



A full afternoon for Hill of Zion



Hill of Zion had a busy afternoon on Wednesday the 22nd of January with meetings of the Scarlet Cord Consistory and OSM Conclave. Attending both meetings were our Provincial Grand Summus, R.Dist.Comp. Nigel Thomson, and the Deputy Provincial Grand Summus, Dist.Comp. Chris Eley,

Also present were the Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler, R.Wy.Bro. Colin Beerling and our Deputy Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler, Wy.Bro. Ian Bloodworth. of the Provincial Grand Conclave of Surrey in the Order of the Secret Monitor.



The Consistory was opened by the President, Dist.Comp. Donald McGarr, who welcomed the visitors; especially the Provincial Grand Summus, a member of the Consistory, and the Deputy Provincial Grand Summus.



Comp. Prof Mark David Sharp was welcomed as a joining member and Em.Comp. Graham Marsh was declared as President for the ensuing year.

The President invited R.Dist.Comp. Nigel Thomson to present a Grand Senatus Certificate to Comp. Adebayo Agilogba which he did in a most informative way.

The Consistory was then closed and after photographs the Temple was set up for the Conclave meeting that followed.



The Conclave was opened by the Supreme Ruler, Wy.Bro. Graham Marsh, who welcomed the visitors; especially the Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler, R.Wy.Bro. Colin Beerling, the Deputy Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler, Wy.Bro. Ian Bloodworth, and the Grand Visitor, V.Wy.Bro. William Lloyd.

An In Memoriam to M.Wy.Bro. Michael Guest, **P.G.S.R.**, and R.Wy.Bro. David Milne-Leith, **P.G.G.**, were given by Wy.Bro. Nigel Thomson.

After the regular business of the Conclave was completed, the next item on the agenda was to perform a rehearsal of the Induction Ceremony.

The Ceremony was conducted by Wy.Bro. Grham Marsh, and R.Wy.Bro. Colin Beerling gave the explanation of the Weapons. This very useful rehearsal will prepare them for when they have a candidate.

The Supreme Ruler welcomed a joining member to the Conclave, Prof Mark David Sharp, of Charles Edward Keyser Conclave.

The Conclave was then closed, and we retired to the bar for refreshments before sitting down to a most convivial meal at the Croydon Masonic Hall.

