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PREFACE.

MY friend and fellow student, Mr. Frederick Leigh Gardner, has asked me to write a short introductory note to this Third Volume of his Bibliotheca. The first volume upon Rosicrucian and second upon Astrological Books have supplied in a very compendious and useful form, Catalogues of all available works on those subjects: under each heading were supplied the name of the Author and the full title of the book, with date and place of publication; while in numerous instances very interesting personal comments and antiquarian notes were added.

This present volume provides a very complete Catalogue of the Histories of English Freemasons' Lodges; it mentions in fact every such work as could be found after months of research.

Our late Brother, W. J. Hughan, the notable Masonic Historian, published many years ago (1892) a short list of Lodge Histories, but such works were at that time very few in comparison with the number which have since appeared.

The Masonic interest in these works depends greatly upon the antiquity of the Consecration of the Lodge referred to: the Minutes of the early years of our oldest Lodges contain many details of great interest, in regard to procedure, mode of constitution, the working of the several degrees and the powers of the Worshipful Master, and his Officers and of customs now long since abandoned.

Histories of Lodges of modern constitution rarely contain details of importance in regard to history or procedure, however interesting they may be to surviving brethren who are mentioned therein. For a great deal more than half a century
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all English Lodges have been worked in almost strict accordance with the regulations of the Book of Constitutions, and so a narrative of their proceedings consists of little but business details, lists of names, and perhaps speeches of Masters and Grand Lodge Officers.

There still remain a great number of very old Lodges whose Histories have not yet been written, and although it is unfortunately true that in many instances the oldest Minute Books have been lost or destroyed, there are some Lodges whose records are extant and yet await a literary Past Master to edit and publish them. Our brethren should bear in mind that all missing records have not been destroyed although lost, and that such volumes may be recovered from old bookshops and the lumber rooms of country houses.

Some notes of interest in relation to old Lodges whose Histories have not yet been printed may be found scattered through the Masonic works of Brothers Oliver, Mackenzie, Hughan, Lane, Sadler, and also in the historical essays contributed to the many volumes of the "Ars Quatuor Coronatorum," edited by the late Brother G. W. Speth, and by our surviving Brothers W. H. Rylands and W. J. Songhurst.

It is a great source of pleasure to me that these volumes of the Bibliotheca Rosicruciana, Astrologica, and of English Lodge Histories should have been produced by my R. W. Frater Frederick Leigh Gardner, Hon. 9° and Past Secretary General of the Rosicrucian Society of England.

I am glad to say that a Fourth Volume, a Bibliotheca Alchymica, or Catalogue of all extant works treating of physical and spiritual Alchymy is in course of preparation, and I feel sure will be of the greatest value and the widest interest.

WILLIAM WYNN WESTCOTT, IX°,
Supreme Magus, S.R.I.A.
Bibliotheca Masonica.

No. 1.
An old Atholl Lodge—Chartered August 13th, 1759.

No. 2.
Collation (x) 434 pp.
Contains a beautifully executed facsimile of Arms at the beginning of the Roll of "Old Charges," A.D., 1686. The other Volumes will follow.

No. 4.
History of "Royal Somerset House and Inverness Lodge," No. 4, London, as told by the Lodge Register, by G. Blizard Abbott. 8vo. London, 1891. 16 pp.
Reprinted from "The Freemason," Xmas, 1890.
An old Time Immortal Lodge, originally No. 4, then No. 2, reverting again at the Union to No. 4.
No. 6.
An old Lodge dating back to A.D. 1721, sometime known as No. 3 and then as No. 6.

No. 10.
Collation (xii) 291 pp.
An old “Moderns” Lodge, warranted January 28th, 1722, as the “Tyrian” Lodge, No. 7, then it became No. 6 & 5 until the Union, when it became No. 10.

No. 12.
Reprinted from “The Freemason,” June 30th, 1900.
An old “Modern” Lodge dating back to A.D. 1723, sometime known as No. 6.

No. 16.
Contains very fine portraits of the Royal Family, with a roll of members from 1818, it dates back to A.D. 1722, (then called “The Ionic Lodge” No. 9, and in 1740 it became No. 8) it traces its descent however from no less than five old lodges.

No. 19.
An old Atholl Lodge, constituted A.D. 1769 as No. 159, then it became No. 10, now No. 19.

No. 20.
History of the “Royal Kent Lodge of Antiquity,” No. 20, Chatham, Kent, by W. J. Hughan. 8vo. Dover, 1893.
This is the oldest Provincial Lodge in England. Constituted A.D. 1723, it held under the “Atholl” constitution as No. 13, then Nos. 12 and 10, and now No. 20,
No. 21.


Collation (x) 211 pp.

This is a much more comprehensive work than the preceding one, it is very voluminous, and beautifully got up. The Lodge dates back to 15th May, 1723, sometime known as No. 12, then No. 22, and now No. 21. It was an old "Moderns" Lodge, and in 1783 was known as "The Mourning Bush Lodge."

No. 22.


Collation (xvi) 249 pp and 10 plates.

An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 7th December, 1752, originally Nos. 64, 13, 23, and now No. 22.

No. 23.


(300 copies.)

Collation (viii) 92 pp.

An old "Moderns" Lodge dating from 1723, known as Nos. 14, 25 and now No. 23. A handsome volume, beautifully illustrated.

No. 25.


An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 1st June, 1755.

No. 28.


Collation (xii) 141 pp.

An old "Moderns" Lodge, started A.D. 1725, sometime No. 21, then Nos. 34, 30, and now No. 28.
No. 31.  
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted A.D. 1753, sometime No. 24, then 37, 34, and now No. 31.

No. 33.  
An old "Moderns" Lodge, started A.D. 1730, sometime No. 27, then 42, 38, and now No. 33.

No. 35.  
This History originally appeared in the "Freemason," 1889.  
An old "Moderns" Lodge, started A.D. 1733, sometime No. 31, then Nos. 48, 41 and now No. 35.

No. 37.  
An old "Moderns" Lodge, sometime No. 33, then Nos. 51, 44, and now No. 37.

No. 38.  

No. 39.  
Collation 33 (iv.) pp.  
Contains a facsimile of the original warrant of this "Moderns" Lodge, 11th July, 1732, and a supplement by the Secretary, A. Hope, entitled "Notes on an old Minute Book," 1891. 24 pp. This Lodge has the distinction of having the oldest original warrant in actual use of any Lodge whatever, sometime No. 33, it became Nos. 53, 46, and now No. 39.
No. 39—(continued)


No. 41.

An abridged History of the "Royal Cumberland Lodge," No. 41, Bath, from the year A.D. 1732 (no prior records being available), together with a brief sketch of the condition of the craft some years prior to this date, by Thomas P. Ashley, P.M. 4to. Bath, 1873. 38 pp.

John Pine states that this Lodge was chartered May 18th, 1733, but the original warrant gives 26th April, and No. 113, then Nos. 101, 59, 49, 39, 36, 55, 48, and now No. 41.

No. 42.


This old "Moderns" Lodge was warranted 3rd July, 1733, sometime No. 37, then No. 57, 50 and now No. 42.

No. 43.

Early Records of "St. Paul's Lodge," No. 43, Birmingham; extracted from the Minute Books, 1764 to 1863, by B. H. Joseph, P.M., and J. H. Boocock, Secretary. 8vo. (Birmingham, 1863.)

Collation (ii.) 54 (iii.) pp., and Portrait of R. W. Lord Leigh.

This old Lodge was founded A.D. 1733, and in 1764 the Lodge Records prove that the members of the original Lodge of 1733 (Moderns) had petitioned for and obtained a warrant, No. 124, from the "Ancients" ! ! !

No. 44.


An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 18th June, 1755, as No. 39 "St. Ann's Church and Mitre Lodge," at the Union it became Nos. 59, 52, and now No. 44.

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No. 45.
Collation (iv) 88 pp.
An old "Moderns" Lodge, constituted A.D. 1733.

No. 48.
The Earliest Records of this old "Moderns" Lodge commence on 29th September, 1725.

No. 50.
The early History (1803 to 1859), of the "Knights of Malta Lodge," (formerly Nos. 47, 66 and 58), No. 50, Hinckley, Leicestershire, compiled from the Lodge Records and other authentic sources, by John T. Thorp. 6 plates. 8vo. Leicester, 1899. 89 pp.

No. 51.
This old Lodge was founded A.D. 1735, the History occupies 6 pp.

No. 52.
Collations (viii) 158 pp.
The earliest records in "Grand Lodge" appear on 27th December, 1736.

No. 56.
No. 57.

  Collation (xii) 176 pp

An old Atholl Lodge, warranted as No. 53, A.D., 1756, and again on 17th April, 1775.

No. 58.
History of the "Lodge of Felicity," No. 162 (now No. 58) London, from A.D. 1737 to 1887, with comments on contemporary events, by Wm. Smithett. 4to. London, 1887.
  Collation (viii) 140 pp.

  Collation (viii) 144 pp.

No. 60.

A fine old Lodge History, with facsimile of its warrant, &c., 3rd May, 1738.

No. 61.

No. 63.

"St. Mary’s Lodge," No. 63, London, Chronological Record from the constitution in 1757 to the Centenary Festival in 1857, by Frederick A. Winsor, P.M.; continued from 1857 to 1882, by Wilmer Hollingworth, P.M.; and from 1882 to the 150th Anniversary Festival in 1907, by Cole A. Adams, P.M. 8vo. London, 1908. 128 pp. and 5 plates.
No. 64.

By-Laws of the "Lodge of Fortitude," No. 64, Manchester, with copy of warrant (1st May, 1772) and a short historical account from 1860 to the present time, etc., by G. P. Brockbank, Secretary. 8vo. Bolton, 1888. 16 pp. Another Edition by H. Longman. 8vo. Lancaster, 1895.

This old Lodge was constituted 9th January, 1739.

No. 65.


Collation (iv), 138 pp.


Collation (iv), 130 pp., 8 plates.

No. 69.


Collation (vi) 75 pp., and Reprint of Charter, 1824.

A Joint Committee of Bros. R. J. Reece, E. H. Cartwright and G. F. Marshall, Past Masters, were entrusted with the production of this work. An old "Moderns" Lodge, founded 1742.

No. 72.


Collation (ii), 45 pp., 7 plates.

No. 73.


This old Lodge was founded A.D. 1760.

No. 75.

No. 76.
Extracts from the Minute Books of the "Lodge of Economy," No. 76, Winchester, 1761 to 1887, by T. Stopher, W.M. 4to. Winchester, Hants, 1887.
Collation (vi) 30 pp.
This old Lodge was warranted 9th January, 1761.

No. 78.

No. 80.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted October 21st, 1761.

No. 84.
Collation, 52 (xxx) pp.
The articles of Union, 25th November, 1813, are reproduced in the appendix.

No. 88.
Collation (v), 25 pp.

No. 94.

No. 99.
Collation (xvi) 444 pp.
This old Lodge was warranted 15th February, 1757.
No. 100.
An old warranted Lodge, A.D. 1757.

No. 104.
Constituted A.D. 1765, as No. 139 "Antients."

No. 107.

No. 112.
Notes from the old Records of "St George's Lodge," No. 112, Exeter, compiled by Commander Claude Plenderleath, Secretary. 8vo. 1909. 29 pp.

No. 114.
Bye-Laws of the "British Union Lodge," No. 114, Ipswich, to which is prefixed a brief History of the Lodge, &c. 12mo. (Ipswich) 1885. 24 pp.
Another History appeared in the "Masonic Magazine" for 1875-76, and again in a work by E. Holmes, called "Tales, Poems and Masonic Papers," printed at Stokesley. 12mo. 1877.

No. 117.

No. 119.
The Dispute about the Age of the "Sun, Square, and Compasses Lodge," No. 119, Whitehaven. 8vo. 1890.
Warranted by the Antients, May 18th, 1768, as No. 157.
No. 124.
An old Lodge, warranted 8th September, 1763; its Records commence 24th June, 1738 and it has the enviable distinction of the oldest "Mark" Records. viz.: A.D. 1773 to 1777.

No. 131.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 6th July, 1772.

No. 133.
Freemasonry in Faversham, 1763 to 1887. [History of the "Harmony Lodge," No. 133.] Copies of warrants, &c., collected and arranged by Francis F. Giraud. 8vo. Faversham, 1887. 27 pp. (Private circulation.)
An old Lodge, bearing a warrant dated 28th August, 1764.

No. 134.
This is a Reprint from "The Freemason," 1910.
An old Atholl Lodge, dating back to A.D. 1764.

No. 137.
Freemasonry in Poole, being a History of the "Lodge of Amity," No. 137, Poole, Dorset, (1765 to 1897), and of the R.A. Chapter No. 137, with a sketch of the Amity Mark Lodge, No. 132, compiled by Alexander C. Chapin, P.M. Portrait of T. Dunckerley. 8vo. Poole and London, 1897.
Collation (x) 141 pp.
This Lodge was warranted A.D. 1765.

No. 142.
Collation 70 (vii) pp.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 11th May, 1775, and very possibly earlier—(June 14th, 1756.)
No. 145.

An old Atholl Lodge, constituted 1775 as No. 195, then Nos. 241, 169 and now No. 145.

No. 146.

An old Lodge, warranted 24th June, 1776.

No. 157.

This appeared in "The Rosicrucian," January, 1876.

No. 162.

An old Lodge, warranted 9th February, 1767.

No. 170.

Historic Notes of "All Soul's Lodge," No. 170, Weymouth, 1767 to 1895, by Zillwood Milledge, P.M. Illustrated. 8vo. Weymouth, 1896.
Collation (xviii) 350 pp. and Errata.

No. 173.

Collation (viii) 76 pp.

No. 174.

Collation (viii), 126 pp.
This Lodge was warranted A.D. 1768.
No. 176.

No. 177.
An old warranted Lodge, 7th February, 1786, formerly known as the “Domestic Lodge,” No. 234.

No 178.
Masonry in Wigan; being a Brief History of the “Lodge of Antiquity,” No. 235, (now No. 178), with references to other Lodges in the Borough at the close of the last and beginning of the present century, by J. Brown, Secretary. 8vo. Wigan, 1882. 66 pp.
An old Lodge, warranted 26th May, 1786.

No. 183.
Collation 44 (xvi) pp. and two folding tables.

No. 185.
History of the “Lodge of Tranquillity,” No. 185, London, from its origin to the present time, by John Constable, W.M., with appendices, etc. 8vo. London, 1874.
Collation (viii) 71 pp. and one folding plate of Warrant.
The list of members dates back as far as A.D. 1787, and my own father’s name is amongst them, i.e. Frederick Gardner, October 20th, 1873.

No 189.
No. 191.

It contains hardly any account of the Lodge History.

No. 192.


This old Lodge was warranted 24th December, 1789.

No. 195.


Collation (xii) 272 pp.
The Lodge warrant is dated 23rd November, 1770.

No. 197.


Record of Celebration was written by C. E. Hollingsworth, and the Lodge History by Sir J. B. Monckton, P.G.W., &c.

No. 198.


Collation (vi) 73 pp.

No. 204.

Centenary Records, 1802 to 1902, of the "Caledonian Lodge," No. 204, Manchester, compiled and Edited from Minute Books, M.SS., &c., by Alfred Ingham, P.M. 8v. Manchester, 1903. 4 plates. 95 pp.
No. 211.
History of the "St. Michael's Lodge," No. 211, London, compiled from such Minute Books as have been preserved (by W. W. Morgan, P.M.) 12mo. London, 1881.
Collation (iv) 44 pp.
This is a Reprint from the "Freemason's Chronicle"; the Lodge was warranted 11th September, 1795.

No. 214.
An old Atholl Lodge, dated 3rd November, 1795.

No. 216.
Collation (iv) 120 pp.
This Lodge was warranted 22nd April, 1796.

No. 217.
Collation (vii) 40 pp.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted October 10th, 1787.

No. 221.

No. 223.
Historical Notes and By-Laws of the "Lodge Charity," No. 223, Plymouth, with a list of Worshipful Masters, &c., by Wm. Browning. 24mo. (Plymouth) 1892. 32 pp.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 1797.

No. 227.
An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 25th April, 1810
This account appeared in the A.Q.C. Transactions Vol. XVI. pp. 201-2.
No. 228.
Collation (v) 21 pp and 1 plate.

No. 235.
A warranted Lodge, 25th March, 1777.

No. 236.
This Edition has been Revised, brought up-to-date and re-written in parts.

No. 237.

No. 238.
Collation (ii) 52 pp.
Collations Vol. I. 24 (x) pp. and 1 Folding Table.
Vol. II. contains 22 loose portraits in a case.

No. 240.
Report of Centenary Festival of "St Hilda’s Lodge," No. 240, South Shields, and Brief History, compiled from the Minute Books for 100 years, by J. H. Thompson, S.D. 12mo. 1880. 40 pp.
No. 241.
Programme of the celebration of the Centenary of the "Merchant's Lodge," No. 241, Liverpool, at the Masonic Hall, 22, Hope Street, Liverpool, 16th June, 1880. 15 pp.

No. 242.
The warrant is dated 11th July, 1780.

No. 246.

Collation (xvi) 66 (xxiv) pp.

No. 248.
This is a Reprint from the A.Q.C. Lodge transactions for 1895.

No. 250.
This is contained in a publication called "The Minerva Lodge Directory," 1884; it also appeared in subsequent Editions.

No. 253.
The warrant is dated 26th March, 1785.
No. 255.


No. 256.


Collation (vi) 176 pp.

[Lodge of Unions.] Illustrated History of the "Emulation Lodge of Improvement," No. 256, 1823 to 1903, with Brief Historical Sketches of its branches and offshoots, by Henry Sadler, P.M., etc. Illustrated. 8vo. London, 1904.

Collation (x) 217 pp.

No. 257.


Collation (xiii) 273 pp.

No. 259.


No. 262.


Collation (xv) 232 pp.

An old "Modemns" Lodge, Warranted May 10th, 1727.
No. 265.


Collation (viii) 92 pp.

No. 277.


Reprinted from the "Masonic Magazine" 1880, with additions.

No. 279.


Centenary Celebration of "St. John's Lodge," No. 279, Leicester, Province of Leicestershire and Rutland, and a brief account of the Lodge from 1790 to 1890, by Maurice Williams, P.M., &c. Illustrated. 8vo. Leicester, 1892. 133 pp.

No. 280.

Reminiscences of the "Worcester Lodge," No. 280, and of other Masonic Institutions in the Province and City of Worcester, by C. C. Whitney Griffiths, P.M. Published by the Lodge for Presentation only. 8vo. 1870. (viii) 16 pp., 39 pp., 6 pp., 17 pp. Supplement to above (1872), 64 pp.

No. 281.

The Earlier Years of "Fortitude," a paper read before the "Lodge of Fortitude," No. 281, Lancaster, on 9th February, 1887, by H. Longman, P.M. Printed by special request. 16mo. Lancaster, 1887. 20 pp.


Collation (vii) 89 pp.
No. 287.
Originally No. 509 "Beneficient," then No. 543 "Unanimity," and now No. 287.

No. 289.
Copy of warrant, 24th September, 1792.

No. 290.
Centenary Record 23 pp.
In the early days, Certificates were given by the Master and Wardens of Lodges and not as now, by the Grand Lodge.

No. 291.
Warrant dated 1793, signed by Thos. Dunckerley.

No. 294.
The Records of the "Constitutional Lodge," No. 294, Beverley, Yorkshire, giving Extracts from its Minutes in each year from the foundation in 1793, and details of the Centenary Celebration. 8vo. Beverley, Yorkshire, 1893. 38 pp.

No. 295.
A Hundred Years' History of "Combermere Lodge of Union," No. 295, Macclesfield; also the Centenary Festival by R. Brown, P.M. 8vo. Macclesfield, 1893.
Collation (iv) 74 pp.
No. 296.

An old Atholl Lodge, warranted 1776.

No. 297.

Brief History of the "Witham Lodge," No. 374 (now No. 297), holden in the City of Lincoln, with a description of the Ceremonial used at the levelling of the Foundation Stone of a Masonic Hall and the Sermon preached by Rev. George Oliver. 8vo. London, 1841. 48 pp.
Contains references to the old extinct "Witham Lodge."

No. 298.

Collation (vi) 64 pp.

No. 300.

The old Notes and History (although not so stated on the title page) commence from February 9th, 1797.

No. 301.

Founded at Alcester; warranted 26th February, 1794.

No. 302.

Short History of the "Lodge of Hope," No. 302, Bradford, 1794 to 1894, written for the proceedings in Celebration of the Centenary of the Lodge, by Charles Gott, P.M., &c. 4to. Bradford, April, 1894. 21 pp. and 3 slips inserted.

No. 304.

No. 308.
This Lodge is the "Prince George," although not so stated on the title page. Its warrant is dated 18th February, 1796.

No. 309.

No. 312.
History of ["Lion Lodge," No. 312] Freemasonry in Whitby, from 1764 to 1897, by Rev. E. Fox Thomas, P.M. 8vo. Whitby, 1897. 70 pp. and 3 plates. (300 copies).
An Appendix was issued afterwards as a separate pamphlet, viz.: "An Account of the Centenary Celebrations of the Lion Lodge, No. 312, Whitby, and the Meeting of the Provincial Lodge of North and East Yorks., held at Whitby, 15th July, 1897." 8vo. Whitby, 1898. Plate and Pages numbered 73 to 111.

No. 320.

No. 328.

No. 329.
Collation (viii) 243 pp.
This work is the result of the united efforts of a committee of Messrs. Nosworthy, Raymond, Whitcomb, Buchanan, and Collins. The history contains lengthy notices of two notable London Coroners, "Dr. Danford Thomas" and "Dr. W. Wynn Westcott," Supreme Magus of the Rosicrucians of England, and Author of many well-known works on Mystic and Occult Sciences. The Lodge was consecrated at Martock, Somerset, as No. 617, on 19th April, 1810; it then became No. 624 (1832), No. 412 (1863), and now No. 329.
No. 331.

No. 336.
A Centenary Souvenir and Short History of "Lodge Benevolence," No. 336, Marple, Stockport, 1809-1909, compiled by Ralph Andrews, P.M. 4to. N.P. or D. [1909.]
Collation (xxii), 75 pp., 11 plates.

No. 340.
By-Laws of the "Alfred Lodge," No. 340, Oxford, held at the Masonic Hall, with a History of the Lodge and a List of the Brethren from 1814 to 1884. 32mo. 1885. 64 pp.

No. 357.

No. 360.
Collation (iv) 175 pp.

No. 375.

No. 382.
Masonry in London and Middlesex, being the History of the old "St. James's Lodge," (1740-1813) and the "Royal Union Lodge," No. 382 (1825 to recent times), and comprising much information of Interest to Masons generally, by W. H. Reed, P.M. Illustrated. 8vo. London, 1906.
Collation (xxii) 248 pp.
No. 387.

No. 403.

No. 416.
Bye-Laws for the regulation of the "Surrey Lodge" No. 416 (formerly No. 603) Reigate, with an Historical Sketch and list of officers, etc. 32mo. Redhill, 1882. 37 pp.

The History of the "Surrey Lodge," No. 416, (formerly No. 603) established at Reigate 1834; to which is prefixed a Sketch of Masonry, &c., compiled as a memorial of the 50th anniversary of the Lodge, by John Lees, P.M. Illustrated. 8vo. (1884). Collation (vii) 84 pp.

No. 418.

No. 425.
See also "Extinct Lodges," Chester.

No. 445.

No. 448.
No. 463.


No. 475.


Collation (iv) 124 pp.

No. 478.


No. 526.


Collation of History (x) 38 pp.

" Appendix 18 pp.

No. 533.


Collation (xvi) 72 pp.

No. 546.


Collation 119 pp.

Appendix (xvi) and 15 plates (one folding).
No. 569.
Collation (vii.) 37 (iii.) pp., and Portrait.

No. 587.

No. 602.

No. 611.
This article appeared in the A. Q. C. Transactions, Vol. V., pp. 77-80. The Mercian Lodge became merged into the Silurian Lodge A.D. 1805, which was warranted A.D. 1791.

No. 636.

No. 707.
Collation (xii) 80 pp. and 8 plates.

No. 731.
No. 739.

Notes on the Records of the "Temperance Lodge," No. 739, Birmingham (originally No. 1041), 1858-1908, by C. J. Fowler, P.M. 8vo. [Birmingham], April, 1908. 32 pp.

No. 778.


This Lodge was held at Stratford-on-Avon from 1859 to 1872, whence it was removed to the Province of Middlesex.

No. 779.


This Lodge History, with several others now defunct, is contained in a larger work called "History of Freemasonry in Ashby-de-la-Zouch." 1809-1909. Vide Article.

No. 792.


No. 803.


No. 804.


No. 823.


This History was the work of a committee consisting of Bros. T. J. Carefull, J. J. Boyle, R. W. Gow, L. G. Davey, W. Griffiths, Past Masters, &c.
No. 839.

No. 869.
"Gresham Lodge," No. 869, Cheshunt Park, Herts, a Review of the past 21 years, with notes from the Minutes, by Walter E. Gompertz, P.M. 32mo. 1882. 26 pp.

The Manor of Andrewes and Le Motte, the present home of "The Gresham Lodge" of Freemasons, being an historical account of Cheshunt Great House from the 14th century, &c., by F. D. Rees Copestick. Plate. 4to. London, 1884. 30 pp.

No. 910.
Freemasonry in Pontefract from February, 1862, to February, 1902, being the history of the "Lodge St. Oswald," No. 910, Pontefract, for forty years, &c., by Edmund Lord, P.M. 8vo. Leeds, 1902.

Collation (iv) 148 pp. and 16 plates.

No. 976.
A short History of the "Royal Clarence Lodge" No. 976 (formerly No. 695), Bruton, Somerset, from 1841 to the present time, compiled from the Minutes of the Lodge and other sources, by E. N. Hayter, P.M. 8vo. Yeovil, [1898]. 20 pp.

No. 1010.

This History appears as part of the publication known as the "Hull Directory."

No. 1040.

No. 1101.

Collation (vi) 115 pp.
No. 1167.
This is a reprint from the "Freemason," 1871.
This article appeared in the A.Q.C. Transactions, Vol. XIV., pp. 4-26.

No. 1221.

No. 1357.
This Record was compiled by a Committee of "Bros. Simcock, Griffiths, and Langridge."

No. 1416.

No. 1447.

No. 1514.

No. 1671.

No. 1783.
No. 1829.

No. 1874.

No. 2033.

No. 2069.

No. 2208.
"Horsa Lodge," No. 2208, Bournemouth. First Conversazione 23rd February, 1897, at the Masonic Hall, Bournemouth. 4to. 32 pp.
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