MASTERS OF LODGE FORTROSE FROM 1769-1900.

1769-1770-Archibald Smlth, Collector of Customs.

1771-1772—Baille John McEiver.

1773-1796-No record.

1797 -Francis Humberstone Mackenzie, Lord Seaforth, who occupied the position of "Grand Master" till his death in 1815. John Reid, Comptroller of Customs, was the first D. M.

1798-1799—Malcolm McNeil, Merchant, initiated 1797.

1800-1801—Roderick McIver, Comptroller of Customs, afterwards removed to Thurso. Initiated 1797. Died 1834.

1802-1803-James Robertson, Collector of Customs. Initiated 9th Sept., 1797. 1804-1805—James Chapman, Chamberlain of the Lews. Initiated 26th Dec., 1800. 1806-1807—Kenneth McIver, Postmaster. Initiated 9th Sept., 1797. 1808-1809—Malcolm McNeil, Merchant, second term of office.

1810-1812—James Robertson, Collector, second term. 1813-1815—Roderick McIver, Comptroller, second term.

1816-1821—Kenneth McIver, second Grm. First R.W.M. after Lord Seaforth.

1822-1825—James Robertson, Collector, third term.

1826-1827—Roderick McIver, Comptroller, third term.

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1828-1829—John McKenzie, senior, Merchant. Initiated 6th February, 1800.

1830-1831—John McAulay, Merchant. Initiated 13th September, 1802. Son of Malcolm McAulay, farmer. Died 17th October, 1876. Aged 96.

1832-1833—Kenneth McKenzie, Comptroller of Customs. Afterwards removed to Aherdeen. Initiated 5th January, 1815. 1834-1837—Lewis McIver, Farmer, Gress. Initiated 26th December, 1801.

1838-1839—Roderick Morison, Merchant, afterwards Banker. Initiated December, 1829. Died 21st January, 1863, aged 69. 26th

1840-1841—Malcolm McAulay, Merchant, hrother of John McAulay. Initiated 19th December, 1822. Died 15th January, 1875, aged 85.

1842-1843-Lewis McIver, Gress, second term. 1844-1845-John McAulay, Merchant, second term.

1846-1847—Roderick Morison, Banker, son of Aiec. McIver, Surgeon. Initiated 26th December, 1838. Died 2nd April, 1879, aged 64. 1848-1849—Norman McIver, Banker. Initiated 26th December, 1838. Died 2nd

April, 1879.

1850-1851-James Robertson McIver, Merchant and Shipowner, son of Lewis McIver, Gress. Initiated 26th December, 1838. Dled 13th January, 1864, aged 46.

1852-1853—Daniel Lewis McKenzie, Shipowner. Initiated 26th December, 1838. Died 7th July, 1857.

1854-1855—John Morison McLeod, Shlpowner (of Liverpool), son of Daniel McLeod, Farmer. Died 10th April, 1864, aged 69.

-Norman McIver, Banker, second term.

-James Rohertson McIver, Shipowner, second term. 1857

1858-1859—Donald McKenzie, Shipowner, son of Donald McKenzie, Shipowner. Died 30th November, 1876, aged 70.

1860-1862-Roderick Morison, Banker, third term. 1863-1864-Norman McIver, Banker, third term.

1865-1866—Donald McKenzie, Shipowner, second term.

1867-1868—Alexander Robertson, Shipowner, son of Aiec. Robertson, Merchant. Initiated 25th Dec., 1849. Died 25th April, 1871, aged 58.

1869 Colin Morison, Spirit Merchant. Initiated 26th November, 1829. Son of Angus Morison, Seaman. Dled 14th Feh., 1879, aged 80.

1870-1871—Aiexander Robertson, Shipowner, second term. 1872-1874—Sergt. William Craig. Volunteer Drill Instructor. Affliated 6th December, 1867. Died 31st December, 1874, aged 43.

1875 -John Chisholm, Merchant. Initiated 20th Feb., 1863. Dec., 1875, aged 34. Son of Roderick Chishoim, Excise Officer. -Napier Campheli, Lawyer. Affiliated 1872. Died 13th Dec., 1885, 1876

aged 53.