



Antient Free and Accepted Masons.

The Right Worshipful Brother **GENERAL WILLIAM CAMPBELL, G.B., P.G.D.**

PROVINCIAL GRAND MASTER.

Stourbank House, Stourport,

18th September, 1909.

Dear Sir and Brother,

By command of the Right Worshipful Grand Master, I hereby give you notice that the next Annual Meeting of this Provincial Grand Lodge will be held at the Institute, Wolverhampton Street, Dudley, on Tuesday, the 5th day of October next, at 3 p.m., and I hereby summon you, and such of the Brethren of your Lodge as are Members of the Provincial Grand Lodge, to be there 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,

Edward Collens, P.G.S.S.

Provincial Grand Secretary.

BUSINESS to be transacted at the Meeting is stated on the Agenda subjoined.

THE CHARITY COMMITTEE will meet at 1.45 p.m. prompt at the Institute.

DRESS: Black Morning Suits and White Gloves. Brethren of the "Lechmere Volunteer" Lodge may wear military uniform.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS will be provided for the Brethren attending Provincial Grand Lodge by the Brethren of the "Harmonic" Lodge, No. 252, at the Institute.

A BANQUET will be served at 5 p.m. The Tickets, previously applied for, will be obtainable of the Lodge Stewards in the Members' Robing Rooms.

*** 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.**

Provincial Grand Lodge of Worcestershire.

OFFICERS, 1908-9.

THE RIGHT WORSHIPFUL BROTHER GENERAL WILLIAM CAMPBELL
C.B., P.G.D. of England
Provincial Grand Master.

THE WORSHIPFUL BROTHER WILLIAM THOMAS PAGE,
P.A.G.D. of Cerms., P. Prov. G.S., &c.
Deputy Provincial Grand Master.

Provincial Senior Grand Warden	...	...	W. Bro. E. BENNETT, P. Prov. G.S. (377)
„ Junior Grand Warden	...	...	„ R. FINNICK, P. Prov. G.S. (War.), (3185)
„ Grand Chaplain	...	...	Bro. The Rev. G. E. LYTHGOE (252)
„ Grand Treasurer	...	...	W. Bro. C. D. EATON, P. Prov. G.D. of C. (1874)
„ Grand Registrar	...	...	„ W. R. MITCHELL (252)
„ Grand Secretary	...	...	E. COLLIER, P.G. Std. B., P. Prov. G.W. (560)
„ Senior Grand Deacon	...	...	„ Dr. HERB. JORDAN (2724)
„ Junior Grand Deacon	...	...	„ A. WINN (2034)
„ Grand Superintendent of Works	...	...	„ G. A. VEEL (529)
„ Grand Director of Ceremonies	...	...	„ C. E. RODWAY (1874)
„ Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies	...	...	„ F. W. COOK (498)
„ Grand Sword Bearer	...	...	„ T. H. SHIPTON (2385)
„ Grand Standard Bearer	...	...	„ H. MARCH (280)
„ Grand Standard Bearer	...	...	„ E. H. GROVE (573)
„ Grand Organist	...	...	Bro. A. J. SMITH (573)
„ Assistant Grand Secretary	...	...	W. Bro. J. FELTON (560)
„ Grand Pursuivant	...	...	„ E. G. APPS (2654)
„ Assistant Grand Pursuivant	...	...	„ A. E. MASON (564)
„ Grand Steward	...	...	„ W. G. TYE (1874)
„ „	...	...	„ T. J. MARYON (1874)
„ „	...	...	Bro. W. E. MEGGESON (1874)
„ „	...	...	„ G. F. BENNETT (1874)
„ „	...	...	„ F. W. EDWARDS (1874)
„ „	...	...	„ A. E. OSBORNE (1874)
			Tyler—Bro. S. SPITTLE (252).

*A Craft Lodge will be opened in the three degrees by the Master and Officers of the
"Harmonic" Lodge, No. 252, at 2.45 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 **3.0 p.m.**

Business.

To read the Summons convening Provincial Grand Lodge.

To read for confirmation the Minutes of the last Annual Convocation of Provincial Grand Lodge held at the Moseley and Balsall Heath Institute, on the 30th September, 1908.

To receive apologies for absence.

To receive the 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 if approved to adopt the same.

To elect a Provincial Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year.

To elect Provincial Grand Tylers.

To receive the report of the Charity Committee.

To receive the report of the Library and Museum Committee.

To call the Muster Roll of the Lodges.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master to appoint and invest his Provincial Grand Officers.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will move:—

"That this Meeting of the Provincial Grand Lodge of Worcestershire, having duly considered a communication to the Provincial Grand Master by the N. W. Pro. Grand Master, is of opinion that a reform of the constitution of Grand Lodge is advisable, and that it should consist of Officers past and present of Grand Lodge, together with representatives elected by Provincial and District Grand Lodges, and the London Lodges, duly appointed to attend its meetings.

To receive fees of honor from Provincial Grand Officers.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master to appoint place for holding his next Annual Convocation of Provincial Grand Lodge.

An Address to be given by the Provincial Grand Chaplain, after which a collection will be made for a charitable purpose.

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 form for Banquet enclosed, and forward it, not later than Tuesday, September 28th.

Seats will be numbered, and reserved for those only who make this application, as the accommodation is limited to 120.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Provincial Grand Lodge of Worcestershire.

Provincial Grand Lodge Meeting held at Dudley.

5TH OCTOBER, 1909.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS, 1908-9.

GENERAL MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Fees of Honour, P.G. Lodge	28	3 0	By Masonic Hall Co. Rent	15	0 0
" Lodge Dues	89	5 0	" Insurance	1	7 0
" Dispensations	6	10 0	" Printing	22	5 8
" Godson Memorial Account	2	2 0	" Tylers	2	2 0
" Sale of Calendars 1908 Account	1	6 0	" Dis. for P.G. Officers residing out of the Province	5	5 0
" Sale of Calendars 1909 Account	25	14 0	" Clothing	2	9 9
" Advertisements in Calendars	2	2 0	" Provincial Grand Treasurer's Expenses	1	0 9
	29	2 0	" Provincial Grand Secretary's Expenses	4	18 9
Less cost of Printing	21	7 0	" Secretary to Prof. Charity Committee Expenses	9	3 3
		7 15 0	" Share of Expenses Western Provinces Association		19 0
			" Deficit on P.G.M.'s Installation		19 7 6
			" Balance	49	16 4
	£13	15 0		£133	15 0

BENEVOLENT ACCOUNT.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
To Balance of last year's account	52	2	By Grant to Birmingham Hospital for Women	10	10 0
" Collection at P.G. Lodge at Moseley	7	9 0	" Grant to Widow Bradley 573	10	10 0
" Interest on Deposit account 1908	0	9 11	" " " Bro. Col. Maybury 529	10	10 0
" Interest on Deposit account 1909	0	11 10	" " " Bro. Carter 529	5	5 0
" Balance of Management account	49	16 4	" " " Widow Price 573	10	10 0
			" " " Bro. Green 377	5	0 0
			" Balance including Deposit account	58	8 3
	£110	13 3		£110	13 3

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT.

	£	s. d.
To Principal at Interest	25	13 10
" Interest to 1908	11	10
	26	5 8

CHARLIE D. EATON, PROV. GRAND TREASURER.

Examined and found Correct

A. C. KELLETT, P.P.G. Reg.
 R. W. RUSBY, P.P.G.S. Works. } *Auditors.*
 F. A. WHITEHEAD, W.M. (3185)

BIRMINGHAM, September 11th 1909.