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Brother Chris Madsen: Masonic Marshal of the Oklahoma Frontier—October, 19

[*birth in Denmark; immigration to United States; enlisted in the 5th United States Cavalry; Buffalo Bill Cody; promoted to the position of quartermaster sergeant; married Margaret or "Maggie" Morris; appointed Deputy U.S. Marshal; El Reno Lodge No. 50 in El Reno, OK; Indian Territory; jailer and/or guard; promoted to the position of chief deputy; pursuing outlaws; Maggie Madsen's death; Rough Riders enlistment; "Catch 'Em Alive" Jack Abernathy; Guthrie, OK, Scottish Rite bodies; Heck Thomas; bookkeeping job as auditor for the Tulsa Police Department; guard duty at an Oklahoma City branch of the Federal Reserve Bank; elected to the Oklahoma Hall of Fame; death and burial*]

Brother James Hilton Stuart: Appalachian Literary Giant—September, 19

[*Appalachia; Will Wallace Harney; Greenup County, Kentucky; Stuart birth, parents, youth; Lincoln Memorial University; high school teacher; principal at Greenup High; autobiographical work, Beyond Dark Hills; principal at McKell High in South Shore; Harrison Fullerton Lodge No. 937; Greenup Lodge No. 89; his book of poetry, Man With a Bull-Tongue Plow; his first book of short stories, Head O' W-Hollow; Guggenheim Fellowship; remedial English instructor at Portsmouth High School in Ohio; short story collection, Men of the Mountains; and two novels, Trees of Heaven and Taps for Private Tussie; inducted into the U.S. Navy; The Thread That Runs so True recounted his teaching experiences in detail; Poet Laureate of Kentucky; Author in Residence at Eastern Kentucky University; Jesse Stuart Foundation; death*]

Brother Robert C. Byrd: Mountain State Senator and Fiddler—May, 19

[*born Cornelius Calvin Sale, Jr.; parents, adoptive parents, renamed as Robert Carlyle Byrd; life in the West Virginia coal-fields, his youth; takes up fiddling; employment as a butcher; marries Erma James; shipyard welder in WW II; elected to West Virginia House of Delegates; briefly belonged to the Ku Klux Klan; served three terms in the House of Representatives; George Washington and American universities; member of several fraternal orders; including the Elks, Moose, Knights of Pythias, and Odd Fellows; Mountain Masonic Lodge No. 156 in Coal City, WV; U.S. Senate election; 33° Grand Cross in Scottish Rite; County Records releases album "Mountain Fiddler"; appeared on "Grand Ole Opry"; zealous guardian of Senate privilege*]

Buck and the Mormons - Part I—October, 23

[*Lancaster Lodge No. 43; James Buchanan; nicknamed "Old Buck"; death of Buchanan; "the Mormon problem"; Buchanan ancestry; birth, parents, youth; Dickinson College; Widow Dutchman's Inn; elected to the Pennsylvania Legislature; the Lancaster Dragoons; a victim of "wry neck"; courts Ann Coleman; elected to the U.S. House of Representatives; Andrew Jackson; minister to Russia; Joseph Smith; Smith finds the golden plates; Book of Mormon; Brigham Young; Kirtland, Ohio*]

Buck and the Mormons - Part II—November, 24

[*Buchanan elected to fill William Wilkens' seat in the U.S. Senate; engagement to Mary Kittora Snyder; President Polk offers James the cabinet post of Secretary of State; Mormons in Missouri; Mormons in Quincy, IL; Mormons buy town of Commerce, IL and rename it Nauvoo; plural marriage; Nauvoo Lodge membership; murder of Joseph and Hyrum Smith; Mormon Battalion in Mexican War; trek to the Great Salt Lake; Mormon accomplishments at Great Salt*

Lake settlement; "The State of Deseret"; Utah Territory; Brigham Young makes polygamy lawful church practice]

Buck and the Mormons - Part III—December, 23

[Buchanan was known as "Old Buck"; heads a commission to England; John Brown; Pottawattamie, KS; Buchanan elected president; the Mormon problem of polygamy; Mormon scorched-earth policy; Mountain Meadow massacre; John D. Lee; pardon granted to all Mormons; Homestead Bill veto; Fort Sumter; Brigham Young; death and burial of Young; Buchanan joins the Presbyterian Church; last illness and death]

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[death is not the end; Easter is The Day Death Died; fear of death; Christ is alive to guide us through the valley of death into life eternal; God rolled the stone away not to let Jesus out, but to let us look in; wages of sin are death; Dr. E. Wilson; Dwight L. Moody]

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Drill Teams—May, 13

[modified rules for drill teams; Competitive Drill Competition; two types of drill: field and asylum; asylum drill essentially a series of movements similar to those used in opening a Commandery; field drill is a series of display movements executed for the enjoyment of an audience; all of the drills executed by the Grand Encampment for competitive purposes are field drills; practice needed]

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[Big Band Era; Hal Kemp Orchestra; death in auto collision; birth, parents, youth; music studies at Marion Military Institute; Charlotte, North Carolina; "The Merrymakers" small dance orchestra; his brother "T. D."; "Pennsylvania Serenaders" dance band; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; campus band known as 'The Carolina Club Orchestra'; "How I'll Miss You When Summer Is Gone" song; Paul Specht; Carolina Club Orchestra booked on the Cunard cruise ship, Berengaria; King Edward VIII; Hal played the alto saxophone and clarinet exclusively by 1926; Strand Roof engagement; Manger Hotel in NY; triumphal four-month tour on the continent in 1930]

Hal Kemp: Premier Musical Stylist, Part II—September, 23

[Brunswick Records; Victor Records; Chicago's elegant Blackhawk Restaurant; station WGN in Chicago; John Scott Trotter; Edgar "Skinny" Ennis; singer Bob Allen; singer Deane Janis; Earl Geiger; singer Maxine Grey; Clayton Cash; Hal received the Order of DeMolay Legion of Honor; Hal Kemp's Masonic lodge affiliation is unknown; first marriage in 1932 was to Margaret Elizabeth Slaughter; second marriage to Martha Stephenson in 1939; Denbrook Lodge; singer Nan Wynn; Hal Kemp funeral and burial; "T.D." death]

Hardy, Julia Irene Peterson—May, 32

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—January, 16

[Fifty-fifth Conclave, 1982, continued; Grand Priory of Gauls, France; Great Priory of Greece; display of the Holy Bible; Grand Cross of the Temple and Knights Commander of the Temple; Knight Templar Cross of Honor" amended; update all chapters and subjects as necessary in Scully's History; downturn in membership; Fifty-sixth Conclave, 1985]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—February, 16

[Fifty-sixth Conclave, 1985, continued; Freemasonry in Italy; Hilo Commandery No. 3, Hilo, Hawaii; and Kalakaua Commandery No. 2, Kailua, Hawaii; \$0.45 increase in per capita; mileage expense and per diem for attendance at the Triennial Conclave; what order Templar jewels would be placed on the uniform; change the requirements for a Mason to become a Knight Templar; require a vote of 2/3 to change the Constitution (instead of a 3/4 majority), and a simple majority to change a Statute (instead of a 2/3 majority)]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—March, 16

[Fifty-sixth Conclave, 1985, continued; optional addition of spoken ritual for the Jewish Council in the Order of the Red Cross; Chardin Commandery, U.D., Dusseldorf, Germany; Dionysius Areopagites Commandery, U.D., and Constantine Paleologos Commandery U.D., both of Athens, Greece; Alberto Carrocci Commandery, U.D., Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua, Mexico; A "York Rite Mason Magazine"; two-thirds of the updated version of Sir Knight Francis Scully's History of the Grand Encampment has been typeset, and work on the remainder is continuing"; Fifty-seventh Conclave, 1988; caps and mantles may now be worn for all Templar occasions; authority to give Subordinate Commanderies outside the United States whatever hardship figures are necessary (regarding conferral fees); voluntary nonaffiliation in a Lodge or Chapter, or Council where required, or suspension or expulsion from required bodies for six months, will suspend Commandery membership without due notice or hearing]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—April, 16

[Fifty-seventh Conclave, 1988, continued; dispensations granted and discontinued; charters granted to Medferranae Commandery, Naples, Italy and Giacomo DeMolay Commandery, Leghorn, Italy; charter of Hermann von Saiza Commandery terminated; attempt to establish two honorary grades and ranks (Grand Cross of the Temple, GCT and Knight Commander of the Temple, KCT) failed; Honorary memberships in the Grand Encampment presented; Fifty-eighth Conclave, 1991; John J. Robinson, author of Born in Blood, delivered an inspiring tribute]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—May, 16

[Fifty-eighth Conclave, 1991, continued; issue of twelve new charters: one to a new Commandery in the state of Delaware, one in Aruba, one in the U.S. Virgin Islands, two in Venezuela, and seven in Italy; charter of Hermann von Salza No. 1 in Germany restored; approval of plural membership rather than dual membership, authorizing a Sir Knight to belong to more than two Commanderies at the same time; proposals to name a patron saint of the Grand Encampment defeated; establish a Holy Land Pilgrimage Foundation; allow fewer than nine members of a Commandery to constitute a quorum; increase the price of a "Life Sponsor" from \$30.00 to \$50.00]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—June, 16

[Fifty-eighth Conclave, 1991, continued; Fifty-ninth Conclave, 1994; letter from our Senior Past Grand Master, John L. Crafts was read; Grand Encampment Membership Jewel created; "Knight Templar Eye Foundation Credit Card"; proposal to add those who became Associate Patrons (with the donation of \$50.00), or Patrons (with the donation of \$100.00) to the group of Life Sponsors (who had donated \$30.00), to the group which could not be assessed \$1.00 a year]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—July, 16

[Fifty-ninth Conclave, 1994, continued; withdraw recognition of the Great Priory of Helvetia; establish Commanderies and Grand Commanderies in any country in which there is no supreme governing body exercising Knight Templar jurisdiction; attempt to delete the requirement to be either a York Rite or a Scottish Rite Mason to be a member of the Shrine]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—August, 16

[Fifty-ninth Conclave, 1994, continued; officer nominations and elections; Sixtieth Triennium, 1997]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—September, 16

[Sixtieth Triennium, 1997, continued; U. D. Charter to Lima Commandery, U.D., April 2, 1997; History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America, updated through the 60th triennium by Jacob C. Baird; Schools of Instruction and Commandery Workshops; insufficient number of members are stepping forward and

volunteering to undertake "to commit to memory the more lengthy passages of ritual"]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—October, 16

[Sixtieth Triennium, 1997, continued; report on the Easter Sunrise Memorial Service; 972 Christian ministers have been sent on the tour of the Holy Land by the Grand Encampment since 1977; creation of the 'Knight Templar Grove'; dispensation for Kodiak Commandery, U.D., Alaska, continued for another three years; reinstate recognition of the Great Priory of Helvetia]

History of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America: Book II—November, 16

[Sixtieth Triennium, 1997, continued; proposals concerning changes in the uniform; extend to all Grand Masters "of Grand Lodges "or their Personal Representatives an Arch of Steel and the Public Grand Honors of Masonry"; election and installation of officers]

Homecoming (Poem)—January, 32

I

Illegal Trial of Jesus The Christ, Part I, The—February, 21

[Harold R. Banke; Walter M. Chandler; David K. Breed; arrest, trial, conviction, and crucifixion of Jesus; Judas Iscariot; Last Supper; Gethsemane; Jesus was arrested and was tried six times before he was crucified; Annas; Caiaphas; Sanhedrin; Pilate; Herod (Antipas); charge of sedition; charge of blasphemy; Praetorium]

Illegal Trial of Jesus The Christ, Part II, The—March, 11

[John the Baptist; Pilate's wife Claudia; Friday, the 14th of Nisan; cross on which Jesus was crucified not the cross generally pictured by artists; Nicodemus and Joseph of Arimathea; Record of Hebrew Law; Record of Roman Law; the trial was a farce and a mockery of justice; case of judicial murder]

J

Johnson, Peter H., Jr.—March, 27

K

Kerr, Donald Craig—December, 9

Knight Templar Band Music—March, 27

[Golden Age of the American Concert Band; John Philip Sousa, Henry Fillmore, Karl L. King and Fred Jewell; Columbia Commandery No. 2 in Washington, D.C.; march compositions with a Knights Templar connection; "The Crusaders"; "The Thunderer"; "Nobles of the Mystic Shrine"; T. M. Carter; Boston Commandery; "Forest City Commandery"; "Jacque DeMolay"; Harry J. Lincoln; "Baldwin Commandery"; J. F. Blumenberg; "Mt. Vernon Commandery"; other march titles include "DeMolay Commandery" by R. B. Hall, "Knight Commander March" by F. H. Losey, "Knighthood March" by Harold Bennett (aka Henry Fillmore), "Knights Escort March" also by Losey, and "Knights of Chivalry Grand March" by Louis Panella, or "Knight Templar Ballet Music" by H. Litloff]

L

Little Jimmy Dickens: Music City Legend and Newly Raised Master Mason—April, 19

[legendary figure in country music; Grand Ole Opry; James Cecil Dickens; his birth, parents, youth; first public appearance at a talent contest in Pineville, West Virginia; radio station WJLS regular performer; Trap Hill High School in Surveyor, West Virginia baseball team; teamed up with T. Texas Tyler at WIBC Indianapolis, Indiana; other radio stations performances; Roy Acuff; contract with Columbia Records; "Take an Old Cold later and Wait"; "The Violet and a Rose"; "May the Bird of Paradise Fly Up Your Nose"; United Artists Records; Country Music Association Hall of Fame; married Ernestine Jones; Hiram Lodge No. 7 in Franklin, Tennessee; Dickens made a Kentucky Colonel]

M

Managing the Way Others Perceive Your Commandery—September, 7

[identify and manage the perceptions of those it wishes to reach; market research, marketing, public relations, customer service, and media advocacy programs; Ask active members what it is about the Commandery that creates the commitment and desire to participate in our order; ask for improvement recommendations; explore the reason for inactive member inactivity or separation and tell them how much they are missed; share with potential members an overview of the York Rite, and emphasize the features and benefits of membership; assess feedback results; our

product may need to be "reengineered" for the existing and perhaps be "redefined" for the new; establish both short and long-term changes; monitor the results of your efforts and make adjustments as needed]

Masonic Trace at Donner Pass - Part I—March, 18

[one of the great American tragedies of the 19th century; Truckee, California scene of Donner wagon train disaster during winter of 1846-47; began in spring of 1846 at Springfield, Illinois; anti-Masonic political party; Masons in the Donner Party; James Frazier Reed; George and Jacob Donner; names of the Reed family; Donner family; Springfield Lodge No. 4 and Springfield Royal Arch Chapter; Lewis Keseberg; Fort Bridger; Hastings cutoff; Stanley Vestal; Weber Canyon; Great Salt Lake; Luke Halloran Masonic burial; Salt Lake Desert crossing; California Trail; Sierra Nevada Mountains]

Masonic Trace at Donner Pass - Part II—April, 23

[Gravelly Ford on the Humboldt River; John Snyder; Elizabeth Reed; Milt Elliott; Indians skulking near the train, killing the stock or running them off; so short of oxen that everyone had to walk and carry personal belongings to lighten the wagons; Mr. Wolfinger; Joseph Rhinehart; C. T. Stanton; Truckee Meadows campsite; Alder Creek winter quarters; building cabins to overwinter in; three cabins actually housed sixty souls: nineteen men, twelve women, and twenty-nine children; slow process of starvation begins; women became surrogate nurses; construct fourteen pairs of snowshoes; trek through mountains and deep snow; resort to cannibalism; arrival at a village of Digger Indians; Johnson Ranch; rest of the Donner party rescued; Johann A. Sutter; Patrick Breen cabin]

Masonic Trace at Donner Pass - Part III—May, 23

[Captain Reasin P. Tucker; first rescue party; Aquilla Glover; Patrick Breen; Captain Tucker's return march; James Reed; William McCutcheon; Selim E. Woodworth; arduous trek to safety; final salvage expedition; W. O. Fallon; Lewis Keseberg; Sutter's Mill; Masonic memberships of some of the Donner party and others involved in the story; Charles E McGlashan]

N

Necessity of Personal Involvement in Templary, The—April, 12; June, 5 (Repeat)

[Christian community as a whole has been severely lacking in the support and defense of its primary institutions; we as Templars also swore to support the principles involved in the Christian religion; every Sir Knight should be thoroughly educated in our mission, our history, our philosophy, and our philanthropies; have lectures and present papers which can educate Christian Masons about who we are and why they should be a part of the promotion of our mission; majority of Christians and Knights Templar do not understand and appreciate the freedoms which Christianity gives us; "politically correct" people; Jesus gave us the freedom to decide how we each shall serve the Lord; more personal involvement can be the salvation of our wonderful Fraternity]

North America, the Ancient Craft, and Three Centuries Past—February, 27

[French and Indian War; Revolutionary War; Grand Lodge of Ireland forms a lodge in Nova Scotia; Lord George Sackville; Lt. Colonel Edward Cornwallis; 20th Irish Foot Regiment; Minden Lodge No. 63; Major General Frederick Adolph Riedesel; warrant, jewels, and equipment of Minden Lodge were lost somewhere in India during an uprising; "Lady Fritz"; first illuminated Christmas tree in Canada]

P

Pace, Arthur C.—April, 6

Plessinger, Maude Woods—November, 32

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R

Revolutionary Civilian, A—August, 21

[Rhode Island; Roger Williams; Governor Walter Clarke; Jabez Bowen; Rhode Island offices held by Bowen; St. John's Lodge in Providence; John Rowe; Grand Lodge of Rhode Island-- Grand Master; president of the Bible Society of Rhode Island; death]

Rex Allen: The Arizona Masonic Cowboy—June, 21

[reason for nickname "The Arizona Cowboy"; recordings on the Mercury and Decca labels; birth, family, youth; Phoenix, AZ radio station KOY; station WHIS in Bluefield, West Virginia; station WTTM in Trenton, New Jersey; station

WCAU Philadelphia; audition at the "Grand Ole Opry"; "National Barn Dance"; Chicago and station WLS; wife, Bonnie Linder; Gene Autry; his first film, *The Arizona Cowboy*; Roy Rogers; Dell published a "Rex Allen Comics"; *The Secret of Navajo Cave* movie; horse named Koko; *The Phantom Stallion* movie; Hollywood Lodge No. 355; syndicated television program titled "Frontier Doctor"; songs "Don't Go Near the Indians" and "Tiny Bubbles"; narration work for Walt Disney; *Rex Allen Days in Willcox, AZ*; Conejo Valley Lodge No. 807; Scottish Rite degrees in the Valley of Pasadena; Sabbar Shrine in Tucson; "I'll be one (a Mason) 'til I die"

Royal Order of Scotland, The—June, 27

[*Robert the Bruce; Battle of Bannockburn; suppression of the Templar order; sixty-three Templars aided Robert the Bruce; Rosy Cross Order; Order of Heredom of Kilwinning; sarcophagus effigy of Robert the Bruce; provincial lodge of the United States; Albert Pike; Royal Order of Scotland qualifications*]

S

Sir Knight Charles Grosvenor: President McKinley's Man in Congress—January, 25

[*"Gilded Age"; Charles Henry Grosvenor; his birth, parents, youth; Lot L. Smith; Bartlett Lodge, U.D. (later No. 293); affiliation with Paramuthia Lodge in Athens, Ohio; married Samantha Stewart; major in Union Army; 18th O.V.I.; brevetted Brigadier General; Joseph M. Dana; Athens Chapter No. 39, Royal Arch Masons; Athens Council No. 15, Royal and Select Masters; and Athens Commandery No. 15, Knights Templar; as a widower, in 1867 he married again, this time to Louise Currier; Athens County seat in the Ohio legislature; Evan Jones; three consecutive terms in Congress; Dingley Tariff bill; Champ Clark; the "Sage of Athens"; Chickamauga Battlefield Commission; death*]

Sir Knight J. Strom Thurmond: The Ultimate Senior Senator!—December, 18

[*James Strom Thurmond; birth, father, youth; Clemson College; teacher and coach at McCormick High School; Masonic membership; elected state senator; racial moderate; state judgeship; U.S. Army service; governor of SC; marries Jean Crouch; joins Scottish Rite; Dixiecrats; U.S. Senator; States' Rights Southern Democrat; switched parties and became a Republican; marries Nancy Moore; joins York Rite; Grand Cross, A. & A.S.R., S.J.; President Pro Tem of the Senate; biographer Nadine Cohodas*]

Sir Knight William B. Saxbe: Attorney General, Diplomat, Senator—July, 21

[*"the Squire of Mechanicsburg"; William Bart Saxbe birth, parents, youth, education; Mechanicsburg Lodge No. 113; Scottish Rite degrees in Dayton, OH; Antioch Shrine Temple in Dayton; elected to the lower house of the Ohio General Assembly; Ohio State University; Mechanicsburg Chapter No. 168, R.A.M.; Urbana Council No. 59, R. & S.M.; Raper Commandery No. 19; George H. Bender; Attorney General of Ohio; Senate seat; views about Nixon Administration; Ambassador to India; honorary academic degrees; 33° AASR*]

Smith, Jr., Rev. Donald H.—December, 7

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W

What Does Templary Stand For?—October, 13

[*Ancient Craft Masonry sets the stage and prepares the way for the Orders of Christian Knighthood; Templary represents the best and noblest in humanity, It encourages right thinking and right living. It reveals Christianity in action; world needs Templary because it is a positive spiritual force for good; support of civic decency and of patriotic activities; pledged our swords and our lives to the defense of those principles which exalt and embellish human life; Passion Cross is the emblem of the Templar's faith in the blessed Savior; the blood-red Passion Cross declares our*

fidelity to Christ and a firm belief in His teachings; great mission of "The Support and Defense of the Christian Religion"]

Wofford, Charles A.—February, 21