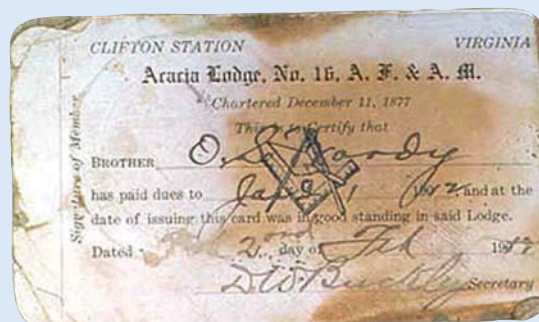


# 100th Anniversary of the Sinking of the *Titanic*

The White Star liner, RMS Titanic, sank on April 15, 1912 three hours after colliding with an iceberg. This maritime disaster has continued to capture the imagination of people around the world over the last 100 years. Eight hundred thirty two passengers and six hundred and eighty five members of the crew perished.

Aboard the Titanic on that fateful day were people from all walks of life, including the following list of Freemasons. (The list was supplied by Brother Norman Lincoln.)



This dues card belonged to Brother Woody and was recovered with his remains.

## Passengers:

- 1. Major Archibald Willingham Butt**, reporter, secretary to US Ambassador to Mexico, member of Temple Noyes Lodge #32, DC
- 2. Francis Davis Millet**, war correspondent in Europe & Philippines, illustrator, London Graphic artist, Kane Lodge #454, NY
- 3. Henry Birkhard Harris**, theater manager, Boston & NY agent for Lily Langtry & May Irwin, Munn Lodge #190, NY
- 4. Howard Brown Case**, manager for Standard Oil Co. in London, America Lodge #3368, United Grand Lodge of England
- 5. William Anderson Walker**, Worshipful Master of Hope Lodge #124, NJ
- 6. Alexander Holverson**, manager of Cluett Peabody & Co, Transportation Lodge #842, NY

- 7. Henry Price Hodges**, musical instruments salesman, Caulsentum Lodge #1461, UGLE
- 8. Thomas William Solomon Brown**, owner of the Masonic Hotel in from Worcester, South Africa
- 9. William John Robert Turpin**, carpenter, St. George Lodge #2025, UGLE
- 10. William Thomas Stead**, editor, author, scholar, controversial creator of tabloid journalism, Lodge unknown
- 11. Elmer Zebley Taylor**, inventor of the paper cup, lived in East Orange NJ, (survived & died May 22, 1949) his obituary mentions that he was a Mason though his Lodge is unknown

## Crew:

- 12. Herbert John Pitman**, Third Officer, Abbey Lodge #3341, England (survived & died Dec. 7, 1961 after sixty years at sea)
- 13. Harold Godfrey Lowe**, Fifth Officer, joined the Lodge in the 1920s (survived & died May 12, 1944)
- 14. John T. Hardy**, Chief Second Class Steward, Tecumseh Lodge #467, NY (survived & died Oct. 8, 1953)
- 15. Pierre Giuseppe Bochet**, caterer and waiter, Loggia Italia #2687, UGLE
- 16. Robert Arthur Wareham**, First Class Steward, Toxteth Lodge #1356, UGLE
- 17. Arthur Lawrence**, Steward, Neptune Lodge #1264, UGLE
- 18. Percy Cornelius Taylor**, cellist & pianist for the eight member band, Past Master of Musgrave Lodge #1597, UGLE
- 19. Oscar Scott Woody**, mail clerk, Acacia Lodge #16, VA (his Lodge dues card was recovered from his remains)