Third Degree Parts

White River Lodge #62

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Candidate:

First Section

WM: Mike Gibbs

SW: Danny Keelin

JW: Richard Prather

Tr: Steve Beardsley

Sec: Gene Stirling

SD: Santiago Limon

JD: Larry Pederson

SS: Fred Bridges

JS:

Mar: Al Warner

Tyler: Don Anderson

Chap: Robert Stirling

Musician: Pete Johnson

Second Section

KS: Frank Edens

HKT: Richard Prather

Graveside Prayer: Frank Edens

SD:

JD: Gene Stirling

1st Ruff: Larry Pedersen

2nd Ruff: Robert Stirling

3rd Ruff: Danny Keelin

G. Sec: Fred Bridges

1st Fell: Mike Gibbs

2nd Fell: Steve Beardsley

3rd Fell:

SFM: Fred Bridges

WFM: Frank Jacks

Grand Marshal: Al Warner

Musician: Pete Johnson

Chap: Robert Stirling

Lecture: Danny Keelin

Charge: Frank Edens

Master’s Charge: Mike Gibbs

Bible: Mike Gibbs

Apron:

Ballot Box:

Third Degree Procession Instructions

The success of the procession begins with the ruffians placing the candidate far enough away from the Senior Warden's station that two columns of brothers may pass between the candidate and the Senior Warden's station. This is critical for a degree where everyone is working together.

After the Master says, 'Brother Hiram of Tyre take unto yourself suitable assistance and go with me to raise the body of the Grand Master Hiram Abif', the Senior Warden says Brother Marshal ATTEND.

The Marshal says: 'Stewards take your stations. Brethren form lines behind the Stewarts double file.' (The Deacons fall in at the end of the Procession.)
The Marshal gives the command 'Forward MARCH!'

On the second time around the lodge, Hiram King of Tyre removes the blindfold.
On the third time around the lodge, Hiram, King of Yyre and King Solomon Joins into the procession.

The Procession goes once around the lodge to the starting point. On the second loop, The Hiram King of Tyre removes the blind fold and joins in at the end of the procession.

The Procession returns to the starting point again. After the Procession passes the Master, he falls in at during the third time around the altar the end of the procession.

After the Procession passes in front of the Senior Warden's station, the Marshal gives the order 'Columns Open Ranks! MARCH. (This has worked well in the past)

As the Stewards returns to the Starting Point, the Marshal gives the command: COLUMNs HALT! Face INWARD'

The Master and Senior Warden go through the columns. The Deacons goes through the columns; brethren at the end of the columns follow until all brethren have gone through. The Deacons lead the respective columns on either side of the Altar to form lines on either side of the grave. The brethren face inward giving the Master and Senior Warden plenty of room to circle the grave. The Deacons and the Steward's cross rods while facing each other – each of the Deacons face each of the Stewards. They are guarding over the grave.