

PROVINCIAL

WORCESTERSHIRE

GRAND LODGE OF

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

The Right Wor. Bro. **LIEUT.-GENERAL SIR FRANCIS J. DAVIES, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., K.C.V.C., P.G.D.**

PROVINCIAL GRAND MASTER.

The High House,

King's Norton,

10th October, 1920.

Dear Sir and Brother,

By Command of the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master, I hereby give you notice that the next Annual Meeting of this Provincial Grand Lodge will be held at the Town Hall, Dicar Street, Kidderminster, on Saturday, the 23rd Day of October next, at 3 p.m. and hereby summon you, and such Brethren of your Lodges as are Members of the Provincial Grand Lodge, to be then and there present, that your Lodge may be duly represented.

The attendance of Brethren of this and other Provinces, being Master Masons, is cordially invited.

Yours fraternally,

**W. A. Ernest Payne, P.A.D.C. Eng.**

Provincial Grand Secretary.

BUSINESS to be transacted at the Meeting is stated on the Agenda subjoined.  
Dress—Black Morning Coats, Dark Trousers, and White Gloves, or Uniform.

LUNCHEON will be served in the Grosvenor Room, Lion Hotel, High St., Kidderminster, at 1.30 p.m., at which the Provincial Grand Master will preside.

The Tickets, price 5/- each, not including Wine, must be applied for on enclosed form. There will be no banquet after the Meeting.

TEA and LIGHT REFRESHMENTS will be provided after P.G. Lodge Meeting by the Brethren of the "Hope and Charity" Lodge, No. 377, in the Corn Exchange, adjoining the Town Hall.

**Provincial Grand Officers unable to attend are requested to forward their JEWELS, and Provincial Grand Stewards their CLOTHING and JEWELS, to the Provincial Grand Secretary.**



*A Craft Lodge will be opened in three degrees by the Master and Officers of the  
"Hope and Charity" Lodge, No. 377, at 2.30 p.m.*

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master and Provincial Grand Officers will enter the Lodge, and having been received with the customary honours, the Provincial Grand Lodge will be opened in due form at 3 p.m.

## **Business :**

- To read the Summons convening Provincial Grand Lodge.
- To confirm the Minutes of the last Annual Meeting held at Malvern on the 27th of September, 1919.
- To receive apologies for absence.
- To receive the Provincial Grand Secretary's report on the state of Masonry in the Province.
- To receive a brief statement from the Master of each Lodge in the Province concerning the work of his Lodge during the past year, and any facts of interest relating thereto.
- To receive the Audited Accounts of the Provincial Grand Treasurer, and to approve to adopt the same.
- To elect a Provincial Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- To receive the report of the General Committee upon the War Relief Fund.
- To receive the report of the Charity Committee enclosed herewith.
- To elect the Hon. Secretary of the Charity Organisation.
- To receive the report of the Library and Museum Committee enclosed herewith.
- To receive report concerning the Campbell Memorial.
- To receive report concerning the Masonic Million Memorial Scheme.
- To make a collection for a charitable purpose.
- To call the muster roll of the Lodge.
- To nominate a candidate for Election to the Board of General Purposes (B.C. 255b).
- The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master to appoint one Member of the General Committee under By-law No. 6.
- To elect two Brethren to serve on General Committee, under By-law No. 6.
- To receive expressions of honour from Provincial Grand Officers.
- The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master to appoint and invest his Officers.
- The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master to appoint place for holding the next Annual Meeting of Provincial Grand Lodge.
- To transact any other business that may arise for the good of the Order in general, or of this Provincial Grand Lodge in particular.
- To close Provincial Grand Lodge.

*It is particularly requested that you fill up the enclosed form and forward it with remittance not later than Friday, October 15th.*

*Seats will be numbered, and reserved for those only who make this application, as the accommodation is limited.*



# Provincial Grand Lodge of Worcestershire.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1919-1920.

### MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
Fees of Honour .. .. .		40	19	0	Tyling Fees .. .. .	7	5	0
Lodge Dues .. .. .	152	18	6	Chain of Office for Deputy Prov. Gd. Master .. .. .	13	1	5	
Registration Fees .. .. .	5	10	0	Fire Insurance .. .. .			6	
Dispensations .. .. .	6	15	0	Printing and Stationery .. .. .	44	8	6	
Sale of Calendars .. .. .	59	19	9	Postages and Sundries .. .. .		3	7	10
Advertisements in Calendars .. .. .	2	2	0	Rent to September 29th, 1920 .. .. .	15	0	0	
Sale of By-Laws .. .. .	1	9	6	Filing Cabinet .. .. .	1	15	0	
Dividend on War Loan .. .. .	5	0	0	Charges (Unstamped Cheques) .. .. .		1	4	
				Cheque Book .. .. .		10	0	
				Associated Provinces Subscription .. .. .	1	1	0	
				Museum and Library Fund .. .. .	20	0	0	
				Transferred to Reserve Fund .. .. .	10	0	0	
				Cost of Calendars .. .. .	74	8	9	
				Balance to Benevolent a/c .. .. .	1	11	5	
	£274	13	9		£274	1	9	

### BENEVOLENT ACCOUNT.

Balance from last year .. .. .	59	13	2	Paid to Malvern Hospital .. .. .	15	15	0
Collections at Prov. Grand Lodge .. .. .	12	10	3	Grant to Widow Standard .. .. .	21	0	0
Grant (portion) returned Bro. Peacock .. .. .	2	2	0	Balance in Bank .. .. .	99	1	10
Balance from Management Account .. .. .	61	11	5				
	£135	16	10		£135	16	10

### PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE RESERVE FUND.

Amount on deposit last year .. .. .	16	17	3	Balance in Bank .. .. .	27	4	9
Interest to December 31st, 1919 .. .. .		6	4				
" " June 30th, 1920 .. .. .		1	0				
Transferred from Management Account .. .. .	10	0	0				
	£2	4	9		£27	4	9

### CAMBELL MEMORIAL FUND ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Cash in Bank on September 27th, 1919 .. .. .	12	12	0	Faculty Fees for Memorial Stone .. .. .	2	13	4
252 " Harmonic " Lodge .. .. .	20	0	0	Rector's Fee .. .. .	5	10	6
280 " Worcester " Lodge .. .. .	15	3	6	Expenses of Abbey Service .. .. .	6	14	6
377 " Hope and Charity " Lodge .. .. .	7	1	0	Expenses due to Railway Strike .. .. .	4	4	2
498 " Royal Standard " Lodge .. .. .	16	10	0	Printing Account .. .. .	8	1	6
529 " Semper Fidelis " Lodge .. .. .	26	5	0	Designer's Fees .. .. .	10	10	0
560 " Vernon " Lodge .. .. .	8	8	0	Cost of Memorial Stone, and Fixing .. .. .	73	15	0
564 " Stability " Lodge .. .. .	10	10	0	Bank Charges (unstamped cheques) .. .. .			2
573 " Perseverance " Lodge .. .. .	21	0	0	Paid to Freemasons' War Hospital .. .. .	105	0	0
1097 " St. Michael's " Lodge .. .. .	4	4	0	Paid to Royal Masonic Benevolent Institution .. .. .	105	0	0
1204 " Royds " Lodge .. .. .	11	0	0				
1874 " Lechmere Voluntee. " Lodge .. .. .	15	0	0				
2034 " Masefield " Lodge .. .. .	21	0	0	Balance at Bank .. .. .	62	6	10
2385 " Godson " Lodge .. .. .	10	10	0				
2654 " Arter " Lodge .. .. .	21	0	0				
2724 " St. Laurence " Lodge .. .. .	20	0	0				
3185 " St. Andrew " Lodge (second donation) .. .. .	7	3	6				
3308 " Abbot's Chfield " Lodge .. .. .	10	15	0				
337 " Page " Lodge .. .. .	20	0	0				
3509 " Avon " Lodge .. .. .	10	10	0				
3608 " Wyche " Lodge .. .. .	4	15	0				
3643 " Campbell " Lodge .. .. .	22	0	0				
3863 " King's Heath " Lodge .. .. .	21	1	0				
3873 " Mystic Quest " Lodge .. .. .	9	0	0				
Per Deputy Prov. Gd. Master (W. T. Page) .. .. .	9	5	0				
Prov. Gd. Chapter .. .. .	21	0	0				
Dudley R.A. Chapter .. .. .	5	5	0				
Lechmere Hughes R.A. Chapter .. .. .	2	8	0				
Bank Interest .. .. .	2	0	0				
	£383	16	0		£383	16	0

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Audited with Vouchers and found correct.  
CHARLES D. EATON, P. G. ST. B., ENG.  
THOMAS MASON, P. P. S. G. W.

(Signed) CHARLES P. PERRY, Prov. Gd. Treasurer.

October 1st, 1920.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR 1919-1920—continued.

WAR RELIEF FUND.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Balance from last year .. .. .				176	2	3	Grants, Relief .. .. .		100	0	0
Donations .. .. .				35	4	6	Balance in Bank .. .. .		185	8	0
Interest:—											
War Loan:											
December, 1919 .. .. .	25	0	0								
June, 1920 .. .. .	25	0	0								
						50	0	0			
War Bonds:											
October, 1919 .. .. .	6	0	0								
April, 1920 .. .. .	6	0	0								
October, 1920 .. .. .	6	0	0								
						18	0	0			
Bank Interest:											
December, 1919 .. .. .	3	1	3								
June, 1920 .. .. .	3	0	0								
						6	1	3			
				£285	8	0			£285	8	0

Audited and found correct.  
T. MASON, P.P.G.W.  
October 2nd, 1920.

R. A. ERNEST PAXE Prov. Grand Secretary.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Bank Credit Balances—				Adv. Grants—			
Benevolent Account .. .. .	99	1	10	Prov. Gd. J. 00% Reserve 5% War Loan .. .. .	95	0	0
Reserve Account .. .. .	27	4	9	War Relief (5% war Loan .. .. .	950	0	0
Campbell Memorial Account .. .. .	62	6	10	4% War Bond .. .. .	300	0	0
War Relief Account .. .. .	185	8	0				
	£377	1	9		£1345	0	0

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