	*H.B. Shipley	H. Moglove	*J. Mirtle	*S.W. Wilson
1972	*J. Cameron	*A.L. Lamont	*H.F. Boag	K Melstead
1973	J. McBain	H.K. Steinman	*W.J. Weberg	*R. Kosak
1974	W.H. Young	*W.A. Maguire	*David Neill	G.G. Cook
1975	*P. Pirie	*W.E. Axon	*J.S. McKergow	G.A. Phillips
1976	*T.W. Price	*H.G. McCrae	*D.R. Gittens	A. Tingle
1977	*H. Tonkin	*W. Schade	*G. Whiddon	*R.L. Harwood
1978	*R. Webster	*F.W. Knox	*M.A.R. Cliff	*L.J. Conn
1979	D.G. Thornbury	*B. Agerbak	C.W. Knox	*E. Fisher
1980	*H.S. Lamb	*R.G. Johnson	*J.M. Bremner	J.P. Brooks
1981	M. Chalmers	*N.S. Orton	*L.A. McKercher	F.T. Dowding
1982	R.G. Parker	*H.A. Brown	*J.D. Lee	R. Saunders
1983	D.B. Prentice	*P. Martin	C.H. Weir	*B. Matthewson
1984	S.G. Redgrave	S. Johnson	S.H. Scott	*S.H. Brown
1985	M.C. Nicholson	L.G. Bromwell	*J.E. Flatt	D.M. Montague
1986	A.P. Alexander	P.J. Webster	*J. McMaster	N.Fissel
1987	R.W. Fraser	J.C. James	*B. Quaintance	H.E. Mogan
1988	J.F. Willis	*R.V. Weir	J. McKee	S.F. Tickner
1989	*S. Lentle	*N.M. Fairbairn	*A.L. Swindells	H.R. Horn
1990	V.M. Halverson	*J.C. Campbell	*E. Tyler	J.A. Hall
1991	R.M.G. McKenzie	*J.H.F. MacKay	*R. Phillips	R.A. Foskett
1992	J.C. Gordon	H.T. Ross	*J.M. Drysdale	L.A. Kingston
1993	A. Gordon	S.A. Elliott	*E.L. Boyd	D.H. Wilson
1994	L.G. Pickell	S.M. Cowie	D.B. Russell	*W.L. Hobbs
1995	A.H. Jespersion	R.H. Allen	E.F. Zander	R.D. Kondra
1996	*Leo A. Pelke	Gordon A. Ebel	J.R. Burke	J. Shepherd

YEAR	G.I.G B.C. MAINLAND	G.I.G MANITOBA	G.I.G ALBERTA	G.I.G. SASKATCHEWAN
1997	Kingsley Crick	*John G. Ball	* Ernie Creasey	J.R. (Reg) Tait
1998	A.E. Porter	R.R. Reid	D.H. Murray	H. Vallevand
1999	Wm. F. Fooks	N.S. Gudbjartson	J. Phillpotts	J.R. Graham
2000	Michael Raynor	Stan Payne	N.P. (Bud) Wheat	D. McGilvory
2001	Bernard Hoare	George Taylor	Eric Weigelt	D. McDonald
2002	Harold Freeston	Al Christofferson	D.T. (Tom) Clarke	Norman Cook
2003	* Wallace MacKinnon	* George Feltham	Robert Costigan	Daniel McKay
2003a	A.R. Kurt Wensler	Fred Magerl		
2004	Alex Rollo	Jack McLeod	Tony Aspeslet	George Elliott
2005	Alistair M. Ross	Leif Hansen	Marvyn Rogers	Dan Gerle

NOTE

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CRYPTIC MASONS CALENDAR

Royal and Select Masters date the year in which the Temple of Solomon was completed, anno Depositions (A. Dep.), "in the year of deposit", add 1000 to the common era.

ROYAL ARK MARINERS

Royal Ark Mariners date their year from the third day after the Ark rested on Mount Ararat, "in the year of Royal Ark Masonry", add 2349 to the present era.

TIME AND PLACE

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GRAND COUNCIL 2004 STATISTICS (Membership Dec. 31st, 2003 - Dec. 31st 2004)												R.A.M. STATISTICS								
Council		Mems-2003	Admits	Rest/Affil.	Withdrawn	Suspensions	Deaths	Loss/Gain	Mems-2004	Life-mems	Error	RAMs-2003	Admits	Rest/Affil.	Withdrawn	Suspensions	Deaths	Loss/Gain	RAMs-2004	Error
Name	No.											Remarks								
Zabud	1	61	2		2		1	-1	60	12		54	2		1		1		54	
Cyrus	2	32	4	2	1	1	2	2	34			32		2	1	1	1	-1	31	
Zadok	3	140	2		6	1	6	-11	130			118	5		8	1	6	-10	108	
Zohar	4	143	4		2	9	5	-12	132	24	4	113	2		2	9	5	-14	99	
Alberta	5	29	1				1		29			18	9				1	8	26	
Sask.	6	46				2	1	-3	43	13		33				2	1	-3	30	
Zarthan	7	38			1		2	-3	35			31		1	1		1	-1	30	
Zaphon	8	32	4				1	3	33	1		28					2	-2	26	
Brandon	10	26	1		1	1	1	-2	24	2		13	3				1	7	20	5
Alpha	11	35	2	2	1		3		35			53	2	2	1		3		53	
Zaccai	12	28	3		1				30			28	1		1				28	
Zophiel	13	58			1	2	2	-5	53			54	6		1	2	2	1	47	-6
Acme	14	56	3		2		4	-3	53			45	2		1		4	8	47	5
Adoniram	15	43			2	2		-4	39			36			2	2		-4	32	
Zenith	16	42	4		2		1	1	43	2		29	6		2		1	8	37	5
Portage	17	20		3	3	1		-1	19			20		3	3	1		-1	19	
Cascade	18	44			2			-2	42			35			1			-1	34	
Wheatland	19	25			1		2	-3	22			20	2		1		2	-1	19	
TOTALS		898	30	7	28	19	32	-42	856	54	4	760	40	8	26	18	31	-6	740	9