

THIS IS AN EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE ALBERT EDWARD LODGE
No. 1714 MEETING HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING LONDON ROAD
CAMBERLEY ON WEDNESDAY APRIL 26th 1911.

Present were: 11 Officers including the W/M W/Bro. W. Vaughan
12 Members
2 Visitors

The Lodge was opened in due form after solemn prayer at 6.10 p.m.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and confirmed by the Brethren present.

A ballot was next taken on behalf of Mr. Frank Kenning who had been regularly proposed and seconded as a fit and proper person to become a Freemason. At the conclusion of the ballot it was found unanimous in his favour.

Mr. Kenning was then introduced to the Lodge as the candidate properly prepared to be made a Mason and was then duly initiated into the mysteries and privileges of the Order. The ceremony of initiation being ably rendered by the W.M.

The newly made Bro. then received the Charge of the 1st. Degree, the same being given in an impressive manner by the J.W. Bro. W.E. Matthews. Bro. Kenning then retired.

W. Bro. R. Shepperd I.P.M. then assumed the gavel, when Bro. Horace Moss was called to the pedestal and after he had given proof of his progress in the science was then entrusted with the P.G. and P.W. leading from the 1st to the 2nd. degree. He then retired to be prepared for this ceremony.

The Lodge was then advanced to the 2nd. Degree

Bro. Horace Moss was then re-admitted and passed to the Degree of F.C. the ceremony of passing being ably rendered by W. Bro. R. Shepherd. The F.C. then retired to his seat in the Lodge.

The W.M. now assumed the gavel and lowered the Lodge to the 1st Degree.

The Secretary then informed the W.M. and his Lodge that a large number of the Brethren had notified their inability to attend the next Lodge Regular meeting on the 31st May. After a slight discussion the following proposition was then put :-

" That a Dispensation be applied for to hold our next Regular Meeting on the

24th May 1911 "

Proposed by Bro. R. King - Almoner

Seconded by Bro. Appleton - S.D.

This was carried unanimously and the Secretary was instructed to make the necessary arrangements for same.

There were 5 apologies for non-attendance.

All business being ended, the Lodge was closed in perfect harmony at 8. p.m.