

The Back Page.

The Back Page will look at topics and items of interest, but from not quite THE RIGHT ANGLE.



**Lodge St. Thomas of
Aberbrothock No. 40.**

Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 will visit Lodge St. Thomas No. 40 on Saturday 12th. March 2016 to confer a F.C. Degree.

Accommodation arrangements have been made in the Golf Hotel, Carnoustie, with transport provided to and from the meeting in Arbroath. Bros. Ian Dick and Norrie Telfer are organising the visit and soon a list will be available on the Notice Board to book a place.

A non-returnable deposit of £25 will also be required at the time of booking. The estimated total cost, including accommodation and transport will be approx. £65.



**CHRISTMAS DRAW
2015**

THE MAGAZINE OF LODGE ST. BRYDE No. 579



THE RIGHT ANGLE



**January
2016
Issue
No. 165**

Bro. Stuart Jack, R.W.M.
VISIT — www.stbryde579.co.uk



January Masonic Diary

Fri. 8th. Provincial Grand Loge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward Annual General Meeting at 7.30 p.m. Masonic Hall, Uddingston.

Sat. 9th. Lodge Bothwell Brig No. 1229 Installation of Office-bearers at 4.15 p.m. Masonic Hall, Uddingston.

Wed. 13th. Lodge St. Bryde No.579 Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. F.C. Degree by Bro. Bryce Morrison, WSW.

Mon. 18th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 visit Lodge Garrowhill No. 1413. F.C. Degree by Bro. B. Morrison, WSW.

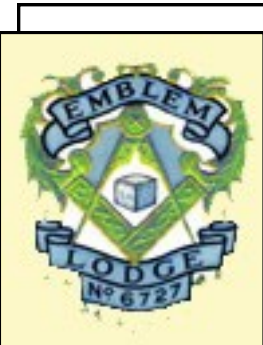
Sat. 23rd. Lodge Burns Immortal Installation at 4 p.m. Masonic Hall, Uddingston.

Wed. 27th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. E.A. Degree by Bro. D. Mulholland, WJW.

February.

Wed. 3rd. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Management Committee at 7.30 p.m.

Thurs. 4th. Grand Lodge of Scotland. Regular Communication at 2 p.m. Freemasons Hall, Edinburgh.



**Emblem Lodge No. 6727
Blackpool.**

*Installation Friday, 5th. February
2016 at 3.30.p.m.*

Any Brother wishing to attend the above Installation please contact the Lodge Secretary. We will be travelling on Friday morning and staying overnight and returning on Saturday.



440 Installation



919 Visit



RWM & Wardens



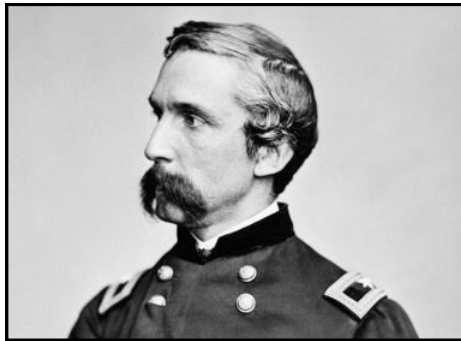
**RWM &
Andrew Jack,
Depute Master
Andrew Nisbet,
Substitute
Master**



**RWM &
Installing
Masters**

Joshua Chamberlain

Civil War scholars will be well aware that Gen. Joshua Chamberlain, was a Colonel in the 20th. Maine Infantry which fought at Gettysburg and accepted the surrender of the Army of Northern Virginia at Appomattox on 9th. April 1865. After the Civil War he was Governor of the State of Maine from 1867 to 1871.



Gen. Joshua Chamberlain

He was a Member of Brunswick Lodge No. 8 in Maine and was a very enthusiastic Freemason. In 1893 thirty years after defending the entire left flank of the Union line at Little Round Top on 2nd. July 1863 he was awarded the Medal of Honor from the President of the United States. After his death in 1914 the medal was



Joshua Chamberlain's Medal of Honor

lost and then remarkably in 2015 it turned up at a Church junk sale in Maine. It was immediately donated to the State of Maine museum.

MANTA FORCE !

Just in case anyone in the world did not see the gift that the RWM gave to his Substitute Master (Uncle Andy) here it is !

A Red Venom !!



Grand Lodge.

February Communication.

Thursday 4th. February will be an important date in the history of our Province as at this meeting Grand Lodge will approve the Commission of Bro.



William Perry, P.M. Lodge Robert Burns No. 440 as the 17th. Provincial Grand Master of the Middle Ward. Bro. Perry is currently The Depute Provincial Grand Master. The Brethren of Lodge St. Bryde are welcome to attend this meeting and support Bro. Perry.

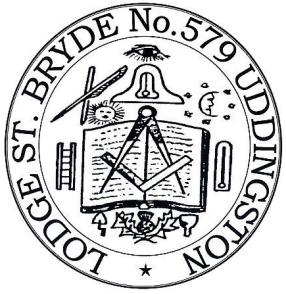
Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies.

Bro. James L. Jack, P.M. was Installed as Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies at the Annual Installation on 26th. November 2015. This is progression from his first Grand Office in 2014. A large number of Lodge St. Bryde



Brethren attended the Installation and the Festival of St. Andrew. At the Festival The Grand Master Mason, Bro. Charles Ian Robert Wolrige Gordon presented a representative of Prostate Scotland with a cheque for £10,000.

Lodge St. Bryde - Supporting Prostate Scotland 2016



Lodge St. Bryde News.

First Meeting — First Visitation

Bro. Stuart Jack, RWM presided at his first meeting as RWM on Wed. 9th. December and welcomed a very large Deputation from our sister Lodge, Cambuslang

Royal Arch No. 114 headed by Bro. Derek Hope, RWM who was heading his last Deputation as RWM. The Brethren from CRA 114 conducted an excellent M.M. Degree on Bro. Alan Macgregor, who has proved to be an excellent candidate at his three degrees. The RWM also attended Lodge Robert Burns 440 Installation, The R.W. Installing Masters being Bro. Bill Perry and Bro. Raymond Dow, P.M.

Note Date Change.

The F.C. Degree on 13th. January 2016 will now be conferred by Bro. Bryce Morrison WSW and not Lodge Buchanan 1499. Lodge 1499 have asked for a date change and will now confer the M.M. Degree at our meeting on 10th. February 2016.



Bro. Stuart Jack, RWM welcomes Bro. Derek Hope, RWM 114.



NEW MERCHANDISE
The Lodge Library has on sale a stock of the new style **Cufflinks (£10), Tie Pins & Tacks (£5) and Lapel Badges (£3)**



New Ribbon Emblems.

The design for the Ribbon Emblems for 579 Past Masters jewels are based on the colours and design chosen for the Centenary Jewel in 1976 and carried forward in our Lodge tie colours. The emblems are individually hand made by bespoke jewellers in Manchester. They are silver gilt and have three colours of

enamel applied then finely polished. They will form part of the new Past Masters jewel design and may be used on other Lodge St. Bryde presentation jewels.

Cambuslang Royal Arch Installation.

Our RWM while attending the Installation of Bro. Bob Stirling at Lodge Motherwell Caledonian No. 1228 learning of the possible cancellation of Lodge Cambuslang Royal Arch No. 114 Installation because of a collapsed ceiling in their main hall was quick to offer our premises as an alternative to cancellation. The Brethren of 114 were delighted that their Installation could go ahead on Fri. 18th. Dec.



Bro. William Dunsmore R.W.M. and the Office-bearers of 114.