

PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
GRAND LODGE  
OF  
ANCIENT YORK MASONS,  
OF  
North Carolina.

A. L. 5837.



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## PROCEEDINGS.

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### GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

*Monday Evening, Dec. 25, A. L. 5837.*

At an Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, begun and held at the Masonic Hall in the City of Raleigh, were present:

DAVID W. STONE, DEP. G. M. P. T.

JOHN G. MARSHALL, G. S. W. P. T.

WALTER J. RAMSAY, G. J. W. P. T.

C. W. D. HUTHINGS, G. T. P. T.

WILLIAM THOS. BAIN, G. S.

——— JEFFREYS, G. S. D. P. T.

J. D. ROYSTER, G. J. D. P. T.

R. W. ASHTON, G. T.

The Grand Lodge was opened in due form.

#### REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE FOLLOWING LODGES:

Hiram Lodge, No. 40, Raleigh, Bro. John G. Marshall.

Hall Lodge, 53, Currituck, Bro. John G. Marshall.

Scotland Neck, 68, Halifax, Bro. William Flint.

Sharon Lodge, 78, Greenville, Bro. W. W. Andrews.

Enfield, 88, Enfield, Bro. Thos. L. B. Gregory.

Perseverance Lodge, 59, Plymouth, Bro. John G. Marshall.

Davie Lodge, 39, Bertie, Bro. William Flint.

Royal White Hart, 2, Halifax, Bro. L. B. Powell.

Widow's Son Lodge, 75, Camden. Returns made, but no Representative.

## VISITERS.

Bros. Reeder, William G. Hill, and Jaffreys.

The following committees were appointed:

*On Communications from Grand Lodges and Miscellaneous Communications*—Bros. W. J. Ramsay, and C. W. D. Hutchings.

*On Grand Treasurer's Accounts*.—Bros. John J. Christophers, William Flint and Wm. T. Bain.

*On Returns and Charters from subordinate Lodges*—Bros. Thos. L. B. Gregory, William W. Andrews and L. B. Powell.

The Grand Lodge then called off from labor to refreshment until Tuesday evening, Dec. 26, 1837.

WM. T. BAIN, G. Sec.

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*Tuesday Evening, Dec. 26, A. L. 5837.*

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.

## PRESENT,

DAVID W. STONE, DEP. G. M.  
 JOHN G. MARSHALL, G. S. W.  
 WALTER J. RAMSAY, G. J. W.  
 C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T. P. T.  
 WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. S.  
 W. B. DUNN, G. S. D.  
 J. D. ROYSTER, G. J. D. P. T.  
 L. B. POWELL, G. M. P. T.  
 WILLIAM FLINT, G. S. B. P. T.  
 B. D. SIMMS, G. P. P. T.  
 R. W. ASHTON, G. T.

## REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE FOLLOWING LODGES:

Saint Johns', Wilmington, No. 1., Bro. A. Baker.  
 Lafayette Lodge, Louisburg, 86, Bro. Gustin Perry.  
 Wake Forest Lodge, Wake, 97, Bros. R. D. Simms,  
 D. S. Crenshaw and R. N. Jeffreys.

Bro. Gregory submitted the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, some of the subordinate Lodges of this State are in a low condition, and many of the said Lodges have frequent demands for charity: Be it therefore

*Resolved*, That from and after this Grand Communication, the annual stipend to be paid by the subordinate Lodges to this Grand Lodge, be reduced from ten to six dollars.

On motion of Bro. Flint it was

*Resolved*, That three hundred copies of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge be printed for its benefit, and for the use of the subordinate Lodges under its jurisdiction; and that the Grand Secretary transmit one copy to each of the subordinate Lodges within the State.

A letter from the Most Worshipful Grand Master, L. H. Marsteller, received since the adjournment of the Grand Lodge on yesterday, was then read by the Grand Secretary, in which he returned his thanks to the Grand Lodge, and declined a re-election as Grand Master, not being able in his present situation to attend satisfactorily to himself to the duties of the office.

When, on motion, the Grand Lodge then proceeded to the election of its officers for the ensuing year, and the following officers were elected:

DAVID W. STONE, G. M.

W. W. CHERRY, G. S. W.

B. W. DUNN, G. J. W.

C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.

WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. S.

Bros. Baker, Marshall and Flint were appointed a committee to wait on some past Grand Master or past Master, and request him to attend and install the officers elect.

The Grand Lodge was then, on motion of Brother Marshall, called off from labor to refreshment until Wednesday morning 27th inst. at 10 o'clock.

WM. T. BAIN, G. Sec.



Wednesday Morning, Dec. 27, A. L. 5837.

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT,

DAVID W. STONE, DEP. G. M.  
 JOHN G. MARSHALL, G. S. W. P. T.  
 WILLIAM FLINT, G. J. W. P. T.  
 L. B. POWELL, G. T. P. T.  
 WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. S.  
 W. B. DUNN, G. S. D.  
 W. W. JOHNSTON, G. J. D. P. T.  
 A. BAKER, G. M. P. T.  
 THOS. L. B. GREGORY, G. P. P. T.  
 GUSTIN PERRY, G. S. B.  
 R. W. ASHTON, G. S. & T.

Bro. L. B. Powell submitted the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, various errors and informalities have crept into the ceremonies of many of the subordinate Lodges of this State, thereby creating material discrepancies in the mode of working in different Lodges, which ought not to exist—

*Be it therefore Resolved*, That the Grand Master appoint one or more Special Grand Lecturers, whose duty it shall be to visit the several subordinate Lodges of this State, and establish a more uniform mode of working in the same, according to the ancient customs and usages of Free Masons.

*And be it further Resolved*, That the said Special Grand Lecturers be required to call upon all such subordinate Lodges as are in arrears to the Grand Lodge, for a settlement of their accounts; and they are hereby authorized to settle and receipt for the same; and they shall account with the Grand Secretary for all moneys so received.

*And be it further Resolved*, That each of the said Special Grand Lecturers shall receive for his services, while employed in visiting the subordinate Lodges, a compensation of three dollars per day, over and above his necessary expenses.

On motion of Bro. John G. Marshall it was

*Resolved*, That the Grand Treasurer pay to Bro. William T. Bain thirty-five dollars for his services as Secretary to this Grand Lodge for the year 1837.

On motion, the Grand Lodge proceeded to the in-

stallation of its officers, when the following brethren were duly installed:

M. W. DAVID W. STONE, Grand Master.

THOS. L. B. GREGORY, (as } G. S. War.  
proxy for W. W. CHERRY,)

W. B. DUNN, G. J. Warden.

L. B. POWELL, (as proxy for } G. Treas'r.  
C. W. D. HUTHINGS,)

WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. Secretary.

The Worshipful Grand Master then made the following appointments:

BRO. THOS. L. B. GREGORY, Dep. Grand Master and Special Grand Lecturer to the subordinate Lodges.

" WALTER J. RAMSAY, G. S. D.

" B. D. SIMMS, G. J. D.

" WILLIAM M. GREEN, }

" THOS. J. LEMAY, } Grand Chaplains.

" JOHN ARMSTRONG, }

R. W. RICHARD D. SPAIGHT,

A. McRAE,

THOMAS L. HYBART,

L. B. POWELL,

J. L. STEVENSON,

N. B. MASSENBURG,

WILLIAM A. ANDREWS,

JAMES C. STEVENS,

JOHN G. MARSHALL,

JESSE H. DRAKE,

L. D. WILSON,

ABRAM BAKER,

WILLIAM FLINT,

JAMES L. G. BAKER,

JOSEPH R. LOYD,

GUSTIN PERRY, G. Marshall.

WILLIAM FLINT, G. Sword Bearer.

ABRAM BAKER, G. Pursuivant.

RICHARD W. ASHTON, G. Steward and Tyler.

The Committee appointed at the last Annual Communication to have certain repairs done to the Lodge room, reported that from circumstances beyond their control they could do nothing in the business, and asked for farther time, which was granted.

On motion, the Grand Lodge was called from labor

to refreshment until Friday morning 29th inst. at 10 o'clock.  
WM. T. BAIN, G. Sec'y.

*Friday Morning, Dec. 29, A. L. 5837.*

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT,

M. W. DAVID W. STONE, G. M.  
JOHN G. MARSHALL, G. S. W. P. T.  
L. B. POWELL, G. J. W. P. T.  
C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.  
WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. SEC.  
F. H. REEDER, G. J. D. P. T.  
W. J. RAMSAY, G. S. D. P. T.  
WILLIAM G. HILL, G. M. P. T.  
A. G. KEENE, G. S. B. P. T.  
J. B. McDADE, G. P. P. T.

VISITERS.

Bros. W. G. Hill and F. H. Reeder.

ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES.

Greensborough Lodge, No. 76, Guilford, Bro. John J. Christophers.  
University Lodge, 80, Chapel Hill, Bro. J. G. Marshall.  
Columbus Lodge, 102, Pittsborough, Bros. A. G. Keene and J. B. McDade.

The Committee on Returns and Charters from subordinate Lodges made the following Report:

*To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:*

The Committee on Charters and Communications from subordinate Lodges have given proper consideration to the subjects which it became their duty to investigate, and beg leave most respectfully to submit the following

**R E P O R T:**

1st. *On the subject of Charters.*

We have had under consideration a Communication from St. John's



Lodge, No. 96, Kinston, signed by the Master thereof, surrendering the Charter of the same, and assigning as a reason for so doing, incompetency and other causes deemed satisfactory to your committee. Accompanying this communication were sent the dues for the present year. It is therefore recommended that this Most Worshipful Grand Lodge receive this Charter, thus surrendered, in a kind and appropriate manner.

We have had before us a petition from the same place, signed by several Master Masons of high standing and character, praying for a Dispensation, authorizing them to work in the several degrees of Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft and Master Mason; which petition has been recommended to your favorable notice by Hiram Lodge, No. 40; and your committee therefore beg leave to report the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the prayer of the petitioners for a Dispensation to hold a Lodge in the town of Kinston, to be called St. John's Lodge, No. 96, be granted by this Worshipful Grand Lodge.

*Be it further Resolved*, That said Lodge be allowed the use of the jewels and furniture belonging to the late Lodge.

We have also had before us a petition from Pittsborough, signed by several respectable Master Masons, and recommended by University Lodge, No. 80, praying for a Charter or Warrant to empower them to assemble as a legal Lodge to discharge the duties of Masonry in the several degrees of Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft and Master Mason—the new Lodge to be called Columbus, No. 102.

*Be it therefore Resolved*, That the prayer of the petitioners be granted by this Grand Lodge.

## *2nd. On Communications from subordinate Lodges.*

It is with sorrow that your Committee are constrained to state that only fifteen subordinate Lodges have sent Representatives to this Grand Communication, viz:

Saint John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington; Royal White Hart, No. 2, Halifax; Davie, No. 39, Bertie; Hiram, No. 40, Raleigh; Hall, No. 53, Currituck; Perseverance, No. 59, Plymouth; Scotland Neck, No. 68, Halifax; Sharon, 78, Greenville; University, No. 80, Chapel Hill; Lafayette, No. 86, Louisburg; Enfield, No. 88, Enfield; Wake Forest, No. 97, Wake; Widow's Son, No. 75, Camden; Greensborough, No. 76, Guilford; Pittsborough, by dispensation.

The above named Lodges have also paid up their annual dues to the present time, with the exception of Hall and University Lodges. The other subordinate Lodges are still in arrears, notwithstanding the Grand Lodge has, from time to time, passed resolutions requiring all delinquent subordinate Lodges to adjust the claims standing against them within a given period, or appear by legal Representatives at the Annual Communications, to show cause why the charters, jewels and property of said Lodges should not be forfeited, the Grand Lodge at the same time in-

forming them that if they failed to comply with the above requisitions, the charters, jewels and property thereof should be held and deemed to be forfeited; and, notwithstanding the Grand Lodge did, in the plenitude of its mercy and brotherly love, suspend the enforcement of the above-mentioned resolutions until the 25th day of December, 1837—

*Therefore, be it Resolved by this Grand Lodge, That all subordinate Lodges which shall have been delinquent for two years, and which shall, on application, fail to settle with the Special Grand Lecturer, to be appointed, shall be required by him, in the name of the Grand Lodge, to surrender their charters, jewels and property.*

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

THOS. L. B. GREGORY,  
L. B. POWELL.

### Which Report was received and adopted.

#### The Committee on Miscellaneous Communications and Communications from Grand Lodges reported,

That they have examined returns from the Grand Lodges of New York, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Missouri, Maryland, Kentucky, Ohio, Georgia and Virginia; and respectfully beg leave to state that they have found nothing claiming the special attention of this Grand Lodge. They are gratified to state that in those States the Institution steadily maintains its character of firmness, truth, and brotherly love. The committee recommend a continuance of brotherly interchange of communications.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. D. HUTCHINGS,  
W. J. RAMSAY.

### Which Report was also received and adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred the examination of the Grand Treasurer's accounts, beg leave to remark, that from the papers exhibited to them, they are impressed with a belief that a Report could not be made satisfactory to the Grand Lodge, and therefore beg to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject; which Report having been submitted by Bro William Thos. Bain, the Grand Lodge accepted the same, and discharged said Committee from the further consideration of the subject, agreeably to their prayer—Whereupon, it was

*Resolved, That Brothers John J. Christophers, William T. Bain, and David W. Stone be appointed a Committee further to investigate the accounts of the late Grand Treasurer, and that they be authorised to adopt such measures for collecting the true balance that may be ascertained to be due from Bro. Green W. Ligon, deceased, the late Grand Treasurer of this Grand Lodge, as they may deem expedient and advisable, and said Committee have till the next Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge to report.*

On motion, it was

*Resolved*, That from and after this time, the price of a Dispensation granted by this Grand Lodge, or by the Grand Master, be five dollars, and that the price of a Charter be ten dollars; and that the same be received by the Grand Secretary when he delivers over the Dispensation or Charter.

*Resolved further*, That the Grand Secretary be entitled to retain, out of the monies received for each and every Dispensation or Charter hereafter granted by this Grand Lodge, or the Grand Master, one dollar, as his fee for filling up and making out the form; and that he pay the balance over to the Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge.

*Be it further Resolved*, That the price of Diploma granted by this Grand Lodge, or the Grand Officers thereof, shall be five dollars; and that the same shall accrue to, and be a part of the perquisites of the Grand Secretary.

*Resolved further*, That the Grand Secretary have dispensations, Charters, and Diplomas printed from time to time, as they may be needed, and that the cost of the same be paid out of the funds of the Grand Lodge.

**On motion of Bro. John G. Marshall, it was**

*Resolved*, That Columbus Lodge, No 102, Pittsborough, which has been working for but six months under a Dispensation, shall only pay five dollars due to the Grand Lodge for the present year.

The Petition and Memorial of sundry Master Masons of Washington, N. C. to the Grand Lodge, praying for a Dispensation to open a Lodge in said Town, were read and accepted, and a Dispensation granted them for that purpose.

The returns of Eagle Lodge, No. 71, Hillsborough, were not received until after the adjournment of the Grand Lodge, but it will be noticed under the head of "Returns of Subordinate Lodges," &c.

The following Resolution was then submitted by Bro. John G. Marshall:

WHEREAS, it has pleased the Supreme Architect of the Universe, in his inscrutable providence, to call from among us our Brother GREEN W. LIGON, late Grand Treasurer of this Gran! Lodge—

*Be it therefore Resolved*, That we sincerely lament the loss which Masonry in general, and this Grand Lodge in particular, has sustained, in the death of our Friend and Brother, GREEN W. LIGON, and that we sincerely sympathise with his friends and relations in this afflicting visitation of Providence.

**Which was unanimously adopted.**

An account of Bro. Thos. J. Lemay, for forty-five dollars, was then submitted and ordered to be paid.

On motion, the Grand Lodge then adjourned to Monday the 3rd day of December next, at 3 o'clock P. M.

When the Lodge was closed in due and ample form.  
**WILLIAM T. BAIN, G. Sec'y.**



# RETURNS.

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*State of the Lodges working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which have made Returns at the present Communication.*

## **Warren Lodge, No. 101, Kenansville.**

### OFFICERS:

Owen R. Kenan	W. Master
Isaac B Kelly	S. Warden
Samuel Standford	J. Warden
Nich. Hall	Treasurer
Hamp. Sullivan	Secretary
A G Hill	S. Deacon
Samuel Houston	J. Deacon
Wm. H Hansley	Tyler and Steward

### MEMBERS.

John E Hussey	A J Hurst
Thomas J Kenan	Charles McIntire
William J Price	R J Hunter
John Farrior	William McGee
Kenan Millard	Richard Stanly
John J Hurst	Hogan Hunter
C O Hurst	John Wilkerson
John B Hussey	William H Hurst
James K Hill	

Admitted 6, initiated 6, passed 5 raised 5, died 3, rejected 1.



**Widow's Son Lodge, No. 75, Camden.****OFFICERS.**

John L. Ferrill	W. Master
Abner Forbes	S. Warden
Enoch Nash	J. Warden
John S Burges	Treasurer
Cornelius C. Bryant	Secretary
Willoughby Wright	S. Deacon
Jesse C. Bell	J. Deacon
Demsey C. Bell	Tyler
Peter Seymour	E. P. Steward

**MEMBERS.**

Justin B. Jacobs	Jacob Mercer
Samuel Aydlott	Simeon Kight
James Citiren	William G. Wilson
Solomon Perkins	Elijah S. Staples
Gideon L. Lamb	James N. McPherson
Samuel Tillett	

Admitted 2, initiated 3, passed 2, raised 3, died 5, rejected 2.

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**Greensborough Lodge, No. 76, Greensborough.****OFFICERS.**

Peter Adams	W. Master
John M. Logan	S. Warden
David Scott	J. Warden
Booz Adams	Treasurer
C. N. B. Evans	Secretary
James N. Millis	S. Deacon
Dunmore Daniel	J. Deacon
Robert Mitchell	Tyler

**MEMBERS.**

Kendle Dawson	James Humphreys
Pinckney C. Peoples	M. Jourdan
S C. Green	Thomas Carby
F. Gorrell	Samuel Sharp

Benj. Overman  
 Haly Brown  
 H. J. Warren  
 Phillip Bevill  
 Joshua G. Wright  
 B. C. Opilt  
 Charles W. Peeples  
 Joel Jackson  
 Jesse McCuistin  
 Dempsey Brown  
 Green D. Jourdan  
 O. Gardner  
 Joab Hiatt  
 Giles H. Bowers  
 G. B. Kings  
 John Shaw

J. Church  
 Matthew Hitchcock  
 John D. Evans  
 William H. Cummings  
 W. Sturgess  
 William G. Beard  
 Robert W. Lindsay  
 H. B. Stratford  
 Shubal G. Coffin  
 Irwin D. Heath  
 John B. Kingsbury  
 Nathan Caulk  
 J. H. Lindsay  
 Jonas T. Ross  
 A. G. Coffin

Initiated, passed, and raised to sublime degree, 5. Initiated and passed to degree of fellow craft 1. Initiated as an entered apprentice 1. Withdrawn 1.

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### Royal White Hart Lodge, No. 2, Halifax.

#### OFFICERS.

James Simmons  
 James Frazier  
 N. L. B. Stith  
 J. L. Simmons  
 F. S. Marshall  
 E. Slocum

W. Master  
 S. Warden  
 J. Warden  
 Secretary  
 Treasurer  
 Tyler

#### MEMBERS.

Willis Alston  
 Thomas R. Neville  
 John T. Clanton  
 Mark H. Pettway  
 A. Joyner  
 Stephen Read  
 James S. Pearson  
 James Simmons  
 F. S. Marshall

George W. Gary  
 Landon Clanton  
 R. F. W. H. Perkins  
 O. J. Neville  
 John Faulcon  
 Will. M. Deford  
 John Alston  
 M. C. Turner  
 Eaton R. Newsom

Thomas L. Berryman  
 M. A. Willcox  
 A. H. Neville  
 Benj. Campbell  
 W. L. Long  
 Borous Carter  
 J. L. Simmons  
 Henry Harris  
 James Fraizer  
 W. Harris  
 Benj. S. Long  
 R. H. Long  
 Henry M. Purnell  
 N. L. B. Stith  
 Quinton H. Trotman  
 W. H. Hardie  
 Geo. W. Taylor

J. H. Simmons  
 N. A. Taylor  
 L. B. Powell  
 Geo. W. Owen  
 E. Slocum  
 W. H. Pope  
 Henry F. Bond  
 W. D. Carstaphen  
 D. B. Elbeck  
 C. M. Cosby  
 D. Hagadon  
 John W. Hiptinstall  
 A. P. Alsobrook  
 Blake Pitman  
 J. H. Kirkham  
 J. B. Gorseley

Admitted 2, initiated 5, passed 4, raised 3, withdrawn 2, died 1.

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**University Lodge. No. 80.**

Initiated 9, passed 10, raised 10, withdrawn 2, deaths 2, expelled 2.

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**Pittsborough Lodge, No. 102, Pittsborough**

**OFFICERS.**

A. G. Keen	W. Master
J. B. M'Dade	S. Warden
A. B. Gunter	J. Warden
J. A. Hanks	Treasurer
J. N. Crosby	Secretary
W. P. Taylor	S. Deacon
J. Crump	J. Deacon
M. R. Sugg	Tyler
Alandson Gunter } L. H. Meaers }	Stewards

**MEMBERS.**

J. J. Collier	O. L. Burch
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H. S. Hamlet  
 D. Murden  
 F. Peterson  
 P. LeMessurier  
 W. G. Hill  
 J. W. Bynum  
 S. McClenahan  
 Jgn. Haralson

John Terry  
 P. R. Lilly  
 H. Lightfoot  
 James Taylor  
 T. J. Utley  
 Jos. Ramsey  
 J. W. Womble

Admitted 3, initiated 13, passed 16, raised 16, rej'd. 3.

**Wake Forest Lodge, No. 97, Wake.**

**OFFICERS.**

William B Dunn  
 Peterson Dunn  
 R N Jeffreys  
 R Hunter  
 J M Fleming  
 W R Thomas  
 T J Terrell  
 John D Powell  
 J Dunn

W. Master  
 S. Warden  
 J. Warden  
 Treasurer  
 Secretary  
 S. Deacon  
 J. Deacon  
 Steward  
 Tyler

**MEMBERS.**

Berry D Simms  
 John P Lemay  
 George W Purifoy  
 N Thompson  
 W Cole  
 A Hester  
 Hudson High  
 Thomas F Chaistman  
 B Perry  
 B Young  
 A Cole

T J Lemay  
 A Dunn  
 Doctor Cole  
 J Dilworth  
 G Jones  
 Bolling Dunn  
 James Bedford  
 D Terrell  
 H M Cocke  
 D S Crenshaw  
 A S Wynn

Initiated 5, passed 6, raised 5, withdrawn 2, expelled 1,  
 rejected 1.

**Lafayette Lodge, No. 86. Louisburg.****OFFICERS.**

Nicholas B Massenburg	W. Master
Gustin Perry	S. Warden
N B Walker	J. Warden
Joseph A Whitaker	Treasurer
Gust. J Foster	Secretary
Samuel Brodie	S. Deacon
Was. Branch	J. Deacon
George Davis	Tyler

**MEMBERS.**

William H Strother	A Evans
S Patterson	W H Cooper
Archibald H Davis	John D Connell
Joseph J Maclin	Thomas E Yarbrough
Davis Young	Baldwin Perry
Henry G Williams	Samuel W Hunter
Joseph Murphy	Thomas Howerton
Alfred A Lancaster	Lewis Brodie
James B Debnam	William H Williams
Cooper Gupton	Benjamin F Foster
G J Foster	Joseph J Williams
Peyton Harris	Burwell Perry
Tod Harris	

Admitted 14, initiated 14, passed 13, raised 13, withdrawn 4, expelled 1, rejected 4.

**Enfield Lodge, No. 88, Enfield.****OFFICERS.**

Thomas L B Gregory	W. Master
P Tillery	S. Warden
William Bryant	J. Warden
William Brickle	Treasurer
Lunsford R Cherry	Secretary
M C Whitaker	S. Deacon
John B Gregory	J. Deacon



James Stamper & }  
 Asa Hipkinstall }  
 W Scutchens

Stewards

Tyler

## MEMBERS.

Levi Bryan  
 Perasmus Tillery  
 M L Wigoin  
 J W Batchelor  
 James B Yellowby  
 M C Whitaker  
 William Brickle  
 Thomas L B Gregory  
 William E Lane  
 Elijah Pitman  
 Lunsford R Cherry

Norflet Scutchins  
 Thomas Benson  
 John B Gregory  
 Henry Gunter  
 James Stamper  
 L Morgan  
 William Bryant  
 Asa Hiptinstall  
 Lunsford King  
 Baker Vaden

Initiated 1, passed 1, raised 2, withdrawn 1, died 2, rejected 2.

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**Sharon Lodge, No. 78, Greenville.**

## OFFICERS.

William W Andrews  
 Henry R Congleton  
 Henry P Bryan  
 Benjamin M Selby  
 Kenneth Page  
 Joshua O Hussey  
 Thomas C Hussey  
 George W Andrews

W. Master  
 S. Warden  
 J. Warden  
 Secretary  
 Treasurer  
 S. Deacon  
 J. Deacon  
 Tyler

## MEMBERS.

Marshal Dickinson  
 John C Gorham  
 Goold Hoyt  
 Arthur H Johnson  
 Jesse H Mooring  
 Ruel Anderson  
 Richard Carson  
 James S Clark  
 Edward Laughinghouse

Richard Evans (removed)  
 Benashby Atkinson  
 Benjamin Brown  
 William Brown  
 John H Burney  
 William Burney  
 Caswell Stancell  
 Jesse Rountree  
 Joseph Blount Griffin

Churchwell Perkins  
 Edmund G Andrews  
 Bryan H. Griffin  
 Reuben Philpot  
 Micajah Philpot  
 Easor W Philpot  
 Jacob Moore (removed)  
 Clayton H Taylor  
 George W Andrews  
 Henry A Hopkins

Cobourn Wilkinson  
 Holloway Mills  
 Benjamin Crisp  
 Jesse M Hussey  
 William Powell  
 D S Powell  
 John Taylor  
 William Hatton  
 Riley Stokes  
 Willie N. White

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**Scotland Neck Lodge, No. 68, Scotland Neck.**

**OFFICERS.**

George Cobb  
 E G Hammond  
 F R Pittman  
 J L Hyman  
 T B Nicholls  
 Nathan Mizell  
 Hisbon Bishop  
 Arthur Bishop  
 Jesse M Hussey

W. Master  
 S. Warden  
 J. Warden  
 Treasurer  
 Secretary  
 S. Deacon  
 J. Deacon  
 Steward  
 Tyler

**MEMBERS.**

James L G Baker  
 Charles Shield  
 William Rawls, jr.  
 John Bishop, sr.  
 W L Tunstall  
 Bryant Bishop  
 Richard Smith, sr.  
 Arthur Bishop  
 Joseph Higgs  
 Hishbon Bishop  
 Thomas B Nicholls  
 William S Duggan  
 Clayton Hays  
 John W Simmons  
 Nathan Mizell

Thomas D Lawrence  
 Jesse M Hussey  
 John L Hyman  
 Killy Rawls  
 George Cobb  
 Hardy H Brown  
 Frederick R Bittman  
 James Pender  
 Thomas Howell  
 Jesse Harrell, jr.  
 Ebenezer Hyman  
 Samuel W Hyman  
 Thomas C Harrell  
 Peyton T Boyett  
 Everett Hancock

John D Rawls

William Flint

William W Ward

Benjamin J Bromley

Admitted 6, initiated 13, passed 12, raised 12, withdrawn 7, died 3, rejected 4.

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**Perseverance Lodge, No. 59, Plymouth.**

**OFFICERS.**

Levi Fagan

W. Master

John W Maitland

S. Warden

Joseph Ramsey

J. Warden

F F Fagan

Treasurer

William B Fessenden

Secretary

Thomas E Pender

S. Deacon

James W Bell

J. Deacon

Hardy Hardison

S. Steward

Jordan J Phelps

J. Steward

Elijah Cornell

Tyler

**MEMBERS.**

George W Clements

Samuel Johnston

Levi Fagan

William R Gaylard

John W Maitland

Joseph Ramsey

William B Fessenden

John Smithey

Thomas E Pender

Jordan J Phelps

Elijah Cornell

Theodore J Smith

Hardy Hardison

James W Bell

F F Fagan

Joseph B Griffin

Admitted 2, withdrawn 3, died 1.

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**Hall Lodge, No. 53, Indian Town.**

**OFFICERS.**

G C Marchant

W. Master

Tully L Dozier

S. Warden

Miller Sawyer

J. Warden

John D Grandy

Treasurer

Tully Bell

Secretary

John Humphries  
Edmund L Dozier  
Davis B Morse

S. Deacon  
J. Deacon  
Tyler

## MEMBERS.

G C Marchant  
J H Holmes  
Samuel Ferebee  
Caleb Etheridge  
Pat. Northern  
Daniel Baum  
Thomas Bell  
John Forbes  
Jabes Jennete  
Davis B Morse  
John Humphries  
Samuel W Ferebee  
Tully Bell  
John Cox  
James Gregory  
H Williams  
John L Cox

Alfred Perkins  
John D Grandy  
Edmund L Dozier  
John N Wilson  
Tully L Dozier  
Miller Sawyer  
William F Humphries  
William S Wilson  
William A Dozier  
John Fanshaw  
Wilson G Lamb  
Grandy Barnard  
S Ashbee  
William McBride  
Gideon Lamb  
Israel Fanshaw  
Thomas Williams

Initiated 1, passed 1, raised 3, withdrawn 3, died 2.

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**Hiram Lodge, No. 40, Raleigh.**

## OFFICERS.

John G Marshall  
D Lindeman  
F H Reeder  
C W D Hutchins  
John J Christophers  
J D Royster  
Willie W Johnson  
W J Lougee

W. Master  
S. Warden  
J. Warden  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
S. Deacon  
J. Deacon  
Tyler

## MEMBERS.

R W Ashton  
J T C Wiatt  
Thomas L West

A S Waugh  
P B Burt  
H P Tucker

B F Jordan  
 W L Fowler  
 D B Griffin  
 John Griffin  
 William Hood

W R Hill  
 W J Ramsay  
 C Christophers  
 P LeMesuierer  
 A Tench

Admitted 1, initiated 2, withdrawn 2, died 1, rej'd. 1.

**Davie Lodge, No. 39, Britton's X Roads.**

OFFICERS.

Elisha E Horton  
 Stark B Smith  
 Johnson Higgs  
 William A Worley  
 Bryan Randolph  
 Moore Rawls  
 Thomas H Bennet  
 Jordan J Horton }  
 Nathan Whooten }  
 James Rutland

W. Master  
 S. Warden  
 J. Warden  
 Secretary  
 Treasurer  
 S. Deacon  
 J. Deacon  
 Stewards  
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Hardy Hays  
 Calvin C Tyler  
 Godwin C Moore  
 Abner J Perry  
 Amos R Pulen  
 Elijah Futeral  
 William B King  
 Aquilla Hyman  
 Henry Harrell  
 George J Shoulars  
 Abner Andrews

Thomas J Pugh  
 William Hodges  
 Willie Baughm  
 William H Tarpley  
 West Tynes  
 Lewis M Jiggetts  
 Robert C Watson  
 John Ruffin, sr.  
 Levin Spivey  
 Jesse A Powell  
 William Britton

Initiated 7, passed 9, raised 9, withdrawn 1, died 2, rejected 1.

**St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington.**

This Lodge consists of 36 regular Members.



## OFFICERS.

Thomas W Brown	W. Master
Thomas Cowan	S. Warden
B Baxter	J. Warden
S D Wallace	S. Deacon
S N Cannon	J. Deacon
H R Foy	Tyler
A A Brown	Treasurer
John Whittier	Secretary

**Eagle Lodge, No. 71, Hillsborough.**

## OFFICERS.

Charles S Warren	W. Master
William C Christmass	S. Waaden
John M Jones	J. Warden
Allen Parks	Treasurer
James S Leathers	Secretary
Robert F Pleasants	S. Deacon
George Piper	J. Deacon
James M Palmer } Thomas S Cox } Chas. L Cooley }	Stewards

## MEMBERS.

John Berry	Stephen Moore
R D Barker	Frederick Nash
William H Brown	William Nelson
Solomon Allen	James Parks
Burroughs Cheek	Samuel Piper
James Child	George Laws
William C Bland	William Piper
Samuel S Claytor	Richard Peacock
Archibald Borland	William H Phillips
James Brown	William D Parker
John Cooley	Williamson Parrish
John J Freeland	Henry Richards
William Horten	William T Shields
Joseph Holt	John Scott
Leopold E Heartt	Thomas J. Phillips
Samuel B Holder	Edmund Stradwick
William F Jones	James Turner
Alexander M Kirkland	James S Smith
Eli McDaniel	Briscoe Warren
William Montgomery	Eli Watson

Admitted 2, initiated 8, passed 6, raised 5.

*List of Lodges under the jurisdiction of the Grand  
Lodge of North Carolina, A. L. 5837.*

St. John's,	No. 1,	Wilmington
Royal White Hart,	2,	Halifax
St. John's,	3,	Newbern
Phoenix,	8,	Fayetteville
Washington,	15,	Beaufort
American George,	17,	Murfreesborough
Phalanx,	31,	Charlotte
Stokes,	32,	Concord
Davie,	39,	Bertie
Hiram,	40,	Raleigh
Liberty,	45,	Wilkesborough
Hall,	53,	Currituck
Unanimity,	54,	Edenton
King Solomon,	56,	Northampton
Concord,	58,	Tarborough
Perseverance,	59,	Plymouth
Union,	62,	Waynesborough
Kilwinning,	64,	Wadesborough
Williams,	66,	Currituck
Scotland Neck,	68,	Halifax
Taylor,	69,	Beaufort
Eagle,	71,	Hillsborough
Goldeen Fleece,	74,	Milton
Widow's Son,	75,	Camden
Greensborough,	76,	Guilford
Albemarle,	77,	Hertford
Sharon,	78,	Greenville
Charity,	78,	Windsor
University,	80,	Chapel Hill
Zion,	81,	Trent Bridge
Mount Moriah,	82,	Statesville
Lafayette,	83,	Onslow C. H.
Fellowship,	84,	Smithfield
Morning Star,	85,	Nashville
Lafayette,	86,	Louisburg
Line,	87,	Duplin Old C. H.
Enfield,	88,	Enfield
Eastern,	89,	Elizabeth City
Skewarkee,	90,	Williamston
Western Star,	91,	Rutherfordton
Joseph Warren,	92,	Stantonsburg
Franklin,	94,	Hyde
Jerusalem,	95,	Hookerton
St. John's,	96,	Kinston
Wake Forest,	97,	Wake
Hiram,	98,	Clinton
Fulton,	99,	Salisbury
Rising Sun,	100,	Morganton
Warren,	101,	Kenansville
Pittsborough,	102,	Pittsborough.

*A form whereby the subordinate Lodges are required to make their Annual Returns to the Grand Lodge.*

RETURN of the Officers and Members of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge, No. —, held at \_\_\_\_\_, by (Charter or Dispensation, as the case may be) from the M. W. Grand Lodge of North Carolina, together with a statement of the Admissions, Initiations, Passings, Raisings, Withdrawals, Deaths, Suspensions, Expulsions and Rejections, which have taken place in said Lodge, from \_\_\_\_\_, A. L., to \_\_\_\_\_, A. L.

Members' Names.		Rank.	Officers.							
			Master.							
			S. Warden.							
			J. Warden.							
			Treasurer.							
			Secretary.							
			S. Deacon.							
			J. Deacon.							
			Steward.							
			Tyler.							
Admitted.	Initiated.	Passed.	Raised.	Withdrawn.	Died.	Suspended.	Expelled.	Rejected.		

ATTEST.

SECRETARY.

MASTER.



