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**THE ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH  
ANNUAL COMMUNICATION**

# Grand Lodge

**XXXXIX**



**2008**

**Part IV**

# of Maine

**HELD AT ELLSWORTH, MAY 6 & 7, 2008**

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**ROBERT R. LANDRY**  
**GRAND MASTER**  
**2008-2009**



**ELECTED GRAND OFFICERS 2008-2009**





**APPOINTED GRAND OFFICERS 2008-2009**

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE, A.F. & A.M.  
SPECIAL COMMUNICATION**

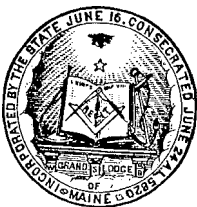
A Special Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine was held on Saturday, September 29, 2007 At Saco, Maine for the purpose of celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Saco Masonic Hall. Ceremonies included the Unveiling of the Cornerstone of the Saco Masonic Hall and the Rededication of the Masonic Hall by the Grand Lodge of Maine and Saco Lodge No. 9.

Most Worshipful Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine, opened Grand Lodge in Ample Form at 1:00 p.m. R.W. Joel Tripp delivered the Invocation. The colors were presented by St. Amand Commandery Honor Guard and Brother Don Lauzier played the National Anthem on his Trumpet. The Kora Highlanders played Amazing Grace. Other dignitaries included Kevin Savage, President of the Biddeford/Saco Savings Institution; Mark Johnson, Mayor of Saco; Wor. Jeffrey Johnson, the Master of Saco Lodge and 120 Brothers, family and friends. Mark Johnson, Mayor of Saco, read a Proclamation declaring this as, “**Saco Masonic Hall Day.**”

The celebration started at the site of the Amtrak Train Station, which was the site of the original Masonic Hall, called Calef Hall, and proceeded to the new Masonic Hall on Main Street, Saco. Brother Alfred “Bill” Kany, Past President of the Biddeford/Saco Savings Institution, received his 50 Year Veterans Medal from M.W. John E. Anagnostis. Wor. Seth Dube presented 75 year Veteran, Wor. Ralph Meserve, with a new white leather Apron since he had lost his in a flood many years ago.

Wor. Brother Meserve and M.W. John Anagnostis were the Marshals in a Parade that proceeded from the original hall to the present Masonic hall. The Masonic Family and Friends Band dressed in period clothes entertained the crowd with music from 100 years ago. Three Trolleys carried the Past Masters of Saco Lodge; the Elders of Saco Lodge and Masonic Widows of Saco Lodge along the parade route.

M.W. Gerald S. Leighton conducted the cornerstone ceremony, which was followed by refreshments in the dining hall and an open house. A Gala Masonic banquet and ball was held at the Keeley Banquet Center in Portland during the evening hours.



Fraternally submitted,

*Hollis G. Dixon*

Hollis G. Dixon  
Grand Secretary

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE, A.F. & A.M.  
SPECIAL COMMUNICATION**

A Special Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M. was held at Madison, Maine on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m., for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the new Somerset County Jail. Most Worshipful Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine, opened Grand Lodge at 12:30 p.m. in Ample form. The Grand Master led the Brethren in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of our Country.

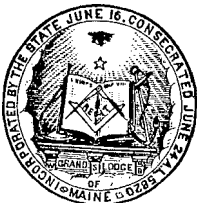
Grand Lodge Officers participating:

M.W. Gerald S. Leighton  
Wor. Michael Theriault  
R.W. Lester F. Smith  
R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen  
R.W. Neil Hunnewell  
Wor. Robert Dunphy  
Bro. Phillip Roy  
R.W. W. Daniel Hill  
R.W. A. James Ross  
Bro. George Reed  
Wor. Charles Haley

Grand Master  
Deputy Grand Master - Acting  
Senior Grand Warden  
Junior Grand Warden  
PDDGM 13<sup>th</sup> Masonic District  
Grand Senior Steward  
Grand Junior Steward  
Grand Chaplain  
Grand Marshal  
Euclid Lodge - Senior Warden  
Euclid Lodge - Marshal

The Grand Stewards, who are each Somerset County Commissioners, actually set the cornerstone in place during this most impressive ceremony. Following the ceremony, the Grand Master made appropriate remarks.

The Grand Lodge of Maine was closed in Ample Form at 2:30 p.m. by M.W. Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine. Tours of the partially completed facility were conducted by the County Commissioners.



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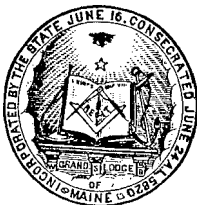
A Special Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine was held at Augusta on Sunday, November 25, 2007 for the purpose of making the Annual Visitation to the Veterans at the Togus VA Medical Center.

Grand Lodge was opened in Ample Form at 10:15 a.m. by Most Worshipful Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine. R.W. Wyn Haskell delivered the Invocation. A procession was formed and, at 10:30 a.m., the Masons marched into the Interdenominational Chapel. The Flag of our country was posted by the Grand Lodge Officers. The National Anthem was sung by Wor. Clyde Roth. William D. Smith, Chaplain for the Veterans Medical Center, delivered the Sermon. The procession into the Chapel was led by Brother Everett Kaherl, Chief Highlander, playing the Bagpipes.

The following Masons were in the procession:

|                              |                                    |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| M.W. Gerald S. Leighton      | Grand Master                       |
| M.W. Wayne T. Adams          | Past Grand Master                  |
| M.W. Claire V. Tusch         | Past Grand Master                  |
| R.W. Robert R. Landry        | Deputy Grand Master                |
| R.W. Lester F. Smith         | Senior Grand Warden                |
| R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen      | Junior Grand Warden                |
| R.W. Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Grand Treasurer                    |
| R.W. Hollis G. Dixon         | Grand Secretary                    |
| Wor. E. Fritz Day            | Grand Senior Deacon                |
| R.W. Phillip Hopkins         | Grand Junior Deacon                |
| Wor. Martin L. Perfit        | Grand Steward                      |
| Wor. Andrew E. Matlins       | Grand Steward                      |
| R.W. A. James Ross           | Grand Marshal                      |
| R.W. Lyn Haskell             | Ass't Grand Chaplain               |
| R.W. W. Daniel Hill          | Ass't Grand Chaplain               |
| R.W. David Billings          | Ass't Grand Chaplain               |
| Wor. Clyde A. Roth           | Grand Organist                     |
| Wor. Norman Moorehouse       | M.S.A. Rep. Emeritus               |
| R.W. Ralph Knowles           | D.D.G.M. 10 <sup>th</sup> District |
| R.W. Steven Marin            | D.D.G.M. 11 <sup>th</sup> District |

The Grand Master closed the Grand Lodge of Maine at 11:35 a. m. in Ample form.



Fraternally submitted,

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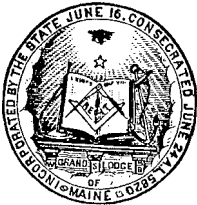
A Special Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M. was held at Ellsworth, Maine on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 1:00 p.m., for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of the new lodge building of Lygonia Lodge No. 40 and to dedicate the new building to Masonry all in the same day. The Grand Lodge of Maine was opened at 12:10 p.m. in Ample Form and the ceremonies were led under the direction of Most Worshipful Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine. The ceremonies were well attended by Masons and members of the public with the attendance estimated at 140 persons. Both ceremonies were conducted according to the regulations of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

Grand Lodge Officers participating:

|                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| M.W. Gerald S. Leighton | Grand Master           |
| R.W. Robert R. Landry   | Deputy Grand Master    |
| R.W. Lester F. Smith    | Senior Grand Warden    |
| R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen | Junior Grand Warden    |
| R.W. William Case       | Acting Grand Treasurer |
| R.W. Frank M. Theriault | Acting Grand Secretary |
| Wor. E. Fritz Day       | Grand Senior Deacon    |
| R.W. Phillip E. Hopkins | Grand Junior Deacon    |
| Wor. Leslie M. Gray     | Grand Chaplain         |
| R.W. A. James Ross      | Grand Marshal          |
| Wor. Robert D. Chaput   | Grand Tyler            |
| R.W. David A. Walker    | Grand Steward          |
| R.W. Ralph G. Knowles   | Grand Steward          |
| Dean Hoke               | Architect              |

R.W. Michael W. Walker, District Deputy Grand Master and V.W. Norris M. Reddish, District Educational Representative were also in attendance.

The Grand Lodge of Maine was closed in Ample Form by M.W. Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine at 2:30 p.m.



Fraternally submitted,

A. James Ross  
Acting Grand Secretary

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE**  
**2008**  
**One Hundred Eighty-Ninth Annual**  
**Communication**

In Grand Lodge  
 Ellsworth, Maine  
 May 6, 2008

The 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M. was held on May 6, 2008, at the Holiday Inn in Ellsworth, Maine. Grand Lodge was opened in Ample form at 9:15 a.m. (E.D.T.) by Most Worshipful Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine. R.W. Daniel Hill, Assistant Grand Chaplain, delivered the Invocation.

**GRAND LODGE OFFICERS PRESENT:**

|                         |                                         |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Gerald S. Leighton      | Grand Master                            |
| Robert R. Landry        | Deputy Grand Master                     |
| Lester F. Smith         | Senior Grand Warden                     |
| Walter E. Kyllonen      | Junior Grand Warden                     |
| Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Grand Treasurer                         |
| Hollis G. Dixon         | Grand Secretary                         |
| David W. King           | R.W. D.D.G.M. 1 <sup>st</sup> District  |
| Billy W. Case           | R.W. D.D.G.M. 2 <sup>nd</sup> District  |
| Brad E. Prout           | R.W. D.D.G.M. 3 <sup>rd</sup> District  |
| Ralph E. Gross, Jr.     | R.W. D.D.G.M. 4 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Keith R. DeWitt         | R.W. D.D.G.M. 5 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Robert H. Gillahan      | R.W. D.D.G.M. 6 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Douglas A. Rackliff     | R.W. D.D.G.M. 9 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Ralph G. Knowles        | R.W. D.D.G.M. 10 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Leon E. Allen, Jr.      | R.W. D.D.G.M. 11 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Ralph W. Johnson        | R.W. D.D.G.M. 13 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Harland M. Harnden      | R.W. D.D.G.M. 15 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Ryan J. Paradis         | R.W. D.D.G.M. 16 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Kenneth A. Caldwell     | R.W. D.D.G.M. 17 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Joel F. Tripp           | R.W. D.D.G.M. 18 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Brian D. Boston         | R.W. D.D.G.M. 19 <sup>th</sup> District |
| David E. Wright         | R.W. D.D.G.M. 22 <sup>nd</sup> District |
| Robert N. Hiltz, Jr.    | R.W. D.D.G.M. 23 <sup>rd</sup> District |
| Robert D. Chaput        | W. Grand Sword Bearer                   |
| Albert L. Smith, III    | W. Grand Steward                        |
| Andrew E. Matlins       | W. Grand Steward                        |
| Philip E. Hopkins       | W. Grand Junior Deacon                  |
| Colby A. Waugh          | W. Grand Senior Deacon (Acting)         |
| A. James Ross           | W. Grand Marshal                        |

The following District Representatives were present:

|                         |                                    |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Kenneth E. White        | V.W. DER 1 <sup>st</sup> District  |
| Dennis Bryant           | V.W. DER 2 <sup>nd</sup> District  |
| Darrell E. Kelley       | V.W. DER 3 <sup>rd</sup> District  |
| Sheldon W. Heath        | V.W. DER 4 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Lawrence W. Budden      | V.W. DER 5 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Alfred C. Haskell, Jr.  | V.W. DER 6 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Jeffrey Sukeforth       | V.W. DER 7 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Myron Hersom            | V.W. DER 8 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Brian S. Messing        | V.W. DER 9 <sup>th</sup> District  |
| Charles J. DiPerri, Jr. | V.W. DER 10 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Robert D. Stratton      | V.W. DER 11 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Kevin C. Maroon         | V.W. DER 12 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Robert J. Farmer        | V.W. DER 13 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Ryan L. Carter          | V.W. DER 14 <sup>th</sup> District |
| B. Dana Leathers        | V.W. DER 15 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Brian A. Levasseur      | V.W. DER 16 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Walter W. Lamb, Jr.     | V.W. DER 17 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Carl J. Marsano         | V.W. DER 18 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Richard M. Ferris       | V.W. DER 19 <sup>th</sup> District |
| R. Paul Gingras         | V.W. DER 20 <sup>th</sup> District |
| Norris M. Reddish       | V.W. DER 21 <sup>st</sup> District |
| Ronald Green, Sr.       | V.W. DER 22 <sup>nd</sup> District |
| Richard Bergeron, Jr.   | V.W. DER 23 <sup>rd</sup> District |
| Robert J. Anthony       | V.W. DER 24 <sup>th</sup> District |

The Grand Marshal escorted the following Past Grand Masters to the East where he introduced them as follows:

M.W. Roger P. Snelling; M.W. Robert V. Damon; M.W. George P. Pulkkinen; M.W. Harland S. Hitchings; M.W. Wayne T. Adams; M.W. Charles E. Ridlon and M.W. Claire V. Tusch.

They were welcomed in the East by the Grand Master, M.W. Gerald S. Leighton, and were accorded the Private Grand Honors by the Brethren.

The following out of state Guests were escorted into the hall by the Grand Marshal:

R.W. Thomas E. Pulkkinen, P.J.G.W., Grand Lodge of Massachusetts.  
 M.W. Ronald C. Mitchum, P.G.M., South Carolina.  
 M.W. Jeff E. Hodges, Grand Master of Virginia.  
 M.W. Stephen Gardner, Grand Master, Pennsylvania.  
 M.W. Ronald A. Aungst, Sr., P.G.M. Pennsylvania.  
 M.W. Charles B. Fowler, Jr, Past Grand Master, Connecticut.  
 M.W. William L. Greene, P.G.M., Connecticut.

R.W. Robert Fitzgerald, Grand Secretary of Connecticut.

M.W. Robert G. Hatfield, Grand Master, New Hampshire.

M.W. John C. Marden, P.G.M., Grand Secretary of New Hampshire.

R.W. Richard S. Sokoll, Deputy Grand Master of Rhode Island and Providence Plantation.

R.W. Paul D. Gleason, Senior Grand Warden, G.L. of District of Columbia.

M.W. Calvin K. Keyler, Grand Master, Vermont.

M.W. Richard E. Fletcher, P.G.M. Vermont & Executive Secretary, M.S.A.

M.W. Earl Washburn, P.G.M., Vermont.

M.W. John R. Campbell, Jr., P.G.M. Vermont.

R.W. Joseph H. Rival, S.G.W. New Jersey.

M.W. Earl L. Emerson, Jr., Grand Master, Delaware.

M.W. James Waecker, P.G.M., Delaware.

M.W. William R. Stevens, Jr., Grand Treasurer & P.G.M. Delaware.

R.W. S. Curtis Cole, Past Grand Marshal of Grand Lodge of Delaware.

R.W. Herbert Y. Holcomb, III, Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge of Maryland.

R.W. William Fwope, Gr. Rep. to G.L. of New Hampshire in Illinois.

R.W. Melvin M. Thorpe, S.G.W. Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland.

R.W. Carl "Bud" Banks, S.G.W. & Grand Representative of Grand Lodge of Nevada

M.W. William Boone, Grand Master of New Brunswick.

R.W. Donald C. Ross, Deputy Grand Master of Quebec.

M.W. Herbert B. Ross, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island.

M.W. Shelton D. Redden, Grand Master of Prince Hall Grand Lodge in Maryland.

R.W. Thomas Clyde, D.G.M., Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland.

R.W. Clifton McEachin, Grand Secretary Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland.

R.W. Duane E. Wright, Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland. [Project Manager]

R.W. Andrew Pryor, Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland. [Project Manager]

R.W. Jeffrey E. Hodges, Deputy Grand Master of Virginia.

#### Scottish Rite:

Ill. Charles E. Ridlon, P.G.M. & Deputy for Maine, AASRNMJ

Ill. M. Raymond Bradford, Jr, Active for Maine, AASRNMJ

Ill. Royce G. Wheeler, Active Emeritus, AASRNMJ

Ill. Gerald C. Pickard, Active Emeritus, AASRNMJ

These distinguished Brethren were accorded the Public Grand Honors by the Brethren.

At 9:45 a.m., the Grand Master called the Grand Lodge of Maine from labor to refreshment.

The following guests were escorted to the East by the Grand Marshal and introduced:

Most Excellent C. Arthur Allen, M. E. Grand High Priest of G. Royal Arch Chapter of Maine

M. Ill. Daniel B. Carey, Jr., M. Ill. Grand Master, Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters.

Brother Gordon W. Harrington, Grand Commander of Maine

Brother Jessie Rollins, Most Eminent Pryor, Grand Commandery of Maine

Ill. Sir Glen A. Lelumeier, Potentate, Kora Shrine

Ill. Sir Edward Sprague, Potentate, Anah Shrine

Sir Knight Riley D. Greenwood, Grand Royal Patron, Order of the Amaranth

Youth Groups:

Katie Cormier, Grand Worthy Advisor, Grand Assembly of Maine, Int'l Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Cora Ellen Moody, Supreme Faith, Supreme Inspector in Maine, Member House of Gold of IORG.

Benjamin J. Weisner State Master Councilor – Maine DeMolay and Master Mason.

Gordon L. Kimball, Jr, State Executive Officer, Maine DeMolay Association.

Michael Ackers, Deputy Executive Officer – Maine DeMolay Association.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, you will retire and have the Flag Presentation.

The Grand Master introduced the Grand Commandery Honor Guard as follows:

R.W. Alvin O. McDonald; R.W. Randy Adams; R.W. Ernest Smallidge; R.W. Jessie Rollins; Wor. David Billings; R.W. Robert J. Landry and Drill Master, R.W. John Baggett. The Honor Guard presented the colors and led the Brethren in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of our Country. They then sang the "Star Spangled Banner" and "O' Canada."

By order of the Grand Master, the Honor Guard posted the Colors. The Honor Guard departed to a Standing Ovation by the Brethren.

The Grand Marshal escorted the Worthy Grand Advisor to the East. Katie Cormier delivered her address to the Brethren:

Thank you Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished East and all my Rainbow Dads. Good Morning! Maine Rainbow has had a very busy year traveling down the "Yellow Brick Road". Each Assembly has done their share of contributing to my charities this past year. In the fall, I asked each Assembly to adopt a soldier and make up care packages to send overseas. We sent about 150-200 boxes. As my Papa was a veteran and served in Vietnam I wanted to work closely with the veterans throughout my term to show our support for all they did and are doing for us. In the spring, I also asked each assembly for "Make a Difference Week" to visit with the veterans. My home Assembly spent a day at the Togus VA hospital in Augusta. We sang for them during their church services and had lunch with them. It was a great experience for the girls.



I can't begin to tell you how surprised and pleased we were to receive your donation of \$75,000.00 from the Masonic Charitable Foundation toward the Conference and Education Center at the Merrill Rainbow Campground. This will be a great addition for our state and it is available to all the Masonic Families. This donation will allow us to get a start on some of the bigger projects so we can start working on our small volunteering work that needs to be done.

I would also like to thank so many of our Masonic Dads, especially the Grand Lodge Officers who attended our Open House last September at the Campground; for your encouragement with the matching funds during Youth Emphasis Month this past April, for all of your support and interest in the Merrill Rainbow Campground; and for the lobster auction last night.

About a year ago, Supreme Assembly voted to hire the marketing firm of Johnson Rauhoff. This is the same firm that has helped the Michigan Masons increase their membership by 60% over the last few years. They have created a new website for us which is [www.gorainbow.org](http://www.gorainbow.org). It is still under construction at this time, but a lot of it is up and running. If you see something that interests you can just click on it and it will give you more information and pictures. This is a fabulous new website and something that the girls are really responding to. It is a great tool to show to someone you might know that is interested in learning more about Rainbow.

Rainbow is on an exciting new start with more enthusiasm that we have seen in years. We had a net gain in memberships this past year and we plan to continue on that path! Our new motto is "Rainbow Gets Girls Ready for Life", with Mandy Moore giving us no limitations or restrictions to her song, "**Extraordinary.**" This has become our theme song. She is a contemporary artist who is very popular with Rainbow aged girls.

I would like to thank you for your invitation to attend this session and all the courtesies extended to me and Mum Moody. It is also a pleasure to spend time with my Rainbow Dads and I hope you all know how much your Rainbow Daughters love their Rainbow Dads and appreciate their support.

Most Worshipful Grand Master, on behalf of Maine Rainbow, at this time I would like to present you with a brick that will be placed in our walkway of the Reverend W. Mark Sexson Memorial Garden which is located in McAlester, Oklahoma. This brick is in honor of you and comes with the love and admiration of all your Maine Rainbow Daughters. Thank you, again, for all you have done for Maine Rainbow and I have enjoyed serving with you.

Katie Cormier,  
Grand Worthy Advisor

The Worthy Grand Advisor was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please present Cora Ellen Moody, the supreme Faith and Supreme Inspector for Maine, International Order of Rainbow for Girls? The Grand Marshal escorted Cora Ellen Moody to the East.

Cora Ellen Moody: Most Worthy Grand Master, Distinguished Assembled Guests, I am usually not in a position to speak after the Worthy Grand Advisor has made her address, because I like to have you know that the girls are our spokespeople. But I'm really pleased and privileged this morning to be able to thank you as sponsors and supporters of Maine Rainbow for all you have done with your physical and monetary support for these girls. The girls love it when their Rainbow Dads come to their meetings. We appreciate the genuine support that the individual lodges and the Grand Lodge have given for this most important program along with your DeMolay. You are really truly making a difference, not only in the lives of some very special young ladies but in the future of your country. And we thank you very, very much for the strong support and love we receive from the Masonic Lodge in the State of Maine. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Cora Ellen Moody received a standing ovation from the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please present for a few remarks, Brother Benjamin Weisner, State Master Councilor of Maine DeMolay?

Benjamin Weisner: Most Worthy Grand Master, Distinguished Guests and Brethren, I bring the warm and fraternal greetings from all the DeMolays in the State of Maine. I would like to congratulate you for a most successful year. I would like to thank each lodge that sponsors a DeMolay Chapter. It is a pleasure to be here. For those that don't know what DeMolay is, DeMolay is a Youth Organization for the ages from twelve and twenty-one. These young men plan fund raising activities and fun events that they want to do. It gives them leadership experience. For those that don't know, the virtues of a DeMolay are filial love, service of making things, courtesy, comradeship, fidelity, cleanness and patriotism. This term for Maine DeMolay is a very special one, and also special for myself. 2007 -2008 has been an amazing year for membership. The Chapters are growing at an expediential rate. If you go to a DeMolay meeting you will see almost every office filled. As these young men grow up they will look to join many organizations and will find Masonry. This year, Maine DeMolay has done many projects. Every Chapter held a Hunters' Breakfast. The proceeds benefitting the Scottish Rite Learning Centers. A Chapter held a Flag Ceremony; the proceeds benefitting Autism. Also, Maine DeMolay held a bus trip to the National Heritage Museum in Lexington, Massachusetts. I would like to thank you for my invitation to Grand Lodge on behalf of my executive officers and myself. Thank you for all the courtesies extended to me.

Benjamin Weisner received a standing ovation from the Brethren.

Grand Master; Brother Grand Marshal, while you're there bring in the State Executive officer. He doesn't need a microphone but bring one to him anyway.

Gordon Kimball, Jr.: Most Worshipful Grand Master, distinguished Guests, Brethren all. What a pleasure it is to be here this morning; when I got the letter to be here today, it said I wouldn't have to speak. So working with DeMolays, I've learned that you never leave unprepared, so I've got something. Somewhere. It's a lot of fun working with the youth and they always provide you with something unexpected, something interesting, and something enjoyable. I would just say that this is probably the largest group that I get to speak with during the year, consisting of most all of the lodges in Maine. DeMolay is growing; we have been growing for the last several years. We'd like to grow some more; we'd like to start a Chapter in your area if you are interested. We have some people available that can talk with you and come meet with you and as you can see, that our State Master Councilor, Ben. Ben joined DeMolay six years ago, I think. Five? And went on this past January to be raised a Master Mason. I've dragged Ben everywhere with me these past several years. And he's moved on; he's continuing DeMolay but he joined the lodge. This would help some of the lodges. If you had some parents, if you had some kids that might join, and anyways, if you want to do something, we're right here. We'd love to work with you. Most Worshipful, I won't take up a lot of your time except to thank you for all of your assistance you've given over the past year and everything that you've done. I've always tried not to bother the Grand Master too much but when I've needed something, I've never hesitated to call and no matter who it has been, yourself included, they have always responded very positively and helped. Just last month, I needed a place for some kids and advisors to stay and Most Worshipful Jerry here said they were welcome in Newport and he even burned some pancakes for them Sunday morning. *Laughter*

I really appreciate all the assistance and help I've received from Grand Lodge and all the Masons in Maine and thank you for all courtesies and the opportunity to be here this morning and bring you the greeting of DeMolay. Thank you very much.

Brother Kimball received a standing ovation from the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, we have a special presentation, if you would you find Officer Mark Bridgham. The Grand Marshal checked for the officer but was unable to locate him in the building.

Officer Mark Bridgham was going to be here this morning to represent the Maine DARE Officers Association. One of the things that the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation is trying to do is to reach out in another couple of ways to touch society and to be an important part of society. Your Charitable Foundation has over the past several years donated \$10,000.00 each year to the DARE program; to the DARE Officers for their opportunities in this very needed program. And we were going to symbolically give him another check for another \$10,000.00. So on behalf of all of you and the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation, we were able to again support the DARE program and I thank you all very much for that opportunity.

Brother Grand Marshal, you will please retire our non-Masonic Guests with my thanks.

Our distinguished Guests received a standing ovation on their departure.

Grand Master: Waiving the usual signs and ceremonies, I declare this Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine at labor.

Deputy Grand Master: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that the we dispense with the reading of the records of the last Annual Communication and that as printed they be confirmed. Motion seconded. Motion carried by vote of the Brethren. I move that all Master Masons in good standing be admitted as visitors to the Annual Communication. Motion seconded. Motion carried by vote of the Brethren. I move that the Grand Tyler be authorized to employ such assistance as necessary to aid him in the work of his office during the sessions of the Grand Lodge and that the Committee on Payroll be authorized to place the names of such employees on the payroll and that they receive the usual Per Diem for their services. Motion seconded. Motion carried by vote of the Brethren.

Grand Master: Thank you Brother Deputy Grand Master. Brother Deputy Grand Master, I now tender the East to you for the Annual Address. (The Grand Master turns Gavel over to Deputy Grand Master)

**GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS TO THE CRAFT  
189<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL COMMUNICATION**

It is once again my high honor to welcome all of you to the 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge. It is a very special privilege to welcome our distinguished guests from other Grand Jurisdictions. Lady Norma and I have had the great pleasure to travel with many of you and the interaction between our Grand Jurisdictions has been an extraordinary experience. We have become not only colleagues but friends – and so to you a sincere warm welcome.

To you the Craft. What a pleasure it has been to serve you and I wish to thank all of you for the opportunity. This has been a most extraordinary experience and an opportunity for personal growth. I need to tell you that your elected officers have extended their willing cooperation in the decision making process. Their counsel has been invaluable. I wish to thank you the Craft for your insight in selecting these men to serve and to these officers I wish to express my most humble gratitude.

To The District Deputy Grand Masters:

After a careful review of the DDGM reports available to me, I find that several of you have expressed many of the same frustrations and hopes that I have. Indeed, your comments addressing the effectiveness of the Schools of Instruction and the need the insure that our ritual is carefully nurtured by the use of Schools of Instruction is certainly of great concern to all of us. Have heart, however, because these same type of comments have been appearing on the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters for decades. Let me assure you that your efforts and the efforts of the Grand Lecturing staff have not been in vain. It is clear that a continual focus on purifying our ritual and maintaining attention to detail is still very important. Of equal importance is that we are not just parroting the words but drawing to a closer understanding of it's meaning. Our ritual is what sets us apart from other organizations and our ritual is what draws us together. I thank you for your efforts in this area and challenge those who will take our places to continue providing emphasis in this area.

Many of you also had comments that pertained to the physical structures that hold Freemasonry around this Grand Jurisdiction. I probably don't need to remind you that these conversations have also been going on for decades. All Freemasonry is parochial after all and these types of problems have manifested themselves at the local level. The decisions on what to do about aging structures belongs to those individual lodges and their members. Often the older structures have such character that they help support the unique character of Freemasonry in their area. Perhaps just as often, these aging structures become a burden and detract from the focus of their owners and members from the purposes of Freemasonry. In any event, let me thank you for your evaluations of how the various physical structures in your district may or may not be supporting the basic attributes of Freemasonry.

The discussion of how buildings influence our interaction as a fraternity brings me to the point where I would like to report on the progress of addressing our fixed costs associated with the Grand Lodge building in Portland. As I reported last year, the trustees of the building have important decisions to make and those decisions have far reaching affects on every lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction. As we are all now aware, the fixed cost of maintaining an administrative office space in the Grand Lodge building in Portland needs to be addressed. Continual effort on the part of the Trustees of the Masonic Temple has been the earmark of this year's effort. From the beginning, it is clear that the trustees perceived this attempt at addressing fixed costs to the Craft as a personal attack on them and the treasure which is the Masonic Temple in Portland. The trustees, however, have reconfigured themselves and once they realized that the actual problem was how best to serve the Craft, they went to work on various strategies. At the moment they have initiated several thrusts that may help them in their decision process. These actions range from having several current market analysis's done by commercial brokers, to asking for a feasibility study to be done on a possible cell tower installation on the roof top and are pursuing grant monies for the maintenance and repair of the building which is on the National Historic Register. All these options and more are being examined by the trustees with the assistance of a sub-committee so that they can better make the decision if it is in our best interest to find new and innovative ways to preserve our edifice or is it best for them to give up ownership interests. A questionnaire was sent to all tenants of the building. The Trustees and the sub-committee are using that information to help shape discussions with neighbors of the building who have expressed a long time interest in the use of the building. Although all of these activities look promising and positive, I do not see any actions that would immediately reduce the fixed costs to the Craft. That being said, I believe that once some of these questions are answered, you will have a clearer picture on which to make your decisions. The proposed budget for next year was in your hands several months ago and you will have perceived that the cost of our administrative office space was unchanged. The decision making process concerning how best to address this issue is at times painful, emotional but most certainly deliberate. Continued emphasis is in the best interest of the Craft.

To The District Educational Representatives:

My Brothers, I know that many of you have tried to be of help and support to the lodges within your influence and I also know that your efforts were not always successful. Make no mistake, however, the purposes of your position and the need for your position is of imperative importance. Providing the opportunity to learn more about our fraternity by the membership is most important. Without your efforts we would be a much poorer organization. Part of the symbolism described on your aprons is the lamp of knowledge. Keeping that flame vibrant is indeed part of your challenge and I thank you for your efforts. Although you are not fettered by defined boundaries, you do have a 'tool box' provided by the Masonic Education and Lodge Services Committee to help put on short programs for the Brethren. These programs include a variety of subjects in an attempt to help our members. Subjects range from protocol issues, understanding parts of our Constitution and discussions



of various parts of the degree presentations. All of these efforts are aimed at insuring that the lodges and lodge officers present an informed front to all members and especially our new members.

A new member can easily be overwhelmed by the intricate details that the Craft has developed over generations. Not giving them this further light in Masonry and not making them aware that they are indeed part of something important may well contribute to one of the primary problems facing our organization – that of suspension for nonpayment of dues. I thank you for your efforts and I sincerely hope that more lodges take advantage of the tools you have available for their use.

Although there appears to be some downward movement in the numbers of those suspended for non-payment of dues, that movement is not yet statically significant enough to say that we are making great progress. For numbers of years, we have suspended about the same number of Master Masons for non-payment of dues as we have raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason. The committees of your Grand Lodge and the appointed officers of your Grand Lodge have been diligent in trying to help understand the reasons for these suspensions and what we can do to help each lodge officer choose a successful course of action. Each committee has tried to identify where they could best provide leverage and support for this effort. The reports of the several committees outline those efforts. Efforts have been made to help lodge officers become more comfortable in their prospective positions by offering lodge officer training. This training, supported by the Masonic Education and Lodge Services Committee focused not only on management skill sets but ventured into the importance of understanding how generations interact with one another and other relevant issues. The MEALS committee also undertook the updating of Masonic educational pamphlets, booklets, instructor manuals as well as the continual review of instructions for District Officers. Officer Training seminars have been held in various parts of the Grand Jurisdiction. The Maine Masonic College has pledged itself to increasing the availability of educational material in the effort to provide more light in Masonry. The Scholarship Committee has been busy trying to reconfigure our scholarship programs. The Renewal and Revitalization committee continually reaches out to lodges that request their assistance and in many cases the conversations they facilitate results in a plan of action for that lodge. In every case, the committees of your Grand Lodge understand that their only reason for existence is to help you the Craft be successful.

Your Grand Lodge has a most impressive web presence and the information available continues to grow. In fact, many of the endeavors I just outlined are available on line at the website. I would also have you note that requests for information about Freemasonry from those who are not members is received almost daily by your Webmaster. I certainly am proud of the work our Webmaster and his lady have done for this Grand Lodge. They have put much effort and imagination into the project and the results of their effort is top flight. [www.mainemason.org](http://www.mainemason.org) stands more as a portal for this Grand Lodge and has a huge array of information. We now have a welcome page, a Maine Masonic College page, a Maine Masonry Today page, a Maine CHIP page, a page for the Maine Lodge of Research and a

separate section for historical documents. Maine is most fortunate in its web presence and from all reports, the site is visited often. Many thanks to Worshipful Brother Edward King and his lady Brandi for their insight and support.

The standard for success for any program of Grand Lodge is how it is supported from administration to administration. One program that has not only been supported but grows each year is the Child Identification Program (CHIP). The only chairman that this committee has ever had, and still has, is Most Worshipful Brother Harland Hitchings. One of the forwarded messages that I received some time ago starts off with the maxim "May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be". It is my belief that Most Worshipful Brother Hitchings was exactly where he was meant to be and that the work he undertook was exactly what needed to be done. Through his leadership, the CHIPs program has become the signature outreach program of this Grand Lodge. He has announced that he will be relinquishing the chair of this committee at the end of this annual communication. Would you please join me in thanking him for his effort and his vision.

The Brethren accorded M.W. Brother Hitchings a standing ovation.

I would be remiss if I did not bring to your attention that two lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction have been honored by the Masonic Service Association of North America. These lodges were chosen as winners of the 2007 Twain Award. It is important to note that only 19 lodges were chosen in all of North America and to have two lodges chosen from Maine is quite a distinction. Saco Lodge #9 and Monument Lodge #96 are to be congratulated. Would the Masters and members of those two lodges please rise. Brethren, would you join me in showing our appreciation for their efforts.

The Brethren accorded these two lodges a standing ovation.

The goal of this program is to identify and acknowledge lodges that, through initiative, creativity and action are helping to build Masonic Awareness brother by brother and lodge by lodge. The executive secretary of the Masonic Service Association of North America will officially make the presentation later in this session.

The issue of lodge histories and the fines assessed delinquent lodges for back histories continued to be a focus throughout the year. Worshipful Brother Richard Rhoda, the Grand Historian, has been more than diligent to his duty. He has made considerable effort to reach out to lodges with offers of assistance and I look forward to his report. You, the lodges that make up this Grand Jurisdiction, have made significant strides in this area and are to be congratulated.

Through your guidance as a Grand Lodge, I have been able to continue the thrust of normalizing relations with various Prince Hall Grand Lodges. I am pleased to report that this effort is ongoing and providing a number of accomplishments. As you may recall, the question of the legitimacy of Prince Hall Freemasonry was formally

resolved some time ago and with that resolution came a better understanding of territorial exclusivity. Last year this Grand Lodge officially received a Prince Hall Grand Master in the person of Most Worshipful Brother Leslie A. Lewis the Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, Jurisdiction of Massachusetts. Just recently, Monument Lodge in Houlton received an official delegation from a Massachusetts Prince Hall Lodge called North Star of Bangor. Indeed, this very moment we now share represents yet another benchmark on this path we have chosen as we all have officially received Most Worshipful Brother Shelton B. Redden, the Grand Master of The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland and its Jurisdiction, Inc. As a side note, Most Worshipful Brother Redden is also the chairman of the North American Conference of Prince Hall Grand Masters. I look forward to hearing from him as time allows this day. I officially represented you at the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts and the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland and It's Jurisdictions Inc. A. & F.M. at their Annual Communications in the past year. I need to tell you how proud I am of this Grand Jurisdiction and the direction you have chosen to follow. As I have stated before, it is clear that this type of interaction could not have been possible in my grandfather's Freemasonry nor was it on the minds of those in my father's Freemasonry. I firmly believe, however, that the next generation of Master Masons both Prince Halls around this country and Masons of Maine will look back on the significance of these events and simply shrug their shoulders and say something like "Isn't that the way It's supposed to be?" and those of this generation will be able to look them in the eye and say "of course – that is exactly the way it is supposed to be!"

I have tried to report on the pragmatics of stewardship that this position demands and certainly hope that the issues addressed during this administration have met with your approbation. But I would urge you to remember that Freemasonry is more – much more than pragmatic issues.

Ever hear the question "Who are the Masons and what do they do?" I know I have and I can say with some confidence that every jurisdiction in North America has taken a stab at trying to answer that question. Numerous articles have been written on this subject. Any number of books and pamphlets have been circulated with this theme. Each of us has or should have our own perception of the answer. As we are all aware, the media has been recently been defining Freemasonry using their own standards with no real way for the Craft to guide or influence that conversation. Occasionally, however, a voice rises over the din, which of necessity, needs to be listened to. One such voice belongs to Past Grand Master Walter Macdougall. Listen to what he has to say on this subject:

"Masonry is about living, about building, about passing on and about that which passes not. It is about the human journey in search of significance and usefulness. It is a quest for human significance which must be sought through a dedication to ideals and beliefs which the Masonic calling holds to be essential to both community and human progress. Like all heroic journeys it takes place against a cosmic background- in the "big picture" one might say. Masonry is a way of becoming

which is neither simple nor easy. Its modes are both ancient and as new as tomorrow.” Powerful – powerful.

I urge you to remember that we are indeed stewards of an important legacy. I urge you to remember that we are neither benevolent by purpose nor important by virtue of the size of our membership. I urge you to remember that we are privileged members in an important endeavor.

The Grand Master received a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Secretary: Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, I move that the Grand Master’s Address be referred to the Committee on Doings of Grand Lodge Officers. Also that the reports of the Deputy Grand Master, Grand Wardens and Grand Lecturer be referred to the same committee without reading.

Motion seconded. Motion carried by Vote of the Brethren.

Grand Master: Agreeable to Section 44 of the Constitution of this Grand Lodge, Rule No. 5. Any motions to change the Constitution or Standing Regulations of this Grand Lodge shall be submitted in writing to the Grand Secretary. These proposed changes will be taken up after the report of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, which will be held later this morning. Again, any proposed changes to the Constitution or Standing Regulations must be submitted in writing to the Grand Secretary.

**DISPENSATIONS GRANTED 2007 – 2008**Allowing lodges to lease the facility with alcohol being served or not being served

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| May 9, 2007      | St. George #16         | Holding a 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.Party on June 16 <sup>th</sup> all papers have been filed.                                                                                     |
| May 9, 2007      | St. George #16         | Holding a Birthday Party on May 12 <sup>th</sup> . All papers have been filed.                                                                                                  |
| October 11, 2007 | St. Paul's Lodge #82   | Renting the DR and Kitchen for the Annual meeting of the Rose'Crucsians. Toasts will be given. Papers filed                                                                     |
| June 25, 2007    | York Lodge #22         | Allow alcohol to be served at the York County Shrine Club meetings social hour on 7/16, 8/20, 9/5, & 11/16. All papers have been filed.                                         |
| June 26, 2007    | Union Lodge #31        | Renting the downstairs area of the Masonic Hall,on 6/30/2007 for a wedding reception. All papers have been filed.                                                               |
| August 8, 2007   | St. Paul's Lodge #82   | Renting the DR and kitchen for a wedding and reception with a champagne toast on 8/11/2007. All necessary papers have been filed.                                               |
| November 8, 2007 | Newport Masonic Assoc. | Allowing Gerald and Norma Leighton to host a Grand Lodge Christmas party at the Masonic Hall in Newport. Alcohol will be served.                                                |
| January 2, 2008  | St. Paul's Lodge #82   | Renting DR & Kitchen facilities to the Mid Coast Shrine Club for there monthly Meetings. A social time will be held prior to the meeting. All necessary papers have been filed. |
| January 24, 2008 | St. Aspinquid #198     | Hosting a wedding anniversary party on 2/10/08. Alcohol will be served and all papers have been filed.                                                                          |

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| February 22, 2008 | Union Lodge #31      | Renting the downstairs hall to hold a Birthday Party on March 1 <sup>st</sup> .                                                                                                        |
| February 22, 2008 | Union Lodge #31      | Renting the downstairs hall to hold dances on 2/23, 3/1, and 3/8/2008 as fund raisers.                                                                                                 |
| February 22, 2008 | St. George #16       | Renting the downstairs of the lodge hall for a Birthday party on March 8, 2008.                                                                                                        |
| March 19, 2008    | St. Paul's Lodge #82 | Renting the DR and Kitchen for a dance to be held by a non-profit org., the Watershed School, with a social hour prior to the dance where alcohol will be served. Proper papers filed. |

To permit the following lodges to hold a meeting off site

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| May 9, 2007    | Oriental Star #21   | Holding a MM Degree for 2 Candidates in the lodge hall at Canton.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| May 9, 2007    | Piscataquis #44     | Holding an open lodge meeting at the Veterans Home in Bangor on May 20 <sup>th</sup> .                                                                                                                                                                 |
| June 14, 2007  | Oriental Star #21   | Conferring a MM Degree on two candidates in Whitney Lodge #167 Canton as Oriental Star Lodge was not ready for Degree work in June.                                                                                                                    |
| June 28, 2007  | Northern Star #28   | Taking our candidate to Keystone Lodge #80 of Solon for a FC Degree on July 18th.                                                                                                                                                                      |
| August 8, 2007 | Maine Lodge #20     | Holding their stated communications at the Wilton Lodge # 156 Lodge Hall in Wilton until further notice. The lodge hall in Farmington has been sold and no final decision has been made as to what or where Maine Lodge will be meeting in the future. |
| August 8, 2007 | Franklin Lodge #123 | Holding their stated communications at the New Sharon Congregational Church Vestry until completion of the new lodge to be built in New Sharon. This will start in 9/07.                                                                               |



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| January 9, 2008  | Pownal Lodge #119  | Holding a joint semi-public Installation of Officers with Mariners Lodge #68, Searsport. The installation will be on Sunday, January 13, 2008 at 2 P.M. This event has been ongoing for some time. |
| January 31, 2008 | Oriental Lodge #21 | Holding meetings at Whitney Lodge #167, Canton on 2/26, 3/19 & 4/16 to work the EA, FC, & MM degrees on two candidates.                                                                            |

To permit the following lodges to participate in parades and other civic events

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| May 9, 2007      | Benevolent #87    | Having a float in the Annual Carmel Day Parade and march with full regalia on August 4 <sup>th</sup> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| May 25, 2007     | Abner Wade #207   | Participating in a Memorial Day Parade in Sangerville on Monday, May, 28, 2007.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| October 30, 2007 | Lodges 1 – 219    | Having any and all Lodges in the Grand Jurisdiction of Maine march in a Veteran's Day Parade, wearing full regalia. Also, that those Masons attending said parade can also wear Full regalia.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| March 16, 2008   | Harwood Lodge #91 | Forming a procession to march in full Masonic Regalia from the Harwood Lode Building on Center St., to the Historic Burnham Tavern on Main Street where a wreath will be laid and words of commemoration offered. The procession will return via the same route at the conclusion of the ceremony. This event the first celebrating the sesquicentennial of Harwood Lodge will honor the original meeting place Machias area Masons. |

To permit the following lodges to hold outdoor degrees

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| May 9, 2007    | Monument Lodge #96      | Holding an outdoor degree at the First Land Boundary between America and Canada in Amity, Maine. A similar meeting was held at this site in 1977.                                                      |
| May 30, 2007   | Lygonia Lodge #40       | To permit the Lodge to have an outdoor degree on June 21 <sup>st</sup> at Waltham, Maine. This site has been used many times in the past. The Master Mason degree will be conferred on two candidates. |
| June 28, 2007  | Euclid Lodge No. 194    | Hosting the PPDGM Association for an Outdoor degree at Lexington TWP, ME on August 18, 2007 with Northern Star #28                                                                                     |
| June 28, 2007  | Northern Star Lodge #28 | Hosting the PPDGM Association for an Outdoor Degree at Lexington TWP, ME On August 18, 2007 with Euclid Lodge #194                                                                                     |
| July 17, 2007  | Saco Lodge #9           | Holding two outdoor degrees at the Marland Milliken Memorial Lodge on Flag Pond Road. This site has been reviewed and approved for use many times in the past. The dates are 7/28 and 8/25.            |
| August 8, 2007 | Keystone Lodge #80      | Holding an outdoor degree at the home of Lester Smith, Lexington Twp. On August 18, 2007. MM Degree will be exemplified.                                                                               |
| August 8, 2007 | Cumberland Lodge #12    | Exemplifying the Master Mason Degree at an outdoor degree on Sept. 8, 2007 at 1 P.M. followed by a steak BBQ. This site has been used on numerous occasions.                                           |

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| September 4, 2007  | Freeport Lodge #23       | Allowing the Scottish Rite 33 <sup>o</sup> masons to wear their jewels while performing a MM Degree on September 18th.                                                                                       |
| September 9, 2007  | Evening Star Lodge #147  | Holding their 8 <sup>th</sup> Annual Quarry Degree on Sat, Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> at 3 P.M. The degree site is in South Paris and has been used for the past five years.                                     |
| September 9, 2007  | St. Aspinquid Lodge #198 | Traveling to South Paris, ME To participate in the 8 <sup>th</sup> Annual Quarry Degree. The officers of both St. Aspinquid and Evening Star will share the Degree work. The candidate is from St. Aspinquid |
| September 19, 2007 | Washington Lodge #37     | Holding an outdoor degree on Sat., 10-6-2007 at Roosevelt Campobello International Park. The guest officers will be the Grand Lodge Officers and they will be exemplify the MM Degree.                       |

General Dispensations

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| May 9, 2007   | Bethel Lodge No. 97 | Holding a few meetings with Gorham-Sabatis Lodge No. 73 of Gorham, NH. The purpose being to reestablish ties with these two lodges who in the past have joined together. Also NH would like to work some candidates in Bethel while their lodge is under extensive repair. |
| June 24, 2007 | Preble Lodge #143   | Conferring all three degrees between July 9 <sup>th</sup> and July 13 <sup>th</sup> . Candidate is in the Marine Corps. and will be available on those dates prior to shipping out.                                                                                        |

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| July 17, 2007    | Saco Lodge #9         | Holding degree work on the following dates Plus having a stated meeting to read the application of a military candidate. The dates are as follows 7/13 – stated to read application; 7/18 – stated vote on application and do EA degree; 7/20 special for FC degree and special 7/23 for MM degree. Candidate available 7/9-7/26 and then will ship out to Iraq. |
| October 7, 2007  | Belfast Lodge #24     | Having a MM Degree on a candidate in less than two weeks from the time he took FC Degree. He missed his Original FC Degree night due to a vehicle break down on his way to the lodge hall.                                                                                                                                                                       |
| October 8, 2007  | Ralph J. Pollard #217 | Waiving the two week waiting period after the October 4 <sup>th</sup> stated meeting, when we will vote on 3 candidates. We would like one of these candidates to take his EA Degree on October 11 <sup>th</sup> our Inspection.                                                                                                                                 |
| October 17, 2007 | Aroostook Lodge #197  | Hosting on October 20, 2007 an International Night with the Deputy Grand Master of Maine and the District Deputy Grand Master from the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick in attendance.                                                                                                                                                                               |
| October 17, 2007 | Acacia Lodge #121     | Holding a special communication at Baskahegan Lodge #175, Danforth for the purpose of working the Master Mason Degree on Tyler Ridlon. This will be Sat., 11/10/2007.                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| November 8, 2007 | Polar Star Lodge #114 | Working the EA Degree on one candidate for the purpose of Inspection and to waive the time between the ballot and the degree to seven days.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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| December 4, 2007  | Cumberland Lodge #12    | The Honorary Members of Scottish Rite wearing their jewels on December 6 <sup>th</sup> as they serve as guest officers for the Fellowcraft Degree                         |
| December 21, 2007 | Franklin Lodge #123     | Holding a special meeting on December 28, 2007 to have an election of a Master for the lodge as the previously elected Master has declined to serve for personal reasons. |
| January 2, 2008   | Gov. Wm King Lodge #219 | Holding a meeting on 1/3/2008 in which the 33 <sup>o</sup> Masons will be exemplifying the MM Degree in Scottish Rite regalia.                                            |
| January 16, 2008  | Piscataquis Lodge #44   | Holding their meetings at the Masonic Hall in Brownville during the months of Jan. and Feb. in order to conserve money and fuel in the Masonic Hall in Milo.              |
| January 24, 2008  | Cumberland Lodge #12    | Allowing officers and guests to wear Demolay Regalia during the Master Mason Degree to be worked on 1/26/2008 on a former State Master Councilor.                         |
| January 31, 2008  | Yorkshire Lodge #179    | Working a Fellowcraft and Master Mason Degree in the same week as the candidate is a U.S. Marine and will be deployed shortly.                                            |
| February 22, 2008 | King Solomon's #61      | To elect the following officers on March 10 <sup>th</sup> as they were not elected at the Annual Meeting – Secretary and Treasurer.                                       |
| February 22, 2008 | Preble Lodge #143       | Hosting a “Fourth Night Degree”                                                                                                                                           |
| March 19, 2008    | Franklin Lodge #123     | During the months of March and April to move their Charter and properties to their new lodge hall. First meeting scheduled for April 11, 2008.                            |
| April 1, 2008     | Meridian Splendor #49   | Rescheduling the election of officers to elect a Master and Senior Warden. The two elected cannot serve. This meeting will be 5/1/2008.                                   |

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| April 3, 2008  | Yorkshire Lodge #179 | Initiating, passing and the raising of an applicant who is currently serving in the Armed Forces. He is now in NJ, and can come for April 24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> to take degrees.                                                               |
| April 17, 2008 | Deering Lodge #183   | To do the EA Degree on April 21 <sup>st</sup> , and the FC Degree on April 28 <sup>th</sup> seven days after acceptance and seven days after the EA degree. The candidate is going to the Middle East and would like to get his degrees done prior to going. |

**2007-2008  
Amendments and Revisions to By-Laws  
And Raising Dues and Fees**

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| Vassalboro #54        | 6-6-2007   |
| Mt. Bigelow #202      | 6-6-2007   |
| Pacific #64           | 8-15-2007  |
| Deering #183          | 9-19-2007  |
| Northeast Harbor #208 | 9-19-2007  |
| Somerset #34          | 10-11-2007 |
| Mosaic #52            | 10-11-2007 |
| Jefferson #100        | 10-11-2007 |
| Star in the West #85  | 11-27-2007 |
| Arundel #76           | 11-27-2007 |
| Pacific #64           | 11-27-2007 |
| Fraternal #55         | 11-27-2007 |
| Maine #20             | 11-27-2007 |
| Rising Virtue #10     | 11-27-2007 |
| Wilton #156           | 11-27-2007 |
| Monument #96          | 1-16-2008  |
| Webster #164          | 1-16-2008  |
| Asylum #133           | 1-16-2008  |
| Pioneer #72           | 4-3-2008   |
| Orchard #215          | 4-3-2008   |



Wor. Assistant Grand Chaplain Leslie Gray presented the

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To all officers and members of the subordinate lodges in Maine

Once more the time has come for us to remember those Brothers who have labored among us in the vineyard of the Grand Lodge of Maine. This year we have seen Six Hundred and Forty Two (642) Brothers enter the Celestial Lodge above. Among them are the following past Grand Lodge Officers:

**R.W. WILBUR FERRIS LOVEITT**

R.W. Wilbur Ferris Loveitt served the Grand Lodge of Maine as District Deputy Grand Master #14 from 1973-1975, and as Junior Grand Warden in 1979. R.W. Loveitt was a member of Polar Star Lodge #114 where he was raised on March 27, 1957 and served as W.M. in 1964. He was born in Georgetown, Maine on March 14, 1928 and entered into eternal rest in Lewiston, Maine on June 3, 2007. At the time of his death he was survived by his widow, Ethel Loveitt.

Wor. Norman F. Rust, Grand Chaplain, continued:

**R.W. RALPH W. JOHNSON, SR.**

R.W. Ralph W. Johnson, Sr., served the Grand Lodge of Maine as District Deputy Grand Master #13 from 2006 to 2007. He was a member of Euclid Lodge #194. R.W. Johnson was raised on February 6, 1984 and served as W.M. in 2001 to 2003. He was born in Portland, Maine on February 2, 1930 and entered into eternal rest in Waterville, Maine on June 11, 2007. At the time of his death he was survived by his wife, Kathleen Johnson.

Wor. Leslie Gray continued:

**R.W. STANLEY F SAMPSON**

R.W. Stanley F. Sampson served the Grand Lodge of Maine as Grand Junior Deacon from 1972-1973, Junior Grand Warden from 1974-1975, and Grand Marshal from 1978-1979. He was a member of Triangle Lodge #1, where he was raised on June 1, 1949. He served as W.M. in 1956. R.W. Sampson was born in Turner, Maine on February 15, 1916 and entered into eternal rest in Windham, ME on July 15, 2007. At the time of his death he was survived by his wife, Jane Sampson.

Wor Norman F. Rust continued:

**R.W. CHARLES S. BROWN**

R.W. Charles S. Brown served the Grand Lodge of Maine as District Deputy Grand Master #8 in 1964-1965. He served as Grand Standard Bearer in 1966-1967, and as Junior Grand Warden in 1968-1969. R.W. Brown was a member of Belfast Lodge #24. He was raised on February 27, 1950 and served as W.M. in 1958. R.W. Brown was born in Morrill, Maine on May 8, 1926 and entered into eternal rest on August 26, 2007 in Rockport, Maine.

**R.W. WILLIAM ALLEN OLIVER**

R.W. William A. Oliver served the Grand Lodge of Maine as District Deputy Grand Master #6 from 1977-1979. He served as Assistant Grand Lecturer from 1980-1982, and Senior Grand Warden from 1984-1985. R.W. Oliver served as W.M. in 1976. He was raised on May 25, 1950. R.W. Oliver was born in Scranton, PA on April 13, 1928 and entered into eternal rest on September 25, 2007 in Bangor, Maine. At the time of his death he was survived by his wife, Shirley Oliver.

I want to close with this poem by Robert Louis Stevenson, entitled

"HE WALKS AHEAD":

He is not dead, this friend, not dead,  
 But, in the path we mortals tread,  
 Got some few trifling steps ahead,  
 And nearer to the end,  
 So that you, too, once past the bend,  
 Shall meet again, and face to face, this friend  
 You fancy dead.

Wor. Brother Rust: Grand Master, would you call up the Craft for Prayer?

Let us pray:

Almighty Supreme Architect of Heaven and Earth, from whom we come and unto whom our Spirits return, You have been our dwelling place in all generations. You are our refuge and our strength. Grant us, in this hour of remembrance, your blessing so that we may put our trust in You. May our Spirits grow calm and our hearts comforted as we recall these Brethren who have served our Grand Lodge of Masons in Maine so well. Help us to learn from them so that when our journey in this life is ended, we may find ourselves entered into blissful rest in that house not made with hands eternal in the heavens, where all thy children shall find rest. May the parting be temporary and the meeting eternal. And finally, give to us strength for this hour, and for every time of need, and help us faithfully to fulfill the vows we have taken around the Sacred Altar of Free Masonry. All of which we ask in Your names' sake. AMEN

Rev. Norman F. Rust, Grand Chaplain: Grand Master, I move the acceptance of this report and that it be spread upon the record. Motion seconded and carried by **Vote**

of the Craft.

R.W. Hollis G. Dixon, Grand Secretary, presented the

### **REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

This Masonic year has been a busy year with many positive things taking place. As I have previously reported, my goal as Grand Secretary is to provide training for all of our Lodge Secretaries to enable them to work with our new membership program in maintaining the records of their particular lodge.

I have continued to travel around the state while working with Wor. Thomas Heath and his father, R.W. Alan Heath, both of Union, training Lodge Secretaries to access the Grand Lodge Server, via the Internet, for the purpose of maintaining their lodge records on the Grand Lodge computer. During the 2007 – 2008 Masonic year, we have conducted Secretaries Schools in the following ten communities: Dover-Foxcroft; Wells; Madison; Ashland; Ellsworth; Old Town; Union; Lisbon Falls; Phillips and Gorham. The focus of these schools has been to provide our secretaries with the means to work directly on the Grand Lodge Computer and, by so doing, make their job easier, while giving them a program with many more features of which they can take advantage. One of the tasks that many Secretaries have found difficult over the years is compiling the Annual Return. With the present system, a Secretary who faithfully keeps his records up to date on the Grand Lodge Computer can print the Annual Return directly off the computer when it is due and send it to Grand Lodge.

While going through this process of training our Secretaries, we have had many suggestions for features that could be added to the program to improve it. Wor. Brother Tom Heath has taken advantage of their input, has implemented most of their ideas and the program has grown more and more valuable. Numerous Secretaries have taken advantage of this, “work in progress,” by attending several schools and thereby improving their capabilities even more.

In February, I attended the Conference of Grand Secretaries in Louisville, Kentucky. During that conference, I enjoyed a presentation given by the Grand Secretary from the State of Washington concerning a Computer Program for Lodge Secretaries that is very similar to that designed and implemented by Wor. Brother Heath. It was interesting to note that some Grand Secretaries are reluctant to allow their lodge Secretaries to actually make changes on the Grand Lodge Database. Of course, the data that our Secretaries enter into the system does not become a part of the Grand Lodge database until a member of the Grand Lodge Staff checks to ensure that it is

properly entered and then, “saves,” it to the system. I believe that this shows that we are progressive here in Maine.

I want to thank Wor. Brother Thomas Heath for his outstanding dedication and commitment to Grand Lodge, as evidenced by the thousands of hours he has contributed to this project. Not only has he designed and programmed the database, but he has also travelled around the state for the past three years teaching our Secretaries how to work with the system. I also want to thank R.W. Alan R. Heath for the support he has given to Tom in developing the database and assisting with the training process as well. The work that these two Masons have done has saved this Grand Lodge thousands of dollars.

In closing, I also want to thank the ladies that work in the Grand Lodge Office for their dedication and hard work. Julie Irving, Corey Center and Betty Brown take their responsibilities very seriously and always try to accommodate the requests that come in from our lodges and members. I would also thank our Grand Treasurer for his cooperation and assistance as we all work together as a team to keep things running smoothly at Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon  
Grand Secretary

Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move the acceptance of this report. Motion seconded and approved by **Vote** of the Craft.

R.W. Harold E. McKenney, Jr. delivered the Report of the Grand Treasurer:

### **REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

The records of the Grand Lodge of Maine A.F. & A.M. and the Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine for the years ended March 31, 2007 and 2006 have been audited by the accounting firm of Fortin, Howgate, & Harmon and subsequently printed in the Proceedings of 2007. The financial statements were prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting and present fairly, in all material respects the assets, liabilities and net assets of the Grand Lodge and Charitable Foundation for the years then ended.

Subsequent to the issuance of the audited reports the Auditors announced that this would be the last year of them performing the audit due to medical reasons, change in format of performing audits, and age of the principal auditors. We were sorry to

see them go as they worked well with the Office staff and provided necessary advice when needed.

A search of the Auditing firms within the Cumberland County resulted in the Auditing Firm of Macdonald Page & Co LLC being selected by the Finance Committee and the Trustees of the Foundation to perform future audits. Macdonald Page & Co LLC is a well known accounting entity and well versed in the operations of exempt organizations.

Respectfully submitted,

Harold E. McKenney, Jr.  
Grand Treasurer

Grand Treasurer: Most Worshipful Sir, I move that this report be accepted and printed in the Proceedings. Motion seconded and approved by **Vote** of the Brethren.

R. W. Guy F. Chapman delivered the:

### **REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Masons in Maine:

Brethren, your Committee of Finance submits the following report for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2008.

The Finance Committee met seven times since the last Grand Lodge Annual Communication on May 1 & 2, 2007. The Grand Treasurer submitted his report to the Committee at each meeting, as to receipts and disbursements. They were reviewed and found to be in order. In addition, this year the Committee held one meeting at the Grand Lodge offices and reviewed the copies of the actual checks written to insure the checks were made out to the proper creditor. This action was put in place at the recommendation of our accounting firm, Fortin, Howgate & Harmon, and strongly supported by your Grand Treasurer. The review was random and the checks were selected by the members of Finance Committee and not by the employees or officers of the Grand Lodge. Again the Committee feels very fortunate to have R.W. Harold E. McKenney, Jr. as Treasurer and he is to be commended for his excellent work in providing the Committee with timely and informative monthly financial reports necessary to monitor the Grand Lodge financial activity. He, together with the auditors and our attorney continue to work closely on questions relating to IRS matters concerning Grand Lodge accounting procedures.

We have also examined the reports of the previous meetings of the Grand Secretary and find them properly kept. R.W. Hollis G. Dixon and the Grand Lodge Office Staff continue to improve the operations of the office and assist the lodges in their duties and responsibilities. With the assistance of Wor. Tom Heath, the Grand Secretary conducted schools, instructing the lodge secretaries in the use of updating their own files enabling us to look forward to greater efficiency in keeping the records of the Grand Lodge.

Both the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary continue to work very closely to assure there is a fair and equitable allocation of administration and other fixed costs between Grand Lodge and the Charitable Foundation. These expenses are reviewed and revised annually and approved by both the Finance Committee and the Foundation 's Trustees. This is a very labor intensive job and both of these brothers are to be commended for serving in their respective positions.

Each meeting was opened with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of our Country. At the first meeting on May 16, 2007 the three new members of the committee were introduced and instructed as to their duties on the finance committee. They were also advised and received a copy of the Operating Motions of the Grand Lodge Finance Committee. The Grand Treasurer also distributed a copy of the Operating Motions to each of the Grand Lodge Committees. This was also done with the Grand Lodge Property Control Policy.

One of the most beneficial accomplishments this past year was the installation of the new insurance program, offered by Hanover Insurance Company. The insurance committee headed by R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen and assisted by Van E. Sullivan, Walter C. Smythe and Frederick B. Lunt, Jr. deserves a round of applause for the savings they have made for the lodges and the expanded coverage for the brothers. The increase of the premium from \$0.50 to \$0.78 per member has proven beneficial to the members for the additional coverage received and the opportunity for the lodges to take advantage of the savings on the fire insurance offered by the Hanover Insurance Company. This has saved some lodges between \$400 and \$800 per lodge. R.W. Kyllonen is presently working with the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star to include the Ladies in our coverage. The male members are already covered.

One of the major changes this year was the requirement of the IRS for all of the lodges who have earnings of less than \$25,000 to file the 990N form electronically. Our treasurer, R.W. Harold McKenney, Jr. advised the lodge secretaries of the method and how to file the form. The Auditor, Mr. Roger Fortin, explained to the committee, that the failure of the lodges to file could mean the loss of their 501 (c) (10) status. The failure of the Lodges to comply with this requirement of IRS would not affect the exempt status of the Grand Lodge or the Charitable Foundation.

At the suggestion of the Auditor, the committee agreed to meet at the Grand Lodge on October 17<sup>th</sup> to examine the books and records of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary. This included the inspection of the checks written. The committee met as scheduled and found the books and records to be in good order.

Also at this meeting, the committee approved the transfer of unused funds from the Northeast Conference to cover the cost of the printing of the new Pollard Plan Booklets.

At the November 14, meeting held in Lewiston at the Ramada Inn the Grand Treasurer noted that the Grand Master's Contingency Fund was overdrawn by \$215.00. After a discussion on the cost of operation, it was voted to increase the Grand Master's Contingency Fund from \$8,500 to \$13,500. This is the first increase in a number of years and with the increase in the cost of fuel and the spin-off cost to other living expenses it was strongly felt that the fund should be increased if the future Grand Masters were to continue to make their visitations to the districts and other necessary visitations. The Grand Lodge Charitable Foundation increased their fund from \$3,000 to \$4,000 making the total fund \$17,500. The Deputy Grand Master's Contingency was increased to \$1,200.

The January 16, 2008 meeting, held in Lewiston, discussed the proposed increase of \$30,000 in the Annual Budget. As a result it was voted and approved to ask for an increase in the Per Capita Tax of 10%. The present Tax is \$9.65 and would increase to \$10.60 when rounded to the nearest \$0.05 as the Constitution allows. This move was felt necessary in order to attempt to keep pace with the current increases in the cost of living and inflation.

The Grand Master also advised October, 2008 will be Maine month at the George Washington Masonic Memorial in Arlington, VA, and we should prepare to sponsor a trip to the Memorial for some of the Grand Lodges Officers. It was recommended that the money from the Membership Development line item be utilized to fund that trip to the Memorial.

Tom Heath requested that the Past District Deputies Association, Mid Coast Past Masters Association and the Lodge of Research be authorized to access the Grand Lodge server in the same fashion as the lodge secretaries are authorized to do. The First and Second District Past Masters Association of New Brunswick were also included in the request which was voted and approved by the committee.

The next meeting was held after the fiscal year ended on April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Prior to this meeting I was informed by the Grand Treasurer that our bonding had been cancelled and that the bonding agent was unable to find a company to bond the Grand Lodge due to the recent loss as a result of the embezzlement of funds. At the April meeting the issue was discussed and explained to the committee. The Bonding companies require that the accounts cannot be reconciled by the same people that write the checks, withdraw funds, and make deposits. It has been the practice for the Grand Treasurer to reconcile these accounts, in the past. The committee has asked that another employee at Grand Lodge office be designated as the one to do the reconciliation of all of the accounts. The Grand Lodge has two full time and one part time employee, besides the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary. The work will take an additional time of two or three days a month and increase the work load on one of the full time employees. The part time employee will most likely have to

take over some of the overload which will most likely increase the cost of the office expense.

Because of the retirement of Roger Fortin, his firm will no longer be able to handle our audit. After a bidding process submitted to several firms in the Portland area, the committee voted to engage the services of MacDonald Page as the Grand Lodge auditors.

In closing, your Finance Committee makes the following recommendations:

1. The actions of the Finance Committee be ratified and confirmed.
2. The reports of the Grand Treasurer and Auditor be accepted and incorporated into the records of this annual communication.
3. The Budget for the fiscal year of 2008-2009 be adopted and funded.
4. The per capita tax be increased by 10% from \$9.65 to \$10.60.

Most Worshipful, I move the acceptance of the report and the adoption of the recommendations therein contained which includes the adoption of the budget for the fiscal year 2008-2009 and the increase of the per capita tax.

Respectively submitted,

R.W. Guy F. Chapman, Chairman  
Wor. Thomas A. Heath  
Wor. Robert J. Landry, Sr.  
R.W. Alvin O. McDonald  
R.W. Frank A. Theriault, Jr.

The motion was seconded and approved by **VOTE** of the Brethren.

The Grand Secretary delivered the Report on Annual Returns:

#### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

We are pleased to be able to provide this report of our review of the Annual Returns. This year's numerical loss is 511 and the percentage is 2.41%. At the close of the calendar year the total membership was 21,066. Forty-four Lodges reported a gain



in membership; one hundred fifteen lodges a loss and twenty-nine remained the same.

Lygonia Lodge No. 40 has the largest membership at the present time with 444. Freedom Lodge No. 42 is the smallest at 39. Corner Stone Lodge No. 216 at Portland suffered the greatest loss [35]. The average membership is 119 and 83 lodges reported fewer than 100 members. The following table shows comparisons for the past five years:

|                        | <u>2003</u>   | <u>2004</u>   | <u>2005</u>   | <u>2006</u>   | <u>2007</u>   |
|------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Initiated              | 462           | 502           | 477           | 442           | 529           |
| Raised                 | 412           | 426           | 428           | 414           | 460           |
| Affiliated             | 137           | 131           | 145           | 274           | 139           |
| Reinstated             | 68            | 48            | 70            | 67            | 89            |
| Demitted               | 109           | 139           | 150           | 252           | 141           |
| Suspended              | 2             | 2             | 2             | 5             | 8             |
| Suspended NPD          | 322           | 320           | 342           | 252           | 310           |
| Deprived of Membership | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             | 0             |
| Expelled               | 0             | 2             | 0             | 0             | 0             |
| Died                   | 788           | 723           | 729           | 641           | 740           |
| Net gain (loss)        | (604)         | (581)         | (580)         | (395)         | (511)         |
| Number of Members      | 24,006        | 23,446        | 22,819        | 22,351        | 21,122        |
| Dual Members           | -64           | -51           | -73           | -50           | -56           |
|                        | <u>23,942</u> | <u>23,395</u> | <u>22,746</u> | <u>22,301</u> | <u>21,066</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon, Chairman  
David A. Walker  
Carlo P. Bianchi

Grand Secretary: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move the acceptance of this report and that, when completed, it be spread upon the record. Motion seconded and passed by **Vote** of the Brethren.

The Grand Master presented the Josiah Hayden Drummond Distinguished Service Medal to:

### **ROBERT ROMAINE LANDRY**

R.W. Robert R. Landry was born in Palmyra, Maine and raised in Hartland and St. Albans. He attended school in St. Albans and graduated from Hartland Academy.

Brother Robert served in the U.S. Army for three years, which included a tour of duty in Germany. He returned home to Maine and in 1966 he married Diane Ballard and they have made St. Albans their home. They are the proud parents of two children, a son, Adam and a daughter, Lisa. Adam is a retired Lt. Commander from

the Navy and Lisa has her PhD in accounting and teaches at the State University of New York at Oneonta.

Brother Bob has been, for many years, a very active member of his community. He has been a Boy Scout leader, a baseball coach, and an instructor in Hunting Safety.

R.W. Robert R. Landry was raised in Corinthian Lodge #95 of Hartland on March 6, 1963 and has served his lodge as Worshipful Master five times. Masonry has always been an important part of his life. He belongs to Ira Berry Royal Arch Chapter, Mount Lebanon Council of Royal and Select Masters, DeMolay Commandery, Knights Templar of Skowhegan, and Anah Shrine in Bangor. He is also a member of Scottish Rite, Valley of Portland and joined Evening Star Chapter, No. 189 Order of the Eastern Star and served one year as Worthy Patron. Brother Bob's father and brother are also members of the Craft.

Brother Robert has given many years of service to this Grand Lodge starting in 1979. He was appointed District Deputy Grand Master by M.W. Roger Snelling. He served as an Assistant Grand Lecturer for three years and then was appointed Grand Lecturer in 2001 and served in this capacity until 2005. He was elected Senior Grand Warden in 2005 and Deputy Grand Master in 2006. He is also the Grand Representative to Saskatchewan.

Brother Robert R. Landry you are about to start the most exciting and challenging year of your life, a task that you have long prepared to assume. You have dedicated many years of service to this Grand Jurisdiction and because of that outstanding service, I am honored to award you the Josiah H. Drummond Medal.

R.W. Robert R. Landry: Thank you very much Most Worshipful. This is indeed a surprise and a great honor. I feel very humble to receive such a prestigious award. Thank you very much.

R.W. Brother Landry received a standing ovation from the Brethren.

Wor. Thomas Heath delivered the

### **PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE:**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren all:

|                              |                 |     |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| Number of Lodges represented | 162 X 3 Votes = | 486 |
| Grand Lodge Officers         |                 | 62  |
| Permanent Members            |                 | 30  |
| Total Ballots distributed    |                 | 578 |
| Lodges Not Represented       |                 | 25  |
| Grand Representatives        |                 | 36  |

Lodges not represented: Lincoln No. 3, Solar No. 14, St. George No. 16, Temple No. 25, Casco No. 36, Mosaic No. 52, Blue Mountain No. 67, Standish No. 70, Eureka No. 84, Star in the West No.85, Island No 89, Seaside No. 144, Siloam No. 92, Nezinscot No. 101, Paris No. 94, Jefferson 100, Olive Branch No. 124, Lewy's Island No. 138, Ocean No. 142, Tyrian No. 73, Composite No 168, Baskahegan No. 175 , Springvale No. 190, Mystic Tie No. 154, Moses Webster No. 145

Fraternally submitted,

Wor. Thomas Heath  
Wor. Carl Trynor

M.W. Wayne T. Adams delivered the Report of the:

### **COMMITTEE ON MASONIC JURISPRUDENCE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

It is the duty of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence to review the directives, dispensations and decisions of the Grand Master, determine if they are in compliance with our Constitution and recommend to the Annual Communication whether or not they should be ratified.

This year there were no directives or decisions, and the number of dispensations issued by the Grand Master was fewer than in previous years. The dispensations fall into three categories.

First, there are dispensations to permit participation in parades, to permit outdoor degrees and to permit meetings off site. This year there were twenty-three such dispensations. We find all of them to be regular and within the prerogatives of the Grand Master and recommend that they be ratified at this Annual Communication.

The second category of dispensations deals with procedural matters of which six related to the time periods between balloting and the first degree and between the three degrees. These dispensations require particular attention because our Constitution is so explicit on this matter. The general rule supported by long standing custom is that dispensations allowing slight deviations can be made to accommodate the candidate only, but not for the convenience of the Lodge. An example of the first would be a dispensation to accommodate a candidate who is a member of the armed forces on short home leave. An example of the second would be a dispensation for the convenience of a Lodge which simply did not have a candidate ready for its inspection. In reviewing these six dispensations, we find that five of them were clearly to accommodate the candidate. It appears that the remaining dispensation may, on its face, have been for the convenience of the Lodge. However, since the Grand Master has used the power of dispensation sparingly, we

give him the benefit of the doubt and, accordingly, we recommend that all of these procedural dispensations be ratified by this Annual Communication.

The third category of dispensation involves alcohol. In the past we have examined carefully the supporting documents required for these dispensations, and we have been outspoken with respect to the deficiencies we found. This year, in the belief that an adequate review process has been put in place, we accept the Grand Secretary's representation that all of the supporting documents were in order. However, we encourage future committees to revisit compliance with Standing Regulation 75 reminding them that non-compliance has both civil and criminal liability implications. Again, in the belief that an adequate review process is now in place, we recommend that all thirteen of these dispensations be ratified by this Annual Communication.

Grand Master, this Committee moves the acceptance of this report and the approval of the recommendations made therein.

Respectfully Submitted,

M.W. Wayne T. Adams, Chairman  
R.W. Paul L. Hazard  
R.W. Gerald A. Gannett

The Motion was seconded and approved by **Vote** of the Brethren present.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, Would you please present to the East, Most Worshipful Brother Shelton D. Redden, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland and its Jurisdictions, Inc.?

Most Worshipful Shelton D. Redden:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Gerald Leighton, Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of the Great Jurisdiction of Maine, Distinguished Visitors, Grand Masters, Deputy Grand Masters and all:

To my Brothers in the audience, and I do think it is, "Good morning." Brethren: "Good morning." You know, that response reminds me of a friend of mine that visited a Prince Hall Lodge and he just recently went out as Cedars Grand Master and he called me and he said, "Shelton, my God, I was the only white guy in the whole lodge." I can't wait till I leave this podium so I can call him and say," I know exactly how you felt." *Laughter.*

I'm very delighted. I'm privileged. I'm humbled and I'm distinguished to have this opportunity to say good morning to you in the manner in which your Most Worshipful Grand Master has allowed me to. I bring you greetings from the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland and its Jurisdictions. I also bring you greetings from the Council of Grand Masters Prince Hall, which consists of

forty-eight jurisdictions and will meet in Louisville on the fifteenth through eighteenth May in the next couple weeks. There are so many things that we can talk about and so many things that we need to discuss. Grand Master Leighton very sophisticatedly put it this morning that in the years to come, our children will say, "Why not?" Well that's in the parochial areas of Maine. In the hood of Washington, D.C. and Baltimore, They'll simply say, "What the hell where they waiting on?" **Laughter.**

We have unified our efforts in the jurisdiction of Maryland. I have been blessed to meet and greet some of the finest men that I have ever known and I never knew that out of this would come a friend for life in Ron Belanger, who is the Most Worshipful Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Maryland, who is now vacationing in Columbus, Ohio with his granddaughter. I simply state to you, several things, which I'm very serious about. I can't help the way I look. God made me the way he wanted me to be. But I want you to get beyond what I look like and I want you to get into what I feel. I want you to examine my character. I want you to examine my proficiency in Masonry. I want you to investigate the complexity of my personality and I want you to find after all these examinations that I am a true Master Mason. I believe in its principles. I believe in its morality. I believe in the extension of Brotherhood beyond the capacity of what I see and what I can feel and what I can hear. I believe in liking and loving those that I have never met and I want the opportunity to shake hands with a man that I have never greeted previously. That's what I want you to understand about Shelton Redden.

I'm very distinguished to have with me a very supporting staff, my Deputy Grand Master who has never asked me, Grand Master, when are you going to leave this seat. And I appreciate that because it allows me to continue with the programs that we have on the Trestle board. I present to you, Right Worshipful Thomas H. Wise, Jr., my Deputy Grand Master. **Applause.**

We had a young man come forth that wanted to identify Masonic paraphernalia in a different light. He designed a ring especially for those in Maryland that we have on several occasions now been able to offer to other jurisdictions. He's my special projects man, he's Dwayne Wright, Right Worshipful Past Grand Master of my main State Lodge No. 1939. **Applause.**

There's an adage on television that you hear often. I think it's either a blue card or a purple card, whoever offers it. It's by American Express and they say, don't leave home without it. I don't leave home without my special assistant, Right Worshipful Andrew Pryor. **Applause.**

Most Worshipful Sir, I thought the big bang in life was only on Kilroy but you have proved to me today that the big bang in live is Brotherhood. You've extended to me the opportunity to speak to your craft. You've extended to me the hospitality of your graciousness. I'm deeply humbled and I'm deeply appreciative. I want you to remember one thing after I leave this podium, that God made us all. Thank you very much.

M.W. Brother Shelton Redden was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, you will present to the East, Most Worshipful Brother Richard Fletcher, Past Grand Master of Vermont and Executive Secretary of the Masonic Services Association of North America.

M.W. Richard Fletcher: Grand Master, thank you very much for this opportunity to say Hi to the Brothers from Maine and to especially recognize two of your lodges. A few years ago, the Conference of Grand Masters of North America asked MSA if we would, through the Information Center, look into Masonic awareness and see what we could do to make our communities and our members more aware of what being a Free Mason really means. So we went into the report, "It's about time," which many of you have seen and it's on our Web Site. And anytime I refer to the Web Site, it's just our initials, MSANA.com and we put, "It's about time" on there and we talked about Free Masonry, where it's been, where it is and where we need to be.

One of the things we quickly realized that in Free Masonry, if it's going to happen it's going to happen in the lodge. And if the lodges aren't behind it, it isn't going to happen. So we developed as an incentive to the lodges, to become aware of Masonic awareness, the Twain Award, which is to recognize those lodges that are in their community and who are making people aware of what Free Masonry is. We did not set up a program and say, "You must do these ten things. You are in your communities, you know what needs to be done in your community and you should know that the people in the community know who you are."

The Grand Master, in his talk, talked about movies and books that have defined Free Masonry. My Brothers, we do not need to be defined by fiction writers. I don't care if they are writers of fiction in books or whether they make up their fiction as movie script. They've been very helpful, I guess you'd say, to Free Masonry but they have only partially defined us. The only ones that can define the Fraternity are those of us who are in it. It is our responsibility that when we are doing projects in our community that we know why we are doing them, what we expect them to accomplish and then go back and review what we did to see what effect it had. And that is how the Twain Award came about. And that's why two lodges today are going to be recognized for the special efforts they made. Now the interesting thing is nothing they did can't be done by any lodge here. Whether you do precisely the same thing or something else you recognize in your community is up to you. But Masonic awareness begins in lodge and then extends into the community.

Grand Master, it would be a great honor if you would call our two winning lodges, the members present, to the East, that's Saco and Monument lodges and I would be greatly honored if you would make the actual presentation of the Twain Award to the members of the lodges.

Grand Master: Thank you Grand Master, would the members of those two lodges please rise? Brother Grand Marshal, gather that group up, get them down here.

The Grand Master and M.W. Brother Fletcher presented the Twain Award, in the form of a Crystal Trophy, to Saco Lodge No. 9. R.W. Carl Marsano, R.W. Joel Tripp and two Brothers from Saco Lodge No. 9 accepted the award.

The Grand Master and M.W. Brother Fletcher presented the Twain Award, in the form of a Crystal Trophy, to Monument Lodge No. 96. R.W. Richard Rhoda, R.W. N. James Coolong and two Brothers from Monument Lodge No. 96 accepted the award.

Grand Master: These two particular lodges are recognized but let me tell you that while travelling around this Grand Jurisdiction, I can't tell you how proud I am of all of you for the work that you do in the communities. Society at large needs Free Masonry and you've all taken the opportunity to do that. Congratulations.

M.W. Richard Fletcher: Grand Master, thank you for your kindness in allowing some time for that. This next one perhaps you didn't know about. But then we don't always tell Grand Masters everything. Would you join me for a moment? You know you have done so very many things for MSA, not the least of which, having Past Grand Master Wayne Adams helping us with our Hospital Program and our programs around the state. I know we have some of our Hospital Representatives here today. Would you stand if you are in here now? If you see any of our reps., would you please give them a little pat on the shoulder and say thanks for what they are doing? Now I'll just give you one illustration.

My wife, Judy, and I go over to the D.C.V.A. on Sunday and Mr. Moore and Ms. Dixon are two of our regulars that come over to church and they're both in motorized wheel chairs and you can hear them coming down the hallway and you can hear them fussing at each other, "Get out of our way," "Don't back up." "You're going to hit me," "Don't hit that wall," You know what makes it interesting, each one of them is 101 years old. I just want to mention that to you. To say to you, those are the folks we are seeing every day, on your behalf, all across this great country. And it's one of those programs that is so gratifying and so heart-warming, that I would ask you, if you have an opportunity, visit a V.A. or a State Veterans' Home. As our young Grand Worthy Advisor said this morning, she made that a project this year. I can't tell you how much the faces light up when the kids come in. Because for many Veterans, they don't have any family, except the Free Masons.

So, thanks for your support and Grand Master, the Masonic Service Association of North America, "Behold how good and how pleasant it is for Brethren to work together in Unity." This is a Certificate of Appreciation presented to Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master of Maine. In sincere appreciation of your abiding interest in and strong support for the Masonic Service Associations Program. You have given time for our National Hospital Visitation Program by personally visiting hospitalized Veterans and you have encouraged the MSA Representatives, Deputies and Volunteers of Maine. With this certificate, go our best wishes for continued success in service to our gentle craft. These are words, Grand Master, but I can't tell you

how deeply and how sincerely they are meant. You've been just a bedrock for us and we'll never be able to thank you enough but this is just a small way of saying, to the Brothers of Maine, how much we appreciate what they have done for MSA and our Veterans and most especially, how much you have done. Thank you Grand Master. Thank you Brothers.

***The Grand Master was accorded a standing ovation by the craft.***

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please present to the East, R.W. Brother Ralph Knowles?

R.W. Ralph Knowles: Most Worshipful Grand Master, With the assistance of Arundel Lodge No. 76, Kennebunkport, Maine, on April 7, 2007, I went to the Rededication and Reobligation Night in honor of the first Fraternal visit by a Prince Hall Grand Master to the Grand Lodge of Maine. And I thought that was so special, that for the Grand Lodge of Maine and because of your efforts, and the efforts of Arundel Lodge I had the program signed by all of the Grand Masters present, including yourself, and I present this to you because I believe it really was a historic meeting of the Grand Lodge and the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts.

***Standing ovation by the Brethren.***

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please present to the East, R.W. Brother Frank M. Theriault?

**FRANK MERRILL THERIAULT, JR.**

Brother Frank M. Theriault, Jr. was born in Lubec, Maine the son of Frank Sr. and Alice Theriault on April 19, 1963. He has three sisters; Judy, Nancy and Sherry in addition to four brothers; Martin, Paul, Brian and Robert.

Brother Frank graduated with honors from Lubec High School in June of 1981. He then attended Eastern Maine Vocational Technical Institute, graduating in 1983. For the next seven years he worked in the shipyard at Portsmouth N.H., as a Machinist. He received a diploma as a Marine Machinery Mechanic under the sponsorship of the Department of the Navy on October 18, 1987. Brother Frank then returned down east and worked at Gardner Lake Fish Hatchery for 15 years. Presently he is Head of Maintenance at the Machias Veterans Home.

R.W. Theriault was raised a Master Mason in Washington Lodge No. 37, Lubec on May 7, 1992. He was installed Worshipful Master of his Lodge on December 5, 1996 and is Past District Deputy Grand Master of the Second Masonic District, having received the 2<sup>nd</sup> District Masonic Service Award in 2005 and is also Past Senior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

He was exalted in the Royal Arch Chapter of Lubec on January 21, 1993. He is a Past High Priest of his Chapter and is presently serving as Secretary. He also served



as District Deputy Grand High Priest. Brother Frank was knighted in Hugh de Payens Commandery No. 15, Calais on April 23, 1994. He is a Past Commander and presently Secretary. He was greeted in St. Croix Council, Calais on September 8, 2000 and is an officer at the present time.

Brother Frank is also a member of Scottish Rite in both the Valley of Bangor and the Valley of Portland and is also a member of Anah Shrine in Bangor. He joined Orion Chapter No. 45 Order of the Eastern Star on November 12, 2004 and has served as Worthy Patron in 2007 & 2008.

Brother Frank is a strong supporter of Calais Assembly No. 18, Order of Rainbow for Girls serving on their Advisory Board for 3 years and as a past member of the State Executive Board. He is also a recipient of the Grand Cross of Color. Brother Frank's service to the International Order of Rainbow for Girls and the Grand Assembly of Maine earned him the "Advisor of the Year" Award in 2006.

Brother Frank has been very active in his community serving several years in various capacities with the local baseball, soccer and basketball teams. He also is a member of the West Lubec United Methodist Church.

When he served this Grand Lodge as its Senior Grand Warden, Right Worshipful Theriault took a leadership role in quantifying the Scholarship Program administered by the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation. Understanding the needs of those seeking higher education and the needs of the foundation, he was presented with an opportunity to present to the foundation a change in direction. As a member of the Grand Lodge Leadership Team, he spared no effort to be a contributing member and traveled numerous miles and hours on our behalf. He continues to serve this Grand Lodge on the Grand Lodge Finance Committee. The task of keeping our fixed costs in line and still providing the necessary funds to support the effort of serving the lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction is a task he engages in with vision and dedication.

"R.W. Brother Theriault, for your time, thought and services to Free Masonry in Maine and the work you have accomplished, I am pleased to present to you the Simon Greenleaf Medal for distinguished contributions to Free Masonry."

***Brother Theriault received a standing ovation by the Brethren.***

R.W. Frank Theriault: **WOW!!!** Most Worshipful, Brethren all, it has been a pleasure to serve and to work for the Craft. You don't know what this means to me. This is a humbling experience. I've enjoyed my sixteen years in this outfit and hopefully, I'm going to enjoy more. I urge you, and you've heard me before. If you haven't attended a Rainbow Assembly you're missing out on some of the best work in Free Masonry. So please, go and see our girls. And if you really want to see some work, come to Husson College on the weekend after Memorial Day and see our Grand Officers at work. I promise I won't sing again. I drove the crowd away that night. I hope. I'll never do that again. Thank you from the bottom of my heart. I appreciate this to no end. You don't know; you've hit me, I guess. Thank you Most Worshipful.

Grand Master: Brethren, it is almost an opportunity for us to break for lunch. I have a couple of announcements; One of which is, Don't block the doors. There is a bag lunch that the ladies of the Eastern Star have prepared for us, we've got free tickets. Wander outside the door, get your free tickets, get your lunch and you can enjoy yourselves.

I do have two administrative announcements that I need to make:

Wednesday – There will be no parking permitted in the Hannaford Parking Lot because they are going to do some paving. And they'll tow you away some quick. You can park behind the Hannaford's but away from the loading areas. So if you park close to the loading areas, probably one of those semis is going to do some rearranging of your fenders for you. It is important that you understand that luncheon is available for you.

Also, the Hotel has set up Killarney's at the other end of the hotel. There is a lunch buffet for those of you that prefer the lunch buffet to the sandwiches we have for you. I need to remind you that we are one committee behind, which means that we need to pick up this afternoon. So we will reconvene at 1:15 p.m. No later. We need to start our business at 1:15 p.m., so if you're outside the door, the door will be closed at that time.

It has been an extraordinary morning. I think you've all done very well and I thank you for your cooperation. If we can keep on schedule then we will pick up most of the important business of the day. I would tell the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution that they will be first after lunch and the Committee on Insurance will report and after that the Fraternal Relations Committee. So if you can be prompt and be ready to present those reports, it will be appreciated.

Grand Master: Brother Chaplain, you will please lead us in our devotions.

V.W. W. Daniel Hill, Grand Chaplain, delivered a prayer before the lunch break.

Grand Master: Waiving the usual signs and ceremonies, I declare this 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge at refreshment, to be resumed at 1:15 p.m. at the sound of the gavel.

1:15 P.M. At the sound of the Gavel, Grand Master Gerald S. Leighton stated:

I now declare this lodge of Master Masons from refreshment to labor. We will now hear the report from the

## **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

M.W. Robert V. Damon: Most Worshipful Grand Master:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Your Committee on Amendments has reviewed the proposed amendments presented at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge in 2007; tabled for action until 2008 and should now be removed from the table and acted upon. I move that they be removed at this time, and processed in the order in which they were received. Motion seconded. Motion carried by **Vote** of the Brethren.

The first to be presented falls under, Powers and Duties of Lodges in the Constitution as Section 90.1. This has already been distributed to you in a current copy of the Maine Mason. The proposed amendment is to change the Initiation Fee for candidates, from \$ 2.00 to \$ 5.00.

Section 90.1 would then read:

**Sec 90.1.** Each lodge shall pay annually towards the support of the Grand Lodge a per capita tax of Nine Dollars and sixty five cents (\$9.65) each for all of its members, including honorary members and those absent from the state and Five Dollars (\$5.00) for every candidate initiated, provided however, said per capita tax shall be adjusted annually in accordance with the report of the Finance Committee as presented pursuant to Section 35, provided further however, that said per capita tax shall not be increased in any one year by more than an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the previous tax, rounded to the nearest five cents. Provided, that annual dues shall not be paid to the Grand Lodge for any honorary members who at the time such honorary membership was conferred was an active member of another lodge.

When I sent a copy of this proposal to the other members of my committee, I included a transmittal letter with my comments. And we seem to be in agreement and I merely said, the proposed amendment to Section 90.1 is probably necessary to cope with ever rising cost of operations. How much increased income it would generate is unknown to me as there is no easy way to predict how many candidates will be initiated. I would, however, be in favor of the increase and this committee is in favor of the proposed change.

Discussion: Roger Emmons, Master of Lebanon Lodge No. 116: We're going from 2.00 to 5.00 dollars and that's a pretty good, hefty, percentage rate and with the

economy the way it is, a lot of people in lodges , even new Brothers coming in and some with the age of sixty-five, we do get some once in a while, I wouldn't mind seeing maybe a \$ 2.00 but a \$ 3.00 raise, it's a pretty good percentage in one whack. Thank you.

Robert Haines: Most Worshipful Grand Master, Brother Robert Haines, Cornerstone 216, Portland. What's the last time this fee was raised? Does anybody remember because I think it has been that long? If we had been inching it up over the years, we'd probably be asking for a lot more than five. What I don't recall is the initiation fee; is that set by Grand Lodge?

Grand Master: Each lodge sets its own fees. Brother Haines: So a lodge can adjust its own application fee to cover this? Grand Master: That's correct. Thank you.

Grand Master: All those in favor of changing the initiation fee to Five Dollars, please signify with your Voting card. Those opposed. Motion passed.

M.W. Robert V. Damon: The second proposal falls under Section 36, "*Standing Committees*" and would add Committee No. 15, reading as follows:

**No. 15. On the Maine Masonic College.** The Maine Masonic College shall be governed by a Board of Regents appointed for staggered three year terms and shall carry out its mission all in accordance with By-laws from time to time approved by the Grand Master.

The proposed amendment to Section 36 would merely add another committee to the existing list of Standing Committees and it is necessary it seems as we now have a Maine Masonic College, an all Masonic structure. Your committee is in favor of this.

Grand Master: You've heard the report of the committee on changes to the constitution concerning the Maine Masonic College. Is there any discussion on this?

M.W. Charles E. Ridlon: M.W. Grand Master, I have no problem with the proposed amendment, only with the fact that you're making it three years and not two years for a committee, which kind of puts that committee in place for every changing Grand Master. I would think a two year committee would be like all the other committees we have. I would think it would be up to the Grand Master to appoint his committee.

Grand Master: Any other discussion? Hearing none; Voting cards please; all those in favor? All opposed? It is a **Vote**.

M.W. Robert V. Damon: This concludes the committee's report.

Respectfully submitted,  
Robert V. Damon  
Kenneth L. Richardson  
Alvin O. McDonald

M.W. Brother Damon: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that this report be accepted and printed in the Annual Proceedings. Motion seconded.

Grand Master: A motion has been made and seconded to accept the report. All those in favor? Opposed? Motion carries.

The Grand Master called for the report of the Committee on Fraternal Relations. R.W. C. Herbert Annis, Chairman, read the report.

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL RELATIONS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The Committee often receives questions about what constitutes the standards for recognition by Grand Lodge. The standards for recognition, established by the Conference of Grand Masters of North America, are:

1. Legitimacy of Origin.
2. Exclusive territorial jurisdiction except by mutual consent and/or a treaty.
3. Adherence to the Ancient Landmarks, specifically:
4. Belief in God, the Grand Architect of the Universe.
5. The Volume of the Sacred Law is an indispensable part of the furniture of a lodge and
6. The prohibition of the discussion of politics and religion.

**Andorra:** Andorra is a small principality in the Pyrenees Mountains between Spain and France. Five lodges exist. Four established by the French National Grand Lodge and one by the Grand Lodge of Spain. The National Grand Lodge of France constituted the District Grand Lodge of Andorra on April 25, 1998 and consecrated the Grand Lodge Andorra in September of 2000. They meet all the criterion above for recognition and your committee on fraternal relations recommends that the Grand Lodge of Maine join with many other Grand Lodges and establish Amity with the Grand Lodge of Andorra.

**Slovenia:** The Grand Lodge of Austria consecrated the Grand Lodge of Slovenia in 1999. It has four subordinate lodges and approximately one hundred and fifty one members. Slovenia is a small country bounded by Italy, Hungary, Austria and Croatia. It meets the criteria established by the Conference of Grand Masters of North America. Your Committee on Fraternal Relations recommends the recognition of the Grand Lodge of Slovenia.

Masonry is growing in numbers and as an important force in many parts of the world. However, for those travelling the globe, the Masonic family is not without its problems.

**Bulgaria:** There has been schism in Masonry in Bulgaria since 2001. The only Grand Lodge recognized there by most regular Grand Lodges worldwide is the United Grand Lodge of Bulgaria. While previous attempts to reconcile this schismation have not been fruitful, very recent discussions have been encouraging.

**Philippines:** In 2006, nine lodges in two Masonic Districts declared their independence when they recognized the Grand Lodge of the Philippines, calling themselves the Independent Grand Lodge of the Philippines. They do not have exclusive territorial jurisdiction and have been declared clandestine.

**Russia:** There has been a degree of instability in Russian Free Masonry for a number of years and unrest still prevails. The current controversy centers around the legitimacy of an extraordinary assembly of the Grand Lodge of Russia held on May 29 and 30, 2006. At which time two opposing factions held two separate meetings and elected different Grand Masters. Thus the Grand Lodge of Russia has two men claiming to be the Grand Master. In an attempt to resolve this situation a special election was held on June 30, 2007. There were six observers present from England, France and the United States. The situation has not yet been fully resolved, however, the Grand Lodge of Russia is still considered to meet the standards of recognition.

**England:** An organization calling itself the Grand Lodge of All England and claiming to predate the Grand Lodge of England is presenting itself as a legitimate Grand Lodge in England. It claims to trace its roots to a lodge in York founded in 1705 and styled a Grand Lodge in 1725 called the Old Grand Lodge at York and later the Grand Lodge of All England at York. It went dormant in 1740 and was revised in 1761 and went dormant again in 1791 until 2005 when an Assembly of Masons met and reclaimed English Free Masonry on behalf of its rightful custodian. The story is unfolding. It is the opinion of the Commission on Information for Recognition that the Grand Lodge of All England does not meet the standards of Recognition.

**Unification of Czech Free Masonry:** During an impressive and festive ceremony on March 8, 2008, attended by Grand Masters of Germany, Austria, Poland, and eleven other countries, Free Masonry in Czech Republic was united when the Grand Lodge called the Czech Grand Orient was formally integrated into the Grand Lodge of Czech Republic. The District Grand Lodge of Slovakia was constituted at the meeting as the final step before constitution of the new Grand Lodge of Slovakia. A brief History of Free Masonry in these countries demonstrates its importance to the Freemasons in Bohemia and across the globe. Masonry was introduced and flourished in the 1700s but was prohibited during the 1800s under the hostile Hungarian Monarchy. After World War I, Free Masonry developed rapidly in the new Czechoslovakian State attracting many prominent members. It was again banned

during Nazi occupation and Communist regimens but in the 1989 Slavic Revolution signaled the rebirth of Free Masonry in the region. There are approximately four hundred and fifty members in twenty lodges in Czech and Slovak Republics.

**Prince Hall Free Masonry:** We commend our Grand Master for his lead role and stance feeling with the issues surrounding Prince Hall Free Masons and the National Sojourners. We also applaud his vision being the first to welcome the Grand Master of Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts and his suite at a Special Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

Fraternally,

John E. Anagnostis, PGM  
Claire V. Tusch, PGM  
C. Herbert Annis, Chairman

Grand Master: You've heard the report of the Committee on Fraternal Relations, I would accept a motion to accept the report and have it spread upon the records. Motion by unidentified Brother and seconded. Is there any discussion? All those in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen: Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren all:

### **INSURANCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The Grand Lodge Insurance Committee presented a report at the Annual Grand Lodge Communication on May 1, 2007 providing the details of a new Grand Lodge Master Insurance Policy. This policy upgraded the membership liability policy from an excess insurance or supplemental insurance of limited scope to a primary liability insurance covering a broad scope of Masonic activities both on and off the premises. The second portion of the master policy offered Lodges the option of obtaining premises liability and property coverage through Grand Lodge. A unanimous vote of the craft at the annual session adopted approval of the newly established master policy.

The Building Trustees of Lodges desiring to obtain quotes for premises liability and property coverage have done so by completing a questionnaire and submitting it to The Hartford Insurance Agency. As of March 25, 2008 a total of 34 Lodges have switched their premises liability and property coverage to the master policy, 15 other Lodges have been sent quotes and another 12 questionnaires are in process at The Hartford Agency. The majority of the 34 Lodges switching to the master policy

have enjoyed significant cost savings but a more significant consideration has been that all Lodges have gained increased coverage for premises replacement cost. The most extreme case so far was one Lodge that ended up paying \$2 more with the master policy than with their previous policy but the replacement cost value of their property quadrupled. Yet another Lodge that recently switched to the master policy is saving \$1.50 per day with increased coverage. There have been several questions regarding the billing process used for the master policy. The billing comes from Grand Lodge once a switch to the master policy has been made. That is because the policy is with Grand Lodge and allows the insurance carrier to deal with only Grand Lodge and not all the constituent Lodges for billing. This cuts out considerable administrative costs to the insurance carrier and is one of the considerations in reducing costs to the Lodges. The Grand Treasurer will take on the added work of billing but it saves money for the Lodges. The Insurance Committee encourages the remaining Lodges to consider completing the questionnaire and submitting it for a quote to The Hartford Agency for potential increased property coverage and cost savings. These questionnaires have been sent to all Lodges but they can also be downloaded from the Grand Lodge WEB site or obtained by calling The Hartford Agency at 1-800-284-5989 ext 3480.

The master policy was crafted by The Hartford Agency through Hanover Insurance Company as the insurance carrier and since this is a unique program developed specifically for the Grand Lodge of Maine there is a learning curve as the process is used. Necessary changes will be made to the process of obtaining insurance as experience is gained. For example, Hanover will require the full property and general liability questionnaire be completed even for those Lodges ineligible for property coverage and are only looking to get premises liability. Enough Lodges have requested hired/non owned auto liability to cover the transportation of Masonic family members to Masonic events in personal modes of transportation that this coverage has been added to the premises liability for all Lodges at the low cost of \$50. The coverage extends beyond the owners automobile coverage at \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Also, the underwriter must review life safety issues to be sure it is a reasonable liability risk to add this coverage. For example, if doors and windows are in poor condition then it could be a slip, trip or fall exposure the company may not want to put themselves at risk for a large loss. In other words, the premises need to be up to a reasonable safe standard in order for the liability to be granted. Pictures sent in with the questionnaire are used to ensure this requirement is met.

The first year of billing for the primary membership liability took place with the recently submitted 2007 Lodge Returns Reports. The \$.78 per member as mentioned earlier provides coverage for all Masonic activities whether on or off the premises. This policy also relieves the Building Trustees from needing to consider naming the Masonic Bodies meeting in their building. The onetime \$.78 fee paid by blue Lodge covers members in every possible Masonic Body they belong to. This coverage also extends to Eastern Star and was paid for by Grand Lodge for 2007 but they will vote at their annual Finance Committee Meeting on how they will pay in the future. Our Rainbow and DeMolay youth are also covered in the policy paid for by Grand Lodge without charge to the youth organizations.



The Grand Lodge Insurance Committee is satisfied that the master policy program has been helpful to the Lodges in reducing costs and obtaining increased coverage for their buildings. The committee will meet during the next year to review and analyze the new program now that it is in place and being used to determine whether other improvements can be made in serving Lodge insurance needs. This will include evaluating how Lodges presently ineligible for property coverage could be helped.

Respectfully submitted,

Van E. Sullivan  
Walter C. Smythe  
Frederick B. Lunt Jr  
Walter E. Kyllonen, Chairman

I move the acceptance of this report and that it be printed in the proceedings.

Grand Master: It has been moved and seconded to accept the report of the Insurance Committee, All in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

The Grand Master presented R.W. Walter Kyllonen with the Josiah Hayden Drummond Medal.

### **WALTER E. KYLLONEN**

Right Worshipful Walter E. Kyllonen was born on November 9, 1940 in South Paris, Maine. Brother Walter was the eldest of two children born to Eino and Tyyne Kyllonen. He attended Lincoln School on Paris Hill during his elementary years and graduated from South Paris High School in 1959. After spending seven years as a nuclear pipefitter at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Walter decided that it was time to further his education and eventually graduated from the University of New Hampshire with a degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Walter was married on August 7, 1965. He and his wife, Sylvia, have two children, a son, Brother Robert Kyllonen and a daughter, Kathy Kyllonen. He was employed for many years at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard and enjoyed a most distinguished career in the Nuclear Field. He retired in 1996.

Right Worshipful Kyllonen has always been active in his community and has given freely of himself as a baseball and hockey coach for many years. He enjoys hunting, fishing and spending quality time with family and friends at his hunting camp on King Hill in South Paris, Maine.

Right Worshipful Kyllonen was raised a Master Mason in St. Aspinquid Lodge No. 198 on September 25, 1984 and became Master of his Lodge in 2000. Utilizing his considerable management skills, he helped his lodge to create and execute a 7 year

plan for success. That model is still in use and has been copied around this Grand Jurisdiction many times.

As Secretary of his lodge he reorganized the administration of his lodge and helped put the seven year plan into action. He and his lovely wife Sylvia became active in the lodge couples club and through their efforts, the lodge is still well served. As District Deputy Grand Master of the Nineteenth District his vision helped support the potential success of the lodges under his care. Because of his experiences with Community Outreach and how that coincides with the renewal and revitalization of lodges, he was asked to serve this Grand Lodge on the Renewal and Revitalization Committee and to assist the Grand Lodge Outreach Chairman.

In 2006 he accepted the challenge of being the chairman of the Insurance Committee for this Grand Lodge. Through his leadership, he and the members of the Insurance Committee were able to forge a specialized insurance package that became a milestone for this jurisdiction. Many lodges were able to save money on their insurance bills and many others were able to increase their coverage with the same insurance dollar. Even if a lodge could not be covered for property, they are now able to comply with our constitution for liability insurance for a nominal fee. In addition, this package allows for liability coverage for all the things that masons do within or without the lodge setting. An extraordinary accomplishment and one that helps those participating lodges stabilize their dues structure.

Right Worshipful Kyllonen is currently the Junior Grand Warden of this Grand Lodge and actively participates as part of the Grand Lodge Leadership Team. He is currently focused on the fund raising subcommittee of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation and I have no doubt that he will be successful in this endeavor also.

Due to his outstanding attributes of putting the tenets of Freemasonry in action and his distinguished service in the successful application of those tenets for the advancement of the welfare of the Craft, it is my honor to present Right Worshipful Walter E. Kyllonen the Josiah Hayden Drummond Medal.

R.W. Walter E. Kyllonen: I know that most of you who know me will find this unbelievable but I am absolutely speechless. (*Applause*) Most Worshipful, this is certainly a surprise. We don't do these things for rewards or recognition but it certainly is nice to get recognized. I would applaud you for giving us the opportunity to do these things. Without that being done and your vision we wouldn't work on these things. So I applaud you Most Worshipful for giving us the opportunity. And I thank you all.

**R.W. Brother Kyllonen was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.**

The Grand Secretary read the:

## **REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF THE FRATERNITY**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

Two members of the committee, R.W. Richard Bowden and R.W. Charles Plummer, were able to meet at the Grand Lodge office on the afternoon of April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2008 to review the annual reports of the Grand Lodge Officers, District Deputies, and chairmen of the Grand Lodge committees that had been submitted as of the April 1 published deadline. The reports that had been submitted included that of the Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Lecturer, the Committee on Masonic Education and Lodge Service, the Scholarship Committee, the George Washington Memorial Committee, the Family Activities Committee, and those of the District Deputies of the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, and 24<sup>th</sup> Masonic Districts. Based on a comprehensive review and analysis of the data contained in those reports, the following represents our findings on the condition of the fraternity for the past Grand Lodge year and our recommendations based on those findings.

Under the leadership of committee chairman, R.W. Tim Martel, the Committee on Masonic Education and Lodge Service initiated some excellent programs to improve the quality of Masonic Education across our Grand Jurisdiction. This committee conducted regional training seminars for lodge officers in Augusta, Orrington, and Gorham. Although levels of attendance at these regional seminars varied, we recommend that these types of educational outreach programs continue as well as those of the Maine Masonic College. The committee noted that there has been a shift in attendance at the schools of instruction primarily from lodge Past Masters to younger officers and brethren. It was also noted that some lodges had no attendance at any of the schools of instruction. The committee also updated and distributed revised Pollard Plan Booklets for the three degrees, updated the Pollard Plan Instructor's Manual, and started an update of the Home Study Course which will be completed in the near future.

The Committee on Masonic Education and Lodge Service has also expressed the concern that there has been reluctance on the part of too many Lodge Masters to give any priority to Masonic Education Programs in spite of the efforts of the District Education Representative (DER). History has indicated, in many instances, some District Education Representatives have not had relevant training to be successful, viewing that position as a stepping-stone to the District Deputy Grand Master which is really a totally different job description. As a result of this concern, the committee has made the recommendation that a pilot "Education Specialist Program" be implemented which would leave a DER in that position for a lengthy period of time similar to the Grand Lecturers. This would allow him to provide continuity to Masonic education in his district and stop the practice of needing to train a DER every two years. Ideally, past DDGMs will volunteer to be promoted to the position

of DER. A pilot program has begun consisting of two Masons currently serving as District Education Representatives who have expressed an interest in continuing in that position. We would endorse that recommendation. The report of the Deputy Grand Master reveals that he has been very busy carrying out the duties and responsibilities of his office. He has been highly visible visiting many lodges in the state, participating in committee meetings, and participating in meetings of allied Masonic bodies.

The Grand Treasurer stated in his report that the auditor who has been conducting the annual audits of the Grand Lodge financial accounts informed him that due to medical reasons he could no longer conduct the annual audits for Grand Lodge. A new auditing firm has been selected to carry out this important function in the future.

The Grand Lecturer reported that there has been a shift in the focus of the schools of instruction and a broader scope of content is being presented because more recently raised Masons are beginning to attend the schools rather than just veteran Masons, Past Masters, District Deputies, and other Grand Lodge Officers. In his report he also made the recommendation that more attention be given to defining the duties and responsibilities of the District Ritual Instructors and we would endorse his recommendation.

The committee has been taking a hard look at the District Ritual Instructor Program. This program was instituted several years ago as a means of improving Masonic Education at the lodge and district level. However it was implemented without any clearly defined guidelines as to how the District Ritual Instructors were to be selected or appointed. Unfortunately, this led many across our Grand Jurisdiction to view the position as a sort of stepping-stone to advance to District Education Representative and then District Deputy Grand Master. We view this as a misconception that has led to disappointments and hard feelings that were not justified and unnecessary when those expectations were not realized. We recommend that a clearly defined appointment process and written guidelines be established and disseminated to all interested parties. We would add that it is our strong belief that if this program is not important enough to receive attention and become more formally established, then it should be abolished.

The chairman of the Board of Regents of the Maine Masonic College stated in his report that the college has found it difficult to attract Masons to attend the courses that had been planned and communicated. The board, believing that it may have misidentified the target audience, has been exploring some innovative possibilities including placing more emphasis on the tools of the electronic age that are now available. One approach under consideration is to bring the classroom to the brethren through the use of videotapes and DVDs.

R.W. A. James Ross, editor of the Maine Mason Magazine, and Wor. Michael McFadden, who was responsible for the layout and publication, reported that during the Grand Master's term of office they were able to meet his goal of producing four issues per year for a total of 8 issues. They also expressed their pleasure at the

quality of the articles that were submitted for publication. Neither will be continuing in their respective positions and we would be remiss if we did not commend them for the outstanding publications that they have produced. We extend our heartfelt thanks for their efforts and wish them the very best in their future endeavors.

The Scholarship Committee met three times during the year and undertook a review of the Grand Lodge Scholarship Program and the scholarship programs that are being used by the schools in Maine. As a result of its review the committee has revised the Grand Lodge Scholarship Program as follows:

- (1) The shared program with local lodges has been eliminated and lodges will be encouraged to implement their own scholarship programs.
- (2) The amount of the Grand Lodge Scholarships to be awarded will be increased to \$2000 for each recipient.
- (3) Scholarships will only be given to one-third of the public high schools each year rotating every three years.

The Family Activities Committee reported that it has established the following three goals:

- (1) to inspire Masonic families to be active in family-oriented activities;
- (2) to see that Masonry complements family lives and values;
- (3) to show the relativity of Masonry in today's society and family structure.

Steps were undertaken by the committee to implement these goals.

We are compelled to express our disappointment that only 9 of the 24 District Deputies submitted their reports by the April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. Thus it is somewhat difficult to draw conclusions about the overall condition of the fraternity this past year. We carefully reviewed the reports that were available and were pleased to find that many were using the guidelines outlined in the District Deputy Grand Masters Manual that was developed by the Committee On Masonic Education and Lodge Service which has been available for many years and whose use has been emphasized by the Grand Master.

The timely reports of the following District Deputies were very helpful in terms of doing a statistical analysis of the data contained within them: R.W. David W. King, 1<sup>st</sup> District; R.W. Billy W. Case, 2<sup>nd</sup> District; R.W. Brad Prout, 3<sup>rd</sup> District; R.W. Ronald S. Murphy, 6<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. John L. Ketner Jr., 8<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. Michael P. LeClair, 12<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. Colby A. Waugh, 13<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. Loy B. Mitchell, 14<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. Rufus W. Cox, 15<sup>th</sup> District, R.W. Ryan J. Paradis, 16<sup>th</sup> District; R.W. Joel F. Tripp, 18<sup>th</sup> District; and R.W. Kenneth H. Hanscom, 24<sup>th</sup> District. We commend R.W. Bro. King, R.W. Bro. Case, R.W. Bro. Mitchell, and R.W. Bro. Paradis for their reports which were very comprehensive and cited areas in need of improvement in the lodges in their districts.

It is clear from the reports submitted that some districts continue to suffer from want of active and viable district officer associations. This is a valuable resource that can bring coordination, cohesiveness, and cooperation among lodges in a district. It has been our experience that the existence and successes of a district officers association is directly proportional to the efforts and leadership of the District Deputy Grand Masters. It was interesting to learn that some district officers associations have provided a telephone directory so that they can easily communicate and assist each other in their quest for improving the condition of the lodges in their districts.

We did a spot check of the Annual Inspection Reports of the District Deputies. One of the things that stood out is that there are still numerous iterations being used by different District Deputies. The interactive template that is on the Grand Lodge website makes this report very simple to accomplish. It was both perplexing and distressing to note that some annual inspection reports revealed that no degree work was performed on the night that the Deputies made their official visitations for the purpose of inspecting the lodges. Ratings for the degree work were based on the witnessing of work that was conducted during previous lodge visitations. The following is a sampling of some of the rather perplexing comments that were made in some of the reports:

- (1) "No lecture was given."
- (2) "The prayers given by the Chaplain were not memorized nor were the charges."
- (3) "There was no candidate and no degree work was performed."

What is perplexing is that the District Deputy gave the lodge a very good rating for degree work.

- (4) "I didn't rate the quality of the lectures and the prayers given by the Chaplain."

In two reports there were no final ratings for the overall quality of the degree work that was performed yet in all other areas relating to the degree work the ratings ranged from good to very good. We also noticed that in many instances the degree work being performed was not written in at the top of the rating sheet in the blank space provided for recording it.

It is our conclusion that in some instances there has been a lowering of standards that are expected for inspections on the part of some District Deputies and this should not become the norm in our Grand Jurisdiction. Therefore we recommend that the inspection form be changed to enlarge and highlight the space provided to record the degree that was exemplified on the night of the inspection. Some District Deputies, whom we have cited for their outstanding reports, also sent a personalized letter to each lodge master after their official visitations and inspections that contained words of encouragement as well as praise where praise was due. They also sent copies of the information provided to the Grand Secretary so that the Lodges would know exactly what was being reported. It is our firm belief that this type of feedback is not only vital, but essential, in maintaining the credibility of the District Deputies and the Grand Lodge "planning for progress" philosophy.

It is very obvious that training for the District Deputies needs attention. Consistency in carrying out their duties and responsibilities is lacking which seems to indicate that there is a lack of clear direction in terms of their duties and what is expected of them in carrying out their duties. A striking example of this is that in some Districts, the District Deputies have not been present at lodge installations. This, to us, is disturbing as we believe a District Deputy should be obligated to attend lodge installations in his District not only to congratulate the outgoing Masters and his officers and present the outgoing Master with his Past Master's Diploma, but to welcome the incoming Master and his officers as well. We recommend that this obligation be stressed at future training sessions for District Deputies.

A review of the inspection reports also revealed that there are a number of lodges that do not have the recommended copies of the Constitution and Standing Regulations available for the Master, Wardens, and Secretary. We recommend that priority be given to this matter so that the top officers will know how to rule and govern their lodges.

Fellowship Nights were frequently mentioned as desired goals for district lodges but a number of them have not held Fellowship Nights. The outline on how to plan, schedule and carry out effective Fellowship Nights has been disseminated by the Committee on Masonic Educations and Lodge Service during the past three years at the Lodge Officer Training Sessions. Some lodges have been using this valuable resource tool and scheduling Fellowship Nights with a high rate of success in attracting new members. It is our perception that this tried and true program tends to ebb and flow in direct proportion to the emphasis that a Grand Master places on it during his term of office.

We would be very remiss if we did not commend M.W. Bro. Leighton for the attention he has given to our reports for the past two years as Grand Master and his efforts to begin to address some of the recommendations that were contained in them. He has made progress in establishing goals to address those recommendations and we hope that those efforts will continue under the leadership of the next Grand Master.

As we draw this report to a close we strongly recommend that the suggestions that were made in our previous reports, as well as those contained in this one, be carefully reviewed and that a comprehensive strategic action plan be carefully thought out and developed to address those areas of need that are deemed valid ones. Such a plan should include clearly defined goals and objectives for addressing those needs as well as a management and control component for monitoring the progress that is being made to accomplish those goals and objections.

In closing we would like to share with you the following quote by a man named Charles Swindoll. We believe it contains a powerful message for all of us as individual members of the Masonic Fraternity and how important this is to the success of any organization including our own.

## ATTITUDE

“The longer I live the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think, say, or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness, or skill. It will make or break a Company, a Church, a Home. The remarkable thing is, we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change our past, we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude. I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And so it is with you. We are in charge of our attitudes.”

It is the recommendation of this committee that the recommendations contained in any of the reports of the District Deputies be sent to the proper committees by the Grand Secretary’s office.

Respectfully submitted,

R.W. Charles W. Plummer, Chairman  
R.W. Richard L. Bowden  
Wor. Douglas B. Swasey

Grand Secretary: I move the acceptance of this report and that it be spread upon the records.

Grand Master: It has been moved and seconded that this report be accepted and that it be spread upon the record. All in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, you will present to the East R.W. Lester Smith. After Brother Smith was in the East, the Grand Master directed the Grand Marshal to also stand in the East.

Grand Master: Presented to R.W. Brother Lester F. Smith for his dedication to the Craft in helping encourage and support several important committees and initiatives during his term of office as Senior Grand Warden. His positive attitude and upright demeanor helped make all of his efforts successful. It is my pleasure to present to you the **Grand Master’s Award of Recognition**. Thank you Lester.

R.W. Brother Smith was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: In like manner, to R.W. A. James Ross for his abounding energy as editor of the Maine Mason magazine, which insured that the good deeds and inspiring words of his Companions were used as motivation for others and for his attention to detail and unmitigated support as Grand Marshal of this Grand Jurisdiction and for being my close confidant, supporter and patient friend. It is my



pleasure to present you the Grand Master's Award of Recognition. Thank you Jim.

R.W. A. James Ross was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, you will present to the East, Past Grand Master, Jack Campbell of Vermont.

M.W. Jack Campbell, P.G.M. of Vermont:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, my Brothers,

What a great day. And to spend it with good friends, to spend it in fellowship and Brotherhood with our friends and Brethren in Maine, it doesn't get much better than that.

But it's about to; we have an opportunity unparalleled in recent history. We have knocking at our door, generations of young men who have learned about Masonry, who have researched Masonry, and now want to be part of it or know more about it. What a wonderful opportunity. These young men come to us as a resource; they come to us as the future of our very craft. We must accept them; welcome them; mentor them and while we do - learn from them. We must comingle their thoughts, ideas, and inspirations with our own. They are the future of this fraternity and we can't disappoint them. We must be prepared for them, accept them, share with them and hand to them the reins of leadership of this great fraternity.

My Brothers, as long as we continue to be optimistic about our future; as long as we continue to be realistic about our own capabilities and those of our young initiates. As long as we continue to improve our own lot; and the lot of the men and neighbors around us, those we can touch. As long as we can strive to improve our communities and nations; we will and we must remain true to the very basic tenants of our institution; Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. It's as simple as that my Brethren. We can take that opportunity and the vitality the relevance and the future of Free Masonry will be secure.

Grand Master, Brother Jerry, thank you for allowing me those comments, and if I may presume to speak on behalf of the distinguished guests here, let me say, thank you and thank you to the Brothers of the Grand Lodge of Maine for your friendship, for our very warm and sincere reception, for your generous and very gracious hospitality, I say a sincere thank you on behalf of all of us. And mayhaps Brother Jerry, there's more than that. To you for your personal friendship, for your support in sharing and the help you've given us all and for your inspiring leadership of our craft in the minds of your guests, you will, my friend, stand forever tall among the leaders of this generation in Free Masonry.

My Brethren, thank you for these couple of minutes and most of all, thank you for granting me that sacred appellation, my Brother. May God bless you all and God bless our gentle Craft.

**M.W. Jack Campbell was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.**

R.W. Richard Rhoda delivered the

### **REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN**

Most Worshipful:

A preface if I may my Brethren, attached to your Voting credentials was my report with an example of a lodge history that was done this year and also a makeshift history similar to some that came in this year and should not be replicated. I would like to also say that some of the figures that you hear in the report will be a little bit different when you hear them. We had a history report turned in last night; we had one turned in at a quarter of one this afternoon. They're in, that is the important thing. The other thing that I would like to say, that you can't make a mistake if you don't do anything and I've made a mistake. You'll see in the report that we talked of a Victor Pinkham and it's really, William Pinkham. I know better but I made the mistake. Another thing, last year we had fun; I had some rewards of screaming yellow zonkers and I promised those as a reward this year. But there has been a great tragedy across our country; they've stopped making screaming yellow zonkers and I couldn't get any; I tried Brethren.

Most Worshipful, Worshipful Masters, distinguished Visitors and all Brethren:

The Constituted lodges of this Grand Jurisdiction have continued to make great strides in achieving Grand Master Leighton's goal of putting the issue of delinquent lodge histories behind us. We began his term with four hundred and twenty-two years of outstanding delinquent histories. Last year we were down to two hundred and fifty-eight years. This year, right now we have only one hundred and ninety years of outstanding histories. And of those, thirty-three years are the current year and twenty-nine years are for this year and last year. Those are easy ones for us to catch up. At this time, of one hundred and eighty-seven lodges in our Grand jurisdiction, only fifty-six lodges have outstanding delinquent histories. Next year that is going to be significantly fewer. Last year, lodges returned from Grand Lodge, worked on their history and sent them in. By December 31<sup>st</sup> of last year, we had only two hundred years of delinquent histories and of that number one hundred were owed by only nine lodges.

We undertook to work closely with them. The years that they owed ranged from nineteen and seventeen years down to one lodge that only owed one year. But each lodge had a problem that had to be addressed individually. Even the lodge that only had one year had a special problem, it was twelve years ago that history was missing from. The problem with the lodge histories for those lodges was not the doing of

their current leadership but whether they are the ones that are being called on now to resolve the problems and put it to rest. The lodges responded and several of them were already working on them before they were called. And of the nine lodges that we worked with especially, five of them have turned in thirty-five years of histories. Of special note is Abner Wade Lodge that turned in seventeen years. The problem with those lodges were not unique to them but rather have afflicted many lodges one way or another. Problems have included:

Entrenched Secretaries who ran the lodge defacto and each Master that put up with it for his year.

Records being lost or not being turned over or records being lost in computers.

Each Master writing the history for his year.

Not being sure how to write a history and being so far behind that it seemed futile to even try to catch up.

Trying to write a decade of lodge histories for a lodge when one wasn't even a Mason when that history was taking place.

Not appointing a Historian.

These problems are enumerated here so that lodges that in the future can hopefully recognize the lapse that they are falling into and quickly address it. The most certain cure for avoiding delinquency in your lodge history is simply to comply with Standing Regulation No 2: Appoint a lodge historian each and every year.

While prohibition seemed like a great idea, so may the idea of letting each Master write the history of his lodge for his year. This generally is no more successful than was the implementation of prohibition. Being Master of a lodge doesn't automatically mean that one likes to, is able to, or wants to write a history year, much less his year. There are certain qualities that should be sought for appointing a Lodge Historian.

All things being equal, if a man is willing to challenge himself to become a better man, than he most likely can serve as Lodge Historian. Masters, who will you find to be your Historian next year? Submitted histories last year and this year have not all been "A's." Some were barely "C's" and some were "D" efforts. But at least they're done. Now we can approach lodges to appoint a current Historian and that person will know that it will not be an overwhelming task for him to take on that position.

In 2007, lodges which were ten years plus behind in their histories, were called by your Grand Historian. During that time, the acquaintance of Brother Dana Barton was made. He told me how he did not like to write but he was Secretary of his lodge because nobody else wanted to do it. The Secretary before him hadn't done the history so he didn't bother to do it either. Besides, he didn't know how to write one. Well, with a little guidance, he got ten years of histories caught up for Moses Webster Lodge. Each year's history was about two thirds or three quarters of a page of nominal information. But this year's history is two pages long and it's getting better. After reading it and it has been reproduced for you here to take home to show

who's coming on to be your Historian. An idea of what to do. His is getting better. I think you'd have to say after reading it; one has to feel a more intimate knowledge of Moses Webster Lodge No 145 than one ever could feel for Nowhere Lodge No. 0.

Brother Barton is a good man; making himself a better man; making himself a better Mason. Brother Barton is rising to the challenge. Who will do that in your lodge next year to fulfill our request to catch up all of the lodge histories? Histories of Nowhere Lodge No. 0 reflect most likely where the lodge is going. Nowhere! Statistical data submitted along with three or four sentences just doesn't not do it Brethren. Where's the pride of the writer for himself or for his lodge? He fulfilled a requirement but it's still an empty chalice. What can be poured out of that history to really help the lodge be able to build for its future? Words and thoughts built upon observations and not statistical numbers are what will help your lodge to advance over the years. Now for the good news, the light is getting brighter around the turn in the tunnel at this point.

The last two years have been spent getting lodge histories caught up. Our momentum should carry us to a successful completion of that this coming year. Our incoming Grand Master will be charging all of us to enhance the quality of our history each year. He believes that histories, like that of Nowhere Lodge, can and must be improved. This coming year, your Grand Historian will work closely and through the District Deputies to help you to achieve this goal in your lodge. Examples of various histories will be made available, especially through the Internet. Guidance and help will be made available. Grand Lodge wants to work with you to make your history the best it has ever been. With this assurance of help, each Master must seek to fulfill his duty of appointing a Historian. Appoint a Historian who can serve and grow over the years. Worshipful Brother William Pinkham is another Brother whose achievements are worthy of public recognition at this time. Abner Wade Lodge was seventeen years behind in its history. Through the efforts of its Worshipful Master, Martin Taylor, Brother Pinkham prevailed upon their histories. In two months, he caught up seventeen years of lodge histories. Brother Pinkham should serve as an example and an inspiration to those lodges that say, We just can't do it. Brethren, you can do it. Find one good Mason who has pride for his lodge and put him to work. Finally, last year, we had only two districts with one hundred compliance for the reporting of lodge histories. The First District and the Second District. This year we still only have two: the First District and the Tenth District.

At this time, I would ask that Brother Dana Barton and Wor. Brother William Pinkham, R.W. Brother Dave King and Very Worshipful Brother Charles DiPerri, District Representative of the Tenth District, please come to the East because the Grand Master wants to see you.

Grand Master: This is a painful exercise that we have gone through this past three or four years to try to address this very serious problem of making sure that those in the prosperity that come after will have the opportunity to see what went on in our lodges. The historical footnotes are truly important to go forward.

I would like to give out the **Grand Master's Award to Wor. Brother William M. Pinkham** of Abner Wade Lodge No. 207, A.F. & A.M. Your dedication to catching up lodge histories attests to your pride of Abner Wade Lodge. Presented under my hand this day, May 6, 2008. **Applause!**

Grand Master: In like manner, the **Grand Master's Award for Recognition** is presented to **Brother Dana M. Barton** of Moses Webster Lodge No 145, A.F. & A.M for having compiled ten years of lodge histories that have been missing from the archives of the lodge. Your dedication will allow others to learn of the history of Moses Webster Lodge. Presented under my hand this day, May 6, 2008. **Applause!**

Grand Master: And to our District Deputy Grand Master and District Educational Representative it really takes Grand Lodge Team to make things happen. These fellows have really done their work and I really appreciate your efforts. Sometimes when I go up in the First District, I'm told that it's the Number One District; it's just the First District though. (Laughter) Thank you very much. **Applause!**

Wor. Richard Rhoda: We have from the Grand Historian's Award, which is picked out by another committee, if the following Brethren would please come forward: Wor. Brother Arnold Thibodeau; R.W. Brother Steven Nichols; R.W. Donald "Spike" Savage, whose of Trinity Lodge but he joined in Monument Lodge; and Wor. Brother Thomas Marshal.

Grand Master: It is a very great pleasure for me to present this to you, Rt. Worshipful Sir. These are the Grand Historian Awards for 2007 and they are presented to these individuals on May 6, 2008 by the Grand Lodge of Maine, under my hand and Seal. These Grand Historian Awards are very, very important. The archives of the lodge are fully manned. These Grand Historian Awards are picked by an entirely separate committee from the Grand Historian. And low and behold, a Grand Historian Award is presented to Wor. Richard L. Rhoda of Monument Lodge in Houlton. Congratulations my Brother and thank you all for all the work you have done to address this very difficult problem. **Applause.**

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HISTORY OF MASONRY IN MAINE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

The Annual Report of the Grand Lodge Committee on History of Masonry in Maine. Thanks largely to the efforts of the Grand Historian, R.W. Richard L. Rhoda, the number of lodges owing annual histories has substantially decreased and the number of total years that are owed has been reduced, as well. The number of lodge current in their histories has jumped from 91 in the previous year to 110 in 2007. Although the quality and the content of the histories submitted to Grand Lodge vary, there is a discernible tendency towards uniformity, which will make any comparative study of lodge activity much easier in future years. Continued attention to the improvement

of lodge histories will, we are sure, result in a more reliable picture of the progress of Masonry in Maine.

**Lodges current-110. Owing 1 to 4 years-66. Owing 5 to 9 years 10, Owing 10 or more years-5. Total years not reported-267.**

Individual lodge history reporting as of March 19, 2007. Note: An additional 37 lodges were only missing their 2006 histories.

| Lodge Name    | No. | Location        |    | Years Owed              |
|---------------|-----|-----------------|----|-------------------------|
| Triangle      | 1   | Portland        | 1  | '07                     |
| Warren        | 2   | E. Machias      | 8  | '00 thru '07 inclusive  |
| Lincoln       | 3   | Wiscasset       | 0  |                         |
| Hancock       | 4   | Castine         | 2  | '97, '98                |
| Kennebec      | 5   | Hallowell       | 1  | '07                     |
| Amity         | 6   | Camden          | 0  |                         |
| Eastern       | 7   | Eastport        | 1  | '07                     |
| United        | 8   | Brunswick       | 0  |                         |
| Saco          | 9   | Saco            | 0  |                         |
| Rising Virtue | 10  | Bangor          | 2  | '06, '07                |
| Pythagorean   | 11  | Fryeburg        | 0  |                         |
| Cumberland    | 12  | New Gloucester  | 19 | '89 thru '07 inclusive  |
| Oriental      | 13  | Bridgton        | 0  |                         |
| Solar         | 14  | Bath            | 1  | '07                     |
| Orient        | 15  | Thomaston       | 0  |                         |
| St. George    | 16  | Warren          | 0  |                         |
| Oxford        | 18  | Norway          | 3  | '05, '06, '07           |
| Felicity      | 19  | Bucksport       | 0  |                         |
| Maine         | 20  | Farmington      | 0  |                         |
| Oriental Star | 21  | Livermore Falls | 1  | '07                     |
| York          | 22  | Kennebunk       | 1  | '07                     |
| Freeport      | 23  | Freeport        | 0  |                         |
| Belfast       | 24  | Belfast         | 0  |                         |
| Temple        | 25  | Winthrop        | 1  | '07                     |
| Village       | 26  | Bowdoinham      | 0  |                         |
| Adoniram      | 27  | Limington       | 0  |                         |
| Northern Star | 28  | North Anson     | 0  |                         |
| Tranquil      | 29  | Auburn          | 2  | '05, '06                |
| Blazing Star  | 30  | Rumford         | 0  |                         |
| Union         | 31  | Union           | 5  | '03, '04, '05, '06, '07 |
| Hermon        | 32  | Gardiner        | 2  | '06, '07                |
| Waterville    | 33  | Waterville      | 3  | '05, '06, '07           |
| Somerset      | 34  | Skowhegan       | 1  | '07                     |
| Bethlehem     | 35  | Augusta         | 0  |                         |
| Casco         | 36  | Yarmouth        | 1  | '07                     |
| Washington    | 37  | Lubec           | 1  | '07                     |
| Harmony       | 38  | Gorham          | 2  | '06 '07                 |

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|-------------------|----|------------------|----|-----------------------------|
| Penobscot         | 39 | Dexter           | 1  | '07                         |
| Lygonia           | 40 | Ellsworth        | 10 | '95 thru '00 , '03 thru '06 |
| Morning Star      | 41 | Litchfield       | 16 | '92 thru '07 inclusive      |
| Freedom           | 42 | Limerick         | 0  |                             |
| Alna -Anchor      | 43 | Damariscotta     | 1  | '07                         |
| Piscataquis       | 44 | Milo             | 0  |                             |
| Central           | 45 | China            | 5  | '96, '00, '05, '06, '07     |
| St. Croix         | 46 | Calais           | 1  | '07                         |
| Dunlap            | 47 | Biddeford        | 0  |                             |
| Lafayette         | 48 | Readfield        | 0  |                             |
| Meridian Splendor | 49 | Newport          | 0  |                             |
| Aurora            | 50 | Rockland         | 0  |                             |
| St. John's        | 51 | South Berwick    | 1  | '07                         |
| Mosaic            | 52 | Dover-Foxcroft   | 0  |                             |
| Rural             | 53 | Sidney           | 0  |                             |
| Vassalboro        | 54 | North Vassalboro | 0  |                             |
| Fraternal         | 55 | Alfred           | 1  | '07                         |
| Mount Moriah      | 56 | Brownfield       | 0  |                             |
| King Hiram        | 57 | Dixfield         | 0  |                             |
| Unity             | 58 | Thorndike        | 0  |                             |
| Star in the East  | 60 | Old Town         | 1  | '07                         |
| King Solomon's    | 61 | Waldoboro        | 1  | '07                         |
| King David's      | 62 | Lincolnville     | 0  |                             |
| Pacific           | 64 | Exeter           | 0  |                             |
| Mystic            | 65 | Hampden          | 0  |                             |
| Mechanic's        | 66 | Orono            | 0  |                             |
| Blue Mountain     | 67 | Philips          | 0  |                             |
| Mariner's         | 68 | Searsport        | 1  | '07                         |
| Howard            | 69 | Winterport       | 1  | '07                         |
| Standish          | 70 | Standish         | 1  | '07                         |
| Rising Sun        | 71 | Orland           | 0  |                             |
| Pioneer           | 72 | Ashland          | 0  |                             |
| Tyrian            | 73 | Mechanic's Falls | 0  |                             |
| Bristol           | 74 | Bristol          | 0  |                             |
| Archon            | 75 | East Dixmont     | 0  |                             |
| Arundel           | 76 | Kennebunkport    | 2  | '06, '07                    |
| Tremont           | 77 | Southwest Harbor | 10 | '97 thru '05 inclusive, '07 |
| Crescent          | 78 | Pembroke         | 0  |                             |
| Rockland          | 79 | Rockland         | 2  | '04, '05                    |
| Keystone          | 80 | Solon            | 0  |                             |
| St. Paul's        | 82 | Rockport         | 0  |                             |
| St. Andrew's      | 83 | Bangor           | 0  |                             |
| Eureka            | 84 | Tenant's Harbor  | 4  | '04, '05, '06, '07          |
| Star in the West  | 85 | Unity            | 0  |                             |
| Saccarappa        | 86 | Westbrook        | 0  |                             |
| Benevolent        | 87 | Carmel           | 0  |                             |
| Narraguagus       | 88 | Cherryfield      | 16 | '83 thru '87, '97 thru '07  |

|               |     |                    |   |                        |
|---------------|-----|--------------------|---|------------------------|
| Island        | 89  | Isleboro           | 0 |                        |
| Harwood       | 91  | Machias            | 0 |                        |
| Siloam        | 92  | Fairfield          | 0 |                        |
| Horeb         | 93  | Lincoln            | 1 | '07                    |
| Paris         | 94  | South Paris        | 0 |                        |
| Corinthian    | 95  | Hartland           | 1 | '07                    |
| Monument      | 96  | Houlton            | 0 |                        |
| Bethel        | 97  | Bethel             | 1 | '07                    |
| Katahdin      | 98  | Patten             | 1 | '07                    |
| Vernon Valley | 99  | Mt. Vernon         | 2 | '06, '07               |
| Jefferson     | 100 | Bryant Pond        | 1 | '07                    |
| Nezinscot     | 101 | Turner             | 0 |                        |
| Marsh River   | 102 | Brooks             | 0 |                        |
| Dresden       | 103 | Dresden Mills      | 0 |                        |
| Dirigo        | 104 | Weeks Mills        | 0 |                        |
| Ashlar        | 105 | Auburn             | 0 |                        |
| Tuscan        | 106 | Addison            | 2 | '06, '07               |
| Day Spring    | 107 | West Newfield      | 2 | '06, '07               |
| Mount Kineo   | 109 | Guilford           | 0 |                        |
| Monmouth      | 110 | Monmouth           | 1 | '07                    |
| Liberty       | 111 | Liberty            | 0 |                        |
| Messalonskee  | 113 | Oakland            | 0 |                        |
| Polar Star    | 114 | Bath               | 0 |                        |
| Buxton        | 115 | West Buxton        | 0 |                        |
| Lebanon       | 116 | Norridgewock       | 1 | '07                    |
| Greenleaf     | 117 | Cornish            | 5 | '00, '03 thru '05, '07 |
| Drummond      | 118 | North Parsonsfield | 0 |                        |
| Pownal        | 119 | Stockton Springs   | 0 |                        |
| Acacia        | 121 | Durham             | 1 | '07                    |
| Marine        | 122 | Deer Isle          | 0 |                        |
| Franklin      | 123 | New Sharon         | 0 |                        |
| Olive Branch  | 124 | Charleston         | 0 |                        |
| Meridian      | 125 | Pittsfield         | 0 |                        |
| Presumpscot   | 127 | North Windham      | 0 |                        |
| Ira Berry     | 128 | Blue Hill          | 0 |                        |
| Quantabacook  | 129 | Searsmont          | 0 |                        |
| Trinity       | 130 | Presque Isle       | 0 |                        |
| Lookout       | 131 | Cutler             | 0 |                        |
| Mount Tir'em  | 132 | Waterford          | 1 | '07                    |
| Asylum        | 133 | Wayne              | 0 |                        |
| Riverside     | 135 | Jefferson          | 1 | '07                    |
| Kenduskeag    | 137 | Kenduskeag         | 0 |                        |
| Lewy's Island | 138 | Princeton          | 1 | '07                    |
| Mount Desert  | 140 | Mount Desert       | 0 |                        |
| Ocean         | 142 | Wells              | 1 | '07                    |
| Preble        | 143 | Sanford            | 1 | '07                    |
| Seaside       | 144 | Boothbay Harbor    | 0 |                        |



|                  |     |                 |   |                              |              |
|------------------|-----|-----------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|
| Moses Webster    | 145 | Vinalhaven      | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Sebasticook      | 146 | Clinton         | 0 |                              |              |
| Evening Star     | 147 | Buckfield       | 5 | '03, '04, '05, '06, '07      |              |
| Forest           | 148 | Springfield     | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Columbia-Doric   | 149 | Greenville      | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |
| Rabboni          | 150 | Auburn          | 0 |                              |              |
| Excelsior        | 151 | Northport       | 0 |                              |              |
| Crooked River    | 152 | Bolster's Mills | 0 |                              |              |
| Delta            | 153 | Lovell          | 0 |                              |              |
| Mystic Tie       | 154 | Weld            | 5 | '03, '04, '05, '06, '07      |              |
| Ancient York     | 155 | Lisbon Falls    | 7 |                              | '01 thru '07 |
| Wilton           | 156 | Wilton          | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Cambridge        | 157 | Cambridge       | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Parian           | 160 | Corinna         | 0 |                              |              |
| Carrabassett     | 161 | Canaan          | 0 |                              |              |
| Arion            | 162 | Goodwin's Mills | 0 |                              |              |
| Pleasant River   | 163 | Brownville      | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |
| Webster          | 164 | Sabattus        | 0 |                              |              |
| Molunkus         | 165 | Sherman Mills   | 0 |                              |              |
| Whitney          | 167 | Canton          | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Composite        | 168 | LaGrange        | 6 | '98, '03, '04, '05, '06, '07 |              |
| Caribou          | 170 | Caribou         | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Naskeag          | 171 | Brooklin        | 0 |                              |              |
| Pine Tree        | 172 | Mattawamkeag    | 0 |                              |              |
| Pleiades         | 173 | Milbridge       | 0 |                              |              |
| Lynde            | 174 | Hermon          | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Baskahegan       | 175 | Danforth        | 0 |                              |              |
| Rising Star      | 177 | Penobscot       | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Ancient Brothers | 178 | Auburn          | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |
| Yorkshire        | 179 | North Berwick   | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |
| Hiram            | 180 | South Portland  | 0 |                              |              |
| Granite          | 182 | West Paris      | 0 |                              |              |
| Deering          | 183 | Portland        | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |
| Naval            | 184 | Kittery         | 5 | '03, '04, '05, '06, '07      |              |
| Bar Harbor       | 185 | Bar Harbor      | 0 |                              |              |
| Jonesport        | 188 | Jonesport       | 0 |                              |              |
| Knox             | 189 | South Thomaston | 0 |                              |              |
| Springvale       | 190 | Springvale      | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Winter Harbor    | 192 | Winter Harbor   | 1 |                              | '07          |
| Washburn         | 193 | Washburn        | 0 |                              |              |
| Euclid           | 194 | Madison         | 0 |                              |              |
| Bay View         | 196 | East Boothbay   | 0 |                              |              |
| Aroostook        | 197 | Mars Hill       | 1 |                              | '07          |
| St. Aspinquid    | 198 | York Village    | 1 |                              | '07          |
| David A. Hooper  | 201 | West Sullivan   | 0 |                              |              |
| Mount Bigelow    | 202 | Stratton        | 0 |                              |              |
| Mount Olivet     | 203 | Washington      | 2 |                              | '06, '07     |

|                   |     |                  |   |                        |
|-------------------|-----|------------------|---|------------------------|
| Mount Abram       | 204 | Kingfield        | 0 |                        |
| Nollesemic        | 205 | Millinocket      | 0 |                        |
| Island Falls      | 206 | Island Falls     | 0 |                        |
| Abner Wade        | 207 | Sangerville      | 0 |                        |
| Northeast Harbor  | 208 | Northeast Harbor | 0 |                        |
| Fort Kent         | 209 | Fort Kent        | 0 |                        |
| Meduncook         | 211 | Friendship       | 0 |                        |
| Kemankeag         | 213 | Rangeley         | 0 |                        |
| Limestone         | 214 | Limestone        | 0 |                        |
| Orchard           | 215 | Old Orchard      | 8 | '00 thru '07 inclusive |
| Corner Stone      | 216 | Portland         | 2 | '06, '07               |
| Ralph J. Pollard  | 217 | Orrington        | 1 | '07                    |
| Gov. William King | 219 | Scarborough      | 0 |                        |

Respectfully submitted

Stephen E. Nichols, Chairman  
Phillip E. Hopkins  
John A. Smith

Grand Master: We'll have the report of the Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

R.W. Stephen Nichols presented the

### **REPORT OF THE GRAND LECTURER 2007-2008**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine

During this past year there was a subtle but perceptible change in Schools of Instruction. As in the past, the results of the Schools have been uneven and, as in the past, the Grand Lecturers have not been able to find an explanation for the variations. In any given Masonic District attendance at one School may exceed twenty-five and at the next School be less than ten, and we cannot account for the differing levels of interest. District Deputy Grand Masters and District Education Representatives have made extraordinary efforts to turn out their Brethren, but the results have been less than hoped for, although attendance at Schools of Instruction has been growing slowly in many districts. Overall, however, we have seen shifts in two aspects of the Schools:

Attendance has shifted from a preponderance of veteran Masons, Past District Deputy Grand Masters and past Grand Lodge officers, to younger and more recently raised Masons.

The Schools that have widened the scope of their content to include the origin and meaning of the words and passages of the ritual have generated more discussion and enthusiasm among the attendees than has been the case at more “traditional” Schools where the emphasis has been solely on the correctness of the words of the ritual.

It should be noted, however, that the largest numbers in attendance at Schools continue to be in the 1<sup>st</sup> Masonic District, where the “traditional” model is observed and where it is not unusual to have more than forty Masons present.

M.W. Wayne T. Adams has noted that everything that we as Masons propound has to find its authority in our ritual. It is, he has suggested, the most authoritative thing we have and that which we all share with essential similarity. For that reason we must insist that the words of the ritual be learned with great precision. Still, words whose meaning is not understood are worthless, if not counterproductive.

The acceptance of the District Ritual Instructor (DRI) has likewise been uneven, from district to district and from lodge to lodge. The success of the DRI is frequently dependant on the force of his personality rather than on the acceptance of his role as an authority on Masonic ritual. There has been a perception in some quarters - frequently borne out in practice - that the position of DRI is a stepping stone to that of District Education Representative and ultimately to that of District Deputy Grand Master. This sometimes has the beneficial effect of encouraging ambitious young Masons to seek the responsibility of the DRI. It can also lead to the tendency of a DRI to focus his energy more on supporting the work of the D.D.G.M. than on the duty of ensuring the precise elocution of the Masonic ritual. In an attempt to formalize the appointment of DRIs, (they are not installed at the Grand Communication and they receive neither special apron nor collar), the Grand Lecturers and the District Deputy Grand Masters have begun jointly signing a letter of appointment for the DRI. A directive outlining the duties and responsibilities of the DRI has been drafted by the Grand Lecturer and may help to clarify the DRI's role and authority.

The Certified Ritual Instructor program has languished in many of the Masonic Districts and needs to be re-emphasized. A renewed interest in Masonic ritual and its importance to the Fraternity may help to revive this important part of Masonic education.

Success on the part of the Grand Lecturers is difficult to gauge. The easy but relatively meaningless measure is the number of attendees at Schools of Instruction. The Grand Lecturers should be teachers, above all. They are admirably positioned to stimulate an enthusiasm for and an understanding of the basic philosophy and meaning of Freemasonry among the Craft. Indeed, they may be among the key influences in the revitalization of Freemasonry in Maine. Their success in this role will be seen in the increased vitality and activity of our lodges and their members.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen E. Nichols  
Grand Lecturer

R.W. Nichols: I move the acceptance of this report and that it be incorporated into the report. Motion seconded. Motion carried by **Vote** of the Brethren.

The Grand Master called on the Grand Lecturer to present the Lodge of the Year Award.

R.W. Brother Nichols: You are all familiar with the Lodge of The Year Award, wherein, District Deputy Grand Masters submit one lodge to be recognized as the Lodge of the Year.

The Lodge of the Year for 2007 is Saco Lodge No. 9. Is there a representative of Saco Lodge here to receive the award? R.W. Carl Marsano; R.W. Joel Tripp and Wor. David R. Perkins received the award for Saco Lodge.

Grand Master: Brethren, there certainly is a variety of issues that are taken into account to determine who the lodge of the year is. This lodge has already been pointed out and talked about here today. I'm here to tell you that they put on a Master Mason degree for Grand Lodge, which is a tradition. But what was really interesting was that the sitting officers stepped aside and asked the Past Masters to perform that ceremony. Now we all know Past Masters putting on degree work is pretty interesting. We sometimes get brand new words and stuff like that. Now the Past Masters of this lodge were not only pleased to do it but were proud to be a part of that evening.

From the Grand Lodge of Maine: For Demonstrated Excellence in the Presentation of the Masonic Degrees during the year – 2007 Presented to Saco Lodge No. 9, A.F. & A.M. By Gerald S. Leighton, Most Worshipful Grand Master Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M. May 6, 2008. Congratulations.

***The representatives of Saco Lodge No. 9 were accorded standing ovation by the Brethren.***

The Grand Master called for the Report of the CHIPS Committee.

M.W. Harland S. Hitchings presented the

### **REPORT OF THE CHIPS COMMITTEE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

This has been a very interesting and successful year for your Child I. D. Committee. During the year we have successfully fingerprinted, videotaped, taken tooth imprints and now added cheek swabs of over four thousand children. This brings our total to

date, from the time this program started, to nearly thirty-two thousand children. Ten years ago we started this program. This year has seen many changes in our equipment. We have changed from VHS Cameras to using laptop computers; we now have eight computers with solid state setups, using Discs instead of video tapes to send home to the parents. We still use our present cameras and tapes, as long as they last, but as these are no longer available it becomes necessary to join the computer world. This year we were donated Three Thousand DNA cheek swabs by a Maine company for which we are most grateful.

The Committee who investigated the National CHIPS Program made the decision to adopt the program for Maine, for which the Grand Master sanctioned. This has helped improve our image and giving us time on the Internet and a place to go to find when and where our programs are to be held. Wendell Graham has had the opportunity to attend some of these conferences and bring back valuable information that is being used in many of the states to improve our program. A vote of thanks to you Wendell.

All Coordinators and their members have been very busy and worked hard to make this program move forward and remain the excellent program that it has been to assist the youth of our state at a time when it might be needed.

We have also adopted as our name, MeCHIP, instead of CHIPS. This will distinguish us in the National program as Maine CHIP. We are now adding our schedule of coming program events to the following web sites: [www.mechip.org](http://www.mechip.org) and [www.mainemason.org](http://www.mainemason.org).

The committee would like to thank all of the Brethren, their ladies, members of the Eastern Star, Rainbow Girls and DeMolay and the Shrine Clowns who have contributed so much of their time and energy to make this program a success.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee members:

Harland Hitchings, Chairman  
 Robert Sawyer, IV  
 Wendell Graham  
 Davis Couture  
 Gerald Gannett  
 Albert Matlins  
 Cliff Boaz  
 William Mitchell  
 Kenneth White

Albert Smith, III  
 Jeff Hamlin  
 Ivan Howard  
 William Grosser  
 James Dwyer  
 Ralph Clarke  
 Fred Campbell  
 John Smith, III  
 Dwynal Grass

M.W. Harland S. Hitchings: M.W. Grand Master, I move the acceptance of this report and that it be spread upon the record. Motion seconded. Motion carried by **vote** of the Brethren

M.W. Brother Hitchings then called for all of the CHIPS coordinators and all of those that have supported the CHIPS program to stand so that he could thank them. The Coordinators were accorded a hearty applause from the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Secretary are there any motions to change the Constitution or Standing Regulations of this Grand Lodge? Are there any that have been submitted to you in writing?

Grand Secretary: There have been none submitted in writing.

Grand Master: Resolutions? Grand Secretary: None, Grand Master.

Wor. Christian Ratliff: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I'm Wor. Christian A. Ratliff, from Triangle Lodge. The Brethren from Deering Lodge asked me to say that. And I have two resolutions that I would like to bring before the floor today. Both of the Resolutions come from my work with the Grand Lecturer in my capacity as a District Ritual Instructor. And I've been able to notice the number of deficiencies that we have in the existing instructional materials and it's time for the Ritual Committee to step in and do an assessment of the status of our District Ritual Instructor and Grand Lecturer's book and bring them into compliance with our ritual. So I make these motions:

Motion No. 1: Be it resolved that the Committee on Ritual be charged to review the Maine Cipher and Grand Lecturer's book to ensure the perfect conformity of both texts to the correct work for Maine with the result of such effort being the publication of an updated Maine Cipher and Grand Lecturer's book which are in perfect harmony.

Grand Master: It has been moved. It has been seconded. Is there any discussion? Hearing none, I'll put the question. All in favor of accepting this resolution, with the Voting card? All opposed. The resolution is **accepted**.

Motion No. 2: Be it resolved that the Committee on Ritual be charged to explore publication of a restructured Maine Cipher with that ritual, which is already printed in plain Text within the Maine Masonic Text Book, being so printed in the Cipher and all other ritual retaining its current and ciphered form. The committee to report their recommendation no later than the 2010 Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Grand Master: Is that resolution seconded? I would ask for discussion. Hearing none, Voting cards please, all in favor? Those opposed? The motion is **accepted**.

Wor. Brother Ratliff: Thank you very much.

The Grand Secretary read the

### **REPORT ON DISPENSATIONS AND CHARTERS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The Committee on Dispensations and Charters is tasked with examining the work and records of lodges working under dispensation for a charter. There were no lodges working under dispensation for a charter. A review of other dispensations requested for activities not covered by the Grand Lodge Constitution, Standing Regulations and Digest of Decisions issued during 2007 was conducted and they were found to be justified and in order. One consolidation of lodges took place during the year. Hancock Lodge # 4 in Castine consolidated with Rising Star Lodge # 177 in Penobscot on March 26, 2008.

The requirements for consolidation were met including endorsement of the senior charter under the attestation of the Grand Master and Grand Secretary for the consolidation with like endorsement of the junior charter with delivery to the consolidation lodge. All property, books and monies of the old lodge was delivered to Rising Star Lodge # 177. M.W. Grand Master Gerald Leighton, Grand Master of Masons in Maine held an election of officers followed by installation of Lodge officers conducted by the Grand Lodge officers. The new Lodge was named Rising Star Lodge # 4.

Respectfully submitted,

Roger O. Easley Sr  
Raymond G. Locke  
Walter E. Kyllonen, Chairman

Grand Secretary: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move the acceptance of this report and that it be spread upon the record. Motion seconded.

Grand Master: A motion has been made and seconded that we accept the report of the committee. All those in favor? All opposed? It is a **Vote**

Wor. Thomas Heath presented the

**FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren all:

The Credentials Committee, having attended to its duties, herein, presents its final report for this Grand Session: There are present in this Grand Lodge:

|                              |                              |           |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|
| Lodges registered            | 163 with three 3 Votes each: | 489 Votes |
| Grand lodge officers         | 62 with one 1 Vote each:     | 62        |
| Permanent members            | 30 with one 1 Vote each:     | <u>30</u> |
| Total Ballots distributed:   |                              | 581       |
| Aggregate total of electors: | 319                          |           |
| Duplicate electors:          | 17                           |           |
| Actual electors:             | 302                          |           |

The various Lodges are represented as follows:

1. Triangle; Christian A. Ratliff, J.W.
2. Warren; James S. Merrill, M., Dean M. McGuire, S.W.
3. Lincoln ; NOT REPRESENTED
4. Rising Star; Robert F. Wallace, Proxy.
5. Kennebec; Ralph N. Hunter Jr., M.
6. Amity; Sid Lindsley, Proxy.
7. Eastern; William W. Wentworth Sr., M.
8. United; Craig A. Rubner, M.
9. Saco; David R. Perkins, M.
10. Rising Virtue; Kenneth O. Rowell Jr., M., Chad E. Smith, S.W., Frank A. McGillicuddy, Proxy.
11. Pythagorean; David A. Dunham, M.
12. Cumberland; Kurt D. Ringrose, M.
13. Oriental; Curtis R. Merrill, Proxy.
14. Solar ; NOT REPRESENTED
15. Orient; Joel B. Parsons, M., Charles F. Bruce III, S.W.
16. St. George ; NOT REPRESENTED
18. Oxford; Samuel LoboZZo, M.
19. Felicity; John D. Baggett, M., Theodore S. Russell, S.W.
20. Maine; Richard L. Dorian, M., Ivan L. Howard Jr., Proxy.



21. Oriental Star; Lawrence W. Harvie, M.
22. York; Richard B. Smith, M.
23. Freeport; Norman G. Williams, Proxy.
24. Belfast; Kevin E. Littlefield, M., Herman L. Littlefield Jr., J.W.
25. Temple ; NOT REPRESENTED
26. Village; Bruce A. Ross, M., James D. McGee Jr., S.W.
28. Northern Star; Daniel T. Crowley, Proxy.
29. Tranquil; Frederick H. Morton Jr., M., Thomas E. Ray, Proxy.
30. Blazing Star; George L. Kimball, Proxy.
31. Union; James R. Heath, Proxy.
32. Hermon; Mark E. Mansir, M.
33. Waterville; Daniel B. Carey Jr., Proxy.
34. Somerset; Erik S. Nielson, M., Patrick Miner Sr., S.W.
35. Bethlehem; Robert D. Stratton, M.\*, Troy V. Benson, M., Steven P. Mairs, J.W.\*
36. Casco ; NOT REPRESENTED
37. Washington; Alvin D. Wasson, M., Mark Jones, J.W.
38. Harmony; Joseph D. Shaw, M., Jeremy M. Shaw, J.W.
39. Penobscot; John H. Watson, M.
40. Lygonia; Eric W. Kuntz, Proxy.
41. Morning Star; George R. Thomson Jr., M., George D. Byras Jr., S.W.
42. Freedom; Douglas N. MacLean, M.
43. Alna-Anchor; John L. Cousins Sr., M.
44. Piscataquis; Donald J. McDougal, M., Timothy E. Osnoe, J.W., Stanley L. Reed, Proxy.
45. Central; Steven D. Sukeforth, Proxy.
46. St. Croix; William J. Cody, M., Patrick W. Burke, J.W.
47. Dunlap; Roland P. Beaulieu, M., Walter W. Thorpe Jr., S.W.\*
48. Lafayette; Terrance L. Thomas, Proxy.
49. Meridian Splendor; Forrest C. Simpson Jr., J.W.
50. Aurora; Richard M. Grey, Proxy.
51. St. John's; Jeffrey R. Cutting, M., Allan D. Locke, S.W.
52. Mosaic ; NOT REPRESENTED
53. Rural; Dale C. Blethen, M., Floyd L. Luce, Proxy.
54. Vassalboro; James E. Maloy, M.
55. Fraternal; Allan D. Carlson, M.
56. Mount Moriah; David W. Eaton, M.
57. King Hiram; Bernard A. Frost, Proxy.
58. Unity; Mayo A. Cookson Jr., M.

60. Star In The East; Chester H. Davis Jr., M., Peter J. Danforth, S.W.
61. King Solomon's; Louis F. Abbotoni, M., William A. Dail, Proxy.
62. King David's; Bruce Michelson, M.
64. Pacific; Herman E. Roberts Jr., J.W.
65. Mystic; Ivan P. McPike, M.
66. Mechanics'; Randall L. Elliott, M.
67. Blue Mountain ; NOT REPRESENTED
68. Mariners'; Darin D. Hersom, M.
69. Howard; Fred A. Brown, M.
70. Standish ; NOT REPRESENTED
71. Rising Sun; Russell G. Field Jr., M., Christopher H. Holyoke, J.W.
72. Pioneer; Marshall P. White, M.
73. Tyrian; Mark E. Stevens, M., Wayne D. Cotterly, S.W.
74. Bristol; Robert E. Kline, Proxy.
75. Archon; Reed F. Carson Jr., M.
76. Arundel; Donald G. Barbour, Proxy.
77. Tremont; Daniel E. Bartlett, M.
78. Crescent; Richard L. Corbett, J.W., Norman L. Howe, Proxy.
80. Keystone; William F. Merrill II, M., Dana E. Hall, S.W., Robert D. Mercer, J.W.
82. St. Paul's; C. Herbert Annis Jr., M.\*, Elwood P. Doran, J.W.
83. St. Andrew's; Shawn A. Ross, M., John D. Bunker, S.W., Ernest D. Wheeler II, J.W.
84. Eureka ; NOT REPRESENTED
85. Star In The West ; NOT REPRESENTED
86. Saccarappa; Jon P. Marston, J.W.
87. Benevolent; John F. Luce, M., Scott A. Boyington, S.W.
88. Narraguagus; C. Foster Mathews, Proxy.
89. Island ; NOT REPRESENTED
91. Harwood; David G. Brown, M., Scott M. Hanscom, S.W.
92. Siloam ; NOT REPRESENTED
93. Horeb; Brian E. McCafferty, M.
94. Paris ; NOT REPRESENTED
95. Corinthian; Ronald W. Fowle II, Proxy.
96. Monument; Richard L. Rhoda, M.
97. Bethel; Richard J. Halacy, Proxy.
98. Katahdin; Chester H. Chase, Proxy.
99. Vernon Valley; Charles E. Wadleigh, M.
100. Jefferson ; NOT REPRESENTED

101. Nezinscot ; NOT REPRESENTED
102. Marsh River; Daniel I. Dolloff, M.
103. Dresden; Kevin E. Campbell, M.
104. Dirigo; Sheldon L. Goodine, Proxy.
105. Ashlar; Michael C. Nickerson, J.W.
106. Tuscan; Everett M. Grant, M.
107. Day Spring; Christopher W. Pare, J.W.
109. Mount Kineo; Lorne D. Noiles, M.
110. Monmouth; William M. Layman, J.W.
111. Liberty; William A. Bachelder, M., Dwight C. Marshall, J.W.\*
113. Messalonskee; Richard K. Penney, S.W., Scott E. Bonnell, J.W.
114. Polar Star; Michael H. Acker, Proxy.
115. Buxton; Gerald W. Gannett, Proxy.
116. Lebanon; Roger A. Emmons, M., Roy R. Judkins, S.W.
117. Greenleaf; Jeffery F. James, S.W.
118. Drummond; Joseph F. Morrill, M., John A. Smith, Proxy.
119. Pownal; Robert L. Robinson, Proxy.
121. Acacia; G. Ray Bouchard, Proxy.
122. Marine; Vernon C. Seile, M.
123. Franklin; Wilmer E. Redlevske, Proxy.
124. Olive Branch ; NOT REPRESENTED
125. Meridian; Lewis R. Fitts III, M., William L. Graham, S.W.
127. Presumpscot; David F. Ross, M.
128. Ira Berry; Jacques B. Desibour, Proxy.
129. Quantabacook; William A. Bachelder, S.W.\*, Keith D. Grant, Proxy.
130. Trinity; Stanley L. Baker, M.
132. Mount Tir'em; Peter F. Morse, Proxy.
133. Asylum; Robert A. Scott, Proxy.
135. Riverside; William R. Mitchell, M., Stephen F. Flagg, S.W.
137. Kenduskeag; James P. Adams, J.W.
138. Lewy's Island; Brian S. Clark, S.W.\*
140. Mount Desert; Norris M. Reddish, S.W.\*, Lester R. Smallidge, Proxy.
142. Ocean ; NOT REPRESENTED
143. Preble; Ronald R. Bolduc, M.
144. Seaside ; NOT REPRESENTED
145. Moses Webster ; NOT REPRESENTED
146. Seabasticook; Roger M. McAllister Jr., M., Arthur C. Thompson Jr., J.W.

147. Evening Star; Timothy G. Turner, M.
148. Forest; Brian E. McCafferty, J.W.\*, Raleigh W. Hanscom, Proxy.
149. Columbia-Doric; Douglas F. Nelson, S.W.
150. Rabboni; Andy C. Bradeen, Proxy.
151. Excelsior; Keith D. Grant, S.W.\*, Dwight C. Marshall, J.W.
152. Crooked River; Daniel E. Scribner, Proxy.
153. Delta; Charles E. Micklon, Proxy.
154. Mystic Tie ; NOT REPRESENTED
155. Ancient York; Roland A. Morgan, S.W., Dean M. Logan, Proxy.
156. Wilton; Philip M. Raymond, M., Harold E. Beisaw, Proxy.
157. Cambridge; Ronald R. Watson, M.
160. Parian; Ernest V. Kneeland, M.
161. Carrabassett; Chris A. Price, Proxy.
162. Arion; John W. McAlevey, Proxy.
163. Pleasant River; Lawrence N. Foulkes, M.
164. Webster; Richard A. Grondin, M., Paul L. Boudreau, S.W.
165. Molunkus; Kenneth G. Perkins, S.W.
167. Whitney; Harry L. Smith Jr., M.
168. Composite ; NOT REPRESENTED
170. Caribou; Jody R. Smith, M., Whitney H. Smith, S.W., Neal R. Haines, Proxy.
171. Naskeag; Ronald W. Fowle, J.W.
172. Pine Tree; Carleton H. Norris III, M.
173. Pleiades; William E. Halpin, M.
174. Lynde; David A. Hasey, M., Paul D. Kelley, S.W.
175. Baskahegan ; NOT REPRESENTED
178. Ancient Brothers; Thomas Whalen, M.
179. Yorkshire; Michael Carter, S.W.
180. Hiram; Shawn F. Losier, Proxy.
182. Granite; Frederic B. Campbell, M., James E. Todd, S.W.
183. Deering; Arnold G. Peterson, M., Christopher M. Disotto, J.W.
184. Naval; William R. Bolz, M.
185. Bar Harbor; Lawrence F. Abbott Jr., Proxy.
188. Jonesport; Sidney F. Putnam, M.
189. Knox; Kenneth S. Allen, M.
190. Springvale ; NOT REPRESENTED
192. Winter Harbor; Kevin S. Conley, Proxy.
193. Washburn; Joel P. Wardwell, M.

194. Euclid; Michael I. Theriault, M.  
 196. Bay View; Martin H. Page, M.  
 197. Aroostook; Eugene H. Amnott, Proxy.  
 198. St. Aspinquid; Mark S. Zimmerman, M.  
 201. David A. Hooper; Edward E. Jellison III, M., Michael W. Walker, J.W.\*, Harvey E. Thomas, Proxy.  
 202. Mount Bigelow; Emerson L. Dyer Jr., S.W.  
 203. Mount Olivet; Christopher D. Vigue, M.  
 204. Mount Abram; Neal C. Tranten, M.  
 205. Nollesemic; James P. Catell, Proxy.  
 206. Island Falls; Harold J. Willette, M., Darrell B. Jones, Proxy.  
 207. Abner Wade; Martin W. Taylor, M., Lance H. Burgess, S.W.  
 208. Northeast Harbor; Arthur L. Abbott Jr., S.W.  
 209. Fort Kent; Jason Bennett, S.W.  
 211. Meduncook; Randall C. Foster, Proxy.  
 213. Kemankeag; William C. Hardt Sr., M.  
 214. Limestone; Shane E. Theriault, M.  
 215. Orchard; Walter W. Thorpe Jr., M.  
 216. Corner Stone; Robert C. Hains, Proxy.  
 217. Ralph J. Pollard; Gregory T. Hunt, M., Daniel R. Taylor, S.W.  
 219. Gov. William King; Leonard R. Douglass, Proxy.

### **PERMANENT MEMBERS PRESENT**

#### **Past Grand Masters**

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|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| M.W. Claire V. Tusch      | M.W. Roger P. Snelling   |
| M.W. Charles E. Ridlon    | M.W. George P. Pulkkinen |
| M.W. Harland S. Hitchings | M.W. Robert V. Damon     |
| M.W. Wayne T. Adams       |                          |

#### **Past Senior Grand Wardens**

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| R.W. Royce G. Wheeler       | R.W. David A. Walker      |
| R.W. Frank M. Theriault Jr. | R.W. William H. Stretton  |
| R.W. Gerald C. Pickard      | R.W. John A. Lagerquist   |
| R.W. Alan R. Heath          | R.W. Francis S. Harvey    |
| R.W. John B. Greenleaf      | R.W. W. Louis Greenier II |
| R.W. N. James Coolong       | R.W. Frederic B. Campbell |
| R.W. Bradford D. Blake      |                           |

**Past Junior Grand Wardens**

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| R.W. Donald B. Wiswell     | R.W. Robert W. Sawyer IV  |
| R.W. Kenneth L. Richardson | R.W. Alvin O. McDonald    |
| R.W. Robert G. Lobley      | R.W. Robert A. Hoyt       |
| R.W. Richard B. Farrington | R.W. Guy F. Chapman       |
| R.W. James R. Buss Sr.     | R.W. C. Herbert Annis Jr. |
| R.W. Randy L. Adams        |                           |

**Grand Representatives**

US - Alabama; Francis S. Harvey, Kenduskeag  
 US - Arizona; Thomas E. Ray, Auburn  
 US - Colorado; Gerald C. Pickard, Hermon  
 US - Connecticut; Charles E. Ridlon, Yarmouth  
 US - District Of Columbia; Claire V. Tusch, Wells  
 US - Florida; Charles E. Ridlon, Yarmouth  
 US - Missouri; Wayne T. Adams, Kennebunkport  
 US - Nebraska; Royce G. Wheeler, Bangor  
 US - Nevada; Hollis G. Dixon, Scarborough  
 US - New Hampshire; Robert V. Damon, Auburn  
 US - Ohio; Dwight C. Whitney Sr., Jonesboro  
 US - Oregon; Alan R. Heath, Union  
 US - Texas; Robert G. Lobley, Orrington  
 US - Virginia; John D. Baggett, Verona Island  
 US - West Virginia; Robert W. Ferguson, Springvale  
 US - Wisconsin; Dwynal R. Grass, Oxbow  
 Canada - Nova Scotia; Harland S. Hitchings, Princeton  
 Canada - Ontario; Kenneth L. Richardson, Lewiston  
 Canada - Prince Edward Island; William H. Stretton, Lewiston  
 Canada - Quebec; Frederic B. Campbell, Sumner  
 Canada - Saskatchewan; Robert R. Landry, Saint Albans  
 Australia - South Australia; N. James Coolong, Houlton  
 Belgium; Harold E. McKenney Jr., Westbrook  
 Brazil - Espirito Santo; C. Herbert Annis Jr., Rockport  
 Brazil - Maconica Do Estado De Rondonia; Richard B. Farrington, Medway  
 Brazil - Mato Grosso; James R. Buss Sr., Monroe  
 Brazil - Rio de Janeiro; W. Louis Greenier II, Caribou  
 Chile; Gerald S. Leighton, Newport  
 Costa Rica; Roland D. Herrick, Cambridge

England; George P. Pulkkinen, Scarborough

Finland; Walter E. Kyllonen, York

Germany; A. James Ross, Windham

Haiti; P. Davis Couture, Fairfield

Ireland; Bradford D. Blake, Bowdoinham

Mexico - Tamaulipas; David A. Walker, Monmouth

New Zealand; Robert W. Sawyer IV, Ashland

Russia; Richard L. Rhoda, Houlton

Sweden; Raymond G. Locke, Clinton

Grand Master: There are 581 Votes to be cast. R.W. Brother Alan Heath, you will organize the Tellers.

Grand Master: By my watch, it is 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Constitution time to run the Election of Officers. The Constitution does not allow for Nominations from the floor. Therefore, the names you see on the ballots are the names we have.

For the office of Grand Master. There is but one candidate: R.W. Robert R. Landry. I would welcome a motion to elect Brother Landry as your Grand Master by Acclamation. So moved. Those in favor? Opposed? R.W. Brother Landry, do you accept? R.W. Brother Landry: I do!

For the office of Deputy Grand Master, there are three candidates. As your name is called, please rise so that the Brethren may see you. W. Louis Greenier, III ; Robert A. Hoyt; David A. Walker.

Grand Master: You will rip out the Green Ballot, mark your candidacy for the Deputy Grand Master of this Grand Lodge. I declare the ballot for Deputy Grand Master open. Please mark your ballots and present them to the tellers.

Grand Master: Brother Timothy Martel, please be prepared with the MEALS Committee Report as soon as I declare the ballot closed.

Grand Master: Have all voted who are entitled? I declare the ballot for Deputy Grand Master of this Grand Jurisdiction closed. Brother Tellers, you will retire and count the ballots.

Wor. Tim Martel presented the report of the:

**MASONIC EDUCATION & LODGE SERVICE  
ANNUAL REPORT**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The Masonic Education & Lodge Service (M.E.A.L.S.) Committee has been extremely busy all year and we accomplished the following:

Planned Lodge Officer Training Seminars in Augusta, Orrington, Presque Isle and Gorham. Unfortunately, Mother Nature caused us to cancel the training in Presque Isle for the second consecutive year. It appears that March is not the ideal month to schedule a visit to "The County". We successfully completed the training in Augusta, Orrington and Gorham.

Updated and distributed Pollard Plan Booklets for the Accepted Candidate, Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft and Master Mason Degrees to all lodges. Reviewed and updated the Pollard Plan Instructor's Manual. Copies will be provided to all lodges in the near future.

We have nearly completed a review and update of the "Home Study Course" and plan to distribute the revised version of this course to all lodges in the near future.

We also plan to review Hiram's Handbook for possible updates.

The MEALS Committee was invited by the Board of Regents of the Masonic College to participate in a one day seminar on Adult Education that was provided by the University of Maine. The instructor helped us to better understand how adults learn. We imparted those lessons to the District Representatives at a training session that was recently held at Anna Temple.

Participated in two Grand Master Masonic Education Summits

Reviewed a Q & A Pamphlet that was developed by the Grand Lodge of New York and modified it so that it could be used by Maine lodges. We submitted the modified draft document to the Grand Master for his review.

Last year, I stated in the MEALS Committee's annual report that the DER position was never intended to become a stepping stone to District Deputy Grand Master, although in most cases, it has become exactly that. I also reported that the MEALS Committee was looking for ways to improve the Masonic Education Process and that we were actively seeking Masons who enjoy teaching and would like to be Masonic Educators for an extended period of time, i.e. serve as Masonic Educators for several consecutive years. Due to the fact that most of our DDGM's, in the memorable past,



have in fact been selected from the DER pool, some brethren have expressed their dissatisfaction with the creation of a long term Education Specialist position.

We also know that such a change cannot be successfully implemented across the board over night. Therefore, the MEALS Committee has recommended to the Deputy Grand Master that we implement a "Pilot Education Specialist Program" wherever possible in the near term. The Pilot Program will consist of at least two Masons who are currently serving as DER's and have expressed interest in remaining in the that position for additional years. Furthermore, several of the current DDGM's have expressed interest in becoming Masonic Educators/DER's once they have completed their duties as a DDGM. As time progresses, we hope that more and more Past DDGM's will express interest in becoming Masonic Educators.

The majority of this year's DER's have done an outstanding job of trying to promote Masonic Education within their respective districts. Their efforts are well documented in their reports. However, there continues to be reluctance on the part of lodge Masters to make Masonic Education a high priority, to appoint someone from their lodge to be the Masonic Educator and to request support from their District Education Representative. The DER's are highly motivated and anxious to present Masonic Education Programs to their constituent lodges.

#### Raymond Rideout Award

We received a dozen outstanding Raymond Rideout Award nominations this year and it was more difficult than usual to make a final selection. However, there were two lodges that stood out above the others: Limestone Lodge #214 and Bethlehem Lodge #35. After careful consideration, the MEALS Committee is pleased to announce that the Raymond Rideout Award for 2007 – 2008 is hereby presented to Limestone Lodge #214, Limestone, Maine, 1st Masonic District.

The Worshipful Master of ten additional lodges came to the East and received their runner-up Awards from the Grand Master. They received a hearty round of applause from the Brethren.

The Worshipful Masters of Limestone Lodge No. 214 and Bethlehem Lodge No. 35 came to the East and were presented the Award for First and Second Place by the Grand Master. They received a standing ovation by the Brethren.

*Submitted by: V.W. Ken White, 1st District Education Representative*

*Describe what the Lodge is doing Candidate Education Program in each of the following areas – Accepted Candidate, Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, Master Mason, 4th Night Program.*

The accepted candidate is invited to the lodge and greeted formally by the Worshipful Master and numerous lodge members, usually at a Saturday morning pancake breakfast. After breakfast and the usual fellowship that occurs at such gatherings, the first line signer and the Worshipful Master meet with the accepted candidate to review the Accepted Candidate video and the Pollard Plan for the

Accepted Candidate. The candidate gets a tour of the lodge building and is prepared for initiation in so far as he can be prepared. After receiving his Entered Apprentice Degree, the new brother is given the Pollard Plan at the conclusion of the degree. After Lodge is closed, the new brother is taken aside by the Master and one or more brethren (mentors) and reads his lesson and a study schedule is worked out. During the next month, again, usually at the Saturday morning breakfast, he sees the EA video and several brethren meet with him regularly to assist in the lesson and give an explanation of its symbolic meaning. The candidate is given any and all information that he is entitled to receive and given positive re-enforcement of his progress in attaining knowledge about the craft. This same format is followed for the FC and MM degrees. This is well done and the results are an energetic new brother returning regularly to lodge meetings and actively taking part in lodge activities. The once a month pancake breakfasts not only instill knowledge in the candidate, but also serve to keep the officers and brethren energized. This in turn translates into brethren who are enthusiastic and eager to be part of the lodge activities. It also serves as a positive re-enforcement to the new brother – all which breeds success.

*If this Lodge uses the Elder Brother program, please describe it.*

The Elder Brother is usually the first line signer assisted by one or two of the Past Masters. As with many lodges there is a “core” of dedicated Past Masters in this lodge that are all willing to assist in the candidate’s educational process. Worshipful Master Robert Hancock has just completed his second year as Master and his leadership and dedication has set an example for all. He has given each officer an explanation of their duties and his expectation of their meeting these duties. This has had a significant impact on the operation of the lodge, especially with the new candidates and Master Masons. He actively participates in the education of the new brother and also expects this same behavior from all of the members. The newly elected Worshipful Master, Shane Theriault, seems to be following in same pattern of Wor. Hancock’s path to success. At any time when the candidate needs assistance, there is not one, but several knowledgeable brethren ready and willing to help explain the lessons or imparting knowledge.

*Describe what the Lodge uses for Candidate Education resources and how used.*

The Educational Videos are used after each degree and the Pollard Plan booklets are fully explained. Usually the several mentors meet with candidate at the lodge hall to go over the planned lesson. During these “study sessions” (after breakfast) the mentors eagerly explain the symbolic meanings of the lesson and the degree. There is also a “group” of traveling brethren who visit other lodges in the #1 District. They always invite the new brother to attend any of the other lodges, (when they know beforehand what degree a lodge will be opened in) so that the new brother can sit and watch the degree he has just completed. They feel the new brother benefits greatly from this experience and learns more from watching than he may have absorbed during his own degree. He also gets the feeling of acceptance and importance to these friends and makes many new friends. All of which re-enforces the experience and lessons he is being taught.

*Describe any presentations used for General Membership Education.*

Worshipful Hancock always has some program ready for each stated meeting (when they are not doing degree work). He has utilized the services of the DER, Past Masters, PDDGMs and his own line officers - especially the JW and SW - to do a short educational program that is of benefit to all. These programs are not complex or lengthy, but the discussion that follows gets almost all of the brethren involved and keeps everyone's interest. Most of these programs are individual segments of the 4<sup>th</sup> Night Program or some item of interest from the Maine Masonic Textbook. WM Hancock usually ends stated meetings with a Masonic reading or poem that has a profound message and leaves the brethren with something to think about, as to what masonry is and can be. The new installed master has already contacted me for the Masonic Jeopardy Program at the April stated meeting, so I see the success of Wor. Hancock continuing in the new Master.

*Describe why this Lodge merits your recommendation.*

All of the above statements are excellent reasons, which merit my recommendation. One other very important item I believe needs to be added – Limestone Lodge has an average age of its line officers that is mid-30's. They have attracted good young men and KEPT THEIR INTEREST! Limestone Lodge has had several very active Masters over the last six plus years, all of whom have brought excitement and purpose to the Lodge. The most recent Past Master has been exceptional at doing this and his successor seems to be continuing the program of education and purpose. The enthusiasm of the entire lodge is impressive and highly noticeable. When a known brother or "stranger" enters the lodge building, especially a first time visitor – each visitor is greeted at the door by several of the officers and members – absolutely no one enters without a proper greeting and introduction to the brethren of the lodge. The Elders are also highly motivated – energy leads to motivation and this lodge has done/is doing what we all strive to attain.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the MEALS Committee for their extraordinary dedication to Masonic Excellence and for their untiring support. The MEALS Committee would like to thank the District Education Representatives for their service to the craft. We also wish to thank the Grand Master for his guidance and support. Masonic Education is obviously one of his highest priorities.

Respectfully submitted,

Tim Martel, Chairman  
Claire V. Tusch  
David A. Walker  
Richard L. Bowden  
Steve Mairs  
Don Mcdougal

Brother Martel: I move the acceptance of this report and that it be printed in the Grand Lodge Proceedings. Motion second and carried by **Vote** of the Brethren.

Grand Master: R.W. Brother Martel, you have been more than a work horse for this Grand Lodge. You work on the MEALS Committee; you work on the Ambassador Program and whenever you are called on, you are ready and willing to do this. Well, I've got another call for you.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge of Santa Catarina Brazil,

“We are sending our fraternal greetings to the Grand Lodge of Maine and all the Brethren in your jurisdiction, it is the will and pleasure of our Grand Master, Most Worshipful Airton Edmundo Alves, that we have the honor to enclose a certificate signed by our Grand Master and attested by myself, to memorialize the appointment of R.W. Timothy Martel as the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Santa Catarina near the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Maine. Please relay our best wishes to Brother Martel for many fine years of fraternal relations.”

Grand Master: My Brother, it is my pleasure to present you the commission for your appointment as Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of Santa Catarina. Thank you.

R.W. Brother Martel was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Continuing with the election, we have but one candidate for the office of Senior Grand Warden. R.W. A. James Ross, please rise. I would welcome a motion to elect Brother Ross as Senior Grand Warden by acclamation. So moved. Seconded. All those in favor? All opposed? I declare you elected, do you accept? R.W. Brother Ross: I do.

Brother Ross was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: My Brethren, I would ask that you give the same round of applause to your new Grand Master. The Grand Master Elect was also accord a standing ovation.

Grand Master: The orderly succession of power is in motion. Is the second set of Tellers ready to go to work? They are. I would ask you to tear of Ballot No. 4, of the green ballot for Junior Grand Warden. Would the two candidates please rise? David J. Billings and Ralph G. Knowles. Please mark your ballots. I declare the ballot for Junior Grand Warden open.

Grand Master: Have all voted who are entitled? I declare the election for Junior Grand Warden closed.

For Grand Secretary there is but one name for Grand Secretary, Hollis G. Dixon. I would accept a motion to elect Hollis G. Dixon by acclamation. All those in favor?

Opposed? It is a Vote. Brother Dixon, do you accept? R.W. Brother Dixon: I do Most Worshipful. Brother Dixon was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Teller, do you have a result for Deputy Grand Master?

R.W. Alan Heath: M.W. Grand Master, there were 513 votes cast. 257 are needed for a majority. Robert Hoyt got 133; David Walker got 131; W. Louis Greenier got 247; We do not have a majority.

Grand Master: By our Constitution, the one with the lowest number of votes now withdraws. Gentlemen, you will now use the white ballot, Ballot A. for either: W. Louis Greenier or Robert A. Hoyt. White ballot –Ballot A. I now declare the ballot for Deputy Grand Master – two candidates – now open.

Grand Master: Have all voted that are entitled? Have all voted that are entitled? I now declare the second ballot for Deputy Grand Master closed.

Grand Master: On your Ballot No. 5, for Grand Treasurer there is only one name, R.W. Harold E. McKenney, Jr. There being one name on the ballot, I would welcome a motion to elect Harold E. McKenney, Jr. by acclamation. So moved. Motion seconded. All those in favor with your voting cards. All opposed? I declare Harold E. McKenney elected as Grand Treasurer. Rt. Worshipful, do you accept? R.W. Brother McKenney: I do Most Worshipful. Brother McKenney was accorded a standing ovation.

The Grand Master called for the results of the ballot for Junior Grand Warden. R.W. Thomas Heath: For Junior Grand Warden; there were 506 ballots cast. For Brother David Billings; there were 238 Votes cast. For R.W. Ralph Knowles 268 Votes cast. You have elected Brother Ralph Knowles. Grand Master: Brother Ralph Knowles, do you accept? R.W. Brother Knowles: I do Most Worshipful. Brother Knowles was accorded a standing ovation.

Grand Master: We will now go back to the green ballot; Ballot No. 7. For the Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation there are three men running for two positions. When I call your name, please rise. Bradford D. Blake; Robert W. Ferguson; Walter E. Kyllonen. The ballot for Charles E. Ridlon is unopposed for an unexpired term. You will mark the top part of your ballot for Bradford D. Blake; Robert W. Ferguson or Walter E. Kyllonen.

Grand Master: Have all voted who are entitled? Have all voted who are entitled? I declare the ballot closed.

Grand Master: Would the Master of Lygonia Lodge please rise? He is not here. Would you please, when you see him, thank him for me for the use of the lodge furniture that they brought in this morning so that we could have this Grand Lodge Communication? It means an awful lot to me actually because my Great Great Grandfather probably took his obligation on that particular Alter and to have it in the

middle of this room today is very, very important to me. So please thank the lodge for that in my stead.

I also want to thank the Arrangements Committee. This has been a rather challenge for them to put this together in this Hotel and they've done an extraordinary job at that. If you see Ken Richardson and his lady, Linda, and some of the others that are on the arrangements committee. So when you see them please thank them for me. Interesting, we've got the Deputy Grand Master from Virginia from the Bangor Airport to here. It didn't take very long to get to the Airport but, apparently the person who went to get him got a little bit lost so it took an hour and a half to get back. *Laughter.* Ahh, he was headed to a place called Houlton and coming from Virginia, I'm sure he would have enjoyed the snow piles there. But I do thank the arrangements Committee for all the work they have done putting all of this together on your behalf. *Applause!!!*

Grand Master: As a matter of housekeeping, we will go to refreshment after the election. The Grand Lodge will reopen at 9:00 a.m. sharp. We have several committee reports to work on at that time. We will then go to refreshment and those of you that are to be installed in office need to pay attention to the directions of the now Deputy Grand Master, Grand Master Elect. Brother Teller, have you the results of the Deputy Grand Master election?

R.W. Alan Heath: M.W. Grand Master, there were 485 ballots cast. 243 required for election. Robert Hoyt had 179; W. Louis Greenier had 306. Grand Master: R.W. Greenier do you accept? Brother Greenier: I do Most Worshipful. R.W. Brother Greenier was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Ballot No. 8, on the green ballot. For Finance Committee. For a three year term. You must vote for one. As I call your name, please rise. Charles E. Ridlon; Lester F. Smith. I declare the ballot for Finance Committee; one term of three years open, mark your ballots.

Grand Master: Would somebody collect the Senior Grand Warden's ballot? Have all balloted who are entitled? Have all balloted who are entitled? I declare the ballot closed.

M.W. Charles Ridlon: Most Worshipful, I have one hundred of the Dreyfuss DVD's on the speech that Lee Dreyfuss gave. They will be out here by the door if you want to pick one up. We also have 200 of the new Jacquin magazines, which are going to every Mason in Maine. I would recommend that you take one or the other; they are there for your education.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please present to the East, the District Deputy Grand Master for the Number One err, the First District?

R.W. David King: Most Worshipful Grand Master, on behalf of the Masters and Wardens Association and all of the Brethren from the First Masonic District – the

Number One District,...*laughter*. ...you all can move up North, we'd love to have you....I have a check here, as we usually do, in support of the CHIPS program in the amount of One Thousand Dollars. And, I do have one request. If I could have all the Brethren from the First District please stand. The Brethren from the First District were accorded a standing ovation by the Craft.

Grand Master: Thank you very much my Brother, we will put this to good use for the Child Identification Program for the State of Maine. While I have your attention my Brothers, out back, from the Maine Masonic College, we also have a DVD that is very important to those of us in Maine. It is called, "Taking the Moral High Ground." It is a presentation by Past Grand Master Walter MacDougall, Past Grand Master of Maine. It is like the DVD that was just mentioned. One of those things that should go in every Master Mason's library. They are out back and available for you. Important stuff.

Grand Master: As a matter of housekeeping, after the Grand Lodge is closed this afternoon, there will be an attitude adjustment period down in the Restaurant area and that will be from six to seven this evening. Please don't forget, if you are coming here tomorrow, you cannot park in the Hannaford Parking Lot because they will be doing some repaving tomorrow and your car will most likely be towed away.

Grand Master: For those of you who remain, the music today has been provided by one of our Grand Organists, Alexander Phillips. He certainly is an extraordinary talent and we are very very pleased that he is here today and thank you very much for your music today. *Applause!!*

The Grand Master called on the Teller to present the results of the election. Wor. Thomas Heath: For the Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation, there were 505 ballots cast, but due to some people marking only one person, instead of marking two, we have 990 votes. The votes break down as follows: For Brad Blake 363; for Robert Ferguson 254; for Walter Kyllonen 373. The two highest are Brad Blake and Walter Kyllonen.

Grand Master: Brother Blake, do you accept? R.W. Brad Blake declined. (He stated that he felt it more important to have Robert Ferguson as a Director). Grand Master: Brother Kyllonen, do you accept? Bro. Kyllonen: I do. Brother Ferguson do you accept? Bro. Ferguson: I do Most Worshipful. Brethren you have elected Brother Kyllonen and Brother Ferguson. *Applause.*

Grand Master: Brother Teller, do you have results? R.W. Fred Campbell: Yes, Grand Master, 515 votes were cast. 258 majority. Charles Ridlon had 262; Lester Smith 253. Grand Master: So we have elected Charles Ridlon? Campbell: Yes, Most Worshipful. Grand Master: Do you accept Most Worshipful? M.W. Brother Ridlon: Yes Grand Master. *Applause.*

The Grand Chaplain delivered the Invocation.

At 4:05 p.m., Grand Master: I declare this Grand Lodge at refreshment until 0900 hours tomorrow.

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
DAY TWO – May 7, 2008**

9:00 a.m. Grand Master: I call this 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine from refreshment to labor. You will give your attention to the Grand Chaplain.

V.W. Norman Rust: We come before you again, Oh Creator of the Universe, thanking you for the rest of the night and for the beginning of this new day. And as we conclude our 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication, we ask your blessing on the rest of the business and as we prepare to install the new officers of the Grand Lodge of Maine, we continue to ask your blessings, that you will provide them with all of the necessary resources to carry out their obligations and may they always depend upon you for their inspiration and for their strength. For we ask it in your most Holy name. Amen.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Marshal, you will present to me R.W. Robert Alan Hoyt.

**ROBERT ALAN HOYT**

Right Worshipful Brother Robert A. Hoyt was born September 26, 1953 in Portsmouth, New Hampshire. He is one of three brothers and one sister born to Brother Joseph and M. Elizabeth Hoyt. He began his schooling in Kittery before moving to Cape Neddick, Maine as a preteen where he continues to reside. Brother Hoyt graduated from York High School in 1972 and continued his education at the University of Southern Maine where he earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business. He gained his first fraternal experience as a member of the William Whipple Chapter of DeMolay in Kittery and continued his fraternal relations while attending the University as a Brother in the Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity.

Robert was married on May 11, 1985 to Patricia Cormier and together they continue to own and operate Hoyt's Cottages, a business started by his father Brother Joseph Hoyt. Brother Robert also owned and operated York Beach Fish Market for 27 years until he sold the business a few years ago to concentrate on operating Hoyt's Cottages and to pursue his Masonic endeavors.

Brother Hoyt was raised a Master Mason in St. Aspinquid Lodge No. 198 on May 18, 1984 and became Master of his Lodge in 2003. He has continued his growth as a Mason non-stop since joining the officer line in 2000. He learned his lessons well during his journey to the Oriental Chair and was known for his excellent ritual and care for the candidates he mentored. But, most of all, Brother Hoyt emerged as a caring citizen not only to his fellow Brethren in the Masonic family but to those in need in the surrounding communities. He served as President of the Square and Compass Couples Club of St. Aspinquid and has organized countless fund raising activities to support those in need. His care for others has not been limited to St. Aspinquid but has extended to the 19<sup>th</sup> Masonic District as well as several other areas



in the State of Maine. He has served two Grand Masters as Grand Lodge Ambassador for Outreach, a position he still holds.

Brother Hoyt has served the Craft of Maine as Grand Senior Deacon and Junior Grand Warden and is currently serving as Chairman of The Masonic Trustees of Portland as well as a member of the Sub-Committee for Charitable Fund Raising for The Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation. Brother Bob serves his community as Chairman of the York Sewer District. He enjoys hunting, fishing and vacationing on Block Island with his wife Pat where he digs for clams and snorkels for fish. He enjoys organizing and cooking for activities such as the Annual Chowderfest at St. Aspinquid Lodge to benefit the York Food Pantry and the October Harvestfest in York to benefit the Lodge Scholarship programs. He particularly enjoys his daily cooking for his parents.

Grand Master: Brother Hoyt, for your time, thought and services to Masonry in Maine and the care you express for your fellow Brethren and the citizens of Maine during your accomplishments in demonstrating your Masonic tenets, I am pleased to present to you the Simon Greenleaf Medal for distinguished contributions to Masonry. *Applause!!!*

R.W. Robert Alan Hoyt: Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests and Brethren. Thank you for this honor. I'm totally amazed and, ahh, I'm not speechless but I'm very happy and very honored. Thank you. I first want to thank you, Brethren for having confidence in me and electing me to be your Junior Grand Warden two years ago. It was a wonderful time and I really relished the opportunity to serve the craft in that way. And I want to thank Most Worshipful, Jerry, because he put us to work. And he put us to work at things that we as leaders should always be doing. He came to St. Aspinquid Lodge when he was a Deputy Grand Master and he listened and we as leaders of this grand organization should never forget that. We should listen. We should always listen before we speak because there is so much more to be gained by listening. We need to listen to our Brethren. We need to listen to our youth. We need to listen to our Veterans. And we need to listen to our Widows. Because when we listen, we will find what true Masonry is all about. Thank you very much for this honor. R.W. Brother Hoyt was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

Grand Master: Brother Grand Secretary, do we have the Report of the Commissioners of Trials?

The Grand Secretary presented the report of the

### COMMISSIONERS OF TRIALS

**Case No. 2007-01**  
**Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M.**  
**VS.**  
**Harold S. Brill**

**Findings and**  
**Recommendations**

Harold S. Brill was charged with unMasonic Conduct by the Grand Master, Gerald S. Leighton, on July 13, 2007, based on information received from Naval Lodge No. 184. Information was requested by the Grand Lodge of Maine and was received from the Maine District Court in York, Maine. Docket No. FM-04-008 states that Harold Brill was found to be in contempt of court for his failure to pay child support as previously ordered by the court.

He was ordered to serve 17 days in the York County Jail with the stipulation that he would be released upon payment of \$750.00 to the Maine Department of Human Services.

Complaint was made by Naval Lodge No. 184 against Harold S. Brill for the purpose of charging him with unMasonic Conduct. By letter dated July 13, 2007, Harold S. Brill was suspended by Grand Master Gerald S. Leighton from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Due notice was sent by certified mail to the defendant and he was directed to respond within fourteen days by certified mail if he wished to have a hearing on the charges. Harold S. Brill failed to respond within the fourteen day time limit and was thereby, found to be in default.

[According to the U. S. Postal Service, Harold S. Brill has moved with no forwarding address.]

Accordingly, it is

Found: That Harold S. Brill is guilty of unMasonic Conduct and

Recommendation: That Harold S. Brill should be suspended from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Respectfully submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon  
 Grand Secretary

R.W. Hollis Dixon: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that the recommendation of the Commissioners of Trials in Case No. 2007-01 be upheld. Motion seconded. Motion carried by **Vote** of the Brethren.

Grand Secretary:

**Case No. 2007-04**  
**Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M.**  
**VS.**  
**Reuben A. Bragg**

**Findings and**  
**Recommendations**

Reuben A. Bragg was charged with Gross unMasonic Conduct by the Grand Master, Gerald S. Leighton, on July 6, 2007 based on information received from Piscataquis Lodge No. 44. Information was requested by the Grand Lodge of Maine and was received from the Piscataquis County Superior Court. It's Docket No. DOVSC-CR-2006-00034 of the Criminal Docket states that Reuben A. Bragg was convicted of one charge of, "Unlawful Sexual Contact," Seq. 4236 Title 17-A, 255 (1) (C), a Class C Felony, on April 20, 2007. The aforementioned charge amounts to Gross unMasonic Conduct.

Reuben A. Bragg was sentenced to serve Five (5) years in the Department of Corrections with all but Two (2) years suspended and, following his incarceration, to be placed on Probation for Four (4) years.

Complaint was made by Piscataquis Lodge No. 44 against Reuben A. Bragg for the purpose of charging him with Gross unMasonic Conduct. By letter dated July 26, 2007, Reuben A. Bragg was suspended by Grand Master, Gerald S. Leighton, from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Due notice was sent to the defendant and he was directed to respond within fourteen days by certified letter if he wished to have hearing on the charges. Reuben A. Bragg failed to respond within the fourteen day time limit and was thereby found to be in default. In so far as the charge for which Reuben A. Bragg was convicted is a felony under the laws of the State of Maine, his expulsion from all of the rights and privileges of Masonry is affirmed.

Accordingly, it is

Found: That Reuben A. Bragg is guilty of Gross unMasonic Conduct and

Recommendation: That Reuben A. Bragg should be expelled from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Respectfully submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon  
 Grand Secretary

Grand Secretary: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that the recommendation of the Commissioners of Trials in this case should be affirmed.

Grand Master: Is there a second? You have heard the report of the Commissioners of Trials, is there any discussion? Hearing none, I'll call for a vote. All those in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Secretary:

**Case No. 2007-05**  
**Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M.**  
**Vs.**  
**Reinhold W. Bansmer, Jr.**

**Findings and**  
**Recommendation**

Reinhold W. Bansmer, Jr. was charged with unMasonic Conduct by the Grand Master, Gerald S. Leighton, on October 18, 2007 based on information received from Bethlehem Lodge No. 35. Information was requested by the Grand Lodge of Maine and was received from the Maine Superior Court in Cumberland County. It's Docket Number CR 2006-3087 states that Reinhold W. Bansmer, Jr. was convicted of the following two charges:

Count One: One charge of Violation of Privacy, Title 17-A, ss 511 (D) Class D crime. Count Two: Disorderly Conduct, Title 17-A, ss 501 (2) Class C 1. E crime.

On Count One his sentencing was delayed for two years, during which he must abide by certain requirements and be subjected to Polygraph Exams to determine compliance.

On Count Two he was ordered to pay a \$1,000.00 fine and serve two days in jail

Complaint was made by Bethlehem Lodge No. 35 against Reinhold W. Bansmer, Jr. for the purpose of charging him with unMasonic Conduct. By letter dated October 15, 2007, Reinhold W. Bansmer was suspended by Grand Master Gerald S. Leighton from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Due notice was sent by certified mail to the defendant and he was directed to respond within fourteen days by certified mail if he wished to have a hearing on the charges. Reinhold W. Bansmer failed to respond within the fourteen day time limit and was, thereby, found to be in default.

Accordingly, it is

Found: That Reinhold W. Bansmer is guilty of unMasonic Conduct and

Recommendation: That Reinhold W. Bansmer should be suspended from all the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Respectfully submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon  
 Grand Secretary

Grand Secretary: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that the recommendation of the Commissioners of Trials in this case be affirmed. Motion seconded.

Grand Master: Is there any discussion on the recommendation of the Commissioners of Trials? Hearing none, I'll put the question. All those in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Secretary:

**Case No. 2007-06**  
**Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M.**  
**Vs.**  
**Marshall H. Lowe**

**Findings and**  
**Recommendations**

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COMMISSIONERS OF TRIALS  
 IN RE: BROTHER MARSHALL LOWE

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRIALS

Brother Marshall Lowe, member of Marsh River Lodge #102 of Brooks, having been suspended by the Grand Master due to charges of unmasonic conduct, timely requested a hearing before the Commissioners of Trials. A hearing was scheduled on April 3, 2008, and Brother Lowe was duly notified. Upon request of Brother Lowe, the hearing was continued until April 18, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. at Anah Shrine Center in Bangor. Brother Lowe did not accept a certified letter sent to him by the Grand Secretary to notify him of the April 18<sup>th</sup> date, but the Grand Secretary had verbal communication with Brother Lowe during which he acknowledged his awareness of the date, time, and location of the hearing and indicated that he would appear.

The Commissioners of Trials convened at the scheduled time and place as aforesaid. Brother Lowe did not appear. Despite Brother Lowe's default, Brother Harold Crocker was appointed as Masonic counsel for the respondent and a hearing was held. Present were the Commissioners of Trials consisting of John D. Bunker, Chairman, and Royce G. Wheeler sitting as Commissioner pro tem.; Richard L. Rhoda, Judge Advocate; Hollis G. Dixon, Grand Secretary; and Harold Crocker acting as Masonic counsel for the respondent. A plea of not guilty was deemed to be entered on behalf of the respondent.

The Commissioners received evidence in the form of attested copies of convictions of Brother Lowe for misdemeanor offenses in the Maine District Court at Belfast, including operating after suspension, failure to stop for an officer, failure to make an accident report, and violation of condition of release. At the conclusion of the evidence, the Commissioners found Brother Lowe guilty of unMasonic conduct.

Several brothers were heard with respect to the Commissioner's recommendations regarding the disposition of this matter. These brothers included V.W. Dan Dolloff, Master of Marsh River Lodge, R.W. Carroll Warren, Sr., R.W. William Grosser, V.W. Jeff Larrabee, Wor. Greg Parks, and Wor. Clyde Rolerson. It was noted that Brother Lowe had been previously suspended and reinstated last year with a warning. It was apparent to the Commissioners that Brother Lowe's conduct had demonstrated serious disrespect for the law, and had caused great embarrassment to his lodge and the fraternity as a whole.

It is therefore the RECOMMENDATION of the Trial Commissioners that Marshall Lowe be expelled from all of the rights and privileges of Masonry.

Respectfully submitted,

John D. Bunker, Chairman  
Royce G. Wheeler

Grand Secretary: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I move that the recommendation of the Commissioners of Trials in the case against Marshall Lowe be affirmed. Motion seconded.

Grand Master: It has been moved and seconded that we need to expel Marshall Lowe. Is there any discussion? Voting Cards, please. All in favor? Those opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Secretary:

#### GRAND LODGE OF MAINE - ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS

#### COMMISSIONERS OF TRIALS

#### SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS - 2007-2008

Another matter came before the Commissioners of Trials this year. A brother was suspended by the Grand Master on July 17, 2007, due to allegations of unMasonic conduct. This brother requested a hearing, and the matter was referred to the Commissioners of Trials. A trial was conducted on February 8, 2008, in accordance with the procedures specified by the Constitution of our Grand Lodge.

Subsequent to the trial, but before the Commissioners rendered a decision, a third party commenced litigation against the Grand Secretary and against Grand Lodge. A temporary restraining order has been issued in the pending litigation. Upon advice of counsel for Grand Lodge, the Commissioners are taking no further action at this time, and are purposely not indicating the name of the brother or the details of the alleged offense.

The effect of this interruption in our proceedings is that the Grand Master's suspension of this brother will expire when this Annual Communication adjourns. Any further action will have to be reinitiated by the next Grand Master.

Respectfully submitted,

John D. Bunker, Chairman  
M. Ray Bradford, Jr.  
Frederick B. Campbell

Grand Master: Brother Grand Secretary, I direct that this supplemental report of the Commissioners of Trials be accepted and printed in the proceedings without vote.

Grand Secretary: It will be done, Most Worshipful Grand Master.

Grand Master: I would now accept a motion to accept the reports of those not given verbally and that they be printed in the proceedings. Motion made and seconded. Grand Master: Is there any discussion? All those in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Master: Brother Deputy Grand Master, do you have a motion to make?

Deputy Grand Master: I move that the next communication of this Grand Lodge be held on May 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009 in Portland, Maine. Motion seconded. All those in Favor? It is a **Vote**.

The Grand Master called for a report of the Committee on Unfinished Business.

### **COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Brother Robert B. Ward: Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, Brethren all. Your Committee on Unfinished Business is pleased to report that all necessary business pending before this Grand Lodge Session has been completed.

Fraternally submitted,

Robert B. Ward, Chairman  
Hollis G. Dixon  
Gerald C. Pickard

I move that we accept this verbal report.

Grand Master: It has been moved and seconded to accept the verbal report of the Committee on Unfinished Business. All those in favor? Opposed? It is a **Vote**.

Grand Master: I declare this 189<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine, A.F. & A.M. at refreshment.

Grand Master: I would now ask Past Grand Master Pulkkinen to approach the East. I will turn over to you Most Worshipful, the authority of this Grand Lodge.

M.W. Brother Pulkkinen: Thank you Grand Master. Brethren, this meeting of this Annual Communication will be adjourned until 10:00 a.m. If I could have about five men to help set up the chairs, we will see you at 10:00 a.m.

### **INSTALLATION OF 2008-2009 OFFICERS OF THE GRAND LODGE OF MAINE, A.F. & A.M.**

The Installing Marshal, R.W. William Stretton, conducted the Grand Master Elect, Robert R. Landry, to the East, where M.W. George P. Pulkkinen administered the Obligation. Following the obligation, R.W. Brother Landry was installed as the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Maine. The Grand Master was conducted to the Oriental Chair in the East where he was accorded the Public Grand Honors by the Brethren.

Ms. Ashley Lawrence sang, **“God Bless America.”** She was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren and their Guests.

Brother Adam Landry, son of Grand Master, Robert R. Landry: When my Dad retired, he became a Poet. That is a talent that I did not know that he had. I want to share with you a Poem that he wrote some years ago, probably before he ever dreamed he would be standing here as:

#### **“The Man who wears the Stove Pipe Hat.”**

The man who wears the stove pipe hat,  
I'm sure you will agree  
is truly just a common man,  
not unlike you and me.

For when he walks up those three steps  
to gaze upon his lodge,  
he sees how large the room can be  
and still tries to do his job.

All eyes are upon him,  
his words they do await,  
his orders will be carried out  
and none will hesitate.



He's the one who holds the gavel  
and his powers great may be,  
to use the gavel wisely  
will be his aim you see.

All the years he's been preparing  
for just this special day  
and hoping it will turn out right  
so things will work his way.

Now that he's in the Eastern chair  
and there for all to see.  
We know he's just a common man,  
not unlike you and me.

Written by Robert R. Landry

Brother Adam Landry was accorded a standing ovation by the Brethren.

M.W. George Pulkkinen: Brother Grand Marshal, you will present to the East, the Deputy Grand Master Elect.

M.W. Brother Pulkkinen obligated and installed R.W. W. Louis Greenier as Deputy Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine.

R.W. Lester F. Smith, Installing Grand Marshal, conducted the R.W. Senior Grand Warden Elect; the R.W. Junior Grand Warden Elect; the R.W. Grand Treasurer Elect and the R.W. Grand Secretary Elect to the Alter where M.W. Robert V. Damon administered their obligation.

M.W. Brother Damon then installed R.W. A. James Ross as Senior Grand Warden and R.W. Ralph Knowles as the Junior Grand Warden.

The Installing Grand Marshal, R.W. Lester F. Smith, conducted the R.W. Grand Treasurer Elect and the R.W. Grand Secretary Elect to the East. M.W. Claire V. Tusch installed R.W. Harold E. McKenney, Jr. as the Grand Treasurer and R.W. Hollis G. Dixon as Grand Secretary.

The Installing Marshal conducted the District Deputy Grand Masters to the East where they took upon themselves their official obligation and were then installed by M.W. Wayne T. Adams. Each of the District Deputy Grand Masters was presented the Jewel of his office and congratulated by the Installing Officer and the Grand Master.

M.W. George P. Pulkkinen administered the Obligation to and Installed the Grand Chaplain and his Assistant Grand Chaplains.

M.W. George P. Pulkkinen installed Wor. Brother Thomas A. Heath as Grand Marshal.

M.W. Robert V. Damon obligated and Installed the Grand Lecturers into their office.

M.W. Harland S. Hitchings obligated and Installed R.W. Robert J. Landry as Grand Senior Deacon and R.W. John L. Cousins as Grand Junior Deacon.

M.W. Harland S. Hitchings obligated and Installed the four Grand Stewards: Wor. Ronald W. Fowle; Wor. Donald J. McDougal; Wor. Donald W. King and Wor. Michael I. Theriault.

M.W. George P. Pulkkinen Installed fifteen District Educational Representatives.

M.W. Charles E. Ridlon obligated and Installed Wor. David A. Hasey as Grand Sword Bearer; Wor. Howard C. Weymouth as Grand Standard Bearer; Wor. Vernon J. Harmon as Grand Pursuivant and R.W. Randy L. Adams as Grand Pursuivant.

M.W. Gerald S. Leighton obligated and Installed Wor. Clyde A. Roth and Wor. Alexander H. Phillips as Grand Organists and Wor. Stanley L. Reed as Grand Tyler.

M.W. Harland S. Hitchings delivered the Charge to the Brethren.

The Grand Marshal escorted R.W. John Lagerquist to the East, where he delivered the Charge to the Senior Grand Warden and the Junior Grand Warden.

M.W. Roger P. Snelling, Master of Ceremonies, made appropriate remarks.

The Installing Marshal, R.W. Lester F. Smith, made his Official Proclamation.

The Grand Marshal escorted R.W. Robert J. Landry to the East where he presented the Grand Master with a wooden Gavel, which he had personally carved for him.

M.W. George P. Pulkkinen, the Installing Master, turned the Gavel of the Grand Lodge of Maine over to the newly installed Grand Master.

M.W. Robert R. Landry presented M.W. Gerald S. Leighton with a Past Grand Master's Apron and Past Grand Master's Jewel. M.W. Brother Leighton, in turn, presented M.W. Robert R. Landry with a Travelling Jewel.

M.W. Robert R. Landry thanked the Past Grand Masters for their participation in the Installation Ceremony. He specifically thanked M.W. Brother Roger P. Snelling and the Anah Highlanders for their participation in the Installation Ceremony.

The Grand Marshal escorted Ms. Ashley Lawrence to the East, where the Grand Master presented her with a gift in appreciation for her beautiful rendition of, "God Bless America."

The Grand Master made very brief remarks. He stated that, "Unity, will be my main goal; to unite all Masonic bodies."

The Grand Master read a second Poem that he had written:

### **The Guy In The Glass**

When you get what you want and you struggle for self  
and the world makes you King for a Day,  
just go to a mirror and look at yourself  
and see what that Guy has to say.

For it isn't your wife, or family or friends,  
whose judgment upon you must pass,  
the Guy whose verdict counts most in the end  
is the Guy looking back from the glass.

Some people may think you a straight shooting chum  
and call you a personal flake  
but the Guy in the glass says, you're only a bum  
if you can't look him straight in the face.

He's the guy to please, never mind all the rest,  
for he's with you clear up to the end.  
And you've passed your most dangerous, difficult test,  
if the guy in the glass is your friend.

You must follow the whole world down the pathway of years  
and get pats on the back as you pass  
but your final reward will be heart ache and tears  
if you've cheated the Guy in the glass.

By Robert R. Landry

M.W. Robert R. Landry: Brother Grand Marshal, would you please escort Diane Landry to the East?

Grand Master: "Diane, I want to thank you for everything, I wouldn't be here if it wasn't for you." He then presented a bouquet of long stem Red Roses to his wife. "I don't know how you're going to get them home." **Applause.**

He then presented his daughter, Lisa Flynn with a bouquet of long stem Pink Roses. "I really appreciate your making the effort to come here. She teaches Accounting at the University of New York and this just happens to be finals week. I really don't know how you're going to get them home." **Applause.**

The Grand Master then directed the Grand Marshal to bring his son, Adam, to the East.

Grand Master: Adam, I want to thank you very much for being here. It has been a great, great pleasure for me to have you here, son. I really appreciate it. I know you really are a busy man. I really appreciate your effort. Thank you. **Applause.**

Most Worshipful Robert R. Landry: “I want to thank everyone for coming. I want everyone to have a safe journey home. And in the words of one of our great 33° Masons, May God bless.”

The Grand Master closed the Grand Lodge of Maine at 11:58 a.m. in Ample Form.

*Charles S. Lusk*

Grand Master

Attest



*Hollis W. Deane*

Grand Secretary

**ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR  
2008-2009**

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| Robert R. Landry, (49/95)        | M.W. Grand Master        |
| W. Louis Greenier, II, (170/209) | R.W. Deputy Grand Master |
| A. James Ross, (127)             | R.W. Senior Grand Warden |
| Ralph G. Knowles, (43)           | R.W. Junior Grand Warden |
| Harold E. McKenney, Jr., (83)    | R.W. Grand Treasurer     |
| Hollis G. Dixon, (219)           | R.W. Grand Secretary     |
| Kenneth E. White (72)            | R.W.D.D.G.M... 1st Dist  |
| Dennis W. Bryant (78)            | R.W.D.D.G.M... 2nd Dist  |
| Darrell K. E. Kelley (188)       | R.W.D.D.G.M... 3rd Dist  |
| Theodore S. Russell (4/19)       | R.W.D.D.G.M... 4th Dist  |
| Lawrence W. Budden (149)         | R.W.D.D.G.M... 5th Dist  |
| Ronald S. Murphy (65)            | R.W.D.D.G.M... 6th Dist  |
| Jeffrey W. Sukeforth (6/82)      | R.W.D.D.G.M... 7th Dist  |
| Myron E. Hersom (68)             | R.W.D.D.G.M... 8th Dist  |
| Randy S. Raymond (61)            | R.W.D.D.G.M... 9th Dist  |
| Charles J. DiPerri, Jr. (3/204)  | R.W.D.D.G.M... 10th Dist |
| Steven P. Mairs (35)             | R.W.D.D.G.M... 11th Dist |
| Frederick R. Milligan, Jr. (113) | R.W.D.D.G.M... 12th Dist |
| Colby A. Waugh (194)             | R.W.D.D.G.M... 13th Dist |
| Loy B. Mitchell (26)             | R.W.D.D.G.M... 14th Dist |
| Rufus W. Cox (20)                | R.W.D.D.G.M... 15th Dist |
| Brian A. Levasseur (13)          | R.W.D.D.G.M... 16th Dist |
| Walter W. Lamb, Jr. (127)        | R.W.D.D.G.M... 17th Dist |
| Carl J. Marsano (9/162)          | R.W.D.D.G.M... 18th Dist |
| R. Matthew Ferris (143/213)      | R.W.D.D.G.M... 19th Dist |
| Richard J. Halacy (97)           | R.W.D.D.G.M... 20th Dist |
| Michael W. Walker (192/201)      | R.W.D.D.G.M... 21st Dist |
| Ronald P. Green, Sr. (49)        | R.W.D.D.G.M... 22nd Dist |
| Richard N. Bergeron, Jr. (73)    | R.W.D.D.G.M... 23rd Dist |
| Kenneth H. Hanscom, Jr. (93/165) | R.W.D.D.G.M... 24th Dist |
| Robert J. Landry (35)            | W. Grand Senior Deacon   |
| John L. Cousins, Sr. (43/122)    | W. Grand Junior Deacon   |
| Ronald W. Fowle, II (95)         | W. Grand Steward         |
| Donald J. McDougal (44)          | W. Grand Steward         |
| Donald W. King (49)              | W. Grand Steward         |
| Michael I. Theriault (194)       | W. Grand Steward         |
| Thomas A. Heath (31)             | W. Grand Marshal         |
| Vernon J. Harmon (26)            | W. Grand Pursuivant      |
| Randy L. Adams (137)             | W. Grand Pursuivant      |
| David A. Hasey (87/174)          | W. Grand Sword Bearer    |
| Howard C. Weymouth (109)         | W. Grand Standard Bearer |
| Raymond G. Locke (146)           | R.W. Grand Lecturer      |
| Robert H. Gillahan (65/66)       | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer |
| Alexander G. Lyle, III (62/82)   | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer |
| Harland M. Harnden (156)         | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer |

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| James R. May (72) .....                | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer       |
| George W. McLean (184) .....           | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer       |
| Ralph E. Pennell, Jr. (91) .....       | R.W. Asst Grand Lecturer       |
| Richard L. Rhoda (96).....             | W. Grand Historian             |
| James E. Dufresne (9/183) .....        | W. Grand Librarian             |
| Norman F. Rust (18/132) .....          | W. & Rev. Grand Chaplain       |
| Dwynal R. Grass (72).....              | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| W. Daniel Hill (28) .....              | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| Lawrence J. Wescott, Jr. (86/152)..... | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| Ronald W. Smith (26) .....             | W. & Rev. Asst. Grand Chaplain |
| Martin L. Perfit (65/83).....          | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| Dwight C. Whitney, Sr. (91) .....      | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| John T. Irovando (170/214).....        | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| Mark E. Rustin (69).....               | W. Asst. Grand Chaplain        |
| John E. Moulton (184/198) .....        | W. Grand Organist              |
| Alexander H. Phillips (185) .....      | W. Grand Organist              |
| Patrick D. Kaloustian (35).....        | W. Grand Organist              |
| Clyde A. Roth (41).....                | W. Grand Organist              |
| Brewster H. Staples (121) .....        | W. Grand Organist              |
| Ronald S. Hoyle (163).....             | W. Grand Organist              |
| Stanley L. Reed (44) .....             | Bro. Grand Tyler               |

#### **DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVES 2008-2009**

|                                              |             |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------|
| V.W. Neal R. Haines (170).....               | District 1  |
| V.W. Norman L. Howe (78) .....               | District 2  |
| V.W. Edwin H. Joy (2) .....                  | District 3  |
| V.W. Sheldon W. Heath (4/19/71).....         | District 4  |
| V.W. Tracy K. Lord (149) .....               | District 5  |
| V.W. Alfred C. Haskell, Jr. (217) .....      | District 6  |
| V.W. William R. Mitchell (135/203).....      | District 7  |
| V.W. Daniel I. Dolloff (102) .....           | District 8  |
| V.W. Brian S. Messing (15).....              | District 9  |
| V.W. Bruce A. Alexander, Jr. (103) .....     | District 10 |
| V.W. Robert D. Stratton (35).....            | District 11 |
| V.W. Arthur C. Thompson, Jr. (146).....      | District 12 |
| V.W. Robert J. Farmer (116) .....            | District 13 |
| V.W. Harry W. Grinder (8/155).....           | District 14 |
| V.W. B. Dana Leathers (38/202/204) .....     | District 15 |
| V.W. Charles E. Micklon (94/153).....        | District 16 |
| V.W. Christian A. Ratliff (1/180/183) .....  | District 17 |
| V.W. Chad E. Poitras (42/115) .....          | District 18 |
| V.W. Lawrence M. Vennell (76) .....          | District 19 |
| (VACANT).....                                | District 20 |
| V.W. Norris M. Reddish (140) .....           | District 21 |
| V.W. Reed F. Carson, Jr. (75).....           | District 22 |
| V.W. Thomas E. Ray (29) .....                | District 23 |
| V.W. George W. Sargent, Jr. (26/93/172)..... | District 24 |

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(First name on the list is Chairman)

|                |                       |               |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Carl R. Trynor | <b>On Credentials</b> |               |
|                | Thomas A. Heath       | Alan R. Heath |
|                | James R. Heath        |               |

|                 |                   |                         |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Hollis G. Dixon | <b>On Returns</b> |                         |
|                 | David A. Walker   | Frank M. Theriault, Jr. |

|                    |                                  |                |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Robert W. Ferguson | <b>On Grievances and Appeals</b> |                |
|                    | Edward L. King                   | Randy L. Adams |

|                  |                                       |                 |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Richard L. Rhoda | <b>On History of Masonry in Maine</b> |                 |
|                  | Phillip E. Hopkins                    | Milton VanVlack |

|                   |                                      |                  |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Bradford D. Blake | <b>On Dispensations and Charters</b> |                  |
|                   | Roger O. Easley, Sr.                 | Raymond G. Locke |

|                     |                                          |                 |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| George P. Pulkkinen | <b>On Amendments to the Constitution</b> |                 |
|                     | Alan R. Heath                            | Lester F. Smith |

|                |                                 |                   |
|----------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Paul L. Hazard | <b>On Masonic Jurisprudence</b> |                   |
|                | Robert W. Ferguson              | Gerald W. Gannett |

|                       |                               |                    |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| C. Herbert Annis, Jr. | <b>On Fraternal Relations</b> |                    |
|                       | Claire V. Tusch               | John E. Anagnostis |

|                  |                                       |                 |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| John K. Caldwell | <b>On Condition of the Fraternity</b> |                 |
|                  | Bradford D. Blake                     | Ryan J. Paradis |

|                 |                              |                 |
|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Hollis G. Dixon | <b>On Library and Museum</b> |                 |
|                 | James E. Dufresne            | John W. Skillin |

|                                         |                                               |                 |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| R. Timothy Martel<br>Donald J. McDougal | <b>On Masonic Education and Lodge Service</b> |                 |
|                                         | Steven P. Mairs                               | Lester F. Smith |
|                                         | Donald L. Rogerson<br>Christian A. Ratliff    | Thomas A. Heath |

|                |                                    |                |
|----------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| Randy L. Adams | <b>On Doings of Grand Officers</b> |                |
|                | Gerald C. Pickard                  | Vernon G. Bean |

|                |                               |                 |
|----------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Robert B. Ward | <b>On Unfinished Business</b> |                 |
|                | Gerald C. Pickard             | Hollis G. Dixon |

|                                      |                  |                                          |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------|
| N. James Coolong<br>Raymond G. Locke | <b>On Ritual</b> |                                          |
|                                      | Alan R. Heath    | W. Louis Greenier, II<br>Dwynal R. Grass |

|                 |                   |                     |
|-----------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Hollis G. Dixon | <b>On By-laws</b> |                     |
|                 | Bradford D. Blake | Robert G. W. Lobley |



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 Steven P. Mairs  
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 Randall S. Burleigh

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Donald A. Savage  
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 Reginald L. Moody  
 Randy E. Rudge  
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 Hollis G. Dixon

Stanley R. Zeboski

William H. Stretton  
 Harold E. McKenney, Jr.

**Web Master**

Edward L. King

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ON  
MAY 6<sup>TH</sup> – 7<sup>TH</sup> 2008**

**REPORT OF THE AUDITOR**

July Twenty Two

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## Independent Auditors' Report

To the Finance Committee of the  
Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient  
Free and Accepted Masons  
Portland, Maine

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities, and net assets – cash basis, of Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons as of March 31, 2008 and the related statement of revenue collected, expenses paid, and other changes in net assets – cash basis, for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. The financial statements of Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons as of March 31, 2007, were audited by other auditors whose report dated June 28, 2007 expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note 1, these financial statements were prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the 2008 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the assets, liabilities, and net assets of Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons as of March 31, 2008 and its revenue collected, expenses paid, and other changes in net assets for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Macdonald Page & Co. L.L.C.  
Certified Public Accountants

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS  
STATEMENTS OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, AND NET ASSETS – CASH  
BASIS  
MARCH 31, 2008 AND 2007**

|                                         | <u>2008</u>              | <u>2007</u>              |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                           |                          |                          |
| <b>ASSETS:</b>                          |                          |                          |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents               | \$ 501,192               | \$ 475,744               |
| Investments                             | 379,271                  | 440,037                  |
| Funds Held for Others                   | <u>49,729</u>            | <u>52,868</u>            |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                     | <b><u>\$ 930,192</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 968,649</u></b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>       |                          |                          |
| <b>LIABILITIES:</b>                     |                          |                          |
| Funds Held for Others                   | \$ 49,729                | \$ 52,868                |
| <b>NET ASSETS:</b>                      |                          |                          |
| Unrestricted                            | <u>880,463</u>           | <u>915,781</u>           |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b> | <b><u>\$ 930,192</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 968,649</u></b> |

See Notes to Financial Statements

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS  
STATEMENTS OF REVENUE COLLECTED, EXPENSES PAID, AND  
OTHER  
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS – CASH BASIS  
YEARS ENDED MARCH 31, 2008 AND 2007**

|                                      | <u>2008</u>       | <u>2007</u>       |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| REVENUE COLLECTED:                   |                   |                   |
| Dues, Fees and Assessments           | \$ 289,765        | \$ 259,343        |
| Sales and Services                   | 16,119            | 18,336            |
| Investment and Interest Income       | 37,320            | 33,234            |
| Insurance                            | 18,392            | 12,390            |
| Other                                | <u>140</u>        | <u>52</u>         |
| Total Revenue Collected              | <u>\$ 361,736</u> | <u>\$ 323,355</u> |
| EXPENSES PAID:                       |                   |                   |
| Administration                       | 103,665           | 113,497           |
| Salaries and Wages                   | 66,716            | 68,168            |
| Insurance                            | 35,834            | 17,307            |
| Officer Expense                      | 33,618            | 28,406            |
| Rent                                 | 24,200            | 24,200            |
| Annual Communication                 | 23,442            | 30,583            |
| Lodge Supplies and Services          | 18,539            | 30,251            |
| Payroll Taxes and Benefits           | 9,555             | 8,982             |
| Professional Services                | 6,018             | 5,551             |
| Committee Expenses                   | <u>5,092</u>      | <u>5,011</u>      |
| Total Expenses Paid                  | <u>\$ 326,679</u> | <u>\$ 331,956</u> |
| Net Before Investment Gains (Losses) | 35,057            | (8,601)           |
| Investment Gains (Losses)            | <u>(70,375)</u>   | <u>32,601</u>     |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets    | (35,318)          | 24,000            |
| Net Assets at Beginning of Year      | <u>915,781</u>    | <u>891,781</u>    |
| Net Assets at End of Year            | <u>\$ 880,463</u> | <u>\$ 915,781</u> |

See Notes to Financial Statements

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
MARCH 31, 2008 AND 2007**

**NOTE 1 – NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Nature of the Organization

Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons (the Organization) is a nonprofit fraternal organization, incorporated in Maine, established for charitable, educational, and other specific purposes in accordance with Masonic principles and practices.

Method of Accounting

The Organization's financial statements have been prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Under that basis, the only assets recognized are cash and investments. All other assets and liabilities are not recognized. Accordingly, revenues are recognized when received rather than when earned, and expenses and purchases of assets are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. The only modification to the cash basis of accounting is that unrealized gains and losses are included in revenues and investments are reported at fair market value, and the liability to other organizations for investments in custodial care is recognized.

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements of the Organization have been prepared in accordance with the recommendations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board in its Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117, Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organization. Net assets, revenues, expenses, gains and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Organization and changes therein are categorized and reported as follows:

Unrestricted Net Assets - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. Board designated funds are included in this category.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets - Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met, either by actions of the Organization and/or by the passage of time. When restrictions expire, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets - Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that do not lapse or expire. The Organization's use of the funds is limited to the income earned.

All of the Organization's net assets were unrestricted for the years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007.

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purposes of financial statement presentation, the Organization considers all highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of six months or less to be cash equivalents.

### Investments

It is the Organization's policy to value investments at their fair value at the balance sheet date. Donated investments are recorded at fair value on the date of donation.

### Retirement Plan

The Organization maintains a Simple IRA plan with a salary deferral option for all employees. The expense for matching contributions was \$520 for each of the years ended 2008 and 2007, respectively.

## NOTE 2 – INVESTMENTS

Investments consisted of the following as of March 31, 2008 and 2007:

|                  | <u>COST</u>       | <u>2008</u><br><u>MARKET</u> |
|------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Corporate Stocks | \$ 362,423        | \$ 369,904                   |
| Annuities        | <u>9,367</u>      | <u>9,367</u>                 |
|                  | <u>\$ 371,790</u> | <u>\$ 379,271</u>            |
|                  |                   | <u>2007</u>                  |
|                  | <u>COST</u>       | <u>MARKET</u>                |
| Corporate Stocks | \$ 352,546        | \$ 430,947                   |
| Annuities        | <u>9,090</u>      | <u>9,090</u>                 |
|                  | <u>\$ 361,636</u> | <u>\$ 440,037</u>            |



Investment activities are summarized as follows:

|                              | <u>2008</u>       | <u>2007</u>       |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Fair Value – April 1         | \$ 440,037        | \$ 404,194        |
| Interest and Dividend Income | 23,427            | 19,781            |
| Investment Gains (Losses)    | (70,375)          | 32,971            |
| Transfers (Out)              | <u>(13,818)</u>   | <u>(16,909)</u>   |
| Fair Value – March 31        | <u>\$ 379,271</u> | <u>\$ 440,037</u> |

NOTE 3 – FUNDS HELD FOR OTHERS:

The Organization is custodian of contributions received for the Bangor Masonic Temple whose building was lost in a fire on January 15, 2003. Amounts are distributable as and when requested by Bangor Masonic Temple, and are invested primarily in mutual funds.

Fund activity for the year was as follows:

|                                       | <u>2008</u>      | <u>2007</u>      |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Fair Value – April 1                  | 52,868           | 51,024           |
| Contributions Received                |                  | 529              |
| Investment Gains (Losses)             | (2,035)          | 2,688            |
| Move, Storage and Inspection Expenses | <u>(1,104)</u>   | <u>(1,373)</u>   |
| Fair Value – March 31                 | <u>\$ 49,729</u> | <u>\$ 52,868</u> |

NOTE 4 – RENT EXPENSE:

Facilities:

The Organization leases its office and library facilities from the Masonic Trustees of Portland, an unrelated entity, without benefit of a formal lease. Annual rentals for each of the fiscal years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007 amounted to \$24,200.

Equipment:

The Organization is obligated to G.E. Capital pursuant to a copier lease entered into January 30, 2006. The term is for 60 months with monthly payments of \$179.00.

Future minimum noncancellable lease payments (copier lease):

| Year Ended<br><u>March 31</u> | Total<br><u>Amount</u> |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| 2009                          | 2,155                  |
| 2010                          | 2,155                  |
| 2011                          | <u>1,796</u>           |
|                               | <u>\$ 6,106</u>        |

**NOTE 5 – SHARED EXPENSES:**

The Organization is headquartered in the same facility as The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine (the Foundation), a non-profit organization tax exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3). Grand Lodge personnel, including the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, and clerical employees, perform services for both organizations. In addition, various office and administrative expenses, including telephone, internet service, copier and computer use, insurance, and general office supplies are also shared by both organizations.

As of April 1, 2003, the Grand Lodge assumed responsibility for payment of all shares expenses, except facilities rent. Allocations between organizations are in accordance with estimated usage.

The Foundation's share of these expenses amounted to \$66,192 for the year ended 2008 and the Grand Lodge received this amount in equal monthly installments. The total of shared expenses for the year ended 2007 was \$59,442.

The recovery of shared expenses for both years has been allocated to the various expense categories on the Statement and Schedule of Revenue Collected, Expenses Paid, and Other Changes in Net Assets – Cash Basis.

**NOTE 6 – INCOME TAXES:**

The Organization qualifies as an organization exempt from income tax as a domestic fraternal association under Section 501(c)(10) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to the Organization may qualify as charitable deductions if restricted to charitable, religious, etc. purposes as defined in IRC Section 6113(b)(3). Management believes there were no unrelated activities subject to tax on unrelated business income for the years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007.

**NOTE 7 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK:**

The Organization has cash deposits in various financial institutions including banks, investment and brokerage firms. Accounts at banking institutions (regular checking, interest-bearing checking, certificate of deposits and savings) are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$100,000. These limits apply to aggregate deposits for each class of accounts stated above that the Organization has with each bank and may at times exceed \$100,000. At March 31, 2008 and 2007, the Organization did not have cash balances in excess of insured amounts at banking institutions.

Cash at investment and brokerage institutions is in money market funds and is not insured by the FDIC. The institutions where these accounts are maintained are members of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) which insures cash funds up to \$100,000. Balances in excess of \$100,000 are insured by the institutions' excess SIPC insurance. At March 31, 2008, cash balances in all money market funds at various brokerage institutions did not exceed this amount. In addition, \$149,524 was in certificates of deposit with maturities varying from three to six months. The Organization has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant credit risk.

**NOTE 8 – REAL ESTATE DONATION AND TRANSFER:**

On March 13, 2007, Adoniram Lodge No. 27 voted to surrender its charter and close the Lodge effective April 10, 2007. Pursuant to the Masonic Constitution, all money, records, and other property of the Lodge at termination were turned over to the Grand Lodge upon acceptance by the members at the Annual Communication.

Such acceptance was approved on May 1, 2007 and the Grand Lodge received real estate valued at \$190,800. Subsequent to that date, the entire property was gifted to the Limington Historical Society.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTAL  
INFORMATION**

To the Finance Committee of the  
Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient  
Free and Accepted Masons  
Portland, Maine

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying supplemental information contained in the schedule of assets and schedule of revenue for the year ended March 31, 2008 are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not required as part of the financial statements of Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Macdonald Page & Co. L.L.C.  
Certified Public Accountants

Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons

**Schedule of Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets - Cash Basis**

Year Ended March 31, 2008

|                                         | General Operating Fund | Maine Mason Fund  | Maine Mason Council Fund | Endowment Program Fund | Regalia Fund    | Reserve Lodge Services Fund | Reserve Capital Outlay Fund | Computer Fund   | Pension Fund    | Kenneth Moody Fund | Custodial Fund   | Totals            |
|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>                           |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    |                  |                   |
| Cash and cash equivalents               | \$ 320,789             | \$ 111,792        | \$ 4,423                 | \$ 12,082              |                 | \$ 5,622                    | \$ 6,232                    | \$ 6,490        | \$ 9,367        | \$ 33,762          |                  | \$ 501,192        |
| Investments                             | 187,832                |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 | 182,072            |                  | 379,271           |
| Funds held for others                   |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    | \$ 49,729        | 49,729            |
| Interfund balances                      |                        |                   | 306                      |                        | \$ (306)        |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    |                  |                   |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                     | <b>\$ 508,621</b>      | <b>\$ 111,792</b> | <b>\$ 4,729</b>          | <b>\$ 12,082</b>       | <b>\$ (306)</b> | <b>\$ 5,622</b>             | <b>\$ 6,232</b>             | <b>\$ 6,490</b> | <b>\$ 9,367</b> | <b>\$ 215,834</b>  | <b>\$ 49,729</b> | <b>\$ 930,192</b> |
| <b>Liabilities and Net Assets</b>       |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    |                  |                   |
| Liabilities:                            |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    |                  |                   |
| Funds held for others                   |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    | \$ 49,729        | \$ 49,729         |
| Net Assets:                             |                        |                   |                          |                        |                 |                             |                             |                 |                 |                    |                  |                   |
| Unrestricted net assets                 | \$ 508,621             | \$ 111,792        | \$ 4,729                 | \$ 12,082              | \$ (306)        | \$ 5,622                    | \$ 6,232                    | \$ 6,490        | \$ 9,367        | \$ 215,834         |                  | 880,463           |
| <b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b> | <b>\$ 508,621</b>      | <b>\$ 111,792</b> | <b>\$ 4,729</b>          | <b>\$ 12,082</b>       | <b>\$ (306)</b> | <b>\$ 5,622</b>             | <b>\$ 6,232</b>             | <b>\$ 6,490</b> | <b>\$ 9,367</b> | <b>\$ 215,834</b>  | <b>\$ 49,729</b> | <b>\$ 930,192</b> |

Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons

**Schedule of Revenue Collected, Expenses Paid, and Other Changes in Net Assets - Cash Basis**

Year Ended March 31, 2008

|                                                    | General<br>Operating<br>Fund | Warr<br>Mason<br>Fund | Maine<br>Mason C<br>Council<br>Fund | Endowment<br>Program<br>Fund | Regalia<br>Fund | Reserve<br>Lodge<br>Services<br>Fund | Reserve<br>Capitol<br>Building<br>Fund | Compulser<br>Fund | Pension<br>Fund | Kenneth<br>Moody<br>Fund | Totals            |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Revenues Collected</b>                          |                              |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          |                   |
| Dues, fees and assessments                         | \$ 285,831                   | \$ 2,734              | \$ 1,200                            |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | \$ 289,765        |
| Sales and services                                 | 16,119                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 16,119            |
| Investment and interest income                     | 18,895                       | 3,252                 | 162                                 | \$ 513                       | \$ 36           | \$ 237                               | \$ 272                                 | \$ 199            | \$ 277          | \$ 13,377                | 37,320            |
| Insurance                                          | 18,392                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 18,392            |
| Other                                              | 140                          |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 140               |
| <b>Total Revenues Collected</b>                    | <b>339,477</b>               | <b>5,986</b>          | <b>1,362</b>                        | <b>513</b>                   | <b>36</b>       | <b>237</b>                           | <b>272</b>                             | <b>199</b>        | <b>277</b>      | <b>13,377</b>            | <b>361,736</b>    |
| <b>Expenses Paid</b>                               |                              |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          |                   |
| Administrator                                      | 47,477                       | 56,188                |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 103,665           |
| Salaries and wages                                 | 66,716                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 66,716            |
| Insurance                                          | 35,934                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 35,934            |
| Office expense                                     | 33,818                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 33,818            |
| Rent                                               | 24,200                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 24,200            |
| Annual communication                               | 23,442                       |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 23,442            |
| Lodge supplies and services                        | 17,425                       | 151                   | 52                                  | 150                          | 150             | 150                                  | 150                                    | 150               | 157             |                          | 18,539            |
| Payroll taxes and benefits                         | 9,656                        |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 9,656             |
| Professional services                              | 6,016                        |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 6,016             |
| Committee expenses                                 | 4,998                        |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 |                          | 4,998             |
| <b>Total Expenses Paid</b>                         | <b>289,277</b>               | <b>56,339</b>         | <b>104</b>                          | <b>150</b>                   | <b>150</b>      | <b>150</b>                           | <b>150</b>                             | <b>150</b>        | <b>157</b>      | <b>13,377</b>            | <b>326,579</b>    |
| <b>Net Before Investment Gains (Losses)</b>        | <b>70,200</b>                | <b>(50,353)</b>       | <b>1,206</b>                        | <b>363</b>                   | <b>(114)</b>    | <b>87</b>                            | <b>122</b>                             | <b>49</b>         | <b>277</b>      | <b>13,220</b>            | <b>35,057</b>     |
| <b>Investment Gains (Losses)</b>                   | <b>(26,863)</b>              |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        |                   |                 | <b>(43,512)</b>          | <b>(70,375)</b>   |
| <b>Revenue Collected Over (Under) Expense Paid</b> | <b>43,337</b>                | <b>(50,353)</b>       | <b>1,206</b>                        | <b>363</b>                   | <b>(114)</b>    | <b>87</b>                            | <b>122</b>                             | <b>49</b>         | <b>277</b>      | <b>(30,292)</b>          | <b>(35,318)</b>   |
| <b>Transfers In (Out)</b>                          | <b>(2,000)</b>               |                       |                                     |                              |                 |                                      |                                        | <b>2,000</b>      |                 |                          |                   |
| <b>Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets</b>           | <b>41,337</b>                | <b>(50,353)</b>       | <b>1,206</b>                        | <b>363</b>                   | <b>(114)</b>    | <b>87</b>                            | <b>122</b>                             | <b>2,049</b>      | <b>277</b>      | <b>(30,292)</b>          | <b>(35,318)</b>   |
| <b>Net Assets - April 1</b>                        | <b>467,284</b>               | <b>162,145</b>        | <b>3,523</b>                        | <b>11,719</b>                | <b>(192)</b>    | <b>5,535</b>                         | <b>6,110</b>                           | <b>4,441</b>      | <b>9,090</b>    | <b>246,426</b>           | <b>915,781</b>    |
| <b>Net Assets - March 31</b>                       | <b>\$ 508,621</b>            | <b>\$ 111,792</b>     | <b>\$ 4,729</b>                     | <b>\$ 12,082</b>             | <b>\$ (306)</b> | <b>\$ 5,622</b>                      | <b>\$ 6,332</b>                        | <b>\$ 6,490</b>   | <b>\$ 9,367</b> | <b>\$ 215,634</b>        | <b>\$ 880,463</b> |

See accompanying independent auditor's report on supplementary information.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BY -LAWS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Your Committee on By-Laws is pleased to present a recapitulation of the total requests for By-Laws changes during the past year.

Financial matters:

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| a. Dues Increases         | 4 |
| b. Fee Increases          | 2 |
| c. Dues & G.L. Assessment | 7 |

Meetings:

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| a. Close on Certain Months | 5 |
| b. Change of Meeting Time  | 1 |

|                                            |    |
|--------------------------------------------|----|
| Major Revisions:                           | 3  |
| Miscellaneous:                             | 2  |
| Total Number of requests:                  | 21 |
| Number of Lodges requesting By-Law changes | 19 |

Fraternally submitted,

Bradford D. Blake  
Robert G. W. Lobley  
Hollis G. Dixon, Chairman

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CARE AND SHARE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

On August 11, 2007, your Grand Lodge Chaplains held their annual meeting at the home of Wor. Asst. Grand Chaplain, Ronald W. Smith, in Bowdoinham. Although the attendance was somewhat disappointing, the graciousness of our host and hostess, Ron and Joan, was superb. This year we will try to schedule a few more meetings at various locations, so each of our Chaplains can more conveniently meet.

As in the past, your Grand Lodge Chaplains continue in their dedication to making themselves available to any Brother, Lodge or Masonic District that may wish to initiate, expand on or just hear more about a Care and Share Program. In the past, we Chaplains have been waiting to be invited to your lodge to promote a Care and Share Program, but this has proven less than fruitful. In the future, you may well receive a request from a Grand Chaplain to speak at one of your meetings. Also, each lodge in the State will be receiving a condensed version of the original Care and Share Program that was created by the Masonic Education Committee in 1981. A copy of the original was sent to each lodge a few years ago and will always be available from Grand Lodge. We will continue to look for support from your District Representatives and District Deputies in promoting this most important program.

“Take care of the widows and orphans.” This is the great charitable charge we have received from our predecessors. This noble charge still stands, but it has been expanded to the entire Masonic Family. Our obligations have enlarged with our growing conceptions of what we as Freemasons came here to do, and as new needs have demanded. We must feel it our wider calling to support the aging members, the young Mason laboring to bring up their family amidst an enlarging circle of dangers, and our youth who may find their first introduction to the great beliefs of humanity within our youth organizations.

The following is a revised listing of Grand Lodge Chaplains and the Districts they represent:

Dwynal R. Grass

702 Oxford Rd., Oxbow, Me. 04764  
(435-6264) - (DRGOX@ainop.com)

Districts #1 & 24

W. Louis Greenier II

49 Herschel St., Caribou, Me. 04736  
(498-8189) - (greenier@midmaine.com)

Districts #1 & 24

W. Daniel Hill

582 River Rd., North Anson, Me. 04958  
(635-2439) - (daprdan@awi.net)

Districts #5, 12, 13 & 15



Samuel Kelly  
106 Libby Rd., Mechanics Falls, Me. 04250  
(345-9461) - (sammyKL@verizon.net) Districts #16, 20 & 23

Martin L. Perfit  
104 Thistle Lane, Hampden, Me. 04444  
(862-4275) - (MartinLP@aol.com) Districts #4, 5, 6 & 22

Rev. Norman F. Rust  
286 Bisbeetown Rd., Waterford, Me. 04088  
(583-4688) - (nfrust@adelphia.net) Districts #11, 14 & 23

Rev. Ronald W. Smith (Emeritus)  
727 River Rd., Bowdoinham, Me. 04008  
(666-3864) - (ronjo@gwi.net)

Rev. Stephen M. Tolander  
33 Norway Tr., Chelsea, Me. 04330  
(626-0442) - (stolander@adelphia.net) Districts #4, 7, 8 & 9

Lawrence J. Wescott; Jr.  
85 Mineral Springs Rd., Windham; Me. 04062  
(892-5859) - (l.wescott@worldnet.att.net) Districts #10, 14 & 17

Dwight Whitney, Sr.  
125 Whitney St., Jonesboro, Me. 04648  
(434-5055) Districts #2, 3 & 21

Rev. Mark Rustin  
North Deering Congregational Church  
1360 Washington Ave., Portland, Me. 04103  
(939-8318) - (mrustin@maine.rr.com) Districts #17, 18 & 19

Respectfully submitted

W. Daniel Hill  
Chairman

**GRAND LODGE OF MAINE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION  
ANNUAL MEETING**

In accordance with Section 64 of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge of Maine, the Annual Meeting of the Trustees of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine was called on April 17, 2007 at Martin's Manor Restaurant in Waterville, Maine at 10:00 a.m.

The following members were present: Gerald S. Leighton, Grand Master; Wayne T. Adams; Charles E. Ridlon; Frank M. Theriault; Robert G.W. Lobley; Edward I. Emery; Robert R. Landry; Robert Ferguson and Hollis G. Dixon.

Excused: Bradford D. Blake, Robert A. Hoyt and Harold E. McKenney.

**Call to order:** The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by M.W. Gerald S. Leighton.

[1] **Voted** - To approve the minutes of the last Annual Meeting as printed on page 444 of the 2006 Annual Proceedings and the minutes of the March 20 and January 10, 2007 meetings as printed.

[2] **Vote** - To accept the report of the Grand Treasurer was postponed because the Grand Treasurer was unable to attend the meeting.

[3] **Voted** - To authorize the Grand Treasurer to sign proxies for securities owned by the Foundation and Stock Certificates, Resolutions and other documents pertaining to the sale of securities.

[4] **Vote** - To accept the Report of the Committee on Investments, which consists of a report from H.M. Payson, Co., was tabled because the report was not available.

[5] **Voted** - To ratify and confirm all actions of the Investment Committee for the year ended March 31, 2007.

[6] **Voted** - To authorize the Committee on Investments to purchase and sell securities on behalf of the Foundation during the coming year, as it deems prudent.

[7] **Vote** - On the report of the Committee on Distributions was tabled because report was not available.

[8] **Vote** - To accept the report of the Committee on Gifts program for the Foundation was tabled.

**Presentation of Foundation Budget:** Wayne T. Adams gave the Trustees an overview of what is happening with the Masonic Service Representatives at the various Veterans' Hospitals and Homes.

Frank Theriault informed the Trustees of the work being done by the Scholarship Committee. They are planning to raise the amount of the scholarships from \$ 500.00 to \$ 1,500.00 each and to limit the number of High Schools that would receive one each year. They will be looking for \$ 80,000 in next year's budget.

[9] **Voted** - To accept the 2007 – 2008 Foundation Budget, a copy of which is annexed hereto as Exhibit B.

[10] **Vote** - To elect the following members to serve on the Committee on Investments for the ensuing year.

Robert G. W. Lobley  
Edward I. Emery  
Wayne T. Adams

[11] **Vote** - To elect the following members to serve on the Committee on Distribution for the ensuing year.

Wayne T. Adams  
Gerald S. Leighton  
Hollis G. Dixon

[12] **Voted** - On a motion duly made and seconded by Grand Secretary to donate \$ 10,000. to the Maine D.A.R.E. Officers Association to fund D.A.R.E. Program for the State of Maine.

[13] **Voted** - On a motion duly made and seconded to donate \$ 1,500.00 to the Masonic Information Center, which comes under the Masonic Service Association.

[14] **Vote** - To elect \_\_\_\_\_ as Chairman of the Committee on Gifts was tabled.

[15] **Vote** - To elect members of the Finance Committee as follows:

Bradford D. Blake, Chairman  
Robert G. W. Lobley  
Robert Ferguson

Date for next meeting of the Foundation in 2007 to be announced.

[16] **Voted** - To set Tuesday, April 15, 2008 as the date for the next Annual Meeting.

[17] **Voted** - To adjourn at 11:10 a.m.

Fraternally submitted,

Hollis G. Dixon  
 Grand Secretary

**DIRECTORS OF THE MAINE MASONIC  
CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

Gerald S. Leighton

Robert R. Landry

Lester F. Smith

Walter E. Kyllonen

Hollis G. Dixon

Bradford D. Blake

Robert G. W. Lobley

Wayne T. Adams

Edward I. Emery

Claire V. Tusch

Robert W. Ferguson

Grand Master

Deputy Grand Master

Senior Grand Warden

Junior Grand Warden

Grand Secretary

Elected May 7, 2005 for three years

Elected May 2, 2006 for three years

Elected May 2, 2006 for three years

Elected May 1, 2007 for three years

Elected May 1, 2007 for three years

Elected May 1, 2007 for one year

**VALUE & INCOME OF THE FOUNDATION**

|                                 | Value                   | Income               |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Charitable Foundation           | 11,889,770.53           | 407,576.84           |
| Foster Fund (scholarships)      | 940,058.85              | 32,125.49            |
| Cutter                          | 344,308.83              | 9,367.61             |
| Rich                            | 151,105.07              | 4,674.94             |
| General Fund Account            | 134,836.13              | 22,049.61            |
| Drug & Alcohol Abuse Fund       | 32,829.90               | 2,986.18             |
| G.L. Scholarships               | 5,548.70                | 28,639.47            |
| Lodge Charities                 | 390,382.48              | 15,279.81            |
| Reserve Fund (pensions)         | 17,987.34               | 240.02               |
| Key Bank                        | 11,562.27               | -----                |
| Eastern Frontier Lodge (closed) | 4,270.07                | 182.30               |
| Cutter                          | 1,750.93                | 11.01                |
| Foster Fund super accts.        | 13,073.79               | -----                |
| David Toothacker Fund           | 23,692.41               | 5,833.06             |
| Rich Funds                      | 3,040.27                | 6.68                 |
| CHIPS                           | 42,926.92               | 2,664.91             |
| Maine Masonic College           | -----                   | 307.23               |
| Foster Savings                  | 1,659.64                | 73.51                |
| General Fund – CD's             | 373,753.43              | 11,767.79            |
| A.G. Edwards                    | -----                   | 235.05               |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                   | <b>\$ 14,382,557.56</b> | <b>\$ 544,021.51</b> |

**REPORT OF THE AUDITOR**

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**Independent Auditors' Report**

Board of Trustees  
The Masonic Charitable Foundation  
of the Grand Lodge of Maine  
Portland, Maine

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities, and net assets – cash basis of The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine as of March 31, 2008 and the related statement of revenue collected, expenses paid, and other changes in net assets – cash basis, for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note 1, these financial statements were prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the assets, liabilities, and net assets of The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine as of March 31, 2008 and its revenue collected, expenses paid, and other changes in net assets for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

The financial information presented as of and for the year ended March 31, 2007 is for comparative purposes only and is not considered a complete presentation in accordance with the basis of accounting described in Note 1. Accordingly we do not express an opinion on such information.

**THE MASONIC CHARITABLE FOUNDATION  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
STATEMENTS OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, AND NET ASSETS- CASH BASIS**

**March 31,**

(March 31, 2007 for Comparative Purposes Only)

| <b>ASSETS</b>                           | <b>2008</b>                 | Unaudited<br>2007           |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Cash and interest bearing deposits      | <b>\$ 616,359</b>           | \$ 644,090                  |
| Investments                             | <b>13,235,047</b>           | 13,733,788                  |
| Funds held for others                   | <b>978,888</b>              | 758,820                     |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                     | <b><u>\$ 14,830,294</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 15,136,698</u></b> |
| <br><b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>   |                             |                             |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                      |                             |                             |
| Funds held for others                   | <b><u>\$ 978,888</u></b>    | <u>\$ 758,820</u>           |
| <b>Net Assets</b>                       |                             |                             |
| Unrestricted                            | <b>12,195,711</b>           | 12,508,776                  |
| Temporarily restricted                  | <b>952,643</b>              | 1,176,859                   |
| Permanently restricted                  | <b>703,052</b>              | 692,243                     |
| <b>Total Net Assets</b>                 | <b><u>13,851,406</u></b>    | <u>14,377,878</u>           |
| <b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b> | <b><u>\$ 14,830,294</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 15,136,698</u></b> |

The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine

### Statements of Revenue Collected, Expenses Paid, and Other Changes in Net Assets - Cash Basis

Years Ended March 31,

(Year Ended March 31, 2007 for Comparative Purposes Only)

|                                             | 2008                 |                           |                           | Unaudited<br>2007    |                      |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
|                                             | Unrestricted         | Temporarily<br>Restricted | Permanently<br>Restricted | Total                | Total                |
| <b>Revenue Collected</b>                    |                      |                           |                           |                      |                      |
| Contributions and bequests                  | \$ 40,095            |                           | \$ 10,809                 | \$ 50,904            | \$ 42,602            |
| Fund raising activities                     | 45,177               |                           |                           | 45,177               | 51,837               |
| Royalties                                   | 3,058                |                           |                           | 3,058                | 3,404                |
| Investment and interest income              | 451,414              | \$ 79,226                 |                           | 530,640              | 487,325              |
| Assets released from restriction            | 62,045               | (62,045)                  |                           |                      |                      |
| <b>Total Revenue Collected</b>              | <b>601,789</b>       | <b>17,181</b>             | <b>10,809</b>             | <b>629,779</b>       | <b>585,668</b>       |
| <b>Expenses Paid</b>                        |                      |                           |                           |                      |                      |
| Program expenses                            | 402,185              |                           |                           | 402,185              | 275,983              |
| Professional services                       | 48,585               |                           |                           | 48,585               | 44,696               |
| Administration                              | 45,670               |                           |                           | 45,670               | 62,431               |
| Personnel services                          | 44,104               |                           |                           | 44,104               | 40,506               |
| Rent                                        | 24,200               |                           |                           | 24,200               | 24,200               |
| Fund raising expenses                       | 50,603               |                           |                           | 50,603               | 39,620               |
| <b>Total Expenses Paid</b>                  | <b>615,347</b>       |                           |                           | <b>615,347</b>       | <b>487,436</b>       |
| <b>Net Before Investment Gains (Losses)</b> | <b>(13,558)</b>      | <b>17,181</b>             | <b>10,809</b>             | <b>14,432</b>        | <b>97,732</b>        |
| <b>Investment Gains (Losses)</b>            | <b>(299,507)</b>     | <b>(241,397)</b>          |                           | <b>(540,904)</b>     | <b>1,071,468</b>     |
| <b>Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets</b>    | <b>(313,065)</b>     | <b>(224,216)</b>          | <b>10,809</b>             | <b>(526,472)</b>     | <b>1,169,200</b>     |
| <b>Net Assets at Beginning of Year</b>      | <b>12,508,776</b>    | <b>1,176,859</b>          | <b>692,243</b>            | <b>14,377,878</b>    | <b>13,208,678</b>    |
| <b>Net Assets at End of Year</b>            | <b>\$ 12,195,711</b> | <b>\$ 952,643</b>         | <b>\$ 703,052</b>         | <b>\$ 13,851,406</b> | <b>\$ 14,377,878</b> |



**THE MASONIC CHARITABLE FOUNDATION  
OF THE GRAND LODGE OF MAINE  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
March 31, 2008 (2007 Comparative Purposes Only)**

**NOTE 1- NATURE OF ACTIVITIES AND SUMMARY OF AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:**

Nature of the Organization

The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine (the Organization) is a nonprofit Maine corporation established for charitable, educational, and other specific purposes in accordance with Masonic principles and practices.

Method of Accounting

The Organization's financial statements have been prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Under that basis, the only assets recognized are cash and investments. All other assets and liabilities are not recognized. Accordingly, revenues are recognized when received rather than when earned, and expenses and purchases of assets are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. The only modification to the cash basis of accounting is that unrealized gains and losses are included in revenues and investments are reported at fair market value, and the liability to other organizations for investments in custodial care is recognized.

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements of the Organization have been prepared in accordance with the recommendations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board in its Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117, Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organization. Net assets, revenues, expenses, gains and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Organization and changes therein are categorized and reported as follows:

Unrestricted Net Assets- Net assets that are not subject to donor imposed stipulations. Board designated funds are include in this category.

Included in this category are the following funds:

- Charity
- C.H.I.P.S.
- Drug and Alcohol
- Scholarship
- Pension Reserve

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets- Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met, either by actions of the Organization and/or

by the passage of time. When restrictions expire, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets. Temporarily restricted net assets consist primarily of appreciation on endowments.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets- Net assets subject to donor imposed stipulations that do not lapse or expire. The organization's use of the funds is limited to the income earned.

Included in this category are the following funds:

MCF Lodge Accounts  
 Foster Scholarship Fund  
 Dana B. Cutter Memorial Fund  
 George R. Rich Memorial Fund  
 David L. Toothaker Memorial Fund

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purposes of financial statement presentation, the Organization considers all highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of six months or less to be cash equivalents.

### Investments

It is the Organization's policy to value investments at their fair value at the balance sheet date. Donated investments are recorded at fair value on the date of donation. Investments include money market funds invested for the long term

### NOTE 2 – INVESTMENTS:

Investments consisted of the following as of March 31, 2008 and 2007:

|                                   | 2008                |                      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
|                                   | Cost                | Market               |
| Money Market                      | \$ 730,534          | \$ 730,534           |
| Corporate Stocks                  | 6,135,090           | 9,732,666            |
| Corporate Bonds                   | 2,284,012           | 2,358,402            |
| Securities                        | 126,655             | 126,310              |
| REITS/Ltd. Partnerships           | 275,975             | 268,150              |
| Single Premium Deferred Annuities | 15,379              | 18,985               |
|                                   | <u>\$ 9,567,645</u> | <u>\$ 13,235,047</u> |
|                                   | 2007                |                      |
|                                   | Cost                | Market               |
| Money Market                      | \$ 480,516          | \$ 480,516           |
| Corporate Stocks                  | 5,902,363           | 10,187,567           |
| Corporate Bonds                   | 1,364,627           | 1,373,028            |
| Securities                        | 1,196,015           | 1,189,237            |
| REITS/Ltd. Partnerships           | 355,086             | 485,239              |
| Single Premium Deferred Annuities | 15,379              | 18,201               |
|                                   | <u>\$ 9,313,986</u> | <u>\$ 13,733,788</u> |

Investment activities are summarized as follows:

|                              | 2008                 | 2007                 |
|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Fair value - April 1         | \$ 13,733,788        | \$ 12,627,212        |
| Interest and dividend income | 492,102              | 469,748              |
| Fees                         | (475)                | (739)                |
| Transfers out                | (449,464)            | (433,901)            |
| Investment gains/(losses)    | (540,904)            | 1,071,468            |
| Fair value - March 31        | <u>\$ 13,235,047</u> | <u>\$ 13,733,788</u> |

#### NOTE 3 – FUNDS HELD FOR OTHERS:

In 2003, the Foundation agreed to accept funds from the DeMolay and Pine Tree Youth Foundation for the purpose of managing the funds for the benefit of the transferor organizations.

Income derived from the investment of the funds is distributable to the DeMolay and Pine Tree Youth Foundation, which has also retained the right to request the return of the funds at it's sole discretion.

The Foundation also holds funds appropriated for the Maine Masonic College. The Foundation terminated its direct involvement in the College.

Investment activity in the custodial account was as follows:

|                                         | 2008              | 2007              |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Demolay and Pine Tree Youth Foundation: |                   |                   |
| Fair value - April 1                    | \$ 752,649        | \$ 713,404        |
| Investment income                       | (29,781)          | 61,471            |
| Additions                               | 256,610           |                   |
| Distributions                           | (2,000)           | (22,226)          |
| Fair value - March 31                   | <u>977,478</u>    | <u>752,649</u>    |
| Maine Masonic College:                  |                   |                   |
| Fair value - April 1                    | 6,171             | 1,000             |
| Advanced                                |                   | 6,171             |
| Distributions                           | (4,761)           | (1,000)           |
| Fair value - March 31                   | <u>1,410</u>      | <u>6,171</u>      |
|                                         | <u>\$ 978,888</u> | <u>\$ 758,820</u> |

#### NOTE 4 – RENT EXPENSE:

The Organization leases its office facilities from the Masonic Trustees of Portland, an unrelated entity, without benefit of a formal lease. Annual rental for each of the fiscal years ending March 31, 2008 and 2007 was \$24,200.

#### NOTE 5 – SHARED EXPENSES:

The Organization is headquartered in the same facility as The Grand Lodge of Maine Ancient Free and Accepted Masons (Grand Lodge), a non-profit fraternal organization tax exempt under IRC Sec. 501(c)(10). Grand Lodge personnel,

including the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, and clerical employees, perform services for both organizations. In addition, various office and administrative expenses, including telephone, internet service, copier and computer use, insurance, and general office supplies are also shared by both organizations.

As of April 1, 2003, the Grand Lodge assumed responsibility for payment of all shares expenses, except facilities rent. Allocations between organizations were in accordance with estimated usage.

The Organization's share of these expenses amount to \$66,192 for the year ended 2008 and was paid to the Grand Lodge in equal monthly installments. The total of shared expenses for the year ended 2007 was \$59,442.

Shared expenses for the current year have been allocated to the various expense categories on the Statement and Schedule of Revenue Collected, Expenses Paid, and other changes in Net Assets - Cash Basis.

#### NOTE 6 – INCOME TAXES:

The Organization qualifies as an organization exempt from income tax under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to the Organization qualify as charitable deductions. Management believes there were no unrelated activities subject to tax on unrelated business income for the years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007.

#### NOTE 7 – CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Organization has cash deposits in various financial institutions including banks, investment and brokerage firms. Accounts at banking institutions (regular checking, interest-bearing checking, certificate of deposits and savings) are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$100,000. These limits apply to aggregate deposits for each class of accounts stated above that the Organization has with each bank. At March 31, 2008 and 2007, the Organization did not have cash balances in excess of insured amounts at banking institutions.

Cash at investment and brokerage institutions is in money market funds and is not insured by the FDIC. The institutions where these accounts are maintained are members of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) which insures cash funds up to \$100,000. Balances in excess of \$100,000 are insured by the institutions' excess SIPC insurance. At March 31, 2008 cash balances in all money market funds at various brokerage institutions totaled \$730,534. In addition, \$302,445 was in six-month certificates of deposit. The Organization has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to significant credit risk.

## NOTE 8 – TEMPORARILY AND PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted and permanently restricted net assets consists of the following at March 31, 2008:

| <b>Endowment Purpose</b> | <b>Permanently<br/>Restricted</b> | <b>Temporarily<br/>Restricted</b> |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Unrestricted             | \$ 47,000                         | \$ 386,329                        |
| Lodges charity           | 290,076                           | 65,710                            |
| Youth and veterans       | 33,820                            | 1,632                             |
| Scholarship              | 332,156                           | 498,972                           |
|                          | <u>\$ 703,052</u>                 | <u>\$ 952,643</u>                 |

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTAL  
INFORMATION**

July 22, 2008

Board of Trustees  
The Masonic Charitable Foundation  
of the Grand Lodge of Maine  
Portland, Maine

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying supplemental information contained in the schedules on pages 9 and 10 as of and for the year ended March 31, 2008 are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not required as part of the financial statements of The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Macdonald Page & Co. L.L.C.  
Certified Public Accountants

The Masonic Charitable Foundation of the Grand Lodge of Maine

**Schedule of Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets - Cash Basis**

Year Ended March 31, 2008

|                                         | Unrestricted         |                         |                       | Unrestricted Endowment |                      | Restricted Endowment |                              |                        |                         | Totals           |                                  |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                         | Cherity Fund         | C.H.I.P.S. Alcohol Fund | Drug and Alcohol Fund | Scholarship Fund       | Pension Reserve Fund | Memorial Fund        | George R. Rich Memorial Fund | NCF Lodge Account Fund | Foster Scholarship Fund |                  | David L. Toothaker Memorial Fund |
| <b>Assets</b>                           |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  |                                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents               | \$ 472,790           | \$ 49,818               | \$ 25,155             | \$ 6,205               | \$ 18,985            | \$ 1,000             | \$ 3,047                     | \$ 355,786             | \$ 12,891               | \$ 35,452        | \$ 616,339                       |
| Investments                             | 11,612,757           |                         |                       |                        | 18,985               | 295,061              | 134,221                      | 818,237                |                         |                  | 13,235,047                       |
| Funds held for others                   |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  | 978,888                          |
| Interfund balances                      |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  |                                  |
| <b>Total Assets</b>                     | <b>\$ 12,085,547</b> | <b>\$ 49,818</b>        | <b>\$ 25,155</b>      | <b>\$ 6,205</b>        | <b>\$ 18,986</b>     | <b>\$ 296,061</b>    | <b>\$ 137,268</b>            | <b>\$ 355,786</b>      | <b>\$ 831,128</b>       | <b>\$ 35,452</b> | <b>\$ 14,630,294</b>             |
| <b>Liabilities and Net Assets</b>       |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  |                                  |
| Liabilities:                            |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  |                                  |
| Funds held for others                   |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  | \$ 978,888                       |
| <b>Net Assets:</b>                      |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      |                      |                              |                        |                         |                  |                                  |
| Unrestricted                            | \$ 12,085,547        | \$ 49,818               | \$ 25,155             | \$ 6,205               | \$ 18,986            | \$ 250,061           | \$ 136,268                   | \$ 65,710              | \$ 489,972              | \$ 1,622         | \$ 12,195,711                    |
| Temporarily restricted                  |                      |                         |                       |                        |                      | 45,000               | 1,000                        | 290,076                | 332,156                 | 33,820           | 952,643                          |
| Permanently restricted                  | 12,085,547           | 49,818                  | 25,155                | 6,205                  | 18,986               | 296,061              | 137,268                      | 355,786                | 831,128                 | 35,452           | 13,851,406                       |
| <b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b> | <b>\$ 12,085,547</b> | <b>\$ 49,818</b>        | <b>\$ 25,155</b>      | <b>\$ 6,205</b>        | <b>\$ 18,986</b>     | <b>\$ 296,061</b>    | <b>\$ 137,268</b>            | <b>\$ 355,786</b>      | <b>\$ 831,128</b>       | <b>\$ 35,452</b> | <b>\$ 14,630,294</b>             |

See independent auditors' report on supplemental information.

| Year Ended March 31, 2008                          | Unrestricted   |                 |                       |                  | Restricted Endowment |                              |                              | Restricted Endowment   |                         |                                 |                |
|----------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
|                                                    | Charity Fund   | C.H.I.P.S. Fund | Drug and Alcohol Fund | Scholarship Fund | Pension Reserve Fund | Dana B. Cutler Memorial Fund | George R. Rich Memorial Fund | MCF Lodge Account Fund | Foster Scholarship Fund | David L. Tothaxer Memorial Fund | Totals         |
| Revenues Collected                                 |                |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 |                |
| Contributions and bequests                         | \$ 5,625       | \$ 2,745        | \$ 100                | \$ 31,625        |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         | \$ 10,809                       | \$ 50,904      |
| Fund raising revenue                               | 45,177         |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 45,177         |
| Affinity income                                    |                | 1,313           | 746                   | 1,629            |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 3,698          |
| Investment and interest income                     | 447,160        | 4,058           | 2,375                 | 34,544           | \$ 785               | \$ 9,402                     | \$ 4,711                     | \$ 15,952              | \$ 48,331               | 930                             | 530,640        |
| <b>Total Revenues Collected</b>                    | <b>497,962</b> | <b>4,058</b>    | <b>2,375</b>          | <b>34,544</b>    | <b>785</b>           | <b>9,402</b>                 | <b>4,711</b>                 | <b>15,952</b>          | <b>48,331</b>           | <b>11,739</b>                   | <b>629,779</b> |
| Expenses Paid                                      |                |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 |                |
| Program expenses                                   | 240,633        |                 | 10,000                | 93,500           |                      | 5,362                        |                              | 19,190                 | 33,500                  |                                 | 402,185        |
| Professional services                              | 48,152         |                 |                       |                  |                      | 3,468                        |                              | 433                    |                         | 50                              | 48,585         |
| Administration                                     | 29,937         | 12,115          | 50                    | 50               |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 45,670         |
| Personnel services                                 | 44,104         |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 44,104         |
| Rent                                               | 24,200         |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 24,200         |
| Fund raising expenses                              | 50,561         |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              | 42                     |                         |                                 | 50,603         |
| <b>Total Expenses Paid</b>                         | <b>437,587</b> | <b>12,115</b>   | <b>10,050</b>         | <b>93,550</b>    | <b>785</b>           | <b>8,830</b>                 | <b>4,711</b>                 | <b>19,665</b>          | <b>33,500</b>           | <b>50</b>                       | <b>615,347</b> |
| Net Before Investment Gains (Losses)               | 60,395         | (8,057)         | (7,675)               | (59,006)         | 785                  | 572                          | (21,588)                     | (3,813)                | 14,831                  | 11,689                          | 14,432         |
| Investment Gains (Losses)                          | (299,507)      |                 |                       |                  |                      | (50,531)                     |                              | (30,783)               | (138,495)               |                                 | (540,904)      |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Before Transfers | (239,112)      | (8,057)         | (7,675)               | (59,006)         | 785                  | (49,959)                     | (16,877)                     | (34,596)               | (123,664)               | 11,689                          | (626,472)      |
| Transfers:                                         |                |                 |                       |                  |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 |                |
| In                                                 | (77,000)       | 25,000          |                       | 52,000           |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | 77,000         |
| Out                                                | (77,000)       | 25,000          |                       | 52,000           |                      |                              |                              |                        |                         |                                 | (77,000)       |
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets                  | (316,112)      | 16,943          | (7,675)               | (7,006)          | 785                  | (49,959)                     | (16,877)                     | (34,596)               | (123,664)               | 11,689                          | (626,472)      |
| Net Assets - April 1                               | 12,401,659     | 42,875          | 32,830                | 13,211           | 18,201               | 346,020                      | 154,145                      | 390,382                | 954,792                 | 23,763                          | 14,377,878     |
| Net Assets - March 31                              | \$12,085,547   | \$ 59,818       | \$ 25,155             | \$ 5,205         | \$ 18,986            | \$ 286,061                   | \$ 137,268                   | \$ 355,786             | \$ 831,128              | \$ 35,452                       | \$13,951,408   |

See independent auditors' report on supplemental information.



**ANNUAL SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT  
ON CHARITY FUNDRAISING FOR THE  
MAINE MASONIC CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

March 24, 2008

To: Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation

1. The hiring of a professional fundraiser, Wayne Lobley in the spring of 2007 was prompted by concern from the Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation regarding the tax exempt status of the Foundation. The Foundation was established as a Public Charity with a 501 ( c ) 3 tax exempt status by the IRS. This status requires the Foundation to earn a certain amount of its' annual income by means other than interest income from invested principle. The portion of earned income added to the interest income is required to be on a sliding scale up to 33 1/3 % depending on demonstrated evidence of being truly charitable. This requirement is based on a five year average to be in compliance with IRS regulations. Evaluation of compliance with the IRS regulations reveals the Foundation is precariously close to being in violation of maintaining Public Charity status. The penalty for non-compliance is conversion to a Private Charity status subject to taxation by the IRS.
2. M.W. Gerald Leighton held a meeting with Wayne Lobley in Machias in June, 2007 to discuss concerns facing the Charitable Foundation. Wayne presented ideas he had for fundraising activities. M.W. Leighton at that meeting assigned a sub-committee to work with Wayne in any way deemed necessary to support fundraising efforts. The sub-committee members assigned were: M.W. Claire Tusch, R.W. Robert Landry, R.W. Lester Smith, R.W. Frank Theriault, Jr, R.W. Robert Hoyt and R.W. Walter Kyllonen.
3. The sub-committee has been meeting at least monthly and sometimes more often to brainstorm a plan of action to address the issue of fundraising to satisfy the IRS requirement for maintaining the 501 ( c ) 3 status as a tax exempt public charity. Most meetings have involved only 2 – 3 members of the sub-committee but progress has been made in identifying the underlying problem and establishing a plan of action to provide resolution. The fact that the Foundation is headed for violation of the required earned income to maintain public charity status is a symptom of a larger underlying problem. As a public charity, the Foundation should be recognized by the public as a charitable organization. The Foundation is neither recognized by the public or in general by our Masonic family as a charitable organization. The limited charity we presently support is simply not enough to create an awareness by Masons or the public that we maintain a charitable organization. There needs to be an urgency in addressing the issue of the 501 ( c ) 3 status, however, the leaders of Fraternity and in particular the Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation fail to comprehend the need to respond to donation appeals necessary to earn fundraised income above the interest from investments to satisfy the IRS.

4. The action plan established for 2007/2008 was twofold; one to start a letter appeal to our membership and to offer lodges the opportunity to organize fundraising events to support youth activities including Project Graduation. The letter appeal was designed to keep our membership aware of what the Foundation does and to request the support necessary for expanding our charity and ensuring satisfactory compliance with IRS regulations as a 501 ( c ) 3 public charity. These mailing appeals will continue throughout the year for various needs, the next one being conducted to support the Merrill Camp for Rainbow. The movement into increased support of youth activities in our communities provides visibility to the public that the Foundation cares to help in areas where there is a present need. We need to realize that in order to solve the problem we are facing we need to be more charitable and we need to establish a culture where fundraising on a routine basis is needed and is the norm.
5. We began our fundraising efforts and awareness communication with our Brethren by including articles in the *Maine Mason* to provide information about the Foundation, it's purpose and appeals to expand our charity. We also began direct mailing appeals to ask for support of worthwhile charitable activities. We also decided after meetings with and much discussion with insightful leaders of our Fraternity, to expand our charitable efforts to youth activities by fundraising through our constituent Lodges and offering a cash enhancement from the Foundation upon submittal of the fundraised proceeds to the Foundation as earned income. We also looked at long term appeals from planned giving by making available brochures on the subject and preparing a planned giving presentation for seminars. M.W. Leighton utilized this presentation in a seminar during our annual Maine Day in Florida. The direct mailing appeal earned approximately \$35,000 from 900 donors or a 4% return. A mailing to all Lodges including an appeal for supporting Project Graduation and/or a fundraiser for Youth Activities during the month of April was completed and Lodges are now starting to respond.
6. We have come to realize that the fundraising planning and efforts of this first year are just the beginning of a cultural change necessary to be an effective public charity. We also realize it requires money to make the money needed for expanding our giving as a "truly charitable organization." We have spent more money this year than we took in as earned income but we believe the investment this year and the planning for 2008/2009 will pay dividends toward our desired goal of correcting the 501 ( c ) 3 problem. We have spent significant amounts of money printing planned giving brochures and hiring a fundraising professional who has spent a good bit of time this year developing donor information data bases and creating significant donor lists. We need to be realistic about spending the money for hiring a professional fundraiser. It makes sense to assign volunteers as a sub-committee to help the fundraising effort but without the skills of a professional, failure is most likely assured. And without hiring a professional who can be held accountable for success who on the board of Directors would be willing to take on the challenge of fundraising?

7. The following action plan for 2008/2009 was developed at the Feb 29, 2008 meeting:
- Sub-committee meeting with Paul Husson of Husson College to gain knowledge about successful fundraising techniques
  - Contact 20 potential significant donors by September
  - Contact potential corporate sponsors starting with a contact known to Ken Caldwell
  - Contact Stan Bennett at Oakhurst for corporate sponsorship
  - Develop Merrill Camp Project
  - Develop baseball grant project
  - Add Lodges to direct mailing appeals
  - Provide newspaper article advertising what Lodges and other Masonic bodies are doing for charity
  - Planned giving – donors typically need to see correspondence to realize need to support – will continue with Maine Mason articles
  - Annual giving just started with the first direct mail appeal – will continue on annual basis on a regular sequence in late summer or early fall
  - Identify specific causes to inspire giving for future mailings
  - Knowing from history of donor support target previous donors for specific causes vice general mailing to save money
  - Investigate goal of increasing scholarship giving back up 100%
  - Provide a progress report to the Directors of the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation in September 2008

Summary: The Craft and the public need constant reminders that we have a Public Charity. Regular mailings and articles in the Maine Mason will keep our membership abreast of the fact that a Charitable Foundation exists and informed of what specific charity is being supported. This awareness will provide Masons information for gaining perceived value, something that is presently lacking. Obtaining corporate sponsorships and donations from significant sources to create specific grant opportunities, particularly for youth is needed to significantly increase perceived value and understanding of our Foundation with the public. Another consideration needing attention regarding the Merrill Camp is that if this Camp is to be a solvent enterprise perhaps the Foundation needs to own it. A meeting with Merrill Camp leaders reveals that a rough estimate of funds needed to complete the building and endow it with funding for proper operational costs would realistically be in the range of \$350,000. If the Camp were completely built and operational would the Rainbow be able to pay the costs of running the facility? The bottom line we are facing is a need to be more charitable and to be more charitable we need to earn more and to be perceived as a valuable charity we need to do more for our Masonic family and the public. This will be a long term endeavor but one that needs to be pursued.

Fraternally,

RW Walter Kyllonen  
Sub-committee Member  
Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation

**REPORT ON DELINQUENT LODGES**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The following fifty - one lodges were or are being fined for delinquency in respect to the transmission of the Grand Lodge Return, Dues, and four year print out as prescribed in the Constitution.

|                |      |          |          |
|----------------|------|----------|----------|
| Triangle       | #1   | \$ 26.00 |          |
| Hancock        | #4   | \$ 58.00 |          |
| Amity          | #6   | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Rising Virtue  | #10  | \$ 59.00 |          |
| Solar          | #14  | \$ 56.00 |          |
| Oriental Star  | #21  | \$ 59.00 |          |
| Northern Star  | #28  | \$ 64.00 |          |
| Union          | #31  | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Hermon         | #32  | \$ 53.00 |          |
| Harmony        | #38  | \$ 65.00 |          |
| Lygonia        | #40  | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Vassalboro     | #54  | \$ 16.00 |          |
| King Solomon's | #61  | \$ 64.00 |          |
| Mystic         | #65  | \$ 33.00 |          |
| Mechanics      | #66  | \$ 64.00 |          |
| Howard         | #69  | \$ 33.00 |          |
| Rising Sun     | #71  | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Archon         | #75  | \$ 40.00 |          |
| Keystone       | #80  | \$ 40.00 |          |
| St. Paul's     | #82  | \$ 37.00 |          |
| St. Andrew's   | #83  | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Eureka         | #84  | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Saccarappa     | #86  | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Island         | #89  | \$ 54.00 |          |
| Harwood        | #91  | \$ 30.00 |          |
| Horeb          | #93  | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Paris          | #94  | \$ 56.00 |          |
| Vernon Valley  | #99  | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Jefferson      | #100 | \$ 58.00 |          |
| Marsh River    | #102 | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Tuscan         | #106 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Monmouth       | #110 | \$ 64.00 |          |
| Lebanon        | #116 | \$ 33.00 |          |
| Marine         | #122 | \$ 39.00 |          |
| Quantabacook   | #129 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |

|                  |      |          |          |
|------------------|------|----------|----------|
| Riverside        | #135 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Mount Desert     | #140 | \$ 56.00 |          |
| Seaside          | #144 | \$ 93.00 |          |
| Wilton           | #156 | \$ 58.00 |          |
| Molunkus         | #165 | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Composite        | #168 | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Lynde            | #174 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Ancient Brothers | #178 | \$ 93.00 |          |
| Naval            | #184 | \$ 18.00 |          |
| Bar Harbor       | #185 | \$ 38.00 |          |
| Jonesport        | #188 | \$ 72.00 |          |
| David A. Hooper  | #201 | \$ 37.00 |          |
| Abner Wade       | #207 | \$ 88.00 |          |
| Fort Kent        | #209 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |
| Orchard          | #215 | \$ 88.00 |          |
| Corner Stone     | #216 | \$ 93.00 | *to date |

\*Fine Continues the Return, Check and/or Printout\has not been received as of the above date.

Fraternally submitted,

Harold E. McKenney, Jr.,  
Grand Treasurer

**FAMILY ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE REPORT**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

In August 2006, the first formal work plan was developed for the Family Activities Committee. In May 2007, the committee provided a report to this Grand Lodge, recommitting to this workplan. As stated, "The actions of this committee should be for three purposes: (1) for inspiring Masonic families to be active in worthwhile family oriented activities with other Masonic families; (2) to encourage non-Mason men who are active with their families to see Masonry as complementary to their family lives and values; and (3) to show the relevancy of Masonry in today's society and family structure." In 2007, with the input and support of M.W. Gerald S. Leighton, R.W. Robert R. Landry, R.W. James Ross, Wor. Ed King, R.W. Walter Kyllonen, R.W. Hollis Dixon, and R.W. David Walker, this committee implemented the first major initiative of the workplan. A special thanks is offered to M.W. Gerald Leighton, R.W. James Ross, and Wor. Ed King for their extra and ongoing involvement.

In the fall of 2007, a letter was composed and sent to an initial group of family oriented organizations and businesses in Maine outlining an initiative to partner together to encourage healthy and active Maine families, starting with Maine Masons. The committee offered advertising in the widely distributed and popular *Maine Mason* magazine, on the Grand Lodge website, and offered a direct link from the Grand Lodge website to their websites, in exchange for Maine Masonic family discounts. The committee highlighted plans to expand the Family Activities section of the Grand Lodge website to feature Maine Masons and their families involved in healthy, family activities to further encourage such activities. This letter was published in the *Maine Mason* with a brief description of this initiative to inform the craft.

At the present time, the committee is waiting on responses and feedback to the initial mailing. As many of the recipients are seasonal entities, feedback is anticipated in the spring and early summer when they resume operation. The committee plans to assess the steps taken in 2007 and identify and implement actions to further the committee goals cited above, including contact to a wider group of potential partners and posting related information on the Grand Lodge website for viewing by the craft and the public. The committee feels the stated goals are valid and the steps taken to date appropriate. In the coming year, we will work to build on current progress to further this initiative. We welcome the involvement of any interested Masons.

Please let me know of any suggestions, questions, or concerns that you may have. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

V.W. Robert D. Stratton, Chairman  
Family Activities Committee

Encl: Family Activities Letter Template

September X, 2007

Mr. x  
(business)  
(address)  
Town, Maine 04xxx

Dear Mr. x :

I want to introduce your organization to 23,000 Maine families for free. No kidding, here's why and how. The Maine Freemasons are working with family oriented organizations to encourage healthy and active Maine families, starting with our own members. We believe that our children and families do better and our personal health is improved when we spend time together in healthy, active pursuits. So, we've started a family activities initiative and are establishing partnerships with like-minded organizations and businesses to facilitate this, with the added bonus of significantly increasing your exposure to a large number of potential new customers.

So, how do we plan to encourage our members to pursue healthy family activities and at the same time support organizations like yours? Here is how. The Grand Lodge of Masons in Maine publishes a magazine, *The Maine Mason*, which is distributed to all of our 23,000 members and their families. The Grand Lodge also has a very popular website that is visited by Masons and non-Masons alike. Until now, neither of these has been open to any type of advertising. We are offering to list participating family-oriented organizations in both *The Maine Mason* and on the [www.MaineMasonryToday.com](http://www.MaineMasonryToday.com) website in exchange for discounts for admission for Maine Masons and their families. We are also offering to establish a direct link from our website to yours to further increase your organization's exposure. And, we will be expanding our family activities section on the website to feature members and families involved in healthy activities. Our hope is that this will encourage such activities in more members and families. As I'm sure you've already concluded, introducing your organization to 23,000 Maine families is bound to bring more attention and business to you.

In case you are not familiar with Freemasonry, it is an organization based on honor, responsibility, family, community, and charity, that began many hundreds of years ago. Maine has 188 Masonic lodges and the most Masons per capita of any state. Our support of Maine families and communities has been strong for many generations and includes child identification programs, volunteering in schools and extracurricular activities, constructing playgrounds, purchasing books, providing scholarships, and charitable outreach to organized charities and to individual families in need. We feel that this family activities initiative will be another positive enterprise.

I hope you will consider joining us in this exciting endeavor. If you have any questions about this program or about Maine Masonry, please contact our Family Activities Committee at [FamilyActivities@MaineMason.org](mailto:FamilyActivities@MaineMason.org) . We would also like to hear any of your ideas to best ensure our success in this endeavor. Thank you very much and our very best wishes to you. We hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Gerald S. Leighton  
Grand Master of Masons in Maine



**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FELLOWSHIP NIGHTS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Requests for Fellowship Night presentations have again diminished this past year, possibly due to lack of aggressive Grand Lodge emphasis upon Fellowship Nights presentations as an ongoing goal for Lodges. Lodges that do make a good faith attempt toward holding Fellowship Nights generally meet with success. The consistently successful Lodges have established a schedule of two Fellowship Nights per year. They also make a point of locating and identifying potential candidates throughout the year to attend the Fellowship Night presentations. It is impossible to overstate the necessity of personal contact and follow up with potential candidates. After establishing initial contact with a potential Mason (someone indicating an interest in our Fraternity) personal contact with the potential member should be re-established one week before the event. Ensure that someone is available to meet and greet them upon arrival at a 6:30 supper followed by the Masonic education session. It is encouraged that the wives and families of the potential masons be invited. New members and their families should be invited. This allows a broad spectrum of the community available to learn about who we are, and what we stand for.

Although there is always an attempt to quantify via statistical numbers the success of membership goals, there are probably better ways to measure successes. The ultimate success is in the numbers of community members who know and can appreciate who the Freemasons are and what we do.

A briefing outline was created three years ago to assist new facilitators in conducting Fellowship Night presentations. This outline takes you through the whole process from start to finish. It is available to anyone who requests a copy. This outline has been distributed at MEALS Committee Lodge Officer Training sessions at various locations throughout the state. Although it has been available for over three years, I have received few requests for copies. It is recommended that proficient facilitators be qualified in every district within this Grand Jurisdiction. This could be an ideal duty for District Education Representatives to perform, and would fall nicely within their educator job description. Every Lodge who wishes to increase membership should hold a Fellowship Night at least once, if not twice per year. Properly planned and executed Fellowship Nights enjoy a 60% to 90% success rate of new applications. Society needs what Masonry has to offer.

Fraternally Submitted,

R.W. Richard L. Bowden  
R.W. Randy Burleigh  
Wor. Lawrence (Pat) Webber

**REPORT OF THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL COMMITTEE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine

The Ninety-sixth Annual Convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association was held in Washington, D.C. on Sunday, February 18, 2008.

Maine Contributed \$2,485.00 to the Operations Fund bringing our total calculated contributions to \$173,494.31.

Fraternally submitted,

Harold E. McKenney, Jr.  
Grand Treasurer

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Your Committee on Grievances and Appeals is pleased to report that no matters have been referred to the Committee this Masonic year. We thank the Grand Master for appointing us to serve on this Committee.

Eric W. Kuntz  
Frank M. Theriault, Jr.  
Edward L. King, Chairman

**INSPECTION REPORTS OF THE  
DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS  
AND REPORTS OF LODGE TREASURERS**

\***134** Lodges were officially visited. **48** did not indicate which Degree was presented.

|              | E.A.<br>Degree | F.C.<br>Degree | M.M.<br>Degree |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Excellent    | 6              | 8              | 7              |
| Very Good    | 15             | 16             | 16             |
| Good         | 5              | 9              | 2              |
| Fair or Poor | <u>1</u>       | <u>0</u>       | <u>0</u>       |
|              | 36             | 33             | 25             |

| Fees for Degrees     |           |   | Annual Dues           |   |
|----------------------|-----------|---|-----------------------|---|
|                      | \$ 125.00 | 1 | \$ 100.00             | 1 |
|                      | 100.00    | 1 | 55.00                 | 1 |
|                      | 85.00     | 1 | 40.00                 | 1 |
|                      | 80.00     | 1 | 38.45                 | 1 |
|                      | 65.00     | 1 | 35.00                 | 1 |
|                      | 60.00     | 2 | 33.50                 | 1 |
|                      | 55.00     | 1 | 33.43                 | 1 |
|                      | 52.00     | 1 | 33.00                 | 1 |
|                      | 45.00     | 3 | 32.25                 | 1 |
|                      | 40.00     | 3 | 30.00                 | 1 |
|                      |           |   | 25.00                 | 2 |
|                      |           |   | 23.43                 | 1 |
|                      |           |   | 15.00                 | 1 |
| Average Fee- \$62.47 |           |   | Average Dues- \$37.08 |   |

All lodges **that reported** had outstanding dues.

**44** Treasurer's Reports **not** received

**6** Lodges reported relief paid of \$39,530.00

**8** Lodges **that reported** have Dues in arrears, 2 years or more, \$2,974.50

\*Figures are not included for **53** lodges as **no** Inspection Reports were received from the District Deputies.

It should also be noted that **172** Lodges **did not** submit a Lodge Statistics Report.

| Lodge Name        | District | Work | Rendition | Meetings during year | Average Attendance | No. Attended By Master | No. Attended by S.W. | No. Attended by J.W. | No. Attended by Secretary | No. Attended by S.D. | No. Attended by J.D. | Amt. Of Charity Fund | Amt. Expended this year | Fees for Degrees | Annual Dues | One Year Arrears | Two or more Arrears | Income of Lodge | Cost of Running Lodge |  |
|-------------------|----------|------|-----------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--|
| Triangle #1       | 17       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Warren #2         | 3        |      | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 12,527          | 6,306                 |  |
| Lincoln #3        | 10       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 6,381           | 13,054                |  |
| Rising Star #4    | 4        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,551           | 5,311                 |  |
| Kennebec #5       | 11       | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Amity #6          | 7        |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,075           | 7,386                 |  |
| Eastern #7        | 2        | FC   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 8,827           | 11,691                |  |
| United #8         | 14       | FC   | E         | 15                   | 18                 | 13                     | 11                   | 11                   | 14                        | 9                    | 3                    | 549,463              | 4,000                   | 125.00           | 100.00      | 3,400.00         | 1,300.00            | 25,093          | 27,122                |  |
| Saco #9           | 18       | MM   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 10,593          | 10,509                |  |
| Rising Virtue #10 | 6        | FC   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,875           | 2,845                 |  |
| Pythagorean #11   | 16       | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,494           | 9,754                 |  |
| Cumberland #12    | 23       | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Oriental #13      | 16       | FC   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Solar #14         | 14       | FC   | G         | 11                   | 15                 | 8                      | 9                    | 10                   | 10                        | 8                    | 7                    |                      |                         | 80.00            | 33.00       | 396.00           |                     | 3,096           | 2,719                 |  |
| Orient #15        | 9        | EA   | E         | 23                   | 16                 | 22                     | 16                   | 17                   | 21                        | 17                   | 7                    | 1,368                | 200                     | 52.00            | 33.43       | 534.88           |                     | 2,045           | 2,869                 |  |
| St. George #16    | 9        | FC   | VG        | 9                    | 15                 | 9                      | 9                    | 7                    | 9                         | 7                    | 5                    | 30                   | 0                       | 40.00            | 23.43       | 867.50           | 0.00                | 5,890           | 6,480                 |  |
| Oxford #18        | 16       | FC   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,713           | 4,955                 |  |
| Felicity #19      | 4        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Maine #20         | 15       | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,539           | 1,739                 |  |
| Oriental Star #21 | 20       |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| York #22          | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |  |
| Freeport #23      | 14       | MM   | E         | 16                   | 31                 | 16                     | 16                   | 16                   | 16                        | 14                   | 14                   | 4,472                | 0                       | 100.00           | 33.50       | 502.50           | 268.00              | 13,378          | 15,196                |  |
| Bellairst #24     | 8        |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,738           | 8,556                 |  |
| Temple #25        | 11       | FC   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,313           | 3,453                 |  |
| Village #26       | 14       | MM   | VG        | 26                   | 20                 | 22                     | 21                   | 22                   | 21                        | 12                   | 13                   | 102,827              | 646                     | 85.00            | 25.00       | 50.00            | 0.00                | 15,322          | 19,434                |  |
| Northern Star #28 | 13       | EA   | E         | 14                   | 13                 | 13                     | 13                   | 10                   | 13                        | 11                   | 10                   | 32,413               | 250                     | 45.00            | 30.00       | 210.00           | 330.00              | 4,169           | 3,489                 |  |
| Tranquill #29     | 23       | FC   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 22,665          | 20,614                |  |
| Blazing Star #30  | 20       |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                      |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,641           | 8,519                 |  |







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| Franklin #123       | 15       | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,126           | 4,083                 |
| Olive Branch #124   | 8        | FC   |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 13,410          | 4,958                 |
| Meridian #125       | 22       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,776           | 10,929                |
| Presumpscot #127    | 17       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 6,501           | 6,218                 |
| Ira Berry #128      | 4        |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,876           | 4,541                 |
| Quantabocook #129   | 7        |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 14,427          | 13,913                |
| Trinity #130        | 1        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,940           | 1,773                 |
| Mt. Trem #132       | 16       | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,815           | 3,200                 |
| Asylum #133         | 11       | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 1,998           | 4,908                 |
| Riverside #135      | 7        |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 10,259          | 8,131                 |
| Kenduskeag #137     | 6        | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,095           | 5,456                 |
| Lewy's Island #138  | 2        | FC   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Mt. Desert #140     | 21       |      | F         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Ocean #142          | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 16,927          | 11,189                |
| Preble #143         | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Seaside #144        | 10       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,977           | 4,013                 |
| Moses Webster #145  | 9        |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Seabiscok #146      | 12       | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 9,197           |                       |
| Evening Star #147   | 20       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,161           | 7,964                 |
| Forest #148         | 24       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 1,435           | 1,435                 |
| Columbic-Doric #149 | 5        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 19,629          | 17,413                |
| Rabboni #150        | 23       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,375           | 11,175                |
| Excelsior #151      | 8        | EA   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,065           | 3,015                 |
| Crooked River #152  | 16       | EA   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,199           | 4,960                 |
| Delta #153          | 16       | EA   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,661           | 3,973                 |
| Mystic Tie #154     | 15       | FC   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Ancient York #155   | 14       | EA   | VG        | 19                   | 21                 | 19                     | 13                   | 19                   | 17                        | 17                   | 13                   | 2,500               | 0                       |                  |             | 462.00           | 0.00                | 7,156           | 9,257                 |
| Wilton #156         | 15       | FC   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,257           | 2,560                 |



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| Cambridge #157        | 22       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,645           | 1,197                 |
| Parian #160           | 22       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,423           | 2,445                 |
| Carrabasset #161      | 13       | VG   |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Arion #162            | 18       | FC   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,350           | 2,321                 |
| Pleasant River #163   | 5        | FC   | E         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,452           | 3,222                 |
| Webster #164          | 23       | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,281           | 3,797                 |
| Molinikus #165        | 24       |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Whitney #167          | 20       |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,342           | 2,739                 |
| Composite #168        | 5        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Caribou #170          | 1        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 3,970           | 4,220                 |
| Naskeag #171          | 4        |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 595             | 515                   |
| Pine Tree #172        | 24       | FC   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 1,480           | 1,289                 |
| Plelades #173         | 3        |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 9,203           | 8,717                 |
| Lynole #174           | 6        | MM   | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 4,452           | 3,600                 |
| Baskarigan #175       | 24       |      | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 7,933           | 11,053                |
| Ancient Brothers #178 | 23       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,752           | 6,210                 |
| Yorkshire #179        | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Hiram #180            | 17       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Granite #182          | 20       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Deering #183          | 17       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Naval #184            | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     |                 |                       |
| Bar Harbor #185       | 21       |      | F         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 1,574           | 3,328                 |
| Jonesport #188        | 3        | FC   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 11,825          | 9,280                 |
| Knox #189             | 9        | FC   |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 1,549           | 9,486                 |
| Springvale #190       | 19       |      |           |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 17,361          | 12,998                |
| Winter Harbor #192    | 21       | EA   | G         |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 2,002           | 1,889                 |
| Washburn #193         | 1        |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 5,422           | 4,838                 |
| Euclid #194           | 13       |      | VG        |                      |                    |                        |                      |                      |                           |                      |                      |                     |                         |                  |             |                  |                     | 8,075           | 10,846                |



**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENTS**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine,

The Committee on Investments for the Grand Lodge of Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation met three times during the year with our financial managers of the H.M. Payson Company reviewing the portfolio in great detail.

The Masonic Charitable Foundation continues to emphasize large, high quality multinational companies across a diverse number of sectors. This strategic decision is particularly critical today as we believe these companies currently have the strongest balance sheets and the best opportunity to maintain above average margins and strong cash flow in the current economic environment. Taking this approach in the portfolio should allow the Foundation to sustain above average dividend growth - the most critical objective in our approach to managing the portfolio. Higher dividend growth translates to a continued increase in the amount of funds distributed to the beneficiaries of the Foundation. Since 2001 the total income generated and distributed to the Masonic organization has climbed from \$320,000 to \$416,000, a cumulative increase of nearly 30%. This increase in income generated has come solely from dividend increases in the companies we have invested. Moreover, the growth of income has come during a period when interest rates have been declining and the portfolio has been experiencing lower interest from the bonds held in the portfolio.

We are pleased to inform you and the trustees that this investment management philosophy has not only led to superior growth of income but overall market value appreciation has been relatively positive as well. Stocks held in the portfolio this past fiscal year (April 2007 through March 2008) were down 2.02% as compared to the S & P 500 down 4.67%. Since 1999, the Masonic stocks are up 56.35% on a total return basis while the S & P 500 is up 19.65%. If we include bonds and cash and account for management fees, the total returns for the Foundation over this same time period, are a positive 53.12%.

The difficult and volatile economic environment we are currently operating in presents unique challenges to all investors. We believe the management approach we described above will help insulate the portfolio from extreme volatility while securing the income growth of the portfolio. Although we cannot predict the severity of the downturn in the economy, we applaud steps being taken by the Federal Reserve, the US Treasury and the administration to mitigate the situation. These steps coupled with the fact that stock prices are trading at relatively low valuations should help cushion the blow. Finally, we firmly believe our emphasis on quality in the portfolio should lead to continued superior returns in the long run.

It has been an honor and a pleasure for your committee to serve this Grand Lodge this past year and we hope that our performance has been satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne T. Adams  
Edward I. Emery  
Robert G.W. Lobley, Chairman

### **REPORT OF THE GRAND LIBRARIAN**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine,

Last October, I attended the annual conference of the Masonic Library and Museum Association which was held in Philadelphia, PA. It was held at the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania with attendees representing Grand Lodges from the US, Canada & Europe. I came back with many ideas that will be helpful to the running of our Library.

Last December, I was assigned by the American Red Cross to assist with the flood relief operations in Washington state. While there I was able to visit several lodge as well as the Grand Lodge of Washington. Everywhere I went the Brethren treated me far beyond expectations and I felt at home everywhere I went. I would like to place an official **Thank You!** to my Brethren in Washington state in this report.

As I have reported in my last two reports, I have not been able to spend as much time in the Library as I would like because of my commitment with the American Red Cross. This has not prevented more than 150 brethren from visiting the library. Several have borrowed books and others have used the resources to do research papers. I am hesitant to report that some members have borrowed books and have

never returned them after repeated contact. This has caused me to order replacements which cuts into my library funding.

I continually seek to add the most recent books concerning Masonry to our "Stacks", however with the plethora of publications that have adorned Book Store shelves recently, this has been no easy task. I have found that one of the drawbacks is finding time to read them all and report back to my Brethren in the form of book reviews in "From the Stacks". As of May 2008, you will once again see my book reviews in the monthly Newsletter from the Grand Lodge Office. I also invite my Brethren to bring to my attention any book on or about Masonry or its appended bodies that might be of interest to the membership. As of this report, I have ordered over \$260 worth of books which will be listed in next year's report because they were ordered after this year's financial books were closed and billed to next year. A couple of these books are replacements for those never returned.

Library Hours: The Grand Lodge Library is open Tuesday through Friday from 12:00 AM until 4:00 PM. The library is also open on the nights that the Scottish Rite has its degree work. It would be advisable to call ahead and inquire if I am in the Library if my assistance is needed.

I am available for speaking engagements to give talks on: the Library, How to Start and/or Organize a Library in your Lodge as well as present papers on various Masonic subjects. The Library also has Program ideas, Video tapes and Masonic Plays to educate and entertain the Brethren. A list of the topics can be provided upon request or you can check the Library section on the Grand Lodge Web site for list of library material available for borrowing.

You may contact me by calling, faxing or E-mailing the Grand Lodge Office. The numbers are (207) 773-5184; Personal Cell (207) 294-1152; Toll Free, 1-888-220-9606; Fax (207) 773-5108; E-mail: [grandlodge@mainemason.org](mailto:grandlodge@mainemason.org) or [Dufresnej@usa.redcross.org](mailto:Dufresnej@usa.redcross.org) (best contact)

Respectfully submitted,

Wor. James E. Dufresne,  
Wor. Grand Librarian

**REPORT OF THE MAINE MASON MAGAZINE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

The Maine Mason Editorial Board is pleased to report that it met the Grand Master's wish to produce four issues per year for a total of eight issues during his tenure. The Grand Master's additional instructions were also clear in that the content of the magazine be heavy on the doings of the Craft. Measuring the feedback of the Grand Master and the Craft, Mike McFadden and I know we accomplished this task and enjoyed the experienced wholeheartedly.

One year ago, the Grand Master and the Editorial Board agreed that advertising should be researched, and if feasible, implemented as soon as possible to reduce the Craft's burden of the cost to produce the magazine. Extensive research of postal rates, the layout of the magazine and the cost to print the magazine surprisingly revealed that costs would remain relatively unchanged. With this information, the summer 2007 edition contained a letter to the Craft seeking interest from those who would like to advertise their businesses and talents in future issues. The response was favorable and work began on the question of formatting effective ads with the aim of producing favorable results for our subscribers. Further research by our Grand Treasurer revealed that advertisement revenue exceeding \$1,000 per issue would result in reporting the earnings to the Internal Revenue Service and subsequently be subjected to a tax liability for our good efforts. Our Grand Treasurer presented documentation to back this liability and as a result of this new information, the board decided to cease the advertising revenue initiative knowing that our return in revenue would be diminished by paying taxes. The board is grateful for the research efforts and support of our Grand Treasurer R.W. Brother Harold McKenney, Brother David Cannon of Belfast Lodge and Brother Scott Whytock of Governor William King Lodge. The board also appreciates the enthusiasm and documented support by many members of the Craft for their encouragement of this initiative.

Brother McFadden and I are truly astounded by the high number of submissions we have received for inclusion in the Maine Mason. Masons in Maine sincerely take pride in what they do for Maine Masonry. Their articles and photos carefully reflect their pride and accomplishments within and without their lodges and have served as the basis for inspiring others to greater accomplishments. This is what the Grand Master and the Editorial Board mean when you hear the magazine referred to as the Craft's magazine.

With this annual report and the spring edition of the Maine Mason released just last month, Mike and I regret to inform the Craft that these will be our last as our next Grand Master has exercised his prerogative to appoint a new editor effective with the close of this Grand Lodge Annual Communication. Though the announcement came somewhat as a surprise to us, we respect Brother Landry's decision and wish him

and his new Editorial Board all the success and happiness that Mike and I enjoyed these past four years and two administrations.

Fraternally,

A. James Ross, Editor  
Michael E. McFadden, Layout and Publishing  
Janice W. Graham, Administrative Assistant

### **REPORT OF THE MAINE MASONIC COLLEGE 2007-2008**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Chartered on May 6, 2005, the Maine Masonic College is closing out its third year with its original mission unchanged: To create an educational environment for the purpose of inspiring the members of the Craft and others to explore the nature and purpose of Freemasonry which will lead to a deeper self-understanding of the founding principles, tenets, and lessons of morality.

The members of the Board of Regents directing this effort are: Richard Bowden, Edward King, Eric Kuntz, Robert R. Landry, George Macdougall, Walter Macdougall, Donald McDougal, Stephen Nichols, Charles Plummer, David Richardson, and Claire Tusch.

Ex-officio member for 2007 is Gerald Leighton, Grand Master.

At the Annual Meeting of the College on May 20, 2007 Stephen Nichols was elected chair of the Board of Regents and George Macdougall was elected vice chair.

Also on May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2007 a course entitled "Journey to the Stars" was taught by Alan Davenport of the University of Maine at the UMO planetarium. It was very well received and augured well for the proposed curriculum for the remainder of 2007. After a hiatus in classroom activity during the summer, a very successful and well attended course on the development of Masonic ritual was presented on September

15<sup>th</sup> by Christian Ratliff at Benevolent Lodge No. 87 in Carmel. A week and a half later, on September 26<sup>th</sup>, Donald McDougal, Walter Macdougall, and Robert R. Landry demonstrated aspects of practical Masonic geometry to a small but enthusiastic group of Masons at Meridian Splendor Lodge No. 49 in Newport. The relatively low attendance signaled to the Board of Regents that the effort to “market” the Maine Masonic College courses was not producing the desired results. This was confirmed as the year progressed when it was found necessary to cancel six successive courses because there were too few registrations to permit us to proceed.

The Board of Regents deliberated on possible reasons for the failure to attract Masons to the planned courses, which clearly had a bearing on the search for more light in Masonry. We acknowledged that busy schedules, seasonal activities, and the expense of registering for and traveling to the courses all contributed to a reluctance on the part of the Craft to participate in the courses that were offered. It occurred to some that we might have been guilty of ignoring the message of Grand Master Gerald L. Leighton in his “Stickball to Star Wars” presentation, viz., that succeeding generations of Masons have differing aspirations and seek different paths and behavior which they hope will lead to a realization of those aspirations. Our participation in the two Masonic Education Summits in August and December of 2007 led us to the conclusion that we were not delivering on either our pledges to him nor on the goals that we had set for ourselves in our determination to fulfill our stated mission.

A distinguishing characteristic of the Board of Regents has been a willingness to explore innovative possibilities. A survey of the Craft’s needs and suggestions has been conducted; interviews with focus groups have been organized; a curriculum committee has been formed to analyze our course structure and to make recommendations. Nothing has been exempted from the examination of problems nor from the discussion of possible solutions. Out of all this began to emerge a consensus that we might have misidentified the target audience, that we should place more emphasis on the tools of the electronic age in our effort to carry the message to the increasingly technologically oriented Craft.

At the end of 2007 we began to shape a new approach to our work. Rather than insist that Masons (and others) come to our classrooms, we would bring the classroom to the students. This can be done through the use of video tapes and DVDs and can be designed in such a manner as to elicit discussion of the subject matter by the audience. It can also be inexpensive as mass production and distribution procedures result in economies of scale. We have yet to decide on the number of examples of this new technique we shall employ. The results of our first production, a DVD entitled “The Moral High Ground” and presented by Walter Macdougall, should help to demonstrate the proper extent of dissemination of the course.

The Board of Regents is determined to continue to develop an effective curriculum and the means to convey its teaching to the Craft. We shall continue to cooperate with the Committee on Masonic Education and Lodge Service, the Grand Lecturers,



and the Masonic Lodge Ambassadors to work towards an integrated and productive program of Masonic education. We are encouraged by what appears to be the beginnings of a growing population of young and enthusiastic new Masons who ask nothing more of us than to illuminate the path to greater Masonic knowledge.

Fraternally submitted by

R.W. Bro. Stephen E. Nichols, Chairman

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC LODGE  
RENEWAL/ REVITALIZATION**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

The past year for the Renewal & Revitalization Committee has been one of steady growth through the year. This has been through meeting with various lodges throughout the state. We have seen some lodges grow and prosper from the Renewal Process. With this said, there are surely more lodges out there which can be helped for the Renewal Program. It is the Renewal & Revitalization Committee's goal to be there to help any and all lodges feeling maybe they can make things better.

As we have met with Lodges, we encourage them to try maybe some new management styles, community programs, membership programs and others to help with lodge participation and membership. The lodges which have taken hold of these ideas have progressed nicely. This is not a press the button cure but a lets us take our own fate in our hands while we enjoy making our lodge better. Brethren find that through this process not only have they helped their lodge but have found new enjoyment with Lodge itself.

Community involvement is a great way to get brethren participating again. We have many ideas for use, large and small. Lodges which are involved in the community do far better than those who do not. Membership can be helped by your lodge being out in the community. We encourage the Ambassador Program to be used in

Lodges; this program if used correctly can make a huge difference in how your community perceives your Lodge.

Membership is an on going challenge. This year the Renewal Committee has begun spreading the membership packets which are available through Grand Lodge. These are great sources of information to any potential member. Every mason should have one of these handy to get at in case of need.

I would like to thank the Grand Master for having this committee work over the last two years. I especially thank the committee members who have put their time and expenses forward to help the lodges across this great state. Without your continued efforts, Maine masonry would be much the poorer.

In closing, the Renewal & Revitalization Committee is here to help in anyway possible. We can have a program put on for your lodge; all you need to do is ask!

Respectively submitted,

Peter F. Morse, Chairman

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RITUAL**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

There have been no matters concerning the Ritual referred to the Committee On Ritual during this Masonic year. Therefore, no action by the Grand Lodge is required at this time.

The Committee, however, remains ready to consider matters which concern the Ritual, and to make our recommendation to Grand Lodge, whenever the occasion requires it.

Fraternally Submitted,

W. Louis Greenier, II  
Alan R. Heath  
Stephen E. Nichols  
N. James Coolong, Chairman

**REPORT OF THE GRAND LODGE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine

The Grand Lodge Scholarship Committee has held three meetings during the past year. The committee was asked by the Grand Master to redevelop the scholarship program use by the public schools. The committee asked for ideas and opinions from all over the state to find out what direction the craft wished the program to take. After long talks with several of the craft and each of the committee members as well as the Grand Treasurer about how to finance the scholarships through the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation the following program was developed.

- 1. To eliminate the shared program with local lodges.** If lodges wish to contribute to the Masonic Charitable Foundation for scholarships they still can. All lodges are encouraged to have their own scholarship program.
- 2. To increase the amount of the scholarships to \$2000.00 each.** This will have to be approved by the Charitable Foundation for budgeting purposes.
- 3. To only give out scholarships to one third of the public high schools each year, rotating them every three years.** Currently there are 133 public high schools in Maine. A scholarship in each of these schools will take three years. The list comes from the state and is divided by county; the schools are listed in alphabetical order. We started at the top of the list and picked every third school to receive the 2008 scholarships. This list will be used again for 2009 and 2010 picking the second and third schools and so on down the list.

There being 133 public schools in Maine that are eligible to receive the Masonic scholarship we will give 44 scholarships in 2008 amounting to \$88,000.00. This will have to be approved by the Maine Masonic Charitable Foundation. This list and method of choosing which school receives the scholarships will be the responsibility of the scholarship committee. The individual schools' scholarship committee will choose the recipients of the scholarships.

This has been a long process to develop a program to meet the needs of today's students. The scholarship committee feels that the program will better benefit students and the Masonic fraternity will get a more meaningful response from the recipients of our scholarships. With the funding of this program and many like it, the Charitable Foundation will grow better serve our jurisdiction.

Respectfully Submitted,

Grand Lodge Scholarship Committee  
Frank Theriault, Chairman

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON YOUTH**

In Grand Lodge  
Ellsworth, Maine  
May 6, 2008

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Maine:

Your Youth Committee met twice during the past year. Our emphasis was placed on Youth Activities Month and Project Graduation. We distributed a letter to all Lodges asking each to support the Grand Master as he declared April as Youth Activities month. We also had the support of the Grand Lodge Charitable Foundation. A grant program was approved and many Lodges have taken advantage of this program.

The incoming Grand Master has stated that he would like to continue this program.

A special thanks to the Grand Master for his support in this program. The committee is looking forward to good things to come.

Respectfully submitted,

Lester F. Smith, Chairman

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## Abstract of Returns 2007

| Lodge No. | Lodge Name          | Last Year | Initiated | Raised | Affiliated | Re-instated | Dimitted | Died | Suspended | Expelled | Susp. NPD | Depr. NPD | This Year | Rejected |
|-----------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------|-------------|----------|------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| 1         | TRIANGLE LODGE      | 168       | 3         | 6      | 0          | 2           | 0        | 11   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 165       | 1        |
| 2         | WARREN LODGE        | 152       | 6         | 9      | 1          | 0           | 3        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 155       | 0        |
| 3         | LINCOLN LODGE       | 131       | 5         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 129       | 0        |
| 4         | HANCOCK LODGE       | 123       | 0         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 124       | 0        |
| 5         | KENNEBEC LODGE      | 116       | 2         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 12        | 0         | 102       | 0        |
| 6         | AMITY LODGE         | 72        | 4         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 73        | 0        |
| 7         | EASTERN LODGE       | 76        | 2         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 77        | 0        |
| 8         | UNITED LODGE        | 253       | 6         | 5      | 1          | 2           | 5        | 8    | 0         | 0        | 9         | 0         | 239       | 0        |
| 9         | SACO LODGE          | 181       | 14        | 13     | 3          | 0           | 1        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 186       | 0        |
| 10        | RISING VIRTUE LODGE | 306       | 5         | 4      | 1          | 2           | 0        | 15   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 298       | 0        |
| 11        | PYTHAGOREAN LODGE   | 120       | 1         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 116       | 0        |
| 12        | CUMBERLAND LODGE    | 186       | 4         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 179       | 0        |
| 13        | ORIENTAL LODGE      | 137       | 6         | 5      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 136       | 0        |
| 14        | SOLAR LODGE         | 106       | 1         | 1      | 2          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 106       | 0        |
| 15        | ORIENT LODGE        | 111       | 10        | 5      | 2          | 2           | 2        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 115       | 0        |
| 16        | ST. GEORGE LODGE    | 86        | 1         | 0      | 0          | 1           | 2        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 81        | 0        |
| 18        | OXFORD LODGE        | 179       | 5         | 5      | 5          | 2           | 1        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 187       | 0        |
| 19        | FELICITY LODGE      | 114       | 3         | 4      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 114       | 0        |
| 20        | MAINE LODGE         | 163       | 2         | 3      | 2          | 0           | 1        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 163       | 0        |
| 21        | ORIENTAL STAR LODGE | 46        | 2         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 46        | 0        |
| 22        | YORK LODGE          | 149       | 3         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 149       | 0        |
| 23        | FREEPORT LODGE      | 177       | 3         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 171       | 0        |
| 24        | BELFAST LODGE       | 189       | 4         | 4      | 1          | 1           | 2        | 8    | 0         | 0        | 6         | 0         | 179       | 0        |
| 25        | TEMPLE LODGE        | 79        | 6         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 75        | 0        |
| 26        | VILLAGE LODGE       | 144       | 1         | 6      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 145       | 0        |
| 28        | NORTHERN STAR LODG  | 74        | 2         | 0      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 74        | 0        |
| 29        | TRANQUIL LODGE      | 353       | 6         | 6      | 2          | 6           | 3        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 12        | 0         | 345       | 0        |
| 30        | BLAZING STAR LODGE  | 124       | 1         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 116       | 0        |
| 31        | UNION LODGE         | 126       | 1         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 4        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 6         | 0         | 114       | 0        |
| 32        | HERMON LODGE        | 141       | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 11   | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 127       | 0        |
| 33        | WATERVILLE LODGE    | 153       | 2         | 2      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 10   | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 145       | 1        |
| 34        | SOMERSET LODGE      | 79        | 4         | 3      | 0          | 3           | 2        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 82        | 0        |
| 35        | BETHLEHEM LODGE     | 316       | 3         | 3      | 1          | 0           | 11       | 9    | 1         | 0        | 7         | 0         | 292       | 0        |
| 36        | CASCO LODGE         | 194       | 4         | 4      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 192       | 0        |
| 37        | WASHINGTON LODGE    | 116       | 0         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 116       | 0        |
| 38        | HARMONY LODGE       | 135       | 1         | 0      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 9    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 128       | 0        |
| 39        | PENOBSCOT LODGE     | 93        | 3         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 91        | 0        |
| 40        | LYGONIA LODGE       | 438       | 13        | 13     | 0          | 4           | 0        | 10   | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 444       | 0        |
| 41        | MORNING STAR LODGE  | 88        | 0         | 0      | 2          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 88        | 0        |
| 42        | FREEDOM LODGE       | 35        | 0         | 1      | 4          | 1           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 39        | 0        |
| 43        | ALNA-ANCHOR LODGE   | 106       | 3         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 98        | 0        |
| 44        | PISCATAQUIS LODGE   | 147       | 5         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 1         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 148       | 0        |
| 45        | CENTRAL LODGE       | 121       | 11        | 7      | 1          | 0           | 1        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 125       | 0        |
| 46        | ST. CROIX LODGE     | 108       | 4         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 105       | 0        |
| 47        | DUNLAP LODGE        | 112       | 2         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 110       | 2        |
| 48        | LAFAYETTE LODGE     | 85        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 1           | 1        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 80        | 0        |
| 49        | MERIDIAN SPLENDOR L | 122       | 1         | 2      | 2          | 0           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 121       | 0        |
| 50        | AURORA LODGE        | 213       | 4         | 4      | 1          | 0           | 4        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 11        | 0         | 197       | 0        |
| 51        | ST. JOHN'S LODGE    | 157       | 5         | 5      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 153       | 0        |

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| 52        | MOSAIC LODGE           | 81        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 80        | 0        |
| 53        | RURAL LODGE            | 67        | 2         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 68        | 0        |
| 54        | VASSALBORO LODGE       | 93        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 2           | 1        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 92        | 0        |
| 55        | FRATERNAL LODGE        | 117       | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 3        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 106       | 0        |
| 56        | MOUNT MORIAH LODGE     | 69        | 5         | 6      | 2          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 72        | 0        |
| 57        | KING HIRAM LODGE       | 112       | 3         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 106       | 0        |
| 58        | UNITY LODGE            | 55        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 52        | 0        |
| 60        | STAR IN THE EAST LODGE | 151       | 0         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 2        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 9         | 0         | 135       | 0        |
| 61        | KING SOLOMON'S LODGE   | 78        | 7         | 5      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 82        | 0        |
| 62        | KING DAVID'S LODGE     | 57        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 57        | 0        |
| 64        | PACIFIC LODGE          | 55        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 3        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 48        | 0        |
| 65        | MYSTIC LODGE           | 155       | 2         | 0      | 2          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 10        | 0         | 143       | 0        |
| 66        | MECHANICS' LODGE       | 98        | 6         | 2      | 2          | 3           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 98        | 0        |
| 67        | BLUE MOUNTAIN LODGE    | 103       | 4         | 5      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 103       | 0        |
| 68        | MARINERS' LODGE        | 68        | 5         | 3      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 68        | 0        |
| 69        | HOWARD LODGE           | 99        | 5         | 3      | 1          | 1           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 102       | 0        |
| 70        | STANDISH LODGE         | 126       | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 15        | 0         | 110       | 0        |
| 71        | RISING SUN LODGE       | 147       | 5         | 6      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 147       | 0        |
| 72        | PIONEER LODGE          | 96        | 4         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 92        | 0        |
| 73        | TYRIAN LODGE           | 210       | 4         | 2      | 3          | 3           | 2        | 10   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 206       | 0        |
| 74        | BRISTOL LODGE          | 87        | 2         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 2        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 85        | 0        |
| 75        | ARCHON LODGE           | 88        | 4         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 84        | 0        |
| 76        | ARUNDEL LODGE          | 250       | 6         | 4      | 3          | 1           | 3        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 247       | 0        |
| 77        | TREMONT LODGE          | 92        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 9    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 83        | 0        |
| 78        | CRESCENT LODGE         | 85        | 0         | 4      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 84        | 0        |
| 80        | KEYSTONE LODGE         | 140       | 2         | 5      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 3    | 2         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 139       | 0        |
| 82        | ST. PAUL'S LODGE       | 99        | 1         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 94        | 0        |
| 83        | ST. ANDREW'S LODGE     | 268       | 2         | 0      | 1          | 0           | 2        | 15   | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 248       | 0        |
| 84        | EUREKA LODGE           | 73        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 72        | 0        |
| 85        | STAR IN THE WEST LODGE | 73        | 0         | 0      | 1          | 2           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 70        | 0        |
| 86        | SACCARAPPA LODGE       | 188       | 2         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 3        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 176       | 0        |
| 87        | BENEVOLENT LODGE       | 130       | 11        | 9      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 134       | 0        |
| 88        | NARRAGUAGUS LODGE      | 74        | 3         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 72        | 0        |
| 89        | ISLAND LODGE           | 43        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 41        | 0        |
| 91        | HARWOOD LODGE          | 154       | 3         | 2      | 1          | 1           | 1        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 152       | 0        |
| 92        | SILAM LODGE            | 125       | 5         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 119       | 0        |
| 93        | HOREB LODGE            | 196       | 1         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 9    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 189       | 0        |
| 94        | PARIS LODGE            | 57        | 2         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 59        | 0        |
| 95        | CORINTHIAN LODGE       | 106       | 6         | 7      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 110       | 1        |
| 96        | MONUMENT LODGE         | 190       | 2         | 2      | 2          | 0           | 1        | 8    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 185       | 0        |
| 97        | BETHEL LODGE           | 125       | 0         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 123       | 0        |
| 98        | KATAHDIN LODGE         | 52        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 50        | 0        |
| 99        | VERNON VALLEY LODGE    | 45        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 44        | 0        |
| 100       | JEFFERSON LODGE        | 68        | 0         | 0      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 6         | 0         | 62        | 0        |
| 101       | NEZINSCOT LODGE        | 174       | 2         | 5      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 6         | 0         | 171       | 0        |
| 102       | MARSH RIVER LODGE      | 79        | 1         | 0      | 0          | 2           | 0        | 5    | 1         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 75        | 0        |
| 103       | DRESDEN LODGE          | 55        | 2         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 55        | 0        |
| 104       | DIRIGO LODGE           | 124       | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 119       | 0        |
| 105       | ASHLAR LODGE           | 177       | 4         | 0      | 2          | 1           | 1        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 172       | 0        |
| 106       | TUSCAN LODGE           | 134       | 4         | 7      | 1          | 1           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 141       | 0        |
| 107       | DAY SPRING LODGE       | 72        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 73        | 0        |
| 109       | MOUNT KINEO LODGE      | 122       | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 119       | 0        |
| 110       | MONMOUTH LODGE         | 96        | 5         | 5      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 96        | 0        |

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| 111       | LIBERTY LODGE        | 73        | 1         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 1        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 69        | 0        |
| 113       | MESSALONSKEE LODGE   | 138       | 2         | 0      | 1          | 2           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 134       | 0        |
| 114       | POLAR STAR LODGE     | 136       | 2         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 7    | 0         | 0        | 5         | 0         | 127       | 0        |
| 115       | BUXTON LODGE         | 149       | 4         | 2      | 3          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 149       | 0        |
| 116       | LEBANON LODGE        | 71        | 4         | 4      | 1          | 1           | 1        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 71        | 0        |
| 117       | GREENLEAF LODGE      | 111       | 3         | 2      | 6          | 1           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 116       | 0        |
| 118       | DRUMMOND LODGE       | 65        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 61        | 0        |
| 119       | POWNAI LODGE         | 80        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 77        | 0        |
| 121       | ACACIA LODGE         | 131       | 4         | 4      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 130       | 0        |
| 122       | MARINE LODGE         | 134       | 3         | 2      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 123       | 0        |
| 123       | FRANKLIN LODGE       | 89        | 2         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 84        | 0        |
| 124       | OLIVE BRANCH LODGE   | 110       | 2         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 109       | 0        |
| 125       | MERIDIAN LODGE       | 117       | 2         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 112       | 0        |
| 127       | PRESUMPCOT LODGE     | 237       | 1         | 2      | 2          | 1           | 2        | 12   | 0         | 0        | 6         | 0         | 222       | 0        |
| 128       | IRA BERRY LODGE      | 124       | 5         | 8      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 127       | 0        |
| 129       | QUANTABACOOK LODGE   | 91        | 2         | 2      | 4          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 92        | 0        |
| 130       | TRINITY LODGE        | 264       | 2         | 5      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 262       | 0        |
| 132       | MOUNT TIREM LODGE    | 62        | 2         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 2        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 61        | 0        |
| 133       | ASYLUM LODGE         | 77        | 2         | 0      | 1          | 0           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 73        | 0        |
| 135       | RIVERSIDE LODGE      | 96        | 3         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 98        | 0        |
| 137       | KENDUSKEAG LODGE     | 140       | 3         | 3      | 1          | 0           | 1        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 134       | 0        |
| 138       | LEWY'S ISLAND LODGE  | 130       | 0         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 129       | 0        |
| 140       | MOUNT DESERT LODGE   | 59        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 58        | 0        |
| 142       | OCEAN LODGE          | 198       | 3         | 1      | 1          | 3           | 4        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 5         | 0         | 188       | 0        |
| 143       | PREBLE LODGE         | 99        | 5         | 4      | 1          | 1           | 1        | 11   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 93        | 0        |
| 144       | SEASIDE LODGE        | 94        | 1         | 1      | 3          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 2         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 94        | 0        |
| 145       | MOSES WEBSTER LODGE  | 72        | 5         | 5      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 76        | 0        |
| 146       | SEBASTICOOK LODGE    | 140       | 1         | 1      | 2          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 139       | 0        |
| 147       | EVENING STAR LODGE   | 75        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 74        | 0        |
| 148       | FOREST LODGE         | 43        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 40        | 0        |
| 149       | COLUMBIA-DORIC LODGE | 149       | 5         | 4      | 0          | 1           | 1        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 149       | 0        |
| 150       | RABBONI LODGE        | 103       | 0         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 102       | 0        |
| 151       | EXCELSIOR LODGE      | 55        | 2         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 56        | 0        |
| 152       | CROOKED RIVER LODGE  | 93        | 3         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 92        | 0        |
| 153       | DELTA LODGE          | 48        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 48        | 0        |
| 154       | MYSTIC TIE LODGE     | 75        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 72        | 0        |
| 155       | ANCIENT YORK LODGE   | 139       | 5         | 2      | 3          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 140       | 0        |
| 156       | WILTON LODGE         | 106       | 5         | 7      | 2          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 114       | 0        |
| 157       | CAMBRIDGE LODGE      | 71        | 2         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 71        | 0        |
| 160       | PARIAN LODGE         | 109       | 1         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 104       | 0        |
| 161       | CARRABASSETT LODGE   | 61        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 60        | 0        |
| 162       | ARION LODGE          | 78        | 2         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 78        | 0        |
| 163       | PLEASANT RIVER LODGE | 109       | 1         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 106       | 0        |
| 164       | WEBSTER LODGE        | 95        | 7         | 6      | 0          | 2           | 1        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 96        | 1        |
| 165       | MOLUNKUS LODGE       | 72        | 2         | 3      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 76        | 0        |
| 167       | WHITNEY LODGE        | 61        | 3         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 61        | 1        |
| 168       | COMPOSITE LODGE      | 90        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 84        | 0        |
| 170       | CARIBOU LODGE        | 130       | 2         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 127       | 0        |
| 171       | NASKEAG LODGE        | 41        | 1         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 41        | 0        |
| 172       | PINE TREE LODGE      | 56        | 1         | 1      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 54        | 0        |
| 173       | PLEIADES LODGE       | 133       | 6         | 6      | 2          | 0           | 3        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 131       | 0        |
| 174       | LYNDE LODGE          | 193       | 7         | 9      | 0          | 2           | 2        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 198       | 0        |
| 175       | BASKAHEGAN LODGE     | 87        | 3         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 87        | 0        |

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| 177       | RISING STAR LODGE       | 63        | 2         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 59        | 0        |
| 178       | ANCIENT BROTHERS LC     | 107       | 0         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 5    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 105       | 0        |
| 179       | YORKSHIRE LODGE         | 136       | 6         | 6      | 2          | 2           | 1        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 142       | 0        |
| 180       | HIRAM LODGE             | 356       | 3         | 3      | 2          | 1           | 1        | 16   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 345       | 0        |
| 182       | GRANITE LODGE           | 51        | 1         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 51        | 0        |
| 183       | DEERING LODGE           | 221       | 3         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 1        | 11   | 0         | 0        | 5         | 0         | 207       | 0        |
| 184       | NAVAL LODGE             | 293       | 5         | 6      | 0          | 0           | 2        | 18   | 1         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 278       | 0        |
| 185       | BAR HARBOR LODGE        | 99        | 0         | 0      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 3         | 0         | 93        | 0        |
| 188       | JONESPORT LODGE         | 123       | 15        | 8      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 125       | 1        |
| 189       | KNOX LODGE              | 65        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 1        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 65        | 0        |
| 190       | SPRINGVALE LODGE        | 172       | 1         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 5        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 164       | 0        |
| 192       | WINTER HARBOR LODGE     | 132       | 1         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 125       | 0        |
| 193       | WASHBURN LODGE          | 70        | 6         | 2      | 0          | 1           | 2        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 68        | 0        |
| 194       | EUCLID LODGE            | 82        | 1         | 2      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 83        | 0        |
| 196       | BAY VIEW LODGE          | 114       | 3         | 5      | 1          | 0           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 116       | 1        |
| 197       | AROOSTOOK LODGE         | 117       | 1         | 3      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 119       | 0        |
| 198       | ST. ASPINQUID LODGE     | 256       | 9         | 9      | 2          | 1           | 2        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 259       | 0        |
| 201       | DAVID A. HOOPER LODGE   | 106       | 1         | 2      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 109       | 0        |
| 202       | MOUNT BIGELOW LODGE     | 63        | 1         | 1      | 3          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 66        | 0        |
| 203       | MOUNT OLIVET LODGE      | 64        | 3         | 3      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 4         | 0         | 63        | 0        |
| 204       | MOUNT ABRAM LODGE       | 70        | 2         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 70        | 0        |
| 205       | NOLLESEMIC LODGE        | 128       | 1         | 1      | 1          | 1           | 2        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 1         | 0         | 125       | 0        |
| 206       | ISLAND FALLS LODGE      | 96        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 95        | 0        |
| 207       | ABNER WADE LODGE        | 74        | 2         | 1      | 1          | 1           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 77        | 0        |
| 208       | NORTHEAST HARBOR L      | 72        | 0         | 0      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 2    | 0         | 0        | 2         | 0         | 69        | 0        |
| 209       | FORT KENT LODGE         | 63        | 0         | 1      | 0          | 1           | 0        | 0    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 65        | 0        |
| 211       | MEDUNCOOK LODGE         | 49        | 1         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 47        | 0        |
| 213       | KEMANKEAG LODGE         | 112       | 3         | 1      | 0          | 0           | 1        | 6    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 105       | 0        |
| 214       | LIMESTONE LODGE         | 112       | 6         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 3    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 111       | 0        |
| 215       | ORCHARD LODGE           | 82        | 2         | 2      | 0          | 0           | 0        | 1    | 0         | 0        | 10        | 0         | 75        | 0        |
| 216       | CORNER STONE LODGE      | 301       | 11        | 4      | 0          | 1           | 6        | 34   | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 266       | 0        |
| 217       | RALPH J. POLLARD LODGE  | 285       | 9         | 11     | 0          | 1           | 0        | 8    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 289       | 1        |
| 219       | GOV. WILLIAM KING LODGE | 134       | 2         | 1      | 5          | 1           | 1        | 4    | 0         | 0        | 0         | 0         | 136       | 0        |

Lodges Reporting : 188      22906      529      460      138      89      141      740      8      0      310      0      22395      10

Dual Members      516  
Total      21879

**LONG SERVICE SECRETARIES**

Many of our Lodge Secretaries have given their Lodges years of dedicated service, often without recognition, only asking that the Lodge prosper and its members enjoy its fellowship. Their dedicated devotion to the Lodge and its members certainly merit the recognition given here. The following completed 15 or more years of service in 2007.

| Years | Secretary                           | Lodge |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 41    | Wilbur F. Loveitt (deceased 6/3/07) | 114   |
| 39    | Francis S. Harvey                   | 137   |
| 34    | Errald N. Turner                    | 49    |
| 33    | John E. Lord, Jr.                   | 48    |
| 33    | Franklin R. Barclay                 | 133   |
| 29    | Edward E. Jellison                  | 201   |
| 23    | Eugene H. Amnott                    | 197   |
| 21    | Gerard C. Post                      | 157   |
| 21    | Rodney L. Willette                  | 206   |
| 21    | Eugene Chandler                     | 73    |
| 21    | Alvin McDonald                      | 156   |
| 19    | Michael P. Allen                    | 171   |
| 18    | Richard V. Beedy                    | 57    |
| 17    | Raymond G. Locke                    | 146   |
| 15    | Randall C. Foster                   | 211   |
| 15    | Ronald B. Moore                     | 115   |
| 15    | Richard A. McCann                   | 12    |
| 15    | Harold E. MacDonnell                | 30    |
| 15    | David A. Walker                     | 110   |
| 15    | James H. Salley                     | 52    |
| 15    | Duane L. Young, Sr.                 | 69    |

Death or retirement reduces this number by a few each year. These dedicated Brothers will be missed.

**LIST OF CONSTITUENT LODGES  
WITH THEIR PRINCIPAL OFFICERS**

**ABNER WADE NO. 207, Sangerville**

**First Thursday  
1774\***

Martin Taylor, W.M., 349 No. Dexter Rd., Sangerville 04479-3304  
Lance Burgess, S.W., PO Box 155, Sangerville 04479-0155  
Daniel Rohdin, J.W., 644 No. Dexter Rd., Sangerville 04479-3319  
John B. Greenleaf, Sec., PO Box 251, Monson 04464-0251

**District No. 5****Dark July, Aug****Election, December****ACACIA NO. 121, Durham**

**Tuesday on or before full moon  
0092\***

Mark R. Carter, W.M., 577 Hodsdon Rd., Pownal 04069-6416  
Donald T. Vosmus, S.W., 199 Fickett Rd., Pownal 04069-6156  
David Coffin, J.W., 52 Loring Ln., Pownal 04069-6420  
Ryan L. Carter, Sec., 7 Sunset Ave., Lisbon Falls 04252-1125

**District No. 14****Not Dark****Election, December****ALNA - ANCHOR LODGE NO. 43, Damariscotta**

**First Tuesday  
0059\***

James Phillips, W.M., 244 Route One, Damariscotta 04543-4534  
Gerard S. Waltz, S.W., 90 N Newcastle Rd., Newcastle 04553-3218  
Stewart Hanna, J.W., PO Box 246, Nobleboro 04555-0246  
John Hilton, Sec., 277 Main St Ste 10, Damariscotta 04543-4704

**District No. 10****Dark - July, August****Election, January****AMITY LODGE NO. 6, Rockport**

**Third Thursday  
0056\***

Steven E. Gibbons, W.M., 100 Molyneaux Rd, Camden 04843-4424  
Kyle W. Kibler, S.W., PO Box 111, Lincolnville 04849-0111  
Doug Hise, J.W., 38 Fox Trl, Camden 04843-4227  
Jeffrey W. Sukeforth, Sec., 47 Rawson Ave., Camden 04843-1831

**District No. 7****Dark - July, August****Election, January****ANCIENT BROTHERS LODGE NO. 178, Auburn**

**Second Monday  
1519\***

Darin W. Long, W.M., 15 Broad St Apt 1, Auburn 04210-6810  
Thomas E. Whalen, S.W., 139 Poland Hill Rd, Livermore 04253-3208  
H. Gordon Howard, J.W., 37 Delcliffe Ln, Lewiston 04240-4001  
Eric G. Long, Sec., 111 Winter St., Lewiston 04240-7547

**District No. 23****Dark - July, August****Election, January**

**ANCIENT YORK LODGE NO. 155, Lisbon Falls** **Second Monday**  
**1521\***

James A. Bennett, W.M., 103 Cotton Rd., Lewiston 04240-1204  
Toby D. Williams, S.W., 72 Summer St., Lisbon Falls 04252-9574  
Thomas H. Finkle, J.W., 33 Burrough Rd., Lisbon Falls 04252-9763  
Wayne R. Thompson, Sec., 12 Fortin Ave., Lisbon 04250-6027

**District No. 14** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**ARCHON LODGE NO. 75, East Dixmont** **Third Friday**  
**1775\***

Reed F. Carson, Jr., W.M., 40 Newport Rd., Corinna 04928-3738  
William P. Siebert, S.W., 35 Western Ave., Dixmont 04932-3600  
Joseph F. Springer, J.W., 29 Masonic Rd., Dixmont 04932-3541  
Robert G. Vile, Jr., Sec., PO Box 114, Dixmont 04932-0114

**District No. 22** **Dark – January, February** **Election, October**

**ARION LODGE NO. 162, Goodwin Mills** **Third Thursday**  
**1522\***

John W. McAlevey, W.M., 131 Walker Rd., Lyman 04002-6094  
Jonathan Gray, S.W., 16 Drowns Lane, Lyman 04002-6027  
Seth A. Dube, J.W., 90 Seaview Ave., Old Orchard Beach 04064-1715  
James R. Allen, Jr., Sec., 1473 Alfred Road, Lyman 04002-7503

**District No. 18** **Dark - January, February** **Election, November**

**AROOSTOOK LODGE NO. 197, Mars Hill** **Second Monday**  
**1776\***

Blake W. Bradbury, W.M., 38 Boundary Line Rd., Bridgewater 04735-3214  
D. Wayne Bradbury, S.W., PO Box 343, Bridgewater 04735-0343  
Ralph E. Donahue, J.W., PO Box 1132, Mars Hill 04758-1132  
Eugene H. Amnott, Sec. 291 Presque Isle Rd., Mars Hill 04758-3414

**District No. 1** **Dark - July - August** **Election, December**

**ARUNDEL LODGE NO. 76, Kennebunkport** **Second Tuesday**  
**1523\***

Peter J. Shaw, W.M., 121 School St., Kennebunkport 04046-6710  
Daniel R. Tidwell, S.W., 1713 Alfred Rd., Lyman 04002-7706  
Jonathan Rosen, J.W., 24 Kayla Dr., Arundel 04046-8966  
John Nompleggi, Sec., 43 Mount Kineo Rd., Kennebunkport 04046-5224

**District No. 19** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**ASHLAR LODGE NO. 105, Auburn****Third Monday  
1524\***

Steven E. Peterson, W.M., 9 Fairway Dr., Auburn 04210-8876

M. Shane Davis, S.W., 400 Hotel Rd., Auburn 04210-9006

Michael C. Nickerson, J.W., PO Box 185, New Gloucester 04260-0185

Michael A. Farrell, Sec., 145 Eastman Ln., Auburn 04210-8354

**District No. 23****Dark - July, August****Election, January****ASYLUM LODGE NO. 133, Leeds****Second Thursday  
1525\***

Gerard Therrien, W.M., 103 Strickland Ferry Rd., Wayne 04284-3026

David S. Muniec, S.W., 258 Route 133, Winthrop 04364-4019

Eric C. Roberts, J.W., 6 Dawns Way, Leeds 04263-3056

Franklin R. Barclay, Sec., 170 Lakeshore Drive, Leeds 04263-3331

**District No. 11****Dark - July, August****Election, December****AURORA LODGE NO. 50, Rockland****First Wednesday  
1528\***

Russell J. Fish, W.M., 34 Admontem Ave., Rockland 04841-3002

George R. Grey, S.W., 17 Curtis Ave., Camden 04843-2007

Wallace Tower, Jr., J.W., 123 Bog Rd., Rockland 04841-6315

Floyd A. Montgomery, Jr., Sec., 18 N Main St., Rockland 04841-3117

**District No. 9****Dark- July, August****Election, January****BAR HARBOR LODGE NO. 185, Bar Harbor****Third Thursday  
1529\***

Frederick W. Haynes, W.M., 205 Mariaville Rd., Ellsworth 04605-3404

Edward N. Paine, S.W., 8 Cedar Ave., Bar Harbor 04609-1706

Milton Walls, Jr., J.W., 9 Ash St., Bar Harbor 04609-1601

Alexander H. Phillips, Sec., 110 Main St Ste A, Bar Harbor 04609-1894

**District No. 21****Dark - July, August****Election, December****BASKAHEGAN LODGE NO. 175, Danforth****First Tuesday  
1801\***

Toby R. Mailman, Sr., W.M., PO Box 94, Danforth 04424-0094

Andrew V. Latus, S.W., PO Box 172, Orient 04471-0172

Everett C. Kinney, J.W., HC 81 Box 217, Brookton 04413-9701

Craig S. Clifford, Sec., 3158 Military Rd., Haynesville 04497-3007

**District No. 24****Dark – Not Dark****Election, August**



**BAY VIEW LODGE NO. 196, East Boothbay** **Second Thursday**  
**1530\***

Paul E. Perry, W.M., PO Box 263, Boothbay 04537-0263  
 Timber R. Brown, S.W., 769 Back River Rd., Boothbay 04537-4210  
 Martin H. Page, J.W., PO Box 246, Boothbay 04537-0246  
 John F. McKown, Sec., PO Box 635, East Boothbay 04544-0635

**District 10** **Dark - July, August** **Election December**

**BELFAST LODGE NO. 24, Belfast** **Second Monday**  
**2427\***

Herman L. Littlefield, Jr., W.M., 1360 Atlantic Hwy, Northport 04849-3608  
 Kevin E. Littlefield, S.W., 1378 Atlantic Hwy, Northport 04849-3608  
 Gregory M. Mackay, J.W., 10 Knox Bros Ave, Searsport 04974-6310  
 Malcolm A. Gater, Sec., 70 Church St., Belfast 04915-6205

**District No. 8** **Dark - June, July, August** **Election, December**

**BENEVOLENT LODGE NO. 87, Carmel** **Third Wednesday**  
**1531\***

John F. Luce, W.M., 21 Luce Alley Ln., Carmel 04419-3733  
 Steven S. Craig, S.W., PO Box 20, Etna 04434-0020  
 Scott A. Boyington, J.W., 101 Rutland Rd., Newport 04953-3720  
 Marvin D. Graves, Sec., PO Box 214, Carmel 04419-0214

**District No. 6** **Dark - June, July & August** **Election, October**

**BETHEL LODGE NO. 97, Bethel** **Second Thursday**  
**1532\***

Peter T. Haines, W.M., 1968 Intervale Rd., Bethel 04217-5521  
 Kenneth R. Grover, S.W., 789 E. Bethel Rd., Bethel 04217-5121  
 Joseph Lyons, J.W., PO Box 582, Bethel 04217-0582  
 Colwyn F. Haskell, Sec., PO Box 1295, Bethel 04217-1295

**District No. 20** **Dark - July, August** **Election, November**

**BETHLEHEM LODGE NO. 35, Augusta** **First Monday**  
**1533\***

Robert D. Stratton, W.M., PO Box 66, Manchester 04351-0066  
 Troy V. Benson, S.W., 20 Mechanic St Apt 18, Gardiner 04345-2166  
 Steven P. Mairs, J.W., 33 Pullen Rd., Augusta 04330-8526  
 Patrick D. Kaloustian, Sec., 108 Townsend Rd., Augusta 04330-8002

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**BLAZING STAR LODGE NO. 30, Rumford** **First Wednesday**  
**1534\***

Richard D. Westleigh, W.M., 19 E. Bethel Rd., Rumford 04276-3020  
Joseph N. Roy, S.W., 845 S Rumford Rd., Rumford 04276-3018  
Ralph E. Clarke, J.W., 24 Blayne St., Dixfield 04224-9533  
Harold E. MacDonnell, Sec., 520 Penobscot St., Rumford 04276-1807

**District No. 20** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**BLUE MOUNTAIN LODGE NO. 67, Phillips** **Second Wednesday**  
**1535\***

Charles W. Smith, W.M., 465 Salem Rd., Phillips 04966-4014  
Darrell L. Dunne, S.W., 468 Norton Hill Rd., Strong 04983-3410  
Eric W. Smith, J.W., 235 Park St., Phillips 04966-4411  
Richard H. Savage, Sr., Sec., PO Box 37, Phillips 04966-0037

**District No. 15** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**BRISTOL LODGE NO. 74, Bristol** **Second Monday**  
**1536\***

Stanley J. Benner, W.M., PO Box 237, Bristol 04539-0237  
David E. Hewitt, S.W., 74 Lincoln Ln., Newcastle 04553-3313  
Donald C. Carrigan, Jr., J.W., 141 Ridge Rd., Walpole 04573-3316  
Robert E. Kline, Sec., PO Box 331, New Harbor 04554-0331

**District No. 10** **Dark - January, February, March** **Election, December**

**BUXTON LODGE NO. 115, West Buxton** **First Monday**  
**(Third Mon. in Sept.)**

Lincoln L. Turner, Jr., W.M., 240 Brown St Apt 2, Westbrook 04092-3524  
VACANT, S.W.,  
Matthew H. Brooker, Jr., J.W., PO Box 374, Waterboro 04087-0374  
Ronald B. Moore, Sec., 31 Pleasant Hill Rd., Hollis Center 04042-3320

**District No. 18** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**CAMBRIDGE LODGE NO. 157, Cambridge** **First Tuesday**

Roland D. Herrick, W.M., 301 Ripley Rd., Cambridge 04923-3109  
Michael R. Folsom, S.W., 234 Harmony Rd., Cambridge 04923-3105  
Paul M. Noble, J.W., 219 Andrew Ham Rd., Cambridge 04923-3028  
Gerard C. Post, Sec., 1808 State Hwy 150, Parkman 04443-3513

**District No. 22** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**CARIBOU LODGE NO. 170, Caribou****First Thursday  
1802\***

Ralph C. Conroy, W.M., 371 Brown Rd., Woodland 04736-5728

Jody R. Smith, S.W., 21 York St., Caribou 04736-2227

Whitney H. Smith, J.W., 89 Woodland Rd., Caribou 04736-3501

Wayne R. Nichols, Sec., 482 W Side Rd., Cross Lake Twp 04779-3123

**District No. 1****Dark - July, August****Election, December****CARRABASSETT LODGE NO. 161, Canaan****Second Tuesday  
1803\***

Chris A. Price, W.M., PO Box 443, Canaan 04924-0443

Gregory L. Price, S.W., 1468 Hill Rd., Canaan 04924-3549

Kane J. Bridger, J.W., 259 Salisbury Rd., Canaan 04924-3703

Clifford H. Allen, Sec., 38 Merritt St., Canaan 04924-3000

**District No. 13****Dark - Not Dark****Election, November****CASCO LODGE NO. 36, Yarmouth****First Tuesday  
1780\***

Robert C. Hazelton, W.M., 188 Cumberland Rd., No. Yarmouth 04097-6548

VACANT, S.W.,

Phillip A. True, J.W., 183 Elm St., Mechanic Falls 04256-5308

Carl H. Winslow, Sr., Sec., 172 W. Main St., Yarmouth 04096-8416

**District No. 17****Dark - July, August****Election, October****CENTRAL LODGE NO. 45, China****First Wednesday  
1538\***

Kevin C. Maroon, W.M., PO Box 6102, China Village 04926-0102

William H. McKenzie, III, S.W., 179 Robbins Rd., Albion 04910-6822

Samuel H. Smiley, J.W., 6 Streamwood Ln., Falmouth 04105-2622

Dean J. McCaslin, Sec., 1344 Albion Rd., Winslow 04901-0518

**District No. 12****Dark - July, August****Election, December****COLUMBIA-DORIC LODGE NO. 149, Greenville****Fourth Tuesday  
(Third Thurs. in Dec.)  
1781\***

Thomas D. Murray, W.M., PO Box 649, Greenville 04441-0649

Michael J. Harris, S.W., PO Box 530, Greenville 04441-0530

Douglas F. Nelson, J.W., PO Box 307, Monson 04464-0307

Eugene F. Murray, Jr., Sec., PO Box 751, Greenville 04441-0751

**District No. 5****Dark - Not Dark****Election, October**

**COMPOSITE LODGE NO. 168, LaGrange****Second Thursday  
1782\***

Rodney L. Sage, W.M., PO Box 744, Howland 04448-0744

Wayne L. Ireland, Jr., S.W., PO Box 24, W. Enfield 04493-0024

Larry Harris, Jr., J.W., PO Box 131, W. Enfield 04493-0131

Jason O. Neal, Sec., 103 Lowell Rd., W. Enfield 04493-4310

**District No. 5****Dark - July, August****Election, October****CORINTHIAN LODGE NO. 95, Hartland****First Wednesday  
1783\***

Mark W. Springer, W.M., PO Box 163, St. Albans 04971-0163

Lester H. Goforth, S.W., 77 Spring Hill Rd., Palmyra 04965-3625

Scott D. Robinson, J.W., 580 Meadow Rd., Hampden 04444-3224

Adam N. Robinson, Sec., 8 Jones Rd., Garland 04939-4407

**District No. 22****Dark - July, August****Election, December****CORNER STONE LODGE NO. 216, Portland****Second Wednesday  
1539\***

Carl R. Trynor, W.M., PO Box 4290, Portland 04101-0490

James C. Newman, S.W., 14 Alweber Rd., Windham 04062-4039

Kendall L. Pritchard, J.W., 40 Sebago Ave., Windham 04062-5413

Michael J. Chambers, Sec., 60 Tucker Ave., Portland 04103-1410

**District No. 17****Dark - Any two months by vote****Election, June****CRESCENT LODGE NO. 78, Pembroke****First Wednesday  
1784\***

Chester H. Davis, Jr., W.M., 198 4Th St., Old Town 04468-1429

Jeffrey L. Wilder, S.W., 40 King St., Dennysville 04628-4310

Ronald E. Porter, J.W., 10 Sherrard Ln., Charlotte 04666-6618

Dennis W. Bryant, Sec., 1036 Ayers Jct. Rd., Charlotte 04666-6208

**District No. 2****Dark - January, February****Election, November****CROOKED RIVER LODGE NO. 152, Bolsters Mills****Third Thursday  
1540\***

Leroy B. Edwards, W.M., 221 Carsley Rd., Harrison 04040-3952

William M. Denison, S.W., 55 Dawes Hill Road, Harrison 04040-3407

Ronald P. Denison, J.W., PO Box 821, Bridgton 04009-0821

Daniel E. Scribner, Sec., 176 Scribners Mills Rd., Harrison 04040-3745

**District No. 16****Dark - Not Dark****Election, September**

**CUMBERLAND LODGE NO. 12, New Gloucester**                      **Sat. before full moon**  
**1541\***

Dale A. Davis, W.M., 43 Swamp Rd., New Gloucester 04260  
Kurt D. Ringrose, S.W., PO Box 326, Gray 04039-0326  
David W. Cobb, J.W., 13 Jordan Ave, Auburn 04210-5515  
Richard A. McCann, Sec., PO Box 251, New Gloucester 04260-0251

**District No. 23**                      **Dark - July & Aug.**                      **Election, November**

**DAVID A. HOOPER LODGE NO. 201, West Sullivan**                      **First Monday**  
**1785\***

Edward E. Jellison, III, W.M., PO Box 71, Sullivan 04664-0071  
Gary C. Hunt, S.W., 99 Jellison Cove Rd., Hancock 04640-4016  
Michael W. Walker, J.W., 183 Mud Creek Rd., Hancock 04640-3033  
Edward E. Jellison, Sec., PO Box 71, Sullivan 04664-0071

**District No. 21**                      **Dark - January, February**                      **Election December**

**DAY SPRING NO. 107, West Newfield**                      **Second Monday**  
**1786\***

John M. Bemis, W.M., 32 Butler Rd., No. Berwick 03906-5754  
Tony S. Phillips, S.W., 781 Water St., West Newfield 04095-3107  
Thomas J. Gossett, Sr., J.W., 815 Portland Rd., Saco 04072-9663  
Philip L. Burbank, Sec., 1077 Maplewood Rd., West Newfield 04095-3306

**District 18**                      **Dark – July, August**                      **Election, December**

**DEERING LODGE NO. 183, Portland**                      **Second Monday**  
**1543\***

Quinones O. Rembert, W.M., 228 Brighton Ave., Portland 04102-2343  
Arnold G. Peterson, S.W., 105 Carlyle Rd., Portland 04103-3427  
Stephen M. Betters, J.W., 62 Jeanne St., Portland 04102-1825  
Christian A. Ratliff, Sec., 83 So. Richland St., So. Portland 04106-4725

**District No. 17**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, February**

**DELTA LODGE NO. 153, Lovell**                      **First Thursday**  
**1544\***

Charles E. Micklon, W.M., PO Box 224, Lovell 04051-0224  
Robert G. Drew, S.W., PO Box 33, Ctr. Lovell 04016-0033  
Lewis M. Bartlett, Jr., J.W., PO Box 391, Brownfield 04010-0391  
William H. Mende, Sec., 210 Quaker Lane, N. Scituate, RI, 02857-1233

**District No. 16**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, December**

**DIRIGO LODGE NO. 104, Weeks Mills** **Third Monday**

Robert H. Holt, W.M., PO Box 250, Windsor 04363-0250  
 Donald W. Pratt, S.W., 17 Maple Grove Rd., South China 04358-5507  
 Dennis W. Sturges, J.W., 213 Parmenter Rd., Palermo 04354-7046  
 Wayne R. Menger, Sec., 4 So. Belfast Ave., Windsor 04363-3416

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, October****DRESDEN LODGE NO. 103, Dresden Mills** **Second Tuesday**  
**1787\***

Kevin E. Campbell, W.M., 317 Calls Hill Rd., Dresden 04342-3605  
 James B. Howard, S.W., 221 Hannaford Hill Rd., Vassalboro 04989-4217  
 Ronald E. Hatke, J.W., 23 Tufton St., Brunswick 04011-9125  
 Andrew O. Cooper, Sec., 247 Water St Apt 3, Randolph 04346-5248

**District No. 10** **Dark - January, February** **Election, December****DRUMMOND LODGE NO. 118, No. Parsonsfield** **First Thursday**  
**1788\***

Joseph F. Morrill, W.M., 7 Stonewood Ln., Parsonsfield 04047-7016  
 Roger K. Berube, S.W., 10 Day Rd., Porter 04068-3439  
 Arthur G. Dullinger, Jr., J.W., 381A Ossipee Trl, Porter 04068-3408  
 Arthur G. Dullinger, III, W.M., 381 Ossipee Trl, Porter 04068-3408

**District No. 18** **Dark - Jan., Feb., March** **Election, December****DUNLAP LODGE NO. 47, Biddeford** **First Monday**  
**1545\***

Roland P. Beaulieu, W.M., 14 Bernard Ave., Biddeford 04005-4005  
 Brian A. Maddox, S.W., PO Box 375, Saco 04072-0375  
 Joseph E. Whitehurst, J.W., 20 Westland Ave., Biddeford 04005-4110  
 Reginald A. Petit, Sec., PO Box 572, Biddeford 04005-0572

**District No. 18** **Dark – 3 consec. mos. by vote** **Election, December****EASTERN LODGE NO. 7, Eastport** **First Monday**  
**1789\***

James P. Lowe, W.M., 6 Kendall Head Rd., Eastport 04631-3608  
 William W. Wentworth, Sr., S.W., 17 Wilson St., Eastport 04631-1029  
 Roscoe E. Archer, III, J.W., 33 Third St., Eastport 04631-1429  
 William A. McGarvey, Jr., Sec., 40 Key St., Eastport 04631-1418

**District No. 2** **Dark July-August** **Election, November**

**EUCLID LODGE NO. 194, Madison****First Monday  
1791\***

Michael I. Theriault, W.M., 107 Madison Ave., Madison 04950-1349

George E Reed, II, S.W., 81 Hilltop Rd., Anson 04911-3358

John W. Kenney, J.W., 17 Spring St., Madison 04950-1420

Lester F. Smith, Sec., 78 Moores Pond Rd., Lexington Twp. 04961-5301

**District No. 13****Dark - July, August****Election, December****EUREKA LODGE NO. 84, Tenants Harbor****First Thursday  
1546\***

James S. Barstow, W.M., PO Box 559, Tenants Harbor 04860-0559

Clifton W. Yattaw, Jr., S.W., PO Box 362, Port Clyde 04855-0362

Larry W. Smith, Sr., J.W., 25 Seal Harbor Rd., St. George 04860-4838

Randall K. Elwell, Sec., 743 River Rd., St. George 04860-4817

**District No. 9****Dark - January, February****Election December****EVENING STAR LODGE NO. 147, Buckfield****Second Monday  
1547\***

William J. Navarro, W.M., 670 Bonney Rd., Sumner 04292-4020

Gene H. Bell, S.W., PO Box 206, Buckfield 04220-0206

Jerry Marstaller, J.W., 27 Jones Dr., Hartford 04220-5635

Arlan A. Saunders, Sec., 765 Buckfield Rd., Hebron 04238-3249

**District No. 20****Dark - July, August****Election December****EXCELSIOR LODGE NO. 151, Northport****Second Wednesday  
1548\***

David C. Kinney, W.M., 3 Crest St., Northport 04849-3623

Boyd M. Norman, Sr., S.W., 443 Cross Rd., Swanville 04915-4640

Derwood R. McIntire, J.W., 10 Priest Rd., Northport 04849-3243

W. Frank Riley, Jr., Sec., PO Box 420, Belfast 04915-0420

**District No. 8****Dark - July, August****Election, November****FELICITY LODGE NO. 19, Bucksport****First Monday  
1549\***

Theodore S. Russell, W.M., 1444 State Route 46, Bucksport 04416-5108

John D. Baggett, S.W., 164 E Side Dr., Verona Island 04416-3103

Thomas R. Foster, J.W., 1310 River Rd., Bucksport 04416-4412

David P. Hopkins, Sec., 473 Winkumpaugh Rd., Ellsworth 04605-3025

**District No. 4****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**FOREST LODGE NO. 148, Springfield****First Thursday  
1792\***

Scot D. Averill, W.M., 38 Buttercup Way, Prentiss Twp 04487-3228

Brian E. McCafferty, S.W., 2649 Lee Rd., Lee 04455-4405

Omar C. Bean, J.W., PO Box 225, Lee 04455-0225

William W. Gould, Sec., PO Box 71, Springfield 04487-0071

**District No. 24****Dark - July, August****Election, December****FORT KENT LODGE NO. 209, Fort Kent****First Wednesday  
1793\***

Eric S. Pooler, W.M., 230 E. Main St., Fort Kent 04743-1445

Harold W. Wilson, Jr., S.W., 130 Conant Rd., Presque Isle 04769-5202

Roger Bouchard, J.W., 291 S Perley Brook Rd., Fort Kent 04743-1904

Peter E. Nesbitt, Sec., 6 Theriault Ln., Fort Kent 04743-2126

**District No. 1****Dark - July, August****Election, December****FRANKLIN LODGE NO. 123, New Sharon****Second Friday  
1794\***

Alvin E. Harris, W.M., PO Box 66, New Sharon 04955-0066

Robert W. Smith, S.W., 224 Smith Rd., New Sharon 04955-3632

Louis L. Doucette, Jr., J.W., PO Box 489, Farmington 04938-0489

Alfred L. Griswold, Sec., 226 Mile Hill Rd., New Sharon 04955-3531

**District No. 15****Dark - July, August****Election, January****FRATERNAL LODGE NO. 55, Alfred****Third Wednesday  
1550\***

Dana M. Hagerman, Sr., W.M., PO Box 525, Alfred 04002-0525

Richard D. Faulkner, S.W., 86 Grammar Rd., Sanford 04073-6123

Nicholas A. Georges, J.W., 572 Newfield Rd., Shapleigh 04076-3106

Dana M. Hagerman, Sr., Sec., PO Box 525, Alfred 04002-0525

**District No. 19****Dark - July, August****Election, May****FREEDOM LODGE NO. 42, Limerick****Fourth Wednesday  
1551\***

Jeffrey F. James, W.M., 41 Mountain Rd., W. Newfield 04095-3516

Douglas N. MacLean, S.W., PO Box 723, Brownville 04414-0723

Robert F. Levesque, J.W., PO Box 36, W. Newfield 04095-0036

John A. Smith, Sec., 39 Coffin Hill Rd., Limington 04049-3818

**District No. 18****Dark - July, August****Election, December**



**FREEPORT LODGE NO. 23, Freeport****First Monday  
5515\***

Alan C. Hindley, W.M., 109 Wardtown Rd., Freeport 04032-6846

Michael B. Campbell, S.W., 246 Bruce Hill Rd., Cumberland Center 04021-3304

Richard T. Neuts, Jr., J.W., 95 Pleasant Hill Rd., Freeport 04032-6478

Kevin P. Manter, Sec., 11 Grant Rd., Freeport 04032-6861

**District No. 14****Dark - July, August****Election, December****GOV. WM. KING LODGE NO. 219, Scarborough****Second Thursday  
1555\***

Robert J. Verge, Jr., W.M., 66 Burnham Rd., Scarborough 04074-9125

Robert J. Grasmuck, Jr., S.W., 42 Parsons Rd., Portland 04103-4536

Scott D. Fitzgerald, J.W., 36 Maple St., Saco 04072-3130

Scott E. Whytock, Sec., 1 Sextant Lane, Scarborough 04074-9368

**District No. 17****Dark - July, August****Election, January****GRANITE LODGE NO. 182, West Paris****First Monday**

Frederic B. Campbell, W.M., 6 Tuell Hill Rd., Sumner 04292-3016

James E. Todd, S.W., 14 Smith St., W. Paris 04289-5125

VACANT, J.W.,

Harold S. Wilbur, Sec., 916 S. Main St., Bryant Pond 04219-6515

**District No. 20****Dark - July, August****Election, December****GREENLEAF LODGE NO. 117, Cornish****Second Wednesday  
1554\***

Al J. Smith, Jr., W.M., PO Box 501, Buxton 04093-0501

Thomas B. Anderson, S.W., PO Box 27, W. Baldwin 04028-0027

Merle C. Googins, J.W., 12 Trafton St, Cornish 04020-3509

Michael R. Singleton, Sec., PO Box 245, Parsonsfield 04047-0245

**District No. 18****Dark - July, August****Election, December****HANCOCK LODGE NO. 4, Castine****First Thursday  
1556\***

Richard E. Robinson, W.M., PO Box 236, Castine 04421-0236

David P. Hopkins, S.W., 473 Winkumpaugh Rd., Ellsworth 04605-3025

Theodore S. Russell, J.W., 1444 State Rte 46, Bucksport 04416-5108

Victor S. Pinkham, Sec., 30 Robin Hood Circle, Bucksport 04416-4811

**District No. 4****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**HARMONY LODGE NO. 38, Gorham** **First Wednesday**  
**1557\***

Joseph D. Shaw, W.M., 12 Dunstan Ave., Scarborough 04074-9736  
Hiram R. Davis, S.W., 147 Depot St., Buxton 04093-3945  
Jeremy M. Shaw, J.W., 12 Dunstan Ave., Scarborough 04074-9736  
Kenneth A. Caldwell, Sec., 725 Methodist Rd., Westbrook 04092-3212

**District No. 17** **Dark - July, August** **Election May**

**HARWOOD LODGE NO. 91, Machias** **First Monday**  
**1795\***

Ernest J. Atkinson, W.M., 202 Ridge Rd., Marshfield 04654-5122  
David G. Brown, S.W., RR 1 Box 73, Machias 04654-9711  
Scott M. Hanscom, J.W., 481 Roque Bluffs Rd., Roque Bluffs 04654-3004  
John R. Watts, Sec., 14 Watts Ln., Roque Bluffs 04654-3042

**District No. 3** **Dark – 2 mos. by vote at ann. mtg.** **Election, December**

**HERMON LODGE NO. 32, Litchfield** **First Tuesday**  
**1558\***

Mark E. Mansir, S.W., PO Box 247, So. Gardiner 04359-0247  
Charles E. Wight, W.M., 73 Weeks Rd., Gardiner 04345-6275  
VACANT, J.W.,  
Kenneth D. Potter, Sec., 81 W Hill Rd., Gardiner 04345-1931

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**HIRAM LODGE NO. 180, South Portland** **Second Tuesday**  
**1559\***

David E. Frost, W.M., 225 Sawyer St., So. Portland 04106-2130  
Peter V. Small, Jr., S.W., 488 Gray Rd., Windham 04062-4831  
James T. Hennemann, J.W., 104 Mayberry Rd., Gray 04039-7718  
Leonard T. Darling, Jr., Sec., 15 Simmons Rd., So. Portland 04106-6509

**District No. 17** **Dark - July, August** **Election, June**

**HOREB LODGE NO. 93, Lincoln** **Second Tuesday**  
**1577\***

Clifford J. Sibley, W.M., 27 Lincoln Rd., West Enfield 04493-4259  
Brian E. McCafferty, S.W., 2649 Lee Rd., Lee 04455-4405  
Bruce Barker, J.W., 29 Lee Rd., Lincoln 04457-1448  
Alton E. Worcester, Jr., Sec., 160 Lowell Rd., Enfield 04493-4317

**District No. 24** **Dark - July, August** **Election, September**

**HOWARD LODGE NO. 69, Winterport** **Second Wednesday**  
**1578\***

Fred A. Brown, W.M., 275 Fort Knox Rd., Prospect 04981-3119  
Kevin J. Black, S.W., 6 Blueberry Hill Rd., Winterport 04496-4614  
Douglas Dulac, J.W., 350 Hampden Rd., Carmel 04419-3521  
Duane L. Young, Sr., Sec., 41 Webster Ave N, Bangor 04401-4520

**District No. 6** **Dark- July, August** **Election, May**

**IRA BERRY LODGE NO. 128, Blue Hill** **Third Monday**  
**1560\***

Jacques B. Desibour, W.M., PO Box 341, Blue Hill 04614-0341  
Merle B. Grindle, III, S.W., 23 Paleo Ln., Blue Hill 04614-5221  
Terrance A. Wessel, J.W., PO Box 513, Blue Hill 04614-0513  
Dennis R. Rackliffe, Sec., PO Box 393, Blue Hill 04614-0393

**District No. 4** **Dark - July, August** **Election, October**

**ISLAND LODGE NO. 89, Islesboro** **First Thursday**  
**1561\***

Charles F. Whitehouse, W.M., PO Box 163, Islesboro 04848-0163  
Arnold W. Merritt, S.W., PO Box 237, Islesboro 04848-0237  
Stanley Makara, J.W., 116 Jenny's Ln., Islesboro 04848  
Leonard E. Bates, Sec., PO Box 274, Islesboro 04848-0274

**District No. 7** **Dark – Jan., Feb., March** **Election, October**

**ISLAND FALLS LODGE NO. 206, Island Falls** **Third Wednesday**  
**1579\***

Harold J. Willette, W.M., PO Box 394, Island Falls 04747-0394  
Lawrence R. Greenlaw, S.W., PO Box 133, Oakfield 04763-0133  
Michael D. Parmigiani, J.W., 68 Military St Apt 4, Houlton 04730-2051  
Rodney L. Willette, Sec., 110 Sherman St., Island Falls 04747-4416

**District No. 24** **Dark - Jan., Feb., March** **Election, December**

**JEFFERSON LODGE NO. 100, Bryant Pond** **Third Monday**  
**1562\***

James K. Grover, W.M., 826 E. Bethel Rd., Bethel 04217-5111  
Joseph N. Roy, S.W., 845 S Rumford Rd., Rumford 04276-3018  
Timothy I. Hakala, J.W., 266 Bolsters Mills Rd., Harrison 04040-3607  
Raymond S. Hakala, Sec., 28 Phillips Road, So. Paris 04281-6404

**District No. 20** **Dark – January, February** **Election, December**

**JONESPORT LODGE NO. 188, Jonesport****First Tuesday  
1796\***

Arlin W. Alley, W.M., PO Box 354, Jonesport 04649-0354  
 Sidney F. Putnam, S.W., PO Box 198, Jonesport 04649-0198  
 Corey L. Alley, J.W., PO Box 122, Beals 04611-0122  
 Stephen A. Nelson, Sec., PO Box 257, Jonesport 04649-0257

**District No. 3****Dark - July, August****Election, January****KATAHDIN LODGE NO. 98, Patten****Third Thursday  
1580\***

Kenneth C. Libby, W.M., 177 Townline Rd., Hersey 04780-3013  
 Jon E. Harvey, S.W., 392 Shin Pond Rd., Patten 04765-3136  
 Michael F. Detour, J.W., PO Box 521, Patten 04765-0521  
 Chester H. Chase, Sec., PO Box 159, Patten 04765-0159

**District No. 24****Dark - January, February****Election December****KEMANKEAG LODGE NO. 213, Rangeley****First Wednesday  
1563\***

William C. Hardt, W.M., PO Box 1188, Rangeley 04970-1188  
 Thomas W. Hyatt, S.W., PO Box 1623, Fort Davis, TX 79734-0018  
 Christopher L. Talbert, J.W., PO Box 1317, Rangeley 04970-1317  
 Harold H. Spiller, Jr., Sec., PO Box 243, Rangeley 04970-0243

**District No. 15****Dark - July, August****Election, December****KENDUSKEAG LODGE NO. 137, Kenduskeag****Last Wednesday  
5533\***

James P. Adams, W.M., PO Box 173, Levant 04456-0173  
 Joseph A. Musinski, S.W., 131 Potter Road, Hudson 04449-3516  
 Keith R. Cousins, J.W., 12 Mcintosh Dr., Levant 04456-4037  
 Francis S. Harvey, Sec., PO Box 228, Kenduskeag 04450-0228

**District No. 6****Dark - June, July, August****Election, October****KENNEBEC LODGE NO. 5, Hallowell****Second Wednesday  
1564\***

Adam C. Fisher, W.M., 150 Park St., Farmingdale 04344-2918  
 Ralph N. Hunter, Jr., S.W., 50 W Ridge Rd., W. Gardiner 04345-3253  
 Linwood A. Hart, J.W., PO Box 229, S. Gardiner 04359-0229  
 Michael A. LaPlante, Sec., 20 Roberta St., Farmingdale 04344-1628

**District No. 11****Dark - July, August****Election, January**

**KEYSTONE LODGE NO. 80, Solon****Third Wednesday  
1565\***

Neil O. Hunnewell, W.M., 1136 E. Madison Rd., Madison 04950-3420  
 William F. Merrill, II, S.W., 23 Merrill Lane, Solon 04979-3527  
 Arend T. Thibodeau, J.W., PO Box 207, Hartland 04943-0207  
 Dana E. Hall, Sec., 245 French Hill Rd., Solon 04979-3115

**District No. 13****Dark - January, February****Election, January****KING DAVID'S LODGE NO. 62, Lincolnville****First Tuesday  
(Sec. Tues. if First  
is holiday or G.L.)**

Everett L. Fizer, W.M., PO Box 222, Lincolnville 04850-0222  
 Bruce L. Michelson, S.W., 208 High St., Lincolnville 04849-5853  
 Ramon A. Collemer, J.W., 254 Searsmont Rd., Lincolnville 04849-5809  
 Walter Guinon, Sec., 3 S Cobbtown Rd., Lincolnville 04849-5129

**1566\*****District No. 7****Dark - July, August****Election, October****KING HIRAM LODGE NO. 57, Dixfield****Second Tuesday  
1567\***

David H. Berry, W.M., 101 Common Rd., Dixfield 04224-4432  
 Lauren A. Hebert, S.W., PO Box 220, Dixfield 04224-0220  
 Aaron V. Perreault, J.W., PO Box 443, Dixfield 04224-0443  
 Richard V. Beedy, Sec., PO Box 192, E. Dixfield 04227-0192

**District No. 20****Dark - January, February, March****Election, December****KING SOLOMON'S LODGE NO. 61, Waldoboro****Second Monday  
1568\***

Louis F. Abbotoni, W.M., PO Box 658, Damariscotta 04543-0658  
 Frank E. Overlock, S.W., PO Box 642, Waldoboro 04572-0642  
 Bennett M. Dondlinger, J.W., 1029 Bremen Rd., Waldoboro 04572-6149  
 Harold F. Hutchinson, Jr., Sec., 661 Bremen Rd., Waldoboro 04572-6147

**District No. 9****Dark - July, August****Election December****KNOX LODGE NO. 189, Thomaston****Second Monday  
1569\***

Kenneth S. Allen, W.M., PO Box E, Rockland 04841-0737  
 Gerald W. Harjula, Jr., S.W., 333 Westbrook St., So. Thomaston 04858-3018  
 James S. Barstow, J.W., PO Box 559, Tenants Harbor 04860-0559  
 James F. Willey, Sr., Sec., 466 Heald Hwy., Union 04862-3244

**District No. 9****Dark - July, August****Election, January**

**LAFAYETTE LODGE NO. 48, Readfield** **First Thursday**  
**1570\***

Thomas H. Milliken, W.M., PO Box 305, Manchester 04351-0305  
Terrance L. Thomas, S.W., 554 Smithfield Rd., Belgrade 04917-3231  
Charles E. Colegrove, J.W., 317 Pond Rd., Manchester 04351-3608  
John E. Lord, Jr., Sec., 431 Main Street, Readfield 04355-3103

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**LEBANON LODGE NO. 116, Norridgewock** **First Friday**  
**1571\***

Chad R. Boulette, W.M., 81 Madison Rd., Norridgewock 04957-3700  
Roger A. Emmons, S.W., 18 Merryweather Rd., Belgrade 04917-3057  
Roy R. Judkins, J.W., PO Box 321, Norridgewock 04957-0321  
John W. Hanson, Sec., 494 E. Shore Rd., Embden 04958-3434

**District No. 13** **Dark - July, August** **Election, September**

**LEWY'S ISLAND LODGE NO. 138, Princeton** **Last Wednesday**  
**1797\***

Charles B. McLellan, W.M., RR 1 Box 101D, Princeton 04668-9704  
Brian S. Clark, S.W., 35 Boardman St., Calais 04619-1003  
Philip G. McDowell, J.W., PO Box 92, Princeton 04668-0092  
Harland S. Hitchings, Sec., PO Box 145, Princeton 04668-0145

**District No. 2** **Dark - January, February** **Election, November**

**LIBERTY LODGE NO. 111, Liberty** **Third Thursday**  
**1572\***

William A. Bachelder, W.M., 215 Stevens Pond Rd., Liberty 04949-3706  
James W. Marple, S.W., 22 Highland Dr., Liberty 04949-3221  
Nelson F. Stevens, J.W., 15 Cox Hill Rd., Liberty 04949-3032  
William J. Grosser, Sec., PO Box 22, Liberty 04949-0022

**District No. 8** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**LIMESTONE LODGE NO. 214, Limestone** **Second Tuesday**  
**1573\***

Robert A. Hancock, W.M., 10 Leighton Ave., Limestone 04750-1206  
Shane E. Theriault, S.W., 24 Coolidge Ave., Caribou 04736-2406  
Michael G. Dugal, J.W., PO Box 97, Limestone 04750-0097  
John T. Irovando, Sec., 821 Bog Rd., Limestone 04750-6507

**District No. 1** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**LINCOLN LODGE NO. 3, Wiscasset** **Thurs. on-or before full moon**  
**1574\***

James A. Munson, W.M., 64 Old Dresden Rd., Wiscasset 04578-4274  
 Ryan T. Demeny, S.W., 70 Cross Rd., Alna 04535-3404  
 Jeffrey H. Averill, J.W., 531 W. Alna Rd., Alna 04535-3822  
 Dickey Brigrance, Sec., 385 Montsweag Rd., Woolwich 04579-5028

**District No. 10** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**LYGONIA LODGE NO. 40, Ellsworth** **First Thursday**  
**1575\***

Edmond M. Springer, S.W., 25 Parcher St., Ellsworth 04605-1626  
 Matthew J. Foster, S.W., 7 Spencer St., Ellsworth 04605-1530  
 Todd W. Foster, J.W., 201 Scotts Point Rd., Clifton 04428-6018  
 Ralph E. Bernaquer, Jr., Sec., 145 Red Bridge Rd., Ellsworth 04605-3220

**District No. 21** **Dark July, August** **Election, January**

**LYNDE LODGE NO. 174, Hermon** **Third Thursday**  
**1576\***

Eric A. Cole, W.M., 624 Billings Rd., Hermon 04401-0808  
 David A. Hasey, S.W., 55 Swett Rd., Carmel 04419-3737  
 Paul D. Kelley, J.W., 979 Essex St Lot 170, Bangor 04401-2640  
 Clark A. Cole, Sec., 96 Mapleleaf Ln., Hermon 04401-9511

**District No. 6** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MAINE LODGE NO. 20, Farmington** **First Monday**  
**1581\***

Curtis C. Lawrence, W.M., 517 Titcomb Hill Rd., Farmington 04938-5603  
 Richard L. Dorian, S.W., PO Box 934, Wilton 04294-0934  
 Richard W. Wilde, J.W., PO Box 48, Farmington Falls 04940-0048  
 Ernest A. Lowell, Sec., 304 Middle Street, Farmington 04938-6963

**District No. 15** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MARINE LODGE NO. 122, Deer Isle** **Second Monday**  
**1582\***

Kermit A. Huttar, W.M., 417 Dunham Point Rd., Deer Isle 04627-3826  
 Robbie C. Gray, S.W., 14 Dolphin Dr., Deer Isle 04627-4065  
 Vernon C. Seile, J.W., 9 Burnt Cove Rd., Stonington 04681-3301  
 John C. Scott, Sec., 174 Sunset Xrd, Deer Isle 04627-4037

**District No. 4** **Dark - Not Dark** **Election, January**

**MARINERS' LODGE NO. 68, Searsport** **First Tuesday**  
**1583\***

Craig W. Delano, W.M., 9 Marsh Stream Rd., Frankfort 04438-3211  
Darin D. Hersom, S.W., 52 Frankfort Rd., Searsport 04974-3960  
Carroll F. Warren, Sr., J.W., PO Box 1028, Belfast 04915-1028  
Myron E. Hersom, Sec., 58 Monroe Rd., Searsport 04974-3971

**District No. 8** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MARSH RIVER LODGE NO. 102, Brooks** **Second Thursday**  
**1584\***

Michael P. Murphy, W.M., 103 Purple Heart Hwy., Brooks 04921-3503  
Robert S. Whittier, Jr., S.W., 210 Pattee Rd Ext., Monroe 04951-3321  
Scott L. Story, J.W., 610 Back Brooks Rd., Monroe 04951-3616  
Gregory W. Parks, Sec., 1 Brigadier Ln., Searsport 04974-3566

**District No. 8** **Dark - June, July, Aug.** **Election, January**

**MECHANICS LODGE NO. 66, Orono** **First Wednesday**  
**1585\***

Randall L. Elliott, W.M., 400 Tate Rd., Corinth 04427-3609  
William K. Reese, S.W., 11 Judson St., Veazie 04401-7042  
John S. Hale, Jr., J.W., PO Box 399, Orono 04473-0399  
Donald L. Rogerson, Sec., 323 Lincoln St., Bangor 04401-5934

**District No. 6** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MEDUNCOOK LODGE NO. 211, Friendship** **First Monday**  
**1586\***

James M. Collard, W.M., 10 Martin Point Rd., Friendship 04547-4327  
George R. Simmons, Jr., S.W., 11 Cushing Rd., Cushing 04563-3113  
Doyle R. Simmons, J.W., 16 Lake Ave., Rockland 04841-5702  
Randall C. Foster, Sec., 207 Martin Point Rd., Friendship 04547-4322

**District No. 9** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**MERIDIAN LODGE NO. 125, Pittsfield** **Fourth Tuesday**  
**1587\***

Lewis R. Fitts, III, W.M., 32 Michaud Rd., Palmyra 04965-4013  
Kenton M. Littlefield, S.W., 71 Hartland Ave., Pittsfield 04967-1131  
William L. Graham, J.W., 172 Chester St., Pittsfield 04967-4546  
Michael D. Lange, Sec., PO Box 95, St. Albans 04971-0095

**District No. 22** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**



**MERIDIAN SPLENDOR LODGE NO. 49, Newport** **First Thursday**  
**1588\***

Ronald P. Green, Sr., W.M., 268 Ridge Rd., Plymouth 04969-3151  
David W. Richardson, S.W., PO Box 5, Plymouth 04969-0005  
Aaron J. Newhall, J.W., 15 Pine St., Newport 04953-3327  
Errald N. Turner, Sec., 18 Elm St., Newport 04953-3124

**District No. 22** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MESSALONSKEE LODGE NO. 113, Oakland** **Third Tuesday**  
**1589\***

Kevin G. Davidson, W.M., 21 High St., Oakland 04963-5007  
Paul D. Booker, Sr., S.W., 439 McGrath Pd. Rd., Belgrade 04917-3119  
Richard K. Penney, J.W., 35 Cottle Rd., Oakland 04963-4840  
Dana W. Wrigley, Sec., 453 Fairfield St., Oakland 04963-5206

**District No. 12** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MOLUNKUS LODGE NO. 165, Sherman** **Third Tuesday**  
**1590\***

John M. Cannon, W.M., PO Box 141, Stacyville 04777-0141  
Kenneth A. Warman, S.W., PO Box 87, Benedicta 04733-0087  
Wayne E. Guiggey, J.W., 68 North St., Sherman 04776-3037  
Eugene A. Irish, Sec., 7 Cow Team Rd., Sherman 04776-3249

**District No. 24** **Dark - January, February** **Election, September**

**MONMOUTH LODGE NO. 110, Monmouth** **Second Monday**  
**1804\***

Stanley L. Painter, Jr., W.M., PO Box 325, Monmouth 04259-0325  
Steven C. Wright, S.W., 16 N. Main St., No. Monmouth 04265-6217  
Joseph R. Saunders, J.W., PO Box 67, Monmouth 04259-0067  
David A. Walker, Sec., PO Box 182, Monmouth 04259-0182

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MONUMENT LODGE NO. 96, Houlton** **Second Wednesday**  
**1591\***

Richard L. Rhoda, W.M., PO Box 743, Houlton 04730-0743  
N. James Coolong, S.W., 11 Franklin Ave., Houlton 04730-1909  
Clarence R. Jones, J.W., 583 Smyrna St., Houlton 04730-3606  
Clinton H. Cushman, Sec., 186 Jackins Settlement Rd., Hodgdon 04730-4328

**District No. 1** **Dark June, July, Aug.** **Election, January**

**MORNING STAR LODGE NO. 41, Litchfield** **Third Tuesday**  
**1592\***

Russell F. Marston, Jr., W.M., 16 Peaslee Rd., Pittston 04345-5973  
George R. Thomson, Jr., S.W., 136 Dennis Hill Rd., Litchfield 04350-3823  
George D. Byras, Jr., J.W., 20 Byras Ln., Litchfield 04350-3853  
George D. Byras, Sr., Sec., 125 Dennis Hill Rd., Litchfield 04350-3816

**District No. 11** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**MOSAIC LODGE NO. 52, Dover-Foxcroft** **Third Thursday**  
**1593\***

Brian K. Mullis, W.M., 147 Lawrence St., Dover Foxcroft 04426-1210  
William E. Zimmerman, S.W., 10 Cherry St., Dover Foxcroft 04426-1004  
David G. Roberts, J.W., 414 Vaughn Rd., Dover Foxcroft 04426-1318  
James H. Salley, Sec., 51 Mayo St., Dover Foxcroft 04426-1241

**District No. 5** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MOSES WEBSTER LODGE NO. 145, Vinalhaven** **Second Tuesday**  
**1594\***

Elliott C. Brown, W.M., 456 Middle Rd., North Haven 04853-3126  
Russell L. Oakes, S.W., PO Box 167, Vinalhaven 04863-0167  
Rexford A. Crockett, J.W., PO Box 495, North Haven 04853-0495  
Dana M. Barton, Sec., PO Box 382, Vinalhaven 04863-0382

**District No. 9** **Dark - July** **Election, November**

**MOUNT ABRAM LODGE NO. 204, Kingfield** **First Thursday**  
**1595\***

Neal C. Tranten, W.M., PO Box 22, Kingfield 04947-0022  
C. Thomas Ferris, S.W., 11 Park St., Waterville 04901-6040  
Darren D. Maxsimic, J.W., PO Box 100, Kingfield 04947-0100  
David A. Holmes, Sec., 286 Maple St., Kingfield 04947-4406

**District No. 15** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MOUNT BIGELOW LODGE NO. 202, Stratton** **First Tuesday**  
**1596\***

Scott M. Stevens, W.M., 998 Rangeley Rd., Coplin Plt. 04970-3010  
Fred L. Townsend, S.W., PO Box 24, Stratton 04982-0024  
Emerson L. Dyer, Jr., J.W., PO Box 68, Eustis 04936-0068  
Kenny R. Wing, Sec., PO Box 35, Eustis 04936-0035

**District No. 15** **Dark - January, February** **Election, April**

**MOUNT DESERT LODGE NO. 140, Mount Desert** **Third Monday**  
**1597\***

Norris M. Reddish, W.M., PO Box 279, Mt. Desert 04660-0279  
Edward J. Walsh, S.W., PO Box 278, Mt. Desert 04660-0278  
John W. Phippen, Jr., J.W., 1397 State Highway 102, Bar Harbor 04609-7019  
Robert E. Power, Sr., Sec., 46 Kitty Ln., Bernard 04612-3655

**District No. 21** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MOUNT KINEO LODGE NO. 109, Guilford** **Second Wednesday**  
**1598\***

Thomas R. Gourley, W.M., 2 Main Rd., Abbot 04406-3204  
Lorne D. Noiles, S.W., 9 Turner Rd., Sangerville 04479-3336  
Winfield S. Knight, J.W., PO Box 243, Guilford 04443-0243  
Robert C. Wilson, Sec., PO Box 121, Monson 04464-0121

**District No. 5** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**MOUNT MORIAH LODGE NO. 56, Brownfield** **Third Wednesday**  
**1638\***

Terrence M. Blake, W.M., 70 Walter Blake Rd., Brownfield 04010-4510  
David W. Eaton, S.W., 191 Main St., Brownfield 04010-4702  
Lewis M. Bartlett, Jr., S.W., PO Box 391, Brownfield 04010-0391  
Jeffrey R. Solter, Sec., 342 Center Conway Rd., Brownfield 04010-4052

**District No. 16** **Dark - January, February** **Election, December**

**MOUNT OLIVET LODGE NO. 203, Washington** **Second Thursday**  
**1599\***

Christopher D. Vigue, W.M., 46 Dorman Rd., Washington 04574-4029  
Gary A. Tilton, S.W., 31 Homestead Rd., Washington 04574-3620  
William R. Mitchell, J.W., 7 West St., Jefferson 04348-4090  
Donald L. Grinnell, Sec., 74 Liberty Rd., Washington 04574-3801

**District No. 7** **Dark - January, February** **Election, December**

**MOUNT TIR'EM LODGE NO. 132, Waterford** **Tues on or before full moon**  
**1600\***

H. Sawin Millett, Jr., W.M., 37 Golden Guernsey Dr., Waterford 04088-3913  
Jack I. Pike, S.W., 440 Crockett Ridge Rd., Norway 04268-5021  
Guy P. Branch, J.W., PO Box 214, Waterford 04088-0214  
Frederic R. Engdahl, Sec., PO Box 48, Waterford 04088-0048

**District No. 16** **Dark - any 2 mos. by vote of lodge** **Election, December**

**MYSTIC LODGE NO. 65, Hampden****Third Tuesday  
1601\***

Jeffrey P. Spinney, W.M., 1077 Main St., Corinth 04427-3639

Ivan P. McPike, S.W., 9 Marion Dr., Hampden 04444-1725

Ernest G. Smith, J.W., PO Box 303, Orrington 04474-0303

Daniel J. Murphy, Jr., Sec., 1103 Littlefield Rd., Brooks 04921-3818

**District No. 6****Dark - July, August****Election, December****MYSTIC TIE LODGE NO. 154, Weld****Third Wednesday  
1602\***

Todd W. Hader, W.M., 130 Cushman Dr., Farmington 04938-5117

Edmund R. Berry, Sr., S.W., 139 River Rd., Carthage 04224-3143

Edmund R. Berry, Jr., J.W., 5 Potter Rd., Carthage 04224-3116

Kurtis E. Moody, Sec., 21 Applewood Dr., Wilton 04294-4817

**District No. 15****Dark - July, August****Election, December****NARRAGUAGUS LODGE NO. 88, Cherryfield****First Tuesday  
1805\***

Joseph S. Strout, W.M., 177 Tenan Ln., Cherryfield 04622-4328

Charles L. Parker, S.W., PO Box 5, Harrington 04643-0005

Jamie L. Robbins, J.W., 333 Marshville Rd., Harrington 04643-3608

C. Foster Mathews, Sec., PO Box 232, Cherryfield 04622-0232

**District No. 3****Dark - July, August****Election, January****NASKEAG LODGE NO. 171, Brooklin****First Wednesday  
1603\***

William N. Fuller, W.M., PO Box 177, Brooklin 04616-0177

Peter W. Atherton, S.W., 734 Sedgwick Ridge Rd., Sedgwick 04676-3239

George H. Eaton, J.W., PO Box 84, Brooklin 04616-0084

Michael P. Allen, Sec., PO Box 23, Brooklin 04616-0023

**District No. 4****Dark - July, August****Election, January****NAVAL LODGE NO. 184, Kittery****First Wednesday  
2289\***

Mark S. Zimmerman, W.M., 148 Beech Ridge Rd., Eliot 03903-1655

William R. Bolz, S.W., 55 State Rd., Kittery 03904-1535

James D. Knowles, J.W., 2 Estuary Dr., Kittery 03904-1041

Robert D. Winton Jr., Sec., 135 Winnicutt Rd., Stratham, NH 03885-2448

**District No. 19****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**NEZINSCOT LODGE NO. 101, Turner****First Tuesday  
1605\***

Gerald E. Gilbert, W.M., 202 General Turner Hill Rd., Turner 04282-3710  
 Michael J. Arsenault, S.W., 21 Mason Rd., Turner 04282-3000  
 John R. Durgin, III, J.W., 2388 Auburn Rd., Turner 04282-3428  
 Peter A. Ricker, Sec., 310 Ricker Hill Rd., Turner 04282-3607

**District No. 23****Dark - July, August****Election, January****NOLLESEMIC LODGE NO. 205, Millinocket****Second Thursday  
1606\***

James P. Catell, W.M., PO Box 445, Millinocket 04462-0445  
 Michael J. Murphy, S.W., 121 Forest Ave., Millinocket 04462-1947  
 Terry L. Johnson, J.W., PO Box 280, E. Millinocket 04430-0280  
 Harold E. Birt, Jr., Sec., 47 Beech St., E. Millinocket, ME 04430-1113

**District No. 24****Dark - July, August****Election, October****NORTHEAST HBR. LODGE NO. 208, Northeast Harbor****Second Tuesday  
1607\***

James A. Nolan, W.M., PO Box 294, Northeast Harbor 04662-0294  
 Arthur L. Abbott, Jr., S.W., PO Box 102, Seal Harbor 04675-0102  
 Arthur C. Smallidge, J.W., 8 Stillmeadow Lane, Trenton 04605-6223  
 Edward J. Walsh, Sec., PO Box 278, Mt. Desert 04660-0278

**District No. 21****Dark - July, August****Election, December****NORTHERN STAR LODGE NO. 28, North Anson****Third Tuesday  
1608\***

Reginald L. Moody, W.M., 379 Main St., Madison 04950-4201  
 Wayne L. McLaughlin, S.W., PO Box 254, No. Anson 04958-0254  
 Nolan E. Waugh, J.W., 1096 Kennebec River Rd, Embden 04958-3026  
 Daniel T. Crowley, Sec., PO Box 581, Skowhegan 04976-0581

**District No. 13****Dark July, August****Election, December****OCEAN LODGE NO. 142, Wells****Wed. on or before full moon  
1806\***

William K. Bradford, W.M., PO Box 1897, Wells 04090-1897  
 Timothy J. Yates, S.W., 166 Cheney Woods Rd., Wells 04090-7201  
 Lawrence J. Hart, J.W., 8 Goulds Bridge Rd., North Berwick 03906-7119  
 Kenneth E. Creed, III, Sec., PO Box 1718, Wells 04090-1718

**District No. 19****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**OLIVE BRANCH LODGE NO. 124, Charleston** **Second Thursday**  
**1609\***

Lawrence L. Lord, W.M., 838 Main Rd., Charleston 04422-3316  
 Scott W. Bragdon, S.W., 38 Black Rd., Corinth 04427-3448  
 Stephen J. Deane, J.W., 1431 Avenue Rd., Exeter 04435-3406  
 Scott C. Blanchard, Sec., PO Box 364, Corinth 04427-0364

**District No. 6** **Dark – Dec., Jan., Feb.** **Election, November**

**ORCHARD LODGE NO. 215, Old Orchard** **Third Wednesday**  
**2290\***

Seth A. Dube, W.M., 90 Seaview Ave., Old Orchard Beach 04064-1715  
 Walter W. Thorpe, Jr., S.W., 38 Tow Path Rd., Gorham 04038-5827  
 Arthur E. Green, J.W., 36 Forest St., Saco 04072-3126  
 Wayne L. Butler, Sec., 4 Joyce St., Buxton 04093-6343

**District No. 18** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**ORIENT LODGE NO. 15, Thomaston** **First Tuesday**  
**1610\***

Joel B. Parsons, W.M., 94 Station Rd., Newcastle 04553-3910  
 Charles F. Bruce, III, S.W., PO Box 136, Thomaston 04861-0136  
 Mateo J. Mendoza, J.W., 701 Orffs Corner Rd., Waldoboro 04572-5618  
 Brian S. Messing, Sec., 63 Summer St., Rockland 04841-2919

**District No. 9** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**ORIENTAL LODGE NO. 13, Bridgton** **Fourth Wednesday**  
**(Third Wed. in Nov. if**  
**Thanksgiving Eve)**  
**1611\***

Delvin B. Merrill, W.M., 5 Warren Ln., Naples 04055-3101  
 Damon M. Brooks, S.W., 385 N Bridgton Rd., Bridgton 04009-4605  
 Donald E. Woolley, J.W., 338 Naples Rd., Harrison 04040-3911  
 Curtis R. Merrill, Sec., 90 Sand Rd., Naples 04055-5213

**District No. 16** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**ORIENTAL STAR LODGE NO. 21, Livermore Falls** **Third Wednesday**  
**1612\***

L. Stephen Greenleaf, W.M., PO Box 55, Livermore Falls 04254-0055  
 Michael J. Collins, S.W., 569 Moose Hill Rd., Livermore Falls 04254-4304  
 Erlon B. Rose, J.W., 77 Depot St., Livermore Falls 04254-1314  
 Gary L. Labbe, Sec., 6 Spirit Way, Weld 04285-3068

**District No. 20** **Dark - July, August** **Election, November**

**OXFORD LODGE NO. 18, Norway****Fourth Monday  
2291\***

Kevin K. Kugell, W.M., 60 Independence Dr., Oxford 04270-3404  
 Samuel Loboizzo, S.W., PO Box 8, Oxford 04270-0008  
 Kenneth W. Verrill, J.W., PO Box 51, Oxford 04270-0051  
 Robert R. Annance, Sec., 607 King St., Oxford 04270-4603

**District No. 16****Dark - July, August****Election, November****PACIFIC LODGE NO. 64, Exeter****Third Wednesday  
1613\***

Paul B. Grondin, Sr., W.M., PO Box 153, Garland 04939-0153  
 Stephen C. Colbath, S.W., 247 Cider Hill Rd., Exeter 04435-3014  
 William B. Pearsall, J.W., 33 Holts Mills Rd., Garland 04939-4445  
 Robert C. Wetzler, Jr., Sec., 1730 Exeter Rd., Exeter 04435-3215

**District No. 22****Dark – January, February****Election, December****PARIAN LODGE NO. 160 Corinna****Second Tuesday  
1614\***

Ernest V. Kneeland, W.M., 112 Zions Hill Rd., Dexter 04930-2100  
 John A. Somes, S.W., 85 Hatcase Pond Rd., Eddington 04428-3420  
 John N. Fowler, J.W., 55 Nokomis Rd., Corinna 04928-3704  
 Marvin F. Lister, Sec., PO Box 321, Corinna 04928-0321

**District No. 22****Dark - July, August****Election, December****PARIS LODGE NO. 94, South Paris****Third Tuesday  
1615\***

Neil E. Sampson, W.M., 53 Merles Lndg, Norway 04268-4758  
 Joseph W. Chamberlain, S.W., PO Box 585, Oxford 04270-0585  
 Ralph W. Chamberlain, J.W., 31 Gary St., So. Paris 04281-1607  
 Walter R. Webb, Sec., PO Box 43, East Poland 04230-0043

**District No. 16****Dark - July, August****Election, December****PENOBSCOT LODGE NO. 39, Dexter****First Wednesday  
1616\***

David P. Mosley, W.M., 35 Pine St., Dexter 04930-1126  
 John H. Watson, S.W., PO Box 403, Dexter 04930-0403  
 Paul P. Mosley, J.W., PO Box 352, Sangerville 04479-0352  
 James A. Knowles, Sec., 215 Shore Road, Dexter 04930-2240

**District No. 5****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**PINE TREE LODGE NO. 172, Mattawamkeag** **First Monday**  
**1617\***

Wallace L. Burleigh, Jr., W.M., 60 Park St., Kingman 04451-3205  
John W. Furlotte, S.W., 1 Oak Park Mnr, E. Millinocket 04430-1225  
Carleton H. Norris, III, J.W., 72 Norris Rd., Molunkus Twp 04459-4012  
John E. Burleigh, Sr., Sec., PO Box 71, Medway 04460-0071

**District No. 24** **Dark - July, August** **Election, October**

**PIONEER LODGE NO. 72, Ashland** **Second Wednesday**  
**1618\***

Hugh C. Crammond, W.M., 32 Moose Ridge Rd., Mapleton 04757-4156  
Marshall P. White, S.W., 45 Garfield Rd., Ashland 04732-3104  
David M. Pierce, J.W., PO Box 277, Portage 04768-0277  
David J. Basley, Sec., PO Box 517, Ashland 04732-0517

**District No. 1** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**PISCATAQUIS LODGE NO. 44, Milo** **Second Friday**  
**1619\***

Timothy E. Osnoe, W.M., 1086 Norway Rd., Glenburn 04401-1619  
Donald J. McDougal, S.W., 120 McDougal Rd., Hartland 04943-4127  
Clement F. Shina, Jr., J.W., 20 January Ln., Milford 04461-3412  
George M. A. Macdougall, Sec., 1 Davis Rd., Fairfield 04937-3223

**District No. 5** **Dark - January, February** **Election, December**

**PLEASANT RIVER LODGE NO. 163, Brownville** **Third Monday**  
**1621\***

Dennis W. Green, W.M., PO Box 651, Brownville 04414-0651  
Lawrence N. Foulkes, S.W., PO Box 275, Brownville 04414-0275  
Paul N. Foulkes, J.W., 801 Barnard Rd., Williamsburg Twp 04414-4102  
Jeffrey H. Hamlin, Sec., PO Box 778, Brownville 04414-0778

**District No. 5** **Dark - July, August** **Election, November**

**PLEIADES LODGE NO. 173, Milbridge** **First Monday**  
**1816\***

Wade P. Robinson, W.M., 7 Wallys Way, Gouldsboro 04607-3150  
William E. Halpin, S.W., 356 Rays Point Rd., Milbridge 04658-3228  
Brandon D. Beal, J.W., 25 Marsh Rd., Milbridge 04658-3614  
Leland N. Beal, Sec., 41 Marsh Rd., Milbridge 04658-3614

**District No. 3** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**



**POLAR STAR LODGE NO. 114, Bath**      **1st Wed. after 1st Monday of Month**  
**1622\***

Robert W. Sweeney, W.M., 218 Berrys Mill Rd., W. Bath 04530-6335  
 Jason M. Finnimore, S.W., 2 Pine Hill Dr., Bath 04530-2000  
 Joseph C. Richards, J.W., 6 Western Ave., Topsham 04086-1706  
 Wilbur F. Loveitt, Sec., 43 Loveitt Ln, Georgetown 04548-3223

**District No. 14**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election January**

**POWNAL LODGE NO. 119, Stockton Springs**                      **First Wednesday**  
**1624\***

Cleon S. Buzzell, W.M., PO Box 179, Stockton Springs 04981-0179  
 Nathaniel P. Boehmer, S.W., 796 Beach Rd., Lincolnville 04849-5717  
 Vincent A. Coose, J.W., 599 Muskrat Farm Rd., Prospect 04981-4245  
 Robert L. Robinson, Sec., 646 Us Rt 1, Stockton Springs 04981-4521

**District No. 8**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, January**

**PREBLE LODGE NO. 143, Sanford**                      **First Wednesday**  
**1625\***

Ronald R. Bolduc, W.M., 151 Lizotte Rd., Lebanon 04027-3101  
 John A. Bolz, S.W., 59 Javica Ln, Sanford 04073-5110  
 James P. Johnson, J.W., 58 Federal St., Alfred 04002-3129  
 Curtiss F. Kimball, Sec., 123 Pleasant St., Springvale 04083-1204

**District No. 19**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, June**

**PRESUMPCOT LODGE NO. 127, Windham**                      **Second Monday**  
**2292\***

Walter W. Lamb, Jr., W.M., PO Box 784, Windham 04062-0784  
 David F. Ross, S.W., 131 Heath Rd., Casco 04015-3119  
 Joachim J. Schnupp, J.W., 284 N Gorham Rd., Gorham 04038-2482  
 A. James Ross, Sec., 137 Albion Rd., Windham 04062-4503

**District No. 17**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, December**

**PYTHAGOREAN LODGE NO. 11, Fryeburg**                      **Third Monday**  
**1626\***

David A. Charles, W.M., 511 Pequawket Trl, Brownfield 04010-4235  
 David A. Dunham, S.W., 55 Stuart St., Fryeburg 04037-1315  
 Eric A. Bloomberg, J.W., 154 Menotomy Rd., Fryeburg 04037-4213  
 Curtis B. Reynolds, Sec., PO Box 1710, Conway, NH 03818-1710

**District No. 16**                      **Dark - July, August**                      **Election, December**

**QUANTABACOOK LODGE NO. 129, Searsmont** **Third Wednesday**  
**1627\***

Jack L. Degraff, W.M., PO Box 177, Searsmont 04973-0177  
William A. Bachelder, S.W., 215 Stevens Pond Rd., Liberty 04949-3706  
John F. Smith, III, J.W., 299 Searsmont Rd., Belmont 04952-3104  
Jack Walters, Sec., 14 Pines Rd., Searsmont 04973-3818

**District No. 7** **Dark - January, February** **Election October**

**RABBONI LODGE NO. 150, Auburn** **Third Wednesday**  
**1628\***

Robert E. Harris, Jr., W.M., 78 Western Ave., Auburn 04210-4648  
Raymond E. Hiltz, S.W., 39 Oak St., Greene 04236-3310  
Ernest G. Pinkham, Jr., J.W., 7 Friendship Dr., Gray 04039-9671  
Kenneth L. Richardson, Sec., 21 Allen Ave., Lewiston 04240-4842

**District No. 23** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January**

**RALPH J. POLLARD LODGE NO. 217, Orrington** **First Thursday**  
**1629\***

Dana R. Wardwell, W.M., 435 Johnson Mill Rd., Orrington 04474-3727  
Gregory T. Hunt, S.W., 105 Back Winterport Rd., Hampden 04444-1115  
Daniel R. Taylor, J.W., 244 Hoxie Hill Rd., Orrington 04474-3721  
Albert L. Smith, III, Sec., 79 Balsam Dr., Bangor 04401-2544

**District No. 6** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**RISING STAR LODGE NO. 177, Penobscot** **Second Wednesday**  
**1631\***

David J. Drew, W.M., 161 Southern Bay Rd., Penobscot 04476-3051  
Timothy R. Leach, S.W., 675 N Penobscot Rd., Penobscot 04476-3011  
Michael L. Adams, J.W., PO Box 455, Hallowell 04347-0455  
Jonathan T. Allen, Sec., 1788 Castine Rd., Penobscot 04476-4030

**District No. 4** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**RISING SUN LODGE NO. 71, Orland** **First Tuesday**  
**1632\***

Russell G. Field, Jr., W.M., 155 Upper Falls Rd., Orland 04472-4114  
Darren W. Gray, S.W., 344 Bald Mountain Rd., Dedham 04429-4126  
Joel M. West, J.W., 359 Bald Mountain Rd., Dedham 04429-4107  
Eric W. Stover, Sec., 796 Castine Rd., Orland 04472-3706

**District No. 4** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**RISING VIRTUE LODGE NO. 10, Bangor****Last Tuesday  
1633\***

Roland A. Gendreau, W.M., 84 S Main St Apt B, Brewer 04412-2154  
 Kenneth O. Rowell, Jr., S.W., 27 Patterson Rd., Hampden 04444-2002  
 Weldon G. Long, J.W., 49 Crabapple Ln, Brewer 04412-5435  
 Frank A. McGillicuddy, Sec., 403 Stetson Rd W, Levant 04456-4028

**District No. 6****Dark - June, July, August****Election, December****RIVERSIDE LODGE NO. 135, Jefferson****First Wednesday  
1634\***

Myles R. Bailey, W.M., 735 Waldoboro Rd., Jefferson 04348-3642  
 William R. Mitchell, S.W., 7 West St., Jefferson 04348-4090  
 Stephen F. Flagg, J.W., PO Box 6, Jefferson 04348-0006  
 Robert T. Flagg, Sec., 606 Augusta Rd., Jefferson 04348-4046

**District No. 7****Dark - July, August****Election, January****RURAL LODGE NO. 53, Sidney****Fourth Monday  
1636\***

Michael A. Philbrick, Jr., W.M., 565 Quaker Rd., Sidney 04330-2310  
 Dale C. Blethen, S.W., 3275 W River Rd., Sidney 04330-2542  
 Michael A. Philbrick, Sr., J.W., 565 Quaker Rd., Sidney 04330-2310  
 Floyd L. Luce, Sec., 341 Lyons Rd., Sidney 04330-2518

**District No. 11****Dark - July, August****Election, November****SACCARAPPA LODGE NO. 86, Westbrook****First Monday  
1650\***

Michael J. Henderson, W.M., 125 Portland Ave Apt 30, OOB 04064-1589  
 Robert M. Pallang, S.W., 32 Puritan Dr., Westbrook 04092-4527  
 VACANT, J.W.,  
 Michael C. Taylor, Sec., 28 Lamb St., Westbrook 04092-4324

**District No. 17****Dark - July, August****Election, January****SACO LODGE NO. 9, Saco****First Wednesday  
1637\***

Jeffrey W. Robinson, W.M., 4 Virginia Ave., Saco 04072-9311  
 Seth A. Dube, S.W., 90 Seaview Ave., OOB 04064-1715  
 Gregory M. Milliken, J.W., 62 McKenney Rd., Saco 04072-9355  
 Carl J. Marsano, Sec., 8 Plymouth Dr., Saco 04072-1734

**District No. 18****Dark - July, August****Election, January**

**SEASIDE LODGE NO. 144, Boothbay Harbor****First Monday  
1642\***

Arnold G. Thibodeau, W.M., PO Box 234, Edgecomb 04556-0234  
 Thomas H. Ogg, S.W., PO Box 89, Southport 04576-0089  
 Keith B. Alley, J.W., 19 Nickerson Rd., Southport 04576-3031  
 Barry G. Grinnell, Sec., PO Box 154, Boothbay Hbr 04538-0154

**District No. 10****Dark - July, Aug., Sept.****Election, December****SEBASTICOOK LODGE NO. 146, Clinton****Third Thursday  
1643\***

Roger M. McAllister, Jr., W.M., 97 McAllister Rd., Clinton 04927-3042  
 Roger M. McAllister, Sr., S.W., 79 McAllister Rd., Clinton 04927-3042  
 Arthur C. Thompson, Jr., J.W., 24 Unity Rd., Benton 04901-3817  
 Raymond G. Locke, Sec., PO Box 147, Clinton 04927-0147

**District No. 12****Dark - July, August****Election, October****SILOAM LODGE NO. 92, Fairfield****First Thursday  
1644\***

Daniel R. Smith, W.M., 163 Oak St., Oakland 04963-5016  
 Kevin D. Madore, S.W., 40 Coburn Ave., Skowhegan 04976-1206  
 Gilman L. Madore, Jr., J.W., 48 Nowell Rd., Winslow 04901-0041  
 Norman R. Dickinson, Sec., 139 Middle Rd., Fairfield 04937-3240

**District No. 12****Dark - July, August****Election, December****SOLAR LODGE NO. 14, Bath****First Monday  
1645\***

Samuel M. Crosby, W.M., 79 Moores Tpke, Georgetown 04548-3925  
 Brenton H. Perow, S.W., PO Box 349, Georgetown 04548-0349  
 John P. Rock, J.W., 190 North St., Bath 04530-2233  
 Robert W. Sweeney, Sec., 218 Berrys Mill Rd., W. Bath 04530-6335

**District No. 14****Dark - July, August****Election, January****SOMERSET LODGE NO. 34, Skowhegan****Second Monday  
1646\***

Dan C. Adams, W.M., 445 Waterville Rd., Skowhegan 04976-4803  
 Erik S. Nielson, S.W., 551 Eight Rod Rd., Waterville 04901-4418  
 Patrick Miner, Sr., J.W., 16 Hubbard Rd., Canaan 04924-3228  
 Jeffrey R. Bowzer, Sec., PO Box 246, Canaan 04924-0246

**District No. 13****Dark - July, August****Election, December**

**SPRINGVALE LODGE NO. 190, Springvale****Second Tuesday  
1647\***

Linwood G. Dall, W.M., 626 Hooper Rd., Shapleigh 04076-4225  
 Dana E. Welch, S.W., PO Box 405, Lebanon 04027-0405  
 Scott E. Lister, J.W., 140 Center Rd., Lebanon 04027-3645  
 Richard G. Ford, Sec., 49 Oak St., Springvale 04083-1929

**District No. 19****Dark - July, August****Election, December****ST. ANDREW'S LODGE NO. 83, Bangor****Last Friday  
1639\***

Albert J. Keller, W.M., 18B Ferry St., Winterport 04496-3207  
 Shawn A. Ross, S.W., 42 Milford St., Bangor 04401-3909  
 John D. Bunker, J.W., 454 Levenseller Rd., Holden 04429-7307  
 Gordon E. Reynolds, Sec., 8 Longrale Park Apt F, Bangor 04401-3145

**District No. 6****Dark June, July, Aug.****Election, December****ST. ASPINQUID LODGE NO. 198, York Village****First Tuesday  
1807\***

Gregg P. Clark, W.M., PO Box 193, Barrington, NH 03825-0193  
 Mark S. Zimmerman, S.W., 148 Beech Ridge Rd., Eliot 03903-1655  
 Douglas M. Blaisdell, J.W., 151 Southside Rd., York 03909-5152  
 Walter E. Kyllonen, Sec., 8 Georgia St., York 03909-1301

**District No. 19****Dark - July, August****Election, June****ST. CROIX LODGE NO. 46, Calais****First Monday  
1808\***

Shawn P. Howland, W.M., PO Box 624, Woodland Washington County 04694-0624  
 William J. Cody, S.W., 400 South St., Calais 04619-1134  
 Christopher B. Eagan, J.W., 11 Franklin St., Calais 04619-1301  
 Brian S. Clark, Sec., 35 Boardman St., Calais 04619-1003

**District No. 2****Dark - July, August****Election, December****ST. GEORGE LODGE NO. 16, Warren****Third Monday  
1640\***

Gregory R. Dow, W.M., 321 Wotton Mill Rd., Warren 04864-4552  
 Gary E. Beam, S.W., 159 Montgomery Ave., Warren 04864-4139  
 Eric W. Rogers, J.W., 516 Hamm Rd., Frankfort 04438-3146  
 Thomas L. Stevenson, Sec., 572 Waldoboro Rd., Jefferson 04348-3644

**District No. 9****Dark - July, August****Election, October**

**ST. JOHN'S LODGE NO. 51, South Berwick** **Third Monday**  
**1809\***

Dennis J. Weightman, W.M., 45 Buttonwood Rd., So. Berwick 03908-2111  
 Jeffrey R. Cutting, S.W., 22 Everett Ln, Eliot 03903-1510  
 Allan D. Locke, J.W., 188 Witchtrot Rd., So. Berwick 03908-2153  
 John O. Bond, Sr., Sec., 50 Waterside Ln, So. Berwick 03908-1743

**District No. 19** **Dark - July, August** **Election, October**

**ST. PAUL'S LODGE NO. 82, Rockport** **Mon. on or before full moon**  
**1641\***

C. Herbert Annis, Jr., W.M., 55 Annis Ln, Rockport 04856-5505  
 Keryn P. Annis, S.W., 535 Main St., Rockport 04856-5503  
 Thomas G. Cox, J.W., 100 Park St., Rockport 04856-5521  
 Jeffrey W. Sukeforth, Sec., 47 Rawson Ave., Camden 04843-1831

**District No. 7** **Dark - July, August** **Election, October**

**STANDISH LODGE NO. 70, Standish** **Second Thursday**  
**1810\***

Roscoe Grant, W.M., 715 Gray Rd., Windham 04062-4829  
 Ronald A. Edwards, S.W., 5 Alweber Rd., Windham 04062-4040  
 James N. Edwards, J.W., 3 Sylvan Rd., Gorham 04038-1422  
 Stanley K. Grant, Sec., PO Box 119, Sebago 04029-0119

**District No. 17** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**STAR IN THE EAST LODGE NO. 60, Old Town** **Last Monday**  
**1648\***

Chester H. Davis, Jr., W.M., 198 4Th St., Old Town 04468-1429  
 Peter J. Danforth, S.W., 12 High St Apt 2, Old Town 04468-1422  
 Peter T. Bosse, J.W., PO Box 21, Milford 04461-0021  
 Charles H. Norburg, Jr., Sec., PO Box 168, Milford 04461-0168

**District No. 6** **Dark - July, August** **Election, September**

**STAR IN THE WEST LODGE NO. 85, Unity** **First Tuesday**  
**1649\***

Randall L. Reynolds, W.M., 207 School St., Unity 04988-3904  
 Maurice A. Call, S.W., PO Box 25, Burnham 04922-0025  
 Peter L. Quimby, J.W., 55 Gordon Hill Rd., Thorndike 049861-3227  
 Leroy E. Stewart, Sec., PO Box 577, Unity 04988-0577

**District No. 12** **Dark - January, February** **Election, December**

**TEMPLE LODGE NO. 25, Readfield****Third Monday  
1651\***

Richard J. Drapeau, W.M., PO Box 392, Winthrop 04364-0392  
 Brian S. Farrington, S.W., 92 Beaver Dam Rd., Readfield 04355-3370  
 Robert E. Farrington, J.W., 1027 Valley Rd., Waterford 04088-3008  
 Dwight N. Hawkins, Sec., PO Box 173, No. Monmouth 04265-0173

**District No. 11****Dark - July, August****Election, January****TRANQUIL LODGE NO. 29, Auburn****Second Wednesday  
1653\***

David R. Vaillancourt, W.M., 17 Gill St. Apt. 2, Auburn 04210-6791  
 Frederick H. Morton, Jr., S.W., 44 Hideaway Rd., Poland 04274-6332  
 James A. Roy, J.W., 12 Collins Way, Durham 04222-5470  
 Warren S. Chase, Sec., 37 McArthur Ave., Lewiston 04240-5126

**District No. 23****Dark - July, August****Election, January****TREMONT LODGE NO. 77, Southwest Harbor****First Thursday  
1654\***

Daniel E. Bartlett, W.M., PO Box 865, Southwest Harbor 04679-0865  
 Andrew S. Mays, S.W., PO Box 1176, Southeast Harbor 04679-1176  
 Scott J. Alley, J.W., PO Box 1458, Southwest Harbor 04679-1458  
 Maurice J. Marshall, Sec., PO Box 144, Southwest Harbor 04679-0144

**District No. 21****Dark - July, August****Election, December****TRIANGLE LODGE NO. 1, Portland****Second Wednesday  
1623\***

Christian A. Ratliff, W.M., 83 S Richland St., South Portland 04106-4725  
 Robert D. Lind, S.W., 18 Ramsdell Rd., Falmouth 04105-1620  
 Leslie L. Newton, Jr., J.W., 24 Columbus Rd., Cape Elizabeth 04107-1660  
 Michael C. Whyte, Sec., 7 Deerfield Cir, Standish 04084-5434

**District No. 17****Dark - July, August****Election, December****TRINITY LODGE NO. 130, Presque Isle****First Tuesday  
1655\***

Donald A. Savage, W.M., PO Box 1164, Presque Isle 04769-1164  
 Stanley L. Baker, S.W., 1524 Parsons Rd., Washburn 04786-3356  
 Hollis R. Porter, J.W., PO Box 983, Presque Isle 04769-0983  
 Milton E. Smith, Sec., PO Box 1262, Presque Isle 04769-1262

**District No. 1****Dark, July, August****Election, December**

**TUSCAN LODGE NO. 106, Addison****First Saturday  
1811\***

Everett M. Grant, W.M., 15 Church Hill Ln., Addison 04606-3047  
 Keith A. Crowley, Jr., S.W., 693 Basin Rd., Addison 04606-3322  
 Bruce A. Simons, J.W., PO Box 329, Harrington 04643-0329  
 Harry Beal, Jr., Sec., 418 Saco Rd., Columbia 04623-3041

**District No. 3****Dark - July, August****Election, December****TYRIAN LODGE NO. 73, Mechanic Falls****Thurs. on or before full moon  
1656\***

Timothy S. Stevens, W.M., 143 Maple Ridge Rd., Harrison 04040-3323  
 Mark E. Stevens, S.W., 244 Brown Rd., Poland 04274-7315  
 Wayne D. Cotterly, J.W., 282 Maine St., Poland 04274-5105  
 Eugene Chandler, Sec., 11 Bucknam St. Apt 104, Mechanic Falls 04256-5141

**District No. 23****Dark - July, August****Election, December****UNION LODGE NO. 31, Union****First Thursday  
1812\***

Thomas A. Heath, W.M., PO Box 188, Union 04862-0188  
 Alan R. Heath, S.W., PO Box 188, Union 04862-0188  
 Clarence B. Spady, J.W., 337 Sidelinger Rd., Union 04862-5648  
 Christopher D. Vigue, Sec., 46 Dorman Rd., Washington 04574-4029

**District No. 7****Dark - July, August****Election, December****UNITED LODGE NO. 8, Brunswick****Second Tuesday  
1657\***

Harry W. Grinder, W.M., 351 42 Summer St., Lisbon Falls 04252-9502  
 Craig A. Rubner, S.W., 193 Calls Hill Rd., Dresden 04342-3603  
 Robert P. Grondin, J.W., 8 Hillcrest Ln, Topsham 04086-1809  
 Andrew H. DeBiasio, Sec., 187 Mere Point Rd., Brunswick 04011-7721

**District No. 14****Dark - July, August****Election, January****UNITY LODGE NO. 58, Thorndike****Third Wednesday  
1658\***

Mayo A. Cookson, Jr., W.M., 40 Cookson Rd., Albion 04910-6157  
 Kenneth R. Overlock, S.W., 149 Park Ln, So. China 04358-5012  
 Norman R. Vashon, J.W., 244 Gordon Hill Rd., Thorndike 04986-3237  
 Karl D. Julian, Sec., 360 Brooks Rd., Thorndike 04986-3421

**District No. 12****Dark - July, August****Election, December**



**VASSALBORO LODGE NO. 54, Vassalboro****Second Tuesday  
1659\***

James E. Maloy, W.M., 1001 Webber Pond Rd., Vassalboro 04989-3934  
 Roy A. Brackett, S.W., 221 Brann Rd., Vassalboro 04989-3325  
 John W. Bragg, J.W., 416 Maple Ridge Rd., Winslow 04901-0048  
 Edward J. Morin, II, Sec., PO Box 13, Vassalboro 04989-0013

**District No. 12****Dark - July, Aug.****Election, September****VERNON VALLEY LODGE NO. 99, Mount Vernon****First Tuesday  
1660\***

Charles E. Wadleigh, Jr., W.M., 1216 North Rd., Mount Vernon 04352-3727  
 Charles H. Pervier, S.W., 256 Belgrade Rd., Mount Vernon 04352-3221  
 VACANT, J.W.,  
 Fred L. Higgins, Sec., 945 West Rd., Belgrade 04917-4207

**District No. 15****Dark - July, August****Election, December****VILLAGE LODGE NO. 26, Bowdoinham****First Wednesday  
1661\***

Mickey A. Searles, W.M., 6 Richards Ln, Bowdoinham 04008-4451  
 Bruce A. Ross, S.W., 725 River Rd., Bowdoinham 04008-4609  
 Randall A. Griggs, J.W., 25 Merganser Ln, Topsham 04086-1532  
 Robert L. Stevenson, III, Sec., 22 Langdon Rd., Richmond 04357-3826

**District No. 14****Dark - July, August****Election, January****WARREN LODGE NO. 2, East Machias****Tuesday, preceding full moon  
1813\***

Edwin H. Joy, W.M., PO Box 154, Machias 04654-0154  
 James S. Merrill, S.W., 864 Indian River Rd., Addison 04606-3426  
 Dean M. McGuire, J.W., PO Box 590, East Machias 04630-0590  
 Thomas E. Foss, Sec., PO Box 332, East Machias 04630-0332

**District No. 3****Dark - July, August****Election December****WASHBURN LODGE NO. 193, Washburn****Second Thursday  
1663\***

Joel P. Wardwell, W.M., 407 Everett Rd., Washburn 04786-3054  
 Charles H. Currier, II, S.W., 728 Griffin Ridge Rd., Mapleton 04757-4418  
 Donald E. Anderson, J.W., 175 East Rd., New Sweden 04769-3506  
 Darrell L. Philbrook, Sec., PO Box 374, Crouseville 04738-0374

**District No. 1****Dark - July, Aug., Sept.****Election December**

**WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 37, Lubec** **First Wednesday**

Harry L. Newman, W.M., 6 Horror Hill Ln, Lubec 04652  
 Alvin D. Wasson, S.W., 86 Main St., Lubec 04652-1112  
 John S. Appleby, II, J.W., 20 Monument St., Lubec 04652-1016  
 Frank M. Theriault, Jr., Sec., 1397 County Rd., Trescott Twp 04652-5102

**District No. 2** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December****WATERVILLE LODGE NO. 33, Waterville** **Second Monday**  
**1664\***

Kurt N. Tidd, W.M., 140 Wyman Rd., Benton 04901-3510  
 John F. Spenard, S.W., 353 Augusta Rd., Winslow 04901-7165  
 Jonathan J. Hallenbeck, J.W., 107 Mayflower Hill Dr., Waterville 04901-4723  
 Daniel B. Carey, Jr., Sec., 11 Gilman St., Waterville 04901-5435

**District No. 12** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December****WEBSTER LODGE NO. 164, Wales** **Third Thursday**  
**1665\***

Ronald P. Caron, W.M., 456 Bowdoinham Rd., Sabattus 04280-4945  
 Richard A. Grondin, S.W., 22 Lepidolite Ct., Auburn 04210-9242  
 Stephen J. Atwood, J.W., 47 Middle Rd., Sabattus 04280-4217  
 Elbert O. Derick, Sec., 502 Pond Rd., Wales 04280-2521

**District No. 23** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December****WHITNEY LODGE NO. 167, Canton** **First Thursday**  
**1814\***

Roger P. Gingras, W.M., PO Box 157, Jay 04239-0157  
 Jeffrey M. Fournier, S.W., 91 Masterman Rd., Jay 04239-4431  
 Neal W. Nelson, J.W., 11 Israelson Rd., Livermore 04253-4214  
 Harry L. Smith, Jr., Sec., PO Box 508, Canton 04221-0508

**District No. 20** **Dark - July, August** **Election, January****WILTON LODGE NO. 156, Wilton** **Fourth Wednesday**  
**1666\***

Brian P. Benson, W.M., 263 Webster St., Lewiston 04240-5548  
 Philip M. Raymond, S.W., PO Box 883, Wilton 04294-0883  
 Craig W. Coolidge, J.W., 63 Woodridge Dr., Manchester 04351-3434  
 Alvin O. McDonald, Sec., 271 Depot St., Wilton 04294-6654

**District No. 15** **Dark - July, August** **Election, November**

**WINTER HARBOR LODGE NO. 192, Winter Harbor** **First Wednesday**  
**1667\***

Jeffrey D. Alley, Jr., W.M., PO Box 321, Winter Harbor 04693-0321  
Peter W. Drinkwater, S.W., PO Box 340, Winter Harbor 04693-0340  
Eugene H. Kelley, J.W., PO Box 316, Winter Harbor 04693-0316  
William D. Van Horn, Sec., PO Box 212, Winter Harbor 04693-0212

**District No. 21** **Dark - June, July, Aug.** **Election, January**

**YORK LODGE NO. 22, Kennebunk** **First Monday**  
**1668\***

Richard B. Smith, W.M., 27 Summer St., Kennebunk 04043-6636  
Frederick L. Beatham, S.W., 5 Pinecone Dr., Alfred 04002-3742  
Brian A. Ingalls, J.W., PO Box 1046, Alfred 04002-1046  
Randall S. Burleigh, Sec., 398 Wire Rd., Wells 04090-6310

**District No. 19** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**YORKSHIRE LODGE NO. 179, North Berwick** **Third Thursday**  
**1815\***

William R. Hankin, W.M., 134 Bolt Hill Rd., Eliot 03903-2255  
Charles S. Monroe, S.W., 28 Pierce Ave., Sanford 04073-5834  
Michael Carter, J.W., 45 Oldfields Rd., So. Berwick 03908-1716  
Philip J. Turnbull, Sec., 65 Elm Ln, Wells 04090-6503

**District No. 19** **Dark - July, August** **Election, December**

**\*Maine Blood Bank Donor Code Number**

**MAINE LODGE OF RESEARCH** **Quarterly**

Eric W. Kuntz, W.M., 56 Harmony Way, Ellsworth 04605-3138  
Richard L. Rhoda, S.W., PO Box 743, Houlton 04730-0743  
Charles W. Plummer, J.W., 41 Damy Dr Apt 88, Auburn 04210-6174  
Richard L. Bowden, Sec., 32 Clewleyville Rd., Eddington 04428-3024

**Election, June**

**LIST OF LODGES BY DISTRICTS****District No. 1**

District Deputy Grand Master – Kenneth E. White  
956 Mapleton Rd., Mapleton 04757-4509

|                           |                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 72 Pioneer, Ashland       | 193 Washburn, Washburn   |
| 96 Monument, Houlton      | 197 Aroostook, Mars Hill |
| 130 Trinity, Presque Isle | 209 Fort Kent, Fort Kent |
| 170 Caribou, Caribou      | 214 Limestone, Limestone |

**District No. 2**

District Deputy Grand Master – Dennis W. Bryant  
1036 Ayers Jct Rd., Charlotte 04666-6208

|                      |                              |
|----------------------|------------------------------|
| 7 Eastern, Eastport  | 78 Crescent, Pembroke        |
| 37 Washington, Lubec | 138 Lewy's Island, Princeton |
| 46 St. Croix, Calais |                              |

**District No. 3**

District Deputy Grand Master – Darrell K. E. Kelley  
PO Box 145, Beals 04611-0145

|                             |                          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2 Warren, East Machias      | 106 Tuscan, Addison      |
| 88 Narraguagus, Cherryfield | 173 Pleiades, Millbridge |
| 91 Harwood, Machias         | 188 Jonesport, Jonesport |

**District No. 4**

District Deputy Grand Master – Theodore S. Russell  
1444 State Route 46, Bucksport 04416-5108

|                          |                          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 4 Rising Star, Penobscot | 122 Marine, Deer Isle    |
| 19 Felicity, Bucksport   | 128 Ira Berry, Blue Hill |
| 71 Rising Sun, Orland    | 171 Naskeag, Brooklin    |

**District No. 5**

District Deputy Grand Master – Lawrence W. Budden  
PO Box 215, Greenville 04441-0215

|                           |                                |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 39 Penobscot, Dexter      | 149 Columbia-Doric, Greenville |
| 44 Piscataquis, Milo      | 163 Pleasant River, Brownville |
| 52 Mosaic, Dover-Foxcroft | 168 Composite, LaGrange        |
| 109 Mount Kineo, Guilford | 207 Abner Wade, Sangerville    |

**District No. 6**

District Deputy Grand Master – Ronald S. Murphy  
PO Box 6093, Hermon 04402-6093

|                               |                                 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 10 Rising Virtue, Bangor      | 87 Benevolent, Carmel           |
| 60 Star in the East, Old Town | 124 Olive Branch, Charleston    |
| 65 Mystic, Hampden            | 137 Kenduskeag, Kenduskeag      |
| 66 Mechanics, Orono           | 174 Lynde, Hermon               |
| 69 Howard, Winterport         | 217 Ralph J. Pollard, Orrington |
| 83 St. Andrew's, Bangor       |                                 |

**District No. 7**

District Deputy Grand Master – Jeff Sukeforth  
47 Rawson Ave., Camden 04843-1831

|                               |                              |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6 Amity, Camden               | 89 Island, Islesboro         |
| 31 Union, Union               | 129 Quantabacook, Searsport  |
| 62 King David's, Lincolnville | 135 Riverside, Jefferson     |
| 82 St. Paul's, Rockport       | 203 Mount Olivet, Washington |

**District No. 8**

District Deputy Grand Master – Myron E. Hersom  
58 Monroe Rd., Searsport 04974-3971

|                         |                              |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| 24 Belfast, Belfast     | 111 Liberty, Liberty         |
| 68 Mariners', Searsport | 119 Pownal, Stockton Springs |
| 102 Marsh River, Brooks | 151 Excelsior, Northport     |

**District No. 9**

District Deputy Grand Master – Randy S. Raymond  
13 Verdun St., Fairfield 04937-1130

|                              |                               |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 15 Orient, Thomaston         | 84 Eureka, Tenant's Harbor    |
| 16 St. George, Warren        | 145 Moses Webster, Vinalhaven |
| 50 Aurora, Rockland          | 189 Knox, Thomaston           |
| 61 King Solomon's, Waldoboro | 211 Meduncook, Friendship     |

**District No. 10**

District Deputy Grand Master – Charles J. DiPerri, Jr.  
PO Box 365, Wiscasset 04578-0365

|                              |                              |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 3 Lincoln, Wiscasset         | 103 Dresden, Dresden Mills   |
| 43 Alna-Anchor, Damariscotta | 144 Seaside, Boothbay Harbor |
| 74 Bristol, Bristol          | 196 Bay View, East Boothbay  |

**District No. 11**

District Deputy Grand Master – Steven P. Mairs  
33 Pullen Rd., Augusta 04330-8526

|                             |                         |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 5 Kennebec, Hallowell       | 48 Lafayette, Readfield |
| 25 Temple, Readfield        | 53 Rural, Sidney        |
| 32 Hermon, Litchfield       | 104 Dirigo, Weeks Mills |
| 35 Bethlehem, Augusta       | 110 Monmouth, Monmouth  |
| 41 Morning Star, Litchfield | 133 Asylum, Leeds       |

**District No. 12**

District Deputy Grand Master – Frederick R. Milligan, Jr.  
38 Kelly Cir., Sidney 04330-2509

|                                              |                            |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 33 Waterville, Waterville                    | 85 Star in the West, Unity |
| 45 Central, China                            | 92 Siloam, Fairfield       |
| 54 Neguemkeag /Vassalboro,<br>No. Vassalboro | 113 Messalonskee, Oakland  |
| 58 Unity, Thorndike                          | 146 Seabasticook, Clinton  |

**District No. 13**

District Deputy Grand Master – Colby A. Waugh  
557 Preble Ave., Madison 04950-4029

|                               |                           |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 28 Northern Star, North Anson | 116 Lebanon, Norridgewock |
| 34 Somerset, Skowhegan        | 161 Carrabassett, Canaan  |
| 80 Keystone, Solon            | 194 Euclid, Madison       |

**District No. 14**

District Deputy Grand Master – Loy B. Mitchell  
130 Fisher Rd., Bowdoinham 04088-4207

|                        |                                |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 8 United, Brunswick    | 114 Polar Star, Bath           |
| 14 Solar, Bath         | 121 Acacia, Durham             |
| 23 Freeport, Freeport  | 155 Ancient York, Lisbon Falls |
| 26 Village, Bowdoinham |                                |

**District No. 15**

District Deputy Grand Master – Rufus W. Cox  
687 Industry Rd., New Sharon 04955-3140

|                              |                             |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 20 Maine, Farmington         | 156 Wilton, Wilton          |
| 67 Blue Mountain, Phillips   | 202 Mount Bigelow, Stratton |
| 99 Vernon Valley, Mt. Vernon | 204 Mount Abram, Kingfield  |
| 123 Franklin, New Sharon     | 213 Kemankeag, Rangeley     |
| 154 Mystic Tie, Weld         |                             |

**District No. 16**

District Deputy Grand Master – Brian A. Levasseur  
PO Box 639, Naples 04055-6039

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|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 11 Pythagorean, Fryeburg    | 94 Paris, South Paris              |
| 13 Oriental, Bridgton       | 132 Mt. Tir'em, Waterford          |
| 18 Oxford, Norway           | 152 Crooked River, Bolster's Mills |
| 56 Mount Moriah, Brownfield | 153 Delta, Lovell                  |

**District No. 17**

District Deputy Grand Master – Walter W. Lamb, Jr.  
PO Box 784, Windham 04062-0784

|                          |                                |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 Triangle, Portland     | 127 Presumpscot, Windham       |
| 36 Casco, Yarmouth       | 180 Hiram, South Portland      |
| 38 Harmony, Gorham       | 183 Deering, Portland          |
| 70 Standish, Standish    | 216 Corner Stone Portland      |
| 86 Saccarappa, Westbrook | 219 Gov. Wm. King, Scarborough |

**District No. 18**

District Deputy Grand Master – Carl J. Marsano  
8 Plymouth Dr., Saco 04072-1734

|                               |                                |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 9 Saco, Saco                  | 117 Greenleaf, Cornish         |
| 42 Freedom, Limerick          | 118 Drummond, No. Parsonsfield |
| 47 Dunlap, Biddeford          | 162 Arion, Goodwin's Mills     |
| 107 Day Spring, West Newfield | 215 Orchard, Old Orchard       |
| 115 Buxton, West Buxton       |                                |

**District No. 19**

District Deputy Grand Master – R. Matthew Ferris  
19 Milton Ave., Sanford 04073-4130

|                              |                                 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 22 York, Kennebunk           | 143 Preble, Sanford             |
| 51 St. John's, South Berwick | 179 Yorkshire, North Berwick    |
| 55 Fraternal, Alfred         | 184 Naval, Kittery              |
| 76 Arundel, Kennebunkport    | 190 Springvale, Springvale      |
| 142 Ocean, Wells             | 198 St. Aspinquid, York Village |

**District No. 20**

District Deputy Grand Master – Richard J. Halacy  
452 Milton Rd., Milton Twp 04219-3615

|                                   |                             |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 21 Oriental Star, Livermore Falls | 100 Jefferson, Bryant Pond  |
| 30 Blazing Star, Rumford          | 147 Evening Star, Buckfield |
| 57 King Hiram, Dixfield           | 167 Whitney, Canton         |
| 97 Bethel, Bethel                 | 182 Granite, West Paris     |

**District No. 21**

District Deputy Grand Master – Michael W. Walker  
183 Mud Creek Rd., Hancock 04640-3033

|                                |                                    |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 40 Lygonia, Ellsworth          | 192 Winter Harbor, Winter Harbor   |
| 77 Tremont, Southwest Harbor   | 201 David A. Hooper, W. Sullivan   |
| 140 Mount Desert, Mount Desert | 208 N. E. Harbor, Northeast Harbor |
| 185 Bar Harbor, Bar Harbor     |                                    |

**District No. 22**

District Deputy Grand Master – Ronald P. Green, Sr.  
268 Ridge Rd., Plymouth 04969-3151

|                               |                          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 49 Meridian Splendor, Newport | 125 Meridian, Pittsfield |
| 64 Pacific, Exeter            | 157 Cambridge, Cambridge |
| 75 Archon, East Dixmont       | 160 Parian, Corinna      |
| 95 Corinthian, Hartland       |                          |

**District No. 23**

District Deputy Grand Master – Richard N. Bergeron, Jr.  
81 Everett Rd., Poland 04274-6323

|                               |                               |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 12 Cumberland, New Gloucester | 105 Ashlar, Auburn            |
| 29 Tranquil, Auburn           | 150 Rabboni, Auburn           |
| 73 Tyrian, Mechanic Falls     | 164 Webster, Wales            |
| 101 Nezinscot, Turner         | 178 Ancient Brothers', Auburn |

**District No. 24**

District Deputy Grand Master – Kenneth H. Hanscom, Jr.  
PO Box 254, Lincoln 04457-0254

|                         |                                |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 93 Horeb, Lincoln       | 172 Pine Tree, Mattawamkeag    |
| 98 Katahdin, Patten     | 175 Baskahegan, Danforth       |
| 148 Forest, Springfield | 205 Nollesemic, Millinocket    |
| 165 Molunkus, Sherman   | 206 Island Falls, Island Falls |



**TOWNS IN MAINE WHERE MASONIC LODGES ARE LOCATED**

| LOCATION         | LODGE                  | DISTRICT |
|------------------|------------------------|----------|
| ADDISON,         | Tuscan, 106,           | 3        |
| ALFRED           | Fraternal, 55,         | 19       |
| ASHLAND          | Pioneer, 72,           | 1        |
| AUBURN           | Ancient Brothers, 178, | 23       |
| AUBURN           | Ashlar, 105,           | 23       |
| AUBURN           | Rabboni, 150,          | 23       |
| AUBURN           | Tranquil, 29,          | 23       |
| AUGUSTA          | Bethlehem, 35,         | 11       |
|                  |                        |          |
| BANGOR           | Rising Virtue, 10,     | 6        |
| BANGOR           | St. Andrew's, 83,      | 6        |
| BAR HARBOR,      | Bar Harbor, 185,       | 21       |
| BATH,            | Polar Star, 114,       | 14       |
| BATH,            | Solar, 14,             | 14       |
| BELFAST,         | Belfast, 24,           | 8        |
| BETHEL,          | Bethel, 97,            | 20       |
| BIDDEFORD,       | Dunlap, 47,            | 18       |
| BLUE HILL,       | Ira Berry, 128,        | 4        |
| BOLSTER'S MILLS, | Crooked River, 152,    | 16       |
| BOWDOINHAM,      | Village, 26,           | 14       |
| BRIDGTON,        | Oriental, 13,          | 16       |
| BRISTOL,         | Bristol, 74,           | 10       |
| BROOKLIN,        | Naskeag, 171,          | 4        |
| BROOKS,          | Marsh River, 102,      | 8        |
| BROWNFIELD,      | Mount Moriah, 56,      | 16       |
| BROWNVILLE,      | Pleasant River, 163,   | 5        |
| BRUNSWICK,       | United, 8,             | 14       |
| BRYANT POND,     | Jefferson, 100,        | 20       |
| BUCKFIELD,       | Evening Star, 147,     | 20       |
| BUCKSPORT,       | Felicity, 19,          | 4        |
|                  |                        |          |
| CALAIS,          | St. Croix, 46,         | 2        |
| CAMBRIDGE,       | Cambridge, 157,        | 22       |
| CANAAN,          | Carrabassett, 161,     | 13       |
| CANTON,          | Whitney, 167,          | 20       |
| CARIBOU,         | Caribou, 170,          | 1        |
| CARMEL,          | Benevolent, 87,        | 6        |
| CHARLESTON,      | Olive Branch, 124,     | 6        |
| CHERRYFIELD,     | Narraguagus, 88,       | 3        |
| CHINA,           | Central, 45,           | 12       |
| CLINTON,         | Sebasticook, 146,      | 12       |
| CORINNA,         | Parian, 160,           | 22       |
| CORNISH,         | Greenleaf, 117,        | 18       |

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| DAMARISCOTTA,    | Alna-Anchor, 43,     | 10 |
| DANFORTH,        | Baskahegan, 175,     | 24 |
| DEER ISLE,       | Marine, 122,         | 4  |
| DEXTER,          | Penobscot, 39,       | 5  |
| DIXFIELD,        | King Hiram, 57,      | 20 |
| DOVER-FOXCROFT,  | Mosaic, 52,          | 5  |
| DRESDEN MILLS,   | Dresden, 103,        | 10 |
| DURHAM,          | Acacia, 121,         | 14 |
| EAST BOOTHBAY,   | Seaside, 144,        | 10 |
| EAST BOOTHBAY,   | Bay View, 196        | 10 |
| EAST DIXMONT,    | Archon, 75,          | 22 |
| EAST MACHIAS,    | Warren, 2,           | 3  |
| EASTPORT,        | Eastern, 7,          | 2  |
| ELLSWORTH,       | Lygonia, 40,         | 21 |
| EXETER,          | Pacific, 64,         | 22 |
| FAIRFIELD,       | Siloam, 92,          | 12 |
| FARMINGTON,      | Maine, 20            | 15 |
| FORT KENT,       | Fort Kent, 209,      | 1  |
| FREEPORT,        | Freeport, 23,        | 14 |
| FRIENDSHIP,      | Meduncook, 211,      | 9  |
| FRYEBURG,        | Pythagorean, 11,     | 16 |
| GOODWIN'S MILLS, | Arion, 162,          | 18 |
| GORHAM,          | Harmony, 38,         | 17 |
| GREENVILLE,      | Columbia Doric, 149, | 5  |
| GUILFORD,        | Mount Kineo, 109,    | 5  |
| HALLOWELL,       | Kennebec, 5,         | 11 |
| HAMPDEN,         | Mystic, 65,          | 6  |
| HARTLAND,        | Corinthian, 95,      | 22 |
| HERMON,          | Lynde, 174,          | 6  |
| HOULTON,         | Monument, 96         | 1  |
| ISLAND FALLS     | Island Falls, 206    | 24 |
| ISLESBORO,       | Island, 89,          | 7  |
| JEFFERSON,       | Riverside, 135,      | 7  |
| JONESPORT,       | Jonesport, 188,      | 3  |
| KENDUSKEAG,      | Kenduskeag, 137,     | 6  |
| KENNEBUNK,       | York, 22,            | 19 |
| KENNEBUNKPORT,   | Arundel, 76,         | 19 |
| KINGFIELD,       | Mount Abram, 204,    | 15 |
| KITTERY,         | Naval, 184,          | 19 |

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|---------------------|----------------------------|----|
| LAGRANGE            | Composite, 168,            | 5  |
| LEEDS               | Asylum, 133,               | 11 |
| LIBERTY,            | Liberty, 111,              | 8  |
| LIMERICK,           | Freedom, 42,               | 18 |
| LIMESTONE,          | Limestone, 214,            | 1  |
| LINCOLN,            | Horeb, 93,                 | 24 |
| LINCOLNVILLE        | King David's 62,           | 7  |
| LISBON FALLS,       | Ancient York, 155,         | 14 |
| LITCHFIELD,         | Hermon, 32,                | 11 |
| LITCHFIELD,         | Morning Star, 41,          | 11 |
| LIVERMORE FALLS,    | Oriental Star, 21,         | 20 |
| LOVELL,             | Delta, 153                 | 16 |
| LUBEC,              | Washington, 37,            | 2  |
| MACHIAS,            | Harwood, 91,               | 3  |
| MADISON,            | Euclid, 194,               | 13 |
| MARS HILL,          | Aroostook, 197,            | 1  |
| MATTAWAMKEAG,       | Pine Tree, 172,            | 24 |
| MECHANIC FALLS,     | Tyrian, 73,                | 23 |
| MILBRIDGE,          | Pleiades, 173              | 3  |
| MILLINOCKET,        | Nollesemic, 205            | 24 |
| MILO,               | Piscataquis, 44,           | 5  |
| MONMOUTH,           | Monmouth, 110              | 11 |
| MOUNT DESERT,       | Mount Desert, 140,         | 21 |
| MOUNT VERNON,       | Vernon Valley, 99,         | 15 |
| NEW GLOUCESTER,     | Cumberland, 12,            | 23 |
| NEWPORT,            | Meridian Splendor, 49,     | 22 |
| NEW SHARON,         | Franklin, 123,             | 15 |
| NORRIDGEWOCK,       | Lebanon, 116,              | 13 |
| NORTH ANSON         | Northern Star, 28,         | 13 |
| NORTH BERWICK       | Yorkshire, 179,            | 19 |
| NORTHEAST HARBOR,   | Northeast Harbor, 208,     | 21 |
| NORTH PARSONSFIELD, | Drummond, 118,             | 18 |
| NORTH VASSALBORO,   | Neguemkeag-Vassalboro, 54, | 12 |
| NORTH WINDHAM,      | Presumpscot, 127,          | 17 |
| NORTHPORT,          | Excelsior, 151,            | 8  |
| NORWAY,             | Oxford, 18,                | 16 |
| OAKLAND,            | Messalonskee, 113,         | 12 |
| OLD ORCHARD,        | Orchard, 215,              | 18 |
| OLD TOWN,           | Star in the East, 60,      | 6  |
| ORLAND,             | Rising Sun, 71,            | 4  |
| ORONO,              | Mechanics', 66,            | 6  |
| ORRINGTON,          | Ralph J. Pollard, 217,     | 6  |

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|-------------------|-------------------------|----|
| PATTEN,           | Katahdin, 98,           | 24 |
| PEMBROKE,         | Crescent, 78,           | 2  |
| PENOBSCOT,        | Rising Star, 4,         | 4  |
| PHILLIPS,         | Blue Mountain, 67,      | 15 |
| PITTSFIELD,       | Meridian, 125,          | 22 |
| PORTLAND,         | Corner Stone, 216       | 17 |
| PORTLAND,         | Deering, 183            | 17 |
| PORTLAND,         | Triangle, 1,            | 17 |
| PRESQUE ISLE,     | Trinity, 130,           | 1  |
| PRINCETON,        | Lewy's Island, 138,     | 2  |
| <br>              |                         |    |
| RANGELEY,         | Kemankeag, 213          | 15 |
| READFIELD,        | Temple, 25,             | 11 |
| READFIELD,        | Lafayette, 48,          | 11 |
| ROCKLAND,         | Aurora, 50,             | 9  |
| ROCKPORT,         | Amity, 6,               | 7  |
| ROCKPORT,         | St. Paul's 82,          | 7  |
| RUMFORD,          | Blazing Star, 30,       | 20 |
| <br>              |                         |    |
| SACO,             | Saco, 9,                | 18 |
| SANFORD,          | Preble, 143,            | 19 |
| SANGERVILLE,      | Abner Wade, 207         | 5  |
| SCARBOROUGH,      | Gov. William King, 219, | 17 |
| SEARSMONT,        | Quantabacook, 129,      | 7  |
| SEARSPORT,        | Mariners', 68,          | 8  |
| SHERMAN,          | Molunkus, 165,          | 24 |
| SIDNEY,           | Rural, 53,              | 11 |
| SKOWHEGAN,        | Somerset, 34,           | 13 |
| SOLOM,            | Keystone, 80,           | 13 |
| SOUTH BERWICK,    | St. John's 51,          | 19 |
| SOUTH PARIS,      | Paris, 94,              | 16 |
| SOUTH PORTLAND,   | Hiram, 180              | 17 |
| SOUTHWEST HARBOR, | Tremont, 77,            | 21 |
| SPRINGFIELD,      | Forest, 148,            | 24 |
| SPRINGVALE,       | Springvale, 190,        | 19 |
| STANDISH,         | Standish, 70,           | 17 |
| STOCKTON SPRINGS, | Pownal, 119             | 8  |
| STRATTON,         | Mount Bigelow, 202,     | 15 |
| <br>              |                         |    |
| TENANTS HARBOR,   | Eureka, 84,             | 9  |
| THOMASTON,        | Orient, 15,             | 9  |
| THOMASTON,        | Knox, 189,              | 9  |
| THORNDIKE,        | Unity 58,               | 12 |
| TURNER,           | Nezinscot, 101,         | 23 |
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| UNION,            | Union, 31,              | 7  |
| UNITY,            | Star in the West, 85,   | 12 |

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| VINALHAVEN,    | Moses Webster, 145,   | 9  |
| WALES          | Webster, 164          | 23 |
| WALDOBORO,     | King Solomon's, 61,   | 9  |
| WARREN,        | St. George, 16,       | 9  |
| WASHBURN,      | Washburn, 193,        | 1  |
| WASHINGTON,    | Mt. Olivet, 203       | 7  |
| WATERFORD,     | Mount Tir'em, 132,    | 16 |
| WATERVILLE,    | Waterville, 33,       | 12 |
| WEEKS MILLS,   | Dirigo, 104,          | 11 |
| WELD,          | Mystic Tie, 154,      | 15 |
| WELLS,         | Ocean, 142,           | 19 |
| WESTBROOK,     | Saccarappa, 86,       | 17 |
| WEST BUXTON,   | Buxton, 115,          | 18 |
| WEST NEWFIELD, | Day Spring, 107,      | 18 |
| WEST PARIS,    | Granite, 182          | 20 |
| WEST SULLIVAN, | David A. Hooper, 201, | 21 |
| WILTON         | Wilton, 156,          | 15 |
| WINDHAM        | Presumpscot, 127,     | 17 |
| WINTER HARBOR, | Winter Harbor, 192    | 21 |
| WINTERPORT,    | Howard, 69,           | 6  |
| WISCASSET      | Lincoln, 3,           | 10 |
| YARMOUTH,      | Casco, 36,            | 17 |
| YORK VILLAGE,  | St. Aspinquid, 198,   | 19 |

**LODGES IN MAINE**  
With Dates of Precedent and Charters

| <b>Lodge</b>         | <b>Location</b> | <b>Date of Precedence</b> | <b>Date of Charter</b> |
|----------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 Triangle           | Portland        | Mar. 20, 1762             | Mar. 30, 1769 #        |
| 2 Warren             | East Machias    | Sept. 10, 1778            | Sept. 10, 1778 #       |
| 3 Lincoln            | Wiscasset       | June 1, 1792              | June 1, 1792           |
| 4 Hancock            | Castine         | June 9, 1794              | June 9, 1794 #         |
| 5 Kennebec           | Hallowell       | Mar. 14, 1796             | Mar. 14, 1796          |
| 6 Amity              | Camden          | Mar. 10, 1801             | Mar. 10, 1801          |
| 7 Eastern            | Eastport        | June 8, 1801              | June 8, 1801           |
| 8 United             | Brunswick       | Dec. 14, 1801             | Dec. 14, 1801          |
| 9 Saco               | Saco            | June 14, 1802             | June 16, 1802          |
| 10 Rising Virtue     | Bangor          | Sept. 13, 1802            | Sept. 16, 1802         |
| 11 Pythagorean       | Fryeburg        | June 13, 1803             | June 13, 1803          |
| 12 Cumberland        | New Gloucester  | June 13, 1803             | June 13, 1803          |
| 13 Oriental          | Bridgton        | Mar. 12, 1804             | Mar. 12, 1804          |
| 14 Solar             | Bath            | Sept. 10, 1804            | Sept. 10, 1804         |
| 15 Orient            | Thomaston       | Sept. 10, 1805            | Sept. 10, 1805         |
| 16 Saint George      | Warren          | Mar. 10, 1806             | Mar. 10, 1806          |
| 17 Ancient Land-Mark | Portland        | June 10, 1806             | June 10, 1806 #        |
| 18 Oxford            | Norway          | Sept. 14, 1807            | Sept. 14, 1807         |
| 19 Felicity          | Bucksport       | Mar. 14, 1809             | Mar. 14, 1809          |
| 20 Maine             | Farmington      | June 13, 1809             | Jan 13, 1810           |
| 21 Oriental Star     | Livermore       | June 13, 1811             | June 13, 1811 #        |
| 22 York              | Kennebunk       | Mar. 9, 1813              | Mar. 9, 1813           |
| 23 Freeport          | Freeport        | Sept. 13, 1814            | Sept. 13, 1814         |
| 24 Belfast           | Belfast         | Sept. 9, 1816             | Jan. 14, 1991 #        |
| 25 Temple            | Readfield       | Sept. 8, 1817             | Oct. 6, 1817           |
| 26 Village           | Bowdoinham      | June 9, 1817              | Sept. 16, 1817 #       |
| 27 Adoniram          | Limington       | Sept. 9, 1818             | Sept. 10, 1818 +       |
| 28 Northern Star     | North Anson     | Dec. 9, 1818              | Dec. 15, 1818          |
| 29 Tranquil          | Auburn          | Dec. 9, 1818              | Dec. 9, 1818           |
| 30 Blazing Star      | Rumford         | Mar. 10, 1819             | Mar. 11, 1819          |
| 31 Union             | Union           | Dec. 27, 1819             | April 8, 1820          |
| 32 Hermon            | Litchfield      | June 23, 1820             | June 23, 1820          |
| 33 Waterville        | Waterville      | June 27, 1820             | June 27, 1820          |
| 34 Somerset          | Skowhegan       | Jan. 11, 1821             | Jan. 11, 1821          |
| 35 Bethlehem         | Augusta         | July 12, 1821             | May 3, 1862 #          |
| 36 Casco             | Yarmouth        | Oct. 11, 1821             | Oct. 24, 1826          |
| 37 Washington        | Lubec           | Jan. 10, 1822             | Jan. 24, 1822          |
| 38 Harmony           | Gorham          | Jan. 10, 1822             | Jan. 24, 1822          |
| 39 Penobscot         | Dexter          | Jan. 10, 1822             | Jan. 24, 1822          |
| 40 Lygonia           | Ellsworth       | April 11, 1822            | April 11, 1822         |
| 41 Morning Star      | Litchfield      | July 11, 1822             | July 16, 1822          |
| 42 Freedom           | Limerick        | Jan. 11, 1823             | Jan. 14, 1823          |
| 43 Alna              | Damariscotta    | Jan. 11, 1823             | Jan. 14, 1823 #        |
| 44 Piscataquis       | Milo            | Oct. 9, 1823              | Oct. 28, 1823          |
| 45 Central           | China           | April 8, 1824             | April 8, 1824          |
| 46 Saint Croix       | Calais          | April 8, 1824             | April 8, 1824          |
| 47 Dunlap            | Biddeford       | Jan. 13, 1826             | Jan. 30, 1826          |
| 48 Lafayette         | Readfield       | Jan. 13, 1826             | May 20, 1850           |
| 49 Meridian Splendor | Newport         | July 13, 1826             | July 18, 1826          |

| <b>Lodge</b>        | <b>Location</b> | <b>Date of Precedence</b> | <b>Date of Charter</b> |
|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 50 Aurora           | Rockland        | July 13, 1826             | July 18, 1826 #        |
| 51 Saint John's     | South Berwick   | Jan. 12, 1827             | Feb. 13, 1827          |
| 52 Mosaic           | Dover-Foxcroft  | April 22, 1827            | July 16, 1827          |
| 53 Rural            | Sidney          | April 12, 1827            | July 25, 1827          |
| 54 Vassalboro       | No. Vassalboro  | April 12, 1827            | May 31, 1827           |
| 55 Fraternal        | Alfred          | Jan. 10, 1828             | Jan. 10, 1828          |
| 56 Mount Moriah     | Brownfield      | Jan. 10, 1828             | Jan. 23, 1828#         |
| 57 King Hiram       | Dixfield        | April 10, 1828            | May 9, 1872*           |
| 58 Unity            | Thorndike       | April 10, 1828            | May 15, 1828           |
| 59 Mount Hope       | Hope            | Jan. 25, 1848             | May 4, 1848+           |
| 60 Star in the East | Old Town        | Feb. 23, 1848             | May 5, 1848            |
| 61 King Solomon's   | Waldoboro       | April 4, 1849             | Feb. 4, 1855+          |
| 62 King David's     | Lincolnville    | June 16, 1849             | Jan. 22, 1850          |
| 63 Richmond         | Richmond        | Jan. 1, 1850              | May 10, 1850#          |
| 64 Pacific          | Exeter          | Oct. 22, 1850             | May 12, 1851           |
| 65 Mystic           | Hampden         | Mar. 1, 1851              | May 12, 1851           |
| 66 Mechanics        | Orono           | Mar. 3, 1851              | May 12, 1851           |
| 67 Blue Mountain    | Phillips        | July 12, 1850             | May 10, 1852#          |
| 68 Mariners'        | Searsport       | Oct. 23, 1851             | May 10, 1853           |
| 69 Howard           | Winterport      | Nov. 28, 1851             | May 6, 1853            |
| 70 Standish         | Standish        | June 10, 1852             | May 10, 1853           |
| 71 Rising Star      | Orland          | Oct. 18, 1852             | May 10, 1853           |
| 72 Pioneer          | Ashland         | Oct. 26, 1852             | May 5, 1854            |
| 73 Tyrian           | Mechanic Falls  | Jan. 21, 1853             | May 10, 1853           |
| 74 Bristol          | Bristol         | Mar. 1, 1853              | May 5, 1854            |
| 75 Archon           | East Dixmont    | May 9, 1853               | May 5, 1854#           |
| 76 Arundel          | Kennebunkport   | May 5, 1854               | June 26, 1854          |
| 77 Tremont          | So. West Harbor | June 12, 1854             | May 3, 1856            |
| 78 Crescent         | Pembroke        | July 4, 1854              | July 10, 1854          |
| 79 Rockland         | Rockland        | Oct. 25, 1854             | May 4, 1855 #          |
| 80 Keystone         | Solon           | Dec. 16, 1854             | May 4, 1855            |
| 81 Atlantic         | Portland        | May 3, 1855               | May 3, 1855#           |
| 82 Saint Paul's     | Rockport        | Oct. 27, 1855             | May 2, 1856            |
| 83 Saint Andrew's   | Bangor          | Feb. 6, 1856              | May 3, 1856            |
| 84 Eureka           | Tenants Harbor  | July 27, 1855             | May 2, 1856            |
| 85 Star in the West | Unity           | May 4, 1855               | May 24, 1856           |
| 86 Saccarappa       | Westbrook       | Mar. 1, 1856              | May 5, 1856#           |
| 87 Benevolent       | Carmel          | Mar. 12, 1857             | May 7, 1857            |
| 88 Narraguagus      | Cherryfield     | Mar. 25, 1857             | May 28, 1857           |
| 89 Island           | Islesboro       | April 3, 1857             | Nov. 5, 1857           |
| 90 Hiram Abiff      | West Appleton   | Jan. 27, 1857             | May 5, 1858^           |
| 91 Harwood          | Machias         | April 8, 1858             | Oct. 15, 1858          |
| 92 Siloam           | Fairfield       | Mar. 8, 1858              | Jan. 1, 1859           |
| 93 Horeb            | Lincoln         | June 5, 1858              | May 5, 1859            |
| 94 Paris            | South Paris     | June 18, 1858             | May 5, 1859            |
| 95 Corinthian       | Hartland        | Sept. 13, 1858            | May 5, 1859            |
| 96 Monument         | Houlton         | Nov. 18, 1858             | May 5, 1859            |
| 97 Bethel           | Bethel          | July 6, 1859              | May 5, 1860            |
| 98 Katahdin         | Patten          | Aug. 24, 1859             | May 3, 1860            |
| 99 Vernon Valley    | Mount Vernon    | Oct. 28, 1859             | May 3, 1860            |
| 100 Jefferson       | Bryant Pond     | Feb. 8, 1860              | May 3, 1860            |
| 101 Nezinscot       | Turner          | Mar. 1, 1860              | May 3, 1860            |

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|----------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 102 Marsh River      | Brooks           | Dec. 24, 1859             | May 9, 1861            |
| 103 Dresden          | Dresden Mills    | Feb. 3, 1860              | May 9, 1861            |
| 104 Dirigo           | Weeks Mills      | June 12, 1860             | May 9, 1861            |
| 105 Ashlar           | Auburn           | Nov. 5, 1860              | May 9, 1861            |
| 106 Tuscan           | Addison          | Dec. 27, 1860             | May 9, 1861            |
| 107 Day Spring       | West Newfield    | Mar. 19, 1861             | May 9, 1861            |
| 108 Relief           | Belgrade         | Jan. 11, 1861             | May 8, 1862 ^          |
| 109 Mount Kineo      | Guilford         | May 10, 1861              | May 8, 1862            |
| 110 Monmouth         | Monmouth         | May 21, 1861              | May 8, 1862            |
| 111 Liberty          | Liberty          | Nov. 8, 1861              | May 8, 1862            |
| 112 Eastern Frontier | Fort Fairfield   | May 8, 1862               | May 7, 1863 +          |
| 113 Messalonskee     | Oakland          | May 15, 1862              | May 7, 1863            |
| 114 Polar Star       | Bath             | Mar. 7, 1863              | May 7, 1863            |
| 115 Buxton           | West Buxton      | Mar. 18, 1863             | May 7, 1863            |
| 116 Lebanon          | Norridgewock     | April 30, 1863            | May 7, 1863            |
| 117 Greenleaf        | Cornish          | April 22, 1863            | May 4, 1864            |
| 118 Drummond         | No. Parsonsfield | May 7, 1863               | May 4, 1864            |
| 119 Pownal           | Stockton         | July 4, 1863              | May 6, 1875*           |
| 120 Meduncook        | Friendship       | Feb. 6, 1864              | May 4, 1864 +          |
| 121 Acacia           | Durham           | May 7, 1863               | May 4, 1865            |
| 122 Marine           | Deer Isle        | Mar. 18, 1864             | May 3, 1865 #          |
| 123 Franklin         | New Sharon       | May 4, 1864               | May 3, 1865            |
| 124 Olive Branch     | Charleston       | May 4, 1864               | May 3, 1865            |
| 125 Meridian         | Pittsfield       | June 7, 1864              | May 3, 1865            |
| 126 Timothy Chase    | Belfast          | Oct. 26, 1864             | May 3, 1865 #          |
| 127 Presumpscot      | No. Windham      | Nov. 19, 1864             | May 3, 1866            |
| 128 Ira Berry        | Brooksville      | Mar. 1, 1865              | May 3, 1866 #          |
| 129 Quantabcook      | Searsmont        | Mar. 28, 1865             | May 3, 1866            |
| 130 Trinity          | Presque Isle     | July 17, 1865             | May 3, 1866            |
| 131 Lookout          | Cutler           | July 18, 1865             | May 3, 1866 #          |
| 132 Mount Tir'em     | Waterford        | Oct. 18, 1865             | May 3, 1866            |
| 133 Asylum           | Leeds            | July 20, 1865             | May 9, 1867            |
| 134 Trojan           | Troy             | Feb. 19, 1866             | May 9, 1867 #          |
| 135 Riverside        | Jefferson        | Mar. 13, 1866             | May 8, 1867            |
| 136 Ionic            | Gardiner         | April 24, 1866            | May 9, 1867 +          |
| 137 Kenduskeag       | Kenduskeag       | May 3, 1866               | May 8, 1867            |
| 138 Lewy's Island    | Princeton        | May 3, 1866               | May 8, 1867            |
| 139 Archon           | East Dixmont     | Sept. 26, 1866            | May 8, 1867 #          |
| 140 Mount Desert     | Mount Desert     | Feb. 14, 1867             | May 8, 1867            |
| 141 Augusta          | Augusta          | Mar. 21, 1867             | May 8, 1867 #          |
| 142 Ocean            | Wells            | Mar. 22, 1867             | May 7, 1868            |
| 143 Preble           | Sanford          | May 9, 1867               | May 7, 1868            |
| 144 Seaside          | East Boothbay    | Oct. 7, 1867              | May 7, 1868            |
| 145 Moses Webster    | Vinalhaven       | Jan. 13, 1868             | May 7, 1868            |
| 146 Seabastcook      | Clinton          | Feb. 3, 1868              | May 7, 1868            |
| 147 Evening Star     | Buckfield        | Feb. 22, 1869             | May 5, 1869            |
| 148 Forest           | Springfield      | April 1, 1869             | May 5, 1869            |
| 149 Columbia-Doric   | Greenville       | May 7, 1868               | May 5, 1869 #          |
| 150 Rabboni          | Auburn           | Dec. 28, 1868             | May 5, 1869            |
| 151 Excelsior        | Northport        | Mar. 1, 1869              | May 5, 1869            |
| 152 Crooked River    | Bolster's Mills  | April 15, 1869            | May 5, 1870            |
| 153 Delta            | Lovell           | May 5, 1869               | May 4, 1870            |



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| 154 Mystic Tie       | Weld            | June 8, 1869              | May 4, 1870            |
| 155 Ancient York     | Lisbon Falls    | Jan. 1, 1870              | May 4, 1870            |
| 156 Wilton           | Wilton          | Jan. 31, 1870             | May 4, 1870            |
| 157 Cambridge        | Cambridge       | May 5, 1870               | May 4, 1871            |
| 158 Anchor           | South Bristol   | May 5, 1870               | May 4, 1871 #          |
| 159 Esoteric         | Ellsworth       | Sept. 3, 1870             | May 4, 1871 #          |
| 160 Parian           | Corinna         | Sept. 9, 1870             | May 9, 1872            |
| 161 Carrabassett     | Canaan          | Mar. 2, 1871              | May 9, 1872            |
| 162 Arion            | Goodwin's Mills | Mar. 18, 1871             | May 9, 1872            |
| 163 Pleasant River   | Brownville      | July 28, 1871             | May 9, 1872            |
| 164 Webster          | Sabattus        | July 28, 1871             | May 9, 1872            |
| 165 Molunkus         | Sherman Mills   | Aug. 26, 1871             | May 9, 1872            |
| 166 Neguemkeag       | Vassalboro      | Dec. 22, 1871             | May 9, 1872 #          |
| 167 Whitney          | Canton          | Mar. 9, 1872              | May 9, 1872            |
| 168 Composite        | LaGrange        | May 9, 1872               | May 8, 1873            |
| 169 Shepherd's River | Brownfield      | July 1, 1872              | May 8, 1873 #          |
| 170 Caribou          | Caribou         | July 27, 1872             | May 8, 1873            |
| 171 Naskeag          | Brooklin        | Feb. 3, 1873              | May 8, 1873            |
| 172 Pine Tree        | Mattawamkeag    | Nov. 14, 1873             | May 7, 1874            |
| 173 Pleiades         | Milbridge       | May 7, 1874               | May 7, 1874            |
| 174 Lynde            | Hermon          | May 7, 1874               | May 7, 1874            |
| 175 Baskahegan       | Danforth        | Dec. 3, 1874              | May 20, 1875           |
| 176 Palestine        | Biddeford       | May 5, 1875               | May 6, 1875 #          |
| 177 Rising Star      | Penobscot       | June 17, 1875             | May 4, 1876 #          |
| 178 Ancient Brothers | Auburn          | June 21, 1875             | May 4, 1876            |
| 179 Yorkshire        | No. Berwick     | Sept. 18, 1875            | May 4, 1876            |
| 180 Hiram            | South Portland  | Nov. 1, 1875              | May 4, 1876            |
| 181 Reuel Washburn   | East Livermore  | May 4, 1876               | May 3, 1877 #          |
| 182 Granite          | West Paris      | Sept. 16, 1878            | May 8, 1879            |
| 183 Deering          | Portland        | April 2, 1879             | May 8, 1879            |
| 184 Naval            | Kittery         | May 8, 1879               | May 6, 1880            |
| 185 Bar Harbor       | Bar Harbor      | April 19, 1882            | May 2, 1882            |
| 186 Warren Phillips  | Westbrook       | April 18, 1883            | May 3, 1883#           |
| 187 Ira Berry        | Blue Hill       | Nov. 12, 1883             | May 8, 1884 #          |
| 188 Jonesport        | Jonesport       | May 8, 1884               | May 8, 1884            |
| 189 Knox             | South Thomaston | Sept. 6, 1884             | May 7, 1885            |
| 190 Springvale       | Springvale      | May 7, 1885               | May 6, 1886            |
| 191 Davis            | Strong          | May 7, 1885               | May 6, 1886 #          |
| 192 Winter Harbor    | Winter Harbor   | Aug. 12, 1887             | May 3, 1888            |
| 193 Washburn         | Washburn        | Dec. 14, 1887             | May 3, 1888            |
| 194 Euclid           | Madison         | May 4, 1888               | May 9, 1890            |
| 195 Reliance         | Stonington      | May 9, 1889               | May 8, 1889 #          |
| 196 Bay View         | East Boothbay   | Dec. 20, 1889             | May 8, 1890            |
| 197 Aroostook        | Mars Hill       | Dec. 17, 1890             | May 7, 1891            |
| 198 Saint Aspinquid  | York            | July 22, 1892             | May 4, 1893            |
| 199 Bingham          | Bingham         | Dec. 23, 1892             | May 4, 1893 #          |
| 200 Columbia         | Greenville      | July 23, 1894             | May 7, 1896 #          |
| 201 David A. Hooper  | West Sullivan   | June 3, 1897              | May 5, 1898            |
| 202 Mount Bigelow    | Stratton        | June 19, 1897             | May 6, 1898            |
| 203 Mount Olivet     | Washington      | Nov. 24, 1897             | May 7, 1898            |
| 204 Mount Abram      | Kingfield       | May 4, 1900               | May 9, 1901            |
| 205 Nollesemic       | Millinocket     | Nov. 17, 1900             | May 9, 1901            |
| 206 Island Falls     | Island Falls    | Oct. 3, 1901              | May 8, 1902            |

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| 207 Abner Wade        | Sangerville     | June 3, 1902              | May 7, 1903            |
| 208 No. East Harbor   | No. East Harbor | Sept. 2, 1903             | May 6, 1904            |
| 209 Fort Kent         | Fort Kent       | Mar. 23, 1904             | May 4, 1905            |
| 210 Bagaduce          | Brooksville     | Sept. 2, 1905             | May 3, 1906 #          |
| 211 Meduncook         | Friendship      | Feb. 15, 1909             | May 5, 1910            |
| 212 McKinley          | McKinley        | May 6, 1909               | May 6, 1910 #          |
| 213 Kemankeag         | Rangeley        | Oct 6, 1913               | May 7, 1914            |
| 214 Limestone         | Limestone       | Nov. 10, 1913             | May 7, 1914            |
| 215 Orchard           | Old Orchard     | May 4, 1916               | May 3, 1917            |
| 216 Comer Stone       | Portland        | Oct. 27, 1926             | May 4, 1927 #          |
| 217 Ralph J. Pollard  | Orrington       | Jan. 28, 1947             | May 4, 1948            |
| 218 Brotherhood       | Portland        | Nov. 30, 1954             | May 3, 1956 #          |
| 219 Gov. William King | Scarborough     | Nov. 29, 1960             | May 3, 1961            |
| Me Lodge of Research  |                 | Aug. 14, 1981             | May 5, 1982            |

# Consolidated

+ Charter surrendered

\* Means charter surrendered and afterward restored,

^ Charter revoked

Note:

\*1 Portland consolidated with Ancient Land-Mark No. 17 and Atlantic No.81, August 7, 1981, which became Triangle No. 1.

2 Warren consolidated with Lookout No. 131 on September 5, 2006, which became Warren No. 2.

4 Hancock consolidated with Rising Star No. 177 on March 26, 2008, which became Rising Star No. 4.

6 Petitioned for under the name "Federal"

11 Originally "Pequawket" U.D., Charter restored in 1865, after no meetings since 1830.

\*17 Ancient Land-Mark consolidated with Portland No. 1 and Atlantic No. 81, August 7, 1981, which became Triangle No. 1.

21 Oriental Star consolidated with Reuel Washburn No. 181 in 1892, which became Oriental Star No. 21.

\*24 Phoenix consolidated with Timothy Chase No. 126 on January 14, 1991, which became Belfast No. 24.

26 Village consolidated with Richmond No. 63 on October 15, 1983, which became Village No. 26.

27 Adoniram charter surrendered on May 1, 2007.

29 Tranquil removed from Lewiston to Auburn, 1971.

35 Bethlehem charter restored in 1866. Augusta No. 141 consolidated with on January 22, 2005, which became Bethlehem No. 35.

40 Lygonia consolidated with Estoric No. 159 on January 11, 1908, which became Lygonia No. 40.

43 Alna consolidated with Anchor No. 158 on September 5, 1995, which became Alna-Anchor No. 43.

\*47 Buxton removed to Biddeford 1855, name changed to Dunlap No. 47.

50 Aurora charter burned. New one May 9,1872. Aurora No. 50 consolidated with Rockland No. 79 on September 27, 2006, which became Aurora No. 50.

54 Vassalboro consolidated with Neguemkeag No. 166 on April 2, 1994, which became Neguemkeag - Vassalboro No. 54. Name changed to Vassalboro No. 54 on June 6, 2007.

56 Mount Moriah consolidated with Shepherd's River No. 169 on October 17, 1979, which became Mount Moriah No. 56.

\*59 Mount Hope charter surrendered 1879.

\*63 Richmond consolidated with Village No. 26 on October 15, 1983, which became Village No. 26.

\*67 Blue Mountain consolidated with Davis No. 191 on February 10, 1993, which became Blue Mountain No. 67.

\*75 Plymouth consolidated with Archon No. 139 on October 8, 1939, which became Archon No. 75.

\*79 Rockland consolidated with Aurora No. 50 on September 27, 2006, which became Aurora No. 50.

80 Keystone consolidated with Bingham No. 199 on December 7, 1994, which became Keystone No. 80.

\*81 Atlantic consolidated with Portland No. 1 and Ancient Land Mark No. 17 on August 7, 1981, which became Triangle No. 1.

85 Star in the West consolidated with Trojan No. 134 in 1888, which became Star in the West No. 85.

\*86 Temple consolidated with Warren Phillips No. 186 on December 20, 2002, which became Saccarappa Lodge No. 86.

\*90 Hiram Abiff, charter revoked 1868.

95 Originally "Pond" name changed in 1864 to Corinthian No. 95.

105 Removed from Lewiston to Auburn 1971.

\*108 Relief, charter revoked 1894.

\*112 Eastern Frontier, charter surrendered 1989.

115 Removed from Hollis to Buxton 1867. Originally called "Moderation," name changed in 1874 to Buxton No. 115.

119 Was "Perseverance" U.D.

\*120 Meduncook, charter surrendered 1884.

122 Marine consolidated with Reliance No. 195 on March 12, 1965, which became Marine No. 122.

\*126 Timothy Chase consolidated with Phoenix No. 24 on January 14, 1991, which became Belfast No. 24.

\*128 Eggemoggin consolidated with Bagaduce No. 210 on March 13, 1976, which became Bagaduce No. 128. 128 Bagaduce consolidated with Ira Berry No. 187 on November 21, 1983, which became Ira Berry No. 128, meeting at Blue Hill.

\*131 Lookout consolidated with Warren No. 2 on September 5, 2006, which became Warren No. 2.

133 Asylum removed from Wayne to Leeds 2004.

\*134 Trojan consolidated with Star in the West No. 85 in 1888, which became Star in the West No. 85.

136 Ionic, charter surrendered 1882.

\*139 Archon consolidated with Plymouth No. 75 on October 8, 1939, which became Archon No. 75.

\*141 Consolidated with Bethlehem No. 35 on January 22, 2005, which became Bethlehem No. 35.

149 Doric consolidated with Columbia No. 200 on November 7, 1970, which became Columbia-Doric No. 149.

150 Rabboni removed from Lewiston to Auburn, 1971.

\*158 Anchor consolidated with Alna Lodge No. 43 on Sept. 5, 1995, which became Alna-Anchor Lodge No. 43.

\*159 Estoric, consolidated with Lygonia No. 40 on January 11, 1908, which became Lygonia No. 40.

160 Was "Fisher" U.D.

166 Neguemkeag consolidated with Vassalboro No. 54 on April 2, 1994, which became Neguemkeag - Vassalboro No. 54.

\*169 Shepherd's River consolidated with Mount Moriah No. 56 on Oct. 17, 1979, which became Mount Moriah No. 56.

\*176 Palestine consolidated with Dunlap No. 47 in 1895, which became Dunlap No. 47.

177 Rising Star consolidated with Hancock No. 4 on March 26, 2008, which became Rising Star No. 4.

178 Ancient Brothers removed from Lewiston to Auburn, 1971.

\*181 Reuel Washburn consolidated with Oriental Star No. 21 in 1892, which became Oriental Star No. 21.

\*186 Warren Phillips consolidated with Temple No. 86 on December 20, 2002, which became Saccarappa No. 86.

\*187 Ira Berry consolidated with Bagaduce No. 128 on November 21, 1983, which became Ira Berry No. 128.

\*191 Davis consolidated with Blue Mountain No. 67 on February 10, 1993, which became Blue Mountain No. 67.

\*195 Reliance consolidated with Marine No. 122 on March 12, 1965, which became Marine No. 122.

\*199 Bingham consolidated with Keystone No. 80 on December 7, 1994, which became Keystone No. 80.

\*200 Columbia consolidated with Doric No. 149, November 7, 1970, which became Columbia-Doric No. 149

\*210 Bagaduce consolidated with Eggemoggin No. 128 on March 13, 1976, which became Bagaduce No. 128.

\*212 McKinley consolidated with Tremont No. 77 on April 18, 1969, which became Tremont No. 77.

216 Corner Stone consolidated with Brotherhood No. 218 on June 26, 1996, which became Corner Stone No. 216.

\*218 Brotherhood consolidated with Corner Stone No. 216 on June 26, 1996, which became Corner Stone No. 216.

Lodges enrolled, 219, extinct 32; working 187,

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| 1831    | *Robert P. Dunlap    | *Nathaniel Coffin    | *Amos Nourse         | *Reuben Nason        | *James B. Caboon | *William Lord      |
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| 1835    | *Reuel Washburn      | *David G. Magoun     | *Joel Miller         | *Abner B. Thompson   | *Benjamin Davis  | *Asaph R. Nichols  |
| 1836    | *Reuel Washburn      | *David G. Magoun     | *Joel Miller         | *Abner B. Thompson   | *Benjamin Davis  | *Philip C. Johnson |
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| 1839    | *Abner B. Thompson   | *Asaph R. Nichols    | *Thomas W. Smith     | *Stephen Webber      | *Benjamin Davis  | *Philip C. Johnson |
| 1840    | *Abner B. Thompson   | *Asaph R. Nichols    | *Thomas W. Smith     | *Stephen Webber      | *Benjamin Davis  | *Philip C. Johnson |
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| 1845    | *John T. Paine       | *Asaph R. Nichols    | *Alexander H. Putney | *John C. Humphreys   | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
| 1846    | *John T. Paine       | *Elisha Harding      | *Alexander H. Putney | *John C. Humphreys   | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
| 1847    | *Alexander H. Putney | *Samuel L. Valentine | *Alexander H. Putney | *Frye Hall           | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
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| 1849    | *Joseph C. Stevens   | *John C. Humphreys   | *Freeman Bradford    | *Stephen C. Webber   | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
| 1850    | *Joseph C. Stevens   | *John C. Humphreys   | *Freeman Bradford    | *Timothy Chase       | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
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| 1852    | *John C. Humphreys   | *Freeman Bradford    | *Timothy Chase       | *William Somerby     | *Henry H. Boody  | *Charles B. Smith  |
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| 1855    | *John Miller         | *Jabez True          | *Ezra B. French      | *William Kimball     | *Moses Dodge     | *Charles B. Smith  |
| 1856    | *Jabez True          | *Hiram Chase         | *Isaac Downing       | *William Allen       | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry         |
| 1857    | *Robert P. Dunlap    | *Hiram Chase         | *William Allen       | *John William        | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry         |
| 1858    | *Hiram Chase         | *Josiah H. Drummond  | *Gustavus F. Sargent | *Stephen B. Dockham  | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry         |
| 1859    | *Hiram Chase         | *Josiah H. Drummond  | *Gustavus F. Sargent | *Oliver Gerrish      | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry         |

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|------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1860 | *Josiah H. Drummond   | *William P. Preble    | *John J. Bell         | *Joseph Copvel        | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1861 | *Josiah H. Drummond   | *William P. Preble    | *John J. Bell         | *Francis J. Day       | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1862 | *Josiah H. Drummond   | *William P. Preble    | *David Bugbee         | *T. K. Osgood         | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1863 | *William P. Preble    | *John J. Bell         | *Edmund Hinckley      | *F. Loring Talbot     | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1864 | *William P. Preble    | *Timothy J. Murray    | *Francis L. Talbot    | *John H. Lynde        | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1865 | *William P. Preble    | *Timothy J. Murray    | *Francis L. Talbot    | *John H. Lynde        | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1866 | *Timothy J. Murray    | *John H. Lynde        | *David Cargill        | *Thaddeus R. Simonton | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1867 | *Timothy J. Murray    | *John H. Lynde        | *John H. Lynde        | *Thaddeus R. Simonton | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1868 | *Timothy J. Murray    | *John H. Lynde        | *David Cargill        | *Thaddeus R. Simonton | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1869 | *John H. Lynde        | *David Cargill        | *Thaddeus R. Simonton | *John W. Ballou       | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1870 | *John H. Lynde        | *David Cargill        | *Thaddeus R. Simonton | *John W. Ballou       | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1871 | *John H. Lynde        | *David Cargill        | *Albert Moore         | *Henry H. Dickey      | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1872 | *David Cargill        | *Albert Moore         | *Edward P. Burnham    | *William O. Poor      | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1873 | *David Cargill        | *Albert Moore         | *Edward P. Burnham    | *William O. Poor      | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1874 | *David Cargill        | *Albert Moore         | *Edward P. Burnham    | *William O. Poor      | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1875 | *Albert Moore         | *Edward P. Burnham    | *William O. Poor      | *Charles I. Collamore | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1876 | *Albert Moore         | *Edward P. Burnham    | *Charles I. Collamore | *A.M. Wetherbee       | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1877 | *Edward P. Burnham    | *Charles I. Collamore | *Marquis F. King      | *S. J. Chadbourne     | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1878 | *Edward P. Burnham    | *Charles I. Collamore | *Marquis F. King      | *S. J. Chadbourne     | *Moses Dodge     | *Ira Berry        |
| 1879 | *Charles I. Collamore | *Marquis F. King      | *Sumner T. Chadbourne | *Edwin Howard Vose    | *William O. Fox  | *Ira Berry        |
| 1880 | *Charles I. Collamore | *Marquis F. King      | *William R. G. Estes  | *Archie L. Talbot     | *William O. Fox  | *Ira Berry        |
| 1881 | *Marquis F. King      | *Marquis F. King      | *John B. Redman       | *Fessenden I. Day     | *William O. Fox  | *Ira Berry        |
| 1882 | *Marquis F. King      | *William R. G. Estes  | *Arlington B. Marston | *Charles W. Haney     | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1883 | *William R. G. Estes  | *Fessenden I. Day     | *William H. Smith     | *Goodwin R. Wiley     | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1884 | *William R. G. Estes  | *Fessenden I. Day     | *Frank E. Sleeper     | *Augustus Bailey      | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1885 | *Fessenden I. Day     | *Frank E. Sleeper     | *Joseph M. Hayes      | *Henry R. Taylor      | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1886 | *Fessenden I. Day     | *Frank E. Sleeper     | *Albro E. Chase       | *Benjamin Ames        | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1887 | *Frank E. Sleeper     | *Albro E. Chase       | *Horace H. Burbank    | *Willford J. Fisher   | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1888 | *Frank E. Sleeper     | *Albro E. Chase       | *Leander M. Kennison  | *Samuel G. Davis      | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1889 | *Albro E. Chase       | *Henry R. Taylor      | *Manley G. Trask      | *Algermon M. Roak     | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1890 | *Albro E. Chase       | *Henry R. Taylor      | *Daniel P. Boynton    | *E. B. Mallet, Jr.    | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1891 | *Henry R. Taylor      | *Horace H. Burbank    | *George R. Shaw       | *Samuel L. Miller     | *Frederick Fox   | *Ira Berry        |
| 1892 | *Henry R. Taylor      | *Horace H. Burbank    | *Augustus B. Farnham  | *Howard D. Smith      | *Frederick Fox   | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1893 | *Horace H. Burbank    | *Augustus B. Farnham  | *Joseph A. Locke      | *William F. Lord      | *Frederick Fox   | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1894 | *Horace H. Burbank    | *Augustus B. Farnham  | *Herbert Harris       | *Gustavus H. Cargill  | *Frederick Fox   | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1895 | *Augustus B. Farnham  | *Joseph A. Locke      | *Winfield S. Choate   | *Moses Tait           | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1896 | *Augustus B. Farnham  | *Joseph A. Locke      | *Albert M. Penley     | *Benjamin L. Hadley   | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1897 | *Joseph A. Locke      | *Winfield S. Choate   | *Alfred S. Kimball    | *Enoch O. Greenleaf   | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1898 | *Joseph A. Locke      | *Alfred S. Choate     | *Elmer P. Spofford    | *Enoch O. Greenleaf   | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1899 | *Winfield S. Choate   | *Alfred S. Kimball    | *William J. Burnham   | *Millard M. Caswell   | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1900 | *Winfield S. Choate   | *Alfred S. Kimball    | *James E. Parsons     | *Franklin R. Reddon   | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |
|      |                       |                       |                       | *John H. McGorrell    | *Marquis F. King | *Stephen Berry    |

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|------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1901 | *Alfred S. Kimball  | *William J. Burnham  | *Hugh R. Chaplin      | *Adebert Millett       | *Marquis F. King     | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1902 | *Alfred S. Kimball  | *William J. Burnham  | *Edwin A. Porter      | *James C. Ayer         | *Marquis F. King     | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1903 | *William J. Burnham | *Hugh R. Chaplin     | *Charles W. Crosby    | *Charles F. Paine      | *Marquis F. King     | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1904 | *Hugh R. Chaplin    | *Charles F. Johnson  | *W. Scott Shorey      | *George W. McClain     | *Marquis F. King     | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1905 | *Hugh R. Chaplin    | *Charles F. Johnson  | *Curtis R. Foster     | *Edward G. Weston      | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1906 | *Charles F. Johnson | *Edmund B. Mallet    | *James M. Larrabee    | *Albert M. Ames        | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1907 | *Charles F. Johnson | *Edmund B. Mallet    | *William N. Howe      | *Leon S. Howe          | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1908 | *Edmund B. Mallet   | *Ashley A. Smith     | *John Clair Minott    | *George W. Holmes      | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1909 | *Edmund B. Mallet   | *Ashley A. Smith     | *Frank J. Cole        | *Winifred S. Hineckley | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1910 | *Ashley A. Smith    | *Edmund B. Mallet    | *Isaac N. Jones       | *Sullivan L. Andrews   | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1911 | *Ashley A. Smith    | *Elmer P. Spofford   | *Frank E. Monroe      | *Convers E. Leach      | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1912 | *Elmer P. Spofford  | *Thomas H. Bodge     | *Waldo Pettengill     | *Ernest P. Parlin      | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1913 | *Elmer P. Spofford  | *Thomas H. Bodge     | *Fred C. Chalmers     | *George A. Gilpatrick  | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1914 | *Thomas H. Bodge    | *Waldo Pettengill    | *Isaac A. Clough      | *Clifford J. Patten    | *Millard F. Hicks    | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1915 | *Thomas H. Bodge    | *Waldo Pettengill    | *Fred Raymond         | *Frank B. Arnold       | *Albro E. Chase      | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1916 | *Waldo Pettengill   | *Silas B. Adams      | *Ralph W. Moore       | *Albert H. Newbert     | *Albro E. Chase      | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1917 | *Waldo Pettengill   | *Silas B. Adams      | *James H. Witherell   | *Edwin K. Smith        | *Albro E. Chase      | *Stephen Berry    |
| 1918 | *Silas B. Adams     | *Edward W. Wheeler   | *Willis A. Ricker     | *Carroll S. Douglass   | *Albro E. Chase      | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1919 | *Silas B. Adams     | *Edward W. Wheeler   | *William S. Davidson  | *Wallace N. Price      | *Albro E. Chase      | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1920 | *Edward W. Wheeler  | *Albert M. Spear     | *John J. Maarr        | *Lee M. Smith          | *Albro E. Chase      | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1921 | *Edward W. Wheeler  | *Albert M. Spear     | *John M. Burleigh     | *Allen L. Curtis       | *Albro E. Chase      | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1922 | *Albert M. Spear    | *David E. Moulton    | *Levman B. Soper      | *Charles M. Farrar     | *Edmund B. Mallet    | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1923 | *Albert M. Spear    | *David E. Moulton    | *Frederick O. Eaton   | *Daniel G. Chaplin     | *Edmund B. Mallet    | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1924 | *David E. Moulton   | *David L. Wilson     | *Frank P. Denaco      | *Erwin G. Ryder        | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1925 | *David E. Moulton   | *David L. Wilson     | *Harry E. Rowe        | *James Richan          | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1926 | *David L. Wilson    | *Harold E. Cooke     | *James Abernethy      | *Eugene A. Whittridge  | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1927 | *David L. Wilson    | *Harold E. Cooke     | *E. Murray Graham     | *Ernest J. Record      | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1928 | *Harold E. Cooke    | *Cyrus N. Blanchard  | *William S. Holmes    | *Norris S. Lord        | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1929 | *Harold E. Cooke    | *Cyrus N. Blanchard  | *Alwood E. Cushman    | *Henry W. Marston      | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1930 | *Cyrus N. Blanchard | *Ernest C. Butler    | *William A. Small     | *Eban W. Loring        | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1931 | *Cyrus N. Blanchard | *Ernest C. Butler    | *J. Blaine Morrison   | *George W. Haskell     | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Charles B. Davis |
| 1932 | *Ernest C. Butler   | *Clark D. Chapman    | *Augustus E. Campbell | *George F. Giddings    | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1933 | *Ernest C. Butler   | *Clark D. Chapman    | *Irving R. Case       | *George H. Minott      | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1934 | *Clark D. Chapman   | *Henry R. Gillis     | *George N. Stevens    | *Henry D. Davis        | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1935 | *Clark D. Chapman   | *Henry R. Gillis     | *Manson D. Brown      | *Harry S. Grindall     | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1936 | *Henry R. Gillis    | *Samuel B. Furbish   | *John L. Tewksbury    | *James P. Bunker       | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1937 | *Henry R. Gillis    | *George F. Giddings  | *Charles E. Tuttle    | *Harvey L. Haskell     | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1938 | *George F. Giddings | *Harold H. Murchie   | *Arthur E. Lander     | *John L. Polleys       | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1939 | *George F. Giddings | *Harold H. Murchie   | *William D. Bruce     | *Edward H. Britton     | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |
| 1940 | *Harold H. Murchie  | *Benjamin L. Hadley  | *Frank W. Fuller      | *Carroll W. Keene      | *Herbert N. Maxfield | *Convers E. Leach |

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| 1941 | *Harold H. Murchie    | *Benjamin L. Hadley   | *William I. Levensalor  | *Elbert G. Moulton     | *Herbert N. Maxfield     | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1942 | *Benjamin L. Hadley   | *Ralph J. Pollard     | *Ervin E. J. Lander     | *Amos A. Carter        | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1943 | *Benjamin L. Hadley   | *Charles E. Crossland | *Clarence J. Perham     | *Arthur W. Stockbridge | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1944 | *Charles E. Crossland | *Carroll W. Keene     | *Harold L. Gerrish      | *Earle D. Webster      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1945 | *Charles E. Crossland | *Carroll W. Keene     | *Harold L. Gerrish      | *Earle D. Webster      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1946 | *Carroll W. Keene     | *Granville C. Gray    | *Clyde French           | *Frederick C. Louder   | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1947 | *Carroll W. Keene     | *Granville C. Gray    | *Elmer P. Smart         | *Wesley L. Oxtom       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1948 | *Granville C. Gray    | *Ervin E. J. Lander   | *Frank L. Milan         | *James A. Sanker       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1949 | *Granville C. Gray    | *Ervin E. J. Lander   | *Judson P. Lord         | *Merton E. Leach       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1950 | *Ervin E. J. Lander   | *Benjamin W. Ela      | *Lewis T. Brown         | *Harry J. Rollins      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1951 | *Ervin E. J. Lander   | *Benjamin W. Ela      | *George R. Caswell      | *Fred J. Lowell        | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1952 | *Benjamin W. Ela      | *Paul L. Powers       | *Everett S. Higgins     | *Adin L. Hopkins       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1953 | *Benjamin W. Ela      | *Paul L. Powers       | *Arthur W. Seaward      | *Clifford H. M. Perry  | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1954 | *Paul L. Powers       | *Aubrey L. Burbank    | *Philip T. Tingley      | *Merrill R. Kirtidge   | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1955 | *Paul L. Powers       | *Aubrey L. Burbank    | *Royal L. Cleaves       | *Harold W. Blaisdell   | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Convers E. Leach   |
| 1956 | *Aubrey L. Burbank    | *John M. Littlefield  | *B. Glen McGee          | *Norman W. Lindquist   | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1957 | *Aubrey L. Burbank    | *John M. Littlefield  | *Andrew M. Lund         | *Isaiah J. Jackson     | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1958 | *John M. Littlefield  | *Leon M. Sanborn      | *Richard C. Cookson     | *Elmer S. Doe          | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1959 | *John M. Littlefield  | *Leon M. Sanborn      | *Malcolm R. Hollis      | *Donald T. Page        | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1960 | *Leon M. Sanborn      | *Raymond M. Rideout   | *Glendon R. Ayer        | *Victor N. Greene      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1961 | *Leon M. Sanborn      | *Raymond M. Rideout   | *Reginald F. Berry      | *Harold L. Chute       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1962 | *Raymond M. Rideout   | *Wallace H. Campbell  | *Albert W. Hoffses      | *Laurence G. Higgins   | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1963 | *Raymond M. Rideout   | *Wallace H. Campbell  | -Gilbert R. Chadbourn   | *B. Warren Dodge       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1964 | *Wallace H. Campbell  | *M. Donald Gardner    | *Gilbert R. Chadbourn   | *Howard R. Millar      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1965 | *Wallace H. Campbell  | *M. Donald Gardner    | *John H. Lee            | *Charles A. Duncan     | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1966 | *M. Donald Gardner    | *Harold L. Chute      | *Roger I. White         | *Lewis E. Russell      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1967 | *M. Donald Gardner    | *Harold L. Chute      | *Emery L. Scribner, Jr. | *Elmer J. Newell       | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1968 | *Harold L. Chute      | *Roger I. White       | *Edward E. Haskell      | *Charles S. Brown      | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1969 | *Harold L. Chute      | *Roger I. White       | *Aubrey H. Chase        | *Roger P. Snelling     | *H. Norton Maxfield, Jr. | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1970 | *Roger I. White       | *Charles R. Glassmire | *Francis S. Harvey      | *Millard A. Whitney    | *Robert M. Fletcher      | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1971 | *Roger I. White       | *Charles R. Glassmire | *Elmer G. Hayward       | *Clarence L. Todd      | *Robert M. Fletcher      | *Earle D. Webster   |
| 1972 | *Charles R. Glassmire | *George E. Pushard    | *Peter C. Schmidt       | *Philip L. Sprague     | *Robert M. Fletcher      | *Ervin E. J. Lander |
| 1973 | *Charles R. Glassmire | *George E. Pushard    | Herschel K. McIntosh    | *John S. Turner        | *Robert M. Fletcher      | *Ervin E. J. Lander |
| 1974 | *George E. Pushard    | *Donald S. Smith      | *Willard A. Vincent     | *Stanley F. Sampson    | *Robert M. Fletcher      | *Ervin E. J. Lander |
| 1975 | *George E. Pushard    | *Donald S. Smith      | *Robert E. Strout       | *Clarence J. Johnson   | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |
| 1976 | *Donald S. Smith      | Roger P. Snelling     | Oscar M. Hartford       | *Richard H. Haskell    | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |
| 1977 | *Donald S. Smith      | Roger P. Snelling     | *Walter H. Moore        | Franklin R. Barclay    | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |
| 1978 | Roger P. Snelling     | *Harlan F. Small      | *Alfred E. Neff         | Robert G. W. Lohley    | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |
| 1979 | Roger P. Snelling     | *Harlan F. Small      | N. James Coolog         | *Wilbur F. Lovett      | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |
| 1980 | *Harlan F. Small      | *C. Ross Buzzell      | Royce G. Wheeler        | John E. Anagnostis     | Bruce S. Tomquist        | *Peter C. Schmidt   |

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| 1981 | *Harlan F. Small     | *C. Ross Buzzell      | Sherel T. Collamore     | *Ralph E. Bayliss      | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Peter C. Schmidt  |
| 1982 | *C. Ross Buzzell     | *Peter C. Schmidt     | *Ernest H. Curtis       | *Haven McGrillis       | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1983 | *Peter C. Schmidt    | *Ernest H. Curtis     | Edward I. Curtis        | James R. Buss          | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1984 | *Peter C. Schmidt    | *Ernest H. Curtis     | *William A. Oliver      | *Arthur C. Frieder     | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1985 | *Peter C. Schmidt    | *Ernest H. Curtis     | Robert V. Damon         | Carroll B. Knox        | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1986 | *Ernest H. Curtis    | John E. Anagnostis    | Harland S. Hitchings    | *Donald E. Bowden      | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1987 | *Ernest H. Curtis    | John E. Anagnostis    | Gerald C. Plickard      | Gordon L. Kimball, Sr. | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1988 | John E. Anagnostis   | Robert V. Damon       | George P. Pulkkinen     | Reginald W. Wing       | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1989 | John E. Anagnostis   | Robert V. Damon       | Ronald G. Forrest       | *C. Wilfred Brann      | Bruce S. Tomquist       | *Edwin V. George   |
| 1990 | Robert V. Damon      | George P. Pulkkinen   | Charles W. Plummer      | *Sidney Lerman         | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1991 | Robert V. Damon      | George P. Pulkkinen   | *Leon A. Carpenter      | Donald B. Wiswell      | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1992 | George P. Pulkkinen  | Harland S. Hitchings  | William H. Sretton      | Vernon G. Bean         | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1993 | George P. Pulkkinen  | Harland S. Hitchings  | Douglas B. Taylor       | Richard B. Farrington  | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1994 | Harland S. Hitchings | Walter M. Macdougall  | Brian A. Paradis        | Wayne T. Adams         | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1995 | Harland S. Hitchings | Walter M. Macdougall  | Charles E. Ridlon       | *Robert W. Johnston    | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1996 | Walter M. Macdougall | Brian A. Paradis      | John R. Zaiser, Sr.     | Kenneth L. Richardson  | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1997 | Walter M. Macdougall | Brian A. Paradis      | John B. Greenleaf       | Daniel C. Pratt        | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1998 | Brian A. Paradis     | Wayne T. Adams        | George M.A. Macdougall  | Robert W. Sawyer, IV   | Bruce S. Tomquist       | John E. Anagnostis |
| 1999 | Brian A. Paradis     | Wayne T. Adams        | W. Louis Greenier, II   | C. Herbert Annis, Jr.  | Bruce S. Tomquist ++    | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2000 | Wayne T. Adams       | Charles E. Ridlon     | Frederic B. Campbell    | Patrick C. Whitney     | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2001 | Wayne T. Adams       | Charles E. Ridlon     | John A. Lagerquist      | Richard L. Bowden      | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2002 | Charles E. Ridlon    | Claire V. Tusch       | David A. Walker         | Gerald S. Leighton     | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2003 | Charles E. Ridlon    | Claire V. Tusch       | Alan R. Heath           | Alvin O. McDonald      | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2004 | Claire V. Tusch      | Gerald S. Leighton    | Bradford D. Blake       | Randy L. Adams         | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2005 | Claire V. Tusch      | Gerald S. Leighton    | Robert R. Landry        | Guy F. Chapman         | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2006 | Gerald S. Leighton   | Robert R. Landry      | Frank M. Thernault, Jr. | Robert A. Hoyt         | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2007 | Gerald S. Leighton   | Robert R. Landry      | Lester F. Smith         | Water E. Kyllonen      | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |
| 2008 | Robert R. Landry     | W. Louis Greenier, II | A. James Ross           | Ralph G. Knowles       | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. | Hollis G. Dixon    |

++ John A. Lagerquist appointed by Grand Master Brian A. Paradis to serve as Grand Treasurer upon the retirement of Bruce S. Tomquist

\*Deceased

+Demitted

**RECAPITULATION 2007**

|                                                 |                 |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Lodges, enrolled .....                          | 219             |
| Lodges, extinct .....                           | 31              |
| Lodges, working .....                           | 188             |
| Lodge of Research .....                         | 1               |
| Lodges represented at Communication, 2008 ..... | 163             |
| Number of Delegates .....                       | 520             |
| Lodges to make returns .....                    | 188             |
| Making returns on time .....                    | 113             |
| Raised.....                                     | 460             |
| Affiliated .....                                | 139             |
| Re-instated .....                               | 89              |
| Total increase .....                            | 688             |
| Demitted.....                                   | 141             |
| Died.....                                       | 740             |
| Suspended .....                                 | 8               |
| Deprived.....                                   | 0               |
| Expelled .....                                  | 0               |
| Suspended N.P.D .....                           | 310             |
| Total loss.....                                 | 1,199           |
| Net loss .....                                  | 511             |
| <br>                                            |                 |
| Membership, January 1, 2007 .....               | 22,301          |
| Membership, January 1, 2008 .....               | 21,066          |
| Dual Members .....                              | 56              |
| <br>                                            |                 |
| Grand Lodge Receipts .....                      | \$ 618,867.26   |
| Grand Lodge Disbursements .....                 | \$ 654,185.68   |
| Amount of Charity Fund .....                    | \$14,830,786.21 |

INSCRIBED  
TO THE MEMORY  
OF

**R.W. Wilbur F. Loveitt**

Junior Grand Warden

1979 - 1980

District Deputy Grand Master

1973 - 1975

Born at Georgetown, Maine, March 14, 1928

Died at Lewiston, Maine, June 3, 2007

INSCRIBED  
TO THE MEMORY  
OF

**R.W. Ralph W. Johnson, Sr.**  
District Deputy Grand Master  
2006 - 2007

Born at So. Portland, Maine, February 2, 1930  
Died at Waterville, Maine, June 11, 2007



INSCRIBED  
TO THE MEMORY  
OF

**R.W. Stanley F. Sampson**

Junior Grand Warden

1974 - 1975

Grand Junior Deacon

1972 - 1973

Grand Marshal

1978 - 1979

Born at Turner, Maine, February 15, 1916

Died at Windham, Maine, July 15, 2007

INSCRIBED  
TO THE MEMORY  
OF

**R.W. Charles S. Brown**

Junior Grand Warden

1967 - 1969

Grand Standard Bearer

1966 - 1967

District Deputy Grand Master

1964 - 1965

Born at Morrill, Maine, May 8, 1926

Died at Rockport, Maine, August 26, 2007

INSCRIBED  
TO THE MEMORY  
OF

**R.W. William A. Oliver**

Senior Grand Warden

1984 - 1985

Assistant Grand Lecturer

1980 - 1982

District Deputy Grand Master

1977 - 1978

Born at Scranton, PA, April 13, 1928

Died at Bangor, Maine, September 25, 2007

IN MEMORY  
OF THE  
SEVEN HUNDRED AND FORTY  
MASTER MASONS OF MAINE  
WHO HAVE DIED SINCE LAST WE MET  
IN 2007

IN MEMORY  
OF THE  
**ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN**  
OF  
SISTER GRAND JURISDICTIONS  
WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY DURING THE  
PAST YEAR

**JOSIAH HAYDEN DRUMMOND  
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDALS**

Under the provisions of Standing Regulation No. 27 Drummond Medals have been presented to the following:

|               |                                                       |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| Dec. 27, 1939 | Joseph Earl Perry, Mass., by G. M. Giddings           |
| Dec. 27, 1939 | Melvin M. Johnson, Mass., by G. M. Giddings           |
| Dec. 27, 1939 | Frederick W. Hamilton, Mass., by G. M. Giddings       |
| May 7, 1940   | Ashley A. Smith, Maine, by G. M. Giddings             |
| May 7, 1940   | Thomas H. Bodge, Maine, by G. M. Giddings             |
| May 7, 1940   | Edward E. Wheeler, Maine, by G. M. Giddings           |
| May 7, 1940   | David E. Moulton, Maine, by G. M. Giddings            |
| May 7, 1940   | David L. Wilson, Maine, by G. M. Giddings             |
| May 7, 1940   | Cyrus N. Blanchard, Maine, by G. M. Giddings          |
| May 7, 1940   | Ernest C. Butler, Maine, by G. M. Giddings            |
| May 7, 1940   | Clark D. Chapman, Maine, by G. M. Giddings            |
| May 7, 1940   | Henry R. Gillis, Maine, by G. M. Giddings             |
| May 7, 1940   | Conveys E. Leach, Maine, by G. M. Giddings            |
| May 7, 1940   | Frank J. Cole, Maine, by G. M. Giddings               |
| May 9, 1940   | George F. Giddings, Maine, by G. M. Murchie           |
| Apr. 23, 1941 | Charles H. Johnson, N.Y., by G. M. Murchie            |
| May 4, 1942   | Albert A. Schaefer, Mass., by G. M. Murchie           |
| May 7, 1942   | Ralph J. Pollard, Maine, by G. M. Murchie             |
| May 4, 1943   | Harold H. Murchie, by G. M. Hadley                    |
| May 4, 1943   | Walter W. Williamson, by G. M. Hadley                 |
| May 3, 1944   | Charles E. Crossland, by G. M. Hadley                 |
| May 1, 1945   | Benjamin L. Hadley, by G. M. Crossland                |
| May 8, 1946   | P. Conant Voter, Vt., by G. M. Crossland              |
| May 9, 1946   | Ansel A. Packard, Conn., by G. M. Crossland, for 1945 |
| May 6, 1947   | Ray V. Denslow, Missouri, by G. M. Keene              |
| May 6, 1947   | Ervin E. J. Lander, Maine, by G. M. Keene             |
| May 5, 1948   | John Temple Rice, Texas, by G. M. Keene               |
| May 5, 1948   | Frank C. Allen, Maine, by G. M. Keene                 |
| May 4, 1949   | Earl E. Dusenbery, Iowa, by G. M. Gray                |
| May 4, 1949   | George W. Haskell, Maine, by G. M. Gray               |
| May 5, 1949   | Carroll W. Keene, Maine, by G. M. Gray                |
| Aug. 25, 1949 | Donald C. Malcolm, by G. M. Gray                      |
| May 4, 1950   | Granville C. Gray, by Ervin E. J. Lander              |
| May 1, 1951   | Karl J. Mohr, by Ervin E. J. Lander                   |
| May 3, 1951   | H. Norton Maxfield, by Ervin E. J. Lander             |
| May 8, 1952   | Thomas S. Roy, by Ervin E. J. Lander                  |
| May 8, 1952   | John M. Littlefield, by Benjamin W. Ela               |
| May 4, 1953   | Wallace E. Caldwell, by Benjamin W. Ela               |
| May 4, 1954   | Harry S. Grindall, by Benjamin W. Ela                 |
| May 5, 1954   | Whitfield W. Johnson, by Benjamin W. Ela              |
| May 5, 1954   | Benjamin W. Ela, by Paul L. Powers                    |

- May 3, 1955 Carl H. Claudy, by Paul L. Powers  
 May 1, 1956 Frank S. Land, by Paul L. Powers  
 May 1, 1956 George R. Caswell, by Paul L. Powers  
 May 3, 1956 Paul L. Powers, by Aubrey L. Burbank  
 April 25, 1957 L. Wade Temple, by Aubrey L. Burbank  
 May 6, 1958 Charles H. Nitsch, by Aubrey L. Burbank  
 May 6, 1958 Lewman B. Soper, by Aubrey L. Burbank  
 May 8, 1958 Aubrey L. Burbank, by John M. Littlefield  
 May 5, 1959 James Luther Jordan, by John M. Littlefield  
 May 3, 1960 Clarence M. Pitts, by John M. Littlefield  
 May 3, 1960 Irving I. Goodof, by John M. Littlefield  
 May 2, 1961 Conrad Hahn, by Leon M. Sanborn  
 May 3, 1961 Alvoid E. Cushman, by Leon M. Sanborn  
 May 1, 1962 N. Dean Rowe, by Leon M. Sanborn  
 May 2, 1962 Earle D. Webster, by Leon M. Sanborn  
 May 3, 1962 Leon M. Sanborn, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.  
 May 7, 1963 Archer B. Gay, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.  
 May 5, 1964 William E. Burier, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.  
 May 6, 1964 Richard C. Cookson, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.  
 May 6, 1964 Raymond M. Rideout, by Wallace H. Campbell  
 May 4, 1965 Dwight L. Smith, by Wallace H. Campbell  
 May 5, 1965 Philip D. Tingley, by Wallace H. Campbell  
 May 3, 1966 Waldron C. Biggs, by Wallace H. Campbell  
 May 4, 1966 Wallace H. Campbell, by M. Donald Gardner  
 May 2, 1967 George A. Newbury, by M. Donald Gardner  
 May 7, 1968 William H. Cantwell, by M. Donald Gardner  
 May 8, 1968 M. Donald Gardner, by Harold L. Chute  
 May 6, 1969 Albert P. Ruerat, by Harold L. Chute  
 May 7, 1969 Clifford H. M. Perry, by Harold L. Chute  
 May 5, 1970 Allen E. Roberts, by Harold L. Chute  
 May 6, 1970 Harold L. Chute, by Roger I. White  
 May 3, 1971 Irvin R. Pusey, by Roger I. White  
 May 2, 1972 Stanley A. Johnson, by Roger I. White  
 May 3, 1972 Roger I. White, by Charles R. Glassmire  
 May 1, 1973 W. Orville Kimmel, by Charles R. Glassmire  
 May 1, 1973 Donald S. Smith, by Charles R. Glassmire  
 May 6, 1974 Marvin E. Fowley, by Charles R. Glassmire  
 May 6, 1974 Merrill R. Kittredge, by Charles R. Glassmire  
 May 7, 1974 Charles R. Glassmire, by George R. Pushard  
 May 6, 1975 Lloyd S. Cochran, by George E. Pushard  
 May 4, 1976 Stanley F. Maxwell, by George E. Pushard  
 May 5, 1976 George E. Pushard, by Donald S. Smith  
 May 3, 1977 Eric W. Nancekivell, by Donald S. Smith  
 May 4, 1977 Harlan F. Small, by Donald S. Smith  
 May 2, 1978 James D. Penley, Jr., by Donald S. Smith  
 May 2, 1978 Peter C. Schmidt, by Donald S. Smith  
 May 1, 1979 John L. McCain, by Roger P. Snelling

|                |                                               |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| May 1, 1979    | Ernest H. Curtis, by Roger P. Snelling        |
| May 6, 1980    | Edger N. Peppler, by Roger P. Snelling        |
| May 6, 1980    | Millard A. Whitney, by Roger P. Snelling      |
| May 7, 1980    | Roger P. Snelling, by Harlan F. Small         |
| May 5, 1981    | Edwin V. George, by Harlan F. Small           |
| May 4, 1982    | Jerry C. Razor, by Harlan F. Small            |
| May 5, 1982    | Royce G. Wheeler, by Harlan F. Small          |
| May 3, 1983    | John S. Schlett, by C. Ross Buzzell           |
| May 3, 1983    | Edward E. Haskell, by C. Ross Buzzell         |
| May 1, 1984    | Thomas R. Dougherty, by C. Ross Buzzell.      |
| May 1, 1984    | Walter M. Macdougall, by C. Ross Buzzell.     |
| May 2, 1984    | C. Ross Buzzell, by Peter C. Schmidt          |
| May 7, 1985    | William A. Carpenter, by Peter C. Schmidt.    |
| May 7, 1985    | Bruce S. Tornquist, by Peter C. Schmidt.      |
| May 6, 1986    | Edward I. Emery, by Peter C. Schmidt.         |
| May 5, 1987    | Carl W. Stenberg, Jr., by Ernest H. Curtis.   |
| May 5, 1987    | Stanley F. Sampson, by Ernest H. Curtis.      |
| May 3, 1988    | Richard E. Fletcher, by Ernest H. Curtis.     |
| May 3, 1988    | N. James Coolong, by Ernest H. Curtis.        |
| May 3, 1988    | Jack Frazier, by John E. Anagnostis.          |
| May 4, 1989    | George P. Pulkkinen, by John E. Anagnostis.   |
| Sept. 30, 1989 | Franklin G. Hinckley, by John E. Anagnostis.  |
| May 2, 1990    | John E. Anagnostis, by Robert V. Damon.       |
| May 7, 1991    | Carroll M. Fogg, by Robert V. Damon           |
| May 8, 1991    | Charles S. Partridge, by Robert V. Damon      |
| May 5, 1992    | W. Scott Stoner, by Robert V. Damon           |
| May 5, 1992    | Charles W. Plummer, by Robert V. Damon        |
| May 5, 1992    | Robert V. Damon, by George P. Pulkkinen       |
| May 3, 1993    | Robert L. Steadman by George P. Pulkkinen     |
| May 4, 1993    | Edward L. Fenderson by George P. Pulkkinen    |
| May 4, 1994    | W. Louis Greenier, II by George P. Pulkkinen  |
| May 1, 1995    | Robert O. Ralston by Harland S. Hitchings     |
| July 9, 1995   | Stewart M. L. Pollard by Harland S. Hitchings |
| May 6, 1996    | Donald Maynard Robey by Harland S. Hitchings  |
| May 7, 1996    | Clovis A. Frame by Harland S. Hitchings       |
| May 8, 1996    | Harland S. Hitchings by Walter M. Macdougall  |
| May 6, 1997    | Wayne T. Adams by Walter M. Macdougall        |
| May 6, 1997    | Wilbur F. Loveitt by Walter M. Macdougall     |
| May 4, 1998    | Thomas W. Jackson by Walter M. Macdougall     |
| May 5, 1998    | Richard L. Rhoda by Walter M. Macdougall      |
| May 3, 1999    | Robert W. Clarke by Brian A. Paradis          |
| May 4, 1999    | Charles E. Ridlon by Brian A. Paradis         |
| May 1, 2000    | Ronald W. Simpson by Brian A. Paradis         |
| May 2, 2000    | John D. Baggett by Brian A. Paradis           |
| May 3, 2000    | Brian A. Paradis by Wayne T. Adams            |
| April 25, 2001 | Fred K. Bauer by Wayne T. Adams               |
| May 12, 2001   | Gerald C. Pickard by Wayne T. Adams           |



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|----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| March 23, 2002 | R. Wayne Hitchcock by Wayne T. Adams      |
| May 11, 2002   | Charles W. Barker by Wayne T. Adams       |
| May 9, 2003    | Charles S. Brown by Charles E. Ridlon     |
| May 9, 2003    | Walter E. Webber by Charles E. Ridlon     |
| March 6 2004   | Donald G. Hicks, Jr. by Charles E. Ridlon |
| May 4, 2004    | Alvin O. MacDonald by Charles E. Ridlon   |
| May 7, 2005    | Richard L. Bowden by Claire V. Tusch      |
| May 7, 2005    | Ronald G. Belanger by Claire V. Tusch     |
| May 2, 2006    | Gerald S. Leighton by Claire V. Tusch     |
| May 3, 2006    | Guy F. Chapman by Claire V. Tusch         |
| May 3, 2006    | Claire V. Tusch by Gerald S. Leighton     |
| May 1, 2007    | Hollis G. Dixon by Gerald S. Leighton     |
| May 1, 2007    | Edward L. King by Gerald S. Leighton      |
| May 6, 2008    | Robert R. Landry by Gerald S. Leighton    |
| May 6, 2008    | Walter E. Kyllonen by Gerald S. Leighton  |

**SIMON GREENLEAF MEDALS**

Under the provisions of Standing Regulation No. 46, Simon Greenleaf Medals have been presented to the following:

|               |                                                |
|---------------|------------------------------------------------|
| May 1, 1956   | Frederick C. Davis, by Paul L. Powers          |
| May 1, 1956   | M. Gerry Plummer, by Paul L. Powers            |
| May 7, 1957   | Henry Doherty, by Aubrey L. Burbank            |
| May 8, 1957   | Elmer S. Doe, by Aubrey L. Burbank             |
| May 6, 1958   | Rev. Percy G. Cotton, by Aubrey L. Burbank     |
| May 6, 1958   | Herschel P. Boynton, by Aubrey L. Burbank      |
| May 3, 1960   | Horace M. Budd by John M. Littlefield          |
| May 4, 1960   | Harold L. Chute, by John M. Littlefield        |
| May 2, 1961   | Peter K. Constantine, by Leon M. Sanborn       |
| May 3, 1961   | Milton M. McGorrill, by Leon M. Sanborn        |
| May 4, 1961   | George P. Jackson by Leon M. Sanborn           |
| May 1, 1962   | Raymond H. Clark by Leon M. Sanborn            |
| May 7, 1963   | Harold S. Baker, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.    |
| May 8, 1963   | Aubrey H. Chase, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.    |
| May 5, 1964   | Harlan E. Irish, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.    |
| May 5, 1964   | Donald S. Higgins, by Raymond M. Rideout, Sr.  |
| May 4, 1965   | Elmer J. Russell, by Wallace H. Campbell       |
| May 5, 1965   | Robert S. Gass, by Wallace H. Campbell         |
| May 3, 1966   | John H. Reed, by Wallace H. Campbell           |
| May 3, 1966   | Norman J. Mee, by Wallace H. Campbell          |
| May 2, 1967   | James H. Doyle, by M. Donald Gardner           |
| May 7, 1968   | Roger L. Matthews, by M. Donald Gardner        |
| May 7, 1968   | Roger P. Snelling, by M. Donald Gardner        |
| Oct. 28, 1968 | Maurice J. Dionne, by Harold L. Chute          |
| May 6, 1969   | John S. Turner, by Harold L. Chute             |
| May 5, 1970   | Clarence L. Todd, by Harold L. Chute           |
| May 6, 1970   | Raymond W. Rand, by Harold L. Chute            |
| May 5, 1971   | Newell S. Perry, by Roger I. White             |
| May 6, 1971   | Malcolm H. Brewer, by Roger I. White           |
| May 2, 1972   | Alfred M. Squires, by Roger I. White           |
| May 2, 1972   | Roscoe A. Apgar, by Roger I. White             |
| May 1, 1973   | Sidney Lerman, by Charles R. Glassmire         |
| May 1, 1973   | Ernest H. Curtis, by Charles R. Glassmire      |
| May 6, 1974   | Oscar M. Hartford, by Charles R. Glassmire     |
| May 6, 1974   | Stewart M. L. Pollard, by Charles R. Glassmire |
| May 6, 1975   | Adelbert A. Carter, by George E. Pushard       |
| May 4, 1976   | Wilbur F. Loveitt, by George E. Pushard        |
| May 3, 1977   | Norman B. Swett, by Donald S. Smith            |
| May 3, 1977   | Edwin V. George, by Donald S. Smith            |
| May 2, 1978   | Rodney A. Pearl, by Donald S. Smith            |
| May 3, 1978   | Royce G. Wheeler, by Donald S. Smith           |
| May 1, 1979   | Franklin G. Hinckley, by Roger P. Snelling     |

|               |                                              |
|---------------|----------------------------------------------|
| May 1, 1979   | Walter A. Macdougall, by Roger P. Snelling   |
| May 6, 1980   | Haven F. McCrillis, by Roger P. Snelling     |
| May 6, 1980   | Reginald W. Wing, by Roger P. Snelling       |
| Nov. 22, 1980 | Louis E. Peters, by Harlan F. Small          |
| May 5, 1981   | Mason D. Shaw, by Harlan F. Small            |
| May 4, 1982   | Clayton E. Smith, by Harlan F. Small         |
| May 4, 1982   | Miles Brookes, by Harlan F. Small            |
| May 3, 1983   | Charles S. Brown, by C. Ross Buzzell         |
| May 3, 1983   | N. James Coolong, by C. Ross Buzzell         |
| May 1, 1984   | Florian L. Clark, by C. Ross Buzzell         |
| May 1, 1984   | Leslie E. Buzzell, by C. Ross Buzzell        |
| May 7, 1985   | Maurice H. Hutchings, by Peter C. Schmidt    |
| May 7, 1985   | Richard Files, by Peter C. Schmidt           |
| Apr. 30, 1986 | Edward A. Moulton, by Peter C. Schmidt       |
| May 6, 1986   | Roger B. Lincoln, by Peter C. Schmidt        |
| May 5, 1987   | Richard B. Olfene, by Ernest H. Curtis       |
| May 6, 1987   | George P. Pulkkinen, by Ernest H. Curtis     |
| May 3, 1988   | Donald A. Wilder, by Ernest H. Curtis        |
| May 3, 1988   | Arthur M. Griffiths, by Ernest H. Curtis     |
| May 1, 1990   | Robert W. Philbrook, by John E. Anagnostis   |
| May 1, 1990   | Robert L. Witham, by John E. Anagnostis      |
| May 26, 1990  | Gordon L. Evans, by Robert V. Damon          |
| May 8, 1991   | H. Frederic Cheney, by Robert V. Damon       |
| May 5, 1992   | Harry N. Kearney, by Robert V. Damon         |
| May 5, 1992   | Wayne T. Adams, by Robert V. Damon           |
| May 3, 1993   | David C. Fairbairn by George P. Pulkkinen    |
| May 5, 1993   | H. Donald James by George P. Pulkkinen       |
| May 3, 1994   | Colwyn F. Haskell by George P. Pulkkinen     |
| May 3, 1994   | Brian A. Paradis by George P. Pulkkinen      |
| May 2, 1995   | James E. Dufresne by Harland S. Hitchings    |
| May 3, 1995   | Wallace M. Gage by Harland S. Hitchings      |
| May 7, 1996   | Raymond J. McLellan by Harland S. Hitchings  |
| May 8, 1996   | John R. Zaiser, Sr., by Harland S. Hitchings |
| May 6, 1997   | Robert A. Waugh, by Walter M. Macdougall     |
| May 6, 1997   | Harold W. Crocker, by Walter M. Macdougall   |
| May 5, 1998   | David E. Wigley, by Walter M. Macdougall     |
| May 5, 1998   | Richard E. Lurette, by Walter M. Macdougall  |
| May 4, 1999   | William H. Stretton, by Brian A. Paradis     |
| May 4, 1999   | Gilbert P. Prevost, Sr., by Brian A. Paradis |
| May 2, 2000   | Frederic B. Campbell by Brian A. Paradis     |
| May 2, 2000   | Alan R. Heath by Brian A. Paradis            |
| May 12, 2001  | David A. Walker by Wayne T. Adams            |
| May 12, 2001  | Walter E. Kyllonen by Wayne T. Adams         |
| May 11, 2002  | John A. Lagerquist by Wayne T. Adams         |
| May 11, 2002  | Claire V. Tusch by Wayne T. Adams            |
| May 9, 2003   | Robert N. Walker by Charles E. Ridlon        |
| May 9, 2003   | Hollis G. Dixon by Charles E. Ridlon         |

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|-------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| May 4, 2004 | Harold E. McKenney, Jr. by Charles E. Ridlon  |
| May 4, 2004 | Bradford D. Blake by Charles E. Ridlon        |
| May 6, 2005 | Randall S. Burleigh by Claire V. Tusch        |
| May 6, 2005 | Wendall T. Graham by Claire V. Tusch          |
| May 2, 2006 | A. James Ross by Claire V. Tusch              |
| May 3, 2006 | Stephen E. Nichols by Claire V. Tusch         |
| May 1, 2007 | Leslie M. Gray by Gerald S. Leighton          |
| May 1, 2007 | Thomas A. Heath by Gerald S. Leighton         |
| May 6, 2008 | Frank M. Theriault, Jr. by Gerald S. Leighton |
| May 7, 2008 | Robert A. Hoyt by Gerald S. Leighton          |

**RAYMOND M. RIDEOUT  
MASONIC EDUCATION AWARDS**

|      |                       |
|------|-----------------------|
| 1973 | Ashlar No. 105        |
| 1974 | St. John's No. 51     |
| 1975 | St. John's No. 51     |
| 1976 | St. John's No. 51     |
| 1977 | Ashlar No. 105        |
| 1978 | Ashlar No. 105        |
| 1979 | Ashlar No. 105        |
| 1980 | Pleiades No. 173      |
| 1981 | King Hiram No. 57     |
| 1982 | Deering No. 183       |
| 1983 | Deering No. 183       |
| 1984 | Deering No. 183       |
| 1985 | Cornerstone No. 216   |
| 1986 | Deering No. 183       |
| 1987 | King Hiram No. 57     |
| 1988 | King Hiram No. 57     |
| 1989 | King Hiram No. 57     |
| 1990 | Arundel No. 76        |
| 1991 | Siloam No. 92         |
| 1992 | Rising Virtue No. 10  |
| 1992 | Naval No. 184         |
| 1993 | Tyrian No. 73         |
| 1994 | Tyrian No. 73         |
| 1994 | St. Andrew's No. 83   |
| 1995 | Harmony No. 38        |
| 1996 | Seaside No. 144       |
| 1996 | Trinity No. 130       |
| 1997 | United No. 8          |
| 1998 | Winter Harbor No. 192 |
| 1999 | Fort Kent No. 209     |
| 1999 | United No. 8          |
| 1999 | Tyrian No. 73         |
| 2000 | St. Aspinquid No. 198 |
| 2000 | Northern Star No. 28  |
| 2001 | St. Aspinquid No. 198 |
| 2002 | Howard No. 69         |
| 2003 | Corner Stone No. 216  |
| 2004 | Corner Stone No. 216  |
| 2004 | Naval No. 184         |
| 2005 | Corner Stone No. 216  |
| 2005 | Asylum No. 133        |
| 2006 | Mt. Bigelow No. 202   |
| 2007 | Orient No. 15         |
| 2008 | Limestone No. 214     |

## RULES FOR MASONIC DATES

### Ancient Craft Masons-

Add 4000 years to the Common Era. Thus: 2008 and 4000=6008

### Scottish Rite-

Add 3760 to the Common Era. Thus 2008 and 3760=5768. After September add another year.

### Royal Arch-

Add 530 years to the Vulgar Era. Thus 2008 and 530=2538.

### Royal and Select Masters-

Add 1000 to the Common Era. Thus 2008 and 1000=3008.

### Knights Templar-

From the Christian Era take 1118. Thus 1118 from 2008=890.

### Order of High Priesthood-

To the Christian Era add 1913, the Year of the Blessing. Thus: 2008 and 1913=3921.

## MASONIC CALENDAR

**Ancient Craft Masons** commence this era with the creation of the world, calling it **Anno Lucis (A.D.)**, "in the year of light."

**Scottish Rite**, same as Ancient Craft, except the Jewish chronology is used, **Anno Mundi (A.M.)**, "in the year of the world."

**Royal Arch Masons** date from the year the second temple was commenced by Zerubbabel, **Anno Inventionis (A.I.)**, "in the year of the discovery."

**Royal and Select Masters** date from the year in which the temple of Solomon was completed, **Anno Depositionis (A. Dep.)**, "in the year of the deposit."

**Knights Templar** commence their era with the organization of their Order, **Anno Ordinid (A.O.)**, "in the year of the Order."

**Order of High Priesthood** dates from the year of the blessing of Abraham by the High Priest Melchisedec, **Anno Benefacio (A.B.)**, "in the year of the blessing."

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