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# By-Laws

—OF—

Mt. Olive Lodge

NO. 3

A. F. & A. M.



Parkersburg, W. Va.



BY-LAWS  
OF  
MT. OLIVET LODGE  
No. 3  
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PARKERSBURG, W. VA.



This is to Certify

Chas. F. Caste

That Brother

WAS INITIATED - 29

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March

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RAISED 28th

DAY OF

April

19 37

Jas A Bryan 33"

SECRETARY

WORSHIPFUL MASTER



## OUR HISTORY

Compiled by Judge L. N. Tavenner

**Parkersburg.** Nature joined the Little Kanawha to the Ohio to mingle the waters that fell within five miles of the Lakes with those from the crest of the Allegheny Mountains and the products of the country tributary to those streams that flowed to those rivers.

As far back in years as 1773 a youth of eighteen, fleeing from the legal consequences of vengeance wreaked upon his successful rival, whom he supposed himself to have killed, Simon Kenton here met Dr. Briscoe with an exploring party and obtained a rifle and supply of ammunition; here he later that summer found fourteen men under direction of Dr. Wood and Hancock Lee. Here in 1774 Gen. George Rogers Clark, in early manhood, rendezvoused with a party of the settlers. Here August 16, 1781, Capt. Shannon and Lieut. Isaac Anderson encamped with their party, carrying their horses on boats. On the lower side of the Little Kanawha in 1785 Capt. James Neal, accredited the first permanent settler, built his Block House, the exact site of which is unknown, as the floods removed all traces, and his grandson, Daniel R. Neal, would not try to designate it. The town of Monroe was laid out on the south side of the Little Kanawha. The town of Newport at its mouth, and Vienna was laid out by Joseph Spencer and incorporated by the Virginia Assembly in 1798, located between what is now Wesley Chapel and Warthmoore Station, on the Ohio River. The town of Parkersburg was surveyed and platted by George D. Avery in 1810, and since then has grown and extended to its present limits. The Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, of A. F. & A. M. granted a dispensation for a Lodge of Masons here at Parkersburg May 1, 1818, and that being duly returned the Grand Lodge granted charter for same under the name of Mount Olivet No. 113, at Annual Communication December 15, 1818, with Elias Gates as Worshipful Master, Oliver Phelps as Senior Warden and Alexander H. Creel as Junior Warden.

The early records have been lost; but in April, 1884, M. W. Charles H. Collier, then Grand Lecturer of West Virginia, convened his deputies for school of instruction here, and among those deputies came William S. Summers, of Charleston, who on that occasion pre-



sented to this Lodge the original letter addressed to his Uncle, Lewis Summers, who served as Judge of the Superior Court for Wood County several years, which letter was signed by Elias Gates, Oliver Phelps, Isaac Morris, M. Chapman, Wm. Tefft, Martin Bailey, and Turner Boulware, requesting advice of time when it suited his convenience to constitute Mount Olivet Lodge No. 113. That letter was framed to ornament the walls of the lodge room and is still here, duly prized.

When the State of West Virginia was organized and admitted there was agitated the matter of organization of Grand Lodge of West Virginia.

During the times that tried men's souls, from 1861 to 1865, the different lodges throughout what is now West Virginia, suffered much distraction: yet the lights were kept burning in most localities. Those lodges located within the territory over which the Southern Confederacy held dominion worked under the jurisdiction of Grand Lodge of Virginia.

The Brethren of Fairmont issued circular letter to Mount Olivet asking that delegates be sent to Convention at Grafton, on December 28, 1863, but at communication of Mt. Olivet, December 16, 1863, that was laid on the table: Josiah Bigelow and Matthew Edmiston, both Past District Deputy Grand Masters, visited Mt. Olivet Lodge on that occasion; and at communication held on December 22, 1863, Josiah Bigelow presided as Master, and the communication from Fairmont being again before the lodge, on motion of Bro. H. P. Farrow, the secretary was "instructed to inform Fairmont Lodge No. 9 that in the opinion of this lodge it is inexpedient to attempt the organization of a Grand Lodge at this time because of there being so many lodges within the limits of this state not in working condition."

Afterwards however, at communication held May 23, 1864, this lodge resolved to appoint a delegate to convention to be held at Fairmont on the 24th of June "for the purpose of considering the propriety of instituting a Grand Lodge of West Virginia."

Rev. W. L. Hyland, Worshipful Master, was afterwards elected such delegate and served in the conventions that met and took steps that resulted in organization of the Grand Lodge of West Virginia.

The Convention at Grafton, December 28,



1863, adjourned to meet at Fairmont June 24, 1864, when it elected officers, including W. Bro. W. L. Hyland as Grand Senior Deacon, but the Brethren so elected refused to be installed. That Convention adjourned to meet at Wheeling on the second Wednesday in May, 1865, when Past Grand Master of Ohio, Wm. B. Thrall, installed the officers, and the Grand Lodge of West Virginia was duly constituted. Bro. W. L. Hyland was a member of the Committee on Constitution, also member of Committee on Charters, which latter recommended that subordinate lodges send in their charters for endorsement by the Grand Master, Dr. W. J. Bates, of Wheeling. At a subsequent Communication the Grand Lodge of West Virginia, held January 17, 1866, new charters were provided to be issued, and under that provision Mount Olivet took the number 3 where prior she had been numbered 113 under her charter from the Grand Lodge of Virginia.

### MASONIC TEMPLE

The title to the Masonic Temple of Parkersburg is held by the Masonic Temple Society, a corporation other than a joint stock company under the laws of West Virginia, whose charter was issued March 25, 1916, for the purposes.

"The objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed are as follows:

"For educational, literary and scientific purposes and for purpose of public charity, and dissemination of the principles of Free Masonry, the principles of Royal Arch Masonry, principles of the order of Christian Knighthood, principles of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry, and principles of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America, and for the purpose of maintaining a library and club Rooms, and social, scientific, literary, educational, and charitable, clubs and associations, without profit and for the improvement of morals and sociological conditions and for intellectual development, without profit and for benevolent and charitable purposes, and to buy and hold real estate and personal property to be used and devoted to the aforesaid and above mentioned purposes." \* \* \* \*

"The members of this corporation shall consist of those whose names are signed hereto and in addition thereto all Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, and all Royal Arch Masons, and all Knights Templar, and all Ancient and

Accepted Scottish Rite Masons, and all Nobles of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America, who are and shall be members of the several Masonic, Royal Arch Masons, Knights Templar, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons, and Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, while and so long as they continue to be members in good standing of the several bodies of the said Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of the Royal Arch Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, of Knights Templar Commandery, of Knights Templar of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, who have their homes and place of meeting at Parkersburg in the State of West Virginia.

"This corporation and society, the Masonic Temple Society, shall transact business and act through and by and shall be governed and controlled in all its conduct and proceedings by a Board of Five directors as trustees representing the respective Masonic bodies of Parkersburg above mentioned and hereinafter specified." (See 2nd page).

### OFFICERS OF MOUNT OLIVET LODGE No. 3. A. F. & A. M.

Elected in June (changed in 1870 to December)  
of each year.

#### Master

1863 W. L. Hyland	1886 L. N. Tavenner
1864 J. A. Clement	1887 L. N. Tavenner
1865 J. A. Clement	1888 W. W. VanWinkle
1866 Chas. H. Bartlett	1889 W. W. VanWinkle
1867 Chas. H. Bartlett	1890 Henry F. Harnish
1868 Frank Rex	1891 Henry F. Harnish
1869 I. W. Montgomery	1892 William M. Cox
1870 I. W. Montgomery	1893 William M. Cox
1870 Chas. H. Turner	1894 Simon Bradford
1871 Chas. B. Smith	1895 Simon Bradford
1872 Chas. H. Turner	1896 Jas. A. Wetherell
1873 Chas. H. Turner	1897 George G. Stout
1874 Frank Rex	1898 George G. Stout
1875 C. B. Tavenner	1899 Wm. T. Ritten-
1876 C. B. Tavenner	house
1877 A. N. Williams	1900 Wm. T. Ritten-
1878 A. N. Williams	house
1879 A. N. Williams	1901 Jas. A. Davidson
1880 E. F. Reifsnnyder	1902 E. A. Whitney
1881 Chas. H. Turner	1903 E. A. Whitney
1882 Jas. A. Bryan	1904 John M. Sands
1883 Jas. A. Bryan	1905 Ed. R. Patton
1884 Lewis C. Hunt	1906 R. J. A. Boreman
1885 Lewis C. Hunt	1907 R. J. A. Boreman

## OFFICERS—Continued

1908 Wesley Hull	1915 Ed. O. Bower
1909 G. Allen Hawkins	1916 Clair C. Dutton
1910 Wm. Kramer	1917 Bryan Rittenhouse
1911 Clyde T. Dutton	1918 Jas. E. Miller
1912 Chas. A. Kreps	1919 Walter L. Danks
1913 Robt. S. Lemon	1920 Frank F. Flaig
1914 Fred O. Higgins	

### Senior Warden

1863 A. F. Gibbens	1893 Simon Bradford
1864 J. C. Morrison	1894 John F. Laird
1865 Chas. H. Bartlett	1895 John F. Laird
1866 Frank Stribling	1896 Geo. G. Stout
1867 Frank Rex	1897 Wm. T. Rittenhouse
1868 Jas. A. Sinsel	
1869 George McBee	1898 Wm. T. Rittenhouse
1870 Chas. H. Turner	
1870 Chas. B. Smith	1899 Jas. A. Davidson
1871 Alex Laird	1900 Jas. A. Davidson
1872 Ed. F. Smith	1901 E. A. Whitney
1873 Chas. W. Stewart	1902 John M. Sands
1874 Wm. Englehart	1903 John M. Sands
1875 G. W. Thompson	1904 Ed. R. Patton
1876 Alf. N. Williams	1905 R. J. A. Boreman
1877 Chas. W. Stewart	1906 Wesley Hull
1878 J. H. McClelland	1907 Wesley Hull
1879 E. F. Reirsnyder	1908 G. A. Hawkins
1880 W. S. Stewart	1909 Wm. Kramer
1881 Jas. A. Bryan	1910 Clyde T. Dutton
1882 Jas. A. Wetherell	1911 Robert H. Moon
1883 Chas. T. Taylor	1912 Robt. S. Lemon
1884 John Hogan	1913 Fred O. Higgins
1885 John Hogan	1914 Ed. O. Bower
1886 Jas. A. Wetherell	1915 Clair C. Dutton
1887 Geo. R. Safford	1916 W. B. Rittenhouse
1888 Geo. G. Stout	1917 Jas. E. Miller
1889 H. F. Harnish	1918 W. L. Danks
1890 Edw. F. Lathrop	1919 Frank F. Flaig
1891 Wm. M. Cox	1920 Eber J. Hayman
1892 Simon Bradford	

### Secretary

1863 M. Woods	1882-85 Geo. R. Safford
1864-67 W. L. Hyland	1886-87 H. F. Harnish
1868-70 F. B. Toothaker	1888 Al. B. Barrett
1870 I. W. Montgomery	1890-92 J. T. Cooper
	1893-94 Geo. M. Cover
1871-72 T. G. Gordon	1895-1921 J. A. Bryan
1873-81 J. A. Wetherell	

### Junior Warden

1863 John C. Morrison	1868 I. W. Montgomery
1864 Chas. H. Bartlett	1869 Thos. G. Gordon
1865 Frank Stribling	1870 Jas. L. Stealey
1866 P. W. Shipley	1870 Alex Laird
1867 I. W. Montgomery	1871 Ed. F. Smith

## OFFICERS--Continued

1872 Chas. W. Stewart	house
1873 Chas. Bekurs	1897 Edg. D. Albright
1874 C. B. Tavenner	1898 Geo. H. Bailey
1875 Jas. McConahy	1899 E. A. Whitney
1876 Jas. A. Moffett	1900 E. A. Whitney
1877 Jesse R. Purnell	1901 John M. Sands
1878 E. F. Reifsnnyder	1902 Ed. R. Patton
1879 W. S. Stewart	1903 Ed. R. Patton
1880 Chas. T. Taylor	1904 R. J. A. Boreman
1881 Lewis C. Hunt	1905 Wesley Hull
1882 John W. Knight	1906 G. A. Hawkins
1883 John Hogan	1907 G. A. Hawkins
1884 L. N. Tavenner	1908 Wm. Kramer
1885 L. N. Tavenner	1909 Clyde T. Dutton
1886 Frank E. King	1910 Robert H. Moon
1887 W. W. VanWinkle	1911 Chas. A. Kreps
1888 Selden A. Stone	1912 Fred O. Higgins
1889 Will E. Skerven	1913 Edw. O. Bower
1890 Ed. C. Gerwig	1914 Clair C. Dutton
1891 Simon Bradford	1915 Bry. Rittenhouse
1892 John F. Laird	1916 Geo. D. Heaton
1893 John F. Laird	1917 Walter L. Danks
1894 Geo. H. Bailey	1918 H. P. Pflug
1895 Geo. H. Bailey	1919 Eber J. Hayman
1896 Wm. T. Ritten-	1920 Fred L. Summers

### Members Who Have Walked in Masonic Light for More Than Half Century

Sam Newberger, brought to light prior to 1860.  
L. F. Thompson, initiated August 8, 1864.

### Who Have Walked in That Light Almost Half Century

Charles H. Turner, initiated October 14, 1867.  
Charles P. Leavitt, initiated May 25, 1868.  
Alexander Laird, initiated June 28, 1869.  
Benjamin Walker, Jr., initiated Oct. 25, 1869.  
M. S. Thanhouser, initiated February 14, 1870.  
Walling W. VanWinkle, initiated May 16, 1870.  
Robert M. Shaw, initiated July 11, 1870.  
Robert J. A. Boreman, initiated April 8, 1872.  
James A. Wetherell, initiated Aug. 26, 1872.

### In the Light More Than Forty Years

John F. Bowen, initiated October 27, 1873.  
W. S. Stuart, initiated June 28, 1875.  
Jno. C. Cariens, initiated January 8, 1874, in  
Clifton Lodge No. 23.  
James A. Bryan, initiated May 12, 1879.



## **In the Light Almost Forty Years**

Jesse Pierce, initiated March 28, 1881.

### **In the Light More than Three Decades**

Rudolph Wild, initiated August 13, 1883.

Lewis N. Tavenner, initiated Sept. 10, 1883.

George G. Stout, initiated October 8, 1883.

Benjamin D. Stout, initiated October 8, 1883.

J. C. Stealey, initiated April 24, 1884.

John E. Mayhugh, initiated August 7, 1884, in  
Clifton Lodge No. 23.

Albert Blakesley White, initiated Aug. 8, 1886.

William H. Baker, initiated Sept. 13, 1886.

Henry F. Harnish, initiated Sept. 13, 1886.

Charles A. Swearingen, initiated Oct. 29, 1886.

Valorius L. Bartlett, initiated Feb. 28, 1887.

Simon Bradford, elected on dimit.

A. T. Kreps, elected on dimit.

W. S. Haines, elected on dimit.

## **In the Light More Than a Quarter of a Century**

O. H. Woofter, initiated April 16, 1887.

Hiram Beauregard Stout, initiated May 14,  
1887.

Edward F. Lathrop, initiated Nov. 28, 1887.

John T. Cooper, initiated June 11, 1888.

George K. Gambrill, initiated Oct. 11, 1888.

Baldwin Day Spilman, initiated Feb. 11, 1889.

Ed. O. Bowers, initiated January 28, 1889.

D. H. Mendenhall, initiated April 28, 1889.

Philip D. Neal, initiated October 21, 1889.

William W. Smith, initiated October 28, 1889.

L. B. Mendehall, initiated February 24, 1890.

John W. Mather, initiated April 24, 1890.

E. Oscar Hiehle, initiated May 26, 1890.

John F. Laird, initiated June 2, 1890.

John S. Woofter, elected on dimit in 1891.

## **BRO. JOHN R. EBERT AND MRS. FRANK EBERT**

**United in love for each other and for  
Freemasonry**

He is not dead to us but still lives through his immortal influence. John R. Ebert, being recommended by John C. Morrison and P. W. Shipley, whose names are prominent on the records of that time, was elected to receive the degrees, initiated May 24, 1864, passed to Fellow Craft June 14, 1864, and raised to sublime degree of Master Mason June 17, 1864.

He was buried in Riverview Cemetery, January 1893, with masonic honors, the esteem of his brethren is shown in resolutions spread

upon the records, "A zealous Mason and true friend, always ready and willing to lend a helping hand in every good cause, a brother in distress always found him kind, sympathetic and responsive to his appeals," and their affection has not waned, but has been waxened by the beneficent gift of \$5,000.00 by his good wife, Mrs. Frank Ebert, on the 21st anniversary of his spirit flight to the Grand Lodge above. It was this donation that greatly stimulated the brethren to contributions that resulted in the erection of this Masonic Temple.

### **CHARLES P. MORRISON**

Initiated an Entered Apprentice, June 27, 1895.

Passed to degree of Fellow Craft, July 22, 1895.

Raised to sublime degree of Master Mason, October 28, 1895.

If ever the treasure box beneath the corner stone is opened there will be found a certificate showing a gift of \$500.00 by Bro. Chas. P. Morrison; in the meantime he shall live in the hearts of his brethren so long as there remains a history of this Temple and the Order of Freemasonry in Parkersburg.

### **WILLIAM S. CASWELL**

Initiated December 12, 1885.

Raised to sublime degree of Master Mason, May 24, 1886.

In his home life was manifested his love for Freemasonry; quietly had he intended to contribute to the erection and equipment of this Temple, and while called from this earthly home when least expected, his influence survived the grave, and his wife in his name and behalf, as a memorial presented for that purpose Two Hundred Dollars.



**BY-LAWS OF MOUNT OLIVET LODGE  
No. 3, A. F. & A. M., PARKERSBURG  
WEST VIRGINIA**

**ARTICLE I**

**Communications of Lodge**

Section 1. The stated communications of Mount Olivet Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M., shall be held at the Masonic Temple in the City of Parkersburg, W. Va., on the second and fourth Mondays of each month, excepting the months of July and August, which Stated Communications can be dispensed with at the discretion of the Worshipful Master; also on the Festival of St. John the Baptist, June 24, and St. John the Evangelist, December 27, of each year. The hour of meeting shall be 7:30 o'clock for each month during the year.

Sec. 2. Whenever the Festival of St. John the Baptist or of St. John the Evangelist shall fall on Sunday or on the Fourth Monday in the month, the stated communication to be held on such Festival, as provided in the foregoing section, shall be held on the Tuesday following, at the hour named in said foregoing section.

**ARTICLE II**

**Order of Business**

1. Reading of Minutes.
2. Balloting on Petitions.
3. Presenting new Petitions.
4. Unfinished Business.
5. New Business.
6. Examination of Candidates.
7. Reception of Candidates.

**ARTICLE III**

**Officers and Elections**

Section 1. The Officers of this Lodge shall be:

Worshipful Master,  
Senior Warden,  
Junior Warden,  
Treasurer,  
Secretary,  
Senior Deacon,  
Junior Deacon,  
Chaplain,  
Two Stewards,  
Tiler.

Sec. 2. The Worshipful Master, Senior and Junior Wardens, Treasurer, and Secretary, shall be chosen by ballot, at the stated com-

munication preceding the Feast of St. John the Evangelist in every year, and shall be installed on the evening of that festival or at any subsequent stated communication when present.

Sec. 3. The Chaplain, Senior Deacon and Tiler shall be appointed by the Worshipful Master elect. The Junior Deacon by the Senior Warden elect, and the Stewards by the elective officers of the Lodge. These appointments shall be made on the evening of the installation of officers or prior thereto, and the appointees shall be installed as provided in the foregoing section.

Sec. 4. The duties of the several officers shall be those prescribed by the Ancient Constitutions, charges and Usages of the Fraternity.

## ARTICLE IV

### Treasurer

Section 1. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys due the Lodge from the hands of the Secretary, giving his receipt therefor; keep a just and accurate account of the same; pay them out by order of the Worshipful Master with the consent of the brethren. At the second stated communication in January his books and vouchers shall be ready for examination, and for his services he shall be exempt from dues.

### Secretary

Sec. 2. The Secretary shall observe the proceedings of the Lodge, keep a just and accurate record of the same. He shall keep a list of the members of the Lodge with an account of their respective arrearages annexed, and therein note the fees and dues paid by the brethren; receive and collect the same and pay them over to the Treasurer, taking his receipt therefor. He shall also make out the annual report to the Grand Lodge, forward the same under the Seal of the Lodge to the Grand Secretary. He shall also issue dimits under the Seal of the Lodge to brethren who request it, when directed to do so by a vote of the Lodge, they being clear of the books. He shall also make out his annual report and present it to the Lodge at the second stated communication in January with his vouchers for examination by the Auditing Committee. He shall also see that the By-Laws of this Lodge, together with all such amendments to the same as may hereafter be adopted, shall be duly

recorded in a book to be provided for the purpose in proper form to be signed by every member of the Lodge. And perform all such other duties as properly belong to the office of Secretary. He shall also be exempt from dues.

### **Stewards**

Sec. 3. The Stewards shall provide such refreshments from time to time as the Worshipful Master may direct, and arrange for the lecturing of candidates for advancement under the direction of Worshipful Master and Wardens of the Lodge.

### **Tiler**

Sec. 4. The Tiler shall not desert his post during the session of the Lodge; shall go on messages; serve notices and summons; see that the jewels, aprons, etc., be kept in suitable order for use; that every brother is properly clothed before he enters the Lodge; and shall discharge all other duties pertaining to his office. As a compensation for his services he shall receive the sum of \$1.00 for every communication held and shall be exempt from dues.

## **ARTICLE V**

### **Committees**

Section 1. The Worshipful Master shall at the first stated communication held in January of each year appoint a committee of finance, consisting of three brethren, whose duties it shall be to examine the books and accounts and cancelled vouchers of the Treasurer and Secretary and audit all accounts referred to them by the Lodge.

Sec. 2. The Worshipful Master shall at the first stated communication held in January of each year appoint one member of the cemetery committee to serve for the term of three years.

Sec. 3. The Worshipful Master Senior and Junior Wardens shall be a committee of charity to whom all applications for relief shall be made; and said committee may draw at any time from the funds a sum which they deem expedient, reporting their action to the Lodge at the next stated communication.

## **ARTICLE VI**

Section 1. The Lodge shall at the first stated communication held in January, elect by ballot a member of the house committee to serve for the term of five years and shall elect a member of such committee each suc-

ceeding five years. The Worshipful Master shall have authority to appoint a brother to fill an unexpired term.

## ARTICLE VII

### Initiations and Admissions

Section 1 Every candidate for initiation in the Lodge must present a petition in writing in the form prescribed by the Grand Lodge of West Virginia. Such petition must be accompanied by a deposit of \$30.00, which shall be considered a part of his initiation fee. It shall be presented at a stated communication and recommended by three members of this Lodge who have known the applicant for at least one year.

Sec. 2. If the petition be received by the Lodge, it must lie over one month when a ballot shall be taken.

Sec. 3. If an applicant be rejected his petition shall be returned to him with the amount of the deposit.

Sec. 4. If an applicant be accepted and neglects to present himself for initiation within one year thereafter, his deposit shall be forfeited to the Lodge.

Sec. 5. Every brother desirous of being advanced in Masonry shall, previous to this advancement, undergo an examination in open Lodge at a state communication as touching his skill and proficiency in the lecture pertaining to the degree.

Sec. 6. The fee for initiation passing and raising shall be \$75.00. \$30.00 to accompany the petition, and \$15.00 previous to receiving the Entered Apprentice Degree, \$15.00 previous to receiving the Fellowcraft Degree, and \$15.00 previous to receiving the Master Masons Degree.

Sec. 7. Every Mason desirous of becoming a member of this Lodge must make a written application accompanied by his dimit stating his age, profession, trade or occupation, and place of residence, and must lie over one month. If accepted he will be entitled to membership on subscribing to the By-Laws. But no application for membership shall be received until the person making application shall have visited the Lodge.

Sec. 8. In balloting for a candidate for initiation one dissenting vote shall reject him, and when rejected he shall not again be eligible for one year. But if one negative appear on the first ballot, the Worshipful Master may order a second ballot to be taken immediately;



when if a single negative appear the candidate must be declared rejected.

Sec. 9. The manner of balloting for admission shall be the same as in the case of candidates for initiation, but should the applicant be rejected he can again make application at any subsequent stated communication of the Lodge.

## ARTICLE VIII

### Dimits

Section 1. A member wishing to withdraw from membership in this Lodge shall signify his desire by a petition in writing and pay all dues accruing against him including the present quarter, and he shall be granted a dimit.

## ARTICLE IX

### Dues

Section 1. The annual dues shall be \$6.00.

Sec. 2. All dues shall be paid in advance for the year closing on the Festival of St. John the Evangelist, December 27th of each year.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary during the month of December annually to send to each member the amount of his dues.

Sec. 4. Should any member be in arrears for more than one year's dues, he shall be notified to appear at a stated communication for the payment of dues.

Sec. 5. The Lodge may by a majority vote excuse any member from payment of dues accrued in cases of long continued sickness, pecuniary inability or meritorious services.

## ARTICLE X

### Suspension for Non-payment of Dues

Section 1. The payment of annual dues is a duty incumbent upon every member of the Lodge, and the neglect or refusal to fulfill this duty shall be, except for good cause, an infraction of Masonic Law and a violation of Masonic Covenant, and shall subject the delinquent to Lodge Discipline. But no member shall be suspended for non-payment of dues without due and sufficient notice.

Sec. 2. When any member shall neglect to answer a second notice for the payment of dues his delinquency shall be reported to the Lodge at a stated communication with facts, together with the Lodge records, showing his indebtedness and shall be deemed ample proof

of his delinquency and a vote may be taken to suspend a member indefinitely. A vote of two-thirds of the members present shall be necessary for such suspension, and must be by secret ballot. A letter mailed to a brother's last known address shall constitute a legal notice.

Sec. 3. No Lodge or Grand Lodge dues shall accrue against a brother during the term of his suspension.

## ARTICLE XI

### Rules of Order

Section 1. Any brother who may wish to speak on any subject, shall rise and address the Worshipful Master in due form; and no brother shall be allowed to speak more than twice on any one subject, without consent.

Sec. 2. While the Lodge is engaged in its usual labors, Masons must hold no private conversation, without the permission of the Master, nor introduce any remarks irrelevant to the business before the Lodge; they must not interrupt the Master or the Wardens or any brother addressing the presiding officer, nor act irreverently while the Lodge is engaged in what is serious or solemn; but every brother shall show due respect to the Master, Wardens and other brethren, and no smoking shall be allowed while the Lodge is in session.

Sec. 3. No discussion relating to nationality, religion or politics, must ever be introduced within this Lodge, Masons, as such, professing universal religion, recognizing those political maxims only in which all men agree, and considering all nations as members of the same human family.

Sec. 4. No money shall be appropriated at any other time than at a stated communication, except for the relief of brethren in distress, their widows or orphans.

## ARTICLE XII

### Amendments to the By-Laws, Revision, Etc.

Section 1. Any brother wishing to introduce a new By-Law or amend an existing one, shall, at a stated communication, present such new By-Law or amendment, in writing, and it shall be read in open Lodge by the Secretary, and if it be then seconded, it shall lie over until the next stated communication, and be then submitted to the brethren present, unless action thereon be postponed by a two-thirds vote of the brethren present; and it shall require such vote of two-thirds of the



brethren present in its favor, to make such new law or amendment.

Sec. 2. Any brother who may wish to introduce a General Revision of the By-Laws, shall, at a stated communication, present a written notice thereof, which notice shall be disposed of in like manner as if it were a new law.

Sec. 3. These By-Laws shall go into operation from passage thereof, and all By-Laws heretofore made by this Lodge are hereby repealed.

JAS. A. BRYAN,  
JAS. A. WETHERELL,  
ED. R. PATTON,

Committee.

Adopted at a stated communication of the  
Lodge held on the evening of October 11, 1920.  
Approved by Grand Lodge, Nov. 11, 1920.

MT. OLIVET LODGE No. 3, A. F. & A. M.

NAMES OF MEMBERS

Arnold, Wm. M.	Admitted
Adams, Oakley M.	Admitted
Adams, Charles E.	Admitted
Adair, Albert C.	Raised 10-29-06
Ashburn, George P.	Raised 9-25-13
Adams, Dr. Wm. A.	Raised 9-16-13
Allemon, S. Collins.	Raised 8-14-14
Athey, Wm. B.	Raised 8-21-14
Ault, Charles W.	Raised 9-2-14
Auch, George F.	Raised 3-26-15
Alleman, Lafayette A.	Raised 7-28-15
Arnold, Charles E.	Raised 8-23-16
Athey, Thomas A.	Raised 4-19-17
Andrews, Paul B.	Raised 12-13-16
Allen, Silas B.	Admitted
Ahrendt, Ernest K.	Raised 12-18-17
Anderson, Floyd H.	Raised 2-14-19
Armstrong, Albert B.	Raised 4-24-19
Armstrong, Thomas D.	Raised 7-25-19
Anderson, James S.	Raised 6-30-19
Auberle, Harry W.	Raised 8-1-19
Augustine, Russell A.	Raised 2-25-20
Ables, George W.	Raised 2-27-20
Adams, Charles T.	Raised 5-4-20
Ables, Everett	Raised 6-30-20
Bower, Edward O.	Admitted
Brown, Almon H.	Admitted
Buckley, Benjamin H.	Raised 12-7-11
Ball, Thomas J.	Raised 8-28-99
Bell, William	Raised 6-7-10
Bartels, Henry L.	Raised 9-26-95
Bartlett, Val. L.	Raised 4-25-87
Batson, Charles E.	Admitted
Barlow, Verne	Raised 4-14-04
Bibbee, Wade C.	Admitted
Bishop, Nathan F.	Raised 12-9-95
Boggs, Elba O.	Raised 3-11-72, 8-13-03
Boreman, Robert J. A.	5-27-1872
Bowen, John F.	Raised 3-23-74
Boothby, John T.	Raised 10-31-01
Boyers, A. S.	Raised 8-17-05
Bradford, George L.	Raised 2-25-95
Bradford, Floyd J.	Raised 2-5-05
Bradford, David H.	Raised 10-9-09
Brohard, John C.	Raised 7-30-03
Brown, Dr. Robert L.	Admitted
Bush, Elson E.	Raised 9-17-03
Bush, Ira B.	Admitted
Biddle, Harry L.	Raised 7-11-06
Baker, William H.	Admitted
Butcher, Benjamin F., Jr.	Raised 1-16-08

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Barnes, J. Scott.....	Raised 9-30-09
Beckwith, Gordon R.....	Raised 10-28-09
Brumbaugh, John R.....	Raised 4-20-17
Byers, Lewis S., Jr.....	Raised 7-28-20
Braden, Clyde E.....	Raised 7-23-17
Burke, James H.....	Raised 9-5-17
Barrett, Pere W.....	Raised 8-30-18
Blackburn, William.....	Admitted
Board, George O.....	Raised 4-2-18
Buland, Harry M.....	Raised 5-29-18
Burdette, Delbert F.....	Raised 3-20-18
Bridger, Wallace P.....	Raised 4-19-18
Board, Oliver P.....	Raised 8-14-18
Bryan, George R.....	Raised 7-10-18
Bryan, James A.....	Raised 6-9-79
Bryan, Charles E.....	Raised 7-29-09
Bryan, William E.....	Raised 7-29-09
Byrd, Lytle D.....	Raised 6-30-19
Bair, William G.....	Admitted
Bennett, Newton H.....	Raised 9-26-19
Brown, Robert S.....	Raised 5-9-19
Boso, Clyde C.....	Raised 9-16-13
Boso, Ira F.....	Raised 10-30-13
Beebe, Daniel S.....	Raised 12-12-13
Bargeloh, William H.....	Raised 12-12-03
Bell, Hayes H.....	Raised 2-25-14
Black, Robert B.....	Raised 3-4-14
Booth, James.....	Raised 8-28-14
Busch, John C. W.....	Admitted
Bonner, Elmer M.....	Admitted
Brooks, John C.....	Raised 3-19-15
Barker, Dr. Oliver D.....	Raised 4-21-15
Bartlett, Rev. George E.....	Raised 6-25-14
Bell, Thomas H.....	Raised 7-2-15
Barnes, John W.....	Raised 7-28-15
Boogher, Rev. Dudley.....	Admitted
Berry, Bernard C.....	Raised 8-23-16
Brown, Robert L.....	Raised 8-23-16
Bartlett, Harry L.....	Raised 5-18-17
Ben'zell, E. A.....	Raised 4-19-17
Butcher, Virgil R.....	Raised 4-19-17
Brennegar, William J.....	Raised 4-6-17
Brown, James A.....	Raised 12-12-19
Braden, Ray O.....	Raised 5-4-20
Burdette, Cyrus R.....	Raised 5-4-20
Baker, Samuel B.....	Raised 5-18-20
Bole, William J.....	Raised 6-30-20
Bowen, John G.....	Raised 8-20-20
Burdette, Mark L.....	Raised 2-27-20
Brand, Roscoe C.....	Raised 9-29-20
Brohard, Henry L.....	Raised 9-29-20
Beymer, Walter E.....	Raised 11-18-20
Batten, Hezekiah S.....	Raised 9-29-20

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Bowen, Harry F.....	Raised 9-30-20
Bee, William N.....	Raised 9-29-20
Cain, John C.....	Raised 10-17-19
Chaddock, Frank W.....	Raised 10-17-19
Cochran, Joseph G.....	Admitted
Cochran, Fred M.....	Raised 12-7-11
Camden, Guy L.....	Admitted
Casto, Dr. David C.....	Raised 10-29-06
Cannon, Charles H.....	Admitted
Chase, George P.....	Admitted
Caldwell, J. Mentor.....	Raised 10-27-04
Campbell, Albert E.....	Raised 8-31-89
Campbell, Dr. Harry M.....	Raised 4-8-01
Cooper, John T.....	Raised 8-13-88
Crooks, George N.....	Raised 2-11-95
Coberly, Jonathan S.....	Admitted
Cramer, Jesse L.....	Raised 7-30-03
Cook, Harry J.....	Raised 8-13-03
Coffman, Walter R.....	Raised 8-31-05
Coffman, William L.....	Raised 3-17-10
Crites, Charles B.....	Raised 11-31-02
Clouse, Jacob J.....	Raised 12-6-06
Clouse, John J.....	Raised 6-29-14
Crooks, Dr. Edwin W.....	Raised 10-20-10
Chewing, Edward P.....	Admitted
Creel, Spencer K.....	Raised 7-10-13
Crawford, David B.....	Raised 10-30-13
Crawford, John M.....	Admitted
Chancellor, Charles B.....	Raised 11-26-94
Cariens, John C.....	Admitted
Cariens, William S.....	Admitted
Camden, Dr. Rolla.....	Raised 9-17-03
Case, George.....	Raised 6-29-05
Crane, J. Paul.....	Raised 5-25-14
Campbell, Carl.....	Raised 7-22-14
Crosby, Royce H.....	Raised 9-14-14
Craig, Harry W.....	Raised 8-28-14
Carpenter, Clarence H.....	Raised 9-18-20
Cunningham, Clinton R.....	Raised 9-2-14
Crout, Charles E.....	Raised 3-26-15
Circle, Russell R.....	Raised 9-15-15
Cook, D. Rus.....	Raised 10-13-90
Carnes, Walter A.....	Raised 6-21-16
Connolly, James M.....	Raised 8-23-16
Cline, Homer J.....	Raised 9-27-16
Cline, Forest.....	Raised 9-27-16
Cotton, Thomas H.....	Admitted
Chancellor, Charles W.....	Raised 8-31-17
Christian, Robert L.....	Raised 6-11-17
Collins, Charles W.....	Raised 4-19-17
Cravens, Edwin E.....	Raised 8-31-17
Crotty, Douglas M.....	Raised 9-11-18
Cain, Ira B.....	Raised 2-28-18



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Cunningham, Floyd L.....	Raised 9-30-18
Camden, William D.....	Raised 7-19-18
Cummins, Carroll E.....	Raised 7-18-19
Chancellor, Victor F.....	Raised 10-21-18
Cooper, Russell H.....	Raised 2-3-19
Carper, R. D.....	Raised 4-14-20
Carpenter, Frank A.....	Admitted
Crandall, Earl R.....	Raised 9-29-19
Carnes, William R.....	Raised 11-17-19
Curry, George P.....	Raised 12-17-19
Cain, Denzil B.....	Raised 12-19-20
Carder, Wade C.....	Raised 2-27-20
Crawford, William J.....	Raised 2-27-20
Crawford, Claude W.....	Raised 6-30-20
Cooper, Monroe H.....	Raised 8-18-20
Cooper, John R.....	Raised 9-29-20
Creel, Eric D.....	Raised 9-30-20
Devore, James M.....	Raised 10-26-05
Davis, James W.....	Raised 4-29-12
Davis, Frank G.....	Raised 8-31-05
Daniels, I. W.....	Admitted
Devore, Frank W.....	Raised 2-19-03
Devore, William.....	Admitted
Dunn, John S., Jr.....	Raised 2-28-98
Dague, A. B. C.....	Raised 1-24-98
Dotson, Elliott.....	Admitted
Dollmeyer, William H.....	Raised 9-28-00
Dunbar, Frank M.....	Raised 10-16-01
Dunbar, Harvey R.....	Raised 6-2-15
Dunbar, William H.....	Raised 8-14-02
Dimmick, Fred L.....	Raised 10-16-01
Daubenspeck, Elias F.....	Raised 5-30-04
Davidson, Dr. Wm. J.....	Admitted
Duval, G. A.....	Raised 1-16-08
Deem, John W.....	Raised 5-29-06
Dutton, Clare C.....	Raised 2-26-06
Dutton, Clyde T.....	Raised 9-29-05
Danhart, George C.....	Raised 4-26-69
Davis, Charles A.....	Raised 7-29-09
Dils, Samuel M.....	Raised 9-30-09
Dabney, David W.....	Raised 10-24-10
Drake, Hoyt S.....	Raised 9-29-14
Deitsch, Fred G.....	Raised 12-12-13
Dudley, William.....	Raised 1-22-14
Doak, James R.....	Raised 3-11-14
Dodge, H. B.....	Admitted
Dye, Edgar W.....	Raised 4-21-15
Danks, Walter L.....	Raised 7-22-14
Dils, James W.....	Admitted
Day, A. Bruce.....	Raised 3-8-16
Deem, Cyrus.....	Raised 3-29-16
Dye, Ralston G.....	Raised 7-31-16
Drake, Frank L.....	Raised 12-13-16

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Drake, John W.	Raised 5-25-17
Dudley, G. Lewis	Raised 4-20-17
DeBussey, Herbert L.	Raised 8-31-17
Duncan, Levi	Raised 8-31-17
Douglas, Hiram A.	Admitted
Davis, Arthur S.	Raised 2-1-18
Darbey, Van Buren	Raised 2-1-18
Darbey, James W.	Raised 5-29-18
Devore, Harlan W.	Admitted
Deem, Ray K.	Raised 8-6-19
Devol, Fred C.	Raised 5-9-19
Dye, William C.	Raised 9-19-19
Drake, Hobart H.	Raised 1-31-19
Dunsmoore, L. Dayton	Raised 2-25-20
Dewar, Donald	Raised 4-21-20
Deitz, George J.	Raised 10-15-19
Deem, Charles H.	Raised 5-18-20
Davies, Thomas H.	Raised 5-25-20
Downey, Robert D.	Raised 12-17-19
Donaway, D. C.	Raised 8-14-99
Enoch, Gordon C.	Raised 4-29-12
Edmondson, Edward W.	Admitted
Echols, Claremont	Raised 11-2-08
Ecker, George A.	Raised 9-18-13
Evans, William H.	Admitted
Eubanks, Floyd F.	Admitted
Enoch, Chester	Raised 9-13-16
Edwards, Benjamin F.	Raised 2-21-19
Exline, Thomas C.	Raised 2-21-19
Edelen, Ruric N.	Raised 7-30-19
Elliot, Carl C.	Raised 8-11-20
Fisher, Clyde F.	Raised 8-24-14
Flesher, T. T.	Admitted
Forrer, Charles D.	Raised 12-9-01
Fuller, Jasper E.	Raised 5-30-07
Felton, William C. L.	Raised 11-25-09
Fowler, James R.	Raised 8-29-10
Flanigan, Lloyd A.	Admitted
Funk, J. Harlan	Raised 12-18-14
Farnsworth, Clyde M.	Raised 7-2-15
Flanigan, Earl M.	Raised 12-18-14
Frantz, Joseph A.	Raised 4-28-15
Flaig, Frank F.	Raised 5-22-16
Fox, R. W.	Admitted
Ferrill, Giles H.	Raised 9-5-17
Flanigan, Frank K.	Raised 4-9-17
Fadeley, William A.	Raised 9-24-18
Fouse, William R.	Raised 3-8-20
Flesher, John W.	Raised 5-14-20
Fought, Arthur J.	Raised 7-9-20
Forshey, Gerald O.	Raised 7-9-20
Fisher, Charles F.	Raised 7-30-20
Foley, William O.	Raised 9-29-20



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Grimm, George M.	Raised 3-20-18
Gerwig, Walter H.	Raised 8-14-18
Guinn, John S.	Raised 7-19-18
Guinn, Wallace	Raised 12-31-20
Goldstein, William	Raised 9-11-18
Gentry, William	Raised 9-2-14
Gurley, Norman B.	Raised 12-21-13
Graham, Lewis W.	Admitted
Graham, Thomas P.	Admitted
Gibbens, Chalmer B.	Raised 11-9-08
Gibbens, Merton B.	Raised 4-29-95
Geiger, Charles F.	Raised 8-10-08
Greenawalt, Asa H.	Raised 6-28-87
Gordon, Amos K.	Raised 9-25-99
Gordon, George W.	Raised 10-25-00
Gerwig, Edward C.	Raised 11-25-02
Guthrie, Frank H.	Raised 7-20-05
Gibbens, W. Blair	Raised 11-9-20
Gandy, James P.	Raised 11-17-20
Grimm, Omer T.	Raised 10-20-10
Grimm, Perry E.	Raised 11-25-12
Good, Dr. Mark D.	Raised 7-31-11
Garvin, Edward	Raised 3-6-13
Gilmer, A. L.	Raised 2-7-13
Gilbert J. Loyal	Raised 10-30-13
Geary, William S.	Admitted
Graham, Thomas E., Jr.	Raised 3-1-16
Gibbons, F. H.	Raised 2-19-17
Green, D. Escort	Raised 4-13-17
Griffith, Clayton W.	Raised 6-1-17
Goff, Lathrop C.	Admitted
Givens, A. D.	Raised 6-28-09
Green, DeLeon F.	Raised 9-30-20
Galanis, James	Raised 10-15-19
Grimm, Ralph O.	Raised 12-19-19
Gardner, Harden K.	Raised 7-9-20
Haynes, Delana A.	Raised 2-5-20
Hazel, Walter T.	Raised 2-25-20
Howes, Robert W.	Raised 5-4-20
Hall, Harry L.	Raised 5-18-20
Haynes, Willie Jay	Raised 8-25-20
Hill, Ira P.	Raised 8-18-20
Hockensmith, George M.	Raised 9-29-20
Hale, Roy E.	Raised 5-31-20
Harnish, H. Douglass	Raised 8-29-12
Harnish, Henry F.	Raised 11-22-86
Hale, Everett V.	Raised 1-26-12
Harness, William S.	Admitted
Hawkins, G. Allen	Admitted
Harris, Charles P.	Raised 7-31-05
Hagen, Kendell R.	Raised 1-16-08
Harris, Frank D.	Raised 7-25-98
Hatzell, George A.	Raised 7-25-98

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Hayman, Eber J. ....	Raised 9-29-20
Hermick, John W. ....	Raised 10-25-09
Hendershott, Herman B. ....	Raised 6-22-08
Hennig, Walter O. ....	Raised 8-13-03
Helm, Trunbull M. ....	Raised 8-8-04
Hendrickson, John S. ....	Raised 9-9-01
Higgins, Fred O. ....	Admitted
Higgins, Stanley C. ....	Raised 10-31-10
Hiteshew, C. Talbot ....	Raised 3-29-15
Hiteshew, W. Bradford ....	Raised 12-29-02
Hiteshew, Harry O. ....	Raised 4-15-15
Hendershott, Don ....	Raised 8-27-15
Hichle, E. Oscar ....	Raised 7-12-90
Hiehle, Edward J. ....	Raised 2-25-14
Hitt, Rev. Robert A. ....	Admitted
Hogan, Thayer C. ....	Admitted
Hiehle, Frank G. ....	Raised 4-15-19
Horner, Camden R. ....	Raised 4-14-04
Horner, A. R. ....	Admitted
Hull, Wesley ....	Raised 10-31-01
Hull, James A. ....	Raised 12-29-02
Holden, C. H. ....	Admitted
Heaton, George D. ....	Raised 4-24-11
Handke, Max ....	Raised 10-16-13
Howard, Walker D. ....	Admitted
Henry, Charles E. ....	Admitted
Henthorn, Charles H. ....	Raised 11-18-13
Huber, George ....	Raised 6-29-14
Hoffman, James Otis ....	Raised 8-14-14
Heermans, Wiliam H. ....	Raised 8-21-14
Hall, William ....	Admitted
Huff, Walter A. ....	Admitted
Hoyler, William H. ....	Admitted
Hiehle, William G. ....	Raised 9-20-16
Hiehle, Rinehart J. ....	Raised 9-20-16
Heaton, William T. ....	Raised 7-31-16
Hickle, Albert E. ....	Raised 3-8-16
Hepfer, John M. ....	Raised 9-30-18
Hoblitzell, Paul C. ....	Raised 4-13-17
Hamric, Edwin L. ....	Raised 5-18-17
Hughes, Fred B. ....	Raised 5-18-17
Harris, Thomas L. D. ....	Raised 9-26-17
Hickman, Walter L. ....	Admitted
Hoefling, William ....	Admitted
Hopkins, Leon E. ....	Raised 11-17-20
Hiehle, George W. ....	Raised 5-23-17
Hiehle, Henry A. ....	Raised 12-13-16
Hawkey, Edward J. ....	Raised 10-29-17
Hoffman, Ronald F. ....	Raised 7-19-18
Hiehle, Albert O. ....	Raised 8-30-18
Hiehle, Carl H. ....	Raised 5-29-30
Harold, Rev. Wesley C. ....	Admitted
Hoblitzell, John D. Jr. ....	Raised 5-30-19

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Ingersoll, Edward A.	Raised 8-7-14
Jamieson, William W.	Raised 4-15-14
Jackson, Charles S.	Raised 12-7-18
Justus, A. L.	Raised 11-2-08
Jones, James S.	Raised 5-29-05
Jones, Lyle L.	Raised 12-14-00
Jones, Philip L.	Raised 12-3-85
Jarvis, Leonard H.	Raised 7-20-05
Johnson, Sherman S.	Raised 6-30-13
Johnston, Samuel	Raised 8-15-15
Jones, Thomas A.	Raised 7-30-03
Jamieson, Thomas W.	Admitted
Judy, Dr. William J.	Raised 3-1-16
Jones, Harry P.	Raised 3-29-16
Johnston, Charles E.	Raised 5-25-17
Johnston, John W.	Raised 4-14-19
Jarvis, Richard H.	Raised 1-31-19
Jones, Robert L.	Raised 1-17-19
James, Azra W.	Admitted
Jarvis, Walter J.	Raised 7-30-20
Katherman, Boyd E.	Admitted
Katherman, Harry L.	Raised 4-30-14
Kramer, William	Raised 9-28-00
Kramer, Fritz C.	Raised 7-14-02
Kessellman, William H.	Raised 8-31-99
Kight, Newton M.	Raised 3-26-00
Kreps, William A.	Raised 6-7-10
Kreps, Charles A.	Raised 9-13-07
Koontz, Albert	Raised 7-11-06
Kirsch, Frank A.	Raised 8-14-14
Kent, George E.	Raised 8-27-15
Kahn, David H.	Raised 6-8-16
King, Ira W.	Raised 5-18-17
Kirkbride, William	Raised 5-23-17
King, Frank	Raised 2-28-18
Kramer, Carl F.	Raised 6-20-18
Knight, Forrest R.	Raised 6-17-19
Kraft, Arklie D.	Raised 11-27-19
Kirsch, William H.	Raised 2-27-20
Keltner, Milton I.	Raised 5-31-20
Ludlow, Lewis M.	Raised 12-12-19
Killough, Walter B.	Admitted
Ludwig, Charles F.	Raised 8-25-20
Leavitt, Fred McG.	Raised 12-18-17
Lane, James A.	Admitted
Locke, George T.	Raised 1-22-14
Lane, Charles E.	Raised 2-11-14
Luttrell, John A. A.	Raised 2-11-14
Little, Angus McN.	Raised 4-30-14
Logan, Arthur C.	Raised 9-2-14
Lloyd, Lewellen	Admitted
Laird, John F.	Raised 1-12-91
Laird, Alex	Raised 10-1-69

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Laird, Eugene P. ....	Raised 5-12-02
Lathrop, Edward F. ....	Raised 12-26-87
Lancaster, Albert G. ....	Raised 10-28-85
Lang, Charles Denver ....	Raised 8-8-04
Lang, Breet L. ....	Raised 4-17-13
Langfitt, Dr. S. Benton.....	Raised 10-14-00
Langfitt, E. Carl ....	Raised 10-16-13
Leavitt, Carr E. ....	Raised 3-30-09
Leavitt, G. Ernest ....	Raised 11-2-08
Leavitt, Charles P. ....	Admitted
Lehman, Otto ....	Raised 10-11-00
Lee, William E. ....	Raised 3-31-02
Lemon, Robert S. ....	Admitted
Link, Dr. Walter S. ....	Raised 10-11-00
Leland, Harry R. ....	Admitted
Lyons, Dr. William H. ....	Raised 12-29-02
Lang, William E. ....	Raised 7-10-13
Lowers, Charles M. ....	Raised 9-18-13
Lowther, James A. ....	Raised 11-5-15
Lytle, Charles S. ....	Raised 6-21-16
Light, Claude P. ....	Raised 5-22-16
Leach, Frank R. ....	Raised 9-13-16
Logan, Samuel ....	Raised 10-29-06
Lowe, Donald B. ....	Raised 6-20-19
Livingston, Ralph E. ....	Raised 7-30-19
Moore, J. Otis ....	Raised 9-16-13
Myers, Charles A. ....	Raised 10-31-12
Mench, I. Peter ....	Raised 1-29-12
Minx, Forest L. ....	Raised 2-15-12
Matheney, L. Grafton ....	Admitted
Mather, John W. ....	Raised 6-8-90
Mather, Walter T. ....	Raised 11-21-01
Mather, Melvin E. ....	Raised 10-31-10
Middleswart, William G. ....	Raised 11-22-09
Meeker, Charles R. ....	Raised 10-15-09
Miller, James E. ....	Admitted
Miller, Herbert G. ....	Raised 9-25-05
Messenger, Elmer E. ....	Raised 6-9-09
Mead, James H. ....	Raised 7-10-99
Mallory, Sidney T. ....	Raised 4-8-01
Mayhew, John E. ....	Admitted
Mendenhall, D. H. ....	Raised 8-13-89
Mendenhall, U. G. ....	Raised 4-14-90
Mendenhall, L. B. ....	Admitted
Masters, Charles I. ....	Raised 6-13-05
Mahoney, Joseph M. ....	Raised 8-16-06
Mowris, William S. ....	Raised 9-28-98
Morgan, George P. ....	Raised 10-27-04
Morrison, Charles P. ....	Raised 10-28-95
Musgrave, Charles A. ....	Admitted
Mallory, Roy ....	Raised 12-18-14
Mayhew, C. Mathew ....	Raised 11-18-15
Musser, Frank ....	Raised 9-29-14



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Morrison, Mason J. ....	Raised 2-25-14
Mohler, Myron H. ....	Raised 6-3-14
Mealy, George H. ....	Admitted
Morris, Benjamin W. ....	Raised 9-18-14
Morris, Leland S. ....	Raised 3-29-16
Morris, Harry C. ....	Raised 5-21-16
Morrison, Earl L. ....	Raised 5-8-16
Martin, Charles M. ....	Raised 4-6-17
Mealy, Victor H. ....	Raised 2-14-17
Morten, Ralph B. ....	Raised 2-14-17
Mayhew, Harry C. ....	Raised 5-18-17
Marshall, Thomas M. ....	Raised 5-25-17
Mitchell, Edward J. G. ....	Admitted
Mann, George T. ....	Raised 5-25-17
Morris, James G. ....	Raised 4-20-17
Morehouse, William H. ....	Raised 2-20-17
Mohler, Floyd W. ....	Raised 5-29-18
Martin, John McClinton ....	Raised 2-1-18
Musser, Crozier ....	Raised 3-29-19
Meeks, Edward T. ....	Raised 9-26-19
Morrison, Manley C. ....	Raised 9-26-19
Mercer, Daniel E. ....	Raised 10-15-19
Murphy, Vinton ....	Raised 10-17-19
Mercer, Orton ....	Raised 2-27-20
Marsh, Clyde H. ....	Raised 5-14-20
Meyers, Louis A. ....	Raised 5-18-20
Mendenhall, Cecil H. ....	Raised 6-25-20
Meed, Ray A. ....	Raised 9-27-30
Miller, Harry B. ....	Raised 7-9-20
McGregor, F. H. ....	Raised 9-8-07
McClure, James S. ....	Raised 2-9-18
McClinton, James S. ....	Raised 8-27-15
McPherson, Robert A. ....	Raised 8-4-15
McMechen, Carroll D. ....	Raised 4-6-11
McCoy, Eldoris ....	Admitted
McKinley, Max ....	Raised 11-21-01
McDonald, George ....	Raised 9-26-95
McDonald, Walter ....	Raised 5-22-16
McCoy, Harry R. ....	Raised 10-30-20
McGuire, George E. ....	Raised 12-28-03
McConaughy, William C. ....	Raised 5-29-05
McCray, William J. ....	Raised 8-12-01
McPherson, Vernon Neal ....	Raised 11-5-15
McKim, Ray L. ....	Raised 5-22-16
McKinney, William A. ....	Raised 4-20-17
McKinley, Holley ....	Admitted
McClaine, William H. ....	Raised 4-19-17
McCarty, William M. ....	Raised 4-6-17
McCoy, Addison A. ....	Raised 5-29-19
McGrew, Clyde J. ....	Raised 9-19-19
McPherson, Ercie H. ....	Raised 9-26-19
McDougle, Francis R. ....	Admitted
McTaggart, Aubrey D. ....	Raised 12-12-19

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McKain, Morton M. ....	Raised 12-17-19
McDougle, Robert B. ....	Raised 2-5-20
McCue, Firth .....	Raised 6-25-20
Newberger, Samuel .....	Admitted
Neptune, Campbell A. ....	Raised 6-22-08
Neal, Phillip D. ....	Raised 11-11-89
Newberger, George .....	Raised 6-24-95
Nelly, Edward .....	Raised 9-20-00
Nern, John H. ....	Raised 11-25-02
Newman, Robert J. ....	Raised 6-30-13
Nelson, Lott L. ....	Raised 1-5-13
Nesbitt, Henry C. ....	Raised 6-5-13
Nuzum, Charles W. ....	Raised 11-29-16
Nowery, Richard C. ....	Raised 4-20-17
Nugent, Alva H. ....	Raised 6-1-17
Neighborgall, Charles R. ....	Raised 12-20-19
Nelson, Albert L. ....	Raised 2-25-20
Nigren, Frank .....	Raised 4-9-20
Nicholas, Hosea H. ....	Raised 5-4-20
Osterle, Earl J. ....	Raised 4-6-17
Orrahood, Ralph L. ....	Raised 9-19-19
Obermeyer, Gustav .....	Raised 5-31-20
Owen, Russell D. ....	Raised 3-16-20
Phelps, Jacob C. ....	Raised 9-13-99
Pollock, Samuel W. ....	Raised 3-30-09
Poske, William H. ....	Raised 9-30-09
Poske, Harry C. ....	Raised 3-30-08
Powell, Harry C. ....	Admitted
Pease, Loren S. ....	Raised 10-12-05
Parker, Herbert H. ....	Raised 5-28-00
Patton, Edwin R. ....	Raised 9-28-00
Park, Joe .....	Raised 8-28-02
Peppers, John W. ....	Admitted
Pierce, Jesse R. ....	Raised 2-13-82
Peters, James L. ....	Admitted
Proudfoot, James M. ....	Admitted
Penwell, F. S. ....	Admitted
Poland, Harry M. ....	Raised 8-21-05
Proffitt, Andrew C. ....	Raised 9-25-13
Phillips, Donovan R. ....	Raised 9-28-14
Prince, Joseph R. ....	Raised 5-28-14
Packard, Everett G. ....	Raised 8-7-14
Pratt, Orville C. ....	Admitted
Poole, Floyd H. ....	Raised 9-29-14
Pflug, Herman P. ....	Raised 8-18-15
Peebles, James Nelson .....	Raised 3-29-15
Pickens, Lewis N. ....	Raised 4-15-15
Patterson, William C. Jr. ....	Raised 4-15-15
Pearcy, Marcellus H. ....	Raised 6-25-15
Price, Wardin D. ....	Raised 4-20-16
Poling, Clyde .....	Raised 9-27-16
Poling, Dennis .....	Raised 4-6-17
Prince, Fred G. ....	Raised 9-5-17



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Preston, Almer B. ....	Raised 5-23-17
Pahl, Charles E. ....	Raised 5-23-17
Pearcy, Albert R. ....	Raised 9-26-17
Phelph, Fred H. ....	Raised 6-30-19
Penn, Robert E. ....	Raised 3-7-19
Penn, Walter H. ....	Raised 3-7-19
Powell, Robert P. ....	Raised 7-30-19
Powell, William O. ....	Raised 6-20-19
Powers, Enoch W. ....	Raised 9-24-19
Parr, Clement L. ....	Raised 5-30-19
Price, Thomas M. ....	Admitted
Pickens, J. Clifton ....	Raised 8-1-19
Pritchard, Hiram W. ....	Raised 1-17-19
Phillips, Chester C. ....	Raised 10-17-19
Penn, Horace ....	Raised 12-12-19
Pepper, John W. Jr. ....	Raised 5-14-20
Plate, Blair ....	Raised 5-18-20
Postelwait, Herbert L. ....	Raised 8-20-20
Penn, Jesse W. ....	Raised 11-20-19
Rock, Frank F. ....	Raised 2-28-18
Rathbone, Frances B. ....	Raised 3-6-13
Rittenhouse, William T. ....	Raised 2-25-95
Rittenhouse, Bryan W. ....	Raised 2-15-12
Reed, William G. ....	Raised 4-21-10
Russell, Norman L. ....	Raised 8-29-10
Russell, Horatio W. ....	Raised 9-9-07
Robinson, Dr. Benjamin O. ....	Raised 6-29-08
Rardin, Thomas E. ....	Raised 6-27-05
Roush, Charles A. ....	Raised 7-13-05
Reise, Emil M. ....	Raised 9-24-98
Randolph, John H. ....	Raised 11-21-12
Reich, Joseph D. ....	Raised 7-31-14
Richardson, Thomas A. ....	Admitted
Riddle, Charles B. ....	Raised 8-21-14
Ruse, Norman O. ....	Raised 9-9-14
Rardin, Elmer B. ....	Raised 12-2-13
Riddle, James H. ....	Admitted
Richie, Charles F. ....	Admitted
Ruley, S. E. ....	Admitted
Richardson, William B. ....	Raised 9-29-13
Reil, Samuel T. ....	Raised 3-29-15
Ruprecht, John E. ....	Raised 3-8-16
Reid, Henry N. ....	Raised 3-8-16
Richards, Carl C. ....	Raised 5-27-16
Ryne, Elbert ....	Raised 6-31-16
Reynolds, Daniel ....	Raised 9-20-16
Ragland, Hugh N. ....	Raised 6-7-17
Radenbaugh, Harry M. ....	Raised 4-13-17
Radford, Stephen H. ....	Raised 2-14-19
Remley, C. Frank ....	Raised 5-31-20
Reger, Burton B. ....	Raised 6-22-20
Ruddell, Charles S. ....	Raised 2-25-20
Roberts, Chester H. ....	Raised 9-20-20

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Reynolds, Samuel R. ....	Raised 8-18-20
Richardson, Emmett M. ....	Raised 8-25-20
Ronning, Paul C. ....	Raised 4-9-20
Roush, Stewart S. ....	Raised 6-30-20
Shaw, Robert M. ....	Admitted
St. Clair, Earl ....	Raised 9-13-10
Stiles, Samuel B. ....	Raised 5-14-00
Sansbury, Theodore T. ....	Admitted
Smith, Robert M. ....	Raised 3-30-08
Smith, Ashley J. ....	Raised 3-11-05
Smith, Abram ....	Raised 5-12-84
Smith, William M. ....	Raised 8-27-15
Salisbury, Arthur H. ....	Admitted
Smith, J. H. P. ....	Raised 3-12-06
Smith, Harry H. ....	Raised 9-12-18
Smith, Arley E. ....	Raised 2-9-18
Smith, Dorr, ....	Raised 5-29-18
Smith, Charles T. ....	Raised 3-18-15
Smith, Joseph M. ....	Raised 1-27-02
Smith, Herbert L. ....	Raised 12-13-16
Smith, Henry J. ....	Admitted
Smith, William W. ....	Raised 12-9-89
Smith, William A. ....	Raised 7-25-19
Smith, H. A. ....	Admitted
Smith, Clyde W. ....	Raised 3-29-19
Smith, Samuel E. ....	Raised 2-25-20
Smith, Curtis B. ....	Raised 4-30-19
Smith, Edward L. ....	Raised 5-18-20
Smith, Ollie P. ....	Raised 9-29-20
Silcott, Jesse D. ....	Raised 8-20-03
Stewart, Lorin H. ....	Raised 12-24-03
Summers, Fred L. ....	Raised 4-14-04
Spillman, Baldwin D. ....	Raised 3-11-89
Swarengen, Charles A. ....	Raised 4-8-89
Sidwell, James S. ....	Admitted
Stewart, Wilbur S. ....	Admitted
Skovden, L. D. ....	Raised 10-16-13
Sheets, John C. ....	Raised 9-30-18
Stephens, Samuel I. ....	Raised 8-30-18
Stewart, Cleveland W. ....	Raised 4-17-13
Simmons, J. F. ....	Raised 12-18-17
Schlachter, Nick ....	Raised 9-18-13
Smith, Grant ....	Raised 9-26-13
Smoot, Fayette C. ....	Raised 6-5-13
Schilling, Henry C. ....	Raised 1-22-14
Schilling, Fred C. ....	Raised 4-28-15
Stone, Dr. Marvin R. ....	Raised 3-11-14
Speece, James S. ....	Raised 4-15-14
Speece, Walter S. ....	Raised 3-12-00
Swift, Harry D. ....	Raised 3-11-14
Shields, Dudley ....	Admitted
Simon, William J. ....	Raised 9-28-14
Solly, John W. ....	Admitted

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Stout, Benjamin D. ....	Raised 10-30-84
Stout, George G. ....	Raised 12-10-83
Stout, Walter E. ....	Raised 12-13-00
Stout, John L. ....	Raised 3-27-89
Stout, Okey J. ....	Raised 4-15-15
Sayre, Hugh F. ....	Admitted
Shannon, Ernest T. ....	Raised 4-14-04
Scholl, Charles L. ....	Raised 7-20-05
Savage, Thomas S. ....	Raised 8-14-02
Saunders, J. Attwood ....	Raised 5-27-07
Starbuck, Theodore W. ....	Raised 8-7-02
Stewart, Benjamin F. Jr. ....	Raised 1-27-02
Sleppy, Charles S. ....	Raised 11-21-01
Spencer, John W. ....	Raised 11-8-27
Snider, Cloyd D. ....	Raised 7-14-15
Swineford, Ellsworth E. ....	Raised 3-26-15
Summers, Paul ....	Raised 3-18-15
String, Alfred C. ....	Raised 3-29-15
Stewart, John L. ....	Raised 4-21-15
Shrader, J. Fritz ....	Raised 3-31-15
Sine, William B. ....	Raised 3-29-15
Stealey, J. C. ....	Raised 7-12-15
Sheppard, C. H. ....	Raised 6-8-16
Stone, Samuel S. ....	Raised 6-21-16
Schneider, Henry W. ....	Raised 4-6-17
Sager, Joseph E. ....	Raised 12-13-16
Starkey, Benton E. ....	Raised 2-21-19
Stapleton, Clark J. ....	Raised 3-29-19
Smith, Nowry J. ....	Raised 9-24-19
Seligman, Percival ....	Raised 7-25-19
Starling, Walter S. ....	Raised 9-29-19
Stump, Felix R. ....	Admitted
Snider, William A. ....	Raised 2-27-20
Stoops, Fred C. ....	Raised 2-27-20
Starr, Earl W. ....	Raised 5-31-20
Schuwacker, Carl M. ....	Raised 11-27-19
Stahlnacker, William A. ....	Raised 5-14-20
Sorrell, Leslie M. ....	Raised 10-15-09
Thompson, Welliam A. ....	Raised 10-28-09
Trisler, James H. ....	Raised 10-29-17
Thanhouser, Max ....	Raised 4-13-70
Thompson, L. F. ....	Raised 1-9-64
Turner, Charles H. ....	Raised 3-23-67
Turner, Frances F. ....	Raised 9-29-13
Tavener, James V. ....	Raised 9-25-02
Tevener, Lewis N. ....	Raised 4-12-83
Taylor, John F. ....	Raised 6-22-96
Tabler, Daniel C. ....	Raised 5-30-04
Tabler, Ray William ....	Raised 5-28-14
Tabler, Robert A. ....	Raised 6-18-19
Tigner, Louis C. ....	Admitted
Tonkin, Wade H. ....	Raised 4-15-14
Taylor, Walter T. ....	Raised 8-28-14

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Tredway, Frank C. ....	Raised 2-11-14
Tibbetts, Walter L. ....	Admitted
Tuttle, Charles E. ....	Raised 4-28-15
Tyson, John L. ....	Raised 6-7-16
Tiffany, Lyman H. ....	Raised 6-21-16
Tucker, Walter J. ....	Raised 3-1-16
Trimble, Woodbridge ....	Raised 7-31-16
Townshend, Fred ....	Raised 8-23-16
Tichner, George E. ....	Admitted
Tavener, George W. Jr. ....	Raised 9-29-19
Theis, Henry W. ....	Raised 12-20-19
Thompson, William R. ....	Raised 2-25-20
Tucker, Clifford H. ....	Raised 2-25-20
Trippett, Fred A. ....	Raised 3-3-20
Thomas, Paul E. ....	Raised 5-4-20
Turner, Joseph E. ....	Raised 6-30-20
Ulch, George F. ....	Raised 5-18-26
Van Winkle, Walling W. ....	Admitted
Van Valin, H. D. ....	Raised 5-13-07
Vaughn, Edgar A. ....	Admitted
Vierheller, Clarence W. ....	Raised 6-28-15
Vondersmith, Albert D. Rev. ....	Raised 11-5-15
Vrooman, Arthur ....	Raised 1-27-05
Van Devender, Charles E. ....	Admitted
Vaughn, Herbert C. ....	Raised 12-17-19
Woodyard, Clarence ....	Raised 4-18-12
Wells, Orrin L. ....	Raised 12-6-06
Werniger, Benjamin W. ....	Raised 6-9-09
Warren, Richard H. ....	Raised 8-10-08
Wetherell, James A. ....	Admitted
Warnick, Edwin W. ....	Raised 2-27-99
Whitney, A. Emmett ....	Raised 11-22-95
White, Walter W. ....	Raised 10-13-10
White, William E. ....	Raised 10-1-03
Ward, Clyde S. ....	Raised 3-20-18
Wetzell, Carl B. ....	Raised 8-30-18
Wolfe, Walter W. ....	Raised 4-13-18
Woodyard, Darlington B. ....	Raised 7-10-18
White, Albert B. ....	Raised 1-24-87
White, Albert B. Jr. ....	Raised 4-17-13
Wharton, Isaac M. ....	Raised 9-29-13
Walker, William W. ....	Admitted
Walker, Benjamin F. ....	Admitted
Walker, Wyatt M. ....	Raised 1-28-07
Waller, J. Frank ....	Raised 7-13-05
Weaver, Roy J. ....	Raised 5-8-03
Watson, Gilbert L. ....	Raised 2-15-06
Ward, Benjamin F. ....	Raised 12-6-06
Wolfe, William H. ....	Raised 6-29-05
Wolfe, Earl S. ....	Raised 7-14-02
Wolfe, Earnest ....	Raised 11-18-13
Wolfe, Harvey J. ....	Admitted
Wilson, Charles L. ....	Admitted



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Wilson, Robert	Admitted
Wilson, Jeremiah P.	Raised 8-28-99
Wild, Rudolph	Raised 3-24-84
Woofter, John S.	Admitted
Woofter, Ollie H.	Raised 5-23-87
Wacker, Louis C.	Raised 7-31-14
Wilson, William H.	Raised 7-31-14
Woods, Fred J.	Raised 6-3-14
Wright, George O.	Raised 6-29-14
Woodruff, William B.	Raised 7-22-14
West, James C.	Admitted
Winans, Robert J.	Raised 9-29-14
Worley, John W.	Raised 4-21-15
Woods, Ralph R.	Raised 7-2-15
Wolfe, William J.	Admitted
Whitney, Lewis M.	Raised 3-18-15
Withey, Claude C.	Raised 3-31-15
Wilson, Lon H.	Raised 3-19-15
Wells, Clay B.	Raised 12-8-15
Wood, William B.	Raised 3-1-16
Warne, A. Harry	Raised 3-8-16
Wharton, Nathan H.	Raised 7-31-16
Watson, Ray W.	Raised 3-1-16
Wren, Dilsworth H.	Raised 5-25-17
Wroth, John	Raised 5-9-19
Wright, Elbert L.	Raised 8-1-19
Weinberger, Robert C.	Raised 8-6-19
Weser, Charles M.	Raised 8-6-19
Wade, James S.	Raised 1-31-19
Woodburn, John B.	Admitted
Wright, Geo. E.	Raised 4-28-15
Williams, Thomas E.	Admitted
Yoss, J. J. Albert	Raised 12-12-19
Yates, John	Raised 1-13-08
Yeager, John C.	Admitted
Young, Robert Jr.	Raised 7-18-19
Ward, William B.	Raised 10-17-19
Woodward, Joseph J.	Raised 2-25-20
Ward, Charles F.	Raised 5-18-20
White, Avery M.	Raised 7-9-20
Wolfe, Bruce E.	Raised 8-18-20
Wells, William L.	Raised 8-20-20
Woods, Earl C.	Raised 9-29-20
White, Lawrence C.	Raised 9-30 20
Watson, Harry H.	Raised 4-9-17

**EXTRACTS**

**FROM**

**REVISED DIGEST**

**OF THE**

**LAWS OF MASONRY**

**GOVERNING THE CRAFT IN**

**THE JURISDICTION**

**OF THE**

**M. W. GRAND LODGE**

**OF**

**WEST VIRGINIA**

It is unmasonic and contrary to the regulations of this Grand Lodge for any brother to cast a negative ballot upon a petition for advancement, for any other reason than such as relates alone to the proficiency of the candidate in the degree he has already received.

Collier, 1888.

A mason has no right to black ball an E. A. or F. C. seeking advancement for reasons affecting his moral character alone. The laws are explicit upon this subject. But the law is equally clear that a Lodge cannot violate the secrecy of the ballot box or inquire who cast a negative vote in any case whatever.

Long, 1886.

An Entered Apprentice or Fellow Craft who allows more than twelve months to elapse before applying for advancement must petition the Lodge in writing, and his petition take the course prescribed in Article 21 of our Laws and Regulations. The ballot on moral qualifications must be taken and found clear before he can be examined and a ballot taken on his proficiency.

Baird, 1879; Collier, 1888; Travenner, 1892.

A Master Mason is not obliged to join the Lodge in whose jurisdiction he may reside, but can join any Lodge which sees proper to admit him.

Walker, 1876; Baird, 1879.

A Lodge cannot excuse a member from balloting upon the petition of a profane for the mysteries of Masonry.

Com. on Jurisprudence, 1879.

When a petition has laid over for one month, a ballot should then be taken, and it is not proper to postpone the taking of the ballot to a future communication.

Flick, 1888; Travenner, 1892.

A cable-tow means a reasonable distance from the Lodge, and not three miles, as claimed by many Masons. When a brother pleads a residence three miles or more distant to be the judge of the justice of his plea, and as a bar to obeying a summons, the Lodge is must so decide by a vote of the Lodge.

Baird, 1879.

There is no "honorary membership" in this Grand Jurisdiction.

Com. on Jurisprudence, 1878.

After a petition for initiation has been received and read, it cannot be withdrawn under any circumstances, but a ballot must be had in all cases.

Bates, 1867.

Fairs and festivals in Masonic Lodge rooms for the purpose of raising money from the public are disapproved.

Collier, 1888; Travenner, 1892.

A Lodge cannot grant the use of its Lodge room for a place of entertainment. Lodges are dedicated to Freemasonry, and should be used solely for Masonic purposes.

Myers, 1898.

A Lodge cannot force a brother to serve in any office.

Atkinson, 1877.

No brother can be Master of a Lodge unless he has served as Warden. If he has received the degree of Past Master in a Chapter it is not necessary for him to receive it again before being installed as Master.

Bates, 1867; Brown, 1889.

Past Masters who have received the degree in a Chapter and have never actually presided as Masters, cannot sit in a Blue Lodge of Past Masters convened for the purpose of conferring the Past Master's degree on a Warden-elect.

Thornburg, 1885.

A motion to lay on the table is in order in any Masonic Lodge.

Thornburg, 1885.

See Decisions of Questions, 1.

A brother who has been summoned for non-payment of dues and fails to appear, should be first disciplined for disobeying a summons and afterwards for non-payment of dues.

Baird, 1879.





