

LECHMERE VOLUNTEER LODGE

No. 1874

Patron Lodge of

ROYAL MASONIC INSTITUTION for GIRLS

ROYAL MASONIC INSTITUTION for BOYS

ROYAL MASONIC BENEVOLENT
INSTITUTION

ROYAL MASONIC HOSPITAL

Bro. W/Tel. Langford Whiting

Worshipful Master

INSTALLATION OF

Bro. Lieut. A. S. Bagnall S.W.

Moseley Masonic Hall,
171 Chester Road South,
King's Heath, 14

Dear Sir and Brother,

By command of the Worshipful Master, you are requested to attend the duties of your Lodge on Wednesday, October 3rd, 1956, at 5.0 p.m.

Uniform of Dark Morning Dress with Black Tie and White Gloves.

Yours fraternally,

P. NEAL,

Secretary.

"The Rise,"

Kidhill, Bromsgrove Road,
Hunnington, Worcs.

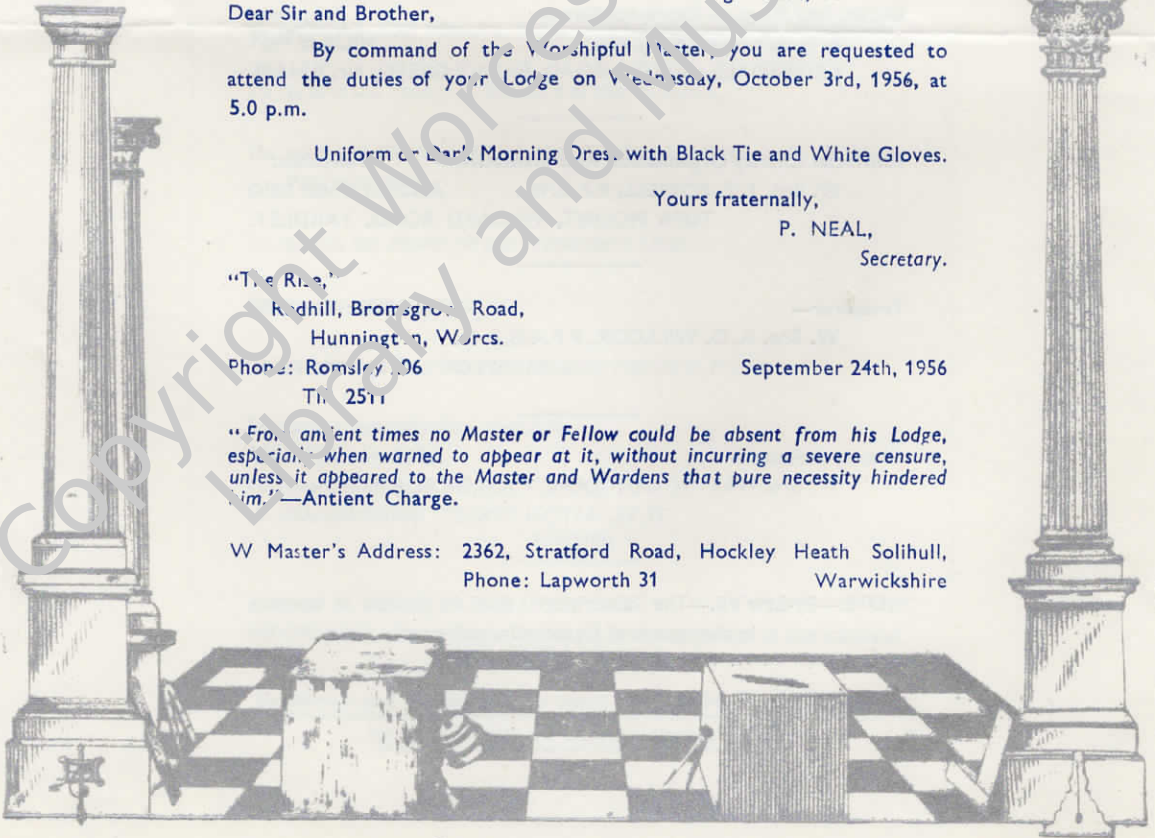
Phone: Romsley 206

Tel. 2511

September 24th, 1956

"From ancient times no Master or Fellow could be absent from his Lodge, especially when warned to appear at it, without incurring a severe censure, unless it appeared to the Master and Wardens that pure necessity hindered him."—Antient Charge.

W Master's Address: 2362, Stratford Road, Hockley Heath Solihull,
Phone: Lapworth 31 Warwickshire



Any Brother desiring to propose either a Candidate for initiation or Joining Brother, is requested first to submit the name and particulars to the Secretary, who will then bring it before the Officers of the Lodge for consideration.

The Preceptor's Class is held at the Bull's Head Hotel, Bishopsgate Street, at 6.30 p.m., on the fourth Wednesday of the month. Joint Preceptors: W. Bro. C. P. Madew, P.P.G.W., and W. Bro. H. M. Gosling, P.M. Secretary: Bro. Ernest Bennett, 54 Wagon Lane, Sheldon, Birmingham, 26.

The Lechmere-Hughes Volunteer Royal Arch Chapter attached to this Lodge meets at the Moseley Masonic Hall on the fourth Thursday in February, April, September and November. Full particulars may be had from W. Bro. Martin F. Langdon, P.A.G.Std.B., P.P.G.W., 21/22 Aston Street, Birmingham, 4.

Library and Museum Representative— Telephone:
Bro. H. L. MASON, J.V., Hillside 1461
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Provincial Charity Organisation Representative— Telephone:
W. Bro. J. S. POWELL, P.P.G.W., ACOcks Green 0950
TUFY MOUNT, WILLARD ROAD, YARDLEY.

Treasurer— Telephone: SHI 2357
W. Bro. J. D. WILLCOX, P.P.A.G.D.C.,
5, PROSPECT LANE, SOLIHULL.

Charity Steward— Telephone: AST 1227
W. Bro. MARTIN LANGDON, P.A.G.Std.B., P.P.G.W.,
21/22, ASTON STREET, BIRMINGHAM, 4.

NOTE.—By-Law VII.—The Subscriptions shall be payable in advance in the month of October in each year.

Antient Charge

"Be very cautious whom you recommend as a Candidate for Initiation: one false step on this point may be fatal. If you introduce a disputatious person confusion will be produced which may end in the dissolution of the Lodge. If you have a good Lodge keep it select. Great numbers are not always beneficial."—Dr. OLIVER.

LABOUR OF LODGE

- To open the Lodge at 5.15 p.m. prompt.
- To read the Summons convening the Meeting.
- To read, and if approved, confirm the minutes of the last regular Lodge Meeting held on Wednesday, 5th September, 1956.
- To present Grand Lodge Certificate to Bro. Frederick Walker.
- To install the Master Elect who will afterwards appoint and invest his Officers.
- To present a Past Master's Jewel to the retiring Worshipful Master.
- To receive the report of Group 9 of the W.A.M.L.
- To receive the report of the Provincial Library and Museum Representative.
- To receive the report of the Preceptor's Class.
- To receive propositions.
- To transact any business not requiring Notice of Motion.
- To receive subscriptions now due.
- To close the Lodge.

DINNER

IMPORTANT.—To assist the Secretary, an early return of the enclosed postcard will be appreciated.

**Brethren are requested to wear their R.M.B.I. 1956 Jewel
in Lodge and at Dinner during 1956**

WORSHIPFUL MASTER:
 Bro. W/Tel. LANGFORD WHITING

I.P.M. W. Bro. Lieut. F. L. Strangward

OFFICERS:

S.W.	Bro. Lieut. R.N.V.R., S. Bagshaw
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Chaplain ...	W. Bro. 2nd Corp. C. R. Medway, Prev. Dep. G. Svd. B.
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