

GRAND ROYAL ARK LODGE.

THIS body, which was instituted in Canada in 1872, by our esteemed friend Col. Moore, has recently been placed in thorough working order. While in Ottawa on the 15th October, the Grand Commander made the following appointments to office: M. W. Bro. Col. W. J. B. McLeod Moore, 33°, Supreme Grand Commander; M. W. Bro. T. Douglas Harington, 33°, Past Supreme Grand Commander; R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, 32°, Deputy Grand Commander; R. W. Bro. George C. Longley, 32°, Past Deputy Grand Commander; R. W. Bro. Hugh A. MacKay, 33°, Inspector General for Ontario; R. W. Bro. S. Binkerton Harman, 18°, Past Inspector General for Ontario; R. W. Bro. N. Gordon Bigelow, 18°, Past Inspector General for Ontario; R. W. Bro. J. G. Le Blanc, 32°, Inspector General for Quebec; R. W. Bro. Robert Marshall, 33°, Inspector General for New Brunswick; R. W. Bro. H. Sucombe, 18°, Inspector General for Nova Scotia; R. W. Bro. David McLellan, 32°, G. S. Warden; R. W. Bro. Fred. J. Menet, 32°, G. J. Warden; R. W. Bro. Thos. Sargant, 18°, G. Treasurer; R. W. Bro. James B. Nixon, 18°, Toronto, G. Scribe; R. W. Bro. Benj. Barnard, G. Registrar; V. W. Bro. David Maxwell, 18°, G. S. Deacon; V. W. Bro. W. R. Jameson, G. J. Deacon; V. W. Bro. C. S. Elliott, 18°, G. Supt. Works; V. W. Bro. J. W. H. Wilson, 18°, G. M. of C.; V. W. Bro. John Satchell, G. S. B.; V. W. Bro. W. H. Porter, 18°, G. Guardian; V. W. Bro. John L. Dixon, G. Warder.

The next Annual Meeting will be held at the same time and place as the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, when a proposition will be submitted to the Grand Council, to make such arrangements as will place the Ark Mariners under its direction and government. In this we heartily concur, as it is not desirable to have so many Grand Bodies in Canada.

PROCEEDINGS OF GRAND BODIES.

THE Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of California held its twentieth Annual Communication in April, and a copy of the proceedings closely printed and occupying four hundred and forty-five pages, has reached us. The transactions of thirty-two Grand Chapters are reviewed, and form an important feature in the book.

THE Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Delaware was held on the 8th of October. The following Officers were elected: Grand Master, John P. Allmond; Deputy Grand Master, J. E. Lank; Grand Senior Warden, J. B. Roberts; Grand Junior Warden, E. J. Millwend; Grand Treasurer, John Otto; Grand Secretary, W. S. Hayes.

THE following Knights have just been elected Grand Officers of the Grand Commandery of New York for the ensuing year: A. Eugene Lytte, R. E. G. C.; Charles Roome, V. E. D. G. C.; Robert Black, E. Grand Generalissimo; Townsend Fonday, G. C. General; Rev. John G. Webster, G. Prelate; Charles Holden, G. S. W.; George W. Southwick, G. J. W.; John S. Perry, G. T.

WE have before us the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, the annual meeting, noticed last month, having taken place at St. John, on the 23rd, 24th and 25th September. Grand Master