

HOMER M. PACE

#### BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

#### HOMER M. PACE

Born: Wake County, North Carolina, September 14, 1891, son of Thomas Lillington and Almetre G. (Brooks) Pace.

Education: Public schools of Wake and Durham Counties, Southern Commercial School, Durham, University and business institute extension courses.

Married: Mabel B. Proctor of Columbia, S. C., November 18, 1919.

Children: Homer M. Pace, Jr., T. Proctor Pace, and Mabel II.

Business: Employed by Charleston Consolidated Railway and Lighting Company July 11, 1911. (Now South Carolina Power Company.) 1911-1914, clerical work; purchasing agent and store-keeper 1914-1921; comptroller 1921-24; assistant to Vice-President and General Manager, 1924-1928; Vice-President since 1928 (Industrial Development and Public Relations); director of company since 1932.

Religious: Member, Board of Deacons and President of the Corporation, The Citadel Square Baptist Church, Charleston.

Charitable and Character-Building, Health Improvement Agencies:
Past president and past director, Charleston Y.M.C.A.
Trustee, Charleston Y.W.C.A.

Member, Interstate Committee Y.M.C.A. of the Carolinas. Member, Coastal Carolina Council, Boy Scouts of America. President, Charleston Port Society (welfare of seamen).

Member, Joint Operating Committee, The Harriett Pinckney Home for Seamen.

Trustee, Faith Chapel, Folly Beach, S. C.

Trustee, William Enston Home of Charleston.

State Seal Sale Chairman 1949, S. C. Tuberculosis Association.

Director, S. C. Hospital Service Plan (Blue Cross).

Member, National Probation Association.

Member, Huguenot Church Council.

Educational, Agricultural, Scientific Associations:

Member, Clemson College Board of Visitors, 1944-1945. Trustee and Vice-President, Charleston Free Library 1930 to

date.

Trustee and Past President, The Southern Association of Science and Industry, Inc.

Member, Advisory Council, Southern Research Institute. Director, Charleston Agricultural and Industrial Fair.

Member, Executive Committee, The Agricultural Society of

South Carolina. Trustee, Charleston Museum.

Trustee, Ashley Hall Foundation.

Trustee, Historic Charleston Foundation.

Member, American Farm Chemurgic Council.

Member, South Carolina Academy of Science.

Member, South Carolina Historical Society.

Member, Charleston Library Society.

Member, Society for the Preservation of Old Dwellings.

#### Business Associations:

Member and Past President, Charleston Chamber of Commerce.

Director and Chairman Finance Committee, South Carolina State Chamber of Commerce.

Member, Charleston Development Board.

Member, Research, Planning and Development Board of South

Director, Southern Industrial Relations Conference.

Member, Southern States Industrial Council.

#### Other Civic Agencies and Associations:

Navy League of United States (Navy Day Chairman S. C. 1930-35).

Vice-President, Citadel-Charleston Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution.

Chairman, Civic Services Committee, Carolina Art Association.

Azalea Festival, Inc. (charter member).

#### Masonic Activities:

Member, Orange Lodge No. 14 A.F.M. since 1916.

Master, 1922, subsequently served as Secretary.

Member, Sesqui-Centennial Committee of the Lodge, 1939.

Past President, Square and Level Club of Charleston.

Member, War Service Committee of the Grand Lodge.

Senior Grand Warden, 1946.

Deputy Grand Master, 1948-49, 1949-50.

Chairman, Service Committee, 1946-1950.

Honorary Member Port Royal Lodge No. 242.

Member, Carolina Chapter R.A.M. No. 1.

Member, Enoch Council R-SM, No. 1.

#### Clubs and Societies:

St. Andrew's Society.

Newcomen Society of England (American Branch).

Brigadier Club.

Charleston Club.

Propeller Club of Port of Charleston.

Lions Club of Charleston (Past President).

#### Honors:

Silver Beaver Award Boy Scouts of America, 1949. Achievement Medal, University of Tampa, Florida, 1949.

February 7, 1950.

### PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

# Two Hundred and Thirteenth Annual Communication

OF THE

## Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free Masons of South Carolina

MARCH 8, 9 and 10, A. L. 5950, A. D. 1950

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M∴W∴BRO. HOMER M. PACE, Grand Master Charleston

M.: W.: BRO. O. FRANK HART, P. G. M., Grand Secretary

Columbia

M.:W.:BRO. HENRY F. COLLINS, P. G. M., Asst. Grand Secretary Columbia

The R. L. Bryan Company Columbia, S. C.