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

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January 7th 1924 to Apr 18 1927

Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky, Jan 7 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins M. W D Fler Sr W T E Rix Jr JW
V H Skidmore Sr D. E B Webb Jr D. C W Shanklang Tyler
J J Clopton Chaplain
Bro J L Grubbs. F G Watkins R B Hawkins
Sageser H S Chase A C Henry. C F Cramer J F Wilson
Sageser J E Gordon Natt Corbin M S Moore O C Boone
Scherago Lodge of M M opened in form
Barringer Minutes read and approved
Pet rec The following petitions received
C G Sageser for initiation referred to
Bro E B Webb. C F Cramer & V M Moore
E M Sageser for initiation referred to
Bro J E Gordon. L C Redmon Jno Bishop
Morris Scherago for initiation referred to
F G Watkins. C J Norwood & D V Terrell
D W Barringer for initiation referred to
Bro V M Moore. T E Rix Jr & M S Moore
Committees on petitions of John Gregory
H W Moore & H A Bastin reported report
received Committee discharged. ballot spread
found fair and all of the above declared elected
C E Gibson Sec directed to purchase Apron & neck Chain for Chaplain
F E Smith Bill R B Hawkins $50.00 lecturing F C. passed and ordered paid
E A Secretary also ordered to Notify Directors M T Assoⁿ
of the very uncomfortable condition of Hall on Cold Nights
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bro T R Creech. A H Fullington G F Endres J P Wright
J H Godfrey W B Griggs and G O Dorah examined in E. A.
C E Gibson and F E Smith initiated as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread found fair in case of T R Creech G F Endres
A H Fullington J P Wright J H Godfrey W B Griggs & G O Dorah
and they declared elected to receive F C degree
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster Sr

Robt. D. Hawkins,
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jan 17 1924
Call Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Tyler S W
J & Rix Jr J W W H Richmond S D
R E Anderson Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bro J H Callis Chester D Adams

Lodge of M M opened in form.
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro R R Sutton who died in California on Jan 10 1924
Bro Chester D Adams W D Tyler and J Elmer Rix Jr were appointed a committee on Resolutions
The Lodge then proceeded to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains of Bro Sutton was buried with Masonic honors
Returning to the Temple the Lodge was closed in form.

pro W Lancaster
Secy

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Jan 21 - 24.

Lexington Lodge #1. F & A.M.

Lexington Ky Stated Meeting.

Consent. R. D Hawkins Master W. D Dier S.W. P Rip J.
J.W. V.H. Shipman S.D. ~~John Bishop~~ ~~Abey Compton~~ J.S.
C.W. Hunt Cant Dyer Bro. Present.
C. C Boone Merideth Moore R.B. Hawkins
B.O Brown L.L Roberts C.F Cramer
D.P Easton W.L Thompson P Rip Jr Vernon Moore
W Hartley A.L Henry Geo Burkett as
W Edwards Lodge of M.M. opened in
W.W Shorts Form Minutes Read and Approved.
J.H White Petitions Recd. W. W Thorp Committe
E.C Murphy J.H Hughes P Rip Jr W.D Dier James H White
R.J Hempel Same Committee. Elmer C Murphy Committe
H.T Hempel V.H Shipman M.S Moore + D.P Easton
J.W Webb Richard J. Hempel Committe W.D Dier
H.L Martin J.B Bishop + J.C Gordon Hugh Hempel Jr
W.H Cruse Same Committee John W. Webb Committe
H.S Mitchell C.F Cramer J.R Feeter + D.P Easton Henry L Martin
L.W Rue Com. R.B Hawkins W.D Dier + J.R Shipman
William H Cruse Kamp Com. L.L Roberts C.F Cramer
+ D.P Easton Herman T Mitchell Com C.F Cramer H.L Henry
+ V.M Moore L.W Rue Same Com. R.B Hawkins J.F Wilson +
O.C Boone Motion Moved and Seconded that the
Money in the two savings not be Turned over
to the Trustees for Investment Motion Carried.
Report of Auditing Committee received + adopted.
4 Volumes of Gaines History of Freemasonry donated
by Past M. Jno P. Moore of St Louis Mo. Were Presented
and Received With a Rising Vote of Thanks
Lodge of M.M. Called from Labor to Refreshment
Lodge of E.A. opened. Bros. J.O Reynierson W.C Heaton
A.A Back C Custer C Corbin Examined as E.A.
Lodge of E.A. Closed F.C. called on Ballot
Spread on Preparing of Bros above. Ballot found
Fair by East Declared Elected. Bros. J.O Reynierson
W.C Heaton A.A Back C.C Corbin J.R Creech A.A Pullington
J.H Godfrey J.P Wright G.W Dowell W.B Griggs as
J.F Tenbrook Present and Passed to the degree of F.C.

STATED MEETINGS
First and Third Monday
In Each Month

Lexington Lodge No. 1

F & A M

Chartered as No. 25 of Virginia. 1788.
Chartered as No. 1 of Kentucky 1800.

SMITH BROS. DEL & ENG.

Lexington, Ky.

Jan _____ 1924,

To the Officers And Members of Lexington Lodge # 1,

We your Committee who were appointed to examine the books of the Treasurer & Secretary, beg leave to report as follows,

1923	Jan 1	Balance in Chk'g account	788.63	
		" " Savings "	1888.59 1200.00	
	Dec 31	Received from Sec, Degrees	2850.00	
		" " " Dues	3274.22	
		Int on Savings account	66.31 Total	10.067.75
		Paid on Orders 1923	6217.78	
		Bal Chek'g account	1095.07 1.200.00	
		" Savings "	1.554.90	10.067.75

1095.07
1200.00
Bal Jan 1/24 1554.90 Total 3.849.97

1200.00
1554.00
2754.00

Remarks,

V. M. Moore
J. W. Havel
C. F. Cramer

Auditing Committee,

F.C.° Conferred on Bro. Dorroh of Clinton Lodge # 82.

Fellowcraft Lodge Called off Lodge of Master Master opened. No further business The Lodge Closed in form.

Report Auditing Committee

Bal on hand Jan 1 1923		3.877.22
Received from Sec	1923	419053
	Total	$10.04775
Paid on Orders	1923	6.21778
Bal on hand Jan 1 1924		$3.849.97

T R Skidmore Sec. P.T.

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Feby 4 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Eler Sec T E Rix J Gr W
V H Skidmore Sec D E O B Webb Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bro Natt Corbin J J Clopton D M Lowe D P Easton
J E Gordon T L Jones J S Yellman T W Hardy M S Moore R D Hawkins
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Sherwood Following petitions received
Maybrier W S Sherwood for initiation referred to
Mattingly Bro O C Doone W D Eler + V H Skidmore
O'Brien T H Maybrier for initiation referred to
Byrd Bro H P Bartram E D Webb + J A Bitterman
Stone J W Mattingley for initiation referred to
Petrucci Bro B P Brown J E Gordon + J H Yellman
D E O'Brien for initiation referred to
Bro Natt Corbin T R Skidmore + J F Wilson
Carl D Byrd for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Mt Hermon Lodge #304 Ga
referred to E D Webb J P Bishop + W D Eler
A D Stone for affiliation by waiver of
all claim from Alamo Lodge #44 Texas
referred to Bro T E Rix D M Lowe + O C Doone
Committee on petitions of E M Sagesser and
D W Daringer reported, report received
ballot spread found fair in case of
D W Daringer and he declared elected
ballot on E M Sagesser found dark
and he declared rejected, also committee
on petition of A H Smith reported.
ballot spread found fair and he declared
elected, as was also L W Rug.
Communication from Litchfield Lodge #236 Ky
requesting this Lodge to examine Bro J E Dyers
in F C work and when found proficient to
confer M M degree on him

Over

Feby 4 1924 Contd
Request from Mrs J S Christian to assist her in getting education for her son read and referred to the Master for action also authorized to help her should she need immediate assistance
Cards acknowledging from Mrs R L Sutton and Bro H S Long read and filed
Secretary stated the 60 days had elasped as ordered by this Lodge in case of Charge & specifications against Bro Walter Matthews Jr
The Master stated that he was a witness in the case he would vacate the Chair Bro Past Master Theo L Jones being called to the Chair
after a statement of the case Bro Secretary moved that the case be postponed indefinately upon a rising vote the motion was lost by large majority then upon technical points further action was taken to have notice read of the serving the summons on Bro Matthews read at three regular meetings of this Lodge namely Feb 4th Feb 18th and Mch 3rd 1924
Bro T W Havely appointed to assist J Warden in prosecuting the case and Bros D P Easton and J E Cassidy to defend the accused
C D Adams
Bro Walter Matthews Jr.
Secretary directed to notify all witnesses to be present at meeting to be held Mch 3rd under Seal of the Lodge.
The Lodge then closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Feby 18 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins M W D Iler Sr W T E Rix Jr Jr W
V H Skidmore Sr D E Dwebb Jr D A L Henry Tyler
Bros Theo L Jones J F Wilson J L Long W A Michler
D P Eastin R B Hawkins M S Moore Nott Corbin R E Elliott
R H Walker H M Hubbard
Lodge of M M opened in form
Butler Minutes read
Abnee The following petitions received
Taylor R C Butler for initiation referred to
Pet rec'd Bros M S Moore V M Moore & V H Skidmore
A V Abnee for initiation referred to
Bros D P Brown W H Brand & T R Skidmore
J M Taylor for initiation referred to
Bros T G Watkin W E Freeman & L E Nallan
Committee on petition of W W Thorp
J H White R J Hemple Hugh Hemple Jr
W H Kruskamp L W Rue H T Michler. M
Schiago. & E C Murphy. reported, report
received Committee discharged ballot
spread found fair and all of the above declared elected
Communications concerning Higher
Education for the son of Bro J T Christian
read and master directed continue the
investigation in regard to cost of same
Secretary reported that he had notified
all members of this Lodge that action
would be taken at this meeting
Secretary directed to notify all those
who were indebted for more than one year dues
to appear at the regular meeting to
be held Monday March 17th 1924 and
show cause why they should not be
suspended for non-payment of dues
Matthews Charges & specifications in the Walter Matthews
case and second reading of notice by Secretary

Delinquents

Feby 18 Cont^t
as ordered by the Lodge read for second time
Bro^s D. Steastin Natt Corbin & M S Moore
appointed to arrange for reception
in honor of Bro J T Wilkerson who was
made a Mason in Richmond Lodge #25 on
Oct 3rd 1872
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of F C opened
Bro^s C C Corbin. W D Griggs. W C Hiacox G F Endres
J O Reynerson. J P Wright. A H Fullington
A A Bach J H Godfrey H W Moores together
with Bro G U Dorsch of Clinton Lodge #82 Ky and
O C Drake of Bloomfield #57 examined in F.C.
F C Lodge closed
E A Lodge opened
H W Moore D W Barringer. L W Rue W W Thorp
Jas H White R J Hempel. Hugh Hempel Jr
and J J Tinkcom of Garrettsville Lodge #244
O. prepared introduced and initiated as E A Mason
L S Cox and Lester Blanton examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application of
C C Corbin W D Griggs W C Hiacox G F Endres
J O Reynerson J P Wright A H Fullington
A A Bach J H Godfrey H W Moores together
with O C Drake of Lodge #57. found fair and all elected
Ballot also spread upon the application of
L S Cox and Lester Blanton to receive F C
degree found fair and they declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Robt. A. Hawkins
Master

Charges & specification
Water Matthews

Moore
Barringer
Rue
Thorp
White
Hempel
Hempel
Tinkcom
E A

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Mch 3 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins M. W D Iler Sr W H Skidmore Jr W. Natt Corbin
V H Skidmore Sr D E D Webb Jr D C W Shanklard Tyler
Bro T R Skidmore J E Gordon Natt Corbin
W R Money D P Easton J J Clopton Ward Havely
C A Baker J D Davis. D P Brown Wm Decker G A Holland
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Evans The following petitions received
Zarfos M G Evans for initiation referred to
Rankin Bro W F Galloway F E Rix J T R Skidmore
Wallace J H Zarfos, for initiation referred to
Pet pres Bro D P Easton W D Iler & V H Skidmore
Luther T Rankin for initiation referred to
Bro M S Moore Ward Havely & E D Webb
Tony Wallace for initiation referred to
Bro V M Moore D P Easton J S Yellman
Committee on petitions, of C G Sagaser
J W Mattingley. H L Martin T H Maybrier
D E O'Brien. C D Dyrd J W Webb & A D Stone
reported report receiving ballot spread
found fair in case of J W Mattingley H L Martin
T H Maybrier D E O'Brien C D Dyrd J W Webb
and A D Stone and they declared elected
Sagaser In case of C G Sagaser the ballot was
Rejected found dark and he declared rejected
Secretary directed to notify all members
who were indebted for more than one years
Delinquents dues, under seal to appear at regular meeting
to be held Monday April 21 1924 and
show cause why they should not be suspended for N.P.d
The following members whose notices were
returned reported not found. F L Cook. L D Henry
Chas Kerr. F H Higgins H D Melvin & L W McElyea
A A DeLong
to be read at three regular meetings before
being suspended

over

Mch 3rd Cont'd

Bro Past Master Thos L Jones being called to the Chair he appointed the following committee to hear the pleadings and evidence in case of Lexington Lodge #1 vs Walter Matthews Jr. J L Jones chm E R Eustice J G Given W E Nichols and Roy E Anderson

Secretary directed to notify all witnesses under seal of the Lodge to appear on Monday Mch 10 1924 at 7 o'clock

Call meeting for Tuesday Mch 11th 1924 for conferring M M degree

Bro E R Eustice offers following Resolution

Whereas—Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A.M. and Webb Commandery No 2 Knights Templar did on February 21st 1924 purchase from the Masonic Widows & Orphans Home of Louisville, Kentucky seven promissory Notes of one thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars each which were signed by the Masonic Temple Association of Lexington, Kentucky, payable to Masonic Widows & Orphans Home Louisville, Kentucky and secured by a lien on the building of the Masonic Temple Association situated on North Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky, said notes being dated October 1st 1915 and due eleven, twelve thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen years respectively after date, bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum from date until paid, and

Whereas = said Masonic Widows and Orphans Home has transferred and assigned said Notes, and the Mortgage securing same to Lexington Lodge No 1.

March 3rd continued

F & A.M. and Webb Commandery No 2. Knights Templar. jointly, and Whereas Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A.M has only paid for, and therefore is only entitled to three of said Notes, while Webb Commandery No 2. Knights Templar has paid for and is therefore entitled to four of them. Now. Therefore, be it Resolved - That C J Norwood, D P Easton and M S Moore as Trustees of Lexington Lodge No. 1. F & A.M. be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to transfer and assign on the margin of the record in the office of the Clerk of Fayette County, Kentucky, all right, title and interest of Lexington Lodge No 1. F. & A.M. in and to four of the above mentioned Notes, such four Notes being the ones maturing in fourteen, fifteen sixteen and seventeen years respectively after date to Webb Commandery No. 2. Knights Templar. It being understood, that said Commandery will by its duly authorized Officers, transfer and assign to Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A.M. all right, title and interest of Webb Commandery No 2. Knights Templar in and to the three remaining Notes, said Notes being the three remaining of the seven Notes herein first mentioned, and maturing in eleven twelve and thirteen years respectively after date. Be it further.

Resolved - That C J Norwood as Chairman of Trustees and D P Easton as Trustee having formerly - that is to say on Feby 21st 1924

Mch 3rd continued
transferred and assigned on the backs thereof. all. right. title and interest of Lexington Lodge No 1. F.&A.M. in the four of the Notes herein before mentioned which mature in fourteen fifteen sixteen and seventeen years respectively.
The said action of said Trustees be and it is hereby ratified and confirmed.
The above was unanimously addopted by Lexington Lodge No 1
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened

Webb — Bro F C Dobbett examined in E A degree
Schirigo — Jno W Webb. Morris Schirigo W H Kruseskamp
Kruseskamp — T H Maybrier
Gregory — John Gregory. D E O Brien. E C Murphy
O Brien — H T Michler and H H Thornberry of
Murphy — Poole Lodge # 604 prepared introduced an
Michler — initiated as E A Masons
Maybrier — E A Lodge closed
Thornberry — M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
E A — Ballot spread upon the application of F C Dobbett to receive F. C. degree found fair and he declared elected
Call meeting for Tuesday Mch 11th for Masters degree
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F and A M
Lexington Ky
March 11 1924

Call meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Iler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
E D Webb Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bro. W A Michler J C Farmer W C
Goodloe H M Hubbard A L Henry M S Moore
A E Wilson J W Coleman J D Bishop
Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting
was called for conference of M M degree
Corbin Bro. C C Corbin. W D Griggs. G. F
Griggs Endres. W C Heacox J O Reynerson.
Heacox J P Wright A H Fullington A A Pack
Endres J H Godfrey and G U Dorroh of Lodge
Reynerson #82 and J E Byers of Lodge # 236. Ky
Wright Prepared introduced and Raised
Fullington to the sublime degree of Master
Pack Masons
Godfrey No further business Lodge closed
Dorroh Jno W Lancaster
Byers Sec
M M

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Mch 17 1924
Stated meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Ekin Sr W
T E Rix J Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
J D Bishop Jr D C W Shanklang Tyler
Bros Theo L Jones Natt Corbin Wm Becker
T R Skidmore E R Eustice H M Hubbard
A Z Gillespie C A Baker T W Havely
J T Kincaid Guy Johnson C J Norwood
D P Brown J E Cassidy W H Moore O Mauser
V M Moore W A Michler J R Hughes C Calagis

Pet Rec'd Lodge of M M opened in form
Coon Minutes read and approved
Hart The following petitions received
Moore Claude J Coons for initiation referred to
Rosenberg Bros C F Cramer S R Griffith U H Skidmore
Cecil C Hart for initiation referred to
Bros T W Havely O C Boone D P Easton
H O Moore for initiation referred to
Bros T E Rix Ray Walker J W Coleman for
Louis Rosenberg for initiation referred to
Bros H M Hubbard T L Jones & G T Johnson
Committee on petition of A V Abnee
R C Butler & W S Sherwood reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair in case of
A V Abnee & R C Butler and they declared
elected in case of W S Sherwood the
ballot was found dark and he declared rejected
Communication from Bedford Lodge # 158
Ky requesting Lexington Lexington Lodge to
confer E A degree on P M Perkinson also
request from Proctor Lodge # 213 Ky to
lecture and confer F C degree on Vernon
McGuire read and filed
Communication from Grand Secretary
to the effect that the Treas & Secretary

Mch 17 1924 Cont'd
of Lexington Lodge #1 should be required to give Bond to the amount of $2500.00 and to forward ck for $18.00 to pay for same.
By motion the Secretary was directed to notify Grand Secretary that the Treas and Secretary of Lexington Lodge were already under satisfactory Bond to the Lodge, at a cost of $3.25 per year in National Surety Co.
In the matter of the Son of Bro J T Christian deceased who had made application to Higher Educational Committee was referred to Bros C J Norwood W E Freeman and D V Terrell
Bill from C W Shankland repairing and cleaning aprons and Gloves $8.30 passed and ordered paid
Delinquents whose address was not known F L Cook L D Henry, F H Higgins H D Melvin, L W McElyea & A A DeLong
Report Trial Committee
Past Master Theo L Jones occupying the East the charges and specifications in case of Lexington Lodge #1 F. & A. M. vs Walter Matthews Jr was read as was also the testimony of the three witnesses Bro Jones requested all who were not members of Lexington Lodge #1 to retire.
Bro G Allison Holland who came in late was excused from voting
A secret ballot was then taken which resulted as follows
Guilty 22 Not Guilty 29.
The case was then dismissed
The Trustees offered the following

Treas and Secretary Bond

Walter Matthews Trial — dismissed

Assignment of Notes

Mch 17 1924 Cont'd

The undersigned trustees of Lexington Lodge No 1. F. & A.M. respectfully report that in compliance with resolutions of said Lodge, passed at its regular meeting on March 3 1924. they have transferred and assigned on the backs thereof, and on the margin of this record in the office of the Clerk of Fayette County, Kentucky all right, title and interest of Lexington Lodge No 1. F. & A.M. in four notes for one thousand ($1000.00) dollars each, signed by the Masonic Temple association, Lexington, Kentucky, payable to the Masonic Widows & Orphans Home, Louisville, Kentucky due in fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen years respectively after date, to Webb Commandery No. 2. Knights Templar and that simultaneously therewith said Commandery transferred and assigned to Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A.M all right, title and interest of said Commandery in the three Notes of like amount, effect and tenor which are due in eleven, twelve and thirteen years respectively after date.

We further report that said three Notes which were transferred to Lexington Lodge #1 F & A.M are now in our possession.

Signed C J Norwood
M S Moore
D P Easton

M.M. Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened

Mch 17 1924 Cont^d
Bro^s E C Murphy. H W Moore H T
Michler. Jno W Webb. W H Kruse Kamp
and D W Barringer examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications
E C Murphy. H W Moore. H T Michler
J W Webb. H W H Kruse Kamp to
receive F C degree found fair and
each of the above declared elected
Call meeting for Mch 31st for
conferrence of F C degree
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. D. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
March 31 1924
Call Meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
R B Hawkins Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
E B Webb Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Lodge of F C Opened in form
The Master stated that this
Murphy meeting was called for conference
Moore of Fellow Craft degree
Michler Bros E C Murphy H W Moore H T
Webb Michler Jno W Webb W H Kruse Kamp
Kruse Kamp D W Barringer. Lester Blanton L S Cox and
Barringer F C Dobbitt prepared introduced
Blanton and passed to the degree of
Cox Fellow Craft Masons
Dobbitt No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Bros present were J J Clapton H A
Rasch A L Henry R O Smith
T R Creech C C Corbin B S Brown

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Apl. 7 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Eler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
C D Adams Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bros Natt. H M Hubbard J T Wickersoh
C J Norwood D P Easton R D Hawkins W A Kretzger
J R Hughes N H Smith W R Money O H Merchant
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Mayhall The following petitions received
Mauser C C Mayhall for initiation referred to
Reaoch Bros J E Gordon R E Elliott L C Redmon
Humphrey O H Mauser for initiation referred to
Noe Bros W D Eler T E Rix Jr. V H Skidmore
Kilpatrick P M Reaoch for initiation referred to
McGuffey Bros W D Eler C F Cramer J A Dilterman
Jas E Humphrey for initiation referred to
Bros E C Vaughn W D Eler T R Bryant
J C T Noe for initiation referred to
Bros J R Hughes S R Griffith & E L Gribben
E J Kilpatrick for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Melody Lodge #2 Wis referred
to Bros C J Norwood T R Bryant L E Nollau
Jno A Patton for affiliation. accompanied by
demit from Monticello Lodge #401 Ky referred to
Bros V M Moore W Havely T E Rix Jr
Earle M McGuffey for affiliation
Accompanied by demit from Crews Lodge #825 Ky
referred to Bros D P Easton Natt Corbin H M Hubbard
Committee on petition of J M Taylor
reported. report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
A Certificate of life membership
and Card case was presented to

Apl 7 Cont^d
Bro J Tevis Wilkerson in honor
of his being a member for 50 years
having been initiated in Richmond
Lodge # 25 on
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bros T H Maybrier. D E O'Brien A B Stone
F E Smith. H H Thornberry J J Tincom
R J Hempel. M Schuigo. Hugh Hempel
Morton and J H White examined in E A degree
Mattingly H L Morton. J W Mattingley. A V Abnee
Abnee R C Butler. with T M Perkinson of Lodge
Butler #15 Ky. prepared introduced and
Perkinson initiated as E A Masons. T E Rig Jr presiding
E A E Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment labor
ballot spread upon applications of Bros
T H Maybrier. D E O'Brien. A B Stone F E Smith
R J Hempel M Schuigo Hugh Hempel
J H White J J Tincom H H Thornberry to
receive F C degree found fair and
all of the above deceased elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Apl 21 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Mas W D Iler Sr W M S Moore Jr W
R D Hawkins Sr D J D Bishop Jr D C W Shanklaw Tyler
Dros C J Norwood Natt Corbin J F Wilson
W H Moore J D Wilson W R Money C D Kennard
O C Boone J J Clopton F C Foxworth D H Skidmore
F E Rix Jr
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Mt Joy White Pet rec'd
Petition for affiliation from A J Mount Joy
accompanied by demit from Simpson
Lodge # 189 Ky referred to Dros W D Iler
J D Bishop and T E Rix Jr
Petition for initiation from Ollie M
White received and referred to Dros
L D Ingels T E Rix Jr & L T Gooding
Committee on petition of L T Rankin
H O Moore J H Zarfos C C Harp C C Coons
reported report received ballot
spread found fair and all declared elected
In case of Louis Rosenberg the ballot
was found dark and he declared rejected

Christian Comt'ee
Committee appointed to investigate the
matter of assisting the son of Dro J T
Christian reported offering three
plans to cost this Lodge $20.00 per
month for a period of two years
By motion the report was adopted
and a new committee consisting of
Dros W E Freeman C J Norwood and
D V Terrell was appointed to take
charge of the matter
Communication from W & O Home and
Infirmary urging the members to pay
up their subscription to the Home
By motion the secretary was directed
to purchase jacket to be used in M M degree

Apr 21st Cont'd
Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bros J O Creech and J W Mattingley examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bros Lester Blanton, E C Murphy H W Moore and D W Barringer examined in F C
Ballot spread upon the application of J O Creech and J W Mattingley to receive F C degree found fair & they elected
Maybrier O'Brien Stone Smith Hempel Scherago Hemple White Creech Thornberry Tinckom F C
Bros T H Maybrier. D E O'Brien A B Stone F E Smith R J Hempel. M Scherigo. Hugh Hempel. J H White J O Creech. together with H H Thornberry of Poole Lodge #604 and J J Tinckom of Garrettsville Lodge #2460. prepared introduced and passed to the degree of F C Masons
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications of Lester Blanton E C Murphy H W Moore and D W Barringer to receive M M degree. found fair and all declared elected
The following members were suspended for non-payment of dues
J H Brock. H C Cramer F J Conn F L Cook. A A De Long Geo K Doyle T T Evans S L Fowlkes J M Green W C Hedrick F H Higgins D C Hunter A G Johns H D Melvin W B Morris L W McElyea R H Sacks J M Vaughn and G F Washington
By motion all of the above was allowed 60 days to pay amts due.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Suspensions

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 5th 1924
Stated meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Eler Sr W
M S Moore Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
R D Hawkins Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bros J J Clopton. C J Norwood Natt Corbin
J A Bitterman W H Moore O H Merchant. T E Rix Jr
F C Foxworth Henry Jeffers J D Bishop H M Hubbard
J W Coleman Jr

Antrobus Lodge of M M opened in form
Sprowles Minutes read and approved
Boyd The following petitions received
Pet recd C C Antrobus for initiation referred to
Bros V M Moore D P Easton & T E Rix Jr
N R Sprowles for affiliation. accompanied
by demit from Sharpsburg Lodge # 730 Ky referred
to Bros L L Roberts W D Eler & V H Skidmore
T P Boyd for affiliation by demit from
Hanover Lodge # 452 Ind. referred to Bros
W E Freeman. C J Norwood & L E Nollau
Committee on petitions of R M Reach
O H Mauser. C C Mayhall. Toney Wallace
J E Humphrey. J C T Nol. E M McGuffey & E J Kilpatrick
reported. report received committee
discharged ballot spread found fair in
all declared elected. Save. Toney Wallace
in his case the ballot was found dark
and he declared elected
Bill from Transylvania Printing Co $1.00 and
Wrenn & King $2.50 for Bill. Fold for
Bro J T Wickerson upon his 50th year
as a Mason. passed and ordered paid
The Master stated that there were about 20
Candidates for M M degree. a Committee
consisting of Bros T E Rix J D P Easton and
Ed Williamson to suggest some arrangement
as to best manner to handle the matter and
report at next regular meeting

J. Tevis Wickerson 50th year

May 5th 1924 Contd
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Taylor J M Taylor H O Moore C C Harp J H Garfos
Moore together with R W Hogan of Gainsville
Harp Lodge # 512 Ky prepared introduced
Garfos and initiated as E A Masons
Hogan E A Lodge closed
E A F C Lodge opened
Bros J H White, W H Kruseskamp J W Webb
D E O'Brien J O Creech T R Creech H T Michler
F E Smith L S Cox T H Maybrier F C Dobbett
together with J J Tinckom of Garrettsville
Lodge # 244. O. examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application of
J H White. W H Kruseskamp J W Webb D E O'Brien
J O Creech T R Creech H T Michler F E Smith
L S Cox T H Maybrier F C Dobbett and
J J Tinckom to receive M M degree
found fair and all declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sy

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 19 1924
Stated meeting

Present — R D Hawkins Master W D Iler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
J D Bishop Jr D C W Shanklang Tyler
Dros Ray Walker F C Faxworth Natt Corbin
B T Brown Ray Walker O C Boone
O Mauser
Lodge of M M opened in form
Kuehn Minutes read and approved
Tomlinson Petitions received
Lane L S Kuehn for affiliation accompanied
Pet rec'd by demit from King Solomon Lodge #5 E O. referred
to Dros Natt Corbin T L Jones & O Mauser
R H Tomlinson for affiliation by demit
from Lancaster Lodge #104 Ky referred to
Dros D P Easton W D Iler & V H Skidmore
J H Lane for initiation referred to
Dros ~~C C Corbin~~ W C Heacon J A Bitterman & O C Boone
Invitation from Paris Lodge #2 to
visit that Lodge on June 3rd and
from Harrodsburg Lodge #777 to attend
150 anniversary of settlement of first
town in Ky. on June 16th read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
F C Lodge opened
Dros A D Stone Hugh Hempel R J Hempel
M Scherigo Esq H H Thornberry of #84 exam-
ined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
E A Lodge opened
Dros R C Butler A D Abree H L Morton
Rankin Esq N M Elliott #132 examined in E A degree
Mauser L T Rankin O H Mauser R M Reach
Reach and W Gardner of Morison Lodge #76 Ky
Gardner #76 prepared introduced and initiated
E A as E A Masons.

May 19th Contd
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called to labor
Committee on petitions of A J Mountjoy and Jno A Patton report received Comtee discharged ballot spread found fair and each of the above declared members of Lexington Lodge #1.
Secretary reported that Bros F J Conn L B Henry and T T Evans suspended on Apl 21st for non-payment of dues had paid up and had been reinstated
The Master appointed a new Committee on the petition of Ollie M White consisting of Bros V M Moore Natt Corbin and J A Bitterman
Ballot spread upon the applications of A B Stone Hugh Hemple R J Hemple M Scherigo and H H Thornberry to receive M M degrees found fair and all elected ballot also spread upon the application of R G Butler A B Abner H L Morton and N M Elliott to receive F C degree found fair and all declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

W & O Stone Committee
Nat Corbin
M S Moore
O C Boone

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 28 1924
Call Meeting

Present R D Hawkins M W D Tyler Sr W
T E Rip Jr Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
B C Jones Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bros B Landrum W R Money R D Hawkins
J R Stowarg. W A Michler H M Hubbard
John McCall W C Heacox W H Vanderpool
Matt Corbin C F Cramer T J Jones D W Plen J E Gordon
C C Corbin A L Henry C B Kinnaird J D Bishop
J W Coleman L G Strodt B P Brown R E Anderson

Blanton Lodge of M M opened in form
Murphy The Master stated that this meeting
Moore was called for conference of M. M. degree
Barringer Bros Lester Blanton E C Murphy Henry Moore
White D W Barringer J H White W H Kruse Kamp. J W
Kruse Kamp Webb D E O'Brien J O Creech T R Creech
Webb H T Michler L S Cox T H Maybrier F C
O'Brien Dobbett A B Stone R J Hemple Hugh
Creech Hemple M Scherago Harry W Moores
Creech together with J J Tinkcom Lodge #246 O
Michler and H H Thornberry of Poole Lodge #604 Ky
Cox prepared introduced and Raised
Maybrier to the sublime degree of Master Masons
Dobbett No further business Lodge closed
Stone Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Hempel Sec Master
Hempel
Scherago
Moores
Tinkcom
Thornberry
M M

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky June 2 1924
Stated Meeting

Present W D Eler Master Ray Walker Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
M S Moore Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro J J Clopton F C Foxworth Natt Corbin
W F Clark O H Merchant H S Chase Jr
W C Heacox H T Michler J F Wilson
Harry Moores D M Lowe B C Jones
Lodge of M M opened in form
Milton Bro R D Hawkins entered
Bush Following petitions received
Pet rec'd H M Milton for initiation referred to
Bro H T Michler H S Chase & B C Jones Jr
C W Bush for affiliation, accompanied
by demit from Union Vehemency Lodge #4 referred
to W C Heacox C C Corbin & H S Chase
Committee on petition of P P Boyd
reported, report received Comt'r
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bro John Gregory & C C Harp examined in
E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F. C. Lodge opened
Morton Ballot spread upon the proficiency to
Mattingly receive F. C. degree by John Gregory
Abnee found dark and postponed until a
Butler better examination can be had
Harp Ballot spread upon the application
Elliott of Bro C C Harp to receive F C degree
F. C. found fair and he declared elected
Bro H L Morton, J W Mattingly A B Abnee
R C Butler, C C Harp together with Bro
N M Elliott of B R Young Lodge #132 Ky

June 2nd Cont'd
Prepared introduced and passed
to the degree of F C Masons

F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
and closed
Jno W Lancaster
Secy

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky June 4 1824
Stated meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Ekin Sr W
Matt Corbin Jr W Chs Bishop Sr Deacon
Ran Stewart Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bro F C Foqua as Warden pro tem Ran Stewart
Bro F C Foqua as Warden pro tem
Bro F C Foqua as Warden pro tem
Bro F C Foqua as Warden pro tem

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky July 7 1924
Stated meeting

Present R D Hawkins M W D Iler Sr W
~~Hall Corbin~~ E Rex Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
Ray Stewart Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bro C J Norwood J J Clapton H S Chase
H D Coleman D E O Brien T H Maybrew
J E Gordon C C Corbin B P Brown R J Hemple

Darnell Lodge of M M opened in form
Merrell Minutes read and approved
Redding The following petitions received
Wood Herbert F Darnell for initiation referred to
Pet rec'd Bro C C Corbin F C Babbett & L S Cox
L T Merrell for initiation referred to
Bro D E O Brien T H Maybrew & Hugh Hemple
John Redding for initiation referred to
Bro H T Michler J W Webb & R J Hemple
J H Wood for reinstatement referred to
Bro J E Gordon R E Elliott & A J Mount Joy
Committee on petition of C C Antrobus
H M Milton, C W Bush & R H Tomlinson & M G Evans
reported, report received Committee
discharged, ballot spread found fair and
all of the above declared elected.
Ballot also spread upon the application
of Bro C S Carter to receive F C degree
he having been examined in E A degree
by Hazard Lodge #424. the ballot being fair
he was declared elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Bro L T Rankin and S W Hitt examined
in E A degree

Lane J S Lane prepared introduced
E A and initiated as an E A Mason
E A Lodge closed without day
M Lodge called from refreshment to labor

July 7th Cont'd
Ballot spread upon the application of Bros L. T. Rankin and S W Hill to receive F C degree found fair and each declared elected
See reported that he had notified Bro Ben T. Head to appear at stated meeting to be held Monday Aug 4 1924 and show cause why he should not be suspended for non payment of dues
Bros H M Hubbard W D Eler & Natt Corbin were appointed as a new Committee on the petition of N R Sprowles whose petition was presented to this Lodge on May 5 1924
There being no further business the Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Secy

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky July 21 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R S Hawkins Master W D Iles Sr W
D M Lowe Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
H T Michler Jr D C W Shanklard Tyler
Bros. D P Eastin R T Granaghan B P Brown
Natt Corbin J S J E Gordon T E Rey Jr
A Z Gillespie, C C Corbin W D Griggs M S Moore
F C Faxworth
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Pet Recd J T Viley Bryant G.G. Jno T Viley for affiliation accompanied by demit from Hannibal Lodge # 188 Mo referred to Bros Theo L Jones M S Moore & C W Shanklard
G G Bryant for initiation referred to Bros W D Griggs J O Reynerson & J H Godfrey
Committee on petitions of R L Porter
N R Sprowles. L S Kuehn. reported
Report received. Constr discharged ballot spread found fair and each of the above declared elected
Bros R Lee Cassell and R H Hanson reported Sick
Communication from Mt Gilead Lodge # 255 requesting this Lodge to confer E A degree on Orville Swearingen. read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bros O H Mauser. E A Upham O M White
R M Reoch & R W Hogan of Gainesville
Mauser Upham White Reoch Hogan F C Lodge # 512 Ky examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread on aplicat Mauser Upham White Reoch and Hogan all elected
Bros O H Mauser. E A Upham O M White
R M Reoch and R W Hogan of Gainesville
Lodge # 512 Ky. prepared introduced and passed to the degree of F. C. Masons. Bro S.W. presid
F C Lodge closed. M M Lodge called on and closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Robt. M. Hawkins
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Aug 4 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Iler Sec W
T E Rix Jr. Jr W V H Skidmore Sec D
R B Hawkins Jr D C W Shankland Tyler
Bros D M Lowe, M S Moore H M Hubbard
Wilcoxen Guy T Johnson J E Cassidy J R Humphrey T W Havely
R J Hempel
Large Lodge of M M opened in form
Marquer Minutes read and approved
Hamersley The following petitions received
Pet Rec'd C L Wilcoxen for initiation referred to
Bros B F D Allen D M Lowe & C C Corbin
W F Large for initiation referred to
Bros J S Yellman W D Iler & Guy Johnson
F E Marquer for initiation referred to
Bros H P Bartram Elmer Rix Jr & R B Hawkins
Jas E Hamersley for initiation referred to
Bros W C Heacox S M Cassidy Jr & Byron Jones
Committee on petitions of L T Merrell
N E Ward Jno Redding H F Darnell
and J H Wood, reported report
received Comt^ee discharged ballot spread
Ward found fair and all declared elected
Antrobus Bros Cassell & Hanson improving
Porter M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Milton E A Lodge opened Nelson E Ward
Swearengen E A C C Antrobus, H M Milton R L Porter & O L Swearengen
of #255 Ky prepared introduced and initiated as E. A. Masons
E. A. Lodge closed
M. M. Lodge called from refreshment to labor
By Motion secretary directed to purchase
Three gavels
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. D. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 18 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master J W Coleman Sr W
R D Hawkins Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
J D Bishop Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Dros Natt Corbin D M Lowe D P Eastin
W C Heacox S M Cassidy Jr L S Cox Ray Stewart
Lodge of M M opened in form
Gray Minutes read and approved
Keywan The following petitions received
Johnson A Gray for initiation referred to
Dros E C Vaughn E N Estes & T C Ecton
Elias T Keywan for initiation referred to
Dros R J Hempel Hugh Hempel Wm Dunn
Committee on petition of Jno T Viley
reported, report received Com 1st
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
Dro C W Shankland reported sick
By motion a committee consisting
Dros Natt Corbin D P Eastin & W C Heacox
William Decker & H M Hubbard
were appointed to make the necessary
arrangements for entertaining Grand
Lodge Officers who expect to make
a visit to Lexington Lodge #1 on
Oct 6th 1924 Secretary directed to
invite Lodges of surrounding towns
Redding M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Merrell Lodge of E A opened
Darnell John Redding L T Merrell & H F Darnell
E A prepared introduced and initiated as
E A Masons. P.M. Natt Corbin presiding
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Dros O H Mauser R M Reoch C C Hart
R C Butler O M White and

Aug 18/24 Cont'd
N M Elliott of D R Young Lodge
#132 Ky examined in F C
degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called to labor
Harp Ballot spread upon the application
Mauser C. C. Harp of O H Mauser R M Reoch R C Butler
Reoch O M White and N M Elliott of
Butler D R Young Lodge #132 of Kentucky
White to receive M M degree found
Elliott fair and all of the above declared
Examin F C elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept. 1st 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master C J Norwood Sr W
J W Coleman Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
Jr D R D Hawkins Tyler
Bro O H Merchant J F Wilson B P Brown
J P Wright T E Rix Jr S M Cassidy Jr Ray Stewart
C W Dush B C Jones J E Gordon

Ross Lodge of M M opened in form
Pet rec'd Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
James M Ross for reinstatement referred to Bro Guy T Johnson J T Kincaid & C J Norwood
Committee on petitions of G G Bryant and F E Morgan reported. report received Comtee discharged ballot spread found fair in case of G G Bryant and he declared elected to receive E A degree in case of F E Morgan. the master decided that as he was not a bonifide resident of this jurisdiction he could not ballot on his petition. Secretary directed to return his petition for above reason
Bro J H Godfrey reported quite ill
Secretary reported. having received from Bro McCullough of Louisville Ky two old papers concerning Bro P Ratel member of No 1 under date of 1829.
The Master called for report of Committee on Jas E Hamersley they not being present a new Committee consisting of Bros S M Cassidy Jr Byron C Jones & Ray Stewart were appointed. with instructions to report at once. which being done the report was received Comtee discharged ballot

Rec'd from Bro McCullough Louisville Ky

Sept 1 Cont'd
Spread found fair and he declared Elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of F C opened
Rankin Bro L T Rankin and C S Carter
Carter prepared introduced an Passed to
F C the degree of F C Masons
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called to labor
The Master stated that he had request
from Jerusalem Lodge #9 of Ky to look
after Bro George Meyers who was
very sick in this the Master found
him quite ill. he died in this
City and at the request of his
wife was buried in Paris Ky. Lexington
Lodge #1 requested Paris Lodge
to perform the burial service
which was readily done
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept. 9 1924
Call Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Iler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr. W. V H Skidmore Sr D
Jr. D. J E Gordon Tyler
Bro Theo L Jones J E Coleman C F Cramer
T R Skidmore D M Lowe A H Byers W C Heacox
A Z Gillispie Natt Corbin H T Michler J S Garrison
Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this
meeting was called for Conference
of Master Masons degree
Bro O H Mauser R M Reoch
R C Butler O M White F E Smith J W
Mattingley C C Harp and N M
Elliott of D R Young Lodge #132 Ky
prepared introduced an Raised
to the sublime degree of Master Masons
Bro R D Hawkins presiding
Lodge then closed in form
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Secy Master

Mauser
Reoch
Butler
White
Smith
Mattingle
Harp
Elliott
M M

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept 11 1924
Call meeting

Present W D Eler M T E Rice J S W
Ray Stewart Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
J E Gordon Jr D J E Cassidy Tyler
Bros D P Easton A B Stone H P Bartram
F C Foxworth
Lodge of E A opened
The Master stated that this
meeting was called for conference
of E A degree

Nol Bryant E A — J C T Nol and G G Bryant were
prepared introduced and initiated
as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed without day
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Sept 15 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master J W Coleman Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W J D Bishop Sr D
Ray Stewart Jr D L S Cox Tyler
Bro Natt Corbin O H Merchant F C Farnsworth
N H Smith H M Wright H M Hubbard R J Ed
Hugh Hempel O Mauser
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Pet Rec'd The following petitions received
Dronaugh H C Dronaugh for initiation referred to
Jackson Bro J D Bishop J W Coleman Jr L E Nollau
C L Jackson for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Hiram Lodge #4. Ky referred to
Bro Natt Corbin M S Moore H T Mihle
W H Hickerson for initiation referred to
Bro J D Bishop J W Coleman Jr & L E Nollau
Rollin L Curtis for initiation referred to
Bro Theo L Jones O H Mauser & D M Lowe
J T C Nol for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Bell Lodge #691 Ky referred to
Bro J D Bishop M Schengo & P P Boyd
Communication from Winchester Lodge
#20. requesting this Lodge to lecture
Bro O G Burton.
By motion Secretary directed to purchase
an addressograph not to cost over $100.00
Bro J A Godfrey and J T Viley reported ill
Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Jas E Humphrey prepared introduced
and initiated as an E A Mason
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application of E T Kewan
to receive E A degree found fair and he declared elected
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster Sec

Addressograph for Secretary

Robt. H Hawkins, Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Oct 4 1924

Stated Meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
J W Coleman Jr Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D Guy T Johnson Tyler
Bro Guy T Johnson Wm Becker Jno McCall C J Norwood
J J Clapton H T Michler C A Baker J S Garrison
A C Dyers J G Sandusky A L Henry L B Engels B P Brown
M A Moore B W Blue F C Faxmont J T Rincaid
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Jas L Cassidy for initiation referred to Bros
D P Eastin J B Bishop & W D Iler
Carl R Davidson for initiation referred to
Bros T E Rix Jr U H Skidmore & C C Corbin
Arthur Nutting for initiation referred to
Bros J B Bishop W E Freeman & F G Watkins
Committee on petition of J M Ross
reported. report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the application
of A Hargis Smith to receive F C degree
found fair and he declared elected
Communication R P Dietzman regretting
his inability to be present Oct 6th
Bro L M Griffin an E A Mason reported
in distress the master directed to use
his judgement in assisting the Bro
The following Officers of the Grand Lodge of Ky were introduced
to the Lodge, who made short talks
on general conditions of W & O Home
and appealing to the members for
additional subscriptions
A E Orton Grand Master. G A Holland
Sr Sr Warden. C S Rankin Gr Jr W. F W Hardwick

Pet Rec
Nutting
Cassidy
Davidson

Part Master Mr Hart
Bros Freeman Hardwick Comte

Oct 4 Cont'd
Gr Secretary. - A R Kimmerling Sec
Million dollar Committee W C Black
Treas Million dollar Committee and
A Gordon Sulser Gr High Priest Gr
Chapter.
Lodge then closed for lunch
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Oct. 20 1924
Stated Meeting

Present. R D Hawkins Master W D Eler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D Chap
J E Gordon Tyler
Bro M S Moore J B Bishop O Mauser
R E Fishback N H Smith R B Hawkins W F Clark
A G Wilson T C Foxworth J W Coleman Jr A Z Gillespie
J B Bishop

Sullivan Lodge of M M opened in form
Payne Minutes read and approved
Bryant The following petitions received
Pet rec'd M W Sullivan for initiation referred to
Bro O Mauser R B Hawkins T H Maybrier
Earl Hall Payne for initiation referred to
Bro O Mauser R B Hawkins & T H Maybrier
Elmer Bryant for initiation referred to
Bro H T Michler O Mauser Jr & W C Heacox
Committees on petitions of W H Hickerson
H C Bronaugh R C Curtis C L Jackson
J. T. C. Nol reported. report received
Committee discharged. ballot spread
found fair and all of the above declared
elected
Bro W L Thompson reported sick
Forston Bro J H Godfrey reported critically ill
Hazelwood Request from Hazelwood Lodge # 489 to
489 confer F C & M M degree on Bro C C Fortson
read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Hamersley Bro J Redding G G Bryant H M Milton & J
Gray O G Burton of Winchester Lodge # 20 examined
Hickerson in E A degree
E A J E Hamersley J A Gray & W H Hickerson
prepared introduced and initiated
as E A Masons

over

Oct 20th 1924 Cont^t
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bro L T Randle examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application of Jno Redding G G Dryant H M Milton and O G Burton to receive F C degree found fair and all declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the application of L T Randle to receive M M degree found fair and he declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Secy Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov 3 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master R B Hawkins Sr W
Natt Corbin Jr W J F Wilson Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D H S Michler Tyler
Bro W D Pier J B Bishop D S Easton F C Foxworth
J E Gordon O C Boone H M Hubbard C B Kinnaird
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Committee on petitions of J L Cassidy
and Arthur Nutting reported, report
received Comtee discharged. ballot
spread found fair each declared elected
Master stated that Bro J H Godfrey died
in this City on Oct 25th and that the
family did not desire a Masonic funeral
Master stated that he had visited Bros
Viley & Thompson who were still sick
By motion a committee consisting of
The Master Sr & Jr Wardens & Secretary were
appointed to look after Bro W R Mason
a member of Mountain City Lodge
572 Swain Ark. now in this City
in destitute circumstances

Lephart bet rec'd Reverting to petitions received the
petition of R R Lephart for initiation
received and referred to Bros
John Bishop W D Pier & J E Gordon
A Committee consisting of Bros Ray Stewart
M S Moore and H M Hubbard were
appointed to draft resolutions on the
death of Bro J H Godfrey.
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bros J S Lane M S Garside J C S Nal.
Jno Gregory and J E Humphry examined
in E A degree

Nov 3 1924 Cont^t
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread upon the applications
of J C T Noe J E Humphrey M S 2 Garside
J S Lane and Jno Gregory to receive F.C.
degree found fair and declared elected
Hett Bro S W Hett Jno Redding G G Bryant J C T Noe
Redding H M Milton J E Humphrey M S 2 Garside
Bryant J S Lane Jno Gregory and J F Freeman of
Noe Keswell Lodge #79 S.C. prepared introduced
Milton and passed to the degree of F.C.
Humphrey F C Lodge closed
Garside M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Lane Ballot spread upon the application
Gregory of Bro E A Upham to receive M M
Freeman degree found fair and he declared elected
F C No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 6 1924
Call Meeting

Present C D Adam Master R D Hawkins Sr W
Jno G Cramer Jr W W D Eler Chaplain
J T Kincaid Sr D Jr D
Tyler
Bros

Jno P Moore Funeral

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called to pay last tribute of respect to Bro John Pryor Moore P.M. of Lexington Lodge No 1. during the years 1884 and 1886. he died Nov 4 1924 at St Louis Mo.
The Lodge then proceed to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were consigned to the grave with Masonic Ceremony.
Returning to the Temple the following Committee was appointed to draft suitable resolutions
Jno T Kincaid
Jno G Cramer
Jno W Lancaster
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sy

Robt. H. Hawkins
Master

Past Masters Night
Lexington Ky
Nov 7 1924
Special Meeting

P M	Jno G Cramer	Master
" "	C J Norwood	Sr Warden
" "	D F Eastin	Jr Warden
" "	Natt Corbin	Sr Deacon
" "	A C Kearns	Jr Deacon
" "	V M Moore	Sr Steward
" "	M S Moore	Jr Steward
		Tyler
	Rev J J Clopton	Chaplin

About 125 Members and Visitors
Lodge of M M opened in Form
Bros E A Upham and L T Rankin
Rankin prepared introduced an Raised
Upham to the sublime degree of Master
M M Masons
Lodge then closed in form
Jno W Lancaster Robt. H. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 13 1924
Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W D Tyler Sr W
W H Skidmore Jr W Roy Anderson Sr D
Ray Walker Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro C J Norwood J W Mattingley H M Hubbard
C J Smith Julian M Taylor S M Cassidy Jr
Lodge of E A opened
Master stated that this meeting
was called for conferring of E A
degree

Curtis R L Curtis H C Bronaugh A Nutting and
Bronaugh J L Cassidy prepared introduced and
Nutting initiated as E A Masons.
Cassidy E A Lodge then closed
E A Jno W Lancaster Robt. L. Hawkins
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov 17 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master M S Moore Sr W
D M Lowe
~~U H Skidmore~~ Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros J J Clopton G A Holland W D Eler M S Moore
J D Bishop H M Hubbard Ray Walker D P Brown N H Smith T E Rix Jr
Lodge of M M opened in form

Walton Minutes read and approved

Pet rec Petitions received as follows
Matt S Walton for reinstatement referred to
Bros G Allison Holland J T Kincaid & Guy Johnson
Committee on petitions E H Payne M W Sullivan
Elmer Bryant and G C Wilcoxen, report
received Committee discharged ballot
spread found fair in case of M W Sullivan
and Elmer Bryant and they declared
elected in case of E H Payne and
G C Wilcoxen the ballot was found
dark and they declared rejected
Communication from Maysville Lodge
#52. requesting this Lodge to Confer
E.A. F.C. & Master degrees on Jno C Armstrong
read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bros W H Hickerson and J A Gray examined
in E.A. degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened

Hickerson Ballot spread upon the applications of
Gray W H Hickerson and J A Gray to receive F C degree
F.C. found fair and they declared elected
Bros Hickerson and Gray prepared introduced
and passed to the degree of F.C. Masons.
Bros John Redding and G G Bryant of #1.

Nov 17/24 Cont'd
O G Burton of Winchester Lodge # 20. and
R W Hogan of Gainsville Lodge # 512 examined
in F.C. degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications of
Bro's John Redding G G Bryant O G Burton
and R W Hogan to receive M M degree
found fair. and all declared elected
By motion Secretary directed to
order Two Deacons Rods
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec'y

Robt. A. Hawkins
Master

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Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 27 1924
Call Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Eler S W
Jno D Bishop Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
Jr D Tyler
Bros

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this
meeting was called to to pay
last tribute of respect to Bro
John T Viley who died in this
City on Nov 25 1924.
The Lodge then proceeded to
the Lexington Cemetery where
the remains of Bro Viley
with Masonic Ceremonies
Returning to the Lodge rooms
Bros Jno W Lancaster D T Easton
& R E Anderson were appointed to
draft resolutions of respect to
our late brother Jno T Viley
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sy

Robt. D. Hawkins
Master

Jno T Viley Funeral

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 1st 1924

Stated meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Fler Sr W
R B Hawkins Jr W W H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros C J Norwood B F D Allen Natt Corbin
M S Moore Byron Jones T E Rix Jr C B Matthews
A C Byers R J Hempel E C Murphy J W Shaw
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Mountford Fred A Mountford for initiation referred to
McAdoo Bros Natt Corbin M S Moore, Ray Stewart
Lucian McAdoo for initiation referred to
Bros T E Rix Jr J A Bricken & H T Maihler
A new Committee was appointed on
the petition of C R Davidson which
was reported on and committee
discharged. Ballot spread found
fair and he declared elected
Committee consisting of Bros R D
Hawkins, Jno W Lancaster Natt Corbin and W D
Fler were appointed to look after
the case of Richard Godfrey. Son
of Bro J H Godfrey deceased. whose
application for admission to W & O
Home had been ordered by Lexington
Lodge No 1.
Secretary directed to purchase two
New Stands for Deacons Rods.
Bros Lancaster. Fler & M S Moore
appointed to rember Widows of
deceased Members.
Committee on resolutions to Bro
J H Godfrey reported which was read
and filed

Richd Godfrey

Card Index

Dec 1st Contd
Request from Cromwell Lodge #692
to confer E A degree on M H Crowder
read and filed
The Secretary stated that it was necessary
in his opinion that Lexington Lodge
should have a Card System to
keep a record of the members,
which would cost about $30.00
By motion the action of the Sec
was ratified and Card System ordered
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Keywan Bro J H Zerfos examined in E A degree
Bryant E T Keywan Elmer Bryant and
Crowder M H Crowder of Cromwell Lodge
E A #692 prepared introduced and
initiated as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
The ballot was spread on the
proficiency of Bro J H Zerfos found
dark and it was decided that he
should be better posted in E A
degree before advancing to F.C.
ballot on worthiness found fair
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Prepared Godfrey application to W & D Stone

Richd A Godfrey application to W & O Home

Richd. A. Godfrey. Resolution to W & O Home
Copy of resolution addopted by Lexington Lodge
No. 1. F & A.M.

Whereas Bro Jas T Godfrey who died on the 25th day of Oct 1924 was at the time of his death and had been for a period of eight months a Master Mason in good standing in Lexington Lodge #1, F & A M of Lexington, Kentucky, and whereas, he left surviving him Richard A Godfrey a child who is now between the ages 3 and 13 years, and whereas the Lodge has through a committee composed of Brothers R D Hawkins Jno W Lancaster, W D Iler and Nat Corbin members of said Lodge made a careful investigation of the case and finds that the said Child is in destitute circumstances, that it has no one able and willing to support or care for it except as herein stated; and that is worthy and eligible under the Home's by-laws, rules and regulations to admission to said Home

Now, Therefore be it resolved, that Lexington Lodge No 1. hereby applies for the admission of said Child to the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home and Infirmary and agrees as follows.

1. If admitted the Child shall be subject to said by-laws, rules and regulations and upon the conditions and agreements therein contained.

2. To receive back said Child when it reaches the age of 16 years, or at any time upon the request of the Board of Directors of said Home.

3. In the event of the death of said Child before being discharged from said Home to defray the funeral expenses.

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4. To mail to the Superintendant of the Home, annually between the 1st & 15th of July on forms to be furnished for that purpose, a statement showing the financial condition of the Child

We, the undersigned, Master and Secretary respectively of Lexington Lodge No. 1. F. & A.M. Hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and accurate Copy of a resolution adopted by said Lodge at a Stated meeting of Same held on the first day of December 1924. and that said resolution has been spread upon the Minutes of said Lodge at page 58 of the Minute book

Robt. L. Hawkins Master

Jno W Lancaster Secretary

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 15 1924
Stated Meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Sler Sr W
R B Hawkins Jr W V H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D J W Coleman Jr Tyler
Bros C J Norwood Natt Corbin M S Moore
A L Henry Ward Havely W E Roser F C Foxworth
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Taylor The following petitions received
Strother James Taylor for Inia referred to Bros
Pet Recd J A Knight D P Easton & H M Hubbard
D Ben M Strother for membership accompanied by demit from Falls City Lodge #374. referred to Bros Ward Havely
R B Hawkins and J W Coleman Jr
Committee on petition of M S Walton reported. reported. received
Committee discharged ballot spread found fair and he declared elected
Communication from Mrs J T Christian read and filed. also letter from W R Mason
By motion the Million dollar Committee was discharged
By motion a donation of $15.00 was made to Family Welfare Society of Lexington for assistance to the poor
By motion it was directed that Senior wardens stand be repaired
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
F C Lodge opened
Bros J A Gray J S Lane J E Humphrey
W H Hickerson H M Milton M S Gaiside
Jno Gregory and J S Freeman of Keowee
Lodge #79 examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed

12/15/24 Continued
E A Lodge opened [illegible]
Mayhall C C Mayhall and C R Davidson
Davidson prepared introduced and initiated
E A as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Pet Petition for affiliation from Graham
H Davenport accompanied by demit
from Arlington Lodge # 582 by received
and referred to Bros C C Corbin
Fred Bryant Edmund Rix
Ballot spread upon the application
of J A Gray J S Lane J E Humphry
W H Hickerson H M Milton Jno Gregory
M S Garside and J S Freeman to
receive M M degree. found fair
and all elected
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec. 17 1924
Call meeting

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Iler S W
T E Rex Jr Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D C W Shanklan Tyler
Bros J J Clopton W E Gay G A Knight
L S Cox R D Hawkins F C Foxworth
A Z Gillespie J W Coleman Jr
O M White L S Cox S W Dearborn A C Kearns
J E Cassidy J D Bishop N H Smith W F Clark
Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that meeting
was called for conference of Masters
Humphrey degree on several Candidates
Redding Bros John Redding J E Humphrey G G Bryant J S Lane
Bryant W H Hickerson M S Garside John Gregory
Lane H M Milton J A Gray together with
Hickerson R W Hogan of Gainesville Lodge # 512
Garside J F Freeman of Keowee Lodge # 79. S C
Gregory O G Burton of Winchester Lodge # 20
Milton Prepared introduced and Raised
Gray to the sublime degree of Master
Burton Masons
Hogan Lodge then closed
Freeman Jno W Lancaster
MM Sr

Lexington Lodge #1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 27 1924

Present R D Hawkins Master W D Iler Sr W
T E Rix Jr Jr W U H Skidmore Sr D
R E Anderson Jr D J E G Tyler
Bro C J Norwood Natt Corbin A Z Gillespie
D P Brown W M Duncan Chas Bryan J L Grubb
R R Estell D M Lowe S R Griffith H T Michler
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Anderson The following petitions received
Redmon W R Anderson for initiation referred to
Skinderis Bro H Chase H T Michler & R G Gerber
Nutter John T Redmon for initiation referred to
Bro M S Moore W Harvey & W R Hearn
B S Skinderis for initiation referred to
Bro D P Easton J S Yellman Elmer Rix
W J Nutter for initiation referred to
Bro C C Corbin Elmer Rix J W Coleman
By motion a committee consisting
of Bro C D Adams C J Norwood and
M S Moore were appointed a Committee to draft
resolutions on the death of the Mother
of Bro J Bruce Davis
The annual election of Officers
resulted as follows

Annual Election

Master	W D Iler
Sr W	T E Rix Jr
Jr W	U H Skidmore
Treas	D P Easton
Sec	Jno W Lancaster
Tyler	J E Gordon
Director M T A	D P Easton 2 years

Gov Masonic Club U M Moore & Harvey Hubbard
The officers elected were regularly installed
by Past Master Chester D Adams
The Master then made the following
appointments

12-27-24 Cont'd

Sr Deacon	R E Anderson
Jr Deacon	Jno B Bishop
Chaplain	J J Clopton
Trustees	C J Norwood & M S Moore
Stewards	Ray Stewart & C C Corbin
Auditing Comt'ee J S Yellman	L T Gooding & T R Skilmore

The Committee on petition of R R Lephart reported report received. Committee discharged. Ballot spread found fair and he declared elected

No further business Lodge closed

Jno W Lancaster

Sec

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 28 1924
Call Meeting

Present W D Pler Master M S Moore S W
V H Skidmore Jr W J D Bishop Sr D
J W Dishon Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro C D Adams D P Eastin
Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this
Meeting was called to pay last
tribute of respect to Bro H. C.
Utterback member of Hope Lodge
#244. at Little Rock Ky at the request
of his Lodge
The members then adjourned to
the Lexington Cemetery where
the remains of Bro Utterback was
buried with masonic honors.
Bro C D Adams presiding
Returning to the Lodge room
and closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jany 5 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Fler Master T E Rex Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
J B Bishop Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Dro G A Holland D P Easton T W Havely Lecter
Blanton F C Faxworth J J Clopton J J Norwood R D Hawkins
Lodge of M M opened in form
Vasilion Minutes read and approved
Wilkinson The following petitions received
Yarrington C Gus Vasilion for initiation referred to
Sagaser Dro D P Easton Natt Corbin & M S Moore
Petrus H. Wilkinson for initiation referred to
Dro M S Moore H T Michler & W C Heaux
J A Yarrington for initiation referred to
Dro J B Bishop D M Lowe & R D Hawkins
E M Sagaser for initiation referred to
Dro W M Dunn W Hickinson & J B Bishop
Committee on resolutions. Mother of
Bro J Bruce Davis reported and filed
Communication from W & O Home to
the effect that Richard Godfrey would
be admitted to the Home as soon
as they could make room for him
Communication from Thrall Lodge
#170. O. requesting this Lodge to examine
J D Wyker in F C degree read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Dro H C Dronaugh J H Karfo Lyle Cassidy
Elmer Bryant and R L Curtis examined
in E A degree
E. A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread upon the applications
of H C Dronaugh J H Karfos Lysle Cassidy
over

Jan 5th Cont

R L Curtis and Elmer Bryant to receive F C degree found fair and all declared elected

Dronaugh Zarfos Curtis Cassidy Bryant F.C.

Bros H C Dronaugh J H Zarfos R L Curtis J L Cassidy and Elmer Bryant prepared introduced and passed to the degree of F. C Masons F C Lodge closed. M M Lodge called on By motion Master authorized to purchase Spot Light used in conferring degrees

No further business Lodge closed

Jno W Lancaster

Sec

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jany 19 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Eler Master T E Rip Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W J W Coleman Sr D
T R Skidmore Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Dro Nat Corbin Henry Jeffers P T Brown
H T Michler L S Kuehn J W Mattingly
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Sayers C G Sayers for initiation referred to
Carroll Dro J D Bishop W Hickerson & T R Skidmore
Harris Robt W Carroll for initiations referred to
Dro R D Hawkins J E Gordon & O H Mauser
C E Harris for initiation referred to
Dro A M Peter E C Vaughn & T R Bryant
Committee on petitions of James Taylor
B M Strother and G H Davenport reported
Report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and all of
the above declared elected
On the petition of Fred A Mount found
the ballot was found dark and
he declared rejected
Communication from W H Booth Lodge
#380 Shreveport La stating that Bro
J C Donnycastle member of Lexington
Lodge #1 was seriously ill
Communication from Hope Lodge #244
thanking this Lodge for extending
Masonic services at the grave of Bro
H C Utterback member of that Lodge
By motion it was ordered that this
Lodge pay to Mrs J H Godfrey $25.00 per Month
commencing Jan 1st 1925. for the care of
Richard Godfrey until he is received at
W & O Home and Infirmary

Jan 19/25 Cont'd
Sec stated that the last notice that
we had from Million dollar
Committee was bal due Jan 2/25 $8307.00
The Master appointed Bro C J Norwood
D P Easton and Natt Corbin a Committee
with request to report at next
meeting, and recommend best
method to handle the matter
The Auditing Comm'tee made following report

Jan 1 1924 Bal ck'g Acct	1095.07	
" 1 " " Savings "	275490	
Rec from Sec for dyers	332500	
" " " " dues	314610	
Interest	39.10	10360.17
Paid on Orders 1924		8339.93
		2,020.24

Signed
J S Yellman
L P Gooding
T R Skidmore

Report received and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Lephart E.A. R R Lephart prepared introduced
and initiated as an E. A. Mason
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from Refreshment to labor
Secretary granted a leave of
absence for 60 days from
Feby 1st 1925
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Feby 1 1925

Call meeting

Present W D Glen M W H Skidmore S W
R B Hawkins Jr W T L Jones S D
Matt Corbin Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro L L Roberts C J Norwood M S Moore
F C Foxworth W F Galloway J T Kincaid

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called to pay last tribute of respect to Bro J C Bonnycastle who died on Jany 29th at Shreveport La.
The Lodge adjourned to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were consigned to the grave with Masonic Ceremonies
Returning to the Lodge room Bro C. J. Norwood, L. L. Roberts and J. T. Kincaid were appointed a committee to draft resolutions
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sy

Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. and A. M.
Lexington, Ky.
Feby. 2, 1925.

Stated Meeting

W. D. Ales	Master	F. C. Foxworth	Sr. W.
T. H. Skidmore	Jr. W.	R. B. Hawkins	Sr. D.
J. B. Bishop	Jr. D.	Hall Corbin	Tyler

Present T. R. Skidmore, H. J. Mickle, M. S. Moore, A. B. Stone, J. C. Crouch, J. W. Mattingly, A. E. Wilson, R. S. Shrout, L. T. Rankin, Wm Dearborn, E. B. Hall, H. M. Shickle, H. M. Wells, H. Temple, B. C. Jones, J. L. Redding, E. C. Hawkins, R. Temple, R. C. Butler, J. L. Smith, J. E. Humphrey, B. M. Shotts, and Geo. M. Taylor Past Masters of Combined Lodge 190 Wilmore, Ky.

Opening Lodge opened in form at 7:30 P. M. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

Petitioned L. C. Finney The petition of L. Carl Finney was presented and referred to Bros. A. C. Byers, Wm Galloway and M. S. Moore.

Elected W. J. Nutter, H. Wilkerson, H. R. Anderson, J. T. Redmon The committee on the petitions of Wm Jasper Nutter, Hansford Wilkerson, Wm Richard Anderson and John Talbott Redmon, reported favorably report received, committee discharged, ballot spread and each of the above declared elected.

Motion Interest on Bonds Upon motion duly made and carried this Lodge donated the $180.00 received from the Masonic Temple Association as interest on Bonds back to the Masonic Temple Association with the understanding that said amount shall be used for improvements on the Masonic Temple. The Master then appointed a committee composed of W. D. Ales Master Harvey M. Hutton and Nathaniel Corbin to see that this agreement was carried out.

M. M. Lodge called from labor & refreshments.

E. A. Lodge opened.

Raised E. A. Degree J. Taylor

James Taylor being in waiting was prepared introduced and initiated as an E. A. Mason.

E. A. Lodge closed.

M. M. Lodge called from refreshments & labor.

Closing

There being no further business the Lodge closed at 9:00 P. M.

Hue Barker
Stating Secty

Wayne D. Miller
Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F. and A. M.
Lexington, Kentucky
Feby 16, 1925

Stated Meeting

Wayne D. Iler Master Roy E. Anderson Sr. D.
Thos. E. Rix Jr. Sr. W. John B. Bishop Jr. D
T. H. Skidmore Jr. W. J. E. Gordon Sent.

Brothers:-

Present J. F. Wilson, R. C. Butler, W. C. Heacox E. C. Hawkins, J. W. Coleman, J. W. Mattingly Elmer Murphy, J. W. Nood R. B. Hawkins, Henry Jefferies C. C. Corbin J. B. Allen, G. F. Endres E. M. Stanford, O. C. Boone, B. M. Strother W. H. Hickerson J. O. Reynieson J. H. White Ward Havely, O. Mauser A. M. Milton Geo Stinson, O. H. Merchant, T. L. Stone Ashville N. C. Jessie H. Herman Cinn. Oh, and A. B. Kelley Cinn Oh. and several others present

A Lodge of Master Masons opened in form at 7:40 P. M.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved

Petitioned The following petitions were received and referred to committees.

G. B. Nelson Geo. Barnard Nelson, to S. R. Griffith, R. D. Hawkins J. R. Humphrey
C. B. Bailey Chas. Bryan Bailey to H. R. Smith, C. C. Corbin and T. R. Skidmore
W. F. Brooker Wm Fredrick Brooker, to L. S. Cox W. C. Heacox and R. B. Hawkins
R. M. Wheeler Richard Minter Wheeler, to L. L. Roberts, G. T. Johnson and H. M. Hubbard

Committee C. G. Sagaur, Eugene M. Sagaur, and John A. Yarrington elect

Sick Bros. T. L. Beatty and E. W. Kirby were report sick. The Worshipful Master has called on these Bros.

By motion made and carried the action of the Worshipful Master was commended in going to the assistance of Bro. Roy Scott a Master Mason living at 686 Breckenridge St. member of Filson

Lodge No. 686 Filson, Ky, whom he found very ill and his family in distress, his action in the above matter and all bills incurred were ratified after which this case will be taken up with Bro. Scott's Lodge.

Bills The following bills were presented and ordered paid.

Michler Bros.	$16.21	Johnson Printing Co.	8.50
H. R. Silvard	.60	Butler Grocery Co.	15.45

The following vouchers were drawn and ordered paid by the Worshipful Master. H. R. McPhee, Secty Booth Lodge $380 for services in the case of Bro. J. C. Bonnycastle and to Stanie Lawless for services in case of Bro. Roy Scott.

M. M. Lodge called from labor to refreshments and a E. A. Lodge opened: Bros C. C. Mayhall, R. R. Hepburt, C. R. Davidson and H. H. Crowder of Cromwell Lodge No 692 were examined in open lodge.

E. A. Lodge closed and a Lodge of F. C. opened. Ballot spread on the proficiency worthiness of Bros. C. C. Mayhall, R. R. Hepburt, C. R. Davidson and H. H. Crowder

F. C. Degree Mayhall Hepburt Davidson and they declared elected to receive the F. C. degree. Bro. Elmer Bryant examined in open lodge on F. C. Degree. Bros. C. C. Mayhall, R. R. Hepburt and C. R. Davidson, being in waiting were prepared, introduced and passed to the degree of F. C. Masons. F. C. Lodge closed and labor resumed in M. M. Lodge. The committee on the petition of Eugene M. Sagener, Claude G. Sagener and John A. Yarrington reported favorably, report received, ballot spread and they declared elected. Ballot spread on the proficiency and worthiness of Bro. Elmer Bryant and he declared elected to receive the M. M. Degree

Elected E. M. Sagener C. G. Sagener J. A. Yarrington

There being no further business the Lodge closed at 10:10 P. M.

Attest
Wm Beeks
Secty P. T.

Wayne Dillon
Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F. and A. M.
Lexington, Ky.
March 2, 1925.
Stated Meeting

W. D. Iler,	Master	T. R. Skidmore	Sr. D.
Hatt Corbin	Sr. W.	J. W. Watlington	Jr. D.
J. W. Coleman	Jr. W.	J. E. Gordon	Tyler

About sixty Brothers present.

The Lodge opened in form on the M. M. degree at 7:30 P. M.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The following petitions were presented and referred to committee.

Petitioned
J. McMillan — Jno. McMillan, to B. F. D. Allen, Hatt Corbin and W. S. Moore
J. M. Vanderpool — Jno. M. Vanderpool, to F. Bryant, J. R. Hughes, and R. D. Hawkins

The petition of Bro. Louis F. Zerfoss for affiliation from Loyal Lodge No. 325 F. and A. M., Ashland, Ky. referred to W. E. Nichols, R. E. Anderson and T. R. Skidmore

For Affiliation
L. F. Zerfoss

The committee on the petition of Chas. E. Harris reported favorably, report received, committee discharged, ballot spread and he declared elected.

C. E. Harris

Bill — The following bill was presented and ordered paid. Bullen Grocery Co. $16.00

Raised E. A. degree — M. M. Lodge called from labor to refreshments. E. A. Lodge opened.

J. A. Yarrington, H. Wilkerson, W. R. Anderson — Jno. A. Yarrington, H. Wilkerson and W. R. Anderson bring in writing, were prepared and initiated as E. A. Masons. E. A. Lodge closed.

M. M. Lodge called from refreshments to labor.

There being no further business Lodge closed at 9:10 P. M.

Wm Beckley
Secty P. T.

Wayne D. Iler
Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1 F. and A. M.
Lexington, Ky.
March 16, 1925.
Stated Meeting

W. D. Ides Master — R. B. Hawkins Sr. D.
T. E. Rice Jr. Sr. W. — F. C. Fretwell Jr. D.
B. H. Hickman Jr. W. — J. E. Gordon Tyler

About forty Bros. present.

The Lodge opened in form on the M. M. degree at 7:30 P. M.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Petitioned A. O. Shumstad — The following petitions were present and referred to committee.
W. F. Allen — A. O. Shumstad to H. M. Hubbard, Hall Corbin, J. T. Kincaid
Wm. F. Allen to R. E. Anderson, B. F. D. Allen, O. H. Merchant.

Elected Brooks Correll Bailey Wheeler — The committee on the petitions of Wm. T. Brooks R. H. Correll, Chas. B. Bailey, R. M. Wheeler, reported favorably, report received, committee discharged ballot spread and they declared elected.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid.

Bills
Union Bank & Trust Co	$11.00
Nichols Bros.	10.00
Butler Grocery Co	16.00
J. H. Morrison	11.59

M. M. Lodge called from labor to refreshments

Exam F. C. — F. C. Lodge opened Bros. J. L. Cassidy, C. R. Davidson, H. C. Hitt, R. R. Lephart, C. C. Mayhall and J. H. Garfos. were examined in open Lodge on this degree.

F. C. Lodge closed and Lodge of E. A. opened.

E. A. Degree Bro. Jas. Taylor was examined in open
Redmon J. I. Lodge on this degree
Sagner E. M. Jno. I. Redmon, Eugene M. Sagner, Claude
Sagner C. G. G. Sagner, Richard M. Wheeler and Chas.
Wheeler R. M. B. Bailey, being in waiting were in-
Bailey C. B. troduced, and initiated as E. A. Masons

E. A. Lodge closed and M. M. Lodge called from refreshment to labor.

Ballot spread on the proficiency and worthiness of Bros. R. R. Kephart, J. L. Cossidy C. R. Davidson, C. C. Mayhall H. C. Hiett and J. N. Zarfos to receive the M. M. degree and they declared elected

Ballot spread on the proficiency and worthiness of Bro. James Taylor to receive the ~~E. A.~~ F. C. degree and he declared elected.

There being no further business the Lodge closed at 9 50 P. M.

Wm Becker
Secty
P. T.

Wayne D. Miller
Master.

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
March 28 1925
Call meeting

Present, W D Fer Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W C J Clopton Chapl
R E Anderson Sr D T B Hawkins Jr D
J E Gordon Tyler
Comp^s Nat Corbin H M Hubbard
A Z Gillespie J H White A C Dyers D M Lowe
M S Moore O C Doone C B Kinnaird
R H Walker W H Duncan R T Granaghan
Cassidy Lodge of M M opened in form
Davidson The Master stated that this
Bryant Meeting was called for Conference
Hitt of M M degree
Lephart Bro^s L Cassidy, C R Davidson
Mayhall Elmer Bryant S W Hitt R R Lephart
Zarfos C C Mayhall and J H Zarfos
M M prepared introduced and Raised
to the sublime degree of Master Masons
W D Fer presiding
There being no further business
Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Sec
Wayne D. Mer,
Master.

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
April 6 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Eler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
R D Hawkins Jr D A E Wilson Tyler
Bros G A Holland J H Wood M S Moore
C F Cramer Ward Hovely R D Hawkins
J W Mattingly A Traliot
Lodge of M M opened in form.
Russell Minutes read and approved
Curry The following petitions received
Brown T C Russell for degrees referred to Bros
Manss B F Brown. Ray Stewart R D Hawkins
Rogers C W Curry for degrees referred to Bros
Overman H M Hubbard M S Moore D S Eastin
Pet Rec'd G Wash Brown for degrees referred to Bros
T E Rix Jr. C C Corbin W C Heacox
A H Manss for degrees referred to Bros
E A Upham R D Hawkins & T E Rix Jr
T O Rogers for degrees referred to Bros
J E Gordon E N Estes W W Still
O W Overman for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Orient Lodge #321 Ohio referred
to Bros T E Rix Jr C C Corbin W C Heacox
Committee on petitions of Geo B Nelson
B S Skenderis L F Zerfoss Jno McMillan
reported report received Comt'ee
discharged ballot spread found
fair in case of Jno McMillan
L F Zerfoss and they declared elected
in case of B S Skenderis and G B
Nelson the ballot was found dark
and they declared rejected
By motion it was directed that the
Electric lights be made higher
Candle Power
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment

Apr 4th Cont'd
Lodge of E A opened
C G Sagiser, E M Sager & R C Brown
examined in E. A. degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread upon the application
of Bros C G Sagiser and R C Brown
to receive F C degree found fair and
they declared elected
Taylor Bros James Taylor and R C Brown
Brown prepared introduced and passed
F C to the degree of F C Masons
R L Curtis examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application
of R L Curtis to receive M M degree found
fair and he declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the application
of Lucian McAdoo for initiation
found dark and he declared rejected
By motion it was ordered that
Secretary purchase new Ballot Box
no further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iller,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
April 20 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Eler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmon Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
R B Hawkins Jr D H P Bartram — Tyler
Bro Nat Corbin R S Warren J J Clapton
T E Jones D P Easton J W Mattingly F C Foxworth
D M Lowe O H Merchant J W Coleman Jr
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Johnson The following petitions received
Bruce Roy D Johnson for degrees referred to
Smith Bro R A C Kearns A Z Gillespie & W B Griggs
Rubin Bro
Coleman Chas W Bruce for degrees referred to
Bartram Bro O H Merchant J R Hughes & T E Rix Jr
Grall C M Smith for degrees referred to
Frick Bro Jno G Cramer E L Rogers & N H Smith
Aaron Rubin for membership by demit
from Attica Lodge # 367 O. referred to
Bro H M Hubbard J W Mattingly & D P Easton
M G Coleman for membership by
demit from Malta Lodge # 318 Iowa referred
to Bro M S Moore R B Hawkins & C C Corbin
H C Bartram for degrees referred to
Bro H T Michler J C Meadows T E Rix Jr
G G Grall for degrees referred to
Bro R C Butler O H Merchant & E P Wilkinson
D L Frick for degrees referred to
Bro R C Butler O H Merchant & E P Wilkinson
Committee on petitions of Jno Vanderpool
and W F Allen reported. Report
received Committee discharged. ballot
spread found fair in case of J M H Vanderpool
and he declared elected. in case of
Wm F Allen. the ballot was found dark
and he declared rejected

Apl 20/1925 Cont^d
Bro Nat^l Corbin Chm Million dollar Committee made following report.
Whereas:- The Grand Lodge of Kentucky F. & A.M. has levied an assessment against all sub-ordinate Lodges of $20^{00} for every member of said Lodges who was in good standing at low twelve on August 31 1924 for the benefit of the Masonic Widow & Orphans Home at Louisville Kentucky. and
Whereas - It is necessary in order to have sufficient funds to meet and pay off such assessment. for Lexington Lodge No. 1. to assess its members
Now therefore be
Be it Rolved - That an assessment of $20^{00} be and is hereby levied against every member of this Lodge who was in good standing at low twelve on April 19. 1925 for the benefit of said Widows & Orphans Home. said assessment to be due $5^{00} on or before Aug 31. 1925 $5^{00} on or before Aug 31 1926. $5^{00} on or before Aug 31 1927 and $5^{00} on or before Aug 31 1928
Be It Further Resolved - That every member who has subscribed and paid to said Widow^s & Orphans Home an amount less than $20^{00} be exempted from this assessment. in an amount equal to said subscription and that said exemption be considered as applying to the payment or payments on assessment first due here under
Be it Further Resolved - That failure to pay this assessment in accordance with the conditions above set out shall

subject the member to the same discipline and penalties as non-payment of dues would do

Natt Corbin } Comtee
J P Eastin }

Report received
Bro Natt Corbin presented to the Lodge a very valuable old Masonic Publication printed in the year 1811. which the Lodge received with thanks
M M Lodge called from labor to refresh
E A Lodge opened
Bro Chas B Bailey J T Redmon and R N Wheeler examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
Sagaser F C Lodge opened
Sagaser Ballot spread upon the application
Bailey of J T Redmon C B Bailey & R N Wheeler
Wheeler found fair and they declared elected
Redmon to receive F C degree
F C E M Sagaser C G Sagaser J T Redmon C B Bailey and R N Wheeler were prepared introduced and passed to the degree of F C Masons
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
no further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Charges & specifications for unmasonic conduct was read against Bro R C Buckler and further actions postponed until next meeting — at meeting held Monday apl 20th 1925
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Miller,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 4 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Iler Master V H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Anderson Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
R B Hawkins Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros Nat Corbin M S Moore J J Clapton
G A Holland O H Merchant J W Mattingly
A Z Gillespie B P Brown L L Roberts J E Cassidy
J S Garrison J W Coleman Jr
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Freeman J F Freeman for affiliation referred to Bros
Ford E C Vaughn T R Bryant & A M Peter
Pet Rec L H Ford for initiation referred to
Bros W B Griggs R C Butler & V M Moore
Committees on petitions of T C Russell
O W Overman A O Shramstad reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and all of
the above declared elected
Communication from Bro T J Adams Supt
W & O Home to the effect that our two
wards Richard Godfrey an Robert Moores
were getting nicely at the Home
Request from Spring Hill Lodge # 574 to
confer E A degree on E L Berry read
and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
F C Lodge opened
Bros C G Sagesser E M Sagesser H C Bronaugh
R C Brown and Otto Mills of Mountain
Vanderpool Lodge # 187 examined in F C Work
Carroll F C Lodge closed
McMillan E A Lodge opened
Brookers J M Vanderpool R W Carroll Jno McMillan
Berry W T Brooker and E L Berry of Spring Hill Lodge
E A # 574 introduced and initiated as E A Masons

May 4/25 Cont^d
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called on
Ballot spread upon the applications
of C G Sagesser. E M Sagesser R C Brown
H C Dronaugh & Otto Mills of Mountain
Lodge # 187. to receive M M degree found
fair and all declared elected

Charges and Specifications
Stall of Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Charges and Specifications preferred
by Lexington Lodge No. 1. F & A. M.
against Brother Robert C Duckler
a Master Mason. member of this Lodge;
a Royal Arch Mason member of
Lexington Chapter No. 1. R. A. M.
a Knight Templar, member of
Webb Commandery No. 2. K. T.
of gross unmasonic conduct as
appears from the following Charges.
Charge 1. Domestic infidelity
Specification 1: In this that the
said Brother Robert C Duckler
did. from the day of December 1922
frequently, continuously and openly
associate and cohabit with a
married woman of lewd and
questionable character, thereby violating
and desecrating his marriage vows
and the marital rights and privileges of his own Wife, and degrading
and dishonoring his own home
and humiliating and offending
his Wife, Mrs May Duckler.
In confirmation of this Specification
the following written admission is
offered, which is in words and figures,
as follows

Louisville Ky Feb 4 1925

Dear Mother.

why dont you answer my letter. I look for a answer this morning but none come. Dont you love me enought to answer my I sent you a new pair slippers and money and stamps I hope to here from you this eavening mail I want to see you and my Bobby so Bad you will have money on me and Come Saturday I will be waiting for you Dear I am so lonsome for you and bobby and if I ever get you and him Back again I will never be mean to you I cant sleep and eat Dear Come and get your things I have them all ready for you I have got everything fixed Now I dont thing I will have any trouble to get my papers if they dont I will judge Stoll told me that I could get my Divorce Any But have under thousand dollars bond not to bother me any more I dont no what will happen I think I will fil suit next pay day. The lawyer said I could pay him $1.00. ever to weeks I love you better than my life and will do anything get your love Back and we will live together and be happy you no that I will do what you want me to do for I love you and my bobby and I would go to Hell for you and my bobby Now Dear I hope you will rite me and tell me you will come for just one and see me Dont let

Some one else take you from me for you no that I love and my I would rougher go to my Grave than see some one in my place so now Dear lisen to me You no that I have all way been true to you and all way will ever thing is still outwhere we live and Mrs Bowman she would no charge me eny rent for stay out there I will not haft to work Saterday are Sunday so that is the reason I want you and bobby to come Dear the Rich man may have money and get you ever thing you want But I love you better than he does I work hard and give you ever sent I make and you and bobby can go eny place you want to I will never me see you and my bobby once more I will do what ever you say, Dear I wish you would forget and forgive me just once more tell bobby that Dady love him and want to see him

Tel grandma I hope she wont be mad at me, I will close like to here from you soon I am

Yours till Death

Robert to Mother and Bobby Boy

Charge 2. Failure to discharge the obligation of his Marriage Vows and failure to support Specification 1; That for more than a year said Brother Robert C Buckler failed and refused to properly, or at all, support his lawfully wedded wife, Mrs May Buckler. in a

manner becoming their station in life, or at all. although he was able so to do, but dissipated his earnings in the manner and for the reasons appearing in Charge 1. Specification 1. Specification 2

Abandonment.

That the said Robert C Buckler deserted and abandoned his Wife Mrs May Buckler, without any cause on her part or any fault on her part. In so doing, left her without any means of support except that of her own effort and labor. Specification 3.

Cruel and inhuman treatment

That the said Brother Robert C Buckler treated his wife Mrs May Buckler of his adulterous relations with the Woman mentioned in Specification 1. and claimed to his said wife that he loved the Woman with whom he had been living and having adulterous relations, and as further evidence of said relations and cruel and inhuman treatment. the said Woman sent to his said wife, Mrs May Buckler, a letter written to her by the said Brother Robert C Buckler, which said letter is in words and figures as follows

Lexington Ky

Christine Stevenson

I received your letter this morning was not surprised to get all it so the other one now I dont care what you please but I have been on the square I no that she was

going to write you ant Matie and
ant Mamie. tel me with her
I could not keep it That and
when she found out I was go
to sue her for my Divorce the thought
would write you that stuff she
come to my Mother and I never
stayed there for I no what would
happen now I want to you to do
what ever you want to But be
shown you are right and go
ahead what do you want me Send
you I think I ben a dog and that
will be right now I am in Lexington
I am going to work a want for
her not to bother me on the street
and for Blackmail I want you
to tell me if you Beave that I
would give my bobby up.
I will goe to Frankfort it wont
be any harder but I think I will
come to see my bobby before I go
now I will go to louisville to night
But I will bring you thing to you
sometime this week so I hope you
uncel will be there now I want you
to no that the Masons have nothing
to do with me I guess you think I
am a fool. But wait and see I
went hungry for you. raget and
this is the thanks I get you not I
love you and you have brake my
heart and I dont care what happens
now. But you will think of me
I spent my last cent for you and I
will never give up my hope for my
good will help me. now I no you
wont answer this letter But in Kase

you mail it to Louisville Ky. so that I love you and so that you are going to get your papers and she dose not want me to marry.
But now you want to put me in jail now you will love some one else. But look out that you dont get left like I did and when you do think of the one you left behind I yours
truly

As further evidence of the cruel and inhuman treatment of the said Robt C Bucken toward his wife and in defiance of public and private morals of the law of the land and Masonic principles the said Robt C Bucken did cause to be mailed this said letter to his wife Mrs Mary Bucken and it was accompanied by a note which reads as follows and was written by Mrs Christine Stevenson at his instance, or was so supposed.

You said you didnt want anything to do with me and I was very sure I dont want any thing to do with you but you made me to worry me now here is some letters for you.
I am done.

All of the above charges and specifications are submitted charged and specified.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
By W H Skidmore
Junio-Warden

At a stated meeting of Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M held in Lexington, Kentucky, on the 20 day of April 1926 the foregoing charges and specifications were submitted

to said Lodge, which, on Motion, declared the same to be correct in form and the alleged offenses such as ought to be investigated.

Jno W Lancaster
Secretary Lexington Lodge #1
F & A M

Witnesses
Certain letters and Confessions
J R Hughes
L L Roberts

I move that the Charges and Specifications be adjudged correct in form, the alleged offense such as should be investigated and that May 18th being the next stated meeting of this Lodge be fixed at which the accused Buckler shall appear and enter his plea to the Charge and Specifications, or for such steps as may be proper under section 42 of our Code, and that notice be served on the accused in accordance with the law made and provided.

Lexington Ky May 5 1925

R C Buckler
Dear Sir & Bro

Herewith please find Charges and Specifications which was preferred against you at regular meeting of Lexington Lodge #1. F & A M held Monday May 4th 1925

You are hereby notified to be present at next stated meeting to be held Monday May 18 1925 and enter your plea to the Charges and Specifications

Fraternally Yours

Wayne D. Alley
Master

Jno W Lancaster by

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 18 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
J W Coleman Jr Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro J J Clopton T Allison Holland Natt Cor Sin
M S Moore C A Baker Ray Stewart J A Bricken
T A Knight H M Hubbard D P Brown W T Gordon
Lodge of M M opened in form
Hunt Minutes read and approved
Combs The following petitions received
Goad O C Hunt for affiliation accompanied
Pet Rec by demit from Amity Lodge #40 Ky referred to
Bro V H Skidmore Guy Johnson & T R Skidmore
John W Combs for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Breathitt Lodge #649 Ky referred
to Bro Ray Stewart W R Clinkenbeard J R Hughes
Roy O Goad for initiation referred to
Bro W D Griggs R C Butler & M S Moore
Committee on petitions C W Bruce H C
Bartram, Roy D Johnson, C W Curry
Reported report received Comt
discharged ballot spread found fair
and all declared elected.
In the case of C M Smith the ballot
was found dark and he declared rejected
In the case of R C Buckler. he
was present and made his plea
of Guilty to charges and specifications
that were prefered against him
at meeting held Monday May 4. 1925
The Master stated that he had a
communication from Livermore Lodge
#184. protesting against the action
of Grand Lodge at last meeting which
by motion of Bro G A Holland was laid on
the table without being read.

May 18/25 Cont'd
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bros J M Vanderpool and W R
Anderson examined in E A degree
Bruce C W Bruce and H C Bartram
Bartram prepared introduced and initiated
E A as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bros C B Bailey and R N Wheeler
examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application
of J M Vanderpool and W R Anderson
to receive F C degree found
and they declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the appli-
cation C B Bailey and R N Wheeler
to receive M M degree found
fair and they declared elected
The following action on delinquents.

M S Bobo	Susp'd N P D
R C Buckler	" " " "
A D Collingsworth	" " " "
W T Cottingham	" " " "
J H Curtis	" " " "
J H Floore	Dues Remt'd
H R Jackson	Susp'd N P D
H H Roberts	" " " "
J G Sandusky	Dues Remt'd
J T Slade	" "
C B Stevens	Susp'd N P D
E T Scrivner	" " " "
H O Skinner	" " " "
Dan P Scott	Further time
W G Spurlock	Susp'd N P D

over

May 18/25 Cont'd
T. A. Trowbridge Susp'd N. P. D.
C. G. Warren " " " "
Ben Mahoney Dues Remit'd
There being no further business Lodge Closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iller,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
June 1 1925
Stated Meeting

Present W D Iler M J W Coleman Sr W
T R Skidmore J W R E Anderson Sr D
F C Foxworth Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro G A Holland M S Moore J J Clopton
Ray Stewart A L Gillespie O C Boone L L Roberts
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Sherwood Berry Pet rec'd
The following petitions received
W S Sherwood for initiation referred to
Bro W T Gordon J H Bowman V H Skidmore
C W Berry for initiation referred to
Bro J R Hughes Ray Stewart O H Merchant
Committee on petitions of M G Coleman
D L Frick & G G Grall G W Brown reported. report
received Comtee discharged ballot
spread found fair in case of M G Coleman
and he declared elected in case
of D L Frick. G G Grall & G W Brown
the ballot was found dark and they
declared rejected

R C Duckler Expelled

Communication from Amity Lodge # 87
Newberry S.C. requesting this Lodge
to confer E A degree on P H Senn.
In the case of R C Duckler who
had pleaded Guilty to charges and
specifications at last stated meeting
the ballot was taken which resulted
as follows Reprimand 1. Expulsion 46.
By motion Sec. directed to notify him
and to notify other Masonic bodies

Curry Russell Skramstad Senn E A
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
C W Curry. T C Russell A O Skramstad
and P H Senn of Amity Lodge # 87

members S.C. prepared introduced
and initiated as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Call meeting for Thursday June 11 1920
for conferring M M degree. 7. P.M.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iler,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge # 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
June 11 1925

Call Meeting

Present W D Iler M Nart Corbin S W
V H S Kidmore Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
J W Coleman Jr Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro J J Clopton A L Gillespie W H Moore
J W Mattingly C W Howard G Allison Holland
R Gay Strode G L Heyman D P Eastin
James Nicoll R B Hawkins Jno S Yellman
J W T Gordon

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called for conference of Masters on several Candidates
The degree team of Dougherty

Bronaugh Lodge being present took charge
Curtis of the Lodge. Bro. H C Bronaugh
Sagaeser R L Curtis E M Sagaeser C G Sagaeser
Sagaeser R M Wheeler. C B Bailey and
Wheeler R C Brown. prepared introduced
Bailey and Raised to the sublime degree
Brown of Master Masons
M M Lodge then closed in form

Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iler,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F. & A. M
Lexington Ky
June 15 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Gler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
J W Mattingly Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros J J Clapton J R Hughes C G Sagesser
W C Heacox G Allison Holland V H Skidmore

Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Beddingfield Jno T Beddingfield for initiation referred to
Votaw Bros R E Anderson J R Hughes & F C Foxworth
Tet Reed Charles T Votaw for Membership accompanied
by demit from Portsmouth Naval Lodge # 100
of Virginia referred to
Bros A C Kearns V H Skidmore & H M Hubbard
Committee on petitions of J F Freeman
O C Hurst & Jno W Combs and [illegible]
reported report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found fair
and all declared elected.
Communication from Morristown Lodge
231 to the effect that Bro W J Nutter
had stood a creditable examination on
E A degree. the ballot was spread and
he was elected to receive F. C. degree
Request to confer F C & M degree on Bro
H B Winfrey of Hill City Lodge # 603 Tenn
read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bro W. W. Thorpe examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened ballot spread upon
the application of W W Thorpe found fair
and he declared elected to receive F C degree

June 15 Cont'd
Bro W W Thorpe W R Anderson and
Thorpe John McH Vanderpool prepared
Anderson introduced and passed to the degree
Vanderpool of F C Masons
F C F C Lodge closed
M. M. Lodge called to labor and
closed in form
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mer,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky July 6 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rip Jr S W
J R Hughes Jr W J W Mattingly Sr D
W M Bancom Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro W B Griggs W C Heacox O Manser Natt
Corbin O C Boone M S Moore C G Sagaser
C C Corbin C B Bailey
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Benton The following petitions received
Dailey Essex Bunton for initiation referred to
Pet Rec'd Bro T E Rip Jr C C Corbin & H M Hubbard
Jas S Dailey for initiation referred to
Bro T E Rip Jr C C Corbin & H M Hubbard
Committee on petitions of W S Sherwood
R O Goad L H Ford and L C Finney repd
Report received Committee discharged
Ballot spread found fair in case of
R. O. Goad & L Carl Finney and they
declared elected. in case of L H Ford
and W S Sherwood the ballot was
found dark and they declared rejected
The Master reported that Bro J R Howard
member of this Lodge died in this
City on June 30th that he had called on
Bro Howards wife and was told that
they did not desire a Masonic funeral
Bro Natt Corbin Jno G Cramer and
C J Norwood appointed to draft
Resolutions in respect to Bro Howard
Bro W R Money reported sick
Communication from Mrs W R Baker
asking assistance from this Lodge read
and Secretary directed to inform her
that the Lodge had no available
funds that could be used to comply
with her request over

July 4/1925 Cont'd
Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened.
Bro J Senn of Amity Lodge #87 Newberry S.C. stood a creditable examination in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called to labor
Secretary stated that he had requested the presiding Officers of the different Masonic Bodies to get together and form a regular Masonic Board of Relief for Lexington
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iler
Sec Master.

Resolutions on the Death
Of Brother James R. Howard.

Resolved, That it is with unfeigned sorrow that Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M., learns of the death of Brother James R. Howard

Born in Cumberland county, Kentucky, September 1, 1838, his long, most honorable, and useful life ended at his home in Lexington June 30, 1925, at 6:30 o'clock p. m.

Our deceased Brother became a member of this Lodge by demit in March 1916, having previously been a member of Warren Lodge No. 53, of Harrodsburg, Ky., now defunct.

Distinguished as a soldier in the Civil War,--in which he served as a Captain in the Union Army,--and for many years eminent in the affairs of the Grand Army of the Republic in Kentucky, both local and State; prominent as a business man in Lexington for about forty years or more, including a term as Postmaster; he was, above all, a devoted and untiring servant of the Lord, God Almighty, maintaining an active interest in church work till the day of his death. A friend has written of him that he was "a life-long member of the Baptist church" and "an active member of the First Baptist church for 47 years," though at the time of his demise he was a deacon in the Calvary Baptist church.

Surely, he has worn his lambskin apron unspotted before the world and has gained admission into that celestial lodge above where he shall rest from his labors and be at peace forever.

Resolved, That this Lodge extends its sympathy to the bereaved wife and sister, with the hope that God, who doeth all things well, may in His own way and time assuage their grief.

Resolved, That a copy of these Resolutions be entered upon our Records and a copy also be sent to the widow of our deceased Brother.

Nath Corbin
C. J. Norwood
Jno. G. Kramer
Committee.

Lexington Lodge #1, F. & A. M.

Lexington, Ky., July 20, 1925.
Stated Meeting.

Present Matt. C. Corbin, Master
J. R. Hughes, Senior Warden
J. W. Coleman, Jr., Junior Warden
Roy E. Anderson, Senior Deacon
W. C. Heacox, Junior Deacon
C. Bryan Bailey, Tyler.
T. Elmer Rix, Jr. Secretary pro tempore.
C. J. Norwood, W. J. Clark, Samuel Ashbrook,
R. B. Hawkins, Ray Stewart, Carl Davidson.

Lodge of Master Masons opened with usual ceremonies.

Minutes of previous meeting postponed on account of absence of secretary, who was reported as having met with an accident.

Petition of J. H. Mullikin received and referred to Bros. Elmer Murphy, J. W. Coleman, Jr., and Ray Stewart.

Ballot spread upon the petitions of Carl W. Berry ~~for initiation~~ and Chas. J. Votaw, ~~and Chas. J. Votaw for initiation~~ accompanied by demit from Portsmouth Naval Lodge #105 Portsmouth, Va. In the case of Carl W. Berry the ballot was found dark and he declared rejected. In the case of Chas. J. Votaw the ballot was found fair and he declared elected a member of Lexington Lodge #1.

Resolutions on the death of Bro. Howard were read by Bro. C. J. Norwood, and upon motion, duly seconded and passed, they were ordered spread upon the minutes and a copy to be sent to his family.

M. M. Lodge called from labor to refreshment and a lodge of F. C.'s opened.

Fellowcrafts W. W. Thorpe and J. M. Vanarpool examined on F. C. degree. Lodge of

F.C.'s closed and lodge of E.A.'s opened. Entered Apprentices C.W. Curry, J.C. Russell and R.W. Carrol examined on E.A. degree. Messrs. R.O. Good and L.C. Finney being found in waiting, were prepared, introduced and initiated as Entered Apprentice Masons. Lodge of E.A.'s closed. Lodge of M.M.'s called from refreshment to labor. Ballot spread upon the proficiency and worthiness of Entered Apprentices C.W. Curry, J.C. Russell, and R.W. Carrol to receive the F.C. degree, found fair and they declared elected. Ballot spread upon the proficiency and worthiness of Fellowcrafts W.W. Thorp and J.M. Vanderpool to receive the M.M. degree, found fair, and they declared elected. There being no further business, lodge was closed at 10:00 P.M.

T.E. Rix Jr. acting Secy.
Wayne D. Iller, Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky Aug 3 1925
Stated meeting

Present W. S. Iler Master M. M. Moore Sr W
R. B. Hawkins Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
Elmer Murphy Jr D J. E. Gordon Tyler
Bro's C. J. Norwood, Chester C. Corbin, C. Bryan Bailey, Freeman Wilson, J. A. Bricken, W. B. Briggs, W. C. Myers, Carl Davidson, W. F. Clark etc. etc.

Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Morgan P. Fears Petition of Morgan Pendleton Fears received and referred to Bros C B Bailey C C Corbin J R Hughes Committee on the petition of Essie Burton and James Samuel Daily discharged, ballott opened. In the case of Essie Burton Essie Burton the ballot was found bright & he declared elected. In the case of James Samuel Daily J.S. DAILY the ballott was dark & he declared rejected

Committee composed of Bro's L. P. Gooding, M. M. Moore, & R. C. Butler appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Bro. W. Logan Shearer who died as the result of a railroad accident. W. M. W. S. Iler reported his death & that his offer to furnish a Masonic funeral not accepted. Lexington Lodge No 1 sent flowers.

Resolution on organizing Masonic Board of Relief of Lexington Kentucky read & unanimously approved upon a motion by brother Hughes & seconded by brother V. H. Stidmore.

Correspondence read from Secy of Masonic Widows & Orphans Home informing us that Richard Godfrey Lexington Lodge No 1's ward in that institution had run away.

Letter from Richard Godfrey dated a day later received & read, stating he had returned to the home & was sorry he left & asking forgiveness.

Bro C. J. Norwood spoke on the subject of Masonic funerals & urged members to request the same citing it as our order's highest honor.

Stated Meeting Aug 3 1915 (continued)

Lodge called from labor to refreshments on the M. M. degree.
E. A. Lodge opened -
E. A. - Chas. Wm Bruce examined in the E. A. degree.
E. A. Lodge closed
F. C. Lodge opened. Ballot spread to vote upon the proficiency & worthiness of Bro. Chas. Wm Bruce & to receive the F. C. degree, it was found bright & he declared elected.
Entered apprentices Chas. Wm Bruce, J. C. Russell, Robt. W Carroll P. H. Senn & C. W. Curry, prepared, introduced, & passed to the degree of a Fellow Craft Mason.
Fellow Craft Lodge closed.
Master Mason Lodge called on, there being no further business lodge closed at 10:15 P. M.

J. Rodgers, Acting Secretary.
Wayne Miller, Master.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 12 1925

Call Meeting

Present W D Eler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
C D Adams Jr W T H Maybrier Sr D
R B Hawkins Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro Ray S Stewart

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro J G Sandusky who died on August 10th 1925 at Confederate Home. Pee Wee Valley, Ky

Sandusky Funeral

The Lodge proceeded to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were buried with Masonic honors.

Returning to the Lodge rooms Bro C J Norwood Jno W Lancaster J B Davis were appointed committee to draft suitable resolutions.

The Lodge then closed in form

Jno W Lancaster Sec

Wayne D. Miller, Master.

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 17 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master Natt Corbin Sr W
C J Norwood Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
C. D. Bailey Jr J E Gordon Ty Sr
Bro E P Wilkinson H M Hubbard D P
Eastin J R Hughes V H Skidmore T E Rix Jr
J W Coleman Jr R D Hawkins B P Drown
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes of previous meetings read
and approved

Dawes Pet rec'd The following petitions received
E B Dawes for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Jenkins Lodge #854 Ky
referred to Dist M S Moore A D Stone
Committee on petitions of J H Mullikin
J T Beddingfield and M P Fears reported
Report received Comt^ee discharged ballot
spread found fair in case of J H
Beddingfield and J H Mullikin and
they declared elected

Fears Reg in case of M. P. Fears the ballot
was found dark and he declared rejected
ballot was also spread upon the
application to f Bro J A Yarrington
Bunton to receive F C degree found fair
J G Johnson and he declared elected
E A By ballot the petition of Aaron Rubin
Rubin Pet withdrawn for affiliation was withdrawn
Card of sympathy from the family
of Bro W Logan Shearer deceased read & filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E. A. opened
Cessie Bunton to gether with
J G Johnson of Widows Sons Lodge #60
prepared introduced and iniated
as E. A. Masons. C J Norwood presiding

Aug 17/25 Court
Eq A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
no further business Lodge closed 10 ±1 P.M.

Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Wayne D. Allen,
Master.

Lexington Lodge No 1. F. & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept 7 1925
Stated meeting

Present W S Eler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
A B Stone Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
Murphy Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro D P Easton C B Bailey J R Hughes

Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following Petitions received
J C Anderson for initiation referred to
C J Anderson Bro R E Anderson J R Hughes & E C Murphy
Committee on petition of G O Rogers
reported report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found dark
and he declared rejected
ballot also spread upon the application
of N R Scott to receive F C degree found
fair and he declared elected
Acknowledgment of sympathy
from Daughters of Bro J G Sandusky
deceased read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of F. C. opened
Bro T C Russell R W Carroll W C Curry
W R Anderson together with Bro P Senn of
Amity Lodge # 8 Newberry N.C. examined in
F. C. degree
Harris F C Lodge closed
Mullikin E A Lodge opened
E A C E Harris and J H Mullikin prepared
introduced and initiated as E A Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications
of T C Russell. R W Carroll W C Curry

Sept 7th Cont'd
W Randerson and P Senn of Amity Lodge
#87 North Carolina to receive M M
degree found fair all declared elected
The Master stated serious objections
had been made against Bro W W Thorpe
being advanced further in Masonry
The Master also appointed Bro
C B Bailey J R Hughes & Ray Stewart a
new Committee on the petition of
A H Manss
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Rancaster
Sec

Wayne D. Miller,
Master.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept 18 1925

Call Meeting

Present W D Ellis Master T E Rix Jr SW
J W Coleman Jr Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
Ray Stewart Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro J R Hughes A C Byers A Haliot O. Mauser
J A Gray H C Bronaugh L N H Smith C D Bailey
H M Hubbard A B Stone C T Votaw D F Eastin
G G Bryant
Lodge of MM opened in form
The Master stated that this
Meeting was called for the
Russell purpose of Conferring the Masters
Carroll degree on several Candidates
Curry Bro R W Carroll W C Curry W R Anderson
Anderson T C Russell
J M Vanderpool together with Bro P H Serm
Vanderpool of Amity Lodge #87 S. C. prepared
Serm introduced and Raised to the Sublime
MM degree of Master Masons
There being no further business Lodge
closed in form
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Ellis
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge #1, F. & A. M.,
Lexington, Ky.,
Sept. 21, 1925.

Stated Meeting.

Present T. E. Rix, Jr., Master. J. R. Hughes, S. W.
R. B. Hawkins, J. W. Ray Stewart, S. D.
C. L. Cox, J. D. J. E. Gordon, Tyler.
Nat. Corbin, J. W. Coleman, Jr. Wm. J. Nutter,
C. B. Bailey, W. R. Anderson, Henry Jeffers,
A. B. Stone, C. L. Cox, L. B. Gullett, J. L. Grubbs,
James H. Burns, J. W. Gilson, A. E. Wilson,
Walter Tussey, H. H. Thornberry, J. A. Bricken,
C. R. Davidson, Robt. W. Carroll, Elmer
Bryant, J. W. Mattingly,
B. C. Jonas,
G. C. Jonas,
J. J. Klopton, Chaplain.

Petition of Jno. L. Forcum for affiliation referred to J. R. Hughes, Ray Stewart, & C. B. Bailey.

Lodge of Master Masons opened in form. Minutes of previous regular meeting and called meeting read and approved. Petition of Bro. John L. Forcum for affiliation, accompanied by demit from Pioneer Lodge #22, A. F. & A. M., Des Moines, Iowa, received and referred to J. R. Hughes, Ray Stewart, C. B. Bailey.

By Motion of Bro. Nat. Corbin, duly seconded and carried, it was ordered that the sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) be donated to our Secretary, Bro. Jno. W. Lancaster, for the purpose of defraying his expenses in attending the Grand Lodge Session at Louisville, Ky., next October. Lodge of Master Masons called from labor to refreshment. Lodge of Entered Apprentices opened. Bro. Essie Bunton examined on E. A. Degree, and complimented by Bro. Nat. Corbin on his proficiency.

Essie Bunton examined on E. A. M. W. Sullivan Initiated.

Mr. M. W. Sullivan, being in waiting, was prepared, introduced, and initiated as an Entered Apprentice Mason. Entered Apprentice

Lodge closed. Lodge of Master Masons called from refreshment to labor. Ballot spread upon the proficiency of Bro. Essie Bunton on the E. A. degree, and on his worthiness to receive the F. C. degree, found fair, and he declared elected. There being no further business, lodge was closed in form at 9:30 P.M.

Wayne D. Aller,
Secretary protem.

Wayne D. Aller,
Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F. & A. M.
Lexington Ky
Oct 5 1925

Stated Meeting

Present — W D Eler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
A B Stone Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros J J Clapton Nat Corbin R D Hawkins
H M Hubbard W H Duncan J R Hughes
R B Hawkins C B Bailey W C Heacox
J W Mattingly O M Lowe H P Bartram J W Coleman Jr
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Cardwell W J Cardwell, for membership, accom-
Congleton panied by Certificate in good standing
from Rural Lodge #314 Mo referred to
Bros H M Hubbard M S Moore & R B Hawkins
D S Congleton for initiation referred to
Bros T E Rix Jr C C Corbin & V H Skidmore
Committee on petition of J C Anderson
reported report received Comt^e
discharged ballot spread found
fair and he declared elected
By motion it was ordered that one
Goad hundred dollars be donated to Bro
Dunton Van Hook a member of St Andrews Lodge #18 Ky
Finney M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Ex. E.A. E A Lodge opened
R A Goad L C Finney & J G Johnson Jr of #40 Va
examined in E.A.
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread upon the proficiency
of Bros R A Goad and L C Finney to
receive F C degree found fair and
they declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the proficiency
of Bro J G Johnson Jr of #40 Va found dark
and he declared rejected (Over)

Oct 5 1925 Cont'd

Goad Bunton Finney F.C.

Bros R A Goad, Essie Bunton and L C Finney prepared introduced and passed to the degree of Fellow Craft Masons

F C Lodge closed

M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor

No further business Lodge closed 10 25 pm

Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mer,

Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Oct 19 1925

Stated meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master J R Hughes Sr W
V St Sledmore Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro J J Clopton. J W Coleman Jr C B
Bailey M S Moore N H Smith
W C Heacox. W D Eler R W Carroll. C. C. Corbin.

Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Committee on petition of J. L. Forcum
and E B Davis reported. report
received Comt^r discharged ballot
spread found fair and each declared
elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Anderson Lodge of E A opened
Armstrong Bro C C Antrobus examined in E A degree
E A J C Anderson together with J C Armstrong
of Maysville Lodge #52 prepared introduced
and initiated as E. A. Masons.
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor.
Ballot spread upon the application of
Bro. C. C. Antrobus to receive F. C. degree
found fair and he declared elected
No further business Lodge closed 9^{30} P M
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mee
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov 2 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master Natt Corbin Se W
V H Skidmore Jr W Ray Stewart Se D
Jr D J E Gordon Tyl
Bros J J Clopton A B Stone J H Zayos J R Hughes
C B Bailey J W Coleman Jr R C Brown T E Rix Jr
J H Bowman E C Murphy C C Corbin W F Galloway
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

T P Bradley The following petitions received
J R Ott John R Ott for initiation referred to
F G Ott Bros J R Hughes T E Rix Jr. C C Corbin
W H Courtney Frank G Ott for initiation referred to
Pet recd Bros J R Hughes T E Rix Jr C C Corbin
W H Courtney for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Whitesburg Lodge #754 referred to
Bros J R Hughes V H Skidmore & T H Skidmore
Geo Paul Bradley for initiation referred to
Bros E C Murphy J R Hughes & C C Corbin

W J Cardwell Committee on petitions of W J Cardwell
D S Congleton D S Congleton reported report received
J G Johnson #60 Va Committee discharged ballot spread found
E Ce tur fair and they declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the application
of J H Hammersley to received F. C.
degree found fair and he declared elected

Bedding field Bro C W Shankland reported quite
Congleton sick

E A. The Master stated that the wife
of Bro A. M. Peter died in this City
Nov 2nd 1925. Bros C J Norwood L E Nollan
and J B Dicker were appointed to aft resolutions
M R N Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bro J G Johnson of #60 Va examined in E A degree
Bros J T Beddingfield & D S Congleton prepared
introduced and initiated as E A Masons

C. J. NORWOOD, M. S.,
GEOLOGIST AND MINING ENGINEER
LEXINGTON, KY

October 18, 1926.

The Worshipful Master,
Wardens, and Brethren,
Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

Dear Brothers and Friends:

I expected to be with you in person tonight, but the illness of my wife prevents. So, I take this means of thanking you for my share of the handsome sugar and cream set you sent us on our Golden Wedding anniversary, and to let you know, so well as I can, how very much we appreciate the kindly wish that accompanied it,—that you hoped we might "live long and continue spreading sunshine in our midst."

That my beloved and loving wife spreads sunshine is beyond question, but I fear that to include me with her in that respect is rather a kindly wish to please a brother than an exact statement of simple fact. The sunshine of friendship and brotherhood has shone on me constantly and abundantly since I was made a Mason in Lexington No. 1, and I would be happy indeed if I could confidently feel that I have contributed in a worthy measure to your own happiness.

I realize that I am growing old, as the life of man is measured in years, but thanks to Masonry and the good will of my young brothers, who have always allowed me to stand on a level with them socially as well as masonically, my heart is still young and happy, and this expression of your regard for me and mine assures me that so it will continue to be until the spinning of years has, for me, come to an end.

Affectionately,

C. J. Norwood

My wife tells me that she has already thanked you for her "share." Well, what is mine is hers, and, in this instance, what is hers is mine; so we will both enjoy your gift daily—for so it will be used for the remainder of our lives—as if each owned it all.

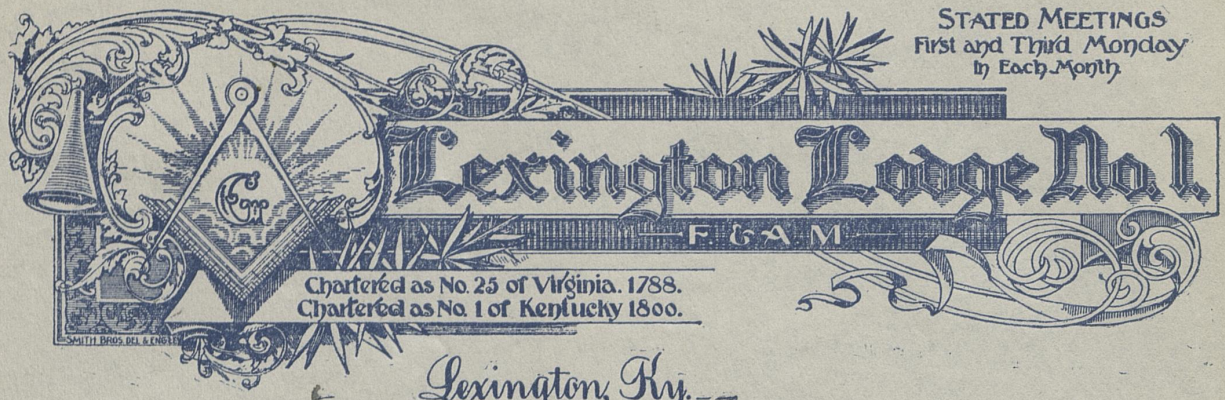
STATED MEETINGS
First and Third Monday
in Each Month.

Lexington Lodge No. 1.

F. & A. M.

Chartered as No. 25 of Virginia. 1788.
Chartered as No. 1 of Kentucky 1800.

SMITH BROS. DEL. & ENG.



Lexington, Ky.

Worshipful Master:

I move you that a committee be appointed to arrange a reception in honor of the Grand Master of the state Bro. G. Allison Holland.

Nat Corbin
D. P. Easton
H. ~~M. Hubbard~~
} Comtee
W. J. Cardwell
Roy Stewart
J. C. Rex

Nov 2/25 Cont'd
E. A. Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the proficiency of
Bro J. G. Johnson of Lodge # 40 Va found
fair and he declared proficient entitled to F. C.
F C Lodge opened
Bro Essie Bunton examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
Ballot also spread upon the application
of Bro Essie Bunton to receive M M
degree found fair and he declared
By motion Bro J. H. Bowman was
appointed Custodian of Cuts belong-
ing to this Lodge and Secretary
directed to request Bro J. W. Norwood
who has them in his possession to
forward them to Bro Bowman.
By motion Bro Secretary allowed
$ 33 75 expense incurred in
Masonic W. & O. Home.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mer,
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 8 1925

Call Meeting

Present W D Fler Master M S Moore S W
U H Skidmore Jr Roy S D
J R Hughes Jr Anderson Tyler
Dro W T Gordon J H Bowman H P
Bartram J R Hughes

Lodge of M M Opened in form
The Master stated that this
meeting was called at the
request of Collins Lodge # 19 of
Ft Collins Colorado to pay last
Salyer tribute of respect to Bro S J Salyer
Funeral of that Lodge. the Lodge proceed
to the Lexington Cemetery where
the remains of Bro Saly was
buried with Masonic Honors.
Returning to the Lodge room
and closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mer,
Sec Master.

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 14 1925

Stated Meeting

Present W D Eler Master Roy Anderson Sr W
V H S Kidmore Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J R Hughes Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros. Natt Corbin C B Bailey W C Hiacox
J W Coleman Jr. Jno Mattingly A B Stone C B Mathews
J L Grubbs H M Wright J W Norwood J S Lane
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Rowborhan Petition for initiation from A Grant Rowborham
Pet Rec'd referred Bros W C Hiacox C B Bailey & C C Corbin
Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bros J C Armstrong Joe Anderson and M W
Sullivan examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bro R A Goad examined in F C degree
Antrobus Bros J C Armstrong of Maysville Lodge # 52
Anderson and Bros C C Antrobus Jos C Anderson and
Sullivan M W Sullivan prepared introduced and
Armstrong past to the degree of F. C. Masons
F C F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
The Master appointed brothers J R
Hughes. J W Coleman Jr & Jno W Lancaster
a Committee to arrange for Past Master night
Ballot spread upon the application
of Bro R A Goad to receive M M found
fair and he declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Eler,
Sec Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 7th 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Kidmore Jr W R B Hamskin Sr D
E C Murphy Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros C J Norwood W E Freeman N Corbin
M S Moore J R Hughes R B Hamskin H M Hubbard
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Petition for afiliation from D Bruce
Salyer accompanied by demit from
Alma Lodge #322 Ky referred to Bros
J R Hughes C J Norwood & T E Rix Jr
J W Woolery for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Grand Lodge of Oklahoma
referred to Bros W B Griggs H M Hubbard & V H Kidmore
Committee on petition G Paul Bradley
reported report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the applica-
tion of W H Courtney found fair and
he declared elected.
The Committee appointed to look
after the education of Andrew Christian
Son of Bro J T Christian deceased
made following report (herewith)
which after a discussion was refered
to Bros W D Iler W E Freeman and
C J Norwood with instructions to
examine the fincial condition
of Lexington Lodge #1 at the present time
M M Lodge called from labor to refres hmt
Lodge of F C opened
Bros M W Sullivan J C Armstrong
J C Anderson H L Morton examined

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE EDUCATION OF ANDREW CHRISTIAN

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In April 1924 Lexington Lodge No. 1 agreed to assist in the education of Andrew Christian, son of Brother J. T. Christian deceased. Mrs. Christian and her two boys now live in Pittsburgh.

The following resolutions relating to this matter were presented by a committee composed of Brothers C. J. Norwood, D. V. Terrell and W. E. Freeman.

1. Resolved, That a Committee be appointed by the Master to take charge of the education of Andrew Christian.

2. Resolved, That, for a period of two years, this Lodge appropriate twenty dollars a month, (that is, two hundred and forty dollars per annum, payable monthly), to meet the expenses of his education, and that said contribution begin with January 1st, 1924.

3. Resolved, That, before the expiration of the two years the matter of continuing his education shall be presented to the Lodge for further consideration.

These resolutions were passed and money appropriated has been paid to Mrs. Christian. During the two years the committee has keep in close touch with her. The following correspondence should be interesting to the lodge.

(Read several letters from Mrs. Christian and correspondence with John Grabe.)

This correspondence reveals the fact that Mrs. Christian is in bad health; that her older son has had a long and expensive illness, still being unable to work, and that the younger son in whose education we have been assisting is doing well in school, our money, therefore, being fruitful in accomplishing the purpose for which it has been given. We, therefore, offer the following resolutions:

1. That the committee appointed to supervise the education of Andrew Christian be continued.

2. That the sum of three hundred and sixty dollars ($360.00) (payable in twelve (12) monthly installments of thirty dollars ($30.00) be appropriated to assist Mrs. Christian in the education of her son during the year of 1926.

3. That before the expiration of the year the matter of continuing this assistance be presented to the lodge for further consideration

W E Freeman
C. J. Norwood
D. V. Terrell
Committee.

12-7-25 Cont'd
in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor.
Ballot spread upon the applications
of Bros M W Sullivan J C Armstrong
J C Anderson and St L Morton to
receive M M degree, found fair
and all declared elected
Bro Natt Corbin appointed member
of The Masonic Board Relief
By motion a donation of $5.00
was made to assist in buying
X Mas presents for Children at
W & O Home
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Mill
Master

Past Masters Night
Lexington Ky
Dec 14 1925
Special Meeting

Present C F Cramer Master C J Norwood S W
D P Eastin Jr W Theo L Jones S D
R B Hawkins Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros H M Hubbard J J Clapton R E Anderson
E M Standafer W C Hiacox O Manser C B Bailey
R B Hawkins A C Byers W D Fler T E Rix J
W H Brand
C C Corbin J H Crane W C Hiacox Natt Corbin
S H Chase J F L Carter H K McAdams E C Hawkins

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was for conference of the Masters degree on several candidates.

Anderson
Sullivan
Goad
Dunton
Morton
Armstrong
M.M.

Bros J C Anderson M W Sullivan R O Goad Essie Dunton H L Morton and J C Armstrong of Maysville Lodge #52 Maysville Ky prepared introduced and Raised to the sublime degree of Master Masons
Right Worshipful Sir G Allison Holland Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky Farm introduced and received with Grand Honors
Talks were made for the good of the Order by the Grand Master of Kentucky
There being nothing further the Lodge was closed

Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Wayne D. Mee
Master

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE

MRS. J. T. CHRISTIAN APPROPRIATION

This committee was appointed to ascertain the condition of the lodge's finances and to determine whether we could afford to make an allowance of thirty dollars ($30.00) a month for the assistance of Mrs. J. T. Christian, widow of Brother J. T. Christian, in the education of her son Andrew Christian.

Your committee finds that at the present time there is about one thousand one hundred dollars ($1,100.00) in our treasury and it seems certain that there will be a balance on hand at the end of the year. This balance will probably be something less than at the beginning of the year, but with the entrance fees and dues coming in from time to time during the year of 1926 it is our opinion that there will be sufficient funds to make an appropriation for this purpose. However, we believe that the amount for the coming year should not exceed that which has been furnished Mrs. Christian during the past, so we recommend that the appropriation, if any, be twenty dollars ($20.00) a month rather than thirty dollars ($30.00) a month.

Committee

Wayne D. Allen

W E Freeman

E. J. Norwood

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 21 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Fler Master T E Rex Jr Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W Roy Anderson Sr D
Natt Corbin Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bitterman Bro C B Bailey C F Cramer J S Garrison
Corbin W E Freeman, C. C. Corbin
Hagyard Lodge of M.M. opened in form
Wertz Minutes read and approved.
Pet read The following petitions received
Clifford Bitterman for initiation referred to
Bro C B Bailey J R Hughes & S R Griffith
Bruce Corbin for initiation referred to
Bro J R Hughes J B Davis & A C Kearns
Chas E Hagyard for affiliation accompanied
by demit Waverly Lodge #361. Ont referred to
Bro C C Corbin T E Rex Jr & H M Hubbard
Geo B Wertz for initiation referred to
Bro Natt Corbin H M Hubbard & J W Mattingly
The Committee appointed to ascertain
the condition of the Lodge finances
made report (herewith) signed by the
Committee. The report was received
and a rising vote of thanks tendered
them for the part taken by them
Motion that we continue the payment
for six months at $20.00 Lost then and
amendment was made to refer the
matter to the Masonic Board Relief
Lost. Then the Master declared the
matter dismissed.
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bro W F Brooker examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment

Christian appeal dismissed

12/21/25 Contd
to Labor
Ballot spread upon the application of
W. F. Brooker found fair and he declared
elected to receive F C degree
By motion it was decided to ask
Grand Master of Kentucky for a
dispensation to hold our annual
election in Red Room as the Lodge
Room would be occupied by
Devotion Lodge #160 and was their
meeting night.
no further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster Wayne D. Iles
Secy Master

Annual Meeting
Lexington Ky
Dec 28 1925
Stated meeting

Present W D Iler Master T E Rix Jr Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
Ray Stewart Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros C J Norwood H M Hubbard M S Moore J R Hughes
J H Bowman J J Clapton F C Foxworth Natt Corbin
E J Kilpatrick J W Mattingly W F Galloway J W Mattingly
C B Bailey J S Garrison R D Hawkins D P Easton R B Hawkins
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read
Following petition received
~~Geo~~ H Wertz for initiation referred to
Bros
Ollie B Bishop for initiation referred to
Bros F C Foxworth J A Bitterman & C B Bailey
The petition of Bruce Corbin on
account of him being a resident of
Florida being away from Lexington for
more than one year was withdrawn
The annual Election resulted as follows

T Elmer Rix Jr	Master
V H Skidmore	Sr W
Ray S Stewart	Jr W
D P Easton	Treas
J W Lancaster	Sec
J E Gordon	Tyler
Roy E Anderson	Dir M T A 2 yrs

The above were regularly installed by
Past Master Robt D Hawkins
appointments by T E Rix Master elect

C C Corbin	Sr Deacon
J W Mattingly	Jr "
W C Heacox & E Murphy	Stewards
J J Clapton	Chaplain
C J Norwood & M S Moore	Trustees
J J Clapton	Chaplain

over

12-28-25 Cont'd
Auditing Committee J R Hughes
C F Cramer & J R Humphrey
Bro W Dodder reported having paid to the creditors of Bro C A Van Hook of St Andrews Lodge #18 the $135.00 donated by this Lodge
The following Resolution was offered by Bro W F Galloway
Resolved The Master of Lexington Lodge, or at his request, the members from Lexington Lodge #1, to request the President of the Masonic Temple Association for a report on the financial standing between Lexington Lodge #1, and the Masonic Temple Association
The resolution was unanimously addopted by the Lodge
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec Thos. Elmer Rix.

Galloway Resolution

The Master of Rex Mgto Lodge
or at his request the members from Lex #1
to request the president of the Masonic Temple
Ass'n for a report on the financial standing
between Lex Lodge #1 & the Masonic temple
Ass'n

STATED MEETINGS
First and Third Monday
in Each Month

Lexington Lodge No. 1

F. & A. M.

Chartered as No. 25 of Virginia. 1788.
Chartered as No. 1 of Kentucky 1800.

SMITH BROS. DEL. & ENG.



Lexington, Ky.

Dec 26 1925,

To the Master wardens & Brethren of Lexingron Lodge # 1,

Your Committee appointed to handle the donation made by this Lodge for the benefit of Bro C. E. Van Hook, member os St Andrews Lodge # 18, said donation amounting to #135.00? beg leave to report as follows

Amount paid to College of the Bible Trs'v University	75.00
" October Tax City of Lexington	40.46
" Water rent for Sep 1925	.93
" Telephone	4.55
" Gas Co	1.20
Lex Utilities Co	1.61
A. W. Edgar Grocer	11.25
Total	$ 135.00

Wayne D. [illegible]
Master

125

JOHN W. LANCASTER, SECY.
Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M,
Lexington Chapter No. 1, R. A. M.
Washington Council No 1, R. & S. M.
129 CHEAPSIDE

LEXINGTON, KY., ____ 192____

_____ BANK

PAY TO THE ORDER OF JOHN W. LANCASTER, SECY

_____ DOLLARS, $_____

FOR_____

_____

Yearly Resolution

MEMBERS
COMMERCE
REAL ESTATE BOARD
ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS

J. BRUCE DAVIS
HOWARD F. WILKIRSON

MEMBERS
LEXINGTON BOARD OF FIRE UNDERWRITERS
KENTUCKY ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE AGENTS
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION INSURANCE AGENTS

Davis & Wilkirson

Realtors-Insurors

Lexington, Ky.

Jan. 5th., 1926.

TO THE MASTER WARDEN & BRETHERN:

Complying with resolution passed by your lodge Dec. 28th as follows: "RESOLVED- That the Master of Lexington Lodge #1, or at his request, the members of Lexington Lodge #1, to request the President of the Masonic Temple Association for a report on the financial standing between Lexington Lodge #1 and the Masonic Temple Association." and confirming verbal report made January 4th., 1926; the following is the exact status of the financial standing between Lexington Lodge #1 and the Masonic Temple Association, Inc.

The Masonic Temple Association, Inc. owes Lexington Lodge #1 $ 6,000.00. This indebtedness is evidenced by promissory negotiable notes secured by mortgages on the property. Said mortgages are duly recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Fayette County Court. One note is recorded covering an indebtedness of $ 3,000.00. As to the other $3,000.00, we have had the Masonic Home Trustees send power of attorney to us and proper transfer has been made to the Trustees of Lexington Lodge #1 in the Clerk's office.

The Masonic Temple Board estimates the Temple and contents to be worth about $ 75,000.00. Our capital stock is only $ 15,000.00. Lexington Lodge #1 owns eight of the fifteen shares so, therefore, Lexington Lodge holdings in the Temple Association are worth now approximately $40,000.00.

All the stock of the Masonic Temple Association is and can only be held by the Masonic bodies of Lexington. The total indebtedness now outstanding against the Association is $10,000; $ 6,000.00 held by Lexington Lodge #1 and $ 4,000.00 by Webb Commandery #2. We have no outside obligations. Our entire indebtedness being held by our stock holders.

Fraternally yours,

MASONIC TEMPLE ASSOCIATION.

BY J. BRUCE DAVIS, PRESIDENT.

JBD/H.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jany 4 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Sherman Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W ~~J W Coleman~~ C C Corbin Sr D
W C Stracey Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros J B Davis Natt Corbin T W Stavily R E Anderson
J W Mattingly O Manser J M Vanderpool
C J Norwood H M Hubbard C B Bailey R B Hamilton
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Communication from Bro B T Southgate
stating that he was still confined
to his bed
Bro J B Davis President M T Association
Made statement of Financial
Condition of the association which
was received subject to a written
report to be delivered to the Secretary
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bradley Geo. Paul Bradley prepared introduced
A and initiated as an E. A. Mason
E A Lodge closed.
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Bro C C Corbin installed as Sr Deacon
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jany 18 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master V H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D C B Barley Tyler
Bros H M Hubbard J R Hughes C J Norwood D P Easton
W C Heacox G Allison Holland J W Coleman J Natt Corbin
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Lodge of M M opened in form
Lawrence Minutes read and approved
Gobeille The following petitions received
E P Lawrence for initiation refered to
Bros J R Hughes J W Mattingly & J C Anderson
J W Gobeille for initiation refered to
Bros R E Anderson J R Hughes and Essie Dunton
Committee on petitions of G B Wertz
D B Salyer A G Rowbotham C Bitterman
C E Haggard and Jno W Woolery reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and all
of the above declared elected
Auding Committee made following
report (attached)
The Trustees also mad report (attached)
both of which were received and
ordered on record.
By motion. Bros. H M Hubbard Natt
Corbin and C J Norwood were appointed
a Committee to call on Masonic Temple
association and insist on Main Lodge
room painted Blue
M M Lodges called from labor to refreshment
F C Lodge opened Bros W F Brooker and J G
Johnson Jr of W & S Lodge #60 Vas passed to F C Masons
J H Skidmore presiding
F C Lodges closed M M called on and closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

To the Worshipful Master and Wardens,
Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

Your Board of Trustees respectfully submits the following report for the calendar year 1925 in relation to all valuable documents, securities, bonds, cash, and miscellaneous papers placed in its keeping, the same being contained in a metallic box deposited in the safety vault of the Union Bank and Trust Company, Lexington, Ky., as follows:

(1) Old Charter of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

(2) Wax Seal which was cut from the Old Charter of Lexington Lodge No. 1 by Bro. Natt Corbin (a Trustee of the Lodge at the time) in order to frame the Charter.

(3) Envelope containing several small coins recovered from the corner stone of the old Masonic Temple at the corner of Short and Walnut streets.

(4) Cemetery Lot Deeds:
(a) For 152 square feet, designated as N. W. quarter of Lot 1, Section B. Dated Nov. 8, 1884. To Lexington No. 1 solely.
(b) For 400 square feet, designated as South half of Lot 1, Section B. Dated Jan. 27, 1888. To Lexington, Devotion, and Good Samaritan Lodges.
(c) Lot 1 N. E. quarter Section B, 144 sq. ft., and in Lot 2 S. E. quarter Section B, 162 sq. ft.; total, 306 sq. ft. Dated July 6, 1922. To Lexington No. 1 and Devotion No. 160.

(5) 1 half-tone engraving of Past Masters, Lexington Lodge No. 1.

(6) Envelope containing miscellaneous old papers of no present value.

(7) Package of old papers of no present intrinsic value, but possibly having some historical interest.

(8) Four (4) Certificates of Stock in Masonic Temple Association, representing 160 shares, $50.00 each; total par value, $8,000.00.

(9) Three (3) Promissory Notes of Masonic Temple Association, secured by Second Mortgage on Temple Building, as follows:

December 17, 1915,	$1,800.00
February 16, 1916,	500.00
February 18, 1920,	700.00
	$3,000.00

(10) Three (3) Promissory Notes of Masonic Temple Association for $1,000.00 each, drawn payable to the Masonic Widows & Orphans Home but purchased by and assigned to Lexington Lodge No. 1. Said Notes are dated Oct. 1,,1915, are due 11, 12, and 13 years after date, seriatim, and bear 6 % interest. Secured by First Mortgage on Temple Building. Total par value, $3,000.00.
Interest has been paid to Oct. 1, 1924.

(11) Mortgage to secure Notes named in items 9. ~~and 10.~~

(12) 1 Liberty Bond, 1st Loan, 44 coupons attached, par value, $100.00
1 Liberty Bond, 2d Loan, 34 coupons attached, par value, 50.00
$150.00

(13) Cash on deposit in Union Bank and Trust Company to credit of Trustees of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M., derived from cashing interest coupons on Liberty Loan Bonds and War Savings Stamps, as follows:

Carried over from 1924,.....	$1.34
May 18, 1925, interest on Bonds,.....	31.00
Sep 18, 1925, War Savings Stamps, ...	25.00
Jan 1926, interest on Bonds,.....	3.00
	$60.34

(14) Memorandum:
The three (3) Liberty Bonds, 4th Loan, for $100.00 each, that were included in the inventory for 1923, were cashed and the sum ($300.00) was added to the amount turned over to the Trustees by the Treasurer of the Lodge to make up the $3,000.00 necessary for the purchase of the 3 Promissory Notes referred to in item 10.

January 16, 1926.

C. J. Norwood, Chm
S. P. Easton
M. A. Moon

C. Frank Cramer
AUDITOR
FAYETTE COUNTY
LEXINGTON, KY

To the Master, Wardens and Brethren of Lexington Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.:-

We, your committee, appointed to examine the books of the Secretary and Treasurer beg leave to report as follows:

TREASURER
RECEIPTS

Bal. on hand Jan. 1st 1925 - Savings account	$ 886.00
" " " " " " Checking "	1056.74
Overpaid by J. W. Lancaster, Secretary 1925	13.00
Received for interest	63.77
Received from Secretary for Degrees	2200.00
" " " " Dues	4912.75
" " " " 1924 Dues	77.50
Total	9209.76

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid on orders 1925	$ 7374.45
Balance on hand Savings account Dec. 31st 1925	434.02
" " " Checking " " " "	1401.29
Total	9209.76

Total Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1925 $1835.31

SECRETARY
RECEIPTS.

Received for Dues 1925		$ 2200.00
" " Degrees 1925		4912.75
	Total	7112.75
overpaid to Treasurer		13.00
		7125.75
Paid to Treasurer		7125.75

COMMITTEE

J R Hughes

C F Cramer

"

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jan 26 1924
Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr M R B Hamlin Sr W
U H Skidmore Jr W Ray Stewart Sr D
C C Corbin Jr D O Pinkerton Tyler
Bros J R Hughes M. S. Moore
L R Drury

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called to pay last tribute of respect to Bro D W Ballinger who died in this City Jan 24th 1924.
The Lodge then proceed to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were buried with Masonic Ceremonies
Returning to the Lodge room Bros Natt Corbin C J Norwood and H M Hubbard were appointed a Committee on resolution
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster

Thos. Edmer Rix

Lexington Ky

Jan 30 1924

Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master R B Hawkins Sr W
J R Hughes Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
A Wilson Jr D A C Dyers Tyler
Bros E C Murphy

Lodge of M M opened in form

The Master stated that this meeting was called at the request of Daylight Lodge #740 of Louisville Ky to pay last tribute of respect to Bro D. T. Montgomery. Member of above Lodge who died in this City on Jan 28 1924.

The Lodge then proceeding to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were buried with Masonic Ceremonies Returning to the Lodge room and closed

Jno W Lancaster

Sec

Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Feby 1 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master V H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros H M Hubbard C F Cramer A Trabiat
J L Garrison R B Hawkins O H Merchant E L Chiles
J W D Elder W F Clark
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Weingartner Stewart The following petitions received
J A Weingartner for initiation refered to
Bros C J Norwood V V Terrell and J B Dicker
Thos S Stewart for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Maysville Lodge # 52 refered to
Bros B P Brown W M Yent and O H Merchant
Committee on petition of Ollie Bishop
reported. report received Comtee
discharged. ballot spread found
fair and he declared elected.
By motion the petitions of Frank
G Ott and Jno R Ott were withdrawn
they being residents of Florida
Bro C J Norwood acknowledged receipt
for Masonic Club dues for 1924
Request from Duvall Lodge # 52
requesting this Lodge to confer
E A degree on Howard Matthews
read and filed.
Letter from Mrs C W Shankland
thanking this Lodge for X Mas donation $25.00
Bill from U B & Tr Co Box rent to
Feb 24 1927 $5.50 passed and ordered paid
A Rising vote of thanks was tendered
the Committee for having Lodge room
painted Blue
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Over

Feb 1/24 Continued
E A Lodge opened
Bro Paul Bradley examined in E A
U G Rowlotham G B Werty
C. Bitterman with Howard Matthews
of Duvall Lodge #6 prepared
introduced and initiated as
E A Masons
E A Lodge
M M Lodge called to labor
Ballot spread upon the
application of Bro Paul Bradley
to receive F. C. degree found
fair and he declared elected,
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec
Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky Feb 15 1926
Stated Meeting

Present F E Rix Jr M V H Skidmore S W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D C Bryan Bailey Tyler
Bros Natt Corbin C F Cramer W C Heacox
J C Anderson R J Bayston Essie Dunton
R D Hawkins J W Mattingly E C Murphy
J W Coleman

Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions for initiation received,

Stevens C B Stephens referd to Bros C C Corbin J O Reynolds & J W Mattingly
Cox W R Cox " " W C Heacox, A D Stone & Bryan Bailey
Freeman R R Freeman " " E C Murphy J W Coleman & C F Cramer
Bart A R Bart " " N Corbin H M Hubbard & S J Ash Brook
Young D W Young " " Ray Stewart V H Skidmore & C C Corbin
Vanderpool For affiliation
Vanderpool W D Vanderpool and S G Vanderpool
accompanied by demits from Devoto
Lodge #160 Ky referred to Bros
H M Hubbard, J C Anderson, Essie Dunton and
H M Hubbard, Natt Corbin & Theo L Jones
Committee on petition of J W Gobeille
reported report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found
fair and he declared elected
Bro Sweeney reported sick
Communication from St Andrews
Lodge #18. Concerning Bro Vanhook
read and filed.
M M Lodge called to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bro E L Berry passed a creditable
examination in E A degree E A closed F C opened
Bro Paul Bradley together with Bro
E L Berry of Spring Hill Lodge #574 Ky
over

2-15-24 Cont^d
Prepared introduced and passed
to the degree of F. C. Mason W H Skipman presiding
F. C. Lodge closed
M. M. Lodge called from refreshment
to labor
No further business Lodge closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec
Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch 1 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master J R Hughes Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D Bryan Bailey Tyler
Bro D P Easton J W Woolery J J Clapton
J W Coleman E C Hawkins J W Coleman
A C Dyers R D Hawkins M S Moore
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Veatch The following petitions received
Moore G H Veatch for initiation referred to
Bro W C Hearn C C Corbin & J C Anderson
Stanley M Moore for initiation referred to
Bro H M Hubbard W A Metzger & Matt Corbin
Committee on petitions of T. S. Stewart
F. P. Lawrence & J A Weingartner reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and all
of the above declared elected
Bro Ward Hawley reported better
Bro Sweeney reported recovered
In case of Thomas Lawson reported
sick. Referred to Mason Bd of Relief
M. M. Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Bro John McMillan. A G Rowbotham
together with W A Burnett of Bell
Lodge # 491 examined in E A degree
ballot spread all elected
E. A. Lodge closed
M. M. Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Secretary stated that there were
quite a number of delinquents
who were notified to appear at
this meeting and show cause
why they should not be suspended
for non-payment of dues & assessment

The following was action taken by the Lodge.

Bro's J Will Appleton. F C Dobbett
C V Carter, H M Clay. T R Creech. F J Conn.
Jeff T Dunn. Geo E De Long. H D Easton
J C Farmer. C R Fagan. William Foster
Ben T Head. Jno R Jenkins. F B Jones
C H Kendall. N E Kyle. Baylor Landrum
D McH Lusk. R K Massie. C H Mahoney
R N Mitchell. A J Mountjoy. G W Ogilvie
C R Roberts. Geo C Roberts. H V Rouse Jr
J W Shaw. H M Stevens. T B Short
W H Sturgill. J P Tarbeck. R H Tacke
C F Turner. W S Webb. Emery Wells
J E Wilson. R G Wilmott. J P Wright
W H Windsor. F A Leonard. R Lee Porter &
G C Duckhart & Ellis Gooch
were suspended

Suspension

Bro's F A Crabb. W B Coleman. T H Fritz
H G Garner. J M Greer. R T Granaghan
A S Hendrick. E J Masterson. R A Rash
T C Ector granted further time
Bro's Brooks Dudley. J H Floore.
Ben Mahoney. J T Slade & B T Southgate
The Secretary was directed to remit
the dues and pay the W & O Home
assessment

No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster

Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Charter Arrested Mch 4th 1926

Mch 6th 1926
Charter of Lexington Lodge #1. F & A M
Arrested by order of G. A Holland G. M.
for non-payment of dues & assessments.
Released under Seal Mch 9th 1926

The Grand Lodge of Kentucky

F. & A. M.

No. 1922

$375.75/100

Louisville, Ky. MAR 9 1926 192

Received of Lexington Lodge No 1

Three hundred & seventy-five 75/100 DOLLARS

For Balance in full. & Roll in

This cancels Order of Arrest.

Fred L. Hardwick

GRAND SECRETARY

MASONIC HOME JOURNAL PRINT

ARREST OF THE CHARTER

of

Lexington *Lodge No.* 1

To Whom It May Concern:

WHEREAS, The Constitution of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky F. & A. M., in conformity with Sections 147, 148, 149 and 155, also Regulation 20, requires that a regular Return shall be made and forwarded to the Grand Secretary by every Lodge within the jurisdiction of said Grand Lodge not later than September 3rd, annually, and that the dues and assessments owing by each Lodge in accordance with the laws of said Grand Lodge shall be paid to said Grand Secretary on or before September 28th, and either on failure to forward the annual Return, or in default of payment as aforesaid, a fine of five dollars shall be charged to such delinquent Lodge; and in case all indebtedness shall not be paid by January 1, next thereafter, the Grand Master shall forthwith arrest its charter.

And WHEREAS Lexington Lodge No. 1

located at Lexington Kentucky, has failed to pay its indebtedness in full (fine);

Now, Therefore, in consequence of the aforesaid failure of said Lexington Lodge to comply with the Constitution and Laws hereinbefore referred to, and in exercise of the power and duties devolving upon me as the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, aforesaid, *I hereby* ARREST THE CHARTER OF SAID Lexington LODGE No. 1 AND DECLARE SAID LODGE TO BE DEFUNCT FROM THIS DATE.

In conformity with Sections 208 and 209 of the Constitution of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky, the last Master, Treasurer and Secretary of said defunct lodge are required to immediately make an inventory of *all the property of every description* that belonged to said lodge at this date, certify thereto and transmit such inventory to the Grand Secretary of Said Grand Lodge, under penalty for failing so to do.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness my hand and official seal as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, and the attestation of the Grand Secretary thereof, under the seal of said Grand Lodge, this 6th day of March 1926

J. Alison Holland

Grand Master.

Attest:

Fred W. Hardwick

Grand Secretary.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch. 15 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W R B Hawkins Sr D
J W Mattingly J D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro N Corbin J J Clapton D. P. Eastin
H M Hubbard L G Stroder A Tralist W. D. Iler.
J W Coleman Jr G Allison Holland J T Denton
Lodge of M M opened in form
Young Minutes read and approved
Burnett The following petitions received
Pet rec R A Young for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Winchester Lodge #20 referred
to Bro Nat Corbin J T Kincaid H M Hubbard
W A Burnett for affiliation accompanied by
demit from Bell Lodge #491 referred
to Bro Elmer Murphy J W Coleman & Ray Stewart
Committee on petitions of W D Vanderpool
W R Cox. R R Freeman & D W Young reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and all declared
elected
Bro Havely improving
Roger Thompson of Georgetown Lodge
Bishop reported sick at St Joseph Hospital
Tobeille The action of suspending members
Weingartner at last meeting was recinded by
Young the Lodge and all that were suspended
Cox were given until June 15th to pay
E.A. M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
O. B. Bishop J W Tobeille J A Weingartner
D W Young and W R Cox prepared introduced
and initiated as E. A. Mason.
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called on and closed
Jno W Lancaster Sec

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch 14 1826

Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W D Eler Sr W
C C Corbin Jr W Elmer Murphy Sr D
E Bryant Jr D N M Corbin Tyler
Dr Prater Chaplain

Reynolds - Funeral

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called at the request of Hiram Lodge # 4 of Ky to pay last tribute of respect to Bro Charles O Reynolds of that Lodge
The Lodge proceed to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were intered with Masonic honors
Returning to the Lodge room the Lodge was closed in form
Jno W Lancaster

Sig
Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch 24 1924
Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master J R Hughes Sr W
R B Hawkins Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
W D Iler Jr D W D Vanderpool Tyler
Bro A C Byers

Lodge op. M. M. opened in form.
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro F E Driver who died in this City on Mch 22d
The Lodge then proceed to Winchester Ky when the remains of Bro Driver were buried with Masonic Ceremonies
Bro W D Iler J R Hughes & R B Hawkins appointed a committee on resolutions
Returning to the Lodge room and closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

F E Driver
Funeral

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
April 4 1924

Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W J W Mattingly Sec
E C Murphy J T Kincaid Chaplin
~~J W Mattingly~~ Jr D A E Wilson Tyler
Bro W D Iler A Traliot W T Jordon

Beatty Funeral

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called at the request of Columbia Lodge # 14. of Boulder Colo requesting this Lodge to perform last sad rites over the remains of Bro Leon Beatty member of that Lodge.
The Lodge then proceed to the Lexington Cemetery whe the remains of Bro Beatty were buried with Masonic honors
Returning to Lodge room and closed in due form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec
Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A. M.
Lexington Ky
April 5 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix J Master U H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W W C Heacox Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro^s G A Holland A Sealiot D M Lowe
J W Coleman E C Murphy W D Eler
Natt Corbin Walter Faulkner H M Hubbard
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Pugh Hayward N Pugh for inia referred to
Hollinger Bro^s J W Mattingly W C Heacox Bryan Bailey
Loving J C Hollinger for inia referred to
Irvin Bro^s J W Mattingly W C Heacox & Bryan Bailey
Varillas E P Loving for inia referred to
Strain Bro^s J W Mattingly W C Heacox & Bryan Bailey,
Petrend C R Givens for affilliation accompanied
by demit from East Gate Lodge # 480 Tenn referred
to Bro^s W R Clinkenbeard H C King J L Newly
Geo L Varillas for inia referred to
Bro^s H M Hubbard Natt Corbin J T Kincaid
J V Strain for affiliation inia referred to
Bro^s J W Coleman C G Sageser J W Mattingly
and accompanied by demit from
Campbellton Lodge # 225 Miss
Committee on petitions of S G Vanderpool
A R Bart. S M Moore G H Veatch & C B Steven
reported report received. Comt^n
discharged ballot spread found fair
and all declared elected
Secretary reported that Bro J H Floore
died at Old Masons Home Mch 28 1924
Bro Natt Corbin reported that the
Lexington Board of Relief was fully
Organized and officers elected. By motion

it was ordered that an order
for $200.00 be drawn for the Board
of relief
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bro Geo Wertz examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bros Paul Bradley C C Antrobus together
with E L Berry of Spring Hill Lodge
#57 Ky examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application
of Geo Wertz to receive F C degree
found fair and he declared elected
Ballot also spread upon the application
of Paul Bradley, C C Antrobus and
E L Berry of #57. found fair and
all declared elected to receive M M
A Committee consisting of Bros
J W Coleman Jr J W Mattingley and
Ray Stewart appointed to arrange
for social session
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
April 10. 1924
Call meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master Ray Stewart Sr W
V H Skidmore Jr W G A Fallis S D.
J W Mattingly Jr D Chap
J E Gordon Tyler
Bros A Traliat B P Brown W D Fler

Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro Howard C. King who died in this City April 7th 1924 the Lodge then proceed to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains of Bro Wilson was buried with Masonic Ceremonies returning to the Temple Bros Guy T Johnson J T Kincaid & H M Hubbard were appointed a committee on resolutions
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Thos. Elmer Rix
Master

King
Funeral

Lexington Lodge No. 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Apl 19 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master U H S Kidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W W C Heacy Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro G A Holland W J Cardwell J W Coleman
C C Corbin M S Moore W Randerson J W Coleman Jr
W D Eler D P Eastin R T Granaghan Guy T Johnson
F C Foxworth
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Denniston K K Denniston for initiation referred to
O'Neal Bro J C Anderson C D Darby W C Heacy
Ward Geo O'Neal for initiation referred to
Pet recd Bro Fred Bryant J W Mattingly & J S Garrison
H A Ward for initiation referred to
Bro S V Terrell R D Hawkins & C J Norwood
Committee on petition of R. A. Young
reported report received Comptr
discharged ballot spread found fair
and he declared elected
Committee on resolutions of Bro
H C King reported and filed
Bart Objections to the advancement in
Moore Masonry of J. W. Gobeille was announced
Veach by the Master.
Stevens M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Freeman Lodge of E A opened
E A A R Bart. S M Moore G H Veach C D Stevens
and R R Freeman prepared introduced
and initiated as E. A. Masons
Bro J A Weingartner examined on E. A. degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application of J A Weingartner
to receive F C degree found fair and he declared elected
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster T. Elmer Rix Jr. M.

Objections to J W Gobeille advancing further

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 3 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Reix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W R E Anderson Sr D
R B Hawkins Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros Natt Corbin H M Hubbard D P Easton
W Faulkner C C Corbin W D Eler M S Moore
J T Denton F M Green T R Skidmore
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Wilson W M Wilson for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Breathitt Lodge #449 ref'd
to Bros J W Throckmorton E J Teed & W M Yent
Committee on petition W A Burnett
an E A Mason reported report received
Comtee discharged ballot spread found
fair and he declared elected
The resignation of Bro J J Clapton
as Chaplain was accepted
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bros G H Veach C E Harris & J D Foster
examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
Thorpe M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Bradley Bros W W Thorpe G P Bradley C C
Antrobus Antrobus together with E L Berry
(Berry) of Spring Hill Lodge #574 Ky prepared
M M introduced and Raised to the
Sublime degree of Master Masons
Ballot spread upon the application
of G H Veach, C E Harris J D Foster to
receive F C degree found fair and they
declared elected. Call meeting for May 5th for F C
By motion additional lights ordered bought
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
May 5 1924

Call Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W D Flex Sr W
A C Kearns Jr W D P Easton Sr D
H. Blount Jr D A Tralint Tyler
Bros

Lodge of F C opened in form
The Master stated that this
Meeting was called for the
purpose of confering F. C.
degree on several Candidates
Bros J A Weingartner G B Wertz
and John McMillan prepared
introduced and Passed to the
degree of F. C. Masons
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Secy
T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M

Weingartner
Wertz
McMillan
F C

Lexington Lodge # 1. F & A. M.
Lexington Ky
May 17 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T. G. Rex Jr Master Natt Corbin Sr W
Roy Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J G Gordon Tyler
Bro W C Heacock F C Foxworth A D Stone
A Tralist H M Hubbard R D Hamilton
J W Coleman M S Moore G A Knight
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Committee on petitions of C R
Givens. H A Ward, E P Loving. F C
Hollinger. H N Pugh. K. K. Denniston &
G L Varillas reported report received
Committee discharged ballot spread found
fair in case C R Givens H A Ward E P
Loving F C Hollinger H N Pugh & K K Denniston
and they declared elected in case of
G L Varillas the ballot was dark and he
declared rejected
Bro C W Shanklang still sick
request from Compass Lodge # 220 requesting
this Lodge to assist Bro J L Wanless
in his masonic work. read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to
refreshment.

Loving F. C. Lodge opened
Pugh Bro J A Weingartner examined in F C degree
E A F C Lodge closed
E A Lodge opened
E P Loving and H N Pugh prepared
introduced and initiated as E A
Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment
to labor
ballot spread upon the application

Over

5-17-24 Cont'd
J A Weingartner to receive
M M degree found fair and
he declared
ballot also spread upon the
application R R Freeman and
S M Moore to receive F C
degree found fair and they
declared elected
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec
T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge #1 F R A M
Lexington Ky
June 7 1924

Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Master J W Coleman Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W J W Mattingly Sr D
R B Hawkins Jr D Elmer Bryant Tyler
Bros W H Duncan C C Corbin W D
Elev J L Long C R Davidson D M Lowe
D P Easton ~~R B Hawkins~~ Elmer Murphy
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Leer Buckley for initiation referred to
Bros J R Hughes R O Goad C R Davidson
Aug N May for initiation referred to
Bros C J Norwood R D Hawkins D V Terrell
Jas P Parker for initiation referred to
Bros H M Hubbard C F Cramer J W Mattingly
Nilson S Tate for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Proctor Lodge #213 referred to
Bros C R Davidson Elmer Bryant J S Garrison
James E Rush for initiation referred to
Bros C J Norwood R D Hawkins D V Terrell
R M Guthrie for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Allen Lodge #24 referred
to Bros T E Rix M W Sullivan & J W Mattingly
F B J Rix for initiation referred to
Bros C C Corbin W A Metzger J C Anderson
Request from Vienna Lodge #448
to confer E A degree on Lemuel
Atchison read and filed
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
H A Ward and K K Dennison prepared
introduced and initiated as E A
Masons
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor

Ward Dennison E A

Gus O Rogers put for initiation received and referred to Bros C C Corbin Ray Stewart E C Murphy

June 7/24 cont'd
& C degree for next regular
Meeting
no further business Lodge
closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr.
W.

Lexington Lodge No 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
June 21 1926

Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Master V H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros C J Norwood A D Gillespie Natt Corbin
D P Easton H M Hubbard W D Eler R E Anderson
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Link Pet Rec The following petitions received
Harold F Link for affiliation accompanied
by demit from Alexandria Lodge #152 Ky refd
to Bros C J Norwood R D Hawkins & W E Freeman
Bro Shanklan quite sick

Ballot was spread and the action
of Mch 1st in the in the suspension
of the following members was ratified
J W Appleton. C V Carter F C Dobbets H M Clay
F J Conn. J C Farmer. C R Fagen Wm Foster
D B Head. F D Jones. Baylor Landrum D M H Lusk
R K Massie. C A Mahoney A J Mountjoy
C R Roberts. H V Rouse Jr J W Shaw H M Stevens
T B Short W H Stuyvesant. W S Webb J E Wilson
R T Wilmot. W H Windsor F A Leonard
R Lee Porter T C Duchert. and all declared
suspended

Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment

Rowbotham Lodge of F C opened
Moore Bros A C Rowbotham, S M Moore and
Burnett W A Burnett of Bell Lodge #291 of Ky
F C prepared introduced and passed
to the degree of F. C. Masons.
F. C. Lodge closed.
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Old entertainment committee discharged and
a new committee consisting of Bros

over

June 21/24 Contd
Ray Stuart & C Murphy and J W
Mattingly were appointed
There being no further business
Lodge closed in form
Jno W Lancaster

Sec
J. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
July 5. 1924
Stated Meeting

Present W D Iler Master T L Jones Sr W
E C Murphy Jr W A Traliot Sr D
C J Norwood Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros D P Easton B P Brown Ray Stewart
J E Cassidy
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Wilkie Petitions as follows received
Petrd W E Wilkie for affiliation, accompanied
by demit from Mt Sterling Lodge #23. referred to
Bros E C Murphy C J Norwood & A Traliot
Committees on Petitions of Leer Buckley
N S Tate F B J Rix J E Rush A N May R M Guthrie
and J P Parker reported. report received
Committee discharged ballot spread
found fair and all of the above declared
elected
There being no further business
Lodge closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

G. Elmer Rix Jr
M.

153

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
July 19 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master D P Eastin Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro D P Eastin A Fraliot B P Brown
C J Norwood W D Pler W C Heacox
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Entertainment Committee report
Progress
M M Lodge called from labor to
refreshment
Lodge of E A opened
Buckley Leer Buckley. A N May J P Parker
Parker F B J Rix and C J Coons prepared
Rix introduced and initiated as
May E A Masons
Coons E A Lodge closed
E.A. M M Lodge called from refreshment
to labor.
Committee on petition of T O.
Rogers, reported report read
Committee discharged ballot spread
found fair and he declared
elected.
No further business Lodge closed
Jas W Lancaster
Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge #1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 2 1924
Stated Meeting

Present W H Skidmore Master Natt Corbin Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros G A Holland W D Eler H M Hubbard
C J Norwood J H Bowman A H Byers
B P Brown Chester Corbin
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Sanders Petitions rec'd as follows
Pet rec'd Robt Leighton Sanders for E A degree referred to Bro E C Murphy Ray Stewart & W D Eler
Committee on petitions of Geo O'Neal and H F Link reported. report received
Committee discharged ballot spread found fair and each declared elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Rush E A Lodge opened
E.A. J. E. Rush prepared introduced and initiated as an E A Mason
Bros H N Pugh and E. P. Loving examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications of E P Loving and H N Pugh to receive F C degree found fair and they declared elected
Jno W Lancaster Jno G Cramer & W D Eler appointed Committee on resolutions in respect to the wife of Bro F L Smith
No further business Lodge closed in form
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

J. Elmer Rix Jr - m.

155

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 14 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Ray S Stewart Jr W W D Eler Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro C Calagin C A Baker D P Easton J R Hughes
A C Dyers Natt Corbin J H Cavins T A Holland
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Committee on petition of
W E Wilkie reported report
received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and
he declared elected
Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened G O Rogers
Geo O'Neil together with L Atchison
of Vienna Lodge # 448 prepared
introduced and initiated as
E A Mason
E A Lodge closed F C Lodge opened G D Wertz F C examined in F C degree closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Bro N Corbin moved that a committee
be appointed to arrange a reception
in honor of the Grand Master of the State. G Allison Holland
Bros N Corbin D P Easton W J Cardwell Ray S Stewart & T E Rix Jr
appointed on above committee
Ballot spread upon the application of G D Wertz
to receive M M degree found fair and he
declared elected
In the Matter of Bro Carroll Power suspended in
1903 Sec directed to receive his application for
reinstatement upon the payment of $10.00
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Rogers
O'Neil
Atchison
E A.

Lexington Lodge # 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug 24 1926

Call meeting

Lodge of M M opened in form

The Master stated that this meeting had been called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro R M Short of Etawah Lodge #428. F & A M of Etawa Tenn

The Lodge then proceed to the Cemetery where the remains were buried with Masonic honors.

Returning to the Temple Lodge closed in form

Jno W Lancaster
Sec

J. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Aug. 30 1924
Call meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master U H Skedmore S W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D. J E Gordon Tyler
Bros D P Eastin A Traliot
W D Iler W C Heacox T Ward Havely
Lodge of F.C. opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the conference of F C degree
Bros E P Loving H N Pugh and G H Veach prepared introduced and passed to the degree of Fellow Craft Masons
F C Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

T. E. Rix Jr.
M.

Corner Stone College of Engineering Building
State College Sept 2nd 1924
Lexington Ky

The exercises were in Charge of Chas J Norwood

T Allison Holland	Gr Master
C J Norwood	Dept " "
Elmer T Rix Jr	Gr Sr Warden
Jno T Kincaid	" Jr "
W D Fler	" Treas
Jno W Lancaster	" Secretary
W E Freeman	" Marshall
Rev J W Porter	" Chaplain
L K Frankel	" Architect

The equipment for the Building was presented by E W Wendt Pres't of the Buffalo Forge Co to Cost $30.000.00

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept 6 1926
Stated meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master U H Skidmore Sr W
J W Coleman Jr Jr W R B Hawkins Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros Natt Corbin C J Norwood
D P Eastin C Caragis H S Long
G Allison Holland W D Sler D P Proctor
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Following petitions received
Wm N Lipscomb for affiliation
accompanied by demit from Mt Vernon
Lodge # 14 referred to
Bros Redmon C C Gan & C W Curry
Committee on petition of
R L Sanders reported report
received committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and he
declared elected.
Reception Committee reported
that they had made all arrangements
to hold the reception on thursday
Sept 16th in honor of our Grand
Master G Allison Holland and
other Grand Lodge Officers

Rush & Coons M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Examined E.A. Bros J E Rush and C J Coons examined
in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the ~~application~~ proficiency of J E Rush
and C J Coons to receive F C degree found dark
and they granted further time
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge # 1. F & A M
Lexington Ky
Sept. 20 1924
Stated Meeting

Present Natt Corbin Master J W Mattingly S W
Ray Stewart Jr W J H Bowman Sr D
E C Murphy Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro G A Holland C J Norwood D P Easton
W J Cardwell W C Heacox C F Cramer
Lodge of M M opened in form
Goad Minutes read and approved
Byron The following petitions received
Pet Ernest E Goad for initiation referred
rec'd to Bro J S Garrison R B Hawkins & J W Mattingly.
F. L. Byron for affiliation accompanied
by dimit Mt Vernon Lodge # 14 Ky referred
to Bro J W Lancaster J W Mattingly & Ray Stewart
The Committee on petition of
J V Strain which was received
last april having failed to
report a new Committee consisting
of Bro J E Gordon E C Murphy & C C Corbin
were appointed to report at
next meeting
By motion the action in case of
Bro Rush & Coons in requiring further
time on their examination was recinded
By motion Bro Rush was declared
proficient and Bro Coons also
declared proficient
By motion Lexington Lodge No 1
was directed to pay expense of
~~Bro W Lancaster~~ by
to meeting of Grand Lodge in Oct
Reception Committee reported
that they had performed their
duty and that the Reception to
The Grand Master was successfully
conducted and that the
expense would amount to $244.90

Sept 20th Cont'd

Loving + Pugh Ex E A

M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Bros Loving and Pugh examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Bros Leer Buckley and F B J Rix examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications of Leer Buckley and Frank Rix to receive F C degree found fair and they declared elected,
Ballot also spread upon the application of Bros Loving and Pugh to receive M M degree found fair and they declared elected.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr.

Grand Master A. E. Orton
Dawson Springs

S. W. G. A. Holland

G. Jr W C. S. Rankin
Newport.

G. S. W. Sec J. W. Hardwick

~~Past Gr. M. Will Ward Duffield~~
Harlin

Gr. H. Priest A. Gordon Sulser
Maysville

Bearer A. R. Kimmerling
Sec Miller D. Cox

Dep Gr. Master W. C. Black
Gr Council of Key
Barbourville

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Oct 4 1924
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Master V H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro H M Hubbard Natt Corbin C Calagis
J R Hughes W C Heacox C J Norwood
M S Moore W Allen
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Willy G S Willey for initiation referred to
Power Bro C J Norwood J B Dicker D V Terrell
Allen Carroll Power for reinstatement, ref'd
Petrie to Bro Natt Corbin H M Hubbard J W Mattingly
W F Allen for initiation referred to
Bro J W Mattingly C C Corbin & Ray Stewart
Committee on petition W M Lipscomb
Lipscomb reported report received Comm'ee
Coons discharged Ballot spread found
Rush fair and he declared elected
O'Neil Ballot also spread upon the appli-
Eler cation of C J Coons and J E Rush
to receive F C degree found
fair and each declared elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened
Geo O'Neal examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed
F C Lodge opened
Ballot spread upon the application
of Geo O'Neal to receive F C degree
found fair and he declared elected
Moore Bro Henry Moore examined in
F C F. C. degree
Bro Geo O'Neil J E Rush and
O'Neil Rush & Rix F B J Rix prepared introduced
F C

Oct 4 1926
and passed to the degree
of F. C. Masons
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment
to labor

Moore Elec MM — Ballot spread upon the
application of Bro Stanley M. Moore
to receive M.M. degree found
fair and he declared elected
By motion a committee were
appointed to look after fur-
nishing ice water at reg-
ular meetings
By motion a committee was
appointed to draft by-laws
for changing sect. 33 - in place of new by law — for this Lodge Bros W D Elec
D P Eastin and G Allison Holland
were appointed on above
Committee
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky

Oct 18-1926

Stated Meeting

officers Present W. H. Skidmore master — Ray Stuart S. W.
J. W. Coleman. J. W. — Elmer Murphy. S. D.
W. D. Iler. J. D. — J. E. Gordon tyler

members Present Bros — Jos C. Anderson — Roy E. Anderson — L. A. Pardue — T. F. Shannon — H. L. Morton — R. J. Granigham
W. F. Jordan — B. F. Buckley Jr — L. S. Cox —
J. C. Armstrong — Paul Brodley — Om Andrews —
J. W. Mattingly and others —
Lodge open in form at 7.30 P.M.
Minute read and approved —

Pettitions The following Pettitions presented
E. R. Walz — Refer to Bros. R. Granigham, ~~Elmer~~
Murphy and W. F. Jordan { Pettition of B. Bryant — Mattingly Chairmen Comm
Pettion of James Blythe Anderson Refer to Bros.
J. W. Coleman — R. E. Anderson — Ray Stuart —
Pettition of John Melvin Wallace — Refer to
Bros. W. D. Iler — E. Murphy — J. W. Mattingly

Pettitions acted on The petitions of Mrs J. B. Strain — Frank Lacy Byrn
and W. M. Wilson — where balloted on And all
three where elected to membership
in this lodge

M. M. Lodge ~~Close~~ Call Lodge of M. M. Called from labor to Refreshment
for the purpose of opening a lodge of E. A —
Lodg of E. A. open — Bros. Harry A. Ward and
J. O. Rogers examined in the E. A. degree — ballot
spred and they where elected to Receive the follow-
Craft degree in this lodge — Mr R. L. Sanders been

E A degree in waiting he was duly prepared presented
and Received the entered apprentice degree

Sanders E. A. E. A Lodge Close — M. M. Lodge called from refreshment
To Labor — Bro Tevis Wilkeson was appointed
Assistant treasurer during the absence of Bro D. P. Easter
W. Master order Sec. to send flowers to Mrs Corbin (Mother of
C. C. Corbin) Communication from Bro. C. J. Norwood and Mrs
Norwood read and filled been no further Business the Lodg close at 9.30
A. Trahot
Sec. P.T.

Past Masters Night
Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov. 1 1926
Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master U H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mallingly Jr D W C Heacox Sr St
Jr St J E Gordon Tyler
Quite a large number of brothers
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions
Gullett L B Gullett for initiation referred to
Huffaker Bro R O Toad Elmer Murphy & T W Havely
Proctor J H Huffaker for initiation referred to
Schick Bro C G Sagers E M Sagers & Byron Jones
E T Proctor for affiliation accompanied
by demit Plain City Lodge 449 referred to
Bro J B Davis J R Hughes & W J Cardwell
B W Schick for initiation referred to
Bro
Committee on petitions of C Powers
W F Allen. E E Toad G S Willey
reported. report received Committee
discharged ballot spread found fair
and all of the above declared elected
Bro Samuel P Cochran Past Grand
Master of Texas. Chairman of the Shrine
Trustees of the Crippled Childrens
Hospital of Kentucky who gave
$5.000. to that great work. was
present. and made a talk. also
Bro J Cecil Jones Sec to Bro Cochran
was heard from
Bro T. Allison Holland Past T Master
of Kentucky and others made short
talks.
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment

11/1-24 continued
Lodge of F C opened
Bros W A Burnett. U G Rowbotham
Guy H Veach. C Finney F B J Rix
and J E Rush examined in F C
degree
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the applications
of W A Burnett U G Rowbotham G H
Veach. C Finney F B J Rix and J E Rush
to receive M M degree found fair
and all of the above declared elected
The different stations were then
filled with following Past Masters

Natt Corbin	Master
C Frank Cramer	Sr Warden
C J Norwood	Jr "
J T Kincaid	Sr Deacon
M S Moore	Jr "

assisted by Bros V M Moore R D Hawkins
Jno G Cramer J Bruce Davis and
Chester D Adams.

Moore
Loving
Pugh
Wertz
Burnett
Rowbotham
Veach
Finney
Rix
Rush
M M

The following brothers were prepared
introduced and Raised to the sublime
degree of Master Masons
S M Moore E P Loving H N Pugh
G B Wertz. W A Burnett U G Rowbotham
G H Veach C Finney F B J Rix and
J E Rush
Bro F F Rosser asked for and was
granted his demit from Lexington
Lodge #1.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster

T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Nov 15, 1924

Stated Meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Natt Corbin Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mallingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro G Allison Holland Natt Corbin C D Matheus
W D Glen W A Burnett S M Moore G B Wertz
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Rhodes Petitions as follows received,
Mauser T D Rhodes for affiliation accompanied
Pet rec by demit from Monroe Lodge #22. Ind referred
to Bro H G Henning Dr Redmon & F Moberly
K E Mauser for initiation referred
to Bro F D Rex J W Webb & Stanley Moore
Committee on petitions of J D Anderson
and E R Waltz reported. report received
Committee discharged ballot spread
fair and each of the above declared
elected
Bro Corbin reported Bro J T Slade
and C W Shankland very much in
need of assistance
By motion Secretary directed to write
for necessary papers in regard to
getting Bro Shankland and Slade
in Old Masons Home

Ward M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Rogers Lodge of F. C. opened
F C Bros H A Ward and G O Rogers prepared
introduced and Passed to the degree of F. C.
F. C. Lodge closed.
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
and closed in due form
pro w Lancaster

Secy T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F. & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec. 4 1924

Stated Meeting

Present T E Rex J Master S H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros G D Wurtz W D Eler J E Cassidy W E Gay
J J Willey Natt Corbin E C Murphy W C Heacox
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received

Waples — T E Waples for affiliation accompanied by
Bruner — demit from Oil Springs Lodge # 841 Ky referred to
Bullock — Bros C C Corbin G A Knight & J W Mattingly
Petrol — L R Bruner for affiliation accompanied by
demit from Owensboro Lodge # 130 Ky referred to
Bros Natt Corbin H M Hubbard & J B Davis
Robt D Bullock for affiliation accompanied by
demit from Col Clay Lodge # 159 Ky referred to
Bros W J Cardwell J R Hughes & H F Wilkinson
Committee on petitions of J H Huffaker L B Bullett
E T Proctor & B W Schirk reported report
received Comm^tee discharged ballot spread
found favorable all the above declared elected
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
E A Lodge opened

Goad — E E Goad G S Willey W F Allen E R Waltz
Willey — J B Anderson & J H Huffaker prepared
Allen — introduced and iniatated as E A Mason
Waltz — Bros R L Sanders A R Bart and
Anderson — Theo Prahl of Utica Lodge # 47 of N Y
Huffaker — examined in E A degree.
E A — E A Lodge closed
" — F C Lodge opened Bros Sanders Bart & Prahl of # 47 N Y elected
Sanders — Bros R L Sanders A R Bart and Theo
Bart — Prahl of Utica Lodge # 47 N Y
Prahl — prepared introduced on past
F. C. — to the degree of F C Masons

12-4-24 Continued
F C Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
By motion it was ordered that Five dollars each be sent to W & O Home and Old Masons for X Mas presents
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Ky
Dec 18 1926
Call meeting
Present T E Rix Jr Master R S Stewart Sr W
R B Kaufman Jr W
Essie Dunton Sec J N Gay Jr D
J R Hughes Chaplain
Lodge of M M opened in form
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last tribute of respect to Bro Past Master C W Shankland who died in this City on Dec 14 1926
The Lodge then proceed to the residence where the funeral was held thence to Carlise Ky where the remains was buried with Masonic Ceremonies
Returning to the Lodge room Bros Natt Corbin H M Hubbard W D Lee were appointed a committee to draft suitable resolutions. Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr. M.

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Dec 20 1926

Stated meeting

Present T E Rix Jr Master W H Skidmore Sr W
Ray Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
E C Murphy Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros T A Holland W M Watson W M Bayrom
A Traliot G W Coleman W C Heacox C Bailey
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The following petitions received
Crockett L E Crockett for degrees. referred to
Mountford Bros Ray Stewart R P Hawkins W C Heacox
Greenfield Fred A Mountford for initiation referred to
Petrend Bros C W Curry T H Mayhew Henry Hubbard
W J Greenfield for initiation referred to
Bros R E Anderson T E Rix Jr & L C Redmon
Committee on petitions of T D Rodes
and R E Maurer reported report
received Committee discharged ballot
spread found fair and each of the above
declared elected.
Secretary stated that the Grand Master
of Maryland had objected to conferring
F C degree on Bro Carrol Power and
E A Member of Lexington Lodge # 1.
and that he had requested a withdrawal of the request.
A Vote of thanks was extended
Bro Jno B Dicker for handsome
walnut squares
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Lodge of F C opened
Bros G O Rogers. R L Sanders and
Theo Trahl of Utica Lodge # 47 N Y
examined in F C degree
F C Lodge closed

Dec 20/24 Cont'd
MM Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application
of Geo O Rogers, R L Sanders and Theo
Rogers Frahl of Utica Lodge #47 N Y. found Jan
Frahl each declared proficient
MM Bro G O Rogers [illegible] and Theo
Frahl of Utica Lodge prepared
introduced an Raised to the sublime
degree of Master Masons
Bro Secretary granted a 40 days leave of
absence.
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster

Secy
T. Elmer Rix Jr.
M.

Annual Election
Lexington Lodge No 1 F. & A. M.
Lexington Ky
Dec 27 1924

Present T E Rix Jr Master U H Skidmore Sr W
Ray S Stewart Jr W C C Corbin Sr D
J W Mattingly Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro G A Holland W J Cardwell J H Crane
C F Cramer M S Moore A L Henry W C
Heacox C J Norwood W D Elm F L Juett J A Gray
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
The annual Election of Officers
to serve for the ensuing term resulted
as follows

U H Skidmore	Master
Ray H Stewart	Sr W
C C Corbin	J W
C F Cramer	Treas
Jno W Lancaster	Secretary
J E Gordon	Tyler
W J Cardwell	Director M T Ass'n
J R Hughes & Elmer Bryant	Governors Mas Club

Appointed officers

J W Mattingly	Sr Deacon
W C Heacox	Jr Deacon
E C Murphy & Frank Rix	Stewards
C J Norwood Natt Corbin	Trustees
E S Dummit & Henry Jeffers	Auditing Comtee

All of the above being present were
regularly installed by Past Master
C. J. Norwood
By motion Bro W J Cardwell was elected
Director of the Masonic Temple association
with the understanding that he as soon
as possible make a financial statement
of the present condition of the M. T. Ass'n
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster Sec

T. Elmer Rix Jr

Lexington Lodge #1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Jan 3 1927
Stated Meeting

Present — V H Skidmore Master Ray Stewart S W
C C Corbin J W J W Mattingly S D
W C Heacox J D J E Gordon Tyler
Bro Natt Corbin J E Cassidy W + Clark
Walter Faulkner M S Moore W D Tler
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Pet Rec'd — The following petitions received
Adair — N C Adair for affiliation accompanied
Kappa — by demit from Hiram Lodge #18
Ohio referred to
Bros W C Heacox J W Mattingly + Ray Stewart

H S Long — A E Kappa for degrees referred to
Lecturer — Bro Ray Stewart J W Mattingly + W C Heacox
Bro H S Long appointed official
Waples — Lecturer for Lexington Lodge #1.
Bullock — Committee on petitions T E Waples
Elected — and R E Bullock reported
report received Committee discharged
ballot spread found fair and each
of the above decl and elected
Bro J A Gray appointed Chaplain
of Lexington Lodge #1.

Schick — Lodge of M M called from labor to refreshment
Mauser — Lodge of E A opened
E A — Bro J B Anderson examined in
E A degree
B W Schick and K E Mauser prepared
introduced and initiated as E A
Masons. E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor
Ballot spread upon the application
of J B Anderson to receive F C degree and elected
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster Sec

V. H. Skidmore
master

Lexington Lodge # 1 - F. & A. M.
Lexington, Ky.
Jan. 16th 1927
Called Meeting

Present J. E. Rix, Jr., Master.
J. W. Mattingly, S. W.
V. H. Skidmore, J. W.
E. C. Murphy, S. D.
J. B. Hughes, Tyler.

Lodge of M. M. opened in form.
Meeting called for the purpose of paying last respects to Brother Milton V. Barlow a late resident of the Indiana Masonic Home, Franklin, Indiana.
The body of Bro. Barlow arrived in Lexington at 5:30 P. M. Saturday Jan. 15th 1927 and was looked after by Brother John G. Cramer who had it sent to the Funeral Home of Chas. A. Baker on South Limestone Street. Brother Cramer immediately got in touch with Worshipful Master V. H. Skidmore who made arrangements for a Masonic Funeral.
Brother Barlow was laid away with appropriate Masonic Ceremonies in the Lexington Cemetery after which the Brethren returned to the Lodge Room at which time a Committee to draft resolutions was appointed. Brother John G. Cramer & Chas A. Knight were appointed to adopt suitable resolutions. Lodge then closed.

John G. Cramer
Secy.

V. H. Skidmore
Master

Lexington Lodge No. 1 - F. & A. M.
Lexington, Ky. —
Jan. 17 - 1927.

Stated Meeting

Present.	V. H. Skidmore,	Master
	Ray Stewart,	S. W.
	C. C. Corbin,	J. W.
	J. W. Mattingly,	J. D.
	W. C. Steacox,	J. D.
	A. E. Wilson,	Tyler

Minutes, read & approved — Lodge of M. M. opened in form

Petitions Received

George W. York for degrees	Referred to Eldon Dummitt - Nat Corbin & R E Anderson
R. McD. Perrin for Degrees	Referred to R E Anderson - C. C. Corbin & J W Mattingly
Earl H. Payne for Degrees	Referred to J. W. Coleman, Jr. J. R. Hughes & E. C. Murphy
C. W. Crum for Degrees	Referred to Ray Walker F. L. Carter & W. D. Iler
Nathan M. Corbin By Demit from Unity Lodge #478 Ludlow, Ky.	Referred to T. E. Rix, Jr. - Frank Rix & Ray Stewart

Petitions Acted Upon

L. E. Crockett	Committee on petition of L. E. Crockett Reported. Report Received, Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected
W J Greenfield	Committee on petition of W. J. Greenfield Reported. Report Received. Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected.
Fred A. Mountford	Committee on petition of Fred A. Mountford Reported. Report Received, Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected
L. R. Bruner	Committee on petition of L. R. Bruner Reported. Report Received, Ballot spread found Dark & he declared Rejected

Motion

J. W. Coleman, Jr. Made Motion that an oyster Stew be given at next regular meeting at which time M. M.° will be conferred. Motion

Seconded by J.W. Mattingly. Ballot was then taken & it was unanimously voted to have the oyster stew.

E.A.° ~~Brother~~ Lodge of M. M. called from Labor to Refreshments. Lodge of E. A. opened. E. Reed Waltz, Jas. Stuffaker & Grant C. Willey Examined on E. A.°

Lodge of E. A. M. closed
Lodge of F. C. M. opened
John McMillan examined on F. C.°
VOTE Ballot spread on the worthiness of E. Reed Waltz, Jas. Stuffaker & Grant C. Willey to receive F. C.°. Found fair & they declared elected.

E.A.° J. B Anderson, G. C. Willey, E. Reed Waltz & Jas. Stuffaker being in waiting were prepared, introduced & passed to the most honorable degree of F. C. Masons.

F. C. Lodge closed.
M. M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor.
Ballot spread on the worthiness of John McMillan to receive M. M.° Found fair & he declared elected

Lodge then closed.

V. H. Skidmore

E. Truman Conner
Secy

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Lex Lodge No 1 - F. & A. M.
Lexington. Ky.
Jan. 22-1927
Called Meeting

Present
V. N. Skidmore, Master
M. S. Moore. S. W.
R. D. Hawkins. J. W.
J. W. Mattingly. S. D.
Fred Bryant J. D.
Earl Davidson Tyler.

Lodge of M. M. opened in form.

Master Stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying last respects to Brother C. J. Norwood. Past Master of this Lodge, who passed away on Thursday night Jan. 20th. after several weeks of illness.

The members of this Lodge marched to Christ Church Cathedral to attend the Episcopal Services after which they proceeded to the Lexington Cemetery where the Masonic Burial Services were performed by Honorary Past Master Chester D. Adams, ~~assisted~~ by Past Masters C. Frank Adams, S. W., R. D. Hawkins, J. W. M. S. Moore S. D., J. G. Giles, J. D. & Brother J. R. Hughes, Chaplain.

The members then Returned to the Lodge at which time Committee was appointed to draft Resolutions on the death of Brother Norwood as follows: Chester D. Adams, D. Allison Willard & R. K. Massie.

Lodge then Closed

Frank Cramer
Secy —

V. H. Skidmore
W. M.

Lex. Lodge No. 1 - F. & A. M.
Lexington. Ky 2/7/1927

Stated Meeting

Present V. H. Skidmore, Master
Ray Stewart, S. W.
C. C. Corbin, J. W.
W. C. Steacox, J. D.
J. W. Mattingly, S. D.
J. E. Gordon, Sentinel
(See list for others)

Lodge of M. M. opened in form
Minutes of previous meeting read & approved

Petitions Received — John Richard Cralley, Referred to Bros. Hugh Stempel, T. E. Rix, Jr & R. J. Hempel

Petitions Acted upon A. E. Kappa — Committee on petition of A. E. Kappa reported. Report received, Ballot spread, found fair & he declared elected.

N. C. Adair Demit from Hiram Lodge No. 18 Delaware Ohio. — Committee on petition of N. C. Adair for Membership reported. Report received, Ballot spread, found fair & he declared elected a member of Lexington Lodge No. 1

Dues of L. Gay Strode remitted for year 1926

Master appointed P. M. T. E. Rix, Jr., Natt Corbin & T. L. Jones to communicate with other Masonic Bodies regarding placing a memorial over the Grave of Px Mx C. J. Norwood.

Lodge of M. M. called from Labor to Refreshments.

Lodge of F. C. Masons opened in form.

Brothers J. B. Anderson, Geo. O'neal, W. F. Brooks & M. N. Davis of Proctor Lodge No. 213, Beattyville, Ky. Examined on F. C.

F. C. Lodge closed. M. M. Lodge called from Refreshments to Labor.

Ballot spread on the worthiness of J. B. Anderson to receive M. M. Found dark & he declared rejected

Ballot spread on the worthiness of George O'neal to receive M. M. Found fair & he declared elected.

Ballot spread on the worthiness of W. F. Brooks to receive M. M. Found fair & he declared elected.

F. C's W. F. Brooks, Geo. O'neal, R. L. Saunders, John Mc Millan & M. N. Davis of Proctor Lodge No 213 Beattyville, Ky. being in waiting were prepared, introduced & raised to the Sublime Degree of A. Master Mason.

No further business & Lodge was closed at 11:45 P. M.

Isaac James
Secy

U. H. McKinnon
W. M.

Lexington Lodge No. 1 - F. & A.M.
Lexington, Ky.
Feb. 8-1927

Called Meeting

Present
V. H. Skidmore - J. W.
Ray Stewart - W. M.
C. C. Corbin - S. D.
J. W. Mattingly - S. W.
Elmer Bryant - J. D.
A. L. Henry - Tyler
J. R. Hughes - Chaplain
Lodge of M. M. opened in form

Master stated that this meeting had been called for the purpose of paying last respects to Brother James Sullivan a late member of (Torrent, Ky.) Wolfe Lodge No. 171.

Members proceeded to cemetery & the Masonic Ceremonies were performed after which they returned to the Lodge which was then closed.

V. H. Skidmore W.M.

Frank Carver
Secy

Lexington Lodge No 1 - F. & A. M.
Lexington, Ky.
2/21/1927

Stated Meeting

Present W. M. Skidmore, W. M.
Ray M. Stewart, S. W.
J. W. Mattingly, J. W.
J. W. Coleman, Jr., S. D.
Ray Walker J. D.
Dr J. E. Gordon Tyler

Present - list -

Lodge of M. M. opened in form
Minutes of previous meetings read
& approved

Petitions Received
- Anthony W. Thomson for membership — Referred to E. D. Dummitt, G. A. Holland - Ray Stewart
- Frank M. Graves for — Referred to R. E. Anderson, J. R. Hughes - W. J. Cardwell
- Charles L. Warren — Referred to J. G. Cramer, B. B. Bailey - J. E. Gordon.

Earl M. Payne — Committee on petition of Earle M. Payne Reported. Report Received. Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected

C. W. Crum — Committee on petition of C. W. Crum Reported. Report Received Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected

N. M. Corbin — Committee on application for membership of N. M. Corbin Reported. Report Received Ballot spread found fair & he declared Elected

Report of Auditing Committee received & ordered spread on the minutes -

Lodge authorized the Treasurer to borrow $1.000.00 for 6 Months with which to pay the W. & O. Home assessment.

After balloting separately on the following members all were declared suspended for non payment of dues:—
R. T. Granaghan;
J. M. Greer,
L. F. Merrell
W. D. Oldham
N. R. Sprowles
R. H. Tomlinson
E. P. Wilkerson
F. L. Wilson
A. W. Moore.

Lodge of M. M. Called from Labor to Refreshments

Lodge of E. A. Masons opened.

For E. A.° { A. E. Kappa, L. E. Crockett, Fred Mountfort } being in waiting were prepared, introduced & initiated as E. A. Masons.

Lodge of E. A. Masons closed

F. C.° Examination { Lodge of F. C. Mason opened. Brothers F. C. J. G. Johnson - A. R. Bart & Jas Huffaker examined on F. C.° F. C. Lodge Closed. M. M. Lodge Called from Refreshments to Labor. Ballot spread on the worthiness to receive M. M.° of F. C., J. G. Johnson A. R. Bart & Jas. Huffaker found fair & they declared Elected.

[signature]
Secy.

Present 3/7/1927

(B)

W. J. Cardwell
Nat Carlisle
C. O. Mock
H. F. Brooker
U. G. Rowbotham
C. A. Baker
Anthony W. Thomson (~~Visitor No 225~~)
Frank Rice.
~~Chester C Corbin~~
E. G. Murphy
John McMillan
H. H. Davies
John Ford (Auburn 76 Ala.)
T. D. Rhodes.
S. M. Moore
R. T. Granaghan
Wayne D. Oler
W. F. Galloway
W. C. Peacock
Ray S. Stewart
J. E. Gordon.
J. W. Coleman Jr.
T. Allison Holland

Lex. Lodge No. 1 - F. & A. M.
Lex. Ky. 3/2/1927
Stated Meeting

Present
V. M. Skidmore, Master
Ray Stewart, S. W.
G. C. Corbin, J. W.
J. W. Mattingly, S. D.
W. C. Stagacor, J. D.
Dr. J. E. Gordon Tyler

See List -

Lodge of M. M. opened in form
~~Meeting~~ Minutes of Previous Meeting
read & approved.

Petitions { J. W. Coon } for initiation referred to Bros.
R. E. Anderson, J. R. Hughes & B. B. Buckley

A. W. Thomson { Committee on petition of A. W. Thomson reported.
Report received, ballot spread, found fair & he
declared elected a member of Lex. Lodge No. 1.

R. McD. Perrin { Committee on petition of R. McD. Perrin reported.
Report received, ballot spread found fair & he
declared elected.

G. W. York { Committee on petition of Geo. W. York reported.
Report received, ballot spread found dark &
he declared rejected.

Lodge of M. M. called from Labor to refreshments.

Lodge of E. A. Masons opened.
Brothers W. F. Allen, M. St. Matthews &
E. E. Goad examined on E. A. degree.
Lodge of E. A. Masons Closed.

Lodge of F. C. Masons opened.

Ballot spread on the Work lines of W. F. Allen to receive F. C.° found fair & he declared elected
Ballot spread on the Work lines of ~~M. H. Matthews to receive F. C.° found fair & he declared elected.~~
Ballot spread on the Work lines of E. E. Goad to receive F. C.° found fair & he declared Elected.

Bro. E. R. Walty & S. D. Willey examined on F. C.°

Bro. W. F. Allen, E. E. Goad & M. H. Matthews of Duvall Lodge No. 6 - Bardstown, Ky. being in waiting were prepared, introduced & passed to the Most Honorable degree of a F. C. Mason.
F. C. Lodge Closed.
Lodge of M. M. called from Refreshments to Labor.
Ballot spread on the Work lines of E. R. Walty to receive M. M.° found fair and he declared elected.
Ballot spread on the Work lines of S. D. Willey to receive M. M.° found fair and he declared elected.

No further business & Lodge was closed at 10:15 P. M.

Grant Cramer
Secy. P. T.

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch 21 1927
Stated Meeting

Present W H Skidmore Master
Ray Stewart Sr W
C C Corbin Jr W
J W Mattingly Sr D
E C Murphy Jr D
A C Wilson Tyler
Bro C F Cramer. Natt Corbin W D Eler
H M Hubbard W T Jordon
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved

Johnson Wallace Pet rec'd — The following petitions received A W Johnson for initiation. referred to Bro W T Jordon Ray Walker & E C Murphy J W Wallace for initiation referred to Bro W D Eler E C Murphy & J W Mattingly

Bryant Williams Elected — Committe on petitions of H B Bryant and B H Williams reported. report received Committe discharged ballot spread found fair and each of the above declared elected

Coleman — The Matter of Assistance to Bro Coleman it was decided take up the Matter with Old Masons Home

Kappa Ex in E A — M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment E. A. Lodge opened
Bro A E Kappa examined in E A degree
E A Lodge closed

Willey Watts Johnson M M — M M Lodge called from refreshment to labor Ballot spread upon the application of Bro E A Kappa to receive F C degree found fair and he declared elected.
Bro G S Willey E R Watts together with J J Johnson of W & O Lodge # 40 Va prepaid introduced and Raised to the

Over

3-21-1927 Cont'd
Sublime degree of Master Masons
There being nothing further
Lodge closed in form
Jno W Lancaster

Lexington Lodge No 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
Mch. 24 1924
Call Meeting

Present U H Skidmore M Ray Stewart Sr W
Jr W S D
Jr D Tyler

Bro
Lodge of M M opened in form.
The Master stated that this meeting was called for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to our Bro Dr E F. Beard who died in this City on Mch 21 1927
The Lodge then proceeded to the Lexington Cemetery where the remains were buried with Masonic Ceremonies
Returning to the Lodge rooms Bros J G Cram & C D Adams were appointed a Committee to draft suitable resolutions
Lodge then closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge # 1 F & A M
Lexington Ky
April 4 1927

Stated Meeting

Present — U H Skidmore Master Ray S Stewart Sr W
C C Corbin Jr W J W Mattingly Sr D
W C Heacy Jr D J E Gordon Tyler
Bros G A Holland W J Cardwell Natt Corbin
C A Baker H M Hubbard W D Eller M S Moore
W T Gordon G O Rogers
Lodge of M M opened in form
Minutes read and approved
Following petitions received
Jones — C R Jones Jr for degrees referred to
Bros W D Eller R D Hawkins G A Knight
Roberts — H H Roberts for reinstatement referred to
Pet rec — Bros Natt Corbin H M Hubbard & G B Weetz
Committee on petitions of J W Cook
and F H Graves, reported, report
received. Committee discharged ballot
spread found and each of the above
declared elected
In the case of Bro Coleman a
Collection was taken and $26.80 was
raised and paid to the Brother
M M Lodge called from labor to refreshment
Crum — Lodge of E A opened
Bryant — C W Crum. H B Bryant and R M Perrin
Perrin — prepared introduced and received
E A — E. A. degree.
E A Lodge closed
M M Lodge called on
No further business Lodge closed
Jno W Lancaster
Sec

Lexington Lodge #1, F. & A. M.
Lexington, Ky.,
April 18, 1927.
Stated Meeting.

Present — W. H. Skidmore — Master. Ray S. Stewart — S. W.
J. W. Mattingly — J. W. E. F. Cramer — Treas.
E. C. Murphy — S. D. Frank Rix — J. D.
J. E. Gordon — Tyler.

Brothers — E. O. Mock, B. M. Franklin (#640), J. H. Bowman, Natt Corbin, J. W. Coleman, Jr. M. S. Moore, Claude Jacobs, W. T. Jordan, C. R. McGaughey, W. B. Griggs, J. L. Grubbs, Chester C. Corbin, W. C. Heacox, Harvey M. Hubbard.

Opening — Lodge of Master Masons opened in form at 8:00 P. M. Minutes read and approved.

Pet. acted on — Petition of A. W. Johnson reported favorable, committee discharged, ballot spread, found fair, and he declared elected to receive E. A. degree.

elected — Bro. Natt Corbin reported having visited Bro. Walter Matthews, Jr., who is very low. The matter of rendering financial assistance to Bro. Slade was discussed, and Bro. Natt Corbin moved that the lodge donate #10.00 a month for the balance of the year to help him out unless he consents to go to the Home. Motion seconded. There was considerable discussion. Motion lost.

Secretary pro tem reported Bro. Lancaster doing nicely. Bro. Natt Corbin reported Bro. Henry Vogt in bad condition. Bro. Hubbard reported Bros. Lord and Eisemeyer ill, but the latter doing nicely. Bro. Jno. W. Lancaster's resignation read by Secretary pro tem, his age and health making this resignation necessary. Bro. Ray S. Stewart moved its acceptance. Bro. E. F. Cramer suggested that Bro. Lancaster be made an honorary life secretary with a paid assistant to do the actual work, upon which Bro. Stewart withdrew his

motion. Bro. G. A. Holland made a motion to this effect. Bro. Harvey M. Hubbard suggested the title "Secretary Emeritus" for Bro. Lancaster, which Bro. Holland accepted. Motion carried. Bro. Holland moved the immediate election of an assistant secretary. Seconded by Bro. W. J. Cardwell. Motion carried.

An election was held, Bros. Holland and Cardwell acting as tellers. Bros. Wayne D. Allen, C. Frank Cramer, and Theo. L. Jones were nominated. Upon the first ballot there was no election, Bro. Allen being low man. He then voluntarily withdrew his name, and upon the second ballot Bro. Cramer was declared elected. Bro. Cramer accepted, offering resignation as Treasurer, but Bro. Holland objected, suggesting that this be done after his accounts have been audited. Bros. W. J. Cardwell, Harvey M. Hubbard and Jno. S. Yellman appointed special auditing committee for this purpose.

Master Masons' Lodge called off. Lodge of Entered Apprentices opened. Bro. Fred Montford examined on E. A. Degree. He not being very proficient, Bro. Ray Stewart recommended that he be re-examined later. E. A. Lodge closed. Lodge of Fellowcrafts opened. Bros. H. A. Ward, Howard Mathews, W. J. Allen, and E. E. Good examined on F. C. Degree. F. C. Lodge closed. M. M. Lodge called on. Ballot spread upon proficiency and worthiness of Fellowcrafts Ward, Allen, Mathews and Good to receive M. M. degree and they declared elected.

Show THIS to GRAND TREASURER when Delegate draws pay.

This is IN FULL unless otherwise indicated on its face.

Louisville, Ky. Oct 1 1907

Lexington Lodge No. 1

To the GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY, F. A. M., Dr.

For annual **Dues** for 214 Members, at $1, - - - $ 214.00

For **Assessment** for 218 Members, at $1, - - - $ 218.00

Received Payment, $ 432.00

Balance due and unpaid, $ ~

H. B. Brown

Grand Secretary.

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Rex L No 1 August 3 1925

Regular meeting

W. D. Iler W.M.
M. M. Moore S.W.
R. B. Hawkins Jr.
Ray Stewart S.D.
Elmer Murphy J.D.
Dr Gordon Tyler

C. J. Norwood, Chester Corbin, C. B. Bailey, Truman Wilson, J. A. Bricken, W. B. Griggs, W. C. Myers, Carl Davidson, W. F. Clark

Lodge opened on M.M. at 7.55 P.M. —
Minutes read & approved
Petition of Morgan Pendleton Fears — received referred to
Petitions of Essie Bunton & James Samuel Dailey received to be acted ~~Essie Bunton~~ committee discharged ballot spread in the case of Essie Bunton the ballot was found to be bright & he declared elected, In the case of James Samuel Dailey the ballot was found to be dark & he declared rejected. (Correspondence over)

Committee composed of brothers L. P. Gooding, M. M. Moore, R. C. Butler to draft resolution on the death of Bro W. Logan Shearer. His death reported at the meeting & fact the flowers. Resolution on relief committee read.

Motion by Hughes seconded by Skidmore that th[illegible] accepted — Note unanimously accepted.

H. L. Self
Please excuse
Please excuse

Bro C. J. Norwood spoke on the subject of Masonic services & urged members to request Masonic funerals citing it as our order's highest honor.

Correspondence see letters * from & about Richard Godfrey Work of L Lodge No 1.

Mill Lodge called to refreshments E.A. lodge opened 8.45 P.M.
Bro Wm G Bruce examined on E.A. degree.
E.A. Lodge closed
F.C. " opened 9:05 — Ballot on Prof & worth of W. G. Bruce to rep F.C. Degree ballot red & he declared elected —

Bro. Wayne D. Iller appointed a Trustee of Lexington Lodge #1 to fill the vacancy created by the death of Bro. C. J. Norwood.

There being no further business, Lodge was closed at 9:30 P.M.

Wayne D. Iller,
Secretary pro tem.

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Dec 18-26 C. M
T. E. Rix Jr M. Essie Bunton S.D
R. S. Stewart S W J W Gay J.D.
TERMS—NET CASH R B Hawkins J W. J R Hughes Chap.

Bro C. W. Shanklin
Sat Dec 18-1926 930 A.M.
proceeded to Home to act
as P.B. then to Carlisle
Burial Services
Ray S Stewart performed
services.

218

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FORM 15

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Lexington Lodge No. 1.

Lexington, Ky.
Nov 30, 1924.

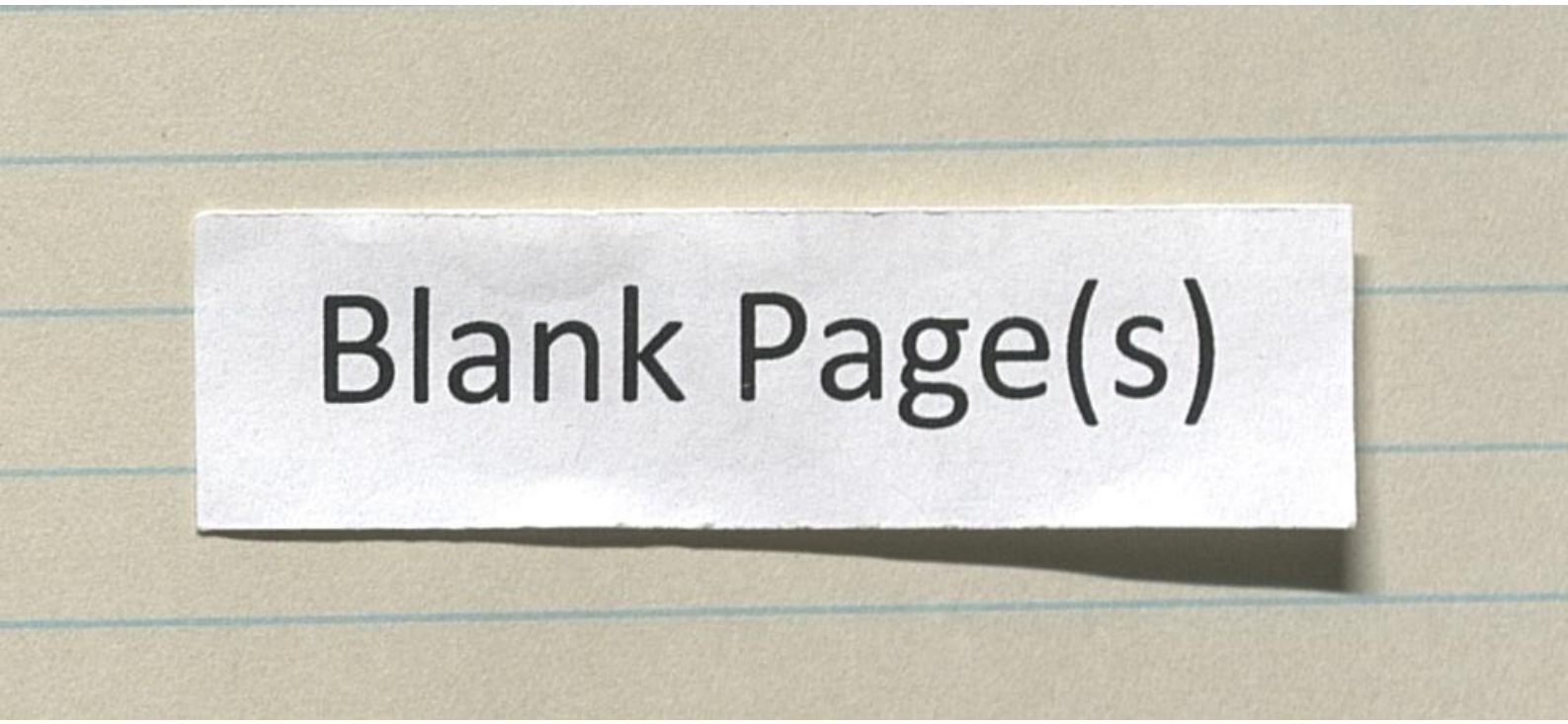
Inscrutable in His divine wisdom, it has been the will of the Supreme Architect of the Universe to remove from his earthly abode to a celestial home, our brother John H. Godfrey, who departed this life October 25th, 1924. Therefore be it

Resolved. That in the death of brother Godfrey our lodge has lost a worthy Mason, his wife a good husband and the community a good citizen. Be it further re

Resolved, That we extend sincere sympathy to his wife and relatives and commend them to God who knoweth the hearts of all men, for comfort and consolation in their hour of deepest sorrow. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy hereof be furnished the wife of our deceased brother, and a page of our record be set apart to his memory.

Ray S. Stewart
Ray Walker
M. H. Hubbard
Committee.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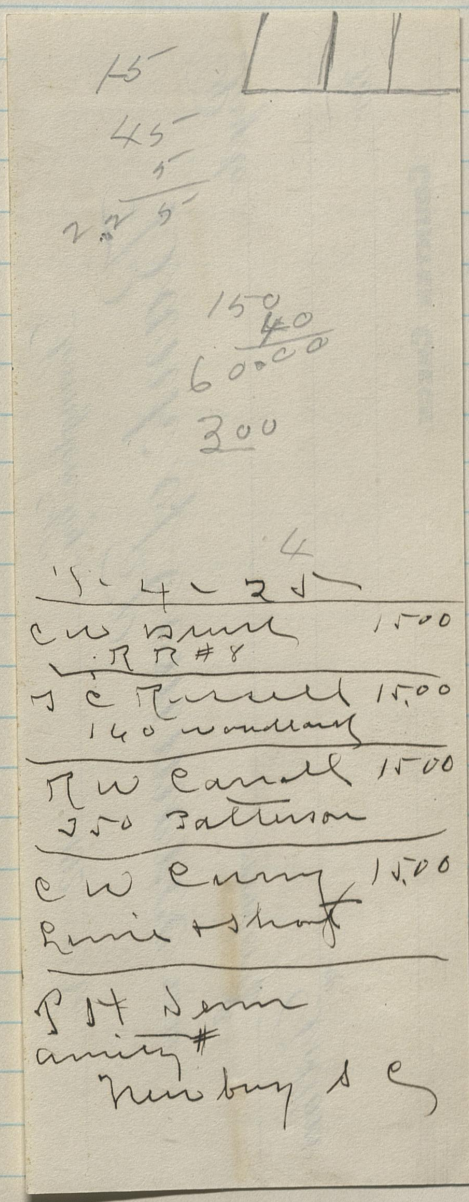

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STATED MEETINGS
First and Third Monday
In Each Month

Lexington Lodge No. 1

F. & A. M.

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