LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 4, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 20 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 21, 1981 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The following Petitions were received and Committees appointed.

ROBERT C. APPEL for Affiliation.
RONALD ELLIS MC COLLUM FOR Initiation
WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY for Initiation.
ROBERT WAYNE TURNER for Initiation and Waiver.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Raymond Lee(Refreshments 1/4/82)	$ 32.65
James H. Baxter(Mail 51 Summons)	41.12
S.N.B. (Purchase C.D. #	10,000.00
M.W.&O. Home(Memorial Bro. Donald W. McKelvey)	25.00
Postmaster(Stamps 16 Photos, 100-20¢, 50-1¢, 300-5¢)	38.70

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Bro. A.B.Vimont requesting a demit, this Brother free of all indebtness, demit granted.
A letter from Plumb Lodge #862 F.&A.M. thanking the Brothers of Lexington Lodge #1 for conducting funeral services for William O. Wyatt, a member of Plumb Lodge #862.
A letter from Hopkinsville Lodge #37 stating that at a stated meeting of that Lodge , a resolution was unanimously adopted to present the name of Brother William G. Hinton in nomination for the office of Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M., at the 183rd. Annual Communication.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Joseph S. Hager made a report on the progress of the M.T.A..
Motion made and second that a Building Committee be appointed with the instruction to report back to the Lodge on or before the second meeting in February on possible leasing or purchasing property for Lodge Hall.

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Lexington, Kentucky ~~40501~~ 40533

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)	Motion made and second to table the motion on the appointing of a Building Committee. Motion carried. Brother Secretary read the names of 50 delinquents mailed summons to appear at the stated meeting on February 15, 1982 to show just cause why they should not be suspended. List of delinquents attached to MINUTES.
VISITORS	Bro. Ronald Cathy of Charleston, S.C. welcomed and invited to return as often as possible.
SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. Donald W. McKelvey. Motion made and second to make a $25.00 donation to the M.W.&O. Home in memory of Bro. McKelvey. Motion carried. Bro. Hager announced that Bro. Billy Kerr had gone home from the hospital but still confined at home.
WORK	Brother James M. Potter, the Worshipful Master of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M., called all the brothers around the alter and announced that it had been the custom of Lexington Lodge #1 to hold Reobligation Night at the first stated meeting in January. After which he led the Craft in repeating the M.M. Obligation.
CLOSING	9:15 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 18, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	Reed Harris, Jr.	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran, Sr., P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of January 4, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The following Petitions for INITIATION were received from the committees and the ballot spread.

DONALD TRAVIS BERRY
HERBERT RUEL RONE
PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON
WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS
RAYMOND FRANCIS MERRILL

The result of the ballot all of the above were elected to receive the three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

M.W.&O. Home acknowledged the donation of $25.00 in memory of Donald W. McKelvey, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

The Letter Shop(Deletions & corrections)	$ 5.41
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 1/18/82)	23.38
Edward Aylward(Refreshments 1/4/82)	5.50

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bro. Chester Care and Bro. Joseph Hager made a report on the M.T.A. meeting , budget, expenses, income, etc. Bro. Hager's notes to be attached to MINUTES.

Bro. Gary D. Sparks asked that the records be checked to determine ownership of furniture, equipment, etc. The Worshipful Master appointed the following committee to go thru old cashbooks and MINUTES to determine ownership.

Robert E. Cleary
Virgil Haycraft, Jr.
Raymond F. Lee, Jr.
John Summersett
Reed Harris, Jr.

Motion made by Bro. Walter Johnston to take from the table the following Motion;

That a Builing Committee be appointed with the instruction to report back to the Lodge on or before the second meeting in February on possible leasing or purchasing property for a Lodge Hall.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Cont'd.)	Motion second, motion carried. The tabled motion was voted upon and motion carried. The Worshipful Master announced that he would appoint the committee lat
GOOD OF THE ORDER	Bro. Secretary read the names of members, who had been sent summons as delinquent, and had not paid their indebtness. This list attached to the MINUTES.
SICK AND DISTRESSED	Bro. C.L. Cooper, Bro. Robert Brisbay, and Bro. John Phillips were repotered ill.
CLOSING	9:04 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 1, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	Raymond F. Lee, Jr. (Act.)	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran, Sr.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 42 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of January 18, 1982 read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of E.C. Flora and John Stanton Jacobs for Affiliation were received and committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petition of ROBERT CARROL APPEL for Affiliation, and the petitions of WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY, RONALD ELLIS McCOLLUM, and JOHN FRANK VEIGEL for Initiation were received from their committees and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot ROBERT CARROL APPEL was elected to membership by Affiliation. WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY, RONALD ELLIS McCOLLUM and JOHN FRANK VEIGEL were elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

Communication from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.&A.M. on the passing of J. HEBER LEWIS, P.G.M. of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M.
A letter from Valley Hi Lodge #1407 A.F.&A.M., of San Antonia, Texas, stating that they would present Bro. Jay C. Wertman, a member of Lexington Lodge #1, with his 25 Year Pin, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Hurst Office Supplies(Stamp & supplies)	$ 28.18
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 02/01/82)	18.22

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Names of those Delinquent were read for the third time. Copy attached to MINUTES.
Bro. Ted Walter announced that Bro. Robert Davenport, Presesident of the M.T.A., has announced that the Meetings of the M.T.A. will be open.
The Financial Report of the M.T.A. for 1980 was presented to Lexington Lodge #1.
The Worshipful Master appointed a Building [illegible] Committee composed of James D. Robertson, Chrm., [illegible] C. Thomas Hardigree, and Thomas A. Davis to search

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GOOD OF THE ORDER — for possible purchasing or leasing property to serve as Lodge Hall.

WORK — 8:30 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:42 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Lodge called at ease so the Officers conferring the work might assume their station.
The work was put on in a unique fashion with Bro. Edward B. Aylward serving in the East assisted by Bro. Gary D. Sparks, S.W., Bro. James M. Potter, J.W. and Bro. Robert E. Cleary, S.D..
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree gave the E.A. Charge.
The E.A. Degree was conferred on the following.

DONALD TRAVIS BERRY	WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY
PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON	HERBERT BUEL RONE
RAYMOND FRANCIS MERRILL	THOMAS ANDREW STERN
STEVEN JAMES OLSHEWSKY	JOHN FRANK VEIGEL
RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE	WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS

BRO. HAROLD NATHAN DOWNING took a refresher course and will fall in with this class for lecturing.
11:35 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
11:40 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CLOSING — 11:46 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Raymond F. Lee Jr.
Raymond F. Lee, Jr., Acting Secretary

James M Potter
Master

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MUST BE READ AT FEB. 1 1982 STATED MEETING



J. Heber Lewis

Born: October 17, 1893 Died: December 15, 1981

Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Kentucky

Free and Accepted Masons

1951-1952

The Most Worshipful
Grand Lodge of Kentucky
Free and Accepted Masons

Office of the Grand Master

Lexington, Kentucky, January 20, 1982

To the Officers and Brethren of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons and its constituent lodges, and to all Masons to whom these presents may come, this sorrowful greeting:

My Dear Brethren:

It is with profound sorrow that I officially announce to you the passing of our beloved Past Grand Master

J. Heber Lewis

who entered upon eternal rest Tuesday, December 15, 1981 at the Lake Cumberland Medical Center, Somerset, Kentucky.

The Masonic Service was held in the Chapel, Pulaski Funeral Home, Somerset, Kentucky at 7:30 p.m. with the R.˙.W.˙.James B. Elliott, Past Grand Master, The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, presiding.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky was officially represented by M.˙.W.˙. Kenneth C. Morgan, Grand Master, R.˙.W.˙.H. Kenneth Farley, Grand Senior Warden, R.˙.W.˙.J. C. McClanahan, Past Grand Master, Grand Secretary and R.˙.W.˙.James B. Elliott, Past Grand Master.

Funeral Services were held in the Chapel, Pulaski Funeral Home, Somerset, Kentucky at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, December 19, 1981. The Reverend John Savage, Pastor of the Burnside United Methodist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Burnside Cemetery, Burnside, Kentucky.

Brother Lewis was born in Quinton, Pulaski County, Kentucky on October 17, 1893 the son of Robert O. and Alice F. Lewis. On December 27, 1916, Brother Lewis married Ruth Upton who preceded him in death. To this union was born Robert Thomas and Helen Frances.

Brother Lewis received his education in Burnside High School, Lindsey Wilson Junior College and Berea College.

Brother Lewis was a member of the Burnside United Methodist Church of Burnside having joined at the age of thirteen. He loved and served his church well, holding several offices and was actively serving until his illness.

Brother Lewis served his community in many capacities. In 1928 he became a Texaco Distributor and in 1950 became President of the J. Heber Lewis Oil Company, Inc. 1951 started Southeastern Tank Lines. Mayor of Burnside 1941-1970. Past Director of the Citizens National Bank. Past President and Director of the Kentucky Petroleum Council, Kentucky Jobbers Council and the Kentucky Petroleum Marketers Association. Past Chairman and Director of Lindsey Wilson Junior College, recipient Distinguished Alumnus Award. Past President of the Burnside Chamber of Commerce. Past Director of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce. Member of the J. B. Speed Art Museum. Member of the American Institute of Management. Member of the Filson Club.

MASONIC RECORD

LODGE: Entered Apprentice, June 27, 1916; Fellow Craft, August 24, 1916; Master Mason, September 18, 1916, Burnside Lodge No. 634, Free and Accepted Masons, Burnside, Kentucky. Master of the Lodge, 1944 and 1945.
Society of Past Masters.

GRAND LODGE: Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons, 1950-1951. Served on numerous Committees.

CHAPTER: Capitular degrees in Burnside Chapter No. 146, Royal Arch Masons, 1918. High Priest, 1945.
Grand Council of Kentucky, Order of High Priesthood, 1953.

COUNCIL: Cryptic degrees in Somerset Council No. 68, Royal and Select Masters, 1921. Affiliated with Burnside Council No. 100 and served as Illustrious Master, 1945.
Grand Council of Anointed Kings, 1951.

COMMANDERY: He was Knighted in Somerset Commandery No. 31. Eminent Commander, 1945.
Knight York Cross of Honour.

CONSISTORY: Louisville Consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Louisville, 1944, 33° Mason.

SHRINE: Oleika Temple, Lexington, Kentucky, 1919. Ambassador, 1950-1954.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR: Grace Lawrence Chapter No. 124, 1917. At his death was a member of Stigall Chapter No. 465, Burnside, Kentucky, Worthy Patron, 1950.

OUR HOMES: Ex-officio Director of both Masonic Homes, October, 1947-October, 1951.

Brother Lewis is survived by his son, Robert Thomas Lewis, Burnside; daughter, Mrs. Helen Frances Caldwell, Ft. Meyers, Florida; a sister, Mrs. Stella Grissom, Burnside; seven grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

On some fond breast the parting soul relies,
Some pious drops the closing eye requires;
E'en from the tomb the voice of Nature cries,
E'en in our ashes live their wonted fires.

As a tribute of love and respect for the memory of our departed brother, it is ordered that this memorial be read in each lodge of this Grand Jurisdiction at the next stated communication after its receipt and that it be made a part of the records of the lodge.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Lodge this day and year first above written.

Kenneth C. Morgan
Grand Master

GRAND LODGE SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT OF KENTUCKY A.D. MDCCC

Attest:

J. C. McClanahan
Grand Secretary

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 15, 1982

Stated	MEETING		Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Richard W. Russell, P.M.	Junior Warden	Reed Harris, Jr.	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of February 1, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE VOTED UPON

The Petition of ROBERT WAYNE TURNER for Initiation was received from the Committee and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot ROBERT WAYNE TURNER was rejected from receiving the Degrees of Masonry and the Waiver to Woodstock Lodge #639 of Somerset, Ky. was denied.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation of sympathy from the family of deceased Bro. Cecil J. Jones.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

O.G. Wilson Co.(Safe Ser. # 1074865)	$ 157.47
Ihling Bros.(2Dz. Aprons & 2Dz. Apron Tubes)	353.26
Masonic Home Journal(2 Pads Suspension Notices)	6.20
James H. Baxter(500-5¢ Stamps)	25.00
Letter Shop(Delection & Corrections)	12.29
Postmaster(P.O. Box rental-6Mos.)	13.00
C Robert Foster(Refreshments 02/15/82)	11.89
B.A. Wheeler(Meal Dist. #25 Meeting 05/06/82)	90.00
Shriners' Hospital(Memory of Bro. Bill West)	25.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. WILLIAM EARL CLAY requested a Demit. This brother free of all indebtness to the Lodge Demit granted.
Motion made and second that all delinquents, who had not answered Summons be suspended. Motion carried. List of delinquents attached to MINUTES.
A letter from DeMolay Order stating their regrets, that the AD which Lexington Lodge #1 purchased didnot appear in their magazine. And offered to run the Ad in this year's magazine.
Bro. Robert B. Horine announced that there would be a 1 Day York Rite Festival, Feb. 27th in Winchester.
Bro. Ellis McCollum announced a Degree Team practice at 3P.M. Sunday, Feb. 21st.
Bro. B.A. Wheeler, D.D.G.M., Dist.#25 made a short

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)	talk and presented the Lodge with a George Washington print. And gave date of the District 25 Meeting and plans for the catering of the meal. Motion made and second to remit the two years dues of Bro. Roger Carnes, due to hardship. Motion carried.
VISITORS	Bro. Lawrence Devers, a member of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 was recognized and welcomed.
CLOSING	8:45 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.
OMMITTED IN OPENING	Worshipful Bro. B. A. Wheeler, D.D.G.M., District #25 GRAND LODGE of KENTUCKY, F.&A.M. was received and presented in the East, on his Official Visit. His Official Report are attached to the MINUTES.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patton

Master

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THE GRAND LODGE of KENTUCKY, F. & A. M.

M.·.W.·.Kenneth C. Morgan, Grand Master

District No. 25

Bernard Wheeler

Deputy's name (Please print)

I visited LEXINGTON Lodge No. 1, Town of LEXINGTON County of FAYETTE on FEB, 15TH 1981, and submit the following report: Total membership to date? 1862

Total Present? 27 Past Masters present? 16 50 year members present? _____ 25 year members present? ONE 2 years or less present? 6 How many of those members less than two years are officers in the Lodge? 2

Regular Officers Present (Circle) W.M., S.W., J.W., Treas., Secy., S.D., J.D., S.S., J.S., Tiler, Chap.

(State): The lodge whose Master has all eleven (11) officers, as set by Section 72 of the Constitution, plus five (5) members present at the District Meeting will receive an award.

Number of stated meetings during the calendar year 1980. 23

Was Lodge represented at the last District Meeting? YES

Is the lodge using the Masonic Educational material provided by Grand Lodge? YES

Does the lodge have a Masonic Educational Committee? YES. If no, why not? _____

Does the lodge have an up-to-date Book of Constitutions in the lodge room? YES.

If not urge them to do so.

Does the Secretary send monthly report in by the 10th of the following month? YES.

If not, why? _____

Does the Master hold his proficiency card? YES Does the S.W.? YES J.W.? YES (Section 76.)

When does the Secretary mail dues notices? AUGUST. When does the lodge suspend delinquent members? 2 MEETING IN FEB. Does Secretary use the suspension forms? (See sample, Constitution, p. 169).

The Grand Master is requesting a list of all members up for suspension, as he wants to write them a personal letter. These lists need to be sent three months before the date of suspension. Do not send the names of those of whom you do not have a correct address. Personal contact by the Master or Secretary is the best way to collect dues.

(State): (Master and Secretary, are you aware that the annual return **must** be mailed as soon as possible after its reception? Also, the remittance for Grand Lodge dues and assessments **must** be in the Grand Secretary's office on or before September 1st to avoid penalty of $1.00 per day for each delinquency.) (Sec. 139).

Master, are you aware that you must attend the District Meeting in your District? (Sec. 83 (7)).

Does the Secretary and/or Treasurer give a regular financial report to the lodge? YES.

Is a complete audit given and made a part of the minutes? YES. (Sec. 137) District Deputy read Sec. 137 to Lodge).

How many present have visited the M. W. & O. Home? 11 The Old Masons' Home? 12.

For the District Deputy:

Does peace and harmony reign within the Lodge? YES

Did the lodge have any suggestions or recommendations to make to the Grand Lodge for the good of the order? If yes, use back of this report form.

(District Deputy encourage comments.)

Lodge's Copy

HAVE NOT RECEIVED PLAQUE FOR LAST DISTRICT MEETING.

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DATE February 17, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Maynard McClain, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	7:25 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Milward Funeral Home in Southland.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting is to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. William Stanley West, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	7:47 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 18, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. Rambo, P.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Maynard McClain, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	7:55 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Milward Funeral Home in Southland.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. John William Hill, Sr., a member of Lexington Lodge # 1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Doyle G. Rambo

Doyle G. Rambo, Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 1, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Richard W. Russell, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran, Sr., P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 29 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of February 15, 17, and 18, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of DAVID WILLIAM HULETT for Initiation, the Petition of WILLIAM CLIFTON SMITH for Affiliation, and the Petition of CLARENCE HERMAN STANFIELD for Reinstatement were received and committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petitions of E.C. FLORA and JOHN STANTON JACOBS for Affiliation were received from the committees, and the ballot spread. Result of the ballot E.C. FLORA and JOHN STANTON JACOBS were elected to membership in Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

WORK

8:07 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:13 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
The following Entered Apprentice Masons were examined on their Proficiency by Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree.

HAROLD NATHAN DOWNING	HERBERT BUEL RONE
PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON	THOMAS ANDREW STERN
RAYMOND FRANCIS MERRILL	JOHN FRANK VEIGEL
RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE	WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS
WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY	

Motion made and second that the Entered Apprentices examined be declared Proficient. Motion carried.
8:47 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
8:51 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. John W. Hill, Sr. (Deceased)
A note from Shriners' Hospital on the gift of $25.00 in memory of Bro. William Stanley West.
A request from Bro. James Gray Clifford for a demit, this Brother being free of all indebtness to the Lodge, demit was granted. (DEMIT RETURNED 03/18/82 SEE APRIL MINUTES)

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SICK AND DISTRESS (Omited earlier)

The following Brothers have passed on since our last Meeting.

Bro. Cornelius V. Cowgill
Bro. David Henry Farley
Bro. John W. Hill, Sr.
Bro. Elbert S. Lewellyn
Bro. William Stanley West

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patten

Master

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CORRESPONDENCE (continued)	A letter from Hiram Lodge #4 F.&A.M., of Frankfort Ky., stating that Bro. Joseph R. Conway's name would be placed in nomination for the Office of Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M., at the 183 Annual Communition.
BILLS	The following bills were read and duly ordered paid. S.N.B.(Purchase $10,000.00 C.D.) $ 10,000.00 C. Thomas Hardigree(Refreshments 03/01/82) 22.35 Easley & Nelmes(Emb. for Bro. John W. Hill, Sr.) 21.00
GOOD OF THE ORDER	Lodge presented Bro. Omer Worthington with a Degree Team Apron. Bro. Omer has been a faithful member of Lexington Lodge #1 Degree Team for several years. Bro. Omer is moving to Florida and the Lodge and it's members will surley miss Bro. Omer Worthington. Our prayers and best wishes go with him and his family. Bro. Reed Harris announced that a Degree Team Practice would be held at 3P.M., March 7, 1982. Bro. Chester Care made a report on the M.T.A. meeting. The Worshipful Master read the Financial Statement of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M. for the year ending December 31, 1981.
VISITORS	The Worshipful Master recognized and welcomed a visitor from Devotion Lodge #160, and a visitor from Ohio Lodge #314.
SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. Ralph Carter will have another shoulder operation on March 17, 1982 at the V.A. Hospital.
CLOSING	9:25 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patton

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

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LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1 F&AM

LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 1981

Helton, Butler & Wells

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To the Master, Wardens and Bretheren
Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM
Lexington, Kentucky 40501

Gentlemen:

We have examined the balance sheet of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM, as of December 31, 1981 and the related statements of income and members' equity and changes in financial position for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet as of December 31, 1981 and the related statements of income and members' equity and changes in financial position for the year then ended present fairly the financial position of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM, at December 31, 1981 and the results of its operations and changes in financial position for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the prior year.

Helton, Butler & Wells

February 13, 1982

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LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1981

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash in bank - checking	$ 16,207.28	
Dues receivable	790.50	
CURRENT ASSETS		$ 16,997.78
INVESTMENTS		
Certificates of deposit	92,000.00	
Loan receivable - Masonic Temple Association	74,000.00	
Masonic Temple Association stock	12,000.00	
INVESTMENTS		178,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$194,997.78

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Unearned fees	$ 1,505.00	
Dues (1982) paid in advance	18,244.00	
CURRENT LIABILITIES		19,749.00
MEMBERS' EQUITY		175,248.78
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		$194,997.78

Helton, Butler & Batsel, P.S.C.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND MEMBERS' EQUITY
For the year ended December 31, 1981

INCOME		
Dues - Net		$ 18,687.25
Fees - Net		1,822.00
Interest - C of D		11,946.62
		32,455.87
EXPENSES		
Refreshments	- Meetings	348.74
	- Master Masons	452.37
	- Past Masters	569.43
	- Fish Fry	969.79
	- Masters' Application	518.02
Salaries	- Secretary	1,252.00
	- Treasurer	5.00
	- Tiler	50.00
	- Lecturers	300.00
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F&AM		12,018.00
Lodge and office supplies		2,224.99
Postage and printing		678.76
Pictures		145.72
Gifts		200.00
Donations		200.00
Flowers		476.02
Miscellaneous expense		790.00
Rent		3,300.00
TOTAL EXPENSES		$ 24,498.84
NET INCOME		7,957.03
REPAY 1980 INCOME TO MTA		(7,278.33)
NET EQUITY BEGINNING OF YEAR		174,570.08
NET EQUITY END OF YEAR		$175,248.78

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1 F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 1981

SOURCES OF WORKING CAPITAL	
Net income	$ 7,957.03
APPLICATIONS OF WORKING CAPITAL	(7,278.33)
Repay 1980 Income to MTA	
NET INCREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL	$ 678.70

CHANGES IN WORKING CAPITAL

	WORKING CAPITAL INCREASE (DECREASE)
CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash	($ 3,295.30)
Dues receivable	341.00
Certificates of Deposti	10,000.00
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Unearned fees	(585.00)
Dues paid in advance	(5,782.00)
NET INCREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL	$ 678.70

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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
December 31, 1981

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT		
Second National Bank		
12711	$ 10,000.00	
10799	10,000.00	
6389	14,000.00	
6976	10,000.00	
6486	18,000.00	
6929	10,000.00	
14140	10,000.00	
	82,000.00	
Citizens Union		
17179	10,000.00	
TOTAL CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT		$ 92,000.00

MASONIC TEMPLE STOCK

Certificate Number	Acquired	Shares	Cost	
1	1-10-1911	3	$ 150.00	
2	1-10-1911	3	150.00	
3	1-10-1911	79	3,950.00	
11	5-28-1913	75	3,750.00	
46-47	11-08-1946	80	4,000.00	
TOTAL		240		$12,000.00

Helton, Butler & Wells

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 15, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Ellis L. McCollum, P.M.	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran	Chaplain

OPENING	7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 11 others present.
MINUTES	Minutes of March 1, 1982 were read and approved as read.
CORRESPONDENCE	A note from Emory M. Provence stating that his 1982 dues card #521 had been lost. Duplicate issued. A letter from Glendale Lodge #23 F.&A.M. of Glendale AR., advising that ever effort had been made to assist Daniel Ray Barnes in becoming proficient on the M.M. Degree, but received no cooperation from Bro. Barnes. Therefore case closed.
UNFINISHED BUSINESS	Bro. Walter Johnston made inquiry as to why the Committee appointed to find possible location for a new Lodge site had not reported to the Lodge, as the report was suppose to have been made February 15th. As the Master was absent and none of the Committee present, question went unaswered.
GOOD OF THE ORDER	Bro. Secretary announced that one of our brothers had given a bad check for dues two years in a row and asked that only cash be received in the future from this brother. Bro. Steven Olshewsky has asked for help in becoming proficient on the E.A. Degree. Bros. McCollum, Walls, Aylward, and Hardigree volunteered immediately. Bro. Secretary asked that as many brothers and their wives as possible to attend the District Meeting to be held in Shelbyville, Ky., on April 6, 1982. Not only will this give our Officers, that miss our District Meeting, a chance to make up but it would be good family fellowship. Bro. Secretary also announced that all bodies had been advised of Suspended and Demitted Members. The Acting Master Bro. Gary D. Sparks made a short talk on Fraternity, it's meaning and responsibilities.
BILLS	The following bills were read and duly ordered paid. S.N.B. (Rent safe deposit box) $ 40.00 C. Robert Foster (Refreshments 03/15/82) 5.73

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MINUTES

(Minutes of March 15, 1982 continued)

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. McCollum reported that Bro. Ralph Carter was in V.A. Hospital for blood study and possible operation on his shoulder.
Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. Cleary had visited Bro. Henry Loomis and had found him in fair shape except that Bro. Loomis, who has been very active in many organization, was not eager to attend and this bothered Bro. Cleary and all that know Bro. Loomis.
Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. David N. Singer on March 14, 1982.

CLOSING

Bro. McCollum announced that 38 attended the Bon Voyage Dinner for Bro. Omer Worthington.
Bro. Horine announced the Knight Templar Eye Foundation Ham and Egg Breakfast on March 20, 1982 at Oleika Temple.
Master announced that there would be a Called Meeting March 23, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. for returning of Proficiency on the E.A., and conferring of the F.C. Degree.
8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter
James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Gary D. Sparks
Master (Acting)

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

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The following delinquent members were sent Summons by Certified Mail to appear at the Stated Meetin February 15, 1982 to show just cause why they should not be suspended. Summons mailed January 4, 1982. After failure to appear were suspended by vote of the Lodge.

Master Masons

0035 Jerry Dean Aske 2200 U.S. 19 North #247 Clearwater, FL. 33515
0038 Terry Edwin Aubrey 1605 Hastings Ct. Lexington, KY. 40505
0230 Douglas Glenn Combs 6646 Rothbury Portage MI. 49081
0297 William Taylor Day 1831 Beverly Circle Clearwater Fl. 33516
0311 John Tyree Denton, Jr. 1700 Alexandria Dr. Lexington, KY. 40504
0575 Kay Thomas Hukill 317 Fourth St. Marietta OH. 45750
1438 Jack Dempsey Neely, Jr. 1210 Highland Park Dr. Lex. KY. 40505
1038 James Lear Rose 3400 Milan Place Lexington, KY. 40502
1138 Gentry Myers Smith 827 Aurora Ave. Lexington, KY. 40502
1433 Richard Edward Stem 1423 Buelah Park Lexington, KY. 40502
1440 Ivan Dale Tuggle 1104 Tatesbrook Dr. Lexington, KY. 40502

Entered Apprentice

1392 Samuel McKittrick Cochran 150 W. Short St. Lexington, KY. 40507

The following have taken Demits, since June 30, 1981.

0617 Harry Wertz Jones
0323 John Madore DuQuin
0378 Walter James Felker, Jr. (E.A.)
0902 Harry Raymond Northcutt (E.A.)
1072 John G. Scircle, Jr. (E.A.)
0074 Frank Bennett, Jr.
1268 Alfred B. Vimont
0215 William Earl Clay

The Petition of ROBERT WAYNE TURNER for Initiation was denied by vote of the Lodge. Waiver to Woodstock Lodge #639 Somerset, Ky., thus denied.

Attest:

James H. Baxter, P.M.

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Signed and sealed this 15th. Day of February, in the year 1982 A.D.

Copies
Lexington Chapter 110 O.E.S.
Henry Clay Chapter 398 O.E.S.
Recorder Oleika Temple
Potentate Oleika Temple
Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M.
Robt. M. Sirkle Lodge #954 F.&A.M.
Bluegrass Lodge #956 F.&A.M.
Lexington Chapter #1 R.A.M.
Washington Council #1 R.&S.M.
Webb Commandery #1 K.T.
Lexington Consistory A.A.S.R.

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 19, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	2;50 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home, Southland in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. David N. Singer, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	3:32 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 23, 1982

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 14 others present.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to examine any brother ready to return his Proficiency on the E.A. Degree and to confer the F.C. Degree on any brother that had returned his Proficiency on the E.A. Degree.

WORK

7:45 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.

7:50 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the F.C. Degree. Lodge called at ease and the Officers to confer the work took their stations. Lodge called to order, with Bro. Edward B. Aylward in the East assisted by Bro. Robert E. Cleary as Senior Deacon, Bro. Gary D. Sparks as Senior Warden, and Bro. James M. Potter as Junior Warden conferred the F.C. Degree upon the following Entered Apprentice Masons.

Harold Nathan Downing	Herbert Buel Rone
Paul Douglas Hamilton	Thomas Andrew Stern
Raymond Francis Merrill	John Frank Veigel
Russell Coleman Pattie	Wayne Norman Williams
Wesley Alden Ramsey	

Bro. Robert Cleary gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. Robert Foster gave the F.C. Charge.

9:28 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the F.C. Degree.

9:32 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CLOSING

9:40 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 5, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E.Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran, Sr., P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 18 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of March 15, 19, 23, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of KARL MAXIMILIAN HEINRICH for Affiliation was received and Committee appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of WILLIAM CLIFTON SMITH for Affiliation and DAVID WILLIAM HULETT for Initiation were received from the Committees. Motion made and second that the Committees be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion carried. The result of the ballot WILLIAM CLIFTON SMITH was elected to membership by Affiliation and DAVID WILLIAM HULETT was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

Acknowledgement of gift to Ephriam McDowell Cancer Network in memory of Bro. David N. Singer.
Acknowledgement of gift to Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children in memory of Bro. M. Neal Howard.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Ephriam McDowell Community Cancer Network (In memory of Bro. David N. Singer)	$ 20.00
Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children (In memory of Bro. M. Neal Howard)	25.00
C. Robert Foster(Refreshment 03/23/82)	9.90
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 04/05/82)	12.64
James M. Potter(Refreshments 04/05/82)	35.93
Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M. (Book of Constitutions for Bro. Aylward)	12.60

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Foster donated a check for $12.64 to Knight Templar Eye Foundation.
Bro. James Gray Clifford returned Demit and asked to remain in Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
Bro. Secretary reminded all of District #19 Meeting and encouraged each to bring their Lady and attend.
Bro. Secretary, representing the Grand Master of Ky., presented Bro. Richard W. Russell, Jr. Past Master

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MINUTES

(Minutes of April 5, 1982 Continued)

GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

of Lexington Lodge #1 with an Attendance Award at the !981 District Meeting.
Bro. Russell presented the Plaque to the Lodge.
Bro. McCollum asked the Degree Team to wear their Degree Team Aprons to District #19 Meeting.

WORK

8:12 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to Opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:18 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree examined Bro. STEVEN JAMES OLSHEWSKY on his E.A. Proficiency.
Motion made and second that Bro. OLSHEWSKY be declared Proficient. By vote of the Lodge Bro. OLSHEWSKY was declared Proficient.
8:44 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
8:51 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Lodge called at ease, Bro. Edward B. Aylward assumed the East and assisted by Bro. Gary D. Sparks, S.W., Bro. James M. Potter, J.W., Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree, J.D., Bro. Robert E. Cleary, S.S., and Bro. Chester P. Care, , S.D., conferred the First Section of the F.C. Degree. Bro. Robert E. Cleary gave the Stair-case Lecture and Bro. C. Robert Foster gave the Letter "G" Lecture.
Bro. Olshewsky thanked the Lodge and the above brothers for conferring the work upon him. He wanted to especially thank Bro. Holder and Bro. Hardigree for their help in catching him up with his class.
10:10 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
10:12 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

VISITORS

A brother from Cumberland Lodge #413 was recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary announced that Bro. Art Dews, Chaplain of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 had undergone a by-pass operation at the Medical Center and that we remember Bro. Dews in our prayers.
Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. M. Neal Howard and Bro. James K. Sheseley since our last Meeting.

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CLOSING 10:26 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 19, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joe E. Holleran, Sr.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 12 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of April 5, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of Luther Humes for Initiation and the Petition of Charles Harold Tuttle, Jr. for Affiliation were received and Committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of Clarence Herman Stanfield for Reinstatement was received from the Committee and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot Bro. Clarence Herman Stanfield was elected to membership in Lexington Lodge #1 by Reinstatement.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of thanks from the family of Bro. M. Neal Howard.
A letter from the Grand Lodge of Colorado stating that 7 of their members had moved to Lexington and asked that Lexington Lodge #1 extend Masonic Courtesies.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

C. Robert Foster((Refreshments 4/19/82) $	12.67
Letter Shop (New Slug, Deletions, & Corrections	11.66
James H. Baxter (Postage, Add. Corrections and 500-56 Stamps)	28.41

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. McCollum announced Degree Team Practice 3 P.M. Sunday.
The following dues cards were lost or stolen and duplicates issued.

Joseph S. Hager	Card # 544
Edwin A. Jacobs	Card # 553
Donald J. Nelson	Card # 106

A note from Bro. Leo K. West requested a Demit, this brother free of indebtness to the Lodge, Demit issued.
Bro. Chester P. Care gave a report on the M.T.A.

VISITORS

A brother from Shawnee Lodge #830 was recognized and welcomed.

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WORK

8:27 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparpatory to opening on the F.C. Degree.
8:35 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. John Summersett examined the following F.C. Masons.

Harold Nathan Downing	Wesley Alden Ramsey
Paul Douglas Hamilton	Herbert Buel Rone
Raymond Francis Merrill	Thomas Andrew Stern
Steven James Olshewsky	John Frank Veigel
Russell Coleman Pattie	Wayne Norman Williams

By vote of the Lodge all were declared proficient.
9:05 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
9:08 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. McCollum announced that Bro. Ralph Carter was in room 445-S at V.A. Hospital.
Bro. Secretary announced that Bro. Charles E. Shely was very ill at home, and that Bro. William Walter Cumby was in the Good Samaritan Hospital.
Bro. Cleary announced that Bro. Henry Loomis was improving and getting out more.

CLOSING

9:18 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter
James H. Baxter (P.M), Secretary

James M. Potter
Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 3, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	John Summersett	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 12 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of April 19, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of KARL MAXIMILIAN HEINRICH for Affiliation was received from the Committee and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot KARL MAXIMILIAN HEINRICH was elected to membership in Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

SELECT COMMITTEES

The W. Master announced that the Committee appointed to locate possible site for Lodge had learned that the property on Regency Road might be available for about $189,000.00 instead of the original price of $234,000.00.

CORRESPONDENCE

Letter from M.T.A. stating 1982 budget and listing Lexington Lodge rent for 1982 at $2802.00.
Letter from Job's Daughters International asking assistance in finding new members.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Secretary announced the following dates:
St. John's Day Picnic, June 9,10,11,&12, 1982
Homecoming M.W.&O. Home, June 27, 1982
Appreciation Day O.M. Home, July 25, 1982
One Day York Rite, Danville, May 22, 1982
One Day Scottish Rite, June 12, 1982
Oleika, Cold Sands, June 16, 1982
Kosair, Hot Sands, June 19, 1982
District #25 Meeting May 6, 1982
Bro. McCollum announced D.T. practice 7:30 P.M., May 7.
W. Master announced a Called Meeting May 8, 1982 at 8:00 a.m. for the purpose of Raising several Fellow Craft Masons to the Sublime Degree of a M.M..
W. Master also announced that Bro. Charles Snow Guthrie would be a guest speaker at a Stated Meeting May 17, 1982.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Easley & Nelmes(Emb. Bro. James Shesley)	$21.00
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 05/03/82)	10.98

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SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. Ralph Carter to have test for blockage to the heart. Bro. Russell McGuire is in Lxington Country Place suffering with cancer. Bro. William Saunier is home from hospital.
CLOSING	8:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 8, 1982

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

9:16 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 22 others present.

PURPOSE

The Worshipful Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer the M.M. Degree upon 10 F.C. Masons.

WORK

Lodge called at ease, while the following assumed the following stations.

Master	Gary D. Sparks
S.W.	James M. Potter
J.W.	Edward B. Aylward
S.D.	Chester P. Care
J.D.	~~Edward B. Aylward~~ Robt. E. Cleary

The first Section was conferred upon the following:

HAROLD NATHAN DOWNING	WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY
PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON	HERBERT BUEL RONE
RAYMOND FRANCIS MERRILL	THOMAS ANDREW STERN
STEVEN JAMES OLSHEWSKY	JOHN FRANK VEIGEL
RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE	WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS

Raised in short form was:

HAROLD N. DOWNING by	James H. Baxter, P.M. Raymond Lee
PAUL D. HAMILTON by	Gary D.Sparks Edward T. Davis, Sr.
RAYMOND F. MERRILL by	Gary D. Sparks Edward T. Davis
STEVEN J. OLSHEWSKY by	Walter Johnston Gary D. Sparks
WESLEY A. RAMSEY by	Edward T. Davis, Sr. Gary D.Sparks
HERBERT BUEL RONE by	Walter Johnston Raymond Lee
THOMAS A. STERN by	James H. Baxter, P.M. Irving Stern (Father)
JOHN FRANK VEIGEL by	James H. Baxter, P.M. John Veigel (Father)
WAYNE N. WILLIAMS by	Edward T. Davis, Sr. Norman Williams (Father)

12:25 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment and all enjoyed a delightful lunch and fellowship.

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WORK (Work cont'd.) 1:20 P.M. Lodge called from Refeshment to Labor on the M.M. The Craft then proceeded to Raise Bro. RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE as class representative in The Legend of the Temple, under the direction of Bro. Ellis McCollum, D.T.C. aid by the cast.

K.S.	Ben Johnson	ZEBU.	Joel Baumgartner
H.K.T.	Walter Johnston	W.F.M.	Ray Copenhaver
S.D.	Virgil Haycraft	S.C.	John Foley
J.D.	Gary Sparks	MAR.	Raymond Lee
CHAP.	Ted Walter	R.M.	Vic Uttinger
J.A.	Randall Ritchie	F.C.	John Foley
J.O.	Steve Westmeyer	F.C.	Ray Copenhaver
J.M.	Edward Aylward	F.C.	George Gill
ZEPH.	John Summersett	F.C.	Tom Hardigree
ABRA.	Reed Harris	F.C.	Robert Cleary
BENJ.	William Coulter	F.C.	Vic Uttinger
BELS.	Wm. Charles Dietrich	F.C.	James Robinson

Bro. Downing speaking for the class thanked the Lodge, the D.T. and the lecturers for their faith and assistance in making this such a wonderful day in the life of each newly Raised member of his class.

VISITORS Visitors were recognized , welcomed and thanked for attending Visitors included 4 Lodges in Ohio, 2 Bros. from #954, 1 from #160, and 4 from #341, which included Bro. Edward T. Davis, Sr. D.D.G.M. of District #17. BRO. NORMAN WILLIAMS, INDIANA LODGE

CLOSING 3:55 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patten

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 4, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	2:15 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Bluegrass Memorial Gardens, in Jesamine Co.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Emory McClellan Provence, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	2:58 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 17, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Raymond Copenhaver	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 25 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of May 3, and May 8, 1982 were read and after 2 corrections in May 8th. Minutes, were approved.

PETITIONS TO BE VOTED UPON

The Petition of LUTHER HUMES for Initiation and the Petition of Bro. CHARLES HAROLD TUTTLE, JR. for Affiliation were received from the Committees and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot LUTHER HUMES was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry, and Bro. CHARLES HAROLD TUTTLE, JR. was elected to membership in Lexington Lodge #1 by Affiliation.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Bro. Sparks reported that he would make contact with the Recreation Dept. for a shelter at Shillito Park to hold Family Picnic on August 14th.
Bro. Sparks also reported on his contact with Bro. Liston, who had moved here from Colorado.
Bro. Aylward reported that he had made reservations for Transylvania Dinig Room for October 22nd., but that the site of the Past Masters' Dinner had not been definitly decided upon.

CORRESPONDENCE

Bro. Secretary read a letter from the Grand Lodge of Florida requesting a demit for Bro. SAMUEL HART COMBS, after his election to membership in their Alpha Lodge #172.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Columbia Steak House(65 Dinners M.M. Raising)	$325.00
James M. Potter(Dinner for Guest Speaker)	45.00
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 5/17/82)	13.51

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Hager reported on the M.T.A. plans to sell farm on Richmond Road.
Our Guest Speaker Bro. CHARLES SNOW GUTHRIE spoke on early Masonry in Kentucky in which Lexington Lodge #1 played a big part. He also told about prominent men of early Masonry especially members of #1. After which was a question and answer period. Much information was learned by all.

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VISITORS	Bro. Lyle Willis, Jr. of Hugh Harris Lodge #938 was recognized and welcomed.
SICK AND DISTRESSED	Bro. McCollum reported that Bro. Ralph Carter had gone home from the hospital.
CLOSING	9:25 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 31, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	7:55 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Floyd Edward Pogue, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 7, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	Raymond Copenhaver	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Steve Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of May 17 & 31, and June 4, 1982 were read and approved as read.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Bro. Sparks of the Finance Committee reported that the Committee had agreed to pay the rent to the M.T.A. in advance.

Bro. Sparks announced that he had obtained Shelter #3 at Jacobson Park for the Family Picnic on August 14, 1982.

Bro. Sparks that Tally-Ho Caters had agreed to furnish the food for $3.50 per person.

Motion made and second to accept this contract for food. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Request from Landmark Lodge #41 F.&A.M. for a waiver of jurisdiction on EDWARD C. MORROW, who resides at 2098 Harrodsburg Rd., Lexington, Ky.

A letter from the Grand Secretary reporting that the Grand Master had instituted a Forty Year Award and listed 64 brothers of Lexington Lodge #1, who would be elgible to receive the Award.

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Valley of Dayton Ohio inquired about the goodstanding of Bro. Woodrow E. Mobley, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..

A notice of suspensions from Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 F.&A.M..

A notice of suspensions from Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M..

A letter from B.A. Wheeler, D.D.G.M. District #25 thanking Lexington Lodge for their cooperation and a check for $17.00 as a refund from the District Meeting Dinner.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Lexington Herald-Leader(Ad in paper)	$ 20.79
C. Thomas Hardigree(Refreshments 6/7/82)	15.80
M.T.A.(Rent for 1982)	2802.00

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GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Westmeyer read a historical account on the jewels of Versailles Lodge #7 F.&A.M. in Versailles, Indiana, which were stolen in a raid by General Morgan's Raiders in 1863. Bro. Morgan learned of the theft and ordered the Jewels returned. Bro. Chester Care reported on the M.T.A..

VISITORS

Bro. Victor Phillips, Master of Amity Lodge #340 A.F.M. in Florence, S.C., was recognized and welcomed.
Bro. Phillips presented Lexington Lodge #1 with a Ritual of Masonry from S.C.

WORK

Bro. John Summersett examined the following on M.M. Proficency.

HAROLD NATHAN DOWNING	RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE
PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON	WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY
RAYMOND FRANCIS MERRILL	THOMAS ANDREW STERN
STEVEN JAMES OLSHEWSKY	WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS

All were declared proficent by vote of the Lodge.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Ralph Carter has been moved from I.C.U. to 4th. Floor at V.A. Hospital.
Bro. Charles C. Gulley has been stricken with Lou Gehrig Disease.
The following brothers have deceased since our last meeting.

Bro. Roy Leon Campbell	Bro. Floyd Edward Pogue
Bro. Emory McClellan Provence	

Bro. Sparks' wife presented him with a son, both are doing fine.

CLOSING

8:55 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James W. Potter

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 13, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. Rambo, P.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	8:16 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Milward Funeral Home, Broadway in Lexington, KY.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Enoch Charles Shely, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	8:32 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 21, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Richard W. Russell	Junior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, ~~Jr.~~	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 13 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of June 7, & 13, 1982 were read and approved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Bro. Thomas D. Scott, Administrator of the Masonic Homes, requesting that the Fayette Lodges hold Devotional Services at the Old Masons' Home on July 11, 1982, due to conflict with Appreciation Day activities.

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. Roy L. Campbell.

A letter from the American Canadian Grand Lodge , A.F.&A.M. within the United Grand Lodges of Germany advising Lexington Lodge #1 that U.S. Hessen Lodge #844 had conferred the E.A. Degree upon Bro. RONALD ELLIS McCOLLUM, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

BILLS

The following bill was read and duly ordered paid.

Stephen Westmeyer(Refreshments 6/21/82) $ 14.76

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Motion made and second that Whitfield Tandy, P.M. represent Lexington Lodge #1 at Grand Lodge, if the Master, Wardens or Secretary is not present. Motion carried.

Motion made and second not to meet on July 5, 1982. Motion carried.

W.M. present M.M. Proficiency Certificates to Bro. PAUL DOUGLAS HAMILTON, Bro. STEVEN JAMES OLSHEWSKY, Bro. RUSSELL COLEMAN PATTIE, Bro. WESLEY ALDEN RAMSEY and Bro. WAYNE NORMAN WILLIAMS.

Bro. Walter Johnston announced that the Super Excellent Master Degree would be conferred on July 17, 1982.

Bro. Secretary announced that Bro. John Frank Veigel and Bro. Steven James Olshewsky had taken the one day Scottish Rite and were 32 Degree Masons.

Bro. McCollum, D.T.C. announced that the Degree Team would portray the Legend of the Temple at Solomon's Lodge #5 in Shelbyville, Ky. on July 17, 1982. Meeting and dinner starting at 6:30 P.M.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)	W.M. recognized a newly affiliated member Bro. Karl M. Heinrich and presented him with a History of Lexington Lodge #1 written by Bro. Coleman. Bro. Heinrich gave a short talk. Bro. Secretary presented to the W.M. and the Lodge a gift of a picture frame to display the Past Masters' Pictures in the Library. Bro. Secretary said that this was a labor of love to show Bro. Irvin Stern's thanks to the Lodge for all that they had done for him and his son, Tom.
SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. McCollum reported that Bro. Ralph Carter would undergo surgery June 22nd. to correct closed arteries, at the V.A. Hospital.
CLOSING	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 19, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Chester P. Care	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 16 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of June 21, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of KELLY GLENN WOOTEN for Initiation was received and Committee appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Ohio, F.&A.M. asking Lexington Lodge #1 to present Bro. Gilbert C. Perrone with his 60 Year Award, as a courtesy to the Grand Lodge of Ohio and their subordinate Lodge of Oxford, Ohio.

A note of appreciation from the Family of Bro. E.C. Shely.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Oregon, A.F.&A.M. reporting that Bro. Jay D. Boock was residing at 392 Ashmoor Drive in Lexington and asked Lexington Lodge #1 to extend to him Masonic Courtesies.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky stating that Bro. ARCH GLASS MAINOUS was elgible for his Fifty Year Award and sending a Gold Card and Fifty Year Pin to be presented to Bro. Mainous on behalf of the Grand Lodge.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky stating that Past Grand Master R. Cliff Wilder was recovering from open heart surgery and suggested that cards of cheer be sent to his home address, 4412 Woodgate Lane, Louisville, Ky. 40220.

A card from the M.W.&O. Home acknowledging the gift from the Lodge as a Memorial to Bro. Eddie Cleveland Sparkman.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Lexington Herald-leader (Ad. Bro. Guthrie)	$ 21.10
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 7/19/82)	15.04

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Care reported on M.T.A. Meeting. Stated that the For Sale Signs would be placed on the farm probably this week and that Hughes & Issel Printing Co. had given notice that they would vacate their space in October.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)	Bro. Russell stated that he had tried to contact Bro. Billy G. Kelley of Colorado to invite him to the Lodge Meeting but Bro. Kelley was in Hawaii. Bro. Sparks that the Family Fish Fry would be Aug. 14, at shelter #3 Jacobson Park. The W.M. announced that he would be in Germany on August 16th., when the E.A. is to be conferred.
SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. Secretary announced that Bro. Russell McGuire was ill with cancer, Bro. Charles Gulley is ill with Lew Gerhig Disease, and Bro. A.C. Brickey has had a flair up with diabietes.
CLOSING	8:10 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 26, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	9:55 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at the Lexington Cemetery, in Lexington, KY.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. John Robert Perkins, a member of Bloomfield Hills Lodge #44 F.&A.M. of Birmingham, MI., as a courtesy to Bloomfield Hills Lodge #44 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	10:29 a.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Lexington Cemetery.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Acting Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 30, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	1:25 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home (Broadway), in Lexington, KY.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Patrick K. Farra, a member of Preston Lodge #281 F.&A.M. in Louisville, KY., as a courtesy to Preston Lodge #281 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	1:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Acting Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 2, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	Raymond F. Lee, Jr.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	Raymond Copenhaver	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:35 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 12 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of July 19, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of RAY LEE BOOTS for Reinstatement was received and Committee appointed.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 8/2/82)	$ 25.01
George Gill, Jr.(Laundry D.T. uniforms)	11.06
Gary Sparks(Rent on shelter-Family Fish Fry)	15.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Care stated that the M.T.A. was mailing a questionaire to members of Lexington Lodge #1 and Devotion Lodge #160.
Bro. McCollum reminded the Lodge of work done by Bro. Pattie on the door plaques.

VISITORS VISITORS

Bro. Alex Jones of Devotion Lodge was recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESS

The following Brothers were reported ill.
Bro. Wilbern Neeley in Good Samaritan Hospital.
Bro. Gordon Swanson at home.
Bro. Victor Skidmore in Central Baptist Hospital.
And Brother Dwight Measle lost his wife.

CLOSED

8:10 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Raymond F. Lee Jr.

Acting Secretary

James M Potter

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 16, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Chester P. Care	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree,, with the above Officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of August 2, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE VOTED UPON

The Petition of EDWARD CONLEY MORROW for Initiation in Landmark Lodge #41 F.&A.M. of Versailles, Ky. was received from the Committee. Motion made and second that ballot be spread. Result of the ballot, the Waiver of Jurisdiction on EDWARD CONLEY MORROW to Landmark Lodge #41 was denied.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Bro. Sparks reported on the Family Fish Fry, saying that 299 were served and that most comments were very favorable.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter of thanks to the Lodge and the Degree Team for Portraying the Legend of the Temple during the Raising of a Brother in Solomon Lodge #5 F.&A.M. on July 17, 1982.

A letter from Mount Moriah Lodge #77 F.&A.M. of Anderson IN. for conferring the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. John R. Perkins as a courtesy to his Lodge.

A letter from Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M. stating that the folling Brothers had been reinstated.

Kenneth Jackson Crace Martin Dean Saunders

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

M.W.&O. Home (Memorial Bro. Herman Blakeman)	$ 25.00
Letter Shop (Inv. 7/30/82 corrections & slugs)	10.03
Postmaster(1500 Stamped W Env. & 500-20¢ stamps)	422.05
Gr. Lodge of KY.(Dues & Assessments)	13,711.00
Tolly-Ho Caterers(Family Fish Fry)	1,098.83
Letter Shop(Postcards Family Fish Fry)	208.97
BG Coca-Cola(Drinks Family Fish Fry)	80.33
Gary D. Sparks(Ice, cups & supplies Family Fish Fry)	30.37
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 8/16/82)	19.49

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SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Ben Miller was reported in Country Place Nursing Home.
Bro. Carroll Murphy was reported as being very ill at home and in need of visitors.
Bro. Wilbern Neeley, P.M. was reported to be going home from Hospital after serious operation.
It was reported that Bro. Harry Wyse had lost his wife

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Motion made that the Stated Meeting on September 6th. be cancelled due to Labor Day and that the Stated Meeting on October 18th. be cancelled due to Grand Lodge Meeting. Motion second. Motion carried.

WORK

8:08 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to Opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:17 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree. Lodge called at ease while the Officers conferring the Degree assumed their Stations. Lodge called to order and Bro. Edward B. Aylward conferred the First Section ably assisted by Bro. Cleary, SD., Bro. Hardigree, SS. Bro. Sparks, SW. and Bro. Russell, JW.
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree gave the EA. Charge. All of the Work was done well and in good taste. This is the kind of Work that is expected of Lexington Lodge #1 Officers. It should also be noted that Bro. Aylward did the Work on a one day notice.
The Work was conferred upon DAVID WILLIAM HULETT, whose Father and Grandfather were present, and LUTHER HUMES. We welcome these Brothers to Lexington Lodge #1.
9:45 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
9:47 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

VISITORS

Bro. Mike Hathaway of Devotion Lodge #160 was recognized and welcomed.

CLOSING

9:55 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M), Secretary

Master (Acting)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 30, 1982

Called MEETING	---- Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M. W. Master	---- Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M. Senior Warden	---- Senior Steward
Maynard R. McClain, P.M. Junior Warden	---- Junior Steward
---- Senior Deacon	---- Tiler
---- Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine Chaplain

OPENING	7:16 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Lewis C. Bush, a member of Lexington Lodge #1, F.&A.M.
CLOSING	7:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE September 20, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Jimmy A. McGinley	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter (P.M.)	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Raymond F. Lee, Jr.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 18 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of August 16, and 30, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of WILLIAM LOUIS CLEMMONS, JR. and CHARLES CULLY SHELY for Initiation were received and Committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of RAY LEE BOOTS for Reinstatement was received from the Committee. Motion made and second to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. Result of the ballot RAY LEE BOOTS was elected to membership by Reinstatement.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter of resignation from Bro. Chester P. Care as a Line Officer. Bro. Care stated due to pressing personal business and his duties as Secretary of the M.T.A., that he was unable to give sufficient time to his office. (Letter to be made apart of the Minutes.)

A letter from Bro. Shelt Manning asking for assistance on his dues.

A card of thanks from the M.W.&O. Home for gift in memory of Bro. Herman Blakeman.

A letter from the incoming Grand Master, Bro. Marlin White stating that it would be his pleasure to attend Lexington Lodge #1's Past Master Dinner with his Lady Geneva. And was honored to be the Speaker for this Dinner.

A Memorial to Bro. Emile B. Beatty, P.G.M., from the Grand Lodge to be read in all Subordinate Lodges. (Memorial made apart of the Minutes.)

A letter of thanks from Wingate Lodge #161, F.&A.M. for an upcoming M.M. Raising in which Lexington Lodge #1 Degree Team will portray the Legend of the Temple.

A note from Bro. Henry Loomis along with a donation for postage.

A note from Bro. Eugene Bryant requesting a Demit. This Brother being in goodstanding, demit granted.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Letter Shop(Notices Annual Dues & P.M.D.)	$232.91
C. Robert Foster(Refreshments 09/20/82)	25.71

MINUTES

(Minutes of September 20,1982 continued)

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GOOD OF THE ORDER

Motion made and second to change the present custom of Guests for Past Masters' Dinner to include only, Past Masters, Bros. receiving 25&50 Year Pins, Grand Master and his Lady. Motion defeated.
Bro. Chester Care, Secretary for the M.T.A., reported that the M.T.A. had met several times in July and presented copies of the Minutes. He said that he was disappointed in the turn out for the Meeting at Oleika Mosque. Bro. Care reported that many parcels had been checked for a Temple, that a Developer had been contacted and that sale of the property was a priority.
Bro. Gary Sparks reported that he attended the M.T.A. Meeting at Oleika and that 54% of the responce wanted to sell the property Downtown and on Richmond Road. Also that the new Temple should be in the Southend of Lexington.
Bro. Wayne Williams suggested property on Rosemont Garden as a sight for a new Temple.
Due to resignation of Bro. Chester P. Care, the Worshipful Master announced that Bro. Robert E. Cleary would be S.D., Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree, J.D., Bro. C. Robert Foster, S.S., and Bro. Stephen Brent Westmeyer, J.S..

SICK AND DISTRESS

The following were reported ill at home, Bro. Gordon Swanson Bro. Joe White recovering from surgery.
The following have deceased, Bro. Eugene Shehan, Bro. D. Harris, Bro. Randolph White, Bro. Lewis C. Bush, Bro. Howard L. Segrest, Bro. Leslie A. Parke, Bro. Chester Spurlock, Bro. Grant S. Willey, Bro. Joseph F. Wilson, and Bro. Wilfred L. Pigg.

WORK

8:38 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to refreshment preparatory to Opening on the E.E. Degree.
8:48 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree examined the following Brothers on their E.A. Proficiency.
DONALD TRAVIS BERRY DAVID WILLIAM HULETT LUTHER HUMES
By vote of the Lodge all were declared proficient.
9:13 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
9:21 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. Edward B. Aylward assumed the East and conferred the first section of the F.C. Degree ably assisted by Bro. Gary Sparks as S.W., Bro. James Potter as J.W., Bro. Robert Cleary as S.D., Bro. Richard Russell as J.D., and Bro. Thomas Hardigree as S.S.. Bro. Robert E. Cleary gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. C. Robert Foster gave the Letter "G" Lecture
10:47 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
10:49 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

VISITORS

Bro. Bobby Goins of Lonesome Pine Lodge #884 was recognized and welcomed.

CLOSING 11:03 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M. Patten

Master

Chester P. Care
Attorney At Law
121 E. Reynolds Road, Crossroads Plaza
Lexington, Kentucky 40503
Office: 272-9851 Residence: 273-6787

September 20, 1982

Hon. James M. Potter
Master, Lexington Lodge #1, F&AM
144 N. Broadway
Lexington, Kentucky

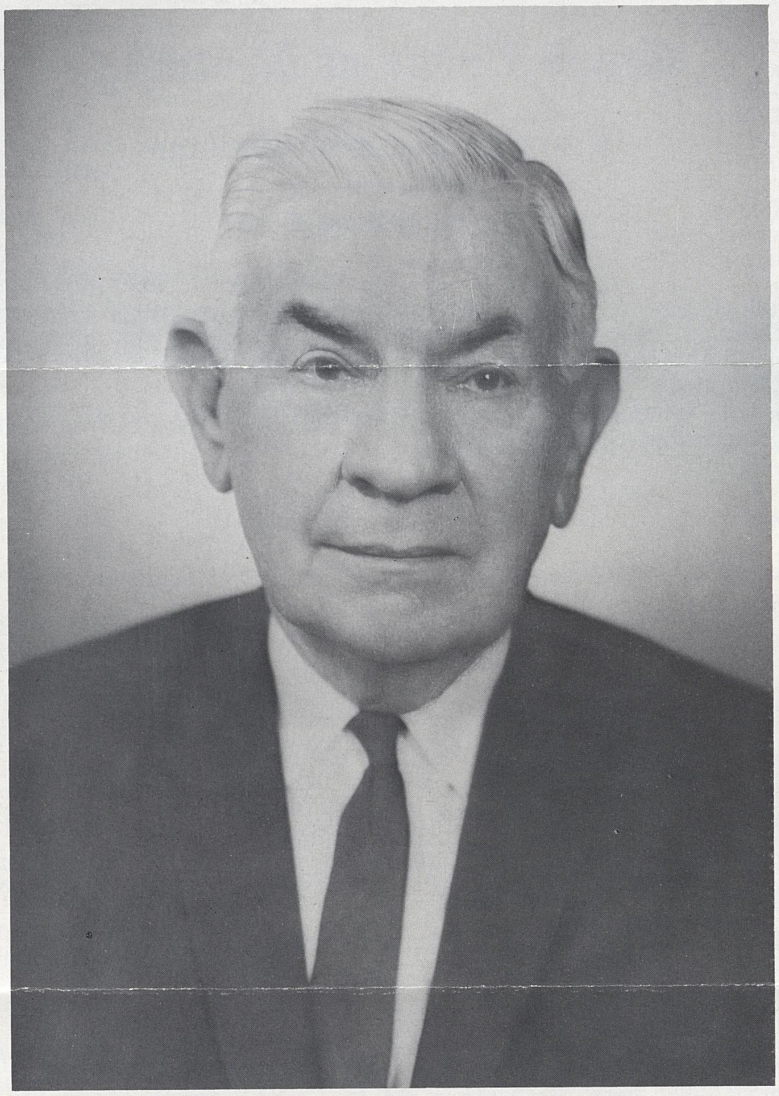
Dear Brother Potter:

It is with the utmost regret that I herewith submit my resignation as Senior Deacon. The press of my personal business combined with the present and anticipated workload associated with my duties as Secretary of the Masonic Temple Association, does not leave me with sufficient time to properly discharge the duties of the office involved. As you are aware, it appears as though the efforts of yourself and your predecessors is bringing the desired results, and I have every reason to believe that we will be acquiring a new building site, and perhaps formulating plans for a new building, by the end of this year. There will undoubtedly be a great deal of work associated with this effort, however, probably more than many of the members anticipate, and I feel that my talents and my efforts would be of more value to the lodge in this area. I have enjoyed working with my brother officers as well as the other members of the lodge and appreciate all of the assistance and encouragement that I have received. You may rest assured that I will continue to attend the meetings and participate in the work and activites of the lodge.

Sincerely,

Chet Care

Chester P. Care



Emile B. Beatty

Born: October 11, 1892 Died: July 27, 1982

Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Kentucky

Free and Accepted Masons

1943-1944

The Most Worshipful
Grand Lodge of Kentucky
Free and Accepted Masons

Office of the Grand Master

Lexington, Kentucky, August 23, 1982

To the Officers and Brethren of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons and its constituent lodges, and to all Masons to whom these presents may come, this sorrowful greeting:

My Dear Brethren:

It is with profound sorrow that I officially announce to you the passing of our beloved Senior Past Grand Master

Emile B. Beatty

who entered upon eternal rest, Tuesday, July 27, 1982 at his home in Beattyville, Kentucky.

The Masonic Service was held in the Newnan Funeral Home, Beattyville, Kentucky at 7 P.M. Friday, July 30, 1982 with the R.˙.W.˙. James B. Elliott, Past Grand Master, The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, presiding.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons was officially represented by M.˙.W.˙. Kenneth C. Morgan, Grand Master, R.˙.W.˙. Marlin White, Deputy Grand Master; R.˙.W.˙. H. Kenneth Farley, Grand Senior Warden; R.˙.W.˙. Harold W. Downard, Grand Junior Warden; R.˙.W.˙. Virgil T. Larimore, Jr., Grand Treasurer; R.˙.W.˙. Joe C. McClanahan, P.G.M., Grand Secretary; R.˙.W.˙. Robert M. Sirkle, M.D., P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. Thomas E. Dicken, P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. Henry B. Noble, P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. Tom Roberts, P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. James B. Elliott, P.G.M.; W.˙. Forrest V. Dean, Grand Senior Deacon; W.˙. Joseph Robert Conway, Grand Marshal and a number of Past Appointed Officers, Past District Deputy Grand Masters and Past Committeemen.

Funeral Services were held in the St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Beattyville, Kentucky at 1 P.M. Saturday, July 31, 1982. The Venerable Lewis O. Tanno and Reverend Canon William D. Smith officiating.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons was officially represented by M.˙.W.˙. Kenneth C. Morgan, Grand Master; R.˙.W.˙. Marlin White, Deputy Grand Master; R.˙.W.˙. H. Kenneth Farley, Grand Senior Warden, R.˙.W.˙. Harold W. Downard, Grand Junior Warden; R.˙.W.˙. Virgil T. Larimore, Jr., Grand Treasurer; R.˙.W.˙. Joe C. McClanahan, P.G.M., Grand Secretary who served as pallberers. R.˙.W.˙. Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. Carroll M. Curtis, P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. Robert M. Wilhite, Jr., P.G.M.; R.˙.W.˙. John E. Moyers, P.G.M. who served as Honorary Pallbearers. W.˙.Joe L. Hamilton, Grand Treasurer Emeritus and W.˙.Joseph Robert Conway, Grand Marshal.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Cornelius, Soloist and Mrs. Charles Beach, Jr., Organist.

Burial was in the Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Kentucky.

Brother Beatty was born in Beattyville, Kentucky on October 11, 1892, the son of Captain James and Josephine C. Beatty. The town of Beattyville, which is the County Seat of Lee County, derived its name from this family, it having been named for his grandfather, Samuel Beatty. On January 20, 1951, Brother Beatty married Genevieve Spurrier of Louisville, Kentucky.

Brother Beatty received his early education in grade and high school in Beattyville and attended Centre College, Danville, Kentucky, where he was a member of the class of 1915. Later he entered the Law School of Washington and Lee University at Lexington, Virginia where he graduated cum laude in June 1920 with the degree of Bachelor of Laws. While in College he was a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity at Washington and Lee University. He was admitted to the Bar in Kentucky the same year. On being admitted to practice law he formed the partnership with his brother, Virgil S. Beatty under the firm name of Beatty and Beatty.

Brother Beatty was an active member of the St. Thomas Episcopal Church at Beattyville and had at different times served as a member of the Vestry.

Brother Beatty's civic activities included: He served on the Beattyville City Council. While a member of the Beattyville Board of Education he proposed the building of the Beattyville Grade School and chiefly through his efforts the plans materialized. This building is now occupied by the Lee County Board of Education. He was a charter member of the Beattyville Kiwanis Club and the only one of that group holding membership in the club at the time of his death. He received the outstanding citizens award issued by the Club in 1963. He served several times as President and later became Lieutenant Governor in the Kentucky-Tennessee District of Kiwanis. He was presented a distinguished service plaque by the Club on the occasion of its Fiftieth Anniversary.

He served many years as Chairman and Secretary of the Lee County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

He served as Chairman of the Lee County sale of War Bonds.

He served for over thirty-five years as Lee County Chairman of the Kentucky Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

He served as Director of the former Lee County Commercial Bank.

He held a Kentucky Colonel Commission.

He served three terms as President of Natural Bridge State Park Association and continued to serve as a member of the Board of Directors.

Brother Beatty's political activities were comprised of: Before attending law school he served as office deputy in the County Clerk's office.

He served as Circuit Judge, Twenty-third Judicial District, 1946-1951 and again 1958-1963.

His father, James M. Beatty, was the first County Attorney of Lee County, assuming office when the County was organized in 1870, serving two terms of four years each. Later Harlin T. Beatty occupied the office for several terms.

Brother Beatty was the third member of his family to serve as County Attorney of Lee County, having served four years, 1974-1977.

County Judge Executive in Lee County Fiscal Court declared January 2, 1978, Emile B. Beatty Appreciation Day, marking his retirement as County Attorney.

MASONIC RECORD: Entered Apprentice, September 9, 1916; Fellow Craft, October 14, 1916; Master Mason, November 11, 1916 in Proctor Lodge No. 213, Beattyville, Kentucky. He was elected Master on December 27, 1918, 1919, 1925 and 1938.

GRAND LODGE: Grand Junior Warden, October 17, 1940; Grand Senior Warden, October 23, 1941; Deputy Grand Master, October 22, 1942; Grand Master, October 21, 1943. He devoted his entire time to the duties of Grand Master.

Brother Beatty was devoted to the welfare of the members of our two Homes. As an indication of his great interest, on the same day and immediately following his installation as Grand Master, his very first official visit was to the children of our Masonic Home. Only a few days later he officially visited the members of the Old Masons' Home and addressed the entire group assembled in the Chapel. As an Official of the Grand Lodge, he was faithful in attending the meetings of the Board of Directors of which he was an ex-officio member of each Home, and his advice and counsel was most beneficial to them.

CHAPTER, R.A.M.: Capitular degrees in Richmond Chapter No. 16 on July 4, 1918. He demitted on March 16, 1937 and affiliated with Irvine Chapter No. 42 on July 16, 1937.

COUNCIL, R.&S.M.: April 11, 1939, he received the Cryptic degrees in Irvine Council No. 92, at Irvine, Kentucky.

COMMANDERY: Richmond Commandery No. 19, Knights Templar at Richmond, Kentucky, he was knighted on August 28, 1919.

SHRINE: Oleika Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. of Lexington, Kentucky, November 25, 1920.

CONSISTORY: Indra Consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite at Covington, Kentucky, member of the Spring Class of 1940, known as John H. Cowles Fiftieth Aniversary Class. On May 1st, 1940 at Covington, Kentucky, he received the Scottish Rite Degrees up to and including the thirtieth, and the 31° and 32° on May 18, 1940 in the Louisville Consistory.

In October, 1969, he received the 33° in ceremonies in Washington, D.C.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR: He was a member and Past Worthy Patron of Beattyville Chapter No. 231, O.E.S. and in the year 1941-1942 he was the Worthy Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Kentucky.

WHITE SHRINE OF JERUSALEM: He was a Charter Member and Past Watchman of Shepherds, Beattyville Shrine and later affiliated with Irvine Shrine No. 9 where he also served as Watchman of Shepherds. May 1945, he was elected and installed Supreme Watchman of Shepherds, the highest position a man can hold in the Order in the United States and Canada.

Brother Beatty is survived by his widow, Genevieve Beatty, seven nephews and three nieces.

FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH.

PALM LEAVES to strew o'er our dead,
Trump notes to grace his last way.
Gems to bedeck the fair head,
Crowned for death's glory to-day;
Weep not midst triumphs like these,
Give him with joy to the tomb;
Wages of promise are his,
Soon shall he rise from its gloom.

Green live the deeds of our friend;
Sweet is his virtue's perfume;
Prayers from his soul did ascend,
Pure as the dewy-washed bloom;
Open his heart as the day,
Prompt to yield Heaven its due;
Strong to give virtue the sway,
Heart-warm his pity, and true.

As a tribute of love and respect for the memory of our departed brother, it is ordered that this memorial be read in each lodge of this Grand Jurisdiction at the next stated communication after its receipt and that it be made a part of the records of the lodge.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Lodge this day and year first above written.

Kenneth C. Morgan
Grand Master

GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY — SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT — A.D. MDCCC — HOLY BIBLE

Attest:

J. C. McClanahan
Grand Secretary

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE October 4, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	Paul D. Hamilton	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Steven J. Olshewsky	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Wayne Williams	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 13 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of Sept. 20, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of KELLY GLENN WOOTEN for Initiation was received from the Committee, along with a Waiver from Hart Lodge #61. Motion made and second that ballot be spread. Motion carried. Result of the ballot KELLY GLENN WOOTEN was elected to receive the three Degrees of Masonry.

REFRESHMENT

7:54 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment.
The Craft then proceeded to Milward Funeral Home, North Broadway, Lexington, Ky.
With Bro. Marvin WHITTON serving as Master, Bro. E.B. Cochran as Sr. Warden, Bro. Franklin H. Stewart as Jr. Warden and Bro. Maynard R. McClain as Chaplain at 8:00 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree. The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro, Thomas J. Porter, Jr., a 50 Year member,,and a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
8:23 P.M. Lodge call from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the F.C. Degree.
8:32 P.M. Lodge Opened in form on the F.C. Degree at the Lodge Hall.

WORK

Bro. John Summersett examined the following Brothers on their F.C. Degree Proficiency.
DONALD TRAVIS BERRY DAVID WILLIAM HULETT LUTHER HUMES
By vote of the Lodge all were declared Proficient.
Bro. Summersett thanked Bro. Jesse W. Hulett and Bro. Frank Rose for their assistance with the class.
9:00 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
9:04 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Birmingham Lodge #44 F.&A.M., Bloomfield Hills, MI., thanking Lexington Lodge #1 for courtesies in conferring the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. J. Robert Perkins, and for ordering flowers.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
~~144 North Broadway~~ P. O. Box ~~608~~
Lexington, Kentucky ~~40586~~

MINUTES

CORRESPONDENCE (Cont'd.)

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. Lewis C. Bush (Deceased)
A letter from the Department for Human Resources asking for gift for patients in Eastern State Hospital.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Charles D. Stambaugh(Petition	$ 150.00
Easley & Nelmes(Emb. for Bros Bush & Shehan)	42.00
Postmaster(500-5¢ Stamps)	25.00
Keystone Printery(Inv. #1421, 22, 23, & 24)	303.03
Gr. Lodge of Ky.(3 Doz. 25 year pins)	144.90
Masonic Home Journal(10 Monitors)	50.00
Stephen B. Westmeyer(Refreshments 10/4/82)	17.20
William L. Clemmons, Jr.(Petition Withdrawn)	100.00
Tazewell Lodge #62(Emb. for Bro. H.D. Harris)	26.00
Carl Music Co.(Rent spotlight-P.M. Dinner)	50.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bros. Johnson and Carter expressed a desire that more attention be given to the Past Masters on Past Masters' Night.
Bro. McCollum announced a D.T. practice Thursday at 7:30 P.M. to prepare for portraying the Legend of the Temple in Simpsonville on Saturday and for Lexington Lodge #1 on Oct. 30th.
The Worshipful Master announced that there would be a called Meeting Oct. 30, 1982 to confer the M.M. Degree upon 3 Bros..

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Thomas Tandy was reported in I.C.U. at Central Baptist Hospital.
Bro. Wayne William's Mother in a hospital in Delaware.
Bro. Thomas J. Porter had deceased.

CLOSING

9:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE October 30, 1982

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Ben Johnson	Chaplain

OPENING

11:00 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 30 others present.

PURPOSE

The Worshipful Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer the sublime Degree of Master Mason upon three brothers.

WORK

Bro. Gary Sparks assumed the East and assisted by Bro. James Potter, S.W., Bro. Edward Aylward, J.W., Bro. Robert Cleary, S.D., Bro. Robert Foster, JP and Bro. Tom Hardigree, S.S. confer the First Section of the M.M. Degree upon the following brothers.

DONALD TRAVIS BERRY DAVID WILLIAM HULETT
LUTHER HUMES

Bro. David William Hulett was raised in short form by his Grandfather, Jesse W. Hulett and his father, Jesse C. Hulett.

Bro. Luther Humes was raised in short form by Bro. Robert E. Cleary and Frank M. Rose.

12:45 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment.

All the Brothers enjoyed and had fellowship over a nice lunch prepared by the Food Committee.

2:00 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

Bro. Donald Travis Berry was raised in long form and the Legend of the Temple was portrayed by the Craft.

Bro. Walter S. Johnston, Chaplain
Bro. Ben Johnson, King Solomon
Bro. Raymond Copenhaver, Hiram/King of Tyre
Bro. Virgil Haycraft, S.D.
Bro. Gary D. Sparks, J.D.
Bro. Frank M. Rose, WFM
Bro. Wesley A. Ramsey, SC
Bro. Ellis L. McCollum, Marshall
Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer, J--A
Bro. Gary Walls, J--O
Bro. Edward B. Aylward, J--M
Bro. Reed Harris, Jr., Abra.
Bro. William Coulter, Benj.
Bro. Charles Dietrich, Bels.
Bro. John Summersett, Zeph.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
~~141 North Broadway~~ P. O. Box ~~688~~
Lexington, Kentucky ~~40586~~

MINUTES

(Minutes of October 30, 1982 continued)

WORK (Cont'd.)

Bro. Joel Baumgardner, Zebu.
Bro. Ralph Carter, RM
Assisted by the following Fellow Craft.
Bro. George Gill Bro. Robert Foster
Bro. Steve Matzek of Linden Lodge #960
Bro. Carrol Barkley of Scott Lodge #702
Bro. Reed Harris also did the Watchman on the Temple.
Bro. Walter Johnston gave the M.M. Charge and the Tiler's Oath.
The Worshipful Master thanked all for a job well done.

Visitors

We had six visitors from Kentucky Lodges and three from Ohio Lodges, who were welcome and invited to speak. All expressed appreciation for the courtesies afforded them. The Master invited them back to any and all of our meetings.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. James L. Redwine was reported in St. Joseph Hospital.
Bro. Ralph Carter asked all to drop by and see Bro. Joe Holleran, P.M., who is ill at home.

CLOSING

4:05 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter
James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Potter
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 1, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 14 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of October 4th. & 30th. 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of HENRY McDANIEL DOWNING for Affiliation along with the Petitions of GARY DALE HOGUE and JAMES WALTER LEWIS for Initiation were received and Comittees appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Jesse W. Hulett stating that he had lost his dues card and requested a duplicate.
A letter from Larry J. Hopkins regretting his inablity to attend Past Masters' Dinner but sent regards to those who had served the Lodge.
A note from Mrs. (sadie) D.H. Lloyd thanking the Lodge for the courtesies extended to Bro. D.H. "Pat" Lloyd, our Senior Past Master present at Past Masters' Dinner and her.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Saga Caterers (Past Masters' Dinner)	$ 876.65
Second National Bank (Purchase CD)	10,000.00
Easley & Nelmes (Emb. for Bros. Wilson, Porter and Paritz - P.M.D. Centerpiece)	94.50
Stephen B. Westmeyer (Refreshments 11/1/82	19.11
Stephen B. Westmeyer (Replace Refreshments stolen 11/1/82)	7.21

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Worshipful Master presented the Lodge with an attendance Plaque from the Grand Lodge.
The Worshipful Master gave a report on the 183rd. Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M., which will be made a part of the MINUTES.
Motion Made and second;;That the Lodge pay the increased assessment on each member for 1983. And that each member be billed to repay the Lodge for the two dollar increase on his 1984 Dues. Motion carried, with only one decending vote by Bro. Ralph Carter.

VISITORS

DEVOTION LODGE #160

Bro. Joe Alexander was recognized and welcomed

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

~~144 North Broadway~~ P. O. Box ~~588~~

Lexington, Kentucky ~~40586~~

MINUTES

(Minutes of November 1, 1982 continued)

SICK AND DISTRESS — Bro. Walter S. Johnston announced that Bro. Leonard J. Desmond was ill at home and asked the brothers to go by to visit.

CLOSING — 9:08 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patton

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 8, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. Rambo, P.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Otho F. Ward, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	7:59 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Gordon R. Swanson, a member of Lexington Lodge # 1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M), Secretary

Doyle G. Rambo

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 15, 1982

Called MEETING	_____ Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.W. Master	_____ Secretary
Maynard R. McClain, P.M. Senior Warden	_____ Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M. Junior Warden	_____ Junior Steward
_____ Senior Deacon	_____ Tiler
_____ Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston Chaplain

OPENING

1:55 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Bluegrass Memorial Gardens in Jessamine Co., Ky.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.

WORK

The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Lawrence Charles Dickinson, a member of Orient Lodge #500 F.&A.M. at Headquarters, Ky., as a courtesy to Orient Lodge #500 F.&A.M.

REFRESHMENT

2:55 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the M.M. Degree at the Stated Meeting of the Lodge at the Lodge Hall at 7:30 P.M., the same day. (Nov. 15, 1982)

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 15, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Paul D. Hamilton	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
James S. Olshewsky	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

REFRESHMENT

7:30 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree. The Master explained that due to a courtesy funeral the Lodge had been Opened earlier and called to Refreshment.

MINUTES

Minutes of November 1, and 8, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petitions of VERNON EDWARD PRESTON and MICHAEL EUGENE GULLETT were received and Committees appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Bro. Shelt Manning thanking Bro. Cleary for visiting the Manning family in Prospect, Ky., and the Lodge for helping him locate some old friends.
A letter from Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 stating that the Petition of MICHAEL A. HAYES, 2900 Yellowstone Pkwy for Initiation had been rejected.
Note of Appreciation from the families of Bro. George Paritz and Bro. Thomas J. Porter, Jr. for florial emblems sent to the funeral home.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Letter Shop(New slugs, correction 7 deletions)	$ 16.64
Lafayette Studio(Pictures of P.M. O'Neal & Potter)	22.05
Old Masons' Home(Memorial to Bro. Swanson)	25.00
Adver-Tex(Calendars for 1983)	96.26
Stephen B. Westmeyer(Refreshments 11/15/82)	16.84
James M. Potter(Gift from Lodge for service)	200.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Secretary announced that Bro. Henry M. Downing had withdrawn his Petition for Affiliation.
Motion made and second to give the customary gift of $200.00 to Bro. James M. Potter for serving as Master of Lexington Lodge #1 from 12/21/81 to 12/27/82.
Bro. Sparks announced that the Officers and Degree Team Dinner would be held Thursday, December 2, 1982 at Columbia's Steak House. At approimately 6:30 P.M.
Bro. McCollum announced that a team of Lexington Lodge #1 had won the Blue Lodge Open for a consecutive win.

SICK AND DISTRESS

BRO. SECRETARY announced the passing of Bro. Gordon R. Swanson and Bro. Joseph K. West.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

~~141 North Broadway~~ P. O. Box ~~698~~

Lexington, Kentucky ~~40586~~

MINUTES

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WORK — Bro. John Summersett examined the following brothers on their Proficiency on the M.M. Degree.
Bro. Donald Travis Berry Bro. David William Hulett
Bro. Luther Humes
By a vote of the Lodge all were declared Proficient.
Bro. Hulett thanked the Lodge and the brothers for helping.
Bro. Berry thanked all especially the Lectures.

CLOSING — 8:25 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Gary D. Sparks

Gary D. Sparks, Acting Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 18, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	12:00 Noon Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Bluegrass Memorial Gardens in Jessamine Co., Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Joseph Karr West, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	12:30 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE Dec. 3, 1982

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	7:23 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Aaron Smith Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Victor H. Skidmore, Jr., a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	7:50 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Marvin Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 6, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Junior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Raymond F. Lee, Jr.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 20 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of November 15th. and 18th., 1982, along with Minutes of December 3, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of WILLIAM FRANK JAMES, JR., JAMES ALEXANDER KOMARA, and ARCH GLASS MAINOUS for Initiation were received and Committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of JAMES WALTER LEWIS for Initiation was received from the Committee and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot JAMES WALTER LEWIS was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

REPORT FROM SELECT COMMITTEE

Bro. Aylward informed the Lodge that the Committee, appointed to assist Mrs. Nettiie E. Griffis in obtaining admission to the Masonic Home of Florida, had been slowed by her stay in the Hospital. But Bro. Aylward informed us that not all was lost because in the mean time both son had agreed upon Mrs. Griffis going to the Home. Bro. Aylward also informed us that Mrs. Griffis would be released from the hospital on Monday.

CORRESPONDENCE

A Holiday Season wish from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.
A letter of thanks from the Grand Lodge of Florida for the assistance given Mrs. Griffis in filing form for admitance to the Masonic Home.
A letter from Mrs. Frances Quinn stating that Bro. William O. Quinn suffered a massive coronary in 1975, a massive stroke in 1977, then he fell in 1982 braking his hip and had to have a prosthesis, he now requires 24 hour nursing.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

James H. Baxter(Suitcase for Funeral Committee)	$ 20.97
Columbia Steak House(Master's Appreciation Dinner)	214.50
Joe Jackson(Picture at P.M. Dinner)	75.00
Easley & Nelmes(Emb. for Bro. Joseph K. West)	21.00
C. Thomas Hardigree(EA Lecturing)	100.00
John Summersett(FC & MM Lecturing)	200.00
George Gill, Jr.(Tiler's salary)	50.00
Whitfield Tandy(Treasurer's salary)	5.00
James H. Baxter(Secretary's Office Expenses)	360.00

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BILLS (Cont'd.)

Pantagraph Printing & Stationery Co.
(2 Copies-1983 List of Masonic Lodges) $ 9.50
Stephen B. Westmeyer(Refreshments 12/06/82) 16.12

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Walter Johnston announced that there would be a Royal Arch Widows' Degree conferred Dec. 10, 1982.
Bro. Gary Sparks reminded all of the Election of Officers to be held in the Eastern Star Room on December 27, 1982.
Bro. Ted Walter a Representative to the M.T.A. invited all to the Meeting of the M.T.A. on the 2nd. Wednesday of the Month. He also announced that Kentucky Utilities Co. wish to purchase about one acre of land for a substation and ask for 30 feet across the front of property and 30 feet down the westside of the property to be condemned for high tension service. All of this property discussed is on Richmond Road.
The Worshipful Master reminded all to get Petitions in by December 20, 1982 to be elgible for February Class.
The Worshipful Master presented Bro. Donald Travis Berry with his Master Mason Degree Proficiency Certificate from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

VISITORS

Bro. Myron Combs of Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M. was recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESSED

Bro. William O. Quinn was reported ill at home. Bro. Robert B. Horine was reported ill in Room 416 at St Joseph Hospital Bro. Richard L. Baxter is to have cataract surgery tomorrow morning.
Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. Ben Miller, Bro. Artur A. Tuttle, and Bro. Victor H. Skidmore, Jr. since our last meeting.

CLOSING

8:25 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

James M Patton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 20, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Wayne Williams	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Raymond Copenhaver	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Steven J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 11 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 6, 1982 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of JOHN RENNIE BRYDEN and CHARLES THOMAS SNAPP for Affiliation were received and Committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petitions of MICHAEL EUGENE GULLETT, GARY DALE HOGUE, VERNON EDWARD PRESTON, and CHARLES CULLIE SHELY for Initiation were received from the Committees and the ballot spread. The result of the ballot, all were elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Bro. Secretary read the Application for the Old Masons' Home, presented by the Committee, on behalf of Bro. SILAS BOOTHE TURNER and his wife, SARAH ELLEN TURNER.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note from Bro. Richard Baxter thanking the members for their concern and prayers during his recent eye surgery.
A Christmas Card from the Old Masons' Home and the Widows' and Orphans' Home.
A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. Victor H. Skidmore, Jr.. (Deceased)
A letter from Mrs. William O. Quinn thanking the Lodge for their concern and the assistance offered Bro. Quinn and his family.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Postmaster (500-5¢ Stamps)	$ 25.00
Hurst (Inv. #119914 Ledger & Sheets, 2 rolls scotch tape, 100 - 6"X9" Manila Envelopes) w/Credit	41.59
C. Robert Foster (Refreshments for 12/20/82)	12.25
Old Masons' Home (Christmas Gifts for residents)	50.00
Masonic Widows' & Orphans' Home (Christmas Gifts for residents)	50.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Chester P. Care and Bro. James D. Robertson, Representatives of Lexington Lodge #1 to the Masonic Temple Association., brought us up to date on the workings of the M.T.A.. They informed us that there had been three appraisells on the property at 144 N. B"way and that the property was up

GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

for sale, and therefore did not want to give long term leases. Bro. Care also announced that the Annual Meeting of Stockholders would be held on the second Wednesday in January. They also asked the Lodge on their feeling of holding winter Meetings on the first floor.
Motion made and second to reject the proposal of meeting on the first floor during the winter. Motion carried.
Bro. Sparks announced that Bro. Potter was absent due to the passing of his wife's Grandmother.
Bro. Sparks had worked up a report on age of membership and showed why it was necessary to have the Lodge on the ground level or have lifting devices to assist the older members in attending the meetings.
Bro. Sparks also called our attention to the season of the year a time for both Christian and Hebrew Holidays, but he warned us not to forget the real reason for these festivities. He reminded us by living clean and upright morals, that our light would shine, thus setting a good example that others would see and want to join us in our endeavors.
Bro. KAY THOMAS HUKILL having paid all indebtness to the Lodge is in goodstanding.

VISITORS

Recognized and welcomed was Bro. Leonard Coner, Senior Warden of Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M., also recognized and welcomed was Bro. Charles Thomas Snapp a Member of Williamsburg Lodge #490 F.&A.M.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. Herman Allen Thompson on December 16, 1982. Bro. Thompson was given a courtesy Masonic Funeral by the Craft of Parkersville Lodge #484 at Morgan Funeral Home in Princeton, Ky., on December 17, 1982.

CLOSING

9:05 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary

Acting Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 27, 1982

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
James M. Potter	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Gary D. Sparks	Senior Warden	C. Robert Foster	Senior Steward
Richard W. Russell, P.M.	Junior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Deacon	George Gill, Jr.	Tiler
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 27 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 20, 1982 were read and approved as read.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

James H. Baxter (Secretary,s salary)	$ 1836.00
Frederick J. Kerestesy(Overpayment of dues refund)	23.00
Easley & Nelmes(Emb's. for Bros. Loomis, Tuttle, Skidmore and Miller.)	84.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Chester Care gave a written announcement of the Stock-holders' Annual Meeting of the Masonic Temple Association Inc. to be held January 12, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. in the Masonic Temple, 144 N. Broadway.

The Worshipful Master gave his Out-Going Speech, which is to be made a part of the Minutes.

The Master appointed Bro. Raymond L. O'Neal, P.M., Bro. Joseph E. Holleran, Sr., P.M., Bro. Whitfield Tandy, P.M., and Bro. Reed Harris to serve as Tellers for the Annual Election of Officers of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

After due process the following Brothers were elected.

Bro. Gary D. Sparks, Master
Bro. Edward B. Aylward, Senior Warden
Bro. Robert E. Cleary, Junior Warden
Bro. Whitfield Tandy, Treasurer
Bro. Frank M. Rose, Jr., Secretary
Bro. Ralph Carter, Tiler
Bro. Virgil Haycraft, Jr., 2 Year Representative to M.T.A.
Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M., " " " "
Bro. Chester P. Care " " " "
Bro. James M. Potter, P.M. 1 Year " " "

The following will be serving the final year of their 2 Year term.

Bro. James D. Robertson
Bro. Theodore Walter
And Ellis McCollum

The Master turned the Gavel over to the Installing Officer, Bro. Carroll M. Curtis, Right Worshipful Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M., assisted by Bro. James Lovell, Past D.D.G.M. of District #23.

All Officers were proclaimed Installed.

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(Minutes of December 27, 1982 continued)

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Curtis thanked the Lodge and Bro. Sparks for allowing him to install the new Officers.
The newly installed Master, Bro. Gary D. Sparks gave his incoming speech which will be made a part of the Minutes. His theme for the year is Lexington Lodge #1 on the move.
Bro. Sparks presented Bro. Potter with a watch and a plaque for his gavel as a gift from the Lodge for his service.

VISITORS

The following Brothers were recognized and welcomed.
Bro. James Lovell, Monticello Lodge #431
Bro. Charles Snapp, Williamsburg Lodge #490
Bro. Thomas Master, Hart Lodge #61
Bro. Carroll Curtis, Mt. Olivet Lodge #291

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Cleary announced the passing of Bro. Henry H. Loomis, an example for all Masons to follow. He was loving, caring and continually helped others.

CLOSING

9:49 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary
(Out Going)

James M Potter

James M. Potter (Out Going Master)

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose, Jr., Secretary
(In Coming)

Gary D. Sparks

Gary D. Sparks (In Coming Master)

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
144 North Broadway P. O. Box 608
Lexington, Kentucky 40586

December 27, 1982

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MY BROTHERS,

IT IS INDEED A PRIVILEDGE AND AN HONOR TO BE SITTING IN THE EAST IN LEXINGTON LODGE #1; AND TO SERVE YOU, THE CRAFT, AS MASTER FOR THE YEAR 1983. SO VERY FEW HAVE BEEN ALLOWED TO SIT HERE IN OUR 195 YR. HISTORY, AND I HUMBLY THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING ME TO JOIN THEIR NUMBER.

I WILL TAKE THIS TIME TO THANK A NUMBER OF PEOPLE FOR THEIR HELP AND TRUST. FIRST, I WOULD THANK MY WIFE, KATHLEEN, WHO HAS BEEN SO THOUGHTFUL AND UNSELFISH. FOR 6 YEARS SHE HAS HAD TO PLAN THINGS AROUND THE 1ST AND 3RD MONDAYS OF EACH MONTH. AND WHEN I HAVE FACED ADVERSITY AND HAD MY DOUBTS, SHE HAS ALWAYS STOOD BESIDE ME AND GIVEN WISE COUNSEL.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK PAST MASTER JOSEPH HOLLERAN, WHO HAD THE TRUST IN ME TO PUT ME IN THE CHAIRS. I SINCERELY HOPE TO SERVE IN A MANNER IN WHICH HE WILL FEEL THAT THAT TRUST HAS NOT BEEN BETRAYED.

I WANT TO THANK OUR PAST SECRETARY, JAMES H. BAXTER. HIS CAREFUL ATTENTION TO DETAIL AND EFFICIENCY HAS INSPIRED ME THUS FAR. I NOW LOOK TO A BRIGHT FUTURE IN THE YEAR TO COME WITH OUR NEW SECRETARY, FRANK ROSE, AND I AM SURE THAT HE WILL SERVE ME AND THE LODGE WELL.

I THANK THE MEMORY OF MY FATHER, CECIL B. SPARKS. THE LODGE MEANT EVERYTHING TO DADDY. HE SET AN EXAMPLE THAT FOSTERED A THIRST FOR KNOWLEDGE, AND I AM GLAD THAT I ASKED TO BE A PART OF HIS FRATERNITY.

I WANT TO THANK MY INSTALLING OFFICERS, PAST GRAND MASTER CARROLL M. CURTIS AND BROTHER JAMES LOVELL. YOU HAVE BEEN GOOD FRIENDS OF MY FAMILY

FOR MANY YEARS AND I THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE TONIGHT AND DOING THIS WORK FOR ME.

I WANT TO THANK THE NEWEST PAST MASTER, JAMES M. POTTER. YOUR ADVICE AND TRUST IN ME HAS BUILT A NEW LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE IN ME, AND FOR THIS I AM GRATEFUL.

I WANT TO THANK THE LINE THAT WILL SERVE THIS YEAR. I'VE NEVER ASKED FOR HELP THAT I DIDN'T RECEIVE IT, AND I LOOK FORWARD TO THIS YEAR WITH YOU.

MY BROTHERS, I ALSO WANT US TO REMEMBER HIM, WHO SITS ON HIGH, THE GRAND ARCHITECT OF THE UNIVERSE. IT IS ONLY HIS WILL THAT ALLOWS ANY OF US TO HAVE LIFE, HAPPINESS. AND THE WILL TO DO BETTER.

I HAVE SELECTED A THEME FOR THE COMING YEAR THAT I PRAY THE LODGE CAN LIVE UP TO. THAT THEME IS:

"Lexington Lodge #1: A Lodge on the Move."

I WANT US FIRST TO WORK FOR AN INCREASE IN MEMBERSHIP. THAT INCREASE CAN ONLY COME ABOUT IF WE SET AN EXAMPLE THAT OTHERS WILL WANT TO EMULATE.

SECONDLY, I WANT TO SEE US IN ANOTHER LODGE HALL ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF TOWN, WHICH IS THE EXPRESSED WILL OF THE CRAFT IN A RECENT QUESTIONAIRE. I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH THE MASONIC TEMPLE ASSOCIATION, AND OUR OWN LEXINGTON LODGE #1 BUILDING COMMITTEE TO ACHIEVE THIS END.

I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO SEE US MOVE TOWARD BETTER ATTENDANCE AT OUR STATED COMMUNICATIONS. I HAVE SOME PLANS FOR THIS INCLUDING A CALL PROGRAM, AND PERHAPS A COUPLE OF POT-LUCK SUPPERS TO INCLUDE OUR FAMILIES.

MY BROTHERS, I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO A BRIGHT FUTURE IN MASONRY, AND I ONLY ASK THAT YOU SHARE MY DREAM TO SEE

"Lexington Lodge #1: A Lodge on the Move."

Gary D. Sparks

submitted to minutes
of the lodge for 12/27/82

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 3, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose, Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Jim Potter	Junior Warden	Wayne Williams	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Stephen J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 11 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 27, 1982 were read and were approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petition of ARCH GLASS MAINOUS III, for Initiation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: he was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

Seasons Greeting card received from The Old Mason's Home and The Masonic Widows and Orphans Home. Donation received from Mr. Howard S. Maney in the amount of $100.00 for the building fund. Mr. Maney resides in Alexander, Virginia.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid: James H. Baxter $3.55 for postage due, and Wayne Williams $17.94 for Refreshments and Supplies.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

A Motion was made and accepted that the following brothers' deliquent in their dues be remitted due to sickness and hardship:
FOUNTAIN DABNEY MAUPIN, SAMUEL TAYLOR SWARTZ, WILLIAM RAYMOND SAUNIER, and WILLIAM MILTON UNDERWOOD.

A list of 46 brothers who were indebted to the lodge for the amount of two years dues were read and a registered letter was sent to each of these brothers to inform them of their deliquency.

W.M. Gary Sparks made a request for the whereabouts and the gathering of all past minutes and requested that these minutes be brought back to the Lodge and put in one location. He also announced that six weeks from now he will name a larger committee than in

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GOOD OF THE ORDER

previous years to act on the building or relocating of a new Lodge temple.

Brother Edward B. Aylward, Senior Warden, assisted by Brother Robert C. Foster, presented the W.M. with his new gavel, which was immediately tried out by our W.M., Gary Sparks.

A message from W.M. Gary Sparks, requesting from the fellow brothers remembrance in prayers for the people in Louisana who have been flooded out of their homes.

Stephen Westmeyer requested information from the W.M. in regards to changes in the degree team. The W.M. stated that there will not be any changes in the degree team.

Before closing the W.M., Gary Sparks, met with the newly elected officiers at the alter where they repeated, after him, the M.M. obligation.

VISITORS

The following Brother was recognized and welcomed: Brother Charles Snapp, Williamsburg Lodge # 490

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Brother Jim Potter reminded everyone of Richard, son of Brother Jim Baxter, who recently underwent eye surgery.

CLOSING

8:40 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Gary D. Sparks

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 17, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Wayne Williams	Junior Steward
Richard Russell	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Steven J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

Opening

7:30 P.M. Lodge open in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 9 others present.

Minutes

Minutes of January 3, 1983 were read and were approved as read.

Petitions To Be Acted Upon

The petition of James Alexander Komara for initiation and the petition of Brother Charles T. Snapp was received from (AFFILIATION) the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Brother Snapp was elected to be received as a member of our lodge and James A. Komara was elected to receive the three Degrees of Masonry

Report of Select Committees

Brother Aylward anounced reservations have been made for previlion #3 Shilleto Park, for our family Fish Fry on August13 Brother Aylward also made a motion to purchace a$10,000.oo C.D. from our lodge checking account. Motion was approved by our lodge.

Correspondence

Two applications for the Old Masons Home were read as being approved for the second and final time, on behalf of Brother Silas Boothe Turner and his wife Sarah Ellen Turner.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid: Frank Rose $42.25 for postage for registered letters and for paying Brother Joe Jackson for photography expences. Brother Wayne Williams $8.29 for refreshments. $15.00 to Fayette Co. Parks and recreations for rental for Shillito #3 previlion,and Brother Robert Foster $11.03 for keys for our lodge.

Good Of The Order

A motion was made and excepted that Brother George Ernest Umsteads dues for 1982 be remitted due to hardships.

A list of 22 Brothers who were indebted to the lodge for the amount of two years dues , were read for the second time.

Brother Robert Foster made a motion that a coffee pot be purchased by and for the lodge. This motion was excepted and Brother Foster was appointed by the W.M. Gary Sparks to purchase the coffee pot.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

Minutes January 17, 1983
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Good Of The Order

Brother Williams requested a verbal report from someone who had attended the Masonic Temple Association Meeting. W.M. Sparks answered the request and discussed the highlights of the meeting.

Brother Stewart requested that each lodge member remember the high cost of utilities and try to keep expenses down. The Brothers agreed with the request.

The W.M. turned the meeting over to D.D. G.M. Robbie Mulcahy, who explained his visit was unofficial, however, he had some official questions. He also announced a district meeting at the Jessamine Co. High School on April, 21 and invited all Brothers to attend.

The W.M. announced the education committee will become the responsibility of the Trustees and the W.M. He also announced even though in the previous meeting he stated there would be no changes in the Degree Team, that a change had been made. He explained Bro. Ellis felt, because of health and fatigue, he would rather the Master find someone else. However, if someone else was not found he would be willing to do the job. Brother Richard Russell was appointed as Degree Team Director.

Futher appointments made by the W.M. were: Assistent Secretary Raymond Lee, Food Committee- Luther Humes and Photographer Hugo Fuller.

Sickness & Distress

The following Brothers were mentioned as sick: Bro. Ora Hamilton, Bro. Ellis McCollum, and Bro. George Gill.

Before the closing the W.M. read a scripture from the Book of Psalms.

Closing

9:00 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 2,1983

Called Meeting

Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M. W. Master

Maynard R. McClain, P.M. Senior Warden

Franklin H. Stewart, P.M. Junior Warden

_____ Senior Deacon

_____ Junior Deacon

_____ Treasurer

_____ Secretary

_____ Senior Steward

_____ Junior Steward

_____ Tiler

Walter S. Johnston Chaplain

Opening	1:55 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at the Bluegrass Memorial Gardens, Harrodsburg Rd. Lexington, Kentucky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Harvey G. Trammell, a member of Lexington, Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	2:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 2, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening	7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home, in Lexington Ky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Ben Frank Lewis, a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	7:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton
Master

THE GRAND LODGE of KENTUCKY, F. & A. M.

M.˙.W.˙.Marlin White, Grand Master

District No. 25

Deputy's name (Please print)

I visited _____ Lodge No. 1, Town of _____ County of _____

on _____, _____ 1983, and submit the following report: Total membership to date? 1224

Total Present? 20 Past Masters present? 5 50 year members present? _____ 40 year members present? 1 25 year members present? 1 2 years or less present? 6. How many of those members less than two years are officers in the Lodge? 4.

Regular Officers Present (Circle) W.M., S.W., J.W., Treas., Secy., S.D., J.D., S.S., J.S., Tiler, Chap.

(State): The lodge whose Master has all eleven (11) officers, as set by Section 72 of the Constitution, plus five (5) members present at the District Meeting will receive an award. Make up will be allowed.

Number of stated meetings during the calendar year 1982. _____

Was Lodge represented at the last District Meeting? _____

Is the lodge using the Masonic Educational material provided by Grand Lodge? _____

Does the lodge have a Masonic Educational Committee? _____. If no, why not? BEFORE _____

_____

Does the lodge have an up-to-date Book of Constitutions in the lodge room? _____.

If not urge them to do so.

Does the Secretary send monthly report in by the 10th of the following month? _____.

If not, why? _____

Does the Master hold his proficiency card? _____ Does the S.W.? _____ J.W.? _____ (Section 76.)

When does the Secretary mail dues notices? SEPT. _____. When does the lodge suspend delinquent members? 2ND Mtg IN FEB. Does Secretary use the suspension forms? (See sample, Constitution, p. 169).

The Grand Master is requesting a list of all members up for suspension, as he wants to write them a personal letter. These lists need to be sent three months before the date of suspension. Do not send the names of those of whom you do not have a correct address. Personal contact by the Master or Secretary is the best way to collect dues.

(State): (Master and Secretary, are you aware that the annual return **must** be mailed as soon as possible after its reception? Also, the remittance for Grand Lodge dues and assessments **must** be in the Grand Secretary's office on or before September 1st to avoid penalty of $1.00 per day for each delinquency.) (Sec. 139).

Master, are you aware that you must attend the District Meeting in your District? (Sec. 83 (7)).

Does the Secretary and/or Treasurer give a regular financial report to the lodge? _____.

Is a complete audit given and made a part of the minutes? _____. (Sec. 137) District Deputy read Sec. 137 to Lodge).

How many present have visited the M. W. & O. Home? _____ The Old Masons' Home? _____.

Does the Lodge know the proper procedure for admitting members to the Homes?

Does the Lodge have recommendations on subjects and methods for conducting District Meetings? If so use back of this report.

For the District Deputy:

Does peace and harmony reign within the Lodge? _____

Did the lodge have any suggestions or recommendations to make to the Grand Lodge for the good of the order? If yes, use back of this report form.

(District Deputy encourage comments.)

Lodge's Copy

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 7, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Joseph S. Hager	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Steven B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Wayne N. Williams	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Steven J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

Opening

7:30 P.M. Lodge open in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 32 members present.

Petitions To Be Acted Upon

The petition of William Frank James Jr. for Initiation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. William Frank James was elected to receive the Three Degree of Masonry.

Minutes

Minutes of January 17, 1983 were read, corrected and approved after correction.

Petitions To Be Received

The petitions of Jesse Wilburn Stanley and Tony Lee Metcalf for Initiation and the Petition of Kenneth L. Baker and Kenneth Marion Jones for Reinstatement were received and committees appointed.

Correspondence

Communication from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M. asking each lodge to bring a question, in writing, relating to Masonry to the Distric Meeting on April 21 at Jessamine Co. High School.

A letter from Plumb Lodge No. 862 F.& A.M., requesting a courtesy investigation of Wayne C. Parker for Reinstatement to their lodge.

A letter from the Law Firm of Harbison, Kessinger, Lisle, and Bush, stating that Lexington Lodge No. 1 F. & A.M. is listed as one of the beneficiaries in the Will of Jeanette Sasher Taylor.

A letter of Demit and the return of dues from Williamsburg Lodge No. 490 F.& A.M. to our newly elected member, Bro. Charles Snapp.

M. W. & O. Home acknowledged the donation of 25.00 in memory of Bro. George Lee Langston a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.

Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children acknowledged the donation of $25,00 in memory of Bro. Robert L. Sanders a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.& A.M.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
P. O. Box 8096
Lexington, Kentucky 40533

(Minutes of February 7, 1983 continued)

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid

Bowling Green Lodge # 73 (Emb. for Bro. J.C. Adams)	$21.00
M.W.&O. Home (Memory of Bro. George L. Langston)	$25.00
O.M. Home (Memory of Bro. Sherman C. Jones)	$25.00
Shrine Hospital (Memory of Bro. R. L. Sanders)	$25.00
William M. Batsel (1982 & 1983 Audit of Lodge books)	$500.00
Frank Rose (400-5¢ Stamps)	$20.00
Wayne Williams (Refreshments Feb. 7 Meeting)	$19.18
The Letter Shop (Change of Address Plates)	$11.97

Good of The Order

Names of our Delinquent Bro. were read for the third time. Copy attached to Minutes.

Tribute was paid to the memory of six deceased Brothers

Sherman C. Jones	1907	M.M. 1-9-1929
James Coleman Adams	1910	M.M. 2-2-1948
George L. Langston	1942	M.M. 3-4-1974
Robert L. Sanders	1900	M.M. 2-7-1927
Ben Frank Lewis	1900	M.M. 10-4-1948
Harvey G. Trammell	1925	M.M. 7-27-1963

Bro. Secretary mentioned the 1982 audit has been completed and is being reviewed by the ~~Trustees~~ FINANCE COMMITTEE of our Lodge. gdr

Brother Secretary mentioned, Bro. Thomas Tandy passed away the morning of Feb. 7, 1983.

Visitors

The following visitors were reconized.

Eugene Stanford #160 F.& A.M.
Alex Leslie # F.& A.M.
Bob Patton Paris #2 F.& A.M.
Mark Patton Paris #2 F.& A.M.

Work

8:30 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.

8:38 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Lodge called at ease so the officers conferring the work might assume their stations.
The work was put on in a superb and honorable fashion with Bro. Tom Hardigree serving in the East, assisted by Bro. Edward B. Aylward S.W., Bro. Robert E. Cleary J.W. and Bro. Robert C. Foster S.D.
Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer gave the E,A. Charge.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
P. O. Box 8096
Lexington, Kentucky 40533

(Minutes of February 7, 1983 continued)

Work — The E.A. Degree was conferred on the following.

Michael Eugene Gullett	Arch Glass Mainous III
Gary Dale Hogue	Vernon Edward Preston
William Frank James Jr.	Charles Cullie Shely
James Alexander Komara	Kelly Glenn Wooten
James Walter Lewis	

10:20 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.

10:23 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
W.M. Gary Sparks complimented the work as being one of the best he has ever seen.

Closing — 10:33 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Gary D Sparks
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 9, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening	7:50 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Thomas Gibson Tandy, a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	8:16 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 16, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening	7:50 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother William Andrews Saunders, a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 21, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose, Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Steven B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Richard W. Russell P.M.	Junior Warden	Wayne N. Williams	Junior Steward
Roy Copenhaven	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Steven J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M.Degree with the above stated officers and 11 members present.

MINUTES

Minutes of February 7, 1983 were read, corrected and approved after correction.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petition of Brother John Rennie Bryden for Affiliation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. Brother John R. Bryden was elected to be received as a member of our lodge.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Brother Ed Aylward read and discussed the Audited Financial Statements for 1982, which are attached to the Minutes.

CORRESPONDENCE

The W.M. read a letter from Brother Thomas Hadden concerning his hardships and what he felt to be an injustice on the part of the lodge concerning the manner in which suspension notices are handled for delinquent Dues.

A financial statement for 1982 was received from the M.T.A. with an enclosed Distribution Check in the amount of $522.74 payable to Lexington Lodge # 1 F. & A.M.

A letter from Brother Chester Care, secretary of the M.T.A., requesting that our lodge provide a list of additional fixtures to be excluded from the sale of the Temple, and a list of the Brothers who are in the Real Estate business.

A letter was received from the O.M.H. stating the acceptance of Brother and Mrs. Silas B. Turner. Brother Baxter was assigned to oversee their admissions.

A notice from Wilmore Lodge #922 stating Brother Mark Sharff was accepted as a Dual Member on January 13, 1983.

The O.M.H. acknowledged the donation of $25.00 in memory of Brother Sherman C. Jones.

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

Minutes

(Minutes of February 21, 1983 continued)

Correspond (continued) — Notes of appreciation were received from the following families of deceased Brothers : George Lee Langston, John Coleman Adams, Ben Frank Lewis, Thomas G. Tandy, and Harvey Trummell.

Bills — The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Keystone Printing CO.(Letter Head & Bus. Cd.)-	$118.44
Post Master (Rent-Box 8096)	$26.00
Wayne Williams (Refreshments)	$13.56
Steven Westmeyer (Keys for Lodge)	$15.59
Robert Foster (Coffee Pot)	$65.98

Unfinisned Business — Nine Brothers did not answer their summons and were suspended for non-payment of dues. The names of these Brothers are attached to the minutes.

Good of The Order — Brother Foster suggested that we create some type of project to make money for the Lodge. Among the suggestions were a garage sale, Chili Dinner, and doing our own cooking for our annual Fish Fry. No motions were made on any of the suggestions.

The W.M. reminded everyone to submit, in writing, to the secretary, any questions pertaining to masonry that could be discussed at the District Meeting.

Brother Steve Olshewsky stated we need a history and artifact display. The W.M. responded, stating the existence of such a display in the M.W. & O. Home and adding that we have our own libary with our Masonic history.

The W.M. announced there will be a pot luck supper the second meeting in April - April 18 - for the Brothers and their families.

The W.M. assigned Brother ~~Walter Johnston~~ Whitfield Tandy as a trustee and Brother Robert Cleary to the Finance Committee.

Brother Baxter announced a Scottish Rites Work on March 4-5 at the Lexington Conistory.

Visitors — Brother James Nolan from Lodge # 352, Stanton, Ky.

Closing — 9:04 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree .

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1 F&AM

LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

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Minutes

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 1982

William M. Batsel, P.S.C.

Certified Public Accountants

SECOND & BUCKMAN STREETS
P. O. Box 447
SHEPHERDSVILLE, KENTUCKY 40165

William M. Batsel, P.S.C.
Certified Public Accountants
Second & Buckman Streets
P.O. Box 447
Shepherdsville, Kentucky 40165

502-543-3029

To the Master, Wardens and Bretheren
Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM
Lexington, Kentucky 40501

Gentlemen:

I have examined the balance sheet of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM, as of December 31, 1982 and the related statements of income and members' equity and changes in financial position for the year then ended. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, the accompanying balance sheet as of December 31, 1982 and the related statements of income and members' equity and changes in financial position for the year then ended present fairly the financial position of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F&AM, at December 31, 1982 and the results of its operations and changes in financial position for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the prior year.

January 21, 1983

William M. Batsel CPA

cys: 5

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1982

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash in bank - checking	$ 12,475.81	
Dues receivable	1,222.50	
CURRENT ASSETS		$ 13,698.31
INVESTMENTS		
Certificates of deposit	$112,000.00	
Loan receivable - Masonic Temple Association	74,000.00	
Masonic Temple Association stock	12,000.00	
INVESTMENTS		198,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$211,698.31

LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Unearned fees	$ 1,264.00	
Dues (1983) paid in advance	18,103.00	
CURRENT LIABILITIES		$ 19,367.00
MEMBERS' EQUITY		192,331.31
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		$211,698.31

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William M. Batsel, P.S.C.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND MEMBERS' EQUITY
For the year ended December 31, 1982

INCOME		
Dues - Net		$ 27,179.00
Fees - Net		2,262.00
Interest - C of D		13,862.83
		43,303.83
EXPENSES		
Refreshments	- Meetings	419.89
	- Master Masons	483.12
	- Past Masters	1,042.16
	- Fish Fry	1,433.50
	- Masters' Appreciation	259.50
Salaries	- Secretary	1,836.00
	- Tresurer	5.00
	- Tiler	50.00
	- Lecturers	300.00
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F&AM		13,845.50
Lodge and office supplies		1,960.60
Postage and printing		683.56
Pictures		22.05
Gifts		200.00
Donations		100.00
Flowers and memorials		511.00
Miscellaneous expense		267.42
Rent		2,802.00
TOTAL EXPENSES		$ 26,221.30
NET INCOME		17,082.53
NET EQUITY BEGINNING OF YEAR		175,248.78
NET EQUITY END OF YEAR		$192,331.31

William M. Batsel, P.S.C.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1 F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 1982

SOURCES OF WORKING CAPITAL	
Net income	$ 17,082.53
C of D matured	10,000.00
	27,082.53
APPLICATIONS OF WORKING CAPITAL	
C of D purchased	30,000.00
NET DECREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL	($ 2,917.47)

CHANGES IN WORKING CAPITAL

	WORKING CAPITAL INCREASE (DECREASE)
CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash	($ 3,731.47)
Dues receivable	432.00
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Unearned fees	241.00
Dues paid in advance	141.00
NET DECREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL	($ 2,917.47)

William M. Batsel, P.S.C.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F&AM
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40501

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
December 31, 1982

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT	
Second National Bank	
12711	$ 10,000.00
1215	10,000.00
6389	14,000.00
6976	10,000.00
6486	18,000.00
6929	10,000.00
14140	10,000.00
519	10,000.00
198	10,000.00
	102,000.00
Citizens Union	
17179	10,000.00
TOTAL CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT	$112,000.00

MASONIC TEMPLE STOCK

Certificate Number	Acquired	Shares	Cost
1	1-10-1911	3	150.00
2	1-10-1911	3	150.00
3	1-10-1911	79	3,950.00
11	5-28-1913	75	3,750.00
46-47	11-08-1946	80	4,000.00
TOTAL		240	$ 12,000.00

Meriah Bond

William M. Batsel, P.S.C.

Masonic Temple Association
of Lexington, Kentucky, Inc.
Lexington, Kentucky
Balance Sheet
December 31, 1982

ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Cash in bank - Checking	$ 629.95	
Cash in bank - Savings	2375.00	
Rent receivable	210.00	
Total Current Assets		$ 3214.95
Property and Equipment:		
Land-Masonic Temple North Broadway	$ 65000.00	
Building-Masonic Temple North Broadway		
Building Fees - Richmond Road Property		
Farm property	150430.00	
Furniture and equipment	1168.00	
Inventory Jewelry	395.95	
Total Property and Equipment		216993.95
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 220208.90
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS EQUITY		
Current Liabilities		
Distributions payable	$ 1089.04	
Payroll Taxes payable		
Total Current Liabilities		$ 1089.04
Long-Term Liabilities		
Notes payable		145000.00
Total Liabilities		$ 146089.04
Members Equity		
Capital Stock	$ 25000.00	
Unrestricted Funds	46744.86	
Restricted funds	2375.00	
Appraisal surplus		
Total Members Equity		$ 74119.86
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS EQUITY		$ 220208.90

Prepared by: James D. Robertson, Treasurer
January 27, 1983

Masonic Temple Association

Income Statement 1982

Undistributed Interests Prior Years	$ 196.85
Loss 1981	(144.65)
	$ 52.20
Income over Expense	$ 542.38
Taxes accrued and expensed (81)	158.84
Interest 1982	125.62
Accounts Received 1982	210.00
	$ 1089.04

Distribution 1982

Lexington Lodge #1	48%	$ 522.74
Webb Commandry #1	40%	435.62
Lexington Chapter #1	7.6%	82.77
Devotion Lodge #160	4%	43.56
Washington Council #1	.4%	4.35
		$ 1089.04

Masonic Temple Association

INCORPORATED

144 North Broadway

Lexington, Kentucky

1982

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Farm Rent	$4000.00	Columbia Gas	6068.00
Dr. J. C. Lee	2400.00	Kentucky Utilities	370.28
Hughes & Issell	1800.00	Kentucky-American Water	463.15
OES # 110	360.00	LFUCG - Sewer	44.58
OES # 398	360.00	General Telephone	607.66
Amaranth # 18	390.00	Payroll	2726.80
White Shrine # 14	330.00	LFUCG - 2%	79.20
Bluegrass # 956	540.00	Kentucky Unemployment	121.98
Lexington No. 1 , F&AM	2802.00	Federal Unemployment	38.36
Devotion # 160, F&AM	1101.00	F.I.C.A.	529.84
Lexington # 1, RAM	917.00	I.R.S. - Wotholding	177.60
Washington # 1, R&SM	739.00	Pension	1060.00
Webb # 1, K.T.	1833.00	Taxes	1793.96
	17572.00	Insurance	1832.75
		Repair	160.95
		Supplies	180.87
		Postage	101.24
		Rental	12.00
		Miscellaneous	660.40
			17029.62

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542.38

Membership
6/30/82

No. 1, F&AM	1236
No. 160, F&AM	471
No. 1, K.T.	781
No. 1, R.A.M.	841
No. 1, R & S M	683

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 7, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Steven B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Wayne M. Williams	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Steven J. Olshewsky	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of February 21, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of Clifford Leroy Wallace for initiation was received and a committee appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petitions of Tony Lee Metcalf and Jesse Wilburn Stanley were received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Tony Lee Metcalf was elected to receive the three Degrees of Masonry and Jesse Wilburn Stanley was rejected.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Brother Baxter announced Brother Silas B. Turner and his wife, Sara, were admitted to the O.M.H. They received a joint room. Appreciation was expressed from the Turners.

CORRESPONDENCE

Notes of appreciation were received from the families of deceased Brothers R. L. Saunders and Wilburn B. Walker.

Letters from each of the following lodges were read before the Lodge. The letters consisted of selected Brothers and their qualifications for the office of Grand Junior Warden of the the Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M. , for nomination at the 184th Communication.

Hopkinsville # 37 - Brother William G. Hinton
Paducah # 127 - Brother Donald L. Starnes
Smith # 775 - Brother Ronald D. Bell

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

Second National Bank
Rental for Safe Deposit Box 739 - $20.00
Signature Stamp for Secretary - $12.33
= $84.00

Easley and Nelmes
Masonic floral emblem for Brothers Lewis, Tandy, Trammel, and Saunders.

Brother Wayne Williams - Refreshments - $15.68

Brother Steven Westmeyer - Keys for Lodge - $3.15

Jesse W. Stanley Refund of Petition fee $150.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother Ralph Carter commented on the Lodge Dues getting too high and stated perhaps, in order to hold the amount down, we should consider only raising the amount of the Grand Lodge. Brother Carter also stated the salary of the Tiler position

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (cont.)

has not increased in fourty years.

The W.M. announced he has a list in circulation for the members to sign who plan to attend the pot luck supper on the meeting night of April 18th, and that Brother Johnston will entertain the ladies while we are in the meeting.

Brother Johnston requested the ladies wear birth stones if they have them.

Brother Baxter announced the Webb Commandery # 1 Knights Templer will be having their ham and egg breakfast on Saturday, March 19th at the Oleika Shrine Temple.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Brother Steve Olshewsky announced Jim Komera, one of the newly elected E.A. has just undergone surgery on a vertebra in his neck.

CLOSING

8:47 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr., Secretary

Gary D. Sparks
Gary D. Sparks, Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 21, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Steven B. Westmeyer	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Wayne M. Williams	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
C. Robert Foster	Junior Deacon	Roy Copenhaven	Chaplain

OPENING

7:38 P.M. Lodge opened in [illegible] form on the M.M.Degree with the above stated officers and 9 members present.

MINUTES

The minutes of March 7, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of Edwin Wayne Gregory for reinstatement was received and a committee appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petition of Kenneth L. Baker for reinstatement was received from committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Kenneth L. Baker was elected to be received as a member of our lodge.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

Thomas Huston, Inc. $23.09
(pictures of the officers)

Grand Lodge of Kentucky $88.50
(70-40 year pins .....$75.90)
(A book of constitutions ..$12.60)

Kenneth L. Baker.....$7.50
(over-payment of dues)

Kenneth M Jones.....$7.50
(over-payment of dues)

Wayne Williams.....$23.59
(refreshments)

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The W.M. reminded all lodge members to submit, in writing, any questions pertaining to Masonary for the district meeting on April 21.

Brother Robert Foster announced his resignation as Junior Deacon, as of March 22, 1983. Brother Foster read his letter of resignation to the lodge and the letter is attached to these minutes.

The W.M. announced, in order to fill the position of Junior Deacon, each officer will move to the next position. The W.M. asked, and is awaiting, an answer from Brother Ben Johnson for the position of Chaplain.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (cont.)

The W.M. announced the degree team will practice on March 30.

Brother Secretary announced a list of suspended Brothers has been sent to our surrounding Masonic bodies. He also announced a check was received, in the amount of $694.87 , from the Second National Bank for interest on C.D. #6389.

WORK

8:08 P.M. Lodge called from labor on the M.M.Degree to refreshments, preparatory to opening on the E.A.Degree.

8:15 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree. Brother Steven Olshewsky examined the following Brothers on their E.A. Proficiency:

Michael Eugene Gullett, Gary Dale Hogue, William Frank James Jr., James Alexander Komara, James Walter Lewis, Arch Glass Mainous III, Vernon Edward Preston, Charles Cullie Shely, and Kelly Glenn Wooten.

By vote of the Lodge, all were declared proficient.

8:43 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.

8:48 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.

Brother Robert E. Cleary assumed the East and conferred the first section on the F.C. Degree, ably assisted by Brother Edward E. Aylward as S.W., Brother Jim Baxter as J.W., Brother Tom Hardigree as S.D., and Brother Gary Sparks, as S.S. Brother Robert E. Cleary gave the staircase lecture and Brother Wayne Williams gave the letter G lecture.

10:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
10:33 P.M. Lodge called from refreshments to labor on the M.M. Degree

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Brother Wes Ramsey's father was reported as being in serious condition in the Patty A. Clay Hospital in Richmond, Kentucky.

CLOSING

10:40 Lodge closed in form on the M.M.Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Acting Master

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March 22nd, 1983

TO: The Worshipful Master, Wardens, and Brethern of Lexington Lodge #1

Due to personal feelings concerning certain instances and issues I no longer feel that I can remain impartial on mathers concerning Lexington Lodge #1.

Since I feel that an officer of the lodge should act on matters based solely on the will of the craft instead of personal feelings, I no longer feel that I am qualified to assume a leadership role. Therefore, it is for the good of the order that I am resigning my postion effective March 22nd, 1983.

I have enjoyed serving the craft of Lexington Lodge, and hope to be of service to the lodge in the future

Fraternally Yours,

Charles R. Foster

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 27, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Maynard McClain, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening	10:25 A.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at the Lexington Cementery , West Main St., Lexington Kentucky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the last Sad Rites upon Brother Edmund A. Vachon, Sr. a member of Fond du Lac Lodge No. 140 F.& A.M. of Wisconsin.
Closing	11:07 A.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE 4- 4- 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Steven B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne M. Williams	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Steven Olshewsky	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening

7:35 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 5 members present.

Minutas

The minutes of March 21, 1983 were read and approved as read.

Petitions To Be Received

The petition of Carl Gene Muddiman for Initiation was received and a committee apointed.

Petition To Be Acted Upon

The petition of Kenneth M. Jones for Reinstatement was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Kenneth M. Jones was elected to be received as a member of our Lodge.

Correspondence

A check was received for the 1982 and 1983 dues of Donald T. Bozarth, of which entitles him to be reinstated.

We received a letter of acknowledgement from the family of deceased Brother Edward C. Shaw.

Report of Select Committees.

Brother Ed Aylward announced our present checking account has been changed to a Now Account, which earns five and one fourth percent interest.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly orderd paid:

Easley and Nelmes $63.00
Masonic floral emblems for deceased Brothers Walker, Shaw, and Vachon.

Steven Olshewsky- $15.01
Refreshments

Unfinished Business

Brother Walter Johnston requested a starting time be set for the M.M. Degree Work on May 14,1983. The W.M. set the time to be, 9 A.M. Sat., May 14, 1983.

Good of The Order

The W.M. discussed the work being done by the M.T. Association toward the sale of the Richmond Road property.

Brother Steven Olshewsky shared with the Lodge information in reference to a visit he had made to a Lexington Board of Adjusters meeting.

The W.M. discussed the pot luck supper to be held on April 18 th.

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Good of The Order	Brother Steven Westmeyer announced the birth of his Daughter. Brother Westmeyer received a loud Round of applause, for his Daughter is the first test tube baby to be born in the State of Kentucky.
Visitors	Brother Mark Patton, from Lodge No. 2, Paris Kentucky.
Sick and Distress	The following announcements were made: Bro. Ellis McCullom will be in the Cleveland Clenic the weekend of April 9, 1983 Brother West Ramseys Father passed away. Brother Sparks underwent sugery as an out patient. Brother George Gill is out of the Hospital.
Closing	8:28 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 15, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Maynard McClain P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Rev. Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Chaplain

Opening	7:55 P.M. Lodge open in ample form on the M.M.Degree at Milward Funeral Home on Southland Drive, Lexington Kentucky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Horace Lee Moore a member of Lexington No.1 F.& A.M.
Closing	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.

Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 18, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Wayne Williams	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Steven J. Olshewsky	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Steven B. Westmeyer	Junior Deacon	James H. Baxter	Chaplain

Opening

7:34 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 14 members present.

Minutes

The minutes of April 4, 1983 were read and approved as read.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

The Letter Shop corrections and deletions	$14.60
Dallas Thompson reinbursment for floral emblem for deceased Bro. Herman Thompson	$26.25
Frank Rose reinbursment for cleaning supplies and Baumann Paper Co.	$23.45
Gary Sparks refreshments	$23.77

Good of The Order

The W.M. discussed the Distric Meeting to be held on April 21.

S.W. Ed Aylward complimented the performance of our officers that served in alternate positions during our last meeting.

The W.M. discussed the success of the Pot Luck supper.

Bro. Doel Rambo presentsd the E.A. Charge to our Bro. Fellowcraft Masons,downstairs while our Lodge was in session.

Sick and Distress

Bro. Charles Detricks father had a massive stroke and is in critical condition.

Bro. Wayne Williams mother is severly ill.

Bro. George Gill is out of the hospital but feeling poorly.

Bro. Ron Bell is in the hospital in Hunnington as a result of a automobile accident.

Closing

8:12 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr. Secretary

Gary D. Sparks
Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 2[illegible], 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward Aylward	Senior Warden	Wayne Williams	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Steven Olshewsky	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Steven B. Westmeyer	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening	7:34 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 8 members present.
Minutes	The minutes of April 18, 1983 were read and approved as read.
Petitions To Be Acted Upon	The petition of Carl Gene Muddiman for Initation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Carl Gene Muddiman was rejected.
Correspondence	A note of appreciation was received from the Son of deceased Brother L.B. Gullet for providing Pallbearers at his Fathers funeral. A letter from the Bluegrass Chapter Order of Demolay, announcing their annual Conclave of which advertising ad's are being sold to help pay the expenses. A letter from the St. Johns Day League requesting donations of merchandise or money for their country store and announcing their annual picnic which will be held on the grounds of the M.C.H. on June 8,9,10,11. A letter from Devotion Lodge No. 160 F.&A.M. stating the rejection of the petition of Gary Lee Mullins. A letter from Irvington Lodge No. 868 announcing their choice of Brother Elroy Johnson as a canidate for the office of Grand Junior Warden. The W.M. discussed a letter addressed to him from the law firm of Harbor and Kessinger in reference to the will of Jennet Sasha Taylor of which Lexington Lodge No. 1 is one of the beneficiaries. The will is being contested. The W.M. made the decision of turning the matter over to the Jurisprudence committee: Chester P. Care and Ted B. Walter.
Good of The Order	The W.M. discussed highlights of our recent District meeting. Brother Baxter offered a ride to any brother who wishes to attend District No. meeting.

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May 2, 1983

Minutes- MAY 2, 1983

Good of The Order — W.M. announced the appointment of Jim Robinson as Chaplain.

Brother Ed Aylward ask the officers who participate on the Degree Team, to meet with him on Sunday April 24, 1983.

Bills — The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1. Robbie Mulcahy D.G.M. District #25 Meel	$90.00
2. Steven Olshewsky Refreshments	$ 9.19
3. Walter S. Johnston Phone call O.M.H.	$ 2.87
4. Carl Gene Muddiman Refund of initation fees	$150.00
5. Order of Demolay Conclave (Donation)	$ 50.00

Sick and Distress — W.M. reminded us to remember Brother Detricts Father in our prayers.

Work — 8:30 P.M. Lodge called from labor to refreshments on the M.M. Degree, preparpatory to opening on the F.C. Degree.

8:33 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree. Brother Richard Russell examined the following F.C. Masons:

1. Michael Eugene Gullett
2. Gary Dale Hogue
3. William Frank James Jr.
4. James Alexander Komara
5. James Walter Lewis
6. Arch Glass Mainous III
7. Vernon Edward Preston
8. Charles Cullie Shely
9. Kelly Glenn Wooten

By vote of the lodge all were declared proficient.

9:00 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree

9:03 P.M. Lodge was called from Refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

Closing — 9:11 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank McRae Jr.
Secretary

Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 14 1983

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Wayne Williams	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Steven B. Westmeyer	Junior Deacon	Jim Robinson	Chaplain

Opening

9:00 A.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 14 others present.

Purpose

The W.M. announced the purpose of the called meeting was to confer the M.M. Degree upon 9 F.C. Masons.

Work

Lodge called at ease, while the following assumed the following stations.

Sr. Steward Wayne Williams

Master	Edward Aylward
S,W.	Gary Sparks
J.W.	Robert Cleary
S.D.	Thomas Hardigree
J.D.	Steven Westmeyer

The first Section was conferred upon the following:

Michael Eugene Gullett	Arch Glass Mainous III
Gary Dale Hogue	Vernon Edward Preston
William Frank James Jr.	Charles Cullie Shely
James Alexander Komara	Kelly Glenn Wooten
James Walter Lewis	

Raised in short form was:

Michael Eugene Gullett	by	Ron Ritchey John Schuler
Gary Dale Hogue	by	Ed Aylward Ron Obrien
William Frank James Jr.	by	Gary Sparks Arch Glass Mainous Jr.
James Alexander Komara	by	Robert Cleary Denny Sabree
James Walter Lewis	by	James Baxter Ron Short
Arch Glass Mainous III	by	James Baxter Arch Glass Mainous Jr.
Vernon Edward Preston	by	Ed Aylward Frank Rose Jr.
Kelly Glenn Wooten	by	James Baxter Steven Westmeyer

12:15 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment and all enjoyed a delightful lunch and good fellowship.

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Work — 1:15 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

The craft then proceeded to Raise Bro. Charles Cullie Shely as class representative in The Legend of The Temple, under the direction of Bro. Richard Russell, P.M., aid by the following cast.

M.E.K.S.	Ben Johnson	R.M. Vic Uttinger
H.K.T.	Raymond Copenhaven	S.C. Wes Ramsey
Chap.	Ted Walter	W.F.M. Ralph Carter
S.D.	Virgil Haycraft	F.C. Robert Cleary
J.D.	Gary Sparks	F.C. Tom Hardigree
ABRA.	Raymond Lee	F.C. Mark Patton- Paris #2
ZEBU.	Joel Baumgartner	F.C. George Gill, Jr.
ZEPH.	Russell Pattie	F.C. Vic Uttinger
J.A.	Steve Westmeyer	F.C. Wes Ramsey
J.O.	Gary Walls	F.C. Wayne Williams
J.M.	Ed Aylward	MAR. Ed Aylward
BELS.	Charles Dietrich	
Benj.	Jim Robinson	

Brother Walter Johnston presented the Tilers Oath and M.M. Charge.
Bro. James Komara speaking for the class, thanked the Lodge,and expressed his personal feelings.

Sick — The W.M. informed the Lodge that Bro. Marvin Whitton has recently undergone surgery and is in room 243 at the Central Babtist Hospital.He also mentioned Bro. Dietrich Father is in critical condition.

Visitors — Visitors were recognized, welcomed and thanked for attending Visitors included Mike Gorden and David Older No. 160, Mark Patton Paris No. 2, John Schuler No.165 Indiana, and Marshall Ray and Roger Nolan- Beaver Creek No. 335.

Closing — 3:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Frank M. Rose Jr.,Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 16, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy P.M.	Treasurer
Gary Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward Alyward	Senior Warden	Steven Olshewsky	Senior Steward
Robert Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Steven Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne Williams	Junior Deacon	Jim Robinson	Chaplain

Opening

7:33 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 9 members present.

Honored Guest

Upon request of the W.M. assisted by the S.D., Bro. John Ness (W.M. of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge No. 954) was conducted to the West side of the Alter, there to be greeted by the W.M. and the brothers of the Lodge.

Minutes

The minutes of May 2 and called meeting May 14, 1983, were read and approved as read.

Petitions To Be Acted Upon

The petition of Edwin Wayne Gregory for Reinstatement was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot, Edwin Wayne Gregory was reinstated as an E.A. member of our lodge.

Correspondence

A letter from the O.M.H. reminding our lodge of our obligation of participation in the devotion services at the O.M.H. on July 31, 1983 at 2:00 P.M.

A letter from Devotion Lodge No. 160 stating the rejection of the petition of Gary A. Mullins for initation.

Cards of acknowledgement and appreciation from the families of deceased Brothers R.E. Bowman and S.B. Turner.

A tax Exemption form from Second National Bank for the purpose of exempting our Lodge from taxes on interest earned from savings.

The W.M. discussed a letter from the law firm of Turley, Savage and Moore, pertaining to the Will of Jennet Sasha Taylor.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Frank Rose $29.39
Supplies from Baumann Paper Co. M.M. Dinner

Easley and Nelmes $67.14
Floral Emblems for Deceased Brothers
Dan Moore, Lacy Gullett, Horace L. Moore

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Bills	Luther Humes Food for M.M. Dinner	$308.00
	Steven Olshewsky Refreshments	$17.17

Good of The Order Brother Baxter asked the newly raised Brothers to stand and be recognized.

Brother John Ness made announcements and extended invitations to activities being conducted by his Lodge.

Announcements of the Scottish Rite Reunion on June 4 and the Spring Ceremony at the Oleika Temple on June 11

Sick and Distress Bro. Marvin Whitton is in room 243,at the Central Baptist Hospital.

Visitors The following visitors were ask to stand and be recognized:
Bro,John Ness - Robert M. Sirkle #954
Bro. Lewis Baldwin- Robert M. Sirkle # 954

Closing 8:25 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Gary D. Sparks
Master

STRATHMORE BOND
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Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 22, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. Rambo	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochran P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

Opening

8:00 P.M. Lodge open in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home on N. Broadway, Lexington Kentucky.

Purpose

The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a Brother.

Work

The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Carl Belcher of Yocum Lodge No. 897, Evarts, Kentucky.

Closing

8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree

Frank McRae Jr.
Secretary

Doyle G. Rambo
Master

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CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 6, 1983

Stated	MEETING		Treasurer
Gary Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden	Wayne Williams	Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden	Steven Olshewsky	Junior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Steven B. Westmeyer	Junior Deacon	Jim Robinson	Chaplain

Opening	7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 8 others present.
Minutes	The Minutes of May 16, 1983 were read and approved as read.
Petitions To Be Received	The Petition of Glen Begley Jr. for initation was received and a committee appointed.
Petitions TO Be Acted Upon	The petition of Clifford L. Wallace for Initation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Clifford L. Wallace was elected to receive the three degrees of Masonary.
Correspondence	The W.M. received a phone call from Jerry Hensley, Landmark #41, stating a country music dance June 18, All proceeds go for a new roof on the Lodge Hall. A letter of appreciation from Arch G. Mainous Jr. for the hospitality shown to him and his Father on May 14, 1983. A special invitation from the O.M.H. on behalf of Bro. Brickey to visit the home on Appreciation Day, July 24,1983. Post card attached for number of members who will be attending. A letter from the O.M.H. informing our lodge that due to the death of Mrs. Sara Turners husband, she has been transferred to the M.W.&O. Home.
Bills	The following bills were read and duly ordered paid. 1. Easley and Nelmes $111.55 Floral emblems for deceased Brothers: Turner, Coleman, Bowman, Coy, and McGraw. 2. Steven Olshewsky $15.61 Refreshments

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Good of The Order	Brother Cleary reported the progress on the plans for the P.M. Dinner (Clonial Room at the Campbell House, $6.50 per person)
	Bro. Ray ONeal read a self prepared letter, pertaining to rumors he had heard regarding the problems with Lexington No. 1 Lodge and his personal feelings regarding these rumors.
	The W.M. talked about the Skull Lecture he observed while attending the Robert M. Sirkle Lodge#954.
Visitors	The following visitor was reconized: Bro. Joe Alexander, Devotion Lodge #160.
Sick and Distress	Bro. Secretary mentioned Bro. Marvin Whitton is out of the hospital and doing fine.
Special Bus. Called by W.M.	The W.M. reminded the craft that our first meeting night next Month falls on July 4 th. A motion was made, Second, and Passed that the meeting be called off.
	The W.M. requested our Tiler Ralph Carter be replaced at his station and conducted to the West side of the alter. The W.M. addressed him concerning a personal matter which also involved the Lodge. Attached to these minutes is the address made by W.M. Gary Sparks.
Closing	8:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rowe Jr.
Secretary

Gary Sparks
Master

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Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

June 6, 1983

W.M. Gary Sparks addresses Brother Ralaph Carter before the Lodge Body

Brother Carter, I have received complaints from members of the Craft concerning specific statements you have made to them, namely that "What is wrong with Lexington Lodge #1 is there are too many Catholics in line". A statement such as that defames the reputation of this Lodge and casts dispersions upon the character and the integriety of its officers, both past and present.

Having never questioned the relegious affiliation of any member of this of this Fraternity, I was shocked to hear such an UnMasonic statement had been made by one I've called a brother. Even more I am distressed to hear of such coming from an Officer of this Lodge.

Brother Carter, I am going to read to your four areas of the Book of Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky,

These are sections 1 and 87 and regulations 204 and 210.

And now

In pursuance of these regulations, there will be no discussion of relegious affiliation within this lodge; and, Brother Carter, you and this Lodge, will be better served if these unmasonic statements concerning the Lodge and its officers cease.

You are dismissed, Brother Carter.

Gary D Sparks

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 10, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. RaMbo	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochran	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin Stewart	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Mainord McClain	Chaplain

Opening	7:30 P.M. Lodge open in Ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home at 463 E. Main St. Lex., Ky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Russell McGuire a member of Lexington No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	7:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank McRoy Jr.
Secretary

Doyle G. Rambo
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 20, 1983

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy	Treasurer
Gary D. Sparks	W. Master	Frank M. Rose Jr.	Secretary
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Robert E. Cleary	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Steven B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Ralph Carter	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Jim Robinson	Chaplain

Opening

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M.Degree with the above stated officers and 19 others present.

Minutes

The minutes of June 6, 1983 were read and approved as read.

Petitions To Be Received

A request from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky for a courtesy investigation for Lodge #667, North Carolina of Bro. Stuart H. Bilyeu for reinstatement. The request was received and a committee appointed.

Select Committee

The W.M. announced the making of a new committee of which he appointed Brothers Leon Pike (chairman), Jim Robinson, Bob Cleary, and Charles Detrich. The purpose of this committee is to soliciate form the craft any desires in changes of our Bylaws.

Correspondence

The W.M. received a letter of appreciation from the family of deceased Brother Evan McGraw.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky notifing us that reservations are now being taken for the rooms at the Ramada Inn during theGrand Lodge Communication in October.

A letter from Devotion Lodge #160 listing the names of Brothers suspended for nonpayment of dues.

A letter from Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 listing the names of Brothers suspended for nonpayment of dues.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:
Steven Olshewsky - refreshments - $13.48

Good Of The Order

A letter from Brother Ralph Carter, upon request, was read by Brother Secretary. This letter was in referance to an address made by W.M. Gary Sparks to Brother Carter at the June 6 meeting. A motion was made and seconed that the letter be made a part of the minutes.

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MINUTES OF JUNE 20, 1983 - continued

Sickness & Distress	Brother Otho Ward announced Brother Lawrence Hinds is out of the hospital and doing fine.
Work	Brother Richard Russell examined the following Brothers on their M.M. Proficiency: Brother Vernon Preston Brother Kelly Glenn Wooten Brother Michael Eugene Gullet Brother Charles Cullie Shely By vote of the lodge, all were declared proficient. Brother Wooten on behalf of the class thanked Brother Richard Russell.
Closing	8:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Master

STRATMORE BOND
25% COTTON FIBER USA

To W. M. Wardens and
Brethren of Lexington Lodge NO 1 F+AM

Master Sparks, in pursuance to your humiliating and insinuating speech made to me, in front of the entire lodge body, on June 6, 1983, I have prepared this statement and expect to be accorded the same courtesy of silence during the reading of this speech.

I have been a member of this lodge for seventeen (17) years and never during this period of masonic activity have I been singled out and subjected to such humiliation and personal harassment. Why, out of 1,213 members was I chosen to be a scapegoat for what amounts to freedom of speech guaranteed under the Constitution of the United States which is a basic tenet of the Constitution of this lodge and which involves only statements of personal opinion. Moreover, I have never made such a statement in the hallowed halls of this lodge, nor would I ever defame the lodge with such remarks. The remarks were made in a very factual manner and would have been the same regarding any group - not in reference to any religious group - though you chose to interpret this on a personal and religious basis.

You have reprimanded me by accusing me of unmasonic conduct, I ask you- what is masonic, moral, or humanitarian about humiliating an individual in front of his fellow man? Would it not be more masonic, moral and humane to confront the individual in private if you have something to discuss? If any man has anything to say to me, I expect it to be done in private and certainly NEVER in a public form and I absolutely will never tolerate such behavior from any man, woman or child in the future.

A section of the Fellowcraft Degree should remind you of your obligation to ever walk justly and uprightly in your several stations of life before God and man and squaring your actions by the square of virture. Can you, then, consider yourself to be the same while humiliating a brother in front

of others?

Master Sparks, I do not expect a public apology from you in regards to this matter; however, I do expect assurance from you that any fellow brothers will never be subjected to such conduct from you or any other officer of this lodge.

To clarify some facts - the remark was made to one fellow brother and not several - and was made in regards, not of a religious nature, but of meaning that any group - Catholic, Baptist, IBMers, utility workers, etc. - which dominates leadership in any organization is not good. You; however, for some reason unbeknownest to me, have chosen to take this as being a personal matter regarding religion - instead of the manner in which it was intended - nor did you ever make the effort to approach me and/or discuss the meaning of such a remark.

Again, I wish to reiternate that never in my masonic history or ever in my lifetime - have I felt the brunt of a personal vendetta in such an unjust and immature manner. As I have stated previously in this letter, I do not expect, nor would I accept an apology from you, but I do expect you to very seriously consider your actions and to never subject any other member of this lodge to such a degrading and inhumane reprimand. Since the last meeting, I have had several calls from my fellow brothers who have stated that they certainly do not appreciate this act any more, than I, myself did.

Master Sparks, I have stated my position in this matter and unless you wish to make this an issue for the entire lodge body to discuss, I personally will consider this incidence to be closed - unless I witness the same conduct bestowed upon a fellow brother - for which I will not sit quietly by and allow to happen to any whom I consider a brother.

Ralph Carter

Ralph Carter
June 17, 1983

GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
OF KENTUCKY

REPORT OF PAYROLL FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE FOR
THE CONSTITUENT LODGES

All Lodges in this jurisdiction are covered by Workers' Compensation Insurance for employees receiving remuneration from the Lodges.

It is necessary that the underwriters be supplied Lodge payroll totals each year for determination of the premiums.

THE POLICY DOES NOT INSURE:

a) Employees of INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS, or
b) Employees of TEMPLE ASSOCIATIONS.

Please report below appropriate payroll of all who have recieved any remuneration (including remission of dues) for their services, for the 12 month period ending January 1, 1984

POSITIONS	TOTAL PAYROLL 1/1/83 - 1/1/84
Secretary	$ 1,782.00
Tiler	$ 50.00
~~Musicians~~ TREASURER	$ 5.00
Custodian-Janitors	$
Caterers (Labor only)	$
Others (Specify) LECTURER	$ 300.00
TOTAL	$ 2,137.00

If your Lodge has had no payroll, so indicate on the form.

MAIL THE ORIGINAL COMPLETED FORM TO THE GRAND SECRETARY IMMEDIATELY.

RETAIN A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.

Grand Secretary

The above annual payroll figures submitted by:

LEXINGTON Lodge No. 001

By James L. Boyter, P.M.
Secretary

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 24 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Doyle G. Rambo	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochran	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin Stewart	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Mainord McClain	Chaplain

Opening	8:00 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home at 463 E. Main St. Lexington Kentucky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Edward R. Wolter a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.& A.M.
Closing	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr
Secretary

Doyle G. Rambo
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 13, 1983

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin Whitton	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochrane	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin Stewart	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Mainord McClain	Chaplain

Opening	8:20 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample form on the M.M. Degree at Lusk Funeral Home at Paris Kentucky.
Purpose	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Charles Perdue Rose a member of Lexington No. 1 F.& A.M.
Closing	8:45 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 18, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY	Treasurer
GARY SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK ROSE JR.	Secretary
ROBERT CLEARY	Senior Warden	STEVEN OLSHEWSKY	Senior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
RICHARD RUSSELL	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
WAYNE WILLIAMS	Junior Deacon	JOE HAGER	Chaplain

Opening	7:33 p.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M.Degree with the above stated officers and 22 members present.
Minutes	The minutes of June 20, 1983 were read and approved as read.
Petitions To Be Acted Upon	The petition of Glen Begley, Jr. for initation was received from the committee and the ballot spread. The results of the ballot: Glen Begley, Jr. was elected to receive the three degrees of Masonary.
Select Committees	Brother Baxter announced we will be honoring our 40 year members on August 21st from 3:00 to 5:00 P.M. at the Oleika Shrine Temple. The guest speaker will be James H. Patterson, President of the M.W.O.H. Board. Notice of this event will appear on our annual Family Picnic Card and the Masonic Home Journal. Brother Leon Pike, chairman of our By-laws committee, read a proposed modification in our by-laws on dues,Article III, Section I, Paragraph I. This proposal will be voted on by our Lodge on the second meeting night in ~~September.~~ Aug,
Correspondence	Brother Secretary read a letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky in referenc to the completion of courtesy work for Brother Ronald E. McCollum from the U.S. Hessen Lodge No. 844.
New Business	A motion was made and accepted that we use the Talli-Ho Catering Service for our Family Picnic on August 13th.
Good of the Order	Brother TED Walter discussed the latest news from the M.T.A. regarding the sale of the Richmond Road property and a proposed air conditioner for our present Lodge Hall. Brother Alyward told about the Grand Lodge of Massachutes distributing pamplets and having T.V. programs on Masonary.
Sick & Distress	Brother Wayne Williams announced his Mother is getting better and thanked the Lodge for its rememberance in prayers. Brother Ward announced Brother Hinds is back in the hospital. Brother Carter announced Brother Joe Cox is in the V.A. Hospital. The W.M. announced Brother Marvin Whitton is back doing our Masonic funerals and feeling fine.

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Minutes of July 18, 1983- Continued

Bills — The following bills were read and duly orderd paid:

Letter Shop Deletions & Corrections	$5.30
Easley & Nelmes Floral Emblem-McGuire	$21.00
Steve Olshewsky Refreshments	$15.87

Work — The W,M. presented the Lamb Skin Apron to our newly raised Brother, Ronald E. McCollum.

Brother McCollum and his father met West of the Alter to exchange hand shakes and a gift.

The W.M. complimented this year's officers.

Closing — 8:33 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 26,1983

CALLED	MEETING		Treasurer
MARVIN WHITTON	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. COCHRAN	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
FRANKLIN STEWART	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	ROBERT HORINE	Chaplain

OPENING	7:54 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample Form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home at 463 E. Main St. Lex., Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
Work	The craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Bryant Carmichael a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1 F.& A.M.
CLOSING	8:14 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank McRose Jr.
Secretary

Marvin Sobel Whitton
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE AUGUST 1, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden	STEVEN J. OLSHEWSKY	Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEVEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JIM ROBINSON	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge open in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of July 18, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of Steve Anthony Faul for Initiation was received under the condition that he will receive a Waiver of Jurisdiction by Georgetown Lodge# 14.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from St. Johns Day League of Kentucky, requesting contributions.

A letter from Bro. Darryl Mueller, Brea Lodge #617 F.& A.M. pertaining to Masonic History of Lexington Lodge #1.

A Letter from the G.L. of N. Carolina, verifying information received from our Lodge on the courtesy investigation of Bro. Stewart H. Bilyeu.

A card of appreciation from the family of deceased Bro. Charles P. Rose.

Bills

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Easley and Nelmes floral emblems for Travis, Rose, & Haverly	$68.75
Grand Lodge Assesments	$14,557.50
Steve Olshewsky Refreshments	$19.48

REFRESHMENTS

7:55 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshments.
The Craft then proceeded to Milward Funeral Home, N. Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky.
With Bro. Marvin Whitton serving as Master, Bro. E. B. Cochran as Sr. Warden, Bro. Franklin H. Stewart as Jr. Warden, and Bro. Maynard R. McClain as Chaplain.
At 8:00 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
The Craft then proceeded to confer the last sad rites upon Bro. James Parker Davidson a member of Lexington #1.

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MINUTES CONTINUED

REFRESHMENTS CONTINUED	8:23 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshments.
	8:30 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
GOOD OF THE ORDER	A motion was made and second by Bro. Baxter to purchace a fire proof metal cabinet to store our past minutes.
	The W.M. assigned the Trustees of the Lodge to check size and prices of the cabinet.
	Bro. Joe Hager made a motion to shelve the cabinet motion until our next meeting.
	The W.M. thanked Bro. Hager for representing Lex.#1 and conducting Sunday services at the O.M.H. on July 31, 1983.
SICK and DISTRESS	The W.M. reminded the Craft to think of the wives and families of deseased Brothers.
WORK	8:40 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshments preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.
	8:44 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree
	Lodge called at ease so the officers conferring the work might assume their stations.
	The work was put on in superb and honorable fashion with Bro. Tom Hardigree serving in the East, assisted by Bro. Ed Aylward S.W., Bro. Robert Cleary J.W., and Bro. Steve Westmeyer S.D. Bro. Wayne Williams gave the E.A. Charge.
	The E.A. Degree was conferred on the following . Glen Begley Jr., Tony Lee Metcalf and Clifford L. Wallace.
	10:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
CONTINUED WORK	10:32 P.M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree,
	The W.M. presented Certificates of Proficiency on the M.M. Degree to Brothers Vernon E. Preston and Bro. Charles Shely.

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MINUTES CONTINUED

CONTINUED BUSINESS	Bro. Leon Pike, ByLaws Committee chairman, read the proposed changes of our By Laws and the proposed admendments to the Grand Lodge for the book of Constitutions. A copy of these proposals will be attached to the minutes of their final reading.
CLOSING	11:00 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree,

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 15, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	STEVEN OLSHEWSKY	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
STEVEN B. WESTMEYER	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
WAYNE WILLIAMS	Junior Deacon	JAMES BAXTER P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge open in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 13 others present.

Minutes

The minutes of August 1, 1983 were read and aproved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from our Grand Master Marlin White, thanking our Lodge for his invitation to our festivities honoring our 40 year members, and his regrets of attendance due to a prior engagement.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Tolly Ho Catering Service (Fish Fry)	$588.00
Edward Aylward (Supplies Fish Fry)	$ 24.35
Wayne Williams (Soft Drinks, Fish Fry)	$130.20
Steve Olshewsky (Refreshments)	$ 19.60

STANDING COMMITTEES

Brother Baxter reported information he had obtained on the size and price of a fire proof cabinet for storing our past minutes. The price was $3,000.00. The Craft discussed the price of the cabinet and alternate methods, such as Comercial Storage, cheaper cabinet that is not so fire proof, Micro-filming the minutes and checking with U.K. for a used cabinet and check on the old safe that belongs to the M.T.A.

Brother Harvy Renolds made a motion of which was second and approved, that we update our Microfilming of the minutes. The W.M. assigned this job to the secretary.

Brother Bill Coulter made a motion of which was second, and approved, that we shelf for the second time the motion to purchase a fire proof cabinet, until more information is obtained.

SELECT COMMITTEES

Brother Baxter reported on the event honoring our 40 year members, that will be held on August 21, 1983, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM at the Oleika Shrine Temple.

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AUGUST 15, 1983
MINUTES CONTINUED

GOOD OF THE ORDER	Brother secretary made a motion of which was second and approved, that we buy five new aprons and one dozen gloves for our funeral committee. Bro. Secretary announced he has no desire to be sec. in 1984
SICK AND DISTRESS	The W.M. mentioned that Lucell Ratcliff who is a member of the Henry Clay Chapter of the Eastern Star and ~~secretary to Brother George Gill~~, has undergone sugery. FRIEND TO THIS FRATERNITY Brother Ward mentioned that Brother Hinds is back in the hospital.
BY-LAWS COMMITTEE	Brother Pike read to the Lodge for the second time the proposed changes of the Grand Lodge Book of Constitution . Each of the proposals were discussed by the Craft and put to Lodge vote. Attached to these minutes are the proposals that will be submitted to the Grand Lodge before September 15th,1983.
UNFINISHED BUSINESS	Brother Shely made a motion of which was second and approved that Lodge meeting night of September 5, 1983 be called off because of holiday.
CLOSING	9:20 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

MASTER

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

September 8, 1983

J. C. McClanahan, Grand Secretary
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M.
Masonic Home, Kentucky 40041

Dear Brother McClanahan:

At a stated meeting, on the 15th day of August 1983, at 7:30 P.M., in the Lodge Hall at Lexington Kentucky; the members of Lexington Lodge #1 present voted on and passed a motion to be made at the meeting of the Grand Lodge, for the purpose of modifying the Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

In furtherance of these said wishes I hereby make the following motion, to wit:

"That Section 107 and Regulations 173 and 296 be stricken from the Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky."

It is the opinion of the Craft that this Section and these Regulations, by virtue of their vagueness and lack of enforceability, should not be a part of the guidelines of the subordinate Lodges.

The question of membership in our fraternity for retailers and stockholders in the liquor industry should be answered in the ballot box, as it is for all others, and not in the Book of Constitutions for the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

Respectfully, Submitted

Gary D. Sparks
Master of Lexington Lodge #1

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary, Lexington Lodge # 1

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Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
P. O. Box 8096
Lexington, Kentucky 40533

September 8, 1983

J. C. McClanahan, Grand Secretary
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M.
Masonic Home, Kentucky 40041

Dear Brother McClanahan:

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In furtherance of these said wishes I hereby make the following motion, to wit:

"That Section 88 of the Book of Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky be amended to provide that all Dues and Assessments collected to satisfy good standing in the Grand Lodge shall be collected only by the originating Lodge."

It is the opinion of the Craft that the collection of a second Grand Lodge "Dues and Assessments" on a Dual Member is unnecessary and unjust, and financially prohibits the practice of dual membership.

It is also the opinion of the Craft that adoption of this motion will promote more dual membership and will be good for Masonry in Kentucky.

Respectfully, Submitted

Gary D. Sparks
Master of Lexington Lodge # 1

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary, Lexington Lodge # 1

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September 8, 1983

J. C. McClanahan, Grand Secretary
Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M.
Masonic Home, Kentucky 40041

Dear Brother McClanahan:

It is my opinion that the present practice of Balloting on the Recommendation of the Jurisprudence Committee is confusing to many members of the Grand Jurisdiction and is a procedure that warrants change.

I therefore offer the following motion, to wit:

"That Section 207 of the Book of Constitutions of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky be amended to read as follows:" (To be added as a second paragraph) "Balloting upon any alteration, amendment, or repeal shall be made only upon a strict reading of said alteration, amendment, or repeal, and not upon a recommendation of the Jurisprudence Committee, as was the practice in years past."

Respectfully, Submitted

Gary D. Sparks
Master of Lexington Lodge # 1

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LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE SEPTEMBER 19, 1983

STATED	MEETING	RICHARD RUSSELL	Treasurer
GARY SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
ROBERT CLEARY	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDGREE	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
STEVE OLSHEWSKY	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
WAYNE WILLIAMS	Junior Deacon	CHARLES SHELEY	Chaplain

OPENING 7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 8 others present.

MINUTES The minutes of August 15, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED The petition of Stephen Dale Burnes for initation was received and a committee appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE The W.M. announced a letter he received from the Irvine Lodge recommending Bro. Elroy Johnson for the office of Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

The W.M. read a letter from Bro. Walter Johnston stating he had received a letter from Bro. Marion O. Reed, the editor of the Masonic Home Journal. The letter was in reference to our proposed by-laws getting misplaced and will be in the Oct. issue instead of the planned Sept. issue. THS letter is attached to these minutes.

Received cards of acknowledgement with appreceation from the families of deceased Brothers: Gordon T. Bozarth, J. Parker Davidson, Bill Haverly and Carl E. Travis.

A letter from Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954, F.& A.M., stating the rejection of the petitions for initation from Ralph Vincent Agee and Danny Bruce Ledford.

A copy of a letter sent by the Grand Lodge of Ky., to the Grand Lodge of Florida requesting assistance in presenting our Lodge Brother, Balton Price Anderson with his (75) year emblem.

A letter from the Grand Lodge Endowment Fund Committee, asking each lodge to participate in raising money to help increase the Endowment Fund.

BILLS The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

Ihling Bro. Everard Co. 1-doz aprons	$222.81
Masonic Temple Associations 1983 rent	$2,894.00
Letter Shop Fish Fry cds.	$210.30
Frank Rose office sup. & stamps	$15.31
James Baxter 40 YR BANQUET	$63.70

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SEPTEMBER 19,1983
Minutes Continued

Bills	Easley & Nelmes	$63.00
	.Steve Olshewsky Refreshments	$15.44
	Peggy A. Hood deposition of Eugene Taylor	$134.00
	Rosemont Drugs pictures of 40-yr. members and spring M.M. class.	$30.00
	Grand Lodge of Kentucky	$11.50

Good of The Order — Brother Cleary reported on the P.M. Dinner to be held at the Campbell House, Clonial Room. (Time 6:30)

Brother Secretary displayed a get well card he wishes to order.

W.M. presented a certificate of proficiency of the M.M. Degree to Bro. Michael E. Gullett.

W.M. announced details on the Pot Luck Supper for the first meeting night of ~~Sept.~~ Oct. 3rd

Visitors — Bro. Bill Hunt from Robert Sirkle Lodge #954, F.& A.M.

Sick and Distress — The W.M. ask that we remember all our sick and distress Bro. and families in prayer.

WORK — 8:14 P.M. Lodge called from labor to refreshments on the M.M. Degree, preparatory to the opening on the E.A. Degree.

8:20 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree. Brother Steve Olshewsky examined the following brothers on their E.A. Proficiency:

Glen Begley Jr. and Clifford Leroy Wallace

By vote of the lodge, both brothers were declared proficient.

8:48 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.

8:57 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.Bro. Robert Cleary assumed the East and conferred the first section on the F.C. Degree, ably assisted by Bro. Gary Sparks as S.W., ~~Bro. Richard Russell~~ as J.W., Bro. Thomas Hardigree as S.D. and Bro. Wayne Williams as S.S. Bro. Robert Cleary gave the staircase Lecture and Bro. Steve Olshewsky gave the letter G Lecture.

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10:20 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.

10:23 P.M. Lodge was called from refreshments to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

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September 19, 1983
Minutes Continued

Unfinished Business	Bro. Ralph Carter presented to the lodge information on the price and request for donations for the newly installed air conditioners.
Closing	10:35 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
Secretary

Gary Sparks
Master

625 Stratford Drive
Lexington, Ky. 40503
August 30, 1982

To The Master, Wardens and Brethern
Lexington Lodge #1 F&AM.
Lexington, Ky.

Dear brothers,

Today, August 30, 1983, I received a phone call from Brother Marion O. Reed, the Editor of The Masonic Home Journal. Brother Reed informed me that the submitted, proposed changes to our by-laws, which were supposed to have been printed in the September issue, were accidently omitted. He had just discovered that fact, and called me immediately. It seems that the correspondence from me had lodged in the bottom of his brief case and he simply overlooked it.

Brother Reed promised that these proposed changes will be in the October issue and asked our forgiveness.

Brother Reed has been generous with Lexington Lodge in the past and nobody holds any ill feelings toward him for a simple--and readily admitted--error of omission.

Walter

Walter S Johnston, Publicity
Lexington, Lodge #1 F & AM

Note: It seems to me that this should be made a part of the minutes. W.S.J.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE OCTOBER 3,1983

CALLED STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY (P.M.)	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE N. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden	STEVE OLSHEWSKY	Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	CHARLES SHELEY	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 20 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of September 19, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of Gerard William Deboer for Dual Membership was received and a committee appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE

WE received a notice from Hart Lodge #6 Nicholasville, that bro. Kenneth Howard has intentions of transfering his membership to their lodge.

We received a letter of Demit from the Robert M. Sirkle Lodge of bro. Beverly E. Reed. (Bro. Reed held a Dual Membership with the Robert M. Sirkle Lodge.)

WE received letters of acknowledgement and appreciation from the families of deceased brothers Herman A. Ellis and Willis Clark.

We received letters of exceptance as guest to our P.M. Dinner from bro. Joe Conway G.J.W. and Bro. Virgil T. Larimore G.T.

Bill

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1. Easley and Nelmes $21.00
   masonic funeral emb.
2. Gary Sparks $26.41
   pot luck supper
3. Wayne Williams $16.50
   pot luck supper
4. Luther Humes $213.70
   loan money for postage
   for P.M. Envelopes & stamps

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bro. Tom Hardigree was nominated and elected to be the Proxy for our lodge if needed at the 1983 Grand Lodge Comm Communication.

The W.M. announced a change in the date of our M.M. Degree Work from October 29 to October 22, 1983. (starting time 10:00 A.M.)

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MINUTES CONTINUED
OCTOBER 3, 1983

NEW BUSINESS	The W.M. discussed the highlights of the upcoming 184 th Communication of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. He also announced we will have Degree Team practice Sunday Oct. 9 at 3:00 P.M.
GOOD OF THE ORDER	Bro. Ted Walters gave us the latest update on the M.T.A. meetings. Bro. steve Olshewsky and Wayne Williams discussed bulk mail rates for future mailing. The W.M. read and discussed proposed By-Law changes that our lodge published in the M.H. Journal. These proposals will be voted on the first meeting night of November. The W.M. announced the dues will be sent out in a business envelope this year.
SICK AND DISTRESS	Request for prayer was made for the following brothers and their families: Bro. Detrich's father - Serious Condition Bro. Roses Mother-in-law - Cancer Bro. Gray's wife - hart attack Bro. Wallace's son - cancer of the leg Family of deceased bro. James Newnam
CLOSING	8:45 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose, Jr.
Secretary

Gary D. Sparks
Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE OCTOBER 17, 1983

STATED	MEETING		Treasurer
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	W. Master	WHITFIELD TANDY P.M.	Secretary
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
STEPHEN WESTMEYER	Senior Deacon	CHARLES DIETRICH	Tiler
STEVEN OLSHEWSKY	Junior Deacon	WALTER S. JOHNSTON	Chaplain

OPENING: 7:30 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M.Degree with the above stated officers and 14 others present.

MINUTES: The minutes of October 3, 1983 were read and approved as read.

WORK: 7:45 P.M. Lodge was called from Labor to refreshments on the M.M. Degree preparatory to opening on the F.C. Degree .

7:50 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree. Brother Charles Shely examined the following F.C. Masons:

(1) Glen Begley, Jr.
(2) Clifford Leroy Wallace

By vote of the Lodge, both Brothers were declared proficient.

8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.

8:20 P.M. Lodge was called from refreshments to Labor on the M.M.Degree.

BILLS: The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

(1)	Masonic Home Journal proposed By-Laws changes	$52.00
(2)	Postmaster stamped envelopes for dues	$212.70
(3)	Steve Olshewsky refreshments for meeting	$14.08

CORRESPONDENCE: A letter from Eastern State Hospital requesting gift donations for their patients' Christmas party.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Florida stating they had performed the courtesy work for our Lodge in presenting Brother Balton P. Anderson with his 75 year emblem.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS: Brother Bill Hiles is in St. Joseph Hospital - Room 375

CLOSING: 8:45 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M.Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Edward B. Aylward
MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE OCTOBER 18, 1983

CALLED [illegible] WHITTON	MEETING		Treasurer
MARVIN S. WHITTON	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. COCHRAN	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
FRANKLIN STEWART	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	MAYNARD McCLAIN	Chaplain

OPENING: 7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample Form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home at 463 East Main Street, Lexington, Kentucky.

PURPOSE: The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.

WORK: The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother John Coleman Sutherland, a member of Lexington Lodge # 1 F. & A. M.

CLOSING: 7:50 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Marvin S. Whitton
MASTER

NOTE: This was the 600th Masonic funeral in which Brother Marvin Whitton has participated.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE OCTOBER 22, 1983

CALLED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE B. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
WALTER S. JOHNSTON	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JIM ROBINSON	Chaplain

OPENING

10:15 A.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 8 others present.

PURPOSE

The W.M. announced the purpose of the called meeting was to confer the M.M. Degree upon two fellowcraft Masons.

WORK

Lodge was called at ease, while the following assumed the following stations:

Master - Edward Aylward
S.W. - Richard Russell
J.W. - Bob Cleary
S.D. - Gary Sparks
J.D. - Stephen Westmeyer
S.S. - Wayne Williams

The first section was conferred upon the following:
Glen Begley, Jr.'
Clifford Leroy Wallace
Raised in short form was Glen Begley, Jr., by James H. Baxter and Bob Cleary.

11:50 A.M. Lodge was called from labor to refreshment on the M.M. Degree and all enjoyed a delightful Lunch and good fellowship.

1:10 P.M. Lodge called from refreshments to labor on the M.M. Degree.

The craft then proceeded to Raise Bro. Clifford L. Wallace as a class representative in the Legend of The Temple, under the direction of Bro. Richard Russell, P.M., aided by the following cast:

M.E.K.S. - Walter S. Johnston
H.K.T. - Raymond Copenhaven
Chap. - Joe Holleran, Sr.
S.D. - Virgil Haycraft
J.D. - Gary Sparks
ABRA. - Raymond Lee
ZEBU. - Joel Bumgartner
ZEPH. Charles Sheley
J.A. - Stephen Westmeyer
J.O. - Gary Walls
J.M. - Ed Aylward
BELS. - Charles Dietrich
BENJ. - Jim Robinson
R.M. - Vic Uttinger
S.C. West Ramsey
W.F.M. - Ralph Carter
F.C. - Robert Cleary
F.C. - Vic Uttinger
F.C. - Wes Ramsey
F.C. - Wayne Williams
F.C. - Charles Shely
F.C. - Stephen Olshewsky
F.C. - Frank Rose
MAR. - Chester Care

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MINUTES CONTINUED OCT. 22, 1983

WORK	Bro. Walter Johnston presented the Tilers Oath and the M.M. Charge.
	Brother Begley and Bro. Wallace thanked the Lodge and expressed their personal feelings.
CLOSING	3:02 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE NOVEMBER 5, 1983

CALLED	MEETING		Treasurer
MARVIN S. WHITTON	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. COCHRAN	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
FRANKLIN STEWART	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	ROBERT HORINE	Chaplain

OPENING	7:55 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample form on the M.M. degree at Best West Funeral Home, Main Street , Nicholasville Kentucky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced to the craft the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a Brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Frank Krekow Zweifel a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F. & A.M.
CLOSING	8:15 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Marvin S. Whitton
MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE NOVEMBER 7, 1983

CALLED	MEETING		Treasurer
MARVIN S. WHITTON	W. Master		Secretary
A.D. LANGFORD	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
FRANKLIN H. STEWART	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	ROBERT HORINE	Chaplain

OPENING	9:55 A.M. Lodge opened in Ample form on the M.M. Degree at Hilcrest Cemetery, Lexington , Kentucky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Cecil Milton Deatherage a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F. & A.M.
CLOSING	10:30 A.M. Lodge was called from labor to refreshments on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Marvin S. Whitton
MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE NOVEMBER 7, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
ELLIS McCOLLUM	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
WAYNE WILLIAMS	Junior Deacon	JIM ROBINSON	Chaplain

OPENING

7:33 P.M. Lodge was called from refreshments to labor on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of Oct. 17, 18, 22, and Nov. 4, 1983 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petitions of Steve Anthony Faul and Steven Burns for Initation and the petition of Gerard William DeBoer for Dual Membership were received from the committee and the ballot spread. Steve A. Faul and Steven Burns were elected to receive the three degrees of masonary. The petition of Gerard W. DeBoer was rejected.

CORRESPONDENCE

We received a card of appreciation from the family of deceased brother Jack Sutherland.
A letter of request for Demit from brother Shelton B. Sparks.
A letter from Devotion Lodge # 160 stating the petition of Joseph William Catt and John Davis Baumstark, jr. were rejected.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1. Letter Shop $251.94
   Dues notices & P.M. Dinner
2. Keystone Printing Co. $132.72
   P.M. Dinner Programs
3. Easley & Nelmes $94.50
   Floral Emblems for Clarke, Newnam, Sutherland & P.M. Dinner centerpiece
4. Campbell House $767.00
   P.M. Dinner on Oct. 21,
5. Charles Dietrich ~~$104.45~~ $140.45
   Reinbursment of expenses for M.M. Degree Lunch
6. Postmaster $106.35
   500 stamped window envelopes
7. Robert Davenport D.D.G.M. $ 13.00
   Refund for P.M. Dinner
8. Frank Rose $ 23.98
   office sup. & postage
9. Steve Olshewsky $ 15.99
   Refreshments
10. Gerard W. DeBoer (refund) $7.00
11. Shriners Hospital $ 25.00
    Memory of Bro Deatherage

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MINUTES CONTINUED NOV. 7,1983

NEW BUSINESS — A motion was made and second that we deposit $10,000.00 to our money market account.

GOOD OF THE ORDER — Brother Williams made a motion to purchace a second ballot box. After lodge discussion the motion did not carry.
The W.M. announced the appointing of a Bi-Centennial committee for the purpose of planning our upcoming Bi-Centennial anniversary in 1988. The following members were appointed to this committee:

Joseph Hager- 1yr.
Walter Johnston- 2yrs.
Whitfield Tandy- 3yrs.

SICK & DISTRESS — Brother Ward announced Bro. Hinds is at home from the hospital. Brother Baxter announced Bro. Danny Bruces wife has cnncer. The W.M. announced his Uncle passed away and asked the lodge to remember his family in prayer.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS — THE W.M. read the four proposed By-Law changes to the lodge. Brother Jim Robinson read each individual proposal of which was discussed and voted on by the lodge. All four proposals were rejected by lodge vote.
Attached to these minutes is a list of the proposed changes that were voted on.

Closing — 9:50 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

CORRECTION TO MINUTES — A MOTION WAS MADE AND PASSED THAT THIS year and each year for the next four years 2,500.00 be set aside in a special savings for our 1988 Bi Centennial

Frank M. Rose
SECRETARY

Gary Spalk
MASTER

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LEXINGTON LODGE No. 1 F.& A.M.

PROPOSED CHANGES IN BY-LAWS

ARTICLE 1, SECTION 1. (add second paragraph)

1. When degree work is to be conducted, Lodge may open at an earlier hour at the will and pleasure of the Master; except that no business other than reading of the minutes and reports from committees may be conducted prior to 7:30 P.M. local time.

ARTICLE 2, SECTION 13.
Modify the last sentence, regarding the tilers, to read:
"He shall be paid at the rate of $100.00 per annum."
(This is instead of the $50.00 now in effect.)

ARTICLE 3, SECTION 1, PARAGRAPH 1
Modify first sentence to read:
"Dues due and payable in advance on January 1st shall be twice that of all Grand Lodge dues and assessments OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR."
(The last clause, "Of the previous year" is being added to clear up a source of considerable confusion.)

ARTICLE 3, SECTION 2. (Insert a new section to read as follows)
"All members shall have the option of becoming sustaining members by paying life dues in one installment, or several installments during the year by agreement with the Treasurer, according to the following schedule:

MEMBERS AGE	PAYMENT
Less than 30	25 times annual dues
30-39	20 times annual dues
40-49	15 times annual dues
50 and over	10 times annual dues

Upon payment of the same, all members in good standing in the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, and Lexington Lodge #1, F.& A.M. shall be issued a dues card annually for life.

Sustaining memberships are not subject to refund. Article 9, Section 1, still governs withdrawals.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

MASTER

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE NOVEMBER 21,1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY (P.M.)	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Senior Warden	STEVEN OLSHEWSKY	Senior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
RICHARD RUSSELL	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
WAYNE WILLIAMS	Junior Deacon	CHARLES SHELEY	Chaplain

OPENING

7:33 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 9 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of November 7,1983 were read and ~~and~~ corrected and approved as read.

STANDING COMMITTEE

Brother Tandy reported to the lodge that a $2,500.00 C.D. has been purchased from the Second National Bank for our future Bi-Centennial Celebration.

CORRESPONDENCE

We received a card of appreciation from the Shriners Hospital for the $25.00 donation from our lodge in the memory of recently deceased Bro. Cecil M. Deatherage.

A written request for demits were received from bro. Raymond A. Wilkie, Dan D. Brock, Jr., Philip Wilson and Bro. Samuel S. Long, Jr. The W.M. announced he will assign a committee to visit Bro. Wilson.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

Columbia Steak House Deposit for M.A.D.	$50.00
Steve Olshewsky Refreshments	$15.82

GOOD Of THE ORDER

Brother Horine announced that Bro. Bob Davenport donated his $13.00 refund check from our lodge to the M.T.A.
D.D.G.M. Bob DAVENPORT congradulated our W.M on a successful year.
The W.M. announced our Masters Appreciation Dinner will be held on Dec. 12, Columbia Steak House , Alexandria Dr., at 7:00 P.M.

VISITORS

Bob Davenport, D.D.G.M. of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky. unofficial visit.

SICK and DISTRESS

The W.M. announced Bro. Wallace is having Gall-Bladder trouble and Bro. Aylward has been sick.
Lodge prayer was requested for the families of deceased brothers James Fraser and James Robinson.

CLOSING

8:05 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr
SECRETARY

Gary D Sparks
MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE NOVEMBER 22, 1983

CALLED	MEETING		Treasurer
MARVIN S. WHITTON(P.G.M.)	W. Master		Secretary
MAYNARD McCLAIN (P.M.)	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
FRANKLIN STEWART (P.M.)	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	ROBERT HORINE	Chaplain

OPENING	6:55 P.M. Lodge opened in Ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home, Lexington, Kentucky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting was to confer the Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother James Alexander Fraser a member of Lexington No. 1 F.& A.M.
CLOSING	7:15 P.M. Lodge closed in Ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Marvin S. Whitton
MASTER



Henry B. Noble

Born: December 5, 1920 Died: September 9, 1983

Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Kentucky

Free and Accepted Masons

1975-1976

The Most Worshipful
Grand Lodge of Kentucky
Free and Accepted Masons

Office of the Grand Master

Irvine, Kentucky, November 7, 1983

To the Officers and Brethren of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons and its constituent lodges, and to all Masons to whom these presents may come, this sorrowful greeting:

My Dear Brethren:

It is with profound sorrow that I officially announce to you the passing of our beloved Past Grand Master.

Henry B. Noble

who entered upon eternal rest, Friday, September 9, 1983 at Lexington, Kentucky.

Funeral Services were held in the First Baptist Church, Hazard, Kentucky at 2 P.M., Sunday, September 11, 1983, Reverend Ronald Sholar and Reverend J. F. Chandler officiating.

The Masonic Service followed with the R.˙.W.˙. Marvin S. Whitton, Past Grand Master, The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons, presiding, assisted by R.˙.W.˙. Past Grand Masters, John E. Moyers and R. Cliff Wilder.

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons was officially represented by M.˙.W.˙. Marlin White, Grand Master, R.˙.W.˙. Harold W. Downard, Grand Senior Warden, R.˙.W.˙. Joseph R. Conway, Grand Junior Warden, R.˙.W.˙. Virgil T. Larimore, Jr., Grand Treasurer, R.˙.W.˙. Joe C. McClanahan, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, R.˙.W.˙. Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M., R.˙.W.˙. Cliff Wilder, P.G.M., R.˙.W.˙. John E. Moyers, R.˙.W.˙. Robert M. Wilhite, Jr., P.G.M., R.˙.W.˙. R. Gay Price, P.G.M. and R.˙.W.˙. Kenneth C. Morgan, P.G.M. A number of Past and Present Committeemen and District Deputy Grand Masters were also in attendance.

Brother Noble was born in Wolfcoal, Kentucky on December 5, 1920, the son of Clarence Arnett Noble and Jane Allen Noble. On August 2, 1944 he married Zena Dare Hurt and they have two daughters, Patricia Ann and Maudella. He also helped raise Dr. Elmer B. Ratcliff and Patsy Fields.

Brother Noble received his education in the Jackson, Kentucky schools and he attended Lees Junior College and received his law degree from the Jefferson School of Law.

Brother Noble was a lawyer in Hazard, Kentucky and he served a four year term as Prosecuting Attorney in the City of Hazard, Hazard, Kentucky.

Brother Noble served in the U.S. Army from 1942 to 1946 in active duty during the Second World War and in the ERC, U.S. Army from 1946 to 1949.

Brother Noble was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Hazard, Kentucky, serving as teacher in the Junior and Men's Departments. He first affiliated with the Baptist Church in 1933 at Jackson, Kentucky.

MASONIC RECORD: Entered Apprentice, December 14, 1953; Fellow Craft, March 23, 1957; Master Mason, April 27, 1957 in Hazard Lodge No. 676, Hazard, Kentucky. He served Hazard Lodge as Master in 1964. He affiliated a dual member with Hardburley Lodge No. 924 on March 7, 1959 and served that lodge as Master in 1961.

GRAND LODGE: Grand Junior Warden October 19, 1972; Grand Senior Warden October 18, 1973; Deputy Grand Master, October 17, 1974 and Grand Master October 23, 1975.

Brother Noble served on the Jurisprudence Committee of the Grand Lodge and was always readily available to the Grand Lodge Office, when the need arose, to give counsel.

Brother Noble served on the Boards of the two Masonic Homes and contributed much to their well-being.

CHAPTER R.A.M.: Capitular degrees in Hazard Chapter No. 185 on May 31, 1957, Hazard, Kentucky. He served as High Priest.

COUNCIL, R.&S.M.: Cryptic degrees in Allison Holland Council No. 94, Hazard, Kentucky on June 29, 1957. He served as Illustrious Master.

COMMANDERY: Orders of Knighthood in Hazard Commandery No. 47, Hazard, Kentucky on February 8, 1958. He served as Eminent Commander.

SHRINE: Oleika Temple, Lexington, Kentucky. He served as Ambassador, Masonic Coordinator.

CONSISTORY: Louisville Consistory, Louisville, Kentucky, June 19, 1971, K.C.C.H.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR: Elizabeth Chapter 145, Hazard, Kentucky, April 8, 1958. He served as Worthy Patron.

Brother Noble also served as Master of the 3rd Grand Veil in the Grand Chapter and Inspector in the Grand Commandery.

Brother Noble is survived by his widow, Zena Hurt Noble; Mother, Jane Noble; Stepmother, Maude Gould; Two Daughters, Pat Noble and Cissi Jones; Two Foster Children, Dr. Elmer D. Ratcliff and Patsy Fields; One Brother, C. A. Noble, Jr.; Two Sisters, Georgia Sewell and Valora Turner; Five Grandchildren, Chad Clemons, Shyla Ratcliff, Melissa Ratcliff, Mitch Fields, and Holly Fields.

He cannot die who truly lives,
For virtue has immortal breath,
Which blossoms into life again and finds
Perfectness in its death.

If the seed be perfect, the harvest is sure;
If the fountain be sweet, the waters are pure;
If the present be right, the answer is plain;
If a man dieth he liveth again.

As a tribute of love and respect for the memory of our departed brother, it is ordered that this memorial be read in each lodge of this Grand Jurisdiction at the next stated communication after its receipt and that it be made a part of the records of the lodge.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Lodge this day and year first above written.

H. Kenneth Farley
Grand Master

GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY
SIT LUX ET LUX FUIT
A.D. MDCCC

Attest:

J. C. McClanahan
Grand Secretary

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE DECEMBER 5, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNW N. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JIM ROBERTSON	Chaplain

OPENING

7:32 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 13 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of Nov. 21, 1983 were read and approved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky in reference to correspondence from the Grand Lodge of Michigan, requesting our lodge ~~to~~ assistance ~~in~~ in presenting Brother Harley L. Morgan, 1025 Celia Lane, Lex., with his 40 year pin award from their lodge.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky in reference to correspondence from The Grand Lodge of Florida, requesting courtesy work from our lodge on the Fellow Craft Degree for Mark Thomas Shupe.

We received notice notice that Bro. Benjamin Willis Calvin died Sept. 7, 1982 in Arizona.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1.	Aaron Taylor Refund overpayment of dues	$27.00
2.	Grand Lodge of Kentucky 25 year pins - amt. 30	$126.00
3.	Frank Rose Stamps and postage due	$9.83
4.	Pantagraph Printing Co. 2-copies of 1984 lodge listings	$9.50
5.	Steve Olshewsky refreshments	$16.14
6.	Steven Olshewsky E.A. Lecturing	$100.00
7.	Richard Russell F.C.&M.M. Lecturing	$200.00
8.	Ralph Carter Tilers Fee	$50.00
9.	Whitfield Tandy Treasurer fee	$5.00
10.	Gary Sparks Masters Gift	$200.00
11.	Gift for Janitor Christmas	$10.00

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P. O. Box 8096

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GOOD of THE ORDER	Brother Ed Aylward who represented our lodge at the 184 th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, read to our lodge his report on the highlights of the meeting.
SICK and DISTRASS	Bro. Wayne Williams' Father had a hart attack and is in the hospital.
CLOSING	8:12 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

STRATHMORE BOND
25% COTTON FIBER USA

Frank M. Rose Jr.
SECRETARY

Gary D. Sparks
MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE DECEMBER 19, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY (P.M.)	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. ALYWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE N. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JIM ROBINSON	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 20 others present.

MINUTES

The minutes of December 5, 1983 were read and approved as read.

SELECT COMMITTEES

The W.M. told about his visit to the home of Brother Philip Wilson. Brother Wilson had resently requested a Demit from our lodge, but changed his mind after our W.M. visited him.

The W.M. also announced that he presented brother Willis R. Sutherland his 50 year award.

CORRESPONDENCE

The lodge received a thank you letter from Bro. John McQuiston for his 50 yr. award, and a thank you letter from Bro. Ralph May for his 40 yr. pin.

Cards of appreciation and thanks from the O.M.H. and the M.W.O.H., for our $50.00 ea. Christmas gift.

A letter from the daughter of Bro. Raymond R. Anderson informing our lodge that Bro. Anderson passed away on June 20, 1983 while living at their home in Albuquerque N.M.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1.	Easley and Nelmes Masonic Emblems for deceased Bro."s Zweifel, Fraser, & Robinson	$74.00
2.	Masonic Home Journal 2- books ea. of Suspension& Summons notices.	$12.80
3.	Letter Shop Deletions & Corrections	$28.46
4.	Ihling Bros.,& Everade Co.	$11.89
5.	Funeral Gloves	
5.	Steve Olshewsky Refreshments	$20.37
6.	Columbia Steak House M.A. Dinner - 45 Members	$352.75
7.	Lynn Card Co. Get Well cds. - amt. 100	$33.50
8.	M.W.O.H. Christmas Gift	$50.00
9.	O.M.H. " "	$50.00

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GOOD OF THE ORDER — By request from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, bro. secretary read the highlights of the 184 th. Annual Communication of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

WORK — 8:07 P.M. Lodge called from labor on the M.M. Degree to refreshment, preparatory to opening on the F.C. Degree.

8:10 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree. Brother Charles Shely examined Brother Mark Thomas Shupe on his F.C. Proficiency.

By vote of the Lodge, Bro. Shupe was declared proficient.

Brother Shupe came to our Lodge by request from the Cary B. Fish Lodge #346, Sarasota Fl. for courtesy instructions and examination on the F.C. Degree.

8:30 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.

8:37 P.M. Lodge was called from refreshments to labor on the M.M. Degree.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS — Bro. Whitfield Tandy made a motion, of which was second and passed that our Lodge use the same as we used in 1982 to audit our books. The firm of William M. Batsel, C.P. A., Shepherdsville, Kentucky.

Brother Ed.Aylward discussed the up-coming Distric Meeting in 1984

Bro. Aylward made a motion, due to holiday we cancell are meeting on Jan. 2, 1984. The motion was seconed and passed.

Brother Secretary made a motion that we deposit $5,000.00 out of our checking account into our Money Market Acc. Motion second. Motion carried.

CLOSING — 8:45 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose, Jr.
Secretary

Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 27, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY, P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE N. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JOSEPH S. HAGER, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 69 others present.

MINUTES

The Minutes of December 19,1983 were read and approved as read.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES

The W.M. informed the lodge that he personally presented to Bro. Daniel Richard Deane, his 50 year Membership Award.

CORRESPONDENCE

A request for Demit was received from Bro. Samual S. Long. Bro. Long, having all dues paid, was granted a certificate of Demit.

Bro. Secretary read a letter from the M.T.A., explaning the situation of our newly installed air conditioners and requesting donations.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

1. Rosemont Drugs $22.25
   P.M. Dinner pictures
2. Frank M. Rose, Jr. $1,782.00
   Secretary Salary

GOOD of THE ORDER

The W.M. presented P.M. Jim Potter, with the 1982 Distric Meeting Perfect Attendance Plaque and his Past Masters Certificate. Bro. Potter presented the Attendance Plaque to the Lodge Hall.

The W.M. gave his Out-Going Speech, which is to be made part of the minutes.

Bro. Ray O'Neal read a self prepared letter reflecting on lodge history, duties of an officer and how brothers in line should move up to carry out these duties.

The Master appointed Bro. Joseph Hager P.M., Bro. Richard Russell P.M., and Bro. Joel Baumgardner to serve as Tellers for the Annual Election of Officers of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F.& A.M. Bro. Richard Russell was replaced by Bro. Franklin Stewart P.M. The reason for his replacement was because Bro. Russell nominated a candidate for office.

After due process the following Brothers were elected:

Bro. Edward B. Aylward, Master
Bro. Robert E. Cleary, Senior Warden
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree, Junior Warden
Bro. Whitfield Tandy P.M., Treasurer
Bro. James H. Baxter P.M., Secretary
Bro. Charles Dietrich, Tiler
Bro. Ellis McCollum, P.M., 2 Year Representative to M.T.A.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. James D. Robertson, 2 Year Representative to M.T.A.
Bro. Theodore Walter, " " " " "
Bro. Gary D. Sparks, P.M. 1 Year " " "
The following will be serving the final year of their 2 year term.
Bro. Virgil Haycraft, Jr.
Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M.
Bro. Chester P. Care
The Master turned the Gavel over to the Installing Officer, Bro. Joseph R. Conway, Grand Senior Warden of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M.
All Officers were proclaimed Installed.
Bro. Conway thanked the Lodge and Bro. Aylward for allowing him to install the new Officers.
The newly installed Master, Bro. Edward Aylward gave his incoming speech which will be made a part of the Minutes.

VISITORS

The following Brother was reconized and welcomed.
Bro. Kenneth Aylward, Bro. Ed Aylwards father.
From Amity Lodge F.& A.M., Danvers Mass.

CLOSING

9:55 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose, Jr.
Frank M. Rose, Jr., Secretary
(Out Going)

Gary D. Sparks (Out Going Master)

James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary
(In Coming)

Edward B. Aylward (In Coming Master)

Dec 27, 1983
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My Brothers,

The infinite wisdom of those who laid the groundwork for this Honorable Fraternity decreed that the gavel must pass to another each year in December. That time has come again, this evening, and gladly I bow to their edict. But I must first give credit to those who made this past year so successful.

First I would like to thank our Secretary for 1983, Frank M. Rose. His dedication to his office is and has been a testament to his love for this Fraternity, and should serve many of us well as an example of a good Man and Mason.

I want to express my sincere and heartfelt thanks to those fine officers who have worked hard and long for this Lodge. I never asked that these true Brothers did not provide. Surely no Master, and no Lodge could ask for more.

I want to thank P.M. Richard Russell, who directed the Degree team and lectured two degrees.

I want to thank that same degree team that worked to make the third Degree more meaningful.

To the Funeral Committee goes my highest praise. You have worked your "Labor of Love" this year in the finest tradition that you, yourselves, have set over the years. This lodge, and this master are eternally grateful.

My Brothers, we were busy this year with our usual activities plus additional work. A memorable highlight of 1983 was the program we held to honor our 40 year members. We were proud to present the new pin to these Brothers and the success of the program was testimony to the good work of P.M. Jim Baxter and Brother Secretary Rose.

We had two Pot luck dinners this year, that were an unqualified success. I hope we've started a tradition, that will see us together with our families more often.

We obviously have not moved out of this building yet but I can assure you that the Masonic Temple Association is dedicated to it.

My Brothers, I leave you now, but not before I draw your attention to Him who sitteth Supreme. We meet in His name, and I only ask that we not forget that. May God bless us and all men everywhere.

Fraternally Thine
Gary Sparks

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 27, 1983

STATED	MEETING	WHITFIELD TANDY, P.M.	Treasurer
GARY D. SPARKS	W. Master	FRANK M. ROSE, JR.	Secretary
EDWARD B. AYLWARD	Senior Warden	WAYNE N. WILLIAMS	Senior Steward
ROBERT E. CLEARY	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
C. THOMAS HARDIGREE	Senior Deacon	RALPH CARTER	Tiler
STEPHEN B. WESTMEYER	Junior Deacon	JOSEPH S. HAGER, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above stated officers and 69 others present.
MINUTES REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES	The Minutes of December 19,1983 were read and approved as read. The W.M. informed the lodge that he personally presented to Bro. Daniel Richard Deane, his 50 year Membership Award.
CORRESPONDENCE	A request for Demit was received from Bro. Samual S. Long. Bro. Long, having all dues paid, was granted a certificate of Demit. Bro. Secretary read a letter from the M.T.A., explaning the situation of our newly installed air conditioners and requesting donations.
BILLS	The following bills were read and duly ordered paid: 1. Rosemont Drugs $22.25 P.M. Dinner pictures 2. Frank M. Rose, Jr. $1,782.00 Secretary Salary
GOOD of THE ORDER	The W.M. presented P.M. Jim Potter, with the 1982 Distric Meeting Perfect Attendance Plaque and his Past Masters Certificate. Bro. Potter presented the Attendance Plaque to the Lodge Hall. The W.M. gave his Out-Going Speech, which is to be made part of the minutes. Bro. Ray O'Neal read a self prepared letter reflecting on lodge history, duties of an officer and how brothers in line should move up to carry out these duties. The Master appointed Bro. Joseph Hager P.M., Bro. Richard Russell P.M., and Bro. Joel Baumgardner to serve as Tellers for the Annual Election of Officers of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F.& A.M. Bro. Richard Russell was replaced by Bro. Franklin Stewart P.M. The reason for his replacement was because Bro. Russell nominated a candidate for office. After due process the following Brothers were elected: Bro. Edward B. Aylward, Master Bro. Robert E. Cleary, Senior Warden Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree, Junior Warden Bro. Whitfield Tandy P.M., Treasurer Bro. James H. Baxter P.M., Secretary Bro. Charles Dietrich, Tiler Bro. Ellis McCollum, P.M., 2 Year Representative to M.T.A.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 4, 1984

CALLED	MEETING		Treasurer
~~Marvin S. Whitton (P.G.M.)~~	W. Master		Secretary
Franklin H. Stewart (P.M.)	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Maynard R. McClain (P.M.)	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	James H. Baxter (P.M.)	Chaplain

OPENING	7:50 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Milward Funeral Home (Southland) in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Masonic Rite upon Brother Robert W. Arnold a member of Eureka Lodge #290 F.&A.M. in Greeneville, PA. as a courtesy to Eureka Lodge #~~280~~ 290 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	8:20 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Marvin S. Whitton

MARVIN S. WHITTON, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

James H. Baxter

JAMES H. BAXTER, P.M.
(Secretary)

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.
P. O. Box 8096
Lexington, Kentucky 40533

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. James D. Robertson, 2 Year Representative to M.T.A.
Bro. Theodore Walter, " " " " "
Bro. Gary D. Sparks, P.M. 1 Year " " " (Ex Officio)

The following will be serving the final year of their 2 year term.
Bro. Virgil Haycraft, Jr.
Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M.
Bro. Chester P. Care

The Master turned the Gavel over to the Installing Officer, Bro. Joseph R. Conway, Grand Senior Warden of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.& A.M.
All Officers were proclaimed Installed.
Bro. Conway thanked the Lodge and Bro. Aylward for allowing him to install the new Officers.
The newly installed Master, Bro. Edward Aylward gave his incoming speech which will be made a part of the Minutes.

VISITORS

The following Brother was reconized and welcomed.
Bro. Kenneth Aylward, Bro. Ed Aylwards father.
From Amity Lodge F.& A.M., Danvers Mass.

CLOSING

9:55 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Frank M. Rose, Jr.
Frank M. Rose, Jr., Secretary
(Out Going)

Gary D. Sparks
Gary D. Sparks (Out Going Master)

James H. Baxter, P.M.
James H. Baxter (P.M.), Secretary
(In Coming)

Edward B. Aylward
Edward B. Aylward (In Coming Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 16, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Frank M. Rose, Jr.	Chaplain

OPENING

5:50 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 14 others present.
The Master announced the reason for notifing the Craft by mail of the earlier opening, was to confer the 1st. Section of the EA upon two candidates before dinner being served in Lodge Dining Room.
6:15 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. to Refreshment preparator to opening on the EA Degree.
6:20 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the EA Degree.
The Worshipful Master assisted by Bro. Cleary in the West, Bro. Hardigree in the South, Bro. Westmeyer serving as Sr. Deacon, and Bro. Williams serving as Sr. Steward conferred the 1st. Section of the EA Degree upon STEPHEN DALE BURNS and STEVE ANTHONY FAUL.
7:13 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the EA Degree to Refreshment.
The Chili Dinner prepared by Bros. Williams and Shely was enjoyed by all.
7:55 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the EA Degree.
Bro. Wayne Williams gave the EA Charge to the two newly obligated Brothers.
The Master asked the newly obligated Brothers if they would like to speak at this time.
Both expressed pleasure in being excepted and thanked the Lodge for conferring the work.
8:25 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the EA Degree.
8:29 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment on the M.M. Degree to Labor.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 27, 1983 and January 4, 1984 were read and approved with one correction.

REOBLIGATION

The Worshipful Master then called the Craft to our Holy Alter and lead the Craft in repeating the M.M. Obligation.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of Ronald Roy Wagoner to receive the Degrees of Masonry was received and Committee appointed.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Bro. Gerald D. Munger reporting the passing of his father, Bro. Charles A. Munger.

Arequest from Bros. Steven J. Olshewsky and John Duncan Jeter, Jr. for a demit. Both free of indebtness to the

CORRESPONDENCE (Con'td.)

Lodge, demit was granted.
A copy of a letter from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of KY. to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of PA. enclosing a transcript of the Masonic Service conferred by Lexington Lodge #1 for Bro. Robert W. Arnold, a late member of Eureka Lodge #290 of Greeneville, PA.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid:

# 998	James H. Baxter (50 Certified letters & 1 address correction)	$ 37.75
999	Parks & Recreation (Shelter #3 Shillito Park Aug. 11, 1984)	15.00
1000	Postmaster (27 Certified letters, 100-20¢ Stamps, and 200-5¢ Stamps)	50.25
1001	Letter Shop (1M 6 3/4 Stamped Window Env's. Corrections for Dec.)	269.54
1002	Gr. Lodge of KY. (1 Book of Constitution)	12.60
1003	Letter Shop (1M Officers & Greeting Letter 1M #10 Stamped Env's.)	362.90
1004	Masonic Home Journal (3Pads Summons notices)	9.71
1005	Hurst Office Suppliers (Invoice #166752)	21.04
1006	Charles Shely (Refreshments 1/16/84)	19.78
1007	Wayne Williams (Refreshments 1/16/84)	33.02
1008	Charles A. Munger (Refund "84 Dues)	27.00

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bro. Gary D. Sparks, P.M. made a report on the M.T.A. and answered questions from the brothers.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Secretary read a list, which is attached to Minutes, of Delinquent Members.
Motion made and Second that the '83 & '84 Dues of the following brothers be Remitted:
Fountain Maupin, William R. Saunier, Samuel T. Swartz, George E. Umstead, and William M. Underwood
The Worshipful Master announced that the Officers would be visiting the two Masonic Homes on Sunday Jan. 29th. and invited all brothers to joined them.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Walter Johnston reported on Bro. Orah Hamilton's health.
Bro. Secretary reported that cards had been sent to Bros. Norman Linquist, George Gill, and Mort Kent.
Bro. Secretary reported on the deaths of Bros. Mort A. Kent, William F. Allen, and Charles A. Munger.

VISITORS

The Master and the Craft welcomed Bro. Gilbert E. Smith, a member of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954, who has agreed to serve as Photographer for Lexington Lodge #1 this year.

CLOSING

9:40 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Edwin B. Aylward
Master

James H. Baxter
Secretary

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE January 29, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	7:55 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting is to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Willis R. Sutherland, a 50 Year Member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	8:15 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M., Acting Master

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 6, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	Raymond F. Lee, Jr. Act.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 7 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of January 16 & 29, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petitions of CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, and JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY for INITIATION were received and Committees appointed.

SELECT COMMITTEES

Dr. Ellis Taylor of the Blood Drive Committee stated that a Blood Mobile would come to the Temple on a Sunday, when 10 to 15 members could arrange to be present and donate blood.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from St. Andrews #18 F.&A.M., Cynthiana for a Waiver of Jurisdiction for GEORGE THOMAS FLORENCE, who has Petition St. Andrews for INITIATION. Motion made, second, and carried to receive the request and Committee appointed.

A letter from Eureka Lodge #290 F.&A.M. of Greenville, PA including a check for $21.00, thanking Lexington Lodge #1 for providing flowers and Masonic Funeral for our late Bro. Robert W. Arnold of Eureka Lodge #290.

A copy of a letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky to Mr. H.J. Potts of Stone Mountain, GA. advising him of the qualifications necessary for the widow of Bro. Walter Faulkner to enter the Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home of KY.

A thank you card from the family of Bro. Mort C. Kent.

A note written on the Dues Statement sent to Bro. William E. Curry by his wife, Mrs. Curry, to the effect that Bro. Curry is quite ill and her amazement of the Lodge's lack of concern in not contacting him. Bro. Secretary wrote Mrs. Curry stating that Bro. Curry had not been in Lodge for several year, that we had not been notified that Bro. Curry was ill, in fact neither she nor Bro. Curry had notified the Lodge of change of address and that it had taken some effort to even find Bro. Curry. Mrs. Curry was told that the Lodge would remit Bro. Curry's dues if he was in distress and that the Lodge would assist her and Bro. Curry in any way, if she would advise us what she needed.

The Worshipful Master appointed Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree to further investigate the situation regarding Bro. Curry.

MINUTES

(Minute of February 6, 1984 Continued)

WORK

8:09 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to Opening on the EA Degree.
8:13 p.m. Lodge Opened in form on the EA Degree with Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer acting as Master assisted by Bro. Aylward in the South, Bro. Hardigree in the West, Bro. Williams serving as Sr. Deacon, and Bro. Taylor serving as Sr. Steward, conferred the First Section of the EA Degree upon a mock candidate, Bro. James E. Atherton, Jr.. This work was for edification of all but more especially for the Officer conferring the work and Bros. Burns and Faul, resently Initiated as Entered Apprentice, who observed from the Northeast Corner of the Lodge.
Bro. Ellis Taylor gave the EA Charge.
9:33 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the EA Degree.
9:35 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Clarence Rogers (Move file cabinet)	$ 25.00
Easley & Nelmes (Emb. for Bros. Arnold and Kent)	42.00
Old Masons' Home (In memory of Bro. Sutherland)	20.00
Charles Shely (Refreshments Feb. 6, 1984)	26.67

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. William E. Curry reported ill.
Bro. Richard L. Baxter's wife reported ill.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A list of Delinquent Members was read for the second time.
A motion was made, second and carried to remit the dues of Bro. J. Harrison Sallee.
At the request of the Worshipful Master, Bro. Richard W. Russell, P.M. installed Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M. as Chaplain of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

CLOSING

10:14 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter
James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Raymond F. Lee Jr.
Raymond F. Lee, Jr. (Acting Secretary

Edward B. Aylward
Edward B. Aylward, Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE February 20, 1984

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:15 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 7 others present.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to examine two brothers returning their EA Proficiency.
7:18 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the EA Degree.
7:26 p.m. Lodge Opened in ample form on the EA Degree.
Brother Wayne N. Williams examined Bros. STEPHEN DALE BURNS and STEVE ANTHONY FAUL, who by vote of the Lodge were declared Proficient.
7:51 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the EA Degree.

WORK

7:59 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the FC Degree.
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree assumed the East and assisted by Bro. Cleary in the West, Bro. Aylward in the ~~West~~ SOUTH, Bro. Westmeyer as S.D., Bro. Williams as J.D. and Bro. Taylor as S.S. conferred the First Section of the FC Degree upon Bros. STEPHEN DALE BURNS and STEVE ANTHONY FAUL.
Bro. Williams gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. Aylward gave the Letter "G" Lecture.
9:32 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the FC Degree.
9:35 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

MINUTES

Minutes of February 6, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of RONALD RAY WAGONER was received from the Committee. Motion made to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. Motion Second and Carried. The result of the ballot RONALD RAY WAGONER was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

A call from Mrs. Frances Quinn that Bro. William Otis Quinn was still ill and that Nursing Insurance had been cancelled. She stated that they had run out of money and desired admittance to the Masonic Home. Bro. Secretary stated the he had contacted the Grand Secretary, who in turn would call Bro. Petus in Bradenton, FL. to assist the Quinn Family.
A letter from Howard J. Potts about taking Mrs. Blanche Faulkner, widow of Bro. Walter Faulkner to visit the M.W.&O. HOME. Bro. Secretary was notified by phone that Mrs.

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CORRESPONDENCE (continued) Faulkner did not want to visit the Home at this time. A letter from Bro. Robert W. Davenport, D.D.G.M. stating that March 5, 1984 would be his Official Visit. Also reminding us that the District Meeting would be held at Oleika Temple on March 22, 1984, with dinner served at 6:00 p.m., followed by tiled Meeting.

BILLS

BILLS The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

Lafayette Studio (One 3x5 Picture of Bro. Sparks, P.M.)	$ 15.23
Postmaster (1 Year rental of P.O. Box 8096)	26.00
William M. Batsel (Audit 1983 & 990 for 1983)	250.00
Ellis R. Taylor (Refreshments Feb. 20, 1984)	22.40

GOOD OF THE ORDER The Worshipful Master spoke on the District Masters Meetings, encourage all to join District Degree Team, a District Pot Luck Dinner was being planned, and that the next Meeting would be held April 8, 1984. The Master also announced that Robert M. Sirkle Lodge would have a M.M. Raising Feb 25th.. The Master appointed Bro. Charles c. Shely to be responsible for the Past Master Frame and pictures.

SICK AND DISTRESS Bro. William O. Quinn and Bro. D.V. Sublett reported ill.

VISITORS Bro. Joe Alexander of Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M. visited with us but due to lack of heat in the Lodge, left before Lodge was closed.

CLOSING 10:15 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

List of Delinquents read and attached to Minutes.

James H. Baxter

JAMES H. BAXTER, P.M., SECRETARY

Edward B. Aylward

EDWARD B. AYLWARD, MASTER

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 4, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E. B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	7:25 P.M. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home, N. Broadway, in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Leonard Paul Vastine, a member of Bostwick Lodge #508 F.&A.M., of Butler, Ky., as a courtesy to Bostwick Lodge #508 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	7:45 P.M. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 5, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden	James Robinson	Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 12 others present.
Worshipful Robert W. Davenport, D.D.G.M. was escorted into the Lodge Room, introduced, welcomed and escorted to the East. The Worshipful Master offered his Hiram and Crown. The D.D.G.M. used the Hiram to seat the Craft and took a seat on the sideline.

MINUTES

The Minutes of Feb. 20, & Mar. 4, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petitions of CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, and JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY for Initiation along with the request of GEORGE THOMAS FLORENCE for a Waiver of Jurisdiction to St Andrews Lodge #18 F.&A.M., Cynthiana, Ky., were received from the Committees.
Motion was made and second to discharge the Committees with thanks and spread the ballot. Result of the Ballot CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, and JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY were elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.
Result of the ballot GEORGE THOMAS FLORENCE was granted a Waiver of Jurisdiction.

COMMUNICATION

A request from Bro. KENNETH MARION JONES for a Demit, this brother being free of all indebtness to the Lodge, Demit was granted.
A note of appreciation from the Family of Willis R. Sutherland.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

#1018	Thomas Huston, Inc. (Installation pictures)	$ 29.93
1019	Charles Shely (Void Ck. 1012, Refreshments for Mar. 5, 1984)	54.19

$10,000.00 taken from M.M. Acc't. to purchase C.D. # 83173

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Sparks reported on the M.T.A.. He stated that the cost of lawyers, witnesses, etc., to bring suit against K.U. would come to about $ 7, 000.00. He also stated that there was a chance that the land might be used as a Golf Driving Range.
Bro. Davenport, D.D.G.M. spoke briefly about the Grand Master's health, Films on the Homes, and the upcoming

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P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

District Meeting to be held at Oleika Temple on March 22, 1984, dinner to be served at 6:00 P.M., followed by a tiled meeting.

SICK AND DISTRESSED

It was reported that Bro. Burns Mother had suffered a heart attack. Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. Richard Baxter and his wife had presented the family with a son on March 1, 1984. Bro. Secretary also announced that his Mother-in-Law was in a Nashville Hospital with a heart attack.

WORK

8:56 P.M. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the EA Degree.
9:00 P.M. Lodge opened in form on the EA Degree.
Bro. Stephen Westmeyer assumed the East, with Bro. Cleary in the West, Bro. Aylward in the South, Bro. Williams as S.D., Bro. Shely as J.D., and Bro. Taylor as S.S., conferred the First Section of the EA Degree. Bro. Taylor gave the EA Charge.
10:17 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the EA Degree.
10:19 Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
The Worshipful congradulated the Officers on their Work.
Announcement was made that Devotion Lodge would have a M.M. Raising Saturday, March 10, 1984 at 1:00 P.M..

CLOSING

10:27 P.M. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Edward B. Aylward, Master

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

THE GRAND LODGE of KENTUCKY, F. & A. M.

M.·.W.·.H. KENNETH FARLEY, Grand Master

District No. 25

Robert W. Davenport
Deputy's name (Please print)

I visited Lexington Lodge No. 1, Town of Lexington County of Fayette on 5, March 1984, and submit the following report: Total membership to date? 1154

Total Present? 23 Past Masters present? 5 50 year members present? 0 40 year members present? 0 25 year members present? 3 2 years or less present? 4. How many of those members less than two years are officers in the Lodge? 2.

Regular Officers Present (Circle) (W.M.) (S.W.) J.W. (Treas.) (Secy.) S.D. J.D. S.S. J.S. (Tiler) (Chap.)

(State): The lodge whose Master has all eleven (11) officers, as set by Section 72 of the Constitution, plus five (5) members present at the District Meeting will receive an award. Make up will be allowed.

Number of stated meetings during the calendar year 1983. 24

Was Lodge represented at the last District Meeting? yes

Is the lodge using the Masonic Educational material provided by Grand Lodge? yes

Does the lodge have a Masonic Educational Committee? yes. If no, why not? _____

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Does the lodge have an up-to-date Book of Constitutions in the lodge room? yes.

If not urge them to do so.

Does the Secretary send monthly report in by the 10th of the following month? yes.

If not, why? _____

Does the Master hold his proficiency card? yes Does the S.W.? yes J.W.? yes (Section 76.)

When does the Secretary mail dues notices? October. When does the lodge suspend delinquent members? February. Does Secretary use the suspension forms? (See sample, Constitution, p. 169).

The Grand Master is requesting a list of all members up for suspension, as he wants to write them a personal letter. These lists need to be sent three months before the date of suspension. Do not send the names of those of whom you do not have a correct address. Personal contact by the Master or Secretary is the best way to collect dues.

(State): (Master and Secretary, are you aware that the annual return **must** be mailed as soon as possible after its reception? Also, the remittance for Grand Lodge dues and assessments **must** be in the Grand Secretary's office on or before September 1st to avoid penalty of $1.00 per day for each delinquency.) (Sec. 139). yes

Master, are you aware that you must attend the District Meeting in your District? yes (Sec. 83 (7)).

Does the Secretary and/or Treasurer give a regular financial report to the lodge? yes.

Is a complete audit given and made a part of the minutes? yes. (Sec. 137) District Deputy read Sec. 137 to Lodge).

How many present have visited the M. W. & O. Home? 11 The Old Masons' Home? 13.

Does the Lodge know the proper procedure for admitting members to the Homes? yes

Does the Lodge have recommendations on subjects and methods for conducting District Meetings? If so use back of this report. No

For the District Deputy:

~~Does peace and harmony reign within the Lodge?~~ yes

Did the lodge have any suggestions or recommendations to make to the Grand Lodge for the good of the order? If yes, use back of this report form. yes See BACK of Form

(District Deputy encourage comments.)

Lodge's Copy

Bro. Gary Sparks, P.M. Recommended to the Grand Lodge that All Balloting upon Amendment to the Constitution should be upon A Strict reading of that Amendment and not upon the recommendation of the Jurisprudence Comm. Hee

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE March 19, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	Raymond F. Lee, Jr.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Gary D. Sparks, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 15 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of March 5, 1984 were read and approved with correction on Bro. Gary Sparks' report on the M.T.A..

PETITIONS TO BE PRESENTED

The Petition for Initiation from JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY was received and committee appointed.

SELECT COMMITTEE

Bro. Hardigree reported that he had visited with the following Bros. Samuel T. Swartz, Fountain D. Maupin, and George E. Umstead and presented them with their Dues Card, which the Lodge had remitted.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from John W. Hall Lodge #950 F.&A.M. stating that they would place the name of William "Bosh" Petry before the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M. at the next annual communication as a nomination to the Office of Grand Junior Warden.

A copy of a letter to the D.D.G.M. from the Grand Secretary concerning a recommendation present to the D.D.G.M . during his late visit to Lexington Lodge #1.

A letter from Bowling Green Lodge #73 F.&A.M. asking for assistance in verifing the whereabout of Bro. James G. Woodruff, a member of that Lodge.

A letter from the wife of Bro. Bennie Walker, stating that Bro. Walker had undergone colon cancer surgery, and asked the Lodge for compassion and assistance.

BILLS

The following bill was read and duly ordered paid.
Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 03/19/84 #1020) $22.99

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Sparks reported on the M.T.A., concerning fees for attorneys, sewers on Richmond Rd., pipes bad in building, and new janitor to be hired.

The W.M. spoke on the membership survey report.

VISITORS

Our visitor was Bro. James R. Gentry, Master of Robert M Sirkle Lodge #954 F.&A.M.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. John W. Foley was reported to have had surgery in the V.A. Hospital in N. Chicago.

MINUTES

(Minutes of March 19, 1984 continued)

WORK

8:15 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the EA Degree.
8:26 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the EA Degree.
Bro. Westmeyer assumed the East and assisted by Bro. Cleary in the West, Bro. Hardigree in the South, Bro Williams as S.D., Bro. Shely as J.D., and Bro. Taylor as S.S., conferred the First Section of the EA Degree upon CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, and JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY.
Bro. Ellis R. Taylor gave the EA Lecture.
9:47 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the EA Degree.
9:56 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the FC Degree.
Bro. Charles C. Shely examined Bro. Stephen Dale Burns and Bro. Steve Anthony Faul on their FC Proficiency. By vote of the Lodge both were declared proficient.
10:17 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the FC Degree.
10:20 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the MM Degree.
10:27 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Raymond F. Lee Jr.
Raymond F. Lee, Jr.
(Acting Secretary)

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 2, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Charles C. Shely	Junior Deacon	E. Glenn Riggs	Chaplain

OPENING

7:15 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 3 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of March 19, 1984 were read and approved as read.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Bro. Cleary reported that the Family Picnic would be held on August 11, 1984 at Shillito Park - Shelter #3, more news will be forthcoming.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. John V. Moore (Deceased).
A letter from Bostwick Lodge #508 F.&A.M. thanking Lexington Lodge #1 for taking care of flowers and Masonic Rites conferred upon Bro. Leonard Paul Vastine a member of Bostwick Lodge , who passed away in Lexington.
A letter from Solomon's Lodge #5 F.&A.M. asking for a Waiver of Jurisdiction on KERRY DEWAYNE SIZEMORE of 151 Todds Road, Apt. #308, Lexington, KY. 40509, who petitioned Solomon's Lodge for Initiation.
A letter from Bro. Chester P. Care, Secretary of the M.T.A. stating that our rent for 1984 would be the same as last year, 2,894.00 Dollars.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1021	Central Business Systems, Inc. (Repair typewriter)	$ 185.07
1022	Keystone Printery, Inc. (Inv's. #84-0287 & 84-0288)	138.92
1023	Richard N. Stroup (Refund on dues)	21.00
1024	James H. Baxter (4 Address correction postage & 4 Long distant phone calls)	6.30
1025	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 04/02/84)	24.56
1026	Masonic Temple Ass'n. (Rent 1984)	2,894.00
1027	Easley & Nelmes Flowers, Inc. (Embs. for Bros. Vastine, Moore, and Boston.	63.00

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Ellis McCollum reported that Bro. George McCollum had undergone heart surgery at Jewish Hospital in Louisville, Ky.

MINUTES

(Minutes of April 2, 1984 continued)

GOOD OF THE ORDER	The Master announced that there would be a Called Meeting at 8:45 a.m., Saturday, April 14, 1984 for the purpose of conferring the M.M. Degree upon several Brother Fellow Craft Masons.
CLOSING	7:43 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Edward B. Aylward

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 14, 1984

Called	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

8:55 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, with the above Officers and 11 others present.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this called meeting, was to confer the M.M Degree upon two brothers.

WORK

The lodge was called at ease and Bro. Robert E. Cleary assumed the East, assisted by Bro. Edward B. Aylward in the West, Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree in the South, Bro. Stephen B Westmeyer as S.D., Bro. Wayne N. Williams as J.D., and Bro. Charles C.Shely as S.S. conferred the 1st. Section of the M.M. Degree upon Bro. STEPHEN DALE BURNS and Bro. STEVE ANTHONY FAUL.

Bro. James H. Baxter, P.M., raised Bro. STEVE ANTHONY FAUL to the sublime Degree of Master Mason in short form assisted by Bro. Donald Faul in the West, Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M. as S.D., Bro. Wayne N. Williams as J.D., Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer as J--A., Bro. Garry N. Walls as J--O., and Bro. Edward B. Aylward as J--M..

Bro. STEPHEN DALE BURNS was raised in long form with the Legend of the Temple being presented by the following cast.

CHAP.	Bro. Ted Walter	ZEBU	Bro. Joel Baumgartner
K.S.	Bro. Walter S. Johnston	WFM	Bro. Clifford Wallace
H.K.T.	Bro. Wayne N. Williams	SC	Bro. Charles Shely
S.D.	Bro. Joseph S. Hager	RM	Bro. Victor Uttinger
J.D.	Bro. Chester P. Care		
J-A	Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer		FELLOWCRAFT
J-O	Bro. Garry N. Walls		
J-M	Bro. Edward B. Aylward		Bro. Ralph Smith
ZEPH	Bro. C Thomas Hardigree		Bro. Tommy Wolfe
ABRA	Bro. Robert E. Cleary		Caution Lodge #798
BELS	Bro. Charles W. Dietrich		Bro. Howard Florence
BENJ	Bro. James Robinson		Scott Lodge #702

Bro. Walter S. Johnston gave the M.M Lecture and the Tiler's Oath to the newly Raised Brothers.

The Degree Team was recognized by the Degree Team Captain, Bro. Charles C. Shely.

The Worshipful Master congradulated the Newly Raised Brothers and reminded them to get their M.M Proficiency while it was fresh on their mind. He also thanked the Degree Team for a job well done.

MINUTES

(Minutes of April 14, 1984 continued)

CLOSING — 12:50 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree, with the Master reminding lunch would be served following the closing of Lodge.

James H. Baxter, P.M.
James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 15, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. Mc Clain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:25 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home, in Lexington, Ky.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.

WORK

The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Masonic Rites upon Bro. Clarence Lewis Metts, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..

CLOSING

7:45 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE April 16, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	James Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 13 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of April 2, 14, and 15, 1984 read and approved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A request from Hobert Peyton for a demit to affiliate with Landmark Lodge #41 F.&A.M.. This brother free of all indebtness to Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M. demit was granted.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1028	Charles Dietrich (Refreshments M.M. Degree April 14,1984)	$ 143.64
1029	Old Masons' Home (In memory of Bro. Clarence Lewis Metts)	20.00
1030	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 04/16/84)	23.78
1031	DeMolay (Ad. in magazine)	100.00

NEW BUSINESS

Bro. Shely reported that the M.M. working jacket was in need of repair. The W.M. Appointed Bro. Shely to have Jacket repaired.

Bro. James M. Potter, P.M. made a motion that the Lodge purchase a full page in the DeMolay magazine. Motion second. Motion carried.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Hardigree reported that he had checked and Bro. James G. Woodruff for Bowling Green Lodge and had learned that Bro. Woodruff had passed away Jan. 1981 in Bowling Green.

Bro. Hardigree also reported that Bro. William R. Saunier had left the hospital and staying with a son.

Bro. Sparks reported on the M.T.A. .

Bro. Secretary reported that Solomon's Lodge #5 F.&A.M. was notified that Kerry Dewayne Sizemore had moved out of our jurisdiction and that our waiver of jurisdiction was not needed.

Bro. Treasurer asked about microfilm taken from bank box.

Bro. Sparks said that he would research what had been done with the film, and if the late MINUTES had been microfilmed.

VISITORS

Bro. Mike Robertson of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 F.&A.M. was introduced and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESSED

Bro. Clarence Lewis Metts passed away April 13, 1984.

MINUTES

(Minutes of April 16, 1984 continued)

SICK AND DISTRESS (Cont'd.)

Bro. Frank Rose was presented with a daughter on Thursday.
Bro. Steve Faul was presented with a daughter on Friday.
Bro. Raymond Lee was reported ill.

WORK

8:07 p.m. Lodge called from labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment , preparatory to opening on the EA Degree.
8:13 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the EA Degree.
Bro. Wayne N. Williams examined Bro. CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, Bro. JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, Bro. JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY, and Bro. RONALD RAY WAGONER on their EA Proficiency. By vote of the Lodge all were declared proficient.
Bro. Williams thanked Bro. Les Bolin and Bro. James Lewis for their assistance in preparing the EA Masons.
8:34 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the EA Degree.
8:41 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the FC Degree.
Lodge declared at ease while the Officers conferring the FC Degree took their stations.
Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree assumed the East assisted by Bro. Robert E. Cleary in the West, Bro. Edward B. Aylward in the South, Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer as SD, Bro. Wayne N. Williams as JD, and Bro. Ellis R. Taylor as SS conferred the 1st. Section of the FC Degree upon Bros. CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY, and RONALD RAY WAGONER. Bro. Wayne N. Williams gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. Charles C. Shely gave the Letter "G" Lecture.
The WM Congradulate the candidates and the officers for their work.
10:17 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the FC Degree.
10:19 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the MM Degree.
The WM announced that the Officers would move up for the May Meeting due to his being out of town.

CLOSING

10:27 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the MM Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Edward B. Aylward

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 7, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Robert E. Cleary	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Joseph S. Hager, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 11 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of April 16, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The petition of WILLIAM MARK TANIS for Initiation, the petition of ROBERT ALLEN POWELL for Dual Membership, and the petition of GORDON HAMILTON FAIR, JR. for Affiliation were received and Committees appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The petition of JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY for Initiation was received from the Committee. Motion was made and Second to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. Result of the ballot, JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

Note of appreciation from Old Masons' Home for contribution in memory of BRO. CLARENCE LEWIS METTS, from Shriners' Hospital for contribution of food, and from the Family of BRO. MAURICE PARSONS.

A letter from Lonesome Pine Lodge #884, F.&A.M. stating that the record of BRO. FRED HAZEN had been corrected and his name removed from their membership roll.

A letter from Bro. Thomas D. Scott, Administrator of the O.M.H. reminding the Fayette County Lodges of their responsibility Of conducting Devotional Services at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 29, 1984.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1032	Central Business Systems, Inc. (Inv. #1152)	$ 24.15
1033	Easley & Nelmes Flowers, Inc. (Emblem for Bro. Maurice Parsons)	21.00
1034	Charles Shely (Refreshments 05/07/84)	23.28
1035	The Letter Shop (Apr. 30, 1984, Invoice)	10.55

VISITORS

Introduced and welcomed were Bro. Joe Horine of Lodge # and Bro. Leon Cox, Master of Devotion Lodge #160, F.&A.M..

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Ward announced that Bro. James M. Anderson, P.M. of Devotion Lodge was in St. Joseph Hospital.

MINUTES

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CLOSING 8:08 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter, P.M.

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Robert E. Cleary

Robert E. Cleary (Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE May 21, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Charles C. Shely	Junior Deacon	Gary D. Sparks	Chaplain

OPENING

7:45 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 14 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of May 7, 1984 were read and approved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Smith Lodge #775 F.&A.M., Flatwood, Ky. inviting all to their Annual Outdoor Raising on July 21, 1984.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1036	First Security National Bank (Purchase C.D. #83305)	$ 8,664.77
1037	Thomas Huston, INC. (M.M. Raising Pictures)	22.05
1038	Shriners' Hospital (In memory of Bro. Veach)	20.00
1039	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 05/21/84)	23.08

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bro. Frank Rose reported that he was still looking for a Master Mason to microfilm the Minutes. He thought that he had left the previously microfilmed Minutes in the Secretary's safe, but found them in his briefcase.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Gary Sparks reported that the Masonic Temple Ass'n. did not have an auditor but that the expenses for the year were posted on the wall downstairs. That tobacco would be grown on the farm this year. The proposed Golf Range has been dropped due to unavailability to get service road right-of-way.

The Master announced that a notice of election for a vacancy on the M.T.A. would be placed in the Masonic Journal and that the election would be held on the next Stated Meeting after appearance in the Journal.

The Master also appointed a By-Laws Committee composed of Bro. Richard Russell, Bro. Ted Walter, and Bro. E.B. Foley.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Sparks reported that Bro. O'Neill Master of Hart Lodge was killed in a crash in Atlanta, GA., and that his wife, Dorothy was in critical condition in an Atlanta Hospital.

Bro. Johnston reported that Bro. James M. Anderson, P.M. of Devotion Lodge was in serious condition at the St. Joseph's Hospital.

Bro. Secretary reported the death of Bro. Stephen Burns' Mother, Bro. Melvin Brill's Wife, and Bro. Emmett Louis Veach, Jr., a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.

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VISITORS — The following visiting Brothers were recognized and welcomed.
Bro. Gordon H. Fair, Jr., Daylight Lodge #760, Louisville.
Bro. Mark Shupe, Cary B. Fish Lodge #346, Sarasota, FL.
Bro. Ernest Jarvis, P.M., Anaheim Lodge #207, Anaheim, CA.
Bro. Herbert Baker, P.M., Leaksville Lodge #136, Eden, NC.

WORK — 8:24 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:29 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer assumed the East assisted by Bro. Cleary as S.W., Bro. Richard W. Russell, P.M. as J.W., Bro. Aylward as S.D., Bro. Shely as J.D., and Bro. Taylor as S.S. conferred the First Section of the E.A. Degree upon JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY.
Bro. Ellis R. Taylor gave the E.A. Charge.
10:10 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
10:12 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
The Worshipful Master spoke to the Lodge about how important the Lessons taught in the E.A. Degree were to him and hoped that each of us would take a part of the lessons on the cabletow, apron, or Bible to our life in association with our fellowman.

CLOSING — 10:25 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 4, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Gary D. Sparks, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Charles C. Shely	Junior Deacon	Ted Walter	Chaplain

OPENING

7:44 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 12 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of May 21, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON for Initiation was received and Committee appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of BRO. ROBERT ALLEN POWELL for Dual Membership by Affiliation was received from the Committee. Motion made and second that Committee be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion carried. Result of the ballot BRO. ROBERT ALLEN POWELL was elected to Dual Membership by Affiliation.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation from the family of Brd. Daniel Richard Deane.

An acknowledgement from Shriners' Hospital of gift in memory of Brd. Emmett Louis Veach, Jr..

A letter from Mercer Lodge #777, F.&A.M. of Harrodsburg, KY stating that their Committee had conferred the Last Sad Rites upon Brd. Carl Lee Underwood, a member of Lexington Lodge #1, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

A letter from Calvert City Lodge #543 of Calvert City, Ky., stating that their Committee had conferred the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Emmett Louis Veach, Jr., a member of Lexington Lodge #1, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

A letter from Plain City Lodge #449, F.&A.M. of Paducah, KY stating that their Committee had conferred the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Nelson Harvey Bogie, a member of Lexington Lodge #1, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

A special invitation from BRO. AUGUSTUS C. BRICKEY for all members of Lexington Lodge #1 and their families to attend Appreciation Day at the Old Masons' Home on July 22, 1984. Reservations should be made no later than July 6, 1984, with your Secretary.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1040 Old Masons' Home (Memory of Bro. Nelson H. Bogie) $ 20.00

1041 Old Masons' Home (Memory of Bro. Carl Lee Underwood) 20.00

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BILLS (CONT'D.)

1042 Easley & Nelmes Flowers, Inc. (Emb. for Bro. Daniel Deane) 21.00

1043 Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 06/04/84) 24.23

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Cleary reported that the Family Fish Fry would be held on August 11, 1984 at shelter #3 in Shillito Park.
The Master reported that the M.M. Degree would be conferred on June 23, 1984, starting at 9:00 a.m..
Bro. Cleary reported that the Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M. had been contacted about installing the Officers of Lexington Lodge #1 in December, as there was a conflict with December 27th. date, the Grand Senior Warden gave dispensation for holding the election and installation on December 17, 1984.
Bro. Cleary made a motion that the election and installation of Officers of Lexington Lodge #1, F.&A.M. be held on December 17, 1984, our stated meeting on the third Monday of December. Motion second by Bro. Secretary. Motion carried.

VISITORS

Brothers from Campbellville Lodge and Cary B. Fish Lodge were recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESSED

Bro. Secretary announced the passing of Bro. Nelson H. Bogie and Bro. Carl Lee Underwood.
Bro. Secretary stated that a request for a courtesy funeral service for Bro. Burnett Sanders, a member of Lincoln Lodge #60, was received but due to insufficient time before burial we were unable tocomplete details. A letter was mailed along with funeral notice to Lincoln Lodge #60 explaining why services were not conferred.

WORK

8:13 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the F.C. Degree.
8:19 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. Charles Shely examined BRO. CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, BRO. JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, BRO. JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY, and BRO. RONALD RAY WAGONER on their F.C. Proficiency.
Bro. Cleary made a motion that the Brothers be declared Proficient. Motion second. By vote of the Lodge, all were declared Proficient.
8:40 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
8:42 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CLOSING

8:49 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Edward B. Stamps

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 15, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
~~Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.~~	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	11:59 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree, at Lexington Cemetery in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of the Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Harvey Warren, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	12:34 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 18, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Gary D. Sparks, P.M.	Senior Deacon	Clifford Wallace	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Walter Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:44 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 4 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of June 4 and June 15, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of GORDON HAMILTON FAIR, JR. for Affiliation, and the Petition of WILLIAM MARK TANIS for Initiation were received from the Committees. Motion made and second that the Committees be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion carried. Result of the ballot GORDON HAMILTON FAIR, JR. was elected to membership by Affiliation and WILLIAM MARK TANIS was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

A notice on the passing of Bro. Edwin E. Freshney, P.G.M. by the Grand Lodge of Kentucky F.&A.M.
A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. Emmett L. Veach, Jr.
A notice of suspension of members for N.P.D. from Robert M. Sirkle Lodge #954 F.&A.M..
A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky with a request from the Grand Lodge of Florida and Cary B. Fish Lodge #346 of Florida that Lexington Lodge #1 instruct and examine Bro. MARK THOMAS SHUPE on the Third Degree.

BILLS

The following bill was read and duly ordered paid.
1044 Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 06/18/84) $ 18.91

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Wayne Williams made a motion second by Bro. Gary Sparks that the Stated Meeting of July 2, 1984 be cancelled. Motion carried.
Bro. Williams reported on visiting a New Jersey Lodge and some of the differences.
A note from ROBERT A. SPARKS requesting a demit. This brother free of all indebtness to Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M., DEMIT WAS GRANTED.
Bro. Secretary announced that the Officers of Robert M. Sirkle Lodge would confer the First Section of the M.M. Degree on June 23, 1984, as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.
Bro. Sparks reported on the M.T.A. Meeting, reported that repairs would be made on the Lodge Hall, that a survey was

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

to made of the propety at 144 N. B'way. A contract to be renegotiated with leaseer of farm. And that a pre-trial hearing had been held on suit with K.U.
Bro Sparks stated that the Taylor Estate Settlement had been handled out of court, and that the Lodge should hear from Bro. Walter soon.
The Worshipful Master announced that a District Picnic would be held in September. Also that there would be a District Raising at Salt Petre Cave in Rockcastle Co. on September 8, 1984 and that he had volunteered his services and that of Bro. Walter Johnston.

VISITORS

Our only visitor was Bro. Mark Thomas Shupe of Florida, who was welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary reported the passing of Bro. Harvey Warren and Bro. Wm. Hansel Lane.
The Master announced about visiting Bro. A.C. Brickey in King's Daughter Hospital in Shelbyville, Ky.
A letter from Mrs Ralph Baumgardner requesting aid.
Bro. Sparks asked the Lodge to remember his uncle, who has visited this Lodge, due to loss of his sister and Bro. Gary Sparks' aunt.

CLOSING

The Master announced the Called Meeting on June 23, 1984 to confer the M.M. Degree upon several brothers.
8:49 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 23, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Charles C. Shely	Junior Deacon	James P. Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING

9:15 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 15 others present.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer the Master Mason Degree upon four Fellowcraft Masons.

WORK

The Lodge was called at ease, that the Officers conferring the work might take their chairs, then called to order. Bro. James H. Baxter, P.M. assumed the East assisted by Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree as S.W., Bro. Edward B. Aylward as J.W., Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer as S.D., Bro. Charles C. Shely as J.D., and Bro. Wayne N. Williams as S.S., conferred the first section of the M.M. Degree upon BRO. CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN, BRO. JOHN DARWIN JACOBS, BRO. JAMES MICHAEL KENNEDY, and BRO. RONALD RAY WAGONER.
The Lodge then Raised the following in short form. Bro. Christian by James M. Potter, P.M. and James H. Baxter, P.M.. Bro. Kennedy by James H. Baxter, P.M. and Bro. James G. Kennedy (Father of James M. Kennedy). Bro. Wagoner by James H. Baxter, P.M. and Bro. Les Bolin.

REFRESHMENT

11:30 a.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment. Bro. Dietrich and Bro. Shely served steak, baked potatoe, tossed salad, cobbler and all the other things to make a nourshing and filling meal.
1:30 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

WORK (Cont'd.)

BRO. JOHN DARWIN JACOBS was Raised in long form.
The Degree Team Director, Bro Charles C. Shely with the following cast presented The Legend of the Temple.

CHAP.	Bro. Ted Walter
K.S.	Bro. Walter S. Johnston
H.K.T.	Bro. Raymond Copenhaver
S.D.	Bro. Gary D. Sparks, P.M.
J.D.	Bro. Wayne N. Williams
J--A	Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer
J--O	Bro. Ed Taylor (Hiram Lodge #4)
J--M	Bro. Edward B. Aylward, W.M.
ZEPH.	Bro. Scotty Smouse (Devotion Lodge #160)
ABRA.	Bro. Doyle G. Rambo (Devotion Lodge #160 and Honorary Member of #1

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WORK (Cont'd.)

BELS. Bro. Charles W. Dietrich
BENJ. Bro. James P. Robinson
ZEBU. Bro. Joel Baumgartner
WFM. Bro. Clifford Wallace
SC. Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree
R.M. Bro. Victor Uttinger
MAR. Bro. Chester P. Care
FELLOWCRAFT
Bro. James M Potter, P.M.
Bro. Mark Shupe (Cary B. Fish Lodge #346 FL.)
Bro. Charles E. Christian (Newly Raised)
Bro. Ronald R. Wagoner (Newly Raised)

CLOSING 2:45 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 26, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine	Chaplain

OPENING	7:20 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home (Southland) in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. J.H. Mosgrove, a member of Thomas C. Cecil Lodge #375, as a courtesy to Thomas C. Cecil Lodge #375 F.& A.M. of Pikeville, Ky.
CLOSING	7:45 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE June 28, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine	Chaplain

OPENING	7:20 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home (Broadway) in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Overton Thomas Robinson, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	7:50 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 4, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING	7:20 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Betts & West Funeral Home, in Nicholasville, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Leslie Earl Myers, a member of Mt. Sterling Lodge #23 F.&A.M., as a courtesy to Mt. Sterling Lodge #23 F.&A.M. of Mt. Sterling, Ky.
CLOSING	7:55 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 7, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	3:05 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Lexington Cemetery, in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Douglas R. Guilfoil, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	3:50 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 14, 1984

Called	MEETING	James R. Sadler, P.M.	Treasurer
E. Leon Cox, Acting	W. Master	James L. Butler, P.M.	Secretary
David Boston	Senior Warden	David Hash	Senior Steward
Joseph Alexander	Junior Warden	Bill Craycraft	Junior Steward
Edward B. Aylward	Senior Deacon	Ralph Blevins	Tiler
David Cooper	Junior Deacon	Silas Dixon, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING

9:15 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to examine three bothers on the F.C. Proficiency and to confer the M.M. Degree upon those brothers.

WORK

9:20 a.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to opening on the F.C. Degree.
9:25 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the F.C. Degree.
The following brothers were examined on the F.C. Proficiency
PAUL EDWARD STEELE JOHN PATRICK HAYMOND and
ALBERT EUGENE BLACKBURN
All were declared proficient by vote of the Lodge.
9:40 a.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the F.C. Degree.
9:55 a.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
Bro. David Boston assumed the East and confer the First Section of the M.M. Degree upon Bro. Steele, Bro. Haymond and Bro. Blackburn. All were raised in short form.
Bro. Steele by Bro. David Boston and Bro. Walter S. Johnston
Bro. Haymond by Bro. Doyle G. Rambo and Bro. George Haymond.
Bro. Blackburn by Bro. David Cooper and Bro. Walter Johnston
Bro. Walter S. Johnston gave the M.M. Charge and the Tiler's Oath.

CLOSING

11:45 a.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degre by Edward B. Aylward, W.M.

James L. Butler by EBA
James L. Butler, P.M.
(Acting Secretary)

Master

MINUTES

(Minutes of December 3, 1984 continued)

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. Charles Dietrich had pneumonia and that Bro. George Gill had the flu.
Bro. Williams reported that his Neice, Mother, Grandmother, and Grand father were out of the Hospital and doing better.

WORK

8:20 p.m. Lodge Called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:30 p.m. Lodge Opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer assumed the East assisted by Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree-S.W., Bro. Edward B. Aylward-J.W., Bro. Wayne N. Williams-S.D., Bro. Steve Faul-J.D., and Bro. Ellis R. Taylor-S.S. conferred the First Section of the E.A. Degree upon HARRY ELWOOD ADAIR, JR., JAMES ALBERT DOUGLAS, VIRGIL CLINTON TOOMEY, and VERNON STANLEY WASH.
Bro. Ellis R. Taylor gave the E.A. Charge and Bro. Doyle G. Rambo gave the slide Lecture on the Third Section.
10:18 p.m. Lodge Closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
10:23 p.m. Lodge Called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CLOSING

10:30 p.m. Lodge Closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

P. O. Box 8096

Lexington, Kentucky 40533

THOSE LISTED BELOW ARE NO LONGER MEMBERS OF LEXINGTON LODGE #1, F.&A.M.
(And should be removed from your Rolls)

Pocket Demit

0127 Daniel Duncan Brock, Jr.
0599 John Duncan Jeter, Jr.
0706 Samuel Spurgeon Long, Jr.
1530 Steven James Olshewsky
1041 Robert Kelly Rouse
1156 Robert A. Sparks

Suspended

0007 Charles Stuart Adams
1429 Timothy Martin Artabasy
0073 Thomas Pearce Bell
1493 Clinton Lee Crafton
0272 William E. Curry
0286 Ferrill Ray Davis
0340 Charles Wesley DeMoss
1518 Otis Doan, Jr.
1469 Michael Gregory Edwards
0368 Henry Fannin
0417 Melford Lee Garrison
1464 Virgil Haycraft, Jr.
1418 Hugh Haroldeen Henegar
1419 John Ferrill Howard
0585 Clyde Douglas Hunter
0737 Bobby Joe Martin
1444 Steven Ray Merritt
0893 George Warren Nichols
1107 Edmund Joseph Shubbuck
1123 John Paul Slaton
1163 Ledford Hannibal Stacy
1222 Kermit Lee Thomas
1335 Raymond A. Wilkie

Deaths

William Frederick Allen
Bernard Toll Boston
Bryant Carmichael
Daniel R. Deane
James Alexander Fraser
William Walker Haverly
William Hansel Lane
John Valentine Moore
Maurice G. Parsons
Charlie Purdue Rose
Carl Eugene Travis
Harvey Warren
Raymond Rueben Anderson
Gordon Thomas Bozarth
Willis Clark
Cecil Milton Deatherage
Graham H. Davenport
Morris Alton Jones
Morris Humphrey McNew
Charles Austin Munger
Sanford C. Perry
John Coleman Sutherland
Carl Lee Underwood
Krekow Frank Zweifel
Nelson Harvey Bogie
Benjamin Willis Calvin
James Parker Davidson
Herman Adam Ellis
Charles Cecil Gulley
Morton A. Kent
Clarence Lewis Metts
James L. Newnam
James Henry Robinson, Jr
Willis R. Sutherland
Emmett Louis Veach, Jr.
Overton T. Robinson

Attest: James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

July 1, 1984

Meetings First and Third Monday of each month

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 16, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Ellis L. McCollum, P.M.	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Charles C. Shely	Junior Deacon	James P. Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING

7:30 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 12 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of June 18, 23, 26, 28, July 4, 7, and 14, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of JAMES ALVIN DAVIS and TERRY KEITH UNDERWOOD for Initiation was received and Committee appointed.

PETITIONS TO BE VOTED UPON

The Petition of WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON for Initiation was received from the Committee. Motion made and second to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. Result of the ballot WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

Notes of Appreciation from the Families of Bro. Harvey Waren and Bro. W. Hansel Lane.

A letter from James W. Alley Lodge #869 F.&A.M., stating that they had notified dual-member Bro. Hugh Henegar that he was suspended automatically due to suspension in Lexington Lodge #1.

A letter from Indra Consistory enquiring the date of Bro. Cecil M. Deatherage's death.

A letter of Resignation from Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M., from the Office of Chaplain of Lexington Lodge #1.

A notice from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M. reporting the passing of BRO. LLOYD M. GREENE, P.G.M.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid with Bro. Whitfield Tandy opposing.

1049	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 7/16/84)	$ 26.90
1050	Charles C. Shely (Repair M.M. Working Jacket)	24.00
1051	American Cancer Society (Sponsorship of Bro. Fair in swim marathon)	50.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Master announced that Bro. Walter S. Johnston would serve as Chaplain for the rest of this year.

The Master also gave a short report on the joint communication held on July 14, 1984.

The Master asked for nomination to fill the unexpired term of Bro. Virgil Haycraft on the M.T.A..

Bro. Tom Davis nominated Bro. Mark Sharff and Bro. Secretary nominated Bro. John S. Jacobs.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER — Motion made and second that nominations cease. Motion carried.
Result of the ballot Bro. John S. Jacobs was elected to fill the vacancy on the M.T.A.

VISITORS — Bro. McGee and his son from Mercer Lodge #777 were recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESS — Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. D.H. "Pat" Lloyd, P.M. and his wife Sadie were in poor health. If they can not find a suitable Nursing Home may ask to be admitted to the Old Masons' Home.

WORK — 8:35 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:45 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. Wayne N. Williams examined BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY on the E.A. Proficiency. By vote of the Lodge BRO. BAILEY was declared Proficient.
9:10 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
9:19 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree. Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree assumed the East assisted by Bro. Ellis L. McCollum as S.W., Bro. Wayne N. Williams as J.W., Bro. Edward B. Aylward as S.D., Bro. Charles C. Shely as J.D., and Bro. Ellis R. Taylor as S.S. conferred the First Section of the F.C. Degree upon BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY.
Bro. Wayne N. Williams gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. Charles C. Shely gave the Letter "G" Lecture.
10:35 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
10:40 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
Motion made by Bro. Williams to repair Jewels. Motion second. Motion carried.
The Master announced that there would be an Officers Meeting at 2:00 p.m., August 4th. at his house.

CLOSING — 10:50 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree,

James H. Baxter, P.M.
James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE July 18, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Maynard R. McClain, P.M.	Chaplain

OPENING	6:53 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Kerr Bros. Funeral Home in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. William E. Farra, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M.
CLOSING	7:20 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 6, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	James P. Robinson	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 18 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of July 16th. and 18th., 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of HOWARD MILKON FLORENCE for Dual Membership by Affiliation, BELVE RUSSELL TURNER for Reinstatement, and JAMES ALVIN DAVIS for Initiation were received and Committees appointed.

STANDING COMMITTEES

The Finance Committee reported that they had viewed the donation to the American Cancer Society and had allowed the expenditure.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. Overton Thomas Robinson, and Bro. William Elwood Farra, Sr..
A letter from Donald J. Heimiller requesting a picture of Bro. John George Yellman, P.M., his Great, great grandfather.
A letter from the Grand Lodge requesting donation for Flood Relief Fund.
A letter from the Masters of District #25 inviting all Masons, their family and friends to a picnic at 3:00 p.m., Shelter #4 Jacobson Park on September 16, 1984
A notice from Devotion Lodge #160 stating that the following had been suspended for non-payment of dues.

PAUL J THROCKMORTON, JR. CONLEY STANDAFER
CARL THOMAS MARSHALL ORVES LEE BROWN
BILLY EUGENE BURTON WILLIAM TODD PEARCE
JOSEPH LAFAYETTE BRIGANCE

and that OTHA WAYNE STAFFORD'S Petition for Initiation had been rejected.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1052	James H. Baxter (3 Long distant calls)	$ 2.99
1053	Letter Shop (Family Fish Fry Postcards)	206.19
1054	Easley & Nelmes (Emb. for Bros. Guilfoil, Robinson, Morrow, and Farra)	84.00
1055	Masonic Home Journal (Notice in July issue)	8.00
1056	Miller & Woodward (Clean & repair jewels)	50.00
1057	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 08/06/84)	24.68

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bro. Secretary made a motion that Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer be the Representative of Lexington Lodge #1 to the Grand Lodge, if the Master, Wardens and Secretary were unable to attend. Motion made that nominations cease. Motion second. Motion carried. By vote of the Lodge Bro. Westmeyer was elected as Representative.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Master reminded all of the Fish Fry on August 11th..
The Master announced that BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY would be Raised short form on September 8th. and would be taken to the District Raising in Salt Petre Cave to witness The Legend of the Temple.
Bro. Secretary made a motion that C.D. #0519 be cashed to apply to Grand Lodge Per-Capita. Motion second. Motion carried.
Bro. Secretary made a motion that Bro. S.W. be allowed to purchase pocket calendars for 1985. Motion second. Motion carried.

VISITOR

Bro. Mark Thomas Shupe of Florida was recognized and welcomed.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. Charles Dietrich was ill.

WORK

8:10 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment, preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:18 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer assumed the East assisted by Bro. Hardigree as S.W., Bro. Ed Aylward as J.W., Bro. Williams as S.D., Bro. Sparks as J.D., Bro. Taylor as S.S. and Bro. Shely as J.S., conferred the First Section of The E.A. Degree upon WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and WILLIAM MARK TANIS. Bro. Ellis Taylor gave the E.A. Charge.
9:47 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. degree.
9:50 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
9:58 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE August 20, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden	Charles C. Shely	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:43p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 8 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of August 6, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITION TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of TERRY KEITH UNDERWOOD for Initiation was received from the Committee. Motion made and second that the Committee be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Result of the ballot TERRY KEITH UNDERWOOD was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE

Bro. Cleary reported on the success of the Family Fish Fry and thanked those that assisted.
Bro. Hardigree reported that the Past Masters' Night would be held again this year at the Campbell House. Bro. Hardigree that the dinner would cost $7.25 per person which included tax and tip. Bro. Hardigree made a motion that those wanting to attend pay $6.50. Motion second. Motion carried.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1060	Grand Lodge of KY.(Per-Capita dues & assessments)	$ 13,827.50
1061	Charles C. Shely(Refreshments 08/20/84)	23.75

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Secretary made a motion that two copies be made of the Roster to place in the hands of the Funeral Committee. Motion second. Motion carried.
Bro. Johnston made a motion that the Meeting on Labor Day be cancelled. Motion second. Motion carried.
The Master announced that Bros. Johnston, Westmeyer and Aylward would participate in the District Degree Team presentation of the Legend of the Temple on September 8th. at Salt Petre Cave in Rockcastle Co.
The Master announced that there would be a Called Meeting on September 8, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. to Raise any elgible Fellowcraft Masons.

VISITORS

The following visitors were recognized and welcomed.
Bro. Roy Stivers of Carrollton Lodge #134
Bro. Horvath of Ft. Campbell Lodge #946

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SICK AND DISTRESS — Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. William R. Saunier was in Room 482 at St. Joseph Hospital.

WORK — 8:17 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the F.C. Degree.
8:27 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. Williams examined BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY and his F.C. Proficiency. By vote of the Lodge BRO. BAILEY was declared Proficient.
8:55 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
8:58 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
9:07 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE September 3, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine	Chaplain

OPENING	7:24 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milwards' Funeral Home (Southland) in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Randolph Mason Long, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M..
CLOSING	7:45 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE September 8, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Walter S. Johnston	Senior Deacon	John D. Jacobs	Tiler
	Junior Deacon		Chaplain

OPENING

10:13 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to Raise a brother to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason.

WORK

Brother Robert E. Cleary assumed the East, assisted by Bro. Walter S. Johnston-S.W., Bro. Wayne N. Williams-J.W., and Bro. Edward B. Aylward-S.D. conferred the First Section of the M.M. Degree upon BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY.

BRO. JAMES RUSSELL BAILEY was Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason in short form by Bro. James H. Baxter, P.M.-Acting Master, Bro. Wayne N. Williams-S.W., Bro. Walter S. Johnston-S.D., Bro. Edward B. Aylward-J.A., Bro. Robert E.Cleary-J.O., and Bro. Edward B. Aylward-J.M..

Bro. Bailey thanked the Lodge and the members for accepting him as a member, he especially thanked those, who had Lectured and portrayed the Ritual Work.

The Master invited all to join him for the District #25 Joint Master Mason Degree being portrayed in Saltre Peter Cave in nearby Rockcastle Co.

CLOSING

11:40 a.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Edward B. Aylward

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE September 17, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Gary D. Sparks, P.M.	Treasurer
Robert E. Cleary	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
	Junior Deacon	James B. Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING

7:35 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 4 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of Aug. 20, Sept. 3, and Sept 8, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petitions of JAMES ALBERT DOUGLAS and VERNON STANLEY WASH for the Degrees of Masonry were received and Committeees appointed

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of BELVE RUSSELL TURNER for Reinstatement was received from the Committee. Motion made that the Committee be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion second. Result of the ballot BRO. BELVE RUSSELL TURNER was elected to Membership in Lexington Lodge #1 by Reinstatement.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Hadden Heights Lodge #191 F.&A.M. stating that the Lodge had conferred the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Theodore R. McDaniel, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 as a courtesy to Lexington Lodge #1.

Notes of appreciation from the Families of Bro. Emmet Morro Morrow, Bro. William H. Skinner and Bro. Theodore R. McDaniel.

A letter from Robert M. Sirkle #954 F.&A.M. stating that GLENN E. BROOKS and ROBERT NELSON CHIPLEY had been suspended due to conviction of a felony.

A note from Bro. Lewis Taylor stating that he had lost his dues card. Duplicate was issued.

A letter from the Grand Secretary stating that the Grand Lodge Dues and Assesments would remain the same.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1063	Hadden Heights Lodge #191 (Floral Emblem for Bro. McDaniel)	$ 25.00
1064	James H. Baxter (Mail & 2Copies Roster)	2.18
1065	Easley & Nelmes (Emb. for Bro. Wm. H. Skinner)	21.00
1066	Ihling Bros. (1Dz. Aprons 7 1Dz. Apron Tubes)	228.96
1067	Old Masons' Home (Memory of Bro. R.M. Long)	20.00
1068	Gr. Lodge of KY. (3Dz. 25Yr. Pins & ½Dz. 40 Yr. Pins)	157.50
1069	James H. Baxter (1200 Envelopes & Add. Corr.)	6.30

MINUTES

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BILLS (Continued)	1070 Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 09/17/84)	$ 26.11
	1071 Wayne N. Williams (Coffee Urn)	16.55

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Gary Sparks reported that the M.T.A. had received another inquiry on the sale of the Temple. Bro. Sparks also stated that he would like to see the By-Laws of the M.T.A. changed that Directors could vote by absentee ballot or by proxy.
Bro. Williams stated that he had inquired about property on the Northside for the Temple, but that his suggestion was lightly regarded.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Williams reported that Bro. James Bailey had lost a member of his family.
Bro. Jacobs reported that his Uncle was in serious condition

WORK

8:27 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M..M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to opening on the E.A. Degree.
8:40 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the E.A. Degree.
Bro. Williams examined BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS on their E.A. Proficiency.
By vote of the Lodge both were declared Proficient.
Bro. Pinkston thanked Bro. Williams, Lewis and Jacobs for their assistance in Lecturing this class.
9:05 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the E.A. Degree.
9:10 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. C. Thomas Assumed the East assisted by Bro. Cleary-S.W. Bro. Aylward-J.W., Bro. Westmeyer-S.D., Bro. Williams-J.D. and Bro. Shely-S.S. conferred the First Section of the F.C. Degree upon BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS. Bro. Wayne Williams gave the Staircase Lecture and Bro. Charles C. Shely gave the Letter "G" Lecture.
10:30 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
10:32 Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.
10:38 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter, P.M.

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Robert C. Cleary

Master (ACTING)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE September 20, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
E.B. Cochran, P.M.	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine	Chaplain

OPENING	7:25 p.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Milward Funeral Home (Southland) in Lexington, Ky.
PURPOSE	The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.
WORK	The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Bro. Pearl VanHorn, a 50 Year Member of Greenhill Lodge #521 F.&A.M. in Boltsfork, Ky.
CLOSING	7:45 p.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE October 1, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	Raymond F. Lee, Jr.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	James C. Brown	Tiler
Wayne N, Williams	Junior Deacon	James Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING

7:43 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M..M. Degree with the above Officers and 13 others present.

COMMITTEE REPORTS SELECT

Bro. Cleary of the Finance Committee read the 1983 Audit. Motion made and second to accept the Audit. Motion carried.

BILLS

The following bill was read and duly ordered paid.
1072 Charles C. Shely(Refreshments 10/1/84) $ 20.20

NEW BUSINESS

Bro. Taylor made a motion that the Secretary be instructed to request a contractor to paint the two unpainted columns. Price not to exceed $50.00. Motion second. Motion failed.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Worshipful Master reported on problems in England regarding critism of Freemasonry.
Bro. Hardigree reported on the Past Masters' Dinner to be held October 19, 1984 in the Colonial Room at the Campbell House Inn, starting at 6:30 p.m.

VISITORS

The following brothers were recognized and welcomed.
Bro. Roy Stivers of Carrollton Lodge #134
Bro. Mark Thomas Shupe of Cary B Fish Lodge #346 Florida.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Aylward reported on Bro. James H. Baxter. Bro. Cleary reported on Bro. William R. Saunier. Bro. Lee reported that his Mother would have surgery Tuesday and ask for prayers from the Craft.

WORK

Bro. Wayne William examined the following brothers on their M.M. Proficiency.
BRO. JOHN DARWIN JACOBS BRO. CHARLES EUGENE CHRISTIAN
BRO. RONALD RAY WAGONER BRO. JAMES WALTER LEWIS
BRO. MARK THOMAS SHUPE, Cary B. Fish Lodge #346 F.&A.M. Sarasota, FL.
By vote of the Lodge all were declared Proficient.

CLOSING

8:45 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

Raymond F. Lee Jr.
(Acting Secretary)

Edward B. Aylward
Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE October 15, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	Elbert Glenn Riggs	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
John D. Jacobs	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Walter S. Johnston	Junior Deacon	James P. Robinson	Chaplain

OPENING	7:35 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 3 others present.
MINUTES	Minutes of October 1, 1984 were read and approved as read.
PETITION TO BE ACTED UPON	The Petition of HOWARD MILKON FLORENCE for Dual-Membership by Affiliation, and the Petition of VERNON S. WARD for Initiation were received from the Committees. Motion made and second that the Committee be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion carried. Result of the ballot BRO. HOWARD MILKON FLORENCE was elected to Dual-Membership by Affiliation and VERNON STANLEY WASH was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.
GOOD OF THE ORDER	Bro. Ted Walter reported on the Will from the Estate of Mrs. Jeanetta S. Taylor. Motion made and second that this report be made a part of the Minutes. Motion carried. Bro. Hardigree reported that the Past Masters' Dinner would be held October 19, 1984 at the Campbell House starting at 6:30 p.m., the menu to be Chicken Kiev, tossed salad, glazed carrots, rolls, cake, coffee or tea. The Master announced that Grand Lodge was being held this week and encouraged all to attend.
VISITORS	Recognized and welcomed was Bro. Roy Stivers, a member of Carrollton Lodge #134 F.&A.M..
SICK AND DISTRESS	Bro. Johnston announced the death of Bro. James M. Anderson and Bro. Keiffer Kloosterman both Past Masters of Devotion Lodge #160 F.&A.M.. A note from the family of Bro. Cecil M Platt, stating that Bro. Platt was a complete invalid. A letter from Mrs. Floyd Lindsey stating that Bro. Lindsey was confined to the house with Life Support Equipment. But that Bro. Lindsey would like to receive his 25 Year Pin. A letter from Mrs. Myers stating that Bro. Larkin D. Myers had been ill since last September. The Master delivered a 25 Year Pin to Bro. Lindsey and Bro. Myers.
CORRESPONDENCE	A note from Bro. Melvin C. Brill asking for a Demit. This brother free of all indebtness to Lodge, Demit granted.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Aletter from Bro. John H Russell requesting that his 25 Year Pin be mailed to Bro. Donald S. Greenwood, Secretary of Howard Lodge A.F.&A.M. located at 10 Fessenden St., South Yarmouth, Mass. 02664. Howard Lodge will present the Pin in our behalf.
A letter from Benham Lodge #880 F.&A.M. stating that Bro. Albert Brown, a member of Lexington Lodge #1 had been examined in open Lodge on his M.M. Proficency. And by vote of the Lodge was declared Proficient.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1073	Postmaster(100-5¢ stamps)	$ 5.00
1074	Masonic Home Journal(12 Monitors, 100 summons, 24 Degree Team Books)	77.40
1075	Chester P. Care(Refreshments 10/15/84)	15.13
1076	Keystone printery(150 Past Masters' Dinner Programs)	135.24
1077	The Letter Shop(Past Masters' Dinner & Election notices)	446.64
1078	Campbell House(154 Past Masters' Dinners)	1,115.73
1079	Old Masons' Home(Life Membership for Master)	50.00
1080	Masonic Widows' & Orphans' Home(Life Membership for Master)	100.00
1081	O.E.S. Home(Life Membership for Master)	50.00

WORK

8:40 p.m. Lodge called from Labor on the M.M. Degree to Refreshment preparatory to Opening on the F.C. Degree.
8:45 p.m. Lodge Opened in form on the F.C. Degree.
Bro. James Lewis examined BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS on their F.C. Proficiency.
Motion made and second that BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS be declared proficient.
Motion carried.
9:45 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the F.C. Degree.
9:50 p.m. Lodge called from Refreshment to Labor on the M.M. Degree.

CLOSING

9:55 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

E. Glenn Riggs (Acting Secretary)

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 5, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnstone	Chaplain

OPENING

7:35 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 6 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of October 15, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of HARRY ELWOOD ADAIR, JR. and VIRGIL CLINTON TOOMEY for Initiation were received and Committees were appointed.

PETITONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of JAMES ALVIN DAVIS for Initiation was received from the Committee. Motion made and second to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. Result of the ballot JAMES ALVIN DAVIS was rejected.

CORRESPONDENCE

A request from Pompano Lodge #263 located at Pompano Beach, Florida for a Certificate of Goodstanding on Bro. JAMES HOMER DASH, Bro. Dash had Petitioned Pampano Lodge #263 for Dual-Membership. This Brother free of all indebtness to Lexington Lodge #1, Certificate was granted.

A letter from Eastern State Hospital requesting donations for the residents at Christmas.

A letter from Bro. John Stanton Jacobs stating that due to the change in his work schedule, that he would be unable to serve as Representative to the Masonic Temple Ass'n. Bro. Jacobs thanked the Lodge for the honor of being elected to serve.

A note from BRO. JOHN L. REDDING, P.M., thanking the Lodge for his Dues Card. Bro. Redding stated that he had been in the V.A. Hospital for a check-up and was in goodshape for an 82 Year Old man, and that he hoped that he might be able to attend Lodge soon.

A letter from BRO. JOHN W. McQUISTON, P.M. telling what Masonry had meant in his life. He stated that he was honored to serve as Past Master of Lexington Lodge #1. He said that from the day he was Initiated until he finished as Master that he only missed 2 Meetings, one because he was on vacation to far away to make it back and the second time because of mudslide across the highway between Lothair and Hazard. He said his deepest regret was his inability to attend Lodge in Lexington.

A note from the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Harold W. Downard inviting all member and their ladies to attend the Mortgage Burning of Hart Lodge #61 F.&A.M. located at Nicholasville, KY., on sunday, Nov. 11, 1984 at 2:00 p.m.

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BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1082	Easley & Nelmes Floweres, Inc. (Emblem for Bro. John F. Phelps)	$ 21.00
1083	James H. Baxter (Long distant call, mail 3-25 Year Pins & 1 address correction)	2.70
1084	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 11/5/84)	25.14
1085	James Alvin Davis (Return Initiation Fees)	100.00
1086	Central Business Systems, Inc. (Repair I.B.M. Typewriter, Inv. #2776)	38.51
1087	Postmaster (50-5¢ Stamps & 100-20¢ Stamps)	22.50

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Worshipful Master expressed thanks for the Past Masters' Dinner.
Bro. Taylor thanked Past Master Raymond O'Neal for painting the columns in the West.
The Worshipful Master made a short report on Grand Lodge.
The Worshipful Master reminded all of the Election of Officers on December 17, 1984.
The Worshipful Master announced that there would be an Appreciation Dinner for the Degree Team starting at 6:00 p.m. on November 19, 1984, after which the First Section of the Master Mason Degree would be conferred and if possible one brother would be Raised in short form and the other in long form with the Legend of the Temple.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro. Secretary reported that Bro. CHARLES NORRIS, JR., who has lung cancer was undergoing further tests at the V.A. Hospital.
Bro. Johnston reported that Bro. CECIL PLATT was in very poor health.

CLOSING

8:38 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 19, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	John D. Jacobs	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden	Charles E. Christian	Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:10 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 23 others present.

WORK

Lodge called at ease, that the Officers conferring the work could assume their stations. Bro. Robert E. Cleary assumed the East assisted by Bro. Edward B. Aylward-S.W., Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree-J.W., Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer-S.D., Bro. Gary D. Sparks-J.D., and Bro. Wayne N. Williams-S.S., conferred the First Section of the M.M. Degree upon BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON and BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS. The Lodge called at ease , that the Lodge Officers might assume their stations and continue with the business of the Lodge.

MINUTES

Minutes of November 5, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE ACTED UPON

The Petition of JAMES ALBERT DOUGLAS FOR Initiation was received from the Committee. Motion made and second to discharge the Committee with thanks and spread the ballot. The result of the ballot JAMES ALBERT DOUGLAS was elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter of thanks from Green Hill Lodge #521 F.&A.M. for courtesy Masonic Services for Bro. Pearl VanHorn, a member of Green Hill Lodge #521, for flowers and other courtesies extended to Bro. VanHorn's family.

A letter from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky stating that Grand Lodge Dues and Assessments for 1984 on Bro. Virgil Haycraft, Suspended 02/20/84 & Reinstated 10/12/84 would be collected on our 1985 Annual Return.

A note of appreciation from the Family of Bro. James K. Latham.

A letter from Bro. Roy S. Harney requesting a demit. This Brother free of all indebtness to Lexington Lodge #1 F.&A.M., demit granted.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1088	Rosemont Drugs, Inc. (P.M. Dinner pictures)	$ 54.12
1089	Charles W. Dietrich (M.M. Raising Dinners)	280.94
1090 1091	(1st. Security C.D.s #88212 & 88211)	14,000.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The W.M. presented M.M. Proficiency Certificates to BRO. CHARLES E. CHRISTIAN, BRO. JOHN D. JACOBS, AND BRO. JAMES W. LEWIS.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER

Bro. Ted Walter, President of the M.T.A. presented the Lodge Treasurer with a check for $8,676.63 as payment on loan to purch purchase land on Richmond Road.
Bro. Sparks made a motion that $2,000.00 be added to C.D. for Bi-Centennial Celebration Fund. Motion second. Motion carried.
Bro. Edward Russell-Tutty thanked the Lodge for contributing to DeMolay Magazine. Bro. Russell-Tutty also said that Bluegrass Chapter took over half of the awards during the State Conclave.

VISITORS

Recognized and welcomed were Bro. Russell Powell of Franklin Lodge #28, Bro.Lloyd Hatfield of Okolona Lodge #853, Bro. Carroll Bartley and another Bro. from Scott Lodge #853.
Bro. Bartley gave a short talk where Grand Lodge would be held in 1985, about awards given by Grand Lodge, and District #25 Educat Educational Meeting to be held June 8, 1985.

SICK AND DISTRESS

Bro Johnston reported on Bros. Platt and Norris.
Bro. Williams reported that 4 of his Family were in the Hospital.

WORK (Cont'd.)

The Master assisted by Bro. Robert Powell-S.W., Bro. Joseph S. Hager, P.M.-S.D., Bro. Gary D. Sparks, P.M.-JM, Bro Whitfield Tandy, P.M.-JO, and Bro. Stephen Westmeyer-JA raised BRO. WILLIAM MARK TANIS in short form.
BRO. WILLIAM MICHAEL PINKSTON was raised in long form and the Legend of the Temple portrayed by the following brothers.

CHAP.	Ted Walter	J--A	Stephen Westmeyer
K.S.	Walter Johnston	J--O	Gary Sparks
H.K.T.	Martin Sherrow	J--M	Edward Aylward
S.D.	Joseph Hager	WFM	Ralph Carter
J.D.	Wayne Williams	S.C.	Charles Christian
ZEPH.	Tom Hardigree	R.M.	Victor Uttinger
ZEBU.	Joel Baumgartner	MAR.	Chester Care
ABRA.	John Jacobs	FELLOWCRAFT	
BENJ.	George Gill		James Bailey
BELS.	Charles Dietrich		Robert Cleary
			James Lewis

Bro. Walter Johnston gave the M.M. Charge and Tyler's Oath.

CLOSING

11:30 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE November 21, 1984

Called	MEETING		Treasurer
Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.	W. Master		Secretary
Robbert E. Cleary	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Franklin H. Stewart, P.M.	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
	Senior Deacon		Tiler
	Junior Deacon	Robert B. Horine	Chaplain

OPENING

9:50 a.m. Lodge opened in ample form on the M.M. Degree at Lexington Cemetery, in Lexington, Kentucky.

PURPOSE

The Master announced the purpose of this Called Meeting was to confer Masonic Rites upon a brother.

WORK

The Craft then proceeded to confer the Last Sad Rites upon Brother Thomas L. Boehling, Sr., a member of O'Brien Lodge #101 A.F.&A.M., of Williamson, West Virginia, as a courtesy to O'Brien Lodge #101 A.F.&A.M..

CLOSING

10:40 a.m. Lodge closed in ample form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Marvin S. Whitton

Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M.
(Acting Master)

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 3, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden	William Mark Tanis	Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden	Charles E. Christian	Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	John D. Jacobs	Tiler
Ellis R. Taylor	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:45 p.m. Lodge Opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 17 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of November 19 & 21, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE VOTED UPON

The Petition of HARRY ELWOOD ADAIR, JR. and VIRGIL CLINTON TOOMEY for Initiation were received from the Committees. Motion made and second that the Committees be discharged with thanks and the ballot spread. Motion carried. Result of the ballot HARRY ELWOOD ADAIR, JR. and VIRGIL CLINTON TOOMEY were elected to receive the Three Degrees of Masonry.

CORRESPONDENCE

A note of appreciation from the family of Bro. John Phelps.
A Christmas Card from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M..
A letter from Robert M Sirkle Lodge #954 stating that WIlliam Kenneth Linville and Francis Ray Howerton had petitioned for Initiation but that their petition had been denied.
A note from Bro. ALBERT KENNETH WEISNER requesting a demit. This brother free of all indebtness to Lexington Lodge #1, demit granted.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1092	Postmaster (100-20¢ Stamps)	$ 20.00
1093	Pantagraph Printing (List of Lodges for 1985-Masonic)	4.75
1094	Easley & Nelmes (Emb. Bro. Latham)	21.00
1095	Grand Lodge of KY. (Book of Constitution)	12.60
1096	Hurst Office Suppliers (Inv. #203879)	40.05
1097	Charles C. Shely (Refreshments 12/3/84)	23.26
1098	James H. Baxter (Secretary's Office Expenses)	540.00
1099	Old Masons' Home (Christmas Gift)	50.00
1100	Masoni Widows' & Orphans Home (Christmas Gift)	50.00

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Master reminded all of the Election of Officers on December 17, 1984.
Bro. Williams announced that the M.M. Proficiency Classes would be held each Tuesday and Thursday. And reminded all of the Reobligation Night on January 7, 1984.

LEXINGTON LODGE NO. 1, F. & A. M., LEXINGTON, KY.

CHARTERED 1788

DATE December 17, 1984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Edward B. Aylward	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
Robert E. Cleary	Senior Warden	Ellis R. Taylor	Senior Steward
C. Thomas Hardigree	Junior Warden		Junior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Senior Deacon	Charles W. Dietrich	Tiler
Wayne N. Williams	Junior Deacon	Walter S. Johnston	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 35 others present.

INTRODUCED

Introduced by Bro. Whitfield Tandy to the Master and the Craft were; Bro. Floyd H. Booth, Past D.D.G.M. (1965), Bro. Melvin Mullins, Gr. Tiler, Bro. Charles M. Jewell, Gr. Sword Bearer, Bro. Joseph T. Graves, Gr. Marshall, Bro. Samuel S. Anderson, Gr. Jr. Deacon and Bro. James B. Patrick, P.G.M.'s. The Master and the Craft welcomed all by extending Public Grand Honors.

Bro. Marvin S. Whitton, PGM

The W.M. then appointed Bro. Marvin S. Whitton, P.G.M. as Senior Committeeman, Bro. Whitfield Tandy, P.I.G.M. as Junior Committeeman along with the Senior Deacon and the Stewards to receive Bro. Harold W. Downard, the Most Worship-Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F.&A.M..

The Grand Master was received and escorted to the East, where he was accorded the Private Masonic Grand Honors. The G.M. seated the Craft and took a seat on the sidelines.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 3, 1984 were read and approved as read.

PETITIONS TO BE RECEIVED

The Petition of RONALD LESLIE TURNER for Initiation was received and Committee appointed.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1101	Old Masons' Home(In memory of Bro. Richard F. Allison)	$ 20.00
1102	Radisson Plaza(Master's Appreciation Dinner)	506.23
1103	Letter Shop(Plates,delections, corrections)	19.37
1104	Old Masons' Home(In memory of Bro. Conrad E. Hubbard)	20.00
1105	Hurst Office Suppliers(Inv. #205690)	37.80
1106	Wayne N. Williams(Refreshments 12/17/84)	4.61

VISITORS

Recognized and welcomed were: Bro. Lloyd Hatfield, P.M. of Okolona Lodge #853 and Bro. Joe Alexander, S.W. of Devotion Lodge #160.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The W.M. gave his outgoing speech which has been made a part of the Minutes.

Bro. Cleary asked permission to approach the East and presented the Master with a gift from the Lodge, consisting of framed Life Membership in the Old Masons' Home, Widows' &

GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

Orphans' Home and O.E.S. Home. The frames were gifts from the Line Officers.
The Master announced that it was time for the annual election and appointed Bros. Sparks,Holleran, and Hager as tellers.
Bro. Richard W. Russell, P.M. nominated Bro. Robert E. Cleary for the Officer of Master for the insueing year. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Secretary cast one vote. Bro. Cleary excepted.
Bro. Russell nominated Bro. C. Thomas Hardigree for the office of Senior Warden. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Secretary cast one vote. Bro. Hardigree excepted.
Bro. James M. Potter, P.M. nominated Bro. Stephen B. Westmeyer for the office of Junior Warden. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Secretary cast one vote. Bro. Westmeyer excepted.
Bro. E.B. Cochran, P.M. nominated Bro. Whitfield Tandy for the office of Treasurer. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Secretary cast one vote. Bro. Tandy excepted.
Bro. Robert E. Cleary, S.W. nominated Bro. James H. Baxter for the office of Secretary. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Treasurer cast one vote. Bro. Baxter excepted.
Bro. Potter nominated Bro. Charles W. Dietrich for the office of Tiler. No other nominations, nominations closed. Bro. Secretary cast one vote. Bro. Dietrich excepted.
Bro. Ralph Carter nominated Bro. James P. Robinson and Bro. Chester Care for two year terms on the M.T.A..
Bro. Potter nominated Bro. Raymond F. Lee, Jr. for a two year term on the M.T.A..
Bro. Russell nominated Bro. Gary D. Sparks to fill the one year term of JR. Past Master Edward B. Aylward, who was unable to serve.
No other nominations, nominations closed. All excepted.
The Master Elect announced his Line appointments.
Bro. Wayne N. Williams-S.D., Bro. Ellis R. Taylor-J.D., Bro. Charles C. Shely-S.S., Bro. Joel E. Baumgartner-J.S., and Bro. Charles E. Christian-Chaplain.
The Retiring Master called the Lodge at ease so the Installing Officers might assume their stations and prepare for Installations of Lexington Lodge #1 Officers for 1985.
The Most Worshipful Grand Master Assumed the East and ably assisted by the Grand Marshall installed the Officers in a dignified and efficient manner.
The Grand Marshall declared all with the exception of the S.S. installed.
The newly installed Master thanked the Grand Master and the Grand Marshall for a beautiful and impressive job.
The Lodge gave the Grand Master a standing ovation.
The Master gave his Incoming Speech which has been made a part of the Minutes.
Bro. Hardigree asked permission to approach the East and presented the Master with a gavel, a gift from the Line Officers.
Each of the Grand Lodge Officers were called on and gave a short talk.

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GOOD OF THE ORDER (Cont'd.)

The Grand Master thanked Lexington Lodge #1 for allowing him to install their Officers for 1985. He gave a short talk on his objectives and what he hope to accomplish in 1985. He asked fpr the Lodge's help in caring out his objectives and said if Lexington Lodge needed help in any way they had but to ask.

SICK AND DISTRESS (Should be before G.of O.)

Bro Johnston announced that Bro. Cecil Platt was just alive, and that Bro. Leonard Desmond was very ill at home and needed company.

Bro. Secretary reported the passing of Bro. Richard F. Allison, Bro. D.V. Sublett, Bro. Conrad E. Hubbard and one of our wards in the M.W.&O. Home, Mrs. Leila Merchant.

CLOSING

10:15 p.m. Lodge closed in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Out-Going Master (1984)

In-Coming Master (1985)

A YEAR OF CONFRONTATION

Edward Brian Aylward

27 December 1983

"Man is inherently an inquisitive and social being. He does not like to be alone, but rather seeks the companionship of his fellow man (2)." We are united tonight by our attraction to a fraternal organization which advocates, and should serve to promote, friendship, morality and harmony among human associations. Our ancient institution is founded upon the brotherhood of man-brethren, we are freemasonry. Each of us are masons of our own free will and accord.

Our fellow craft degree has been considered to be of primary educational importance in its explanations of orders of architecture, function of the human senses and the nature of the liberal arts and sciences. Although the content may seem elementary to those with even a secondary education, it should be remembered that before our coordinated system of public instruction, this subject matter was both new and interesting to the average man. Our educational role has not stopped. A lodge must now strive to fulfill a brother's desire for detailed and comprehensive information regarding the order. Herein lies the challenging instructional task of any group of lodge officers.

Typically, masons are industrious. We are responsible members of our community: busy with domestic; social; vocational and civic obligations. Our individual brethren do not have the time to make an exhaustive study or search for masonic knowledge. It falls upon the officers of a lodge with greater or at least equal weight as with Grand Lodge officers to provide the means to satisfy and to stimulate a brother's quest for masonic light.

The frailties of our human form will not permit us to look directly at the sun of our solar system; even from this great distance away. How much more difficult then to provide masonic light, that of the Great Artificer of the Universe, alongside which our undistinguished stellar source of light is but a pale and pitiful spark? We must stimulate our brethren with the beauties contained within the Great Light which even now rests upon our sacred altar.

There are applicable lessons within the Great Light for all situations. In David's charge to Solomon during David's final days he said: "Be thou strong and shew thyself a man; and keep the charge of the Lord thy God, to walk in His ways; to keep His statutes and His commandments and His judgements; and His testimonies as it is written in the Law of Moses." As each lodge symbollically represents Solomon's temple, so each master is tied to Solomon King of Israel. David reasoned unto Solomon that by following these charges he might "prosper in all that thou doest and whithersoever thou turnest thyself (I Kings 2:2-3)."

The temple which our ancient brethren did labor 7 years to build stands not today, but for one small section of wall. This temple, which upon completion resembled more divine architecture than the work of human hands, has not survived the test of time. Know ye also that Solomon, in all his wisdom, had his heart turned from the Lord and built also false temples for his strange wives which burnt incense and sacrificed unto false gods. It was the Lord God who stirred up an adversary unto Solomon. How much weaker are the spiritual edifices which each of us constructs this day?

When we become embroiled in the issues of our past and struggle in the worldly political throes of our temple association, we are not unlike our ancient and honorable brethren; yet, we have their mistakes to learn from. Their path led to destruction. Whenever discord arises within these tyled doors my brothers, we must struggle to understand that the trouble with "them" is the trouble with us.

The profane often question the secrecy of masonry. My brothers music is a secret to the deaf mute; mathematics a secret from the ignorant; philosophy a secret from the unscholarly mind; and freemasonry from the uninitiated. It gives me pause however when I see that freemasonry is still a secret from some who call themselves masons. Freemasonry opens its doors to all men, regardless of religious conviction. The essential requirements are an avowed belief in God and in immortality of the soul. The belief that our spirit does

not die is the "secret" of a master mason. Each of us strives to prepare our soul for "that spiritual building, that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." Freemasonry is non-sectarian; all theological discussion is prohibited in its lodges and its membership includes men of many different religious denominations. Freemasonry is neither a church nor a substitute for church.

Brethren, sociological studies show that, once again, people are seeking social intercourse by joining organizations. We must realize however, that freemasonry competes with odd fellows (although we have our share!), rotarians, lions, elks, moose, civic and professional associations, telvision and sporting events to name only a few. I firmly believe that the lessons and work of freemasonry, the beauty which comes from our symbollically and allegorically presented degree work should be our primary emphasis. My fellow officers, this means that your commitment to Lexington Lodge #1 F. and A. M. during 1984 will be far greater than required in recent years. My goal is a Lexington Lodge #1 which is known as a friendly place to meet and observe the beautiful lessons of freemasonry well presented.

A brother possessing full measure of the wisdom of Solomon recently explained to me his discovery of the definition of a cowan. A cowan is a mason who works without mortar. What edifice can stand without mortar? More especially one whose mortar is the cement of brotherly love and affection. Brethren, I would paraphrase a story from Charles Dickens, an author whose classic stories often hint that he was indeed a freemason: "Our dear mother (lodge), Heaven rest her soul. She was living when these long tasks began, and bade us, when she should be no more, ply them in all discretion and cheerfulness during our leisure hours (remember brethren the lesson of our 24 inch gauge). If in harmless mirth... we passed these hours together, they would prove the happiest and most peaceful of our lives, and that if, in later years, we went forth into the world and mingled with its cares and trials; if, allured by its temptations and dazzled by its glitter, we ever forgot that love and duty which should bind us in holy ties, the children of one loved parent; a glance at the old work of our common youth would awaken good thoughts of by-gone days and soften our hearts to affection and love (1)." A fine description of our masonic rituals.

Brethren, together we have witnessed a string of masters who have applied themes or titles to their coming year in the east. I have selected the theme "a year of confrontation." The time is long overdue to confront the divisive issues of our past and to move forward to confront the combined challenges of growth and the spreading of our mortar in a society of many distractions. The confrontations which I envision may be amicable or not, as shall be dictated at the time. Understand however, that we are obligated <u>equally</u> to one another and must be prepared to openly confront issues on the floor of this lodge. We shall confine our zeal to issues not personalities; merit not motive; consequence not glory; and fact rather than feeling.

I approach 1984 willing and able to take the leadership role in this lodge. Perhaps it could be instructive to consider leadership and how it comes about. A leader must be of good will toward associates, ethical in personal relationships, charitable toward those in need and honest in approaching problems. A leader, of necessity, is moderate, <u>but</u> fearless in the face of adversity. Diplomacy, fairness and toleration mark leadership. Ego control and a recognition of human limitations are essential. A leader cannot materially err while relying on Divine guidance for strength and wisdom. Masonry traditionally teaches friendship, morality, brotherly love, relief, truth, restraint, fortitude, prudence, justice and reverence. It naturally follows that the craft can instill these qulities of leadership on those who will accept and <u>practice</u> its fundamental principles. The direction of the oriental chair can come equally from the practice of freemasonry by the assembled brethren and the Light which rests upon our sacred altar.

Let us conduct our business remembering that at each closing we meet upon the level, pledged to act upon the plumb and part upon the square. Our ancient brethren served their masters with freedom, fervency and zeal. Let us disagree zealously while keeping in mind the greater good of the order and loving one another.

His will be done, His peace rest with each of us. Brethren let us go forward and confront the future of Lexington Lodge #1 Free and Accepted Masons.

1. Dickens, Charles. 1983. Nicholas Nickleby. Bantam Books, New York, NY.

2. Lewinski, R. J. 1961. What is Freemasonry? The Masonic Service Association, Silver Spring, MD.

My brothers, upon reaching this position, it would be easy to dwell upon the individual aspect of its attainment. But that would be a mistake, for this is not a singular achievement, but rather a group effort. The limits of time will not allow me to mention all who have guided me in this journey through the chairs. However, I would be remiss if I did not mention a few.

First, Brother Thomas A. Davis -- Brother Tom initially signed my petition to receive the three degrees of masonry, and got me started along the way.

Next, Brother Richard Russell, P.M. -- Brother Richard appointed me to my first chair and has always been available for help and guidance. I hope to prove worthy of his confidence.

Next Brother Raymond L. O'Neal P.M. - Brother Ray's support has been unwavering through the good time as well as the difficult.

And, finally, Brother James H. Baxter, P.M. -- I am certain that few realize the vast amount of time and effort that Brother Jim devotes to this Lodge and to its line officers. His efforts and knowledge have guided myself and many others. Without the help of these brothers and many more just like them, I would not be in this chair tonight. Truly, this process is Masonry at work at its best.

Those of us who attended our recent Past Masters' Dinner were honored to hear our Grand Master speak on the problem of declining membership in our Grand Lodge as well as the

interrelationship of this problem with our Lodge. My apologies to the Grand Master for paraphrasing him, but it seems that Masonic membership in our state is down and Lexington Lodge No. 1 has the dubious distinction of leading in this decline.

The reasons for this decline are numerous and well known. Membership in fraternal organizations in general is down across the land. The demands on time of our prospective new members are numerous. Family, church, business, leisure-time activities, T.V. all take their toll.

We here at Lexington Lodge No. 1 are faced with these problems as well as a membership with an advanced average age, in addition to a Lodge building and location that seem to stiffle growth.

That states the obvious. The soltion is much less obvious. If, indeed, there is a solution, it is not a short-term, but rather a long-term one. There is no Quick Fix! We cannot change society and our style of life overnight. Only time, new members, and the mortality tables will change our membership's average age. It appears to be impracticable to move the location of our Lodge until the properties sell. That mandate was given to the Masonic Temple Association by the various bodies sometime ago. The only solution that I see is the same one that has been available to Masons for centuries. We must be better Masons. The light of Masonry was designed to be spread by example, not by advertisement -- by word of mouth -- not by T.V.

This is a slow process, but it is a sure one. The science of

Masonry and its methods have indured for centuries, and if adhered to will indure for many more. I challenge you Brothers to live your lives by the Masonic principles. Wear your Masonry and its emblems proudly. Be quick to answer questions and encourage those showing interest. In short, keep the faith. If you do these things and continue to do them, Masonry will prosper in the Bluegrass and all over the state. After all, it is not the quantity of Masons that matters, but rather the quality of Masonry.

I can assure you that your officers will not be complacent this year. We will be visiting Lodges more. We are working on the plans for some special activities already. I will be announcing the details of these very soon.We are dedicated to

working to improve all degree work. I have talked with many of you about our new Degree Team and am very encouraged and excited about its prospects.

My Brothers, I am sure that with your help, 1985 will be a banner year for Lexington Lodge No. 1.

Let's pull together and work for the improvement of our Lodge. In so doing, Masonry will be fun and rewarding for all.

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DATE December 27, 2984

Stated	MEETING	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.	Treasurer
Robert E. Cleary	W. Master	James H. Baxter, P.M.	Secretary
C. Thomas Hardigree	Senior Warden		Senior Steward
Stephen B. Westmeyer	Junior Warden	Joel E. Baumgartner	Junior Steward
Wayne N. Williams	Senior Deacon	John D. Jacobs	Tiler
Walter S. Johnston	Junior Deacon	Charles E. Christian	Chaplain

OPENING

7:40 p.m. Lodge opened in form on the M.M. Degree with the above Officers and 2 others present.

MINUTES

Minutes of December 17, 1984 were read and approved as read.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter of resignation from Bro. Ellis R. Taylor, J.D.. Bro. Taylor stated that he regretted having to make this decision, but due to losing his partner his increased work load demanded his time.

A note from Bro. H.J. Hagler requesting a demit. This Bro. free of all indebtness to the Lodge, demit granted.

Bro. Edmond Vearl Bell contacted Bro. Raymond L. O'Neal by phone and requested a demit. This Bro. living out of State and free of all indebtness to the Lodge, demit was granted.

BILLS

The following bills were read and duly ordered paid.

1107	Adver-tek(Inv. #1779-2M Calendars)	$ 145.48
1108	Whitfield Tandy, P.M.(Treasurer's service)	5.00
1109	James H. Baxter, P.M.(Secretary's service)	1,714.50
1110	James H. Baxter(2 Address corrections & 1 Long Distant phone call)	1.92
1111	Joel E. Baumgartner(Refreshments 12/27/84)	37.59

GOOD OF THE ORDER

The Worshipful commented on Bro. Taylor's resignation, by stating how he would be missed and what an asset he was to the Lodge.

The W.M. also called attention to the List of Officers and the Calendars on the Secretary's desk, and ask that all take one or more. He also called attention to the Committee on 200th. Aniversary and the Transportation Committee. The latter to get the membership to the Lodge.

The W.M. stated that the appointment or appointments would be announced at the next Meeting.

Bro. Tandy inquired about the Micro-filmed Minutes, which Bro. Sparks and Bro. Rose were to have made.

The W.M. said that he would look into it and report.

Bro. Secretary stated that our membership was 1143.

CLOSING

8:13 p.m. Lodge close in form on the M.M. Degree.

James H. Baxter, P.M., Secretary

Master

JAN. 1982

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DEC 27, 1984