

YORK LODGE, 236. EBORACUM LODGE, 1611.



CRYPT OF YORK MINSTER
Where the Brethren anciently held their Assemblies

British Association Meeting in York, 1881.

◆ **MASONIC RECEPTION,** ◆

IN THE MASONIC HALL, DUNCOMBE PLACE, YORK,

ON MONDAY, 5TH SEPTEMBER, 1881, AT 7 O'CLOCK.

Under the Patronage of the following distinguished Brethren:

- R.W. Bro. the Right Hon. the Earl of Zetland...P.G.M., N. & E. Yorks.
 - " " Sir H. Edwards, Bart., C.B., D.L... ..P.G.M., W. Yorks.
 - V.W. Bro. J. P. Bell, M.D., J.P., Past G.D., D.P.G.M., N. & E. Yorks.
 - " " T. W. Jew, J.P.D.P.G.M., W. Yorks.
 - " " Sir Harcourt Johnstone, Bart.... ..Past G. Warden.
 - " " Very Rev. the Dean of YorkGrand Chaplain.
 - " " R. W. HollonPast G.S.B.
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- W. Bro. Mark RookeW.M. York Lodge, 236.
 - " " J. T. SellerW.M., Eboracum Lodge, 1611.

A. BUCKLE, B.A., P.M., York Lodge, 236, J.P.G.D.,
J. S. CUMBERLAND, P.M., Eboracum Lodge, 1611, J.P.G.W.,
Secretaries to the Masonic Reception Committee.

All Brethren on arrival will sign the Attendance Books of the York and Eboracum Lodges in charge of Stewards in the Ante Room, and will then clothe and enter the Lodge Room, except Grand and Provincial Grand Officers, who will assemble in the second Ante Room.

FORM OF PROCEDURE IN LODGE.

(*Voluntary by the Organist.*)

1. The Worshipful Masters of the York and Eboracum Lodges will enter the Room and take their places in the East (the Brethren standing).

2. The Lodge will be opened in the Three Degrees by the W.M. of the York Lodge.

3. Provincial Grand Masters, Officers, and Past Officers (not being Grand Officers) will enter in procession and take their places.

Grand Honours.

4. Grand Lodge Officers and Past Officers will enter in procession and take their places.

Grand Honours.

5. The Lodge will be reduced to the First Degree.

6. The W. Masters of the York and Eboracum Lodges will offer fraternal greetings to their Visiting Brethren.

7. Bro. the Very Rev. the Dean of York, Chaplain to the York Lodge, and Grand Chaplain, will, on behalf of both Lodges, address the visitors.

8. The W.M. of the York Lodge will offer his Gavel to the Prov. Grand Master, or his Deputy, and request him, on behalf of the Province of North and East Yorkshire, to welcome the Brethren from other Provinces.

9. Response on behalf of Grand Lodge Officers and Visitors

10. The W.M. of the York Lodge will resume his Gavel, and the Visiting Brethren will offer

Heartly Good Wishes to the Masons of York.

11. The W.M. will close the Lodge.

12. The Brethren will remain standing whilst the Grand and Provincial Grand Officers leave the Lodge.

T. B. WHYTEHEAD, P.M., 1611,

P.P.G.D.C.,

Director of Ceremonies.

CONVERSAZIONE—PROGRAMME.

Glee "Strike the Lyre" Cooke
 THE MASONIC GLEE PARTY.
 Bros. WILKINSON, TODD, KIRBY, SANDERSON, LEE, HUMPHRIES, MARSHALL, and
 CUMBERLAND.

Address on Records and Antiquities belonging to York Lodge, by W. Bro. J. TODD,
 P.M., 236, P.P.G. Reg.

Song "Madoline" Nelson
 Bro. J. E. WILKINSON.

Address by W. Bro. T. W. TEW, D.P.G.M., West Yorkshire.

Glees } a. "Evening's Twilights" Hatton
 b. "Absence." Hatton
 Bros. WILKINSON, TODD, SANDERSON, and CUMBERLAND.

Address by W. Bro. J. P. BELL, D.P.G.M.

Song "Of a' the Airts" Shore
 Quartette
 Bros. WILKINSON, TODD, MARSHALL, and CUMBERLAND.

Address by M.V. Bro. HYDE CLARKE, P.M.W. Grand Master of Columbia.

Song "Village Blacksmith" Weiss
 Bro. J. S. CUMBERLAND.

Glee "Hail Smiling Morn" Spofforth
 MASONIC GLEE PARTY.

Quartette "Beware" Hatton
 Bros. WILKINSON, KIRBY, SANDERSON, and MARSHALL.

Concluding Address, by W. Bro. T. B. WHYTEHEAD, P.M.

Glee "As the Moment's Roll" S. Webbe, 1749.
 MASONIC GLEE PARTY.
 "God save the Queen."

Bro. T. TUKE, Organist, 236,
 Musical Director.

" After the deacease of St. Albenes there came greivous wars into England through nations, for yt good rule of Masonrie was destroyed untill the tyme of Kinge Athestan that was a worthy King in Engl. and he brought the land into good reste and peace again and he building many great workes of Castles and Abbons and many other buildings and he loved masons very well, and he had a son that was named Hadrian and he loved Masons much more than his father, for he was full of practice in Geomaty wherefore he drew himselfe to converse with masons and to learn of them ye craft and afterwards for love he had to Masons and to the craft that he was made Mason himselfe, and he got of the Kinge his fathers charter and a comission to hold ev' y 7 an assemble, where he would within ye realme and to correct with themselves statutes and trespasses, if it were done within the craft, and he held himselfe an assembly at Yorke and there he made Masons and gave them charge and taught them maners of the Masons and comanded that rule to be holden ever after and to them tooke the charter and comission to keepe and ordaine that it should be ruled fro King to Kinge when this assembly was gathered together."

HARLEIAN M.S., A.D. 1650.