

Province of Hertfordshire.

Rt. Wor. Bro. ADMIRAL SIR LIONEL HALSEY, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.C.I.E., C.B., P.G.W.
Provincial Grand Master.

HALL STONE LODGE.

DACRE
LODGE,



No.
2086

Consecrated 27th June, 1885.

W.Bro. SYDNEY WALTER BILLINGHAM, J.P., W.M.

TELEPHONE:
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STEVENAGE, HERTS.

October, 1949.

Dear Sir and Brother,

You are requested to attend the Masonic Duties of the above Lodge at the ICKNIELD HALL, Letchworth, Herts., on Saturday, the 15th day of October, 1949 at 3.0 p.m. precisely.

By command of the Worshipful Master,

H. W. ELSDEN, P.A.G.St.B., P.P.G.W.,
Secretary.

DARK MORNING DRESS OR UNIFORM.

N.B.—Brethren inviting guests to the Dinner will please notify the Secretary on or before Monday, 10th October, 1949 so that adequate arrangements can be made.

Official Invitation Cards can be obtained from the Secretary.

W. BRO. SYDNEY WALTER BILLINGHAM, J.P. W.M.

W. BRO. REGINALD HAWKSLEY HILL, I.P.M.

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BRO. C. J. DAY	Steward.
BRO. H. PADGHAM	Steward.
BRO. S. STUTLEY	Steward.
BRO. F. C. TOLLAMIELD	Steward.
BRO. C. E. CHEVERTON	Tyler.

Subscribing Past Masters of and in the Lodge.

BRO. A. H. COUGHTREY, P.P.G.Swd.B.	.. .. .	W.M., 1913
BRO. E. F. NEWBY, P.P.G.D.	.. .. .	W.M., 1918
BRO. H. W. ELSDEN, P.A.G.St.B., P.P.G.W., L.G.R.	.. .. .	W.M., 1921
BRO. S. W. NICHOLSON, P.P.A.G.D.C.	.. .. .	W.M., 1925
BRO. H. A. DEAN, P.P.A.G.D.C.	.. .. .	W.M., 1926
BRO. W. H. JOHNSON, P.P.G.S. of W.	.. .. .	W.M., 1929
BRO. G. F. ABBOTT, P.P.A.G.D.C.	.. .. .	W.M., 1930
BRO. W. H. MARRIOTT, P.P.G.Reg.	.. .. .	W.M., 1932
BRO. T. J. COULSON, P.P.G.St.Be.	.. .. .	W.M., 1934
BRO. F. J. BREWER, P.P.D.G.D.C.	.. .. .	W.M., 1937
BRO. C. H. APPLEYARD, P.P.G.Treas.	.. .. .	W.M., 1938
BRO. R. O. ALLSTON, P.P.S.G.W.	.. .. .	W.M., 1939
BRO. G. M. MACDONALD,	.. .. .	W.M., 1942
BRO. C. H. MOTT	.. .. .	W.M., 1943
BRO. W. H. CLEMENTS,	.. .. .	W.M., 1944
BRO. V. E. JEPSON,	.. .. .	W.M., 1945
BRO. W. R. PARKIN,	.. .. .	W.M., 1946
BRO. R. H. HILL,	.. .. .	W.M., 1947
BRO. W. F. LANGFORD,	.. .. .
Assist. G.D.C. P.P.G.W.Herts., P.P.A.G.D.C.Mdx. (1579)		
BRO. S. W. BILLINGHAM,	.. .. .	(P.M.5552)

BUSINESS OF THE DAY.

To read Summons.

To read and if approved, confirm the minutes of the last Regular Meeting held 23/4/49.

To receive the Report of the Audit Committee.

To Install Bro. RUPERT WILFRED TOPHAM, Master Elect.

The Worshipful Master to appoint and Invest his Officers

To present W.Bro. S. W. BILLINGHAM with a Past Master's Jewel and Collar and Jewel, as a mark of esteem on his retirement from the Chair of the Lodge.

To ballot for INITIATION—

Mr. PETER APPLEYARD, age 27, Company Director & Motor Engineer, 346, Dereham Road, Norwich. Business Address: T/A Wensum Garage, 360, Dereham Road, Norwich.
(Rule 158, B. of C. complied with)

Proposed in open Lodge on 23/4/49, by W.Bro. C. H. Appleyard. Seconded by W.Bro. R. O. Allston.

To appoint a Brother to represent the Lodge at the Provincial Board of Finance.

To appoint a Brother to represent the Lodge at the Masonic Charity Committee for the Province.

Notice of Motion. W.Bro. H. W. ELSDEN will propose—

“That the DACRE LODGE, No. 2086 support the request of the founders of the proposed KNEBWORTH LODGE to sponsor their petition.”

To report the proceedings of Grand Lodge.

To transact any other business brought regularly before the Lodge.

DINNER 6.0 p.m.

LODGE MEETINGS. Third Saturday in October (Installation), February, March, April and the Second Saturday in December.

Subscriptions are due in June in advance and should be sent to the Treasurer, W.Bro. W. H. JOHNSON, 13, Corner House, Bedford Road, Letchworth, Herts.

The Brethren are requested to send Masonic Votes to W.Bro. H. W. ELSDEN, 20 Orchard Road, Stevenage.

The quarterly Communications of Grand Lodge which the W.M., his Wardens and Past Masters should attend are held on the first Wednesday in the months of March, June, September and December.

NOTE—The Brethren are cordially invited to attend the Dacre Lodge of Instruction, held on TUESDAYS at 7.15 p.m., October to April, to which a Benevolent Association is attached. Secretary, Bro. A. H. SELBY, 16, Old Hale Way, Hitchin, Herts.

Brethren desirous of making an advance in Masonry are invited to join the Dacre Chapter No. 2086 attached to the Lodge. Full particulars obtainable from W.Bro. H. W. ELSDEN, 20, Orchard Road, Stevenage, Herts.

MEMBERS OF THE LODGE.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- Rt. Wor. Bro. ADMIRAL SIR LIONEL HALSEY, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.C.I.E., C.B., P.G.W., Prov. G. Master.
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 W.Bro. E. G. ESTALL, P.G.D., Prov. G. Secretary.
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- †CAUGHTREY, A. H., "St. Margarets," 36, The Avenue, Sunbury-on-Thames, Middx.
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