

Masonic Memoranda relating to the
Autobiography of eminent German Masons who were noted up

- Bro. Johann Joachim (Christoph) Bode. Born at Brunswick 16th Jan 1730. Initiated (?) in the Lodge Absalom - Hamburg 11th Feb 1761 & died at Weimar 13th Dec 1793.
- Bro. Benjamin Franklin: - Born at Boston ~~1706~~ 17th Jan 1706 died at Philadelphia 17th April 1790
- Bro. Christoph Mart. Wieland: - Born at Oberholzheim on 5th Sep 1733 Initiated in the Lodge at Weimar 1st April 1800, died at Weimar 20th Jan 1813
- Bro. Gotth. Ephraim Lessing: - Born at Hameln ^{22. Jan} 1729 died at Koenigsberg 15th Feb 1781.
- Bro. Friedrich the Great: - Born 24th Jan 1712. Initiated (?) 14th Aug 1738. (leitete zu Charlottenburg ~~1740~~ die erste Logenarbeit 20 Juni 1740) died 17th Aug 1786
- Bro. Matthias Claudius: - Born at Prignitz (Hol. Länd.) 15th Aug 1740. Died at Hamburg 1815.
- Bro. Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart: - Born in Salzburg 27th Jan 1756. Died at Wien (Vienna) 5th Dec 1791.
- Bro. Adalbert von Arnim: - Born at Schloss Boncourt. Champagne ^{27. Jan} 1781. Died 21st Aug 1835 at Berlin
- Bro. Joh. Gottlieb Fichte: - Born at Rammenau, Oberlausitz 19th May 1762 died at Berlin 27 Jan. 1814
16 May 1789
- Bro. Friedrich Dieckert: Born ~~30 March~~ died at Neuss near Coburg 21st Jan 1866. Initiated in the Lodge "Karl zu Rautenkrantz in Lildburghausen 3. May 1810.
- Bro. Theodor Gottlieb von Koppel: - Born at Erdauen in East Prussia on 31st Jan 1742. Died Königsberg 23rd April 1796.
- Francois Marie Aronnet de
Bro. Gottavie. Born in Paris 21. Nov 1694. Initiated (?) in the Lodge "Les neuf Soeurs" at Paris 7th Feb 1778 died at Paris 30 May 1778.
- u. n. n. Bro. Berthold Ansbach: Born at And Hoths Stetten in Württemberg 28th Feb 1812. Initiated in the Lodge "Zur aufgehenden Morgenröthe" in Frankfurt a main 3rd Oct 1838. Died at Comus in Frankfurt a main 8th Feb. 1882.
- Bro. George Kloss: Born at Frankfurt a main 31. July 1787. Died at Frankfurt 10 Feb 1854. See also Joh. Geo. Burkhard Franz Kloss.

Manuscript Notes from Knight's Cyclopaedia of Biography

The Netherlands

Lemmel, Jacob Jan - often called the Walter Scott of Holland, was born at Amsterdam on the 25th March 1802. He first emerged into notice shortly before 1830 by a series of poems embracing some of the leading traditions of Holland treated in the style & manner of Walter Scott in his favourite eight syllable metre which is as well adapted to the Dutch language as our own. For 20 years he published many original works & translations in the midst of all his literary activity he carried on the profession of a lawyer having an extensive practice, holding high offices. He was married and had a large family & was universally popular with his countrymen. In later years his warm patriotic attachment to Holland which was shown not only in his writings, but in his exertions as a volunteer in the campaign of 1831 did not prevent his being an active promoter of the friendly intercourse between Holland & Belgium by the annual meetings of the literary men of the two countries, held first in the country, then in the other. At these meetings his social & other talents were very conspicuous.

Denmark

Fredrick VII of Denmark was born 6th Oct 1808 & succeeded his father Christian VIII on the 20 Jan 1848. He died 15th Nov 1863.

Roos

Folkes Martin - was born in Great Queen St - Lincolns Inn Fields London October 29th 1690. He entered Clare College Cambridge in 1707 where his progress in all branches of learning, & more especially in mathematics & philosophy was such, that when he was scarcely more than 23 years of age he was admitted a fellow of the Royal Society & 100 years after he had so distinguished himself as to be chosen one of its Council. In February 1720, he was elected a fellow of the Society of Antiquaries. He succeeded Sir Hans Sloane as President of the Royal Society in 1741. In 1735 he wrote a "Description on the weights and values of Ancient Coins" which was read before the Soc^y of Antiquaries in the same year he also communicated to them "A Table of English Gold Coins from the 18th year of King Edward III when Gold was first coined in England to the present time with their weights & current values". He was the foremost numismatist of his day. He died 28th June 1754.

The Kilwinning Lodge of Freemasons 1677.

Between two upright pillars the shield of the Kilwinning Lodge within two thistle branches; above, Eye of Providence, clouds, & Sun and the inscriptions POST NUBILA PHOEBUS (after Clouds Comes Sunshine) Sig. CANONGATE KILWINNING LODGE INST^d 1677. Rev. Oak wreath 1.45. (one in. tis. MB. A. Ring for suspension. The Kilwinning Lodge, the oldest in Scotland, in 1677 issued a warrant to certain craftsmen, in the Canongate of Edinburgh to enter and pass masons in the name and on behalf of the Lodge of Kilwinning; but it was not till 1679 that the Mother Kilwinning Lodge began to grant charters of erection. This Medal was worn by the members of the new Lodge

Freemasons of Minorca 1749.

See tracing) Incorporates, with his finger on his mouth, compasses & square in his hand, stands l., and leans upon a column. Leg. TVTA · EST · FIDELI · SILENTIO · MERCES (Sure is the reward for faithful silence). Enigme YEO · F (Richard Ye's feat) Rev. Two right hands clasped. Upper leg. CONCORDIA · FRATRVM. (The Concord of Brethren) Lower leg. INSULA · MINOR · BALEARI (The Island of Minorca) No. 5749. 1.9. (Loze) N.B. R. Very rare. The Freemasons calculate from the creation of the world, which they consider to have taken place 4000 or 4004 years before the Christian era, the date of this Med is therefore 1749 or 1753. It was most probably struck in 1749, as between the years 1747. and 1752 whilst Lord Byron was Grand Master, a patent was issued for creating a Provincial Grand Master for Minorca, to which this medal may refer.

Medallie Illustrations of British History. Compil'd &c. (See supra)

Christopher Martin Wieland was born on the 5th Sep^r 1753 at Herbolzheim N-Biberach in Suabia, was educated at the university of Erfurt. He distinguished in poetry & languages. In 1765 he married the daughter of an Augsburg merchant to whom he was devotedly attached. In 1769 he became a professor in the University of Erfurt. died at Jena on the 20th Jan 1813

Gottfried Wilhelm Leibnitz was born on the 21st July 1646 at Leipsig where he received his education. Although law was his principal study, he was a great mathematician & historian, and applied himself with great diligence to every branch of study. He wrote many works on jurisprudence metaphysics & philosophy. He resided on the 14th Nov 1714 and was buried on the 10th Dec 1714 at Leipsig where a monument in the form of a temple indicates, by the simple inscription "Gesa Leibnitii" the place of his burial. For further information see "Leibnitz" by John Thaddeus Moz - Blackwood's ^{Philosophical Classics Vol 8} London 12^{mo} 1804. Johann Christian Thudich was a celebrated German Surgeon born Sep^r 13. 1714. at Steinbeck in Wismar in the Duchy of Mecklenburg. He died 21 Oct 1797.

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Bro. J. A. Fessler: Born at Czwendorf 18th May 1756
Initiated in Lodge "Phoenix zu runder Tafel in Hamburg 11
May 1783 Died at St. Petersburg 15. Dec 1839.

Founding the first Lodge of Mecklenburg 15th May 1754.

Prince Frederic of the Netherlands, ^{installed} ~~made~~ Grandmaster 2 June 1817.

Bro Gottfr. August Bürger: - Born at Wolmirsweud. Halberstadt
1st Jan 1748. Died at Göttingen 8 June 1794.

Bro Ferdinand Herzog (? Duke) z. Braunschweig. Born ^(11 June) 1721
Initiated in the Lodge of Three Globes. Berlin. on Jan 27th Dec
1740 + died 3. July 1792.

Founding of the Grand Lodge Alpina, Switzerland 22 June 1844

Bro Anthony Sayer elected 1st Grand Master 24 June 1717.

Masonry Forbidden in Russia 1 Aug. 1822.

Bro Joh. Gottfried Jordan: Born at Mohrun ca. 25th Aug 1744
Died at Weimar 18 Dec. 1803.

Bro Friedrich Ludwig Schweden: - Born at Schwerin (Livonia)
3 Nov 1744. Initiated in Hamburg 8th Sep^r 1774. Died
at Hamburg 3 Sep^r 1816.

Founding of the Grand Land Lodge of Saxony 27 Sep^r 1811

Bro Frederick William, Crown Prince of Germany born 18 Oct
1831. Initiated 5th Nov. 1853.

Bro J. J. Fuad: Born at ~~Hupperberg~~ Kupferberg 21 Oct
1828.

Bro. Joh. Geo. Burkhard Franz, Kloss. Initiated in the Lodge "Zur Einigkeit"
Frankfurt a. Main 28th Sep. 1805.

Bro Ludwig Böme: Born at Frankfurt a. Main 6 May 1786. Initiated in the
Lodge "Zur aufgehenden Morgenröthe" Frankfurt a. Main 19th July
1809. Died at Paris 1837. 13. February

Bro George Washington: Born at Westmoreland - Virginia 23 Feb. 1732. Initiated
in the Fredericksburg Lodge, Virginia 4 Nov. 1752 & died 14 Dec. 1799
at Mount Vernon, Virginia.

Bro. Friedr. Maximilian Kessmer: - Born at Darmstadt 24 Feb. 1800
Died Frankfurt a. Main 1 Dec 1860.

Bro Landgraf Carl von Hessen: - Born Frankfurt a. M. 19th Dec 1744
Initiated in the Lodge "Johann zur Korallenbaum" Landsberg
4th March 1775. Died 17 Aug. 1856.

Bro Joh. Kasp. Bluntschli: - Born at Zurich 10 March 1808. Died at
Carlsruhe 21 Oct 1881.

Bro Joh. Theophil. Desaguliers: - Born at Rochelle 12. Mar. 1683

Bro. Joh. Peter Logel: Louis IX age "Zur Einigkeit" Frankfurt a. M.
6th Apr. 1755. Died at Frankfurt a. M. 12. Mar. 1809. 70 year member

Bro Morzdorf: - died 21st March 1877.

Bro Kaiser Wilhelm, Emperor of Germany born 22 March 1797. Initiated
22. May 1840.

Bro Joh. Wolfgang Goethe: Born at Frankfurt a. M. 28. Aug 1749
Initiated 29 June 1780. Died at Weimar 22. Mar. 1832

? Grand Lodge of Freemasons "Zur Eintracht in Darmstadt" founded 22
Mar 1846.

Bro Joh. Aloys Comenius: Born at Niwnitz in Mähren 28 March
1592. Died 15. Nov. 1671. at Amsterdam.

Bro. Joseph Haydn. Born at Rohrau. 31 Mar. 1732. Died at Vienna
31. June 1809.

Bro Franz Abt: Born at Eilenburg 22 Dec. 1819. Initiated in Lodge Carl
Zur gekrönten Saule in Wolfenbüttel 17 Mar. 1853. Died at
Wiesbaden 31st Mar 1885.

Bro. Heinr. Wlth. Beck: Born in Aamburg 30 Apr. 1796

First Lodge founded in Paris 7th May 1729.

Historical Mem. of some
Inhabitants of
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