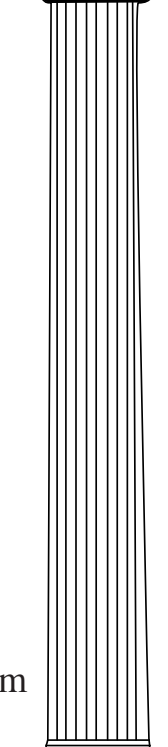
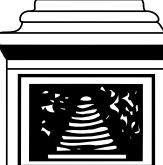
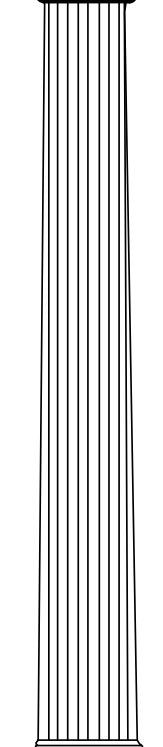


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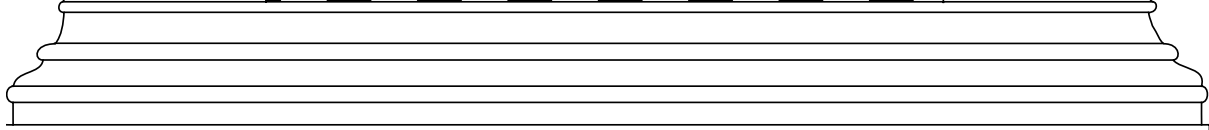
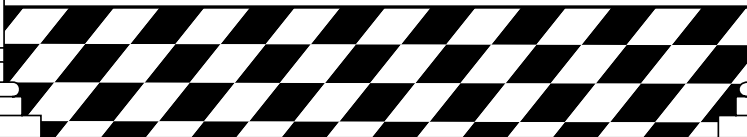
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NOVEMBER 2013



FROM THE PILLAR OF WISDOM

Brethren and Ladies:

Robin and I would like to thank Beverly Lynn for the spooky decorations on our October Stated Meeting Dinner tables.



Brothers for the funds. I must say it hasn't changed much. They did shorted the session from about a week to a weekend, that was nice, since Robin did-

n't get off work until 10pm on Thursday and I had to get her back to work at Midnight on Monday. The rest was about the same though, Brothers disrespecting each other. Resolutions that seemed like no brainers, not passing. Finally, a resolution to reinstate a former Mason that was expelled for not only causing the death of his wife and the injury of his daughter in a DWI accident, but apparently he also molested a member of a Masonic youth order, obviously he was not let back in, but somehow he did get 33 votes, WHAT?????. My three earlier trips were equally disappointing.

As some of you know, I enjoy the movie "The Secret". It is a video that teaches the the law of attraction and power of positive thinking. Two ideas I figured out when I was a young lad growing up. If you've not yet checked it out, it's worth the time, you can also find it in

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In October we helped six Brothers advance along their Masonic Journey, Brothers Thomas, Cumming, Helton, Napoles, MacDade were passed to the Degree of FellowCraft and Brother Greenberg was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason. In November we will raise two more Master Masons Brothers Sumpter and Thomas are both scheduled for their third Degrees. Please take the time to join us are their degrees.

November's Stated Meeting is our Annual Election of Officers as well as the evening we officially present the Flag of Our Country. It is also my last stated in the East, as December is our move up night. It's been fun and I really appreciate the opportunity to sit the Oriental Chair for the time I did, but I will talk about that in the next issue.

This year I attended Grand Lodge for the first time in eleven years, thanks my

THE GRAND MASTER'S WEEKEND

Brethren and Ladies:

Here is the Weekends agenda:

Friday, November 1st

Scottish Rite Center

6:15pm - Dinner \$13.00 per.

7:30pm - Presentation by MW Cooper - "Temples of Virtue and Palaces of Splendor": French Masonic Creativity, 1730- 1760"

Saturday, November 2nd

Scottish Rite Center

10:30am - Open Grand Lodge, Heald Lodge Room.

12:15pm - Luncheon, \$15.00 per

1:15pm - Presentation of the Golden Veterans Award to MW Melvyn B. Stein, PGM.

2:30pm - Amity Lodge No. 442, 100th Anniversary Celebration, **5:30pm** - Social Hour, Receptn. for the Grand Master, MW John L. Cooper III.

6:30pm - Lite Dinner, \$15.00 per.

7:30pm - Presentation by MW Cooper - "There was a Seafaring Man: Freemasonry Crosses the Pacific Ocean."

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FROM PILLAR OF BEAUTY

Brethren and Ladies,



This month I wanted to write a little on Masonic education with Henry Price

being the subject. Henry Price received a Deputation as Provincial Grand Master of New England, which was issued on April 30th 1733, by Viscount Montague, Grand Master of England. On July 30th of the same year Price organized a Provincial Grand Lodge, embracing the New England Colonies of America. He is generally regarded as founder of Masonry on the American Continent. For more than forty years he was actively devoted to the promotion of Freemasonry in the American Colonies. The success of his labors, and of those associated with him, is evident from the fact that nearly all the leaders of the American

Revolution were prominent Masons.

Henry Price was born in England about 1697, and died in Massachusetts in 1780.

A highly laudatory memoir to Henry Price appears in the proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts for the year 1871, prepared by William Sewell Gardner.

The content for this was taken from the Masonic Heirloom Bible that is given to out newly Raised Master Masons, Which is a great source to draw from.

This is a good time to remind all of our brethren to come on down to Lodge and share the fellowship with us.

Drive Safe and I hope to see everyone in lodge.

Sincerely and Fraternally
Bro. Bob Salini
Junior Warden



NOVEMBER SUMMONSES

- 1-3 Grand Master's Weekend in the South See Info Above
 - 5 Stated Dinner & Meeting - Elections 6:30 & 7:15pm
 - 12 3rd Degree - Sumpter 6:30pm
 - 19 Masonic Education 7:00pm
 - 26 3rd Degree - Thomas 6:30pm
- Visitor from Canada - V. W. Bro. Tim Mayner

NOVEMBER 2013						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

NOVEMBER STATED MEETING DINNER

- Spring Mix Salad
- Roast Turkey & Roast Pork
- Mashed Potatoes
- Baby Carrots
- Assorted Rolls
- Assorted Hot & Cold Beverages
- Dumpkin Pie

Please
RSVP

\$15.00

book form, if you're into that reading thing.

I bring "The Secret" up, because it reminds of another thing I enjoy. I just got a ROKU box and while searching the various documentary channels available, I stumbled upon what I thought was going to be its sequel. It's called "The Source of the Secret". Although well made, this video was not produced by the same people. Nor was the information very good. In fact, they missed the boat throughout the video.

This video argues that law of attraction and power of positive thinking is not the way, and the only way is thru your relationship with God.

Okay, I can get on board with that basic primes. But then they point out that law of attraction and power of positive thinking can benefit your life, "what". They say, although incorrectly, "The Secret" leaves out God, in fact God is at the forefront of "The Secret". Sound familiar yet.

I have lost track of how many times, over the years, I've found myself defending Masonry against well intentioned but ignorant family members and friends. All with the same misunderstanding of the reality we initiated enjoy. I found it interesting to hear the same arguments used by this group against "The Secret" as I've heard about our Craft, especial since I see parallels between them both. They both

will help you better yourself, and they are both hated by those that fear knowledge. The other similarity is those that fight against them and call them evil find positive points to both, go figure.

I've always said Masonry is not for everyone, the same goes for "The Secret" and I guess God too. But I wonder what would happen if we ALL found a way to learn from all three.

Remember my Brothers Tuesday night is Lodge night

see you there.

Magically and Fraternally,
JR Knight, PM
Worshipful Master



Sunday, November 3rd
Coronado Lodge No. 441,
100th Anniversary Celebration.
Coronado Lodge,
529 Orange Avenue, Coronado.
1:00pm - Social Hour.
2:00pm - Ceremony.
4:00pm - Complimentary Dinner



THOUGHTS FROM A BROTHER

Ten Master Masons, happy, doing fine;
One listened to a rumor, then there were nine.

Nine Master Masons, faithful, never late;
One didn't like the "Master," then there were eight.

Eight Master Masons, on their way to heaven;
One joined too many clubs, then there were seven.

Seven Master Masons, life dealt some hard licks;
One grew discouraged, then there were six.

Six Master Masons, all very much alive;
One lost his interest, then there were five.

Five Master Masons, wishing there were more;
Got into a great dispute, then there were four.



ECHOES FROM THE PAST

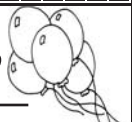


Raised

ROBERT E. WILSON	.....	11/22/1947
JOE L. MEDEIROS	.....	11/22/1947
DAVID V. HULL	.....	11/27/1951
ROBERT A. CARSTEN	.....	11/28/1960
RICHARD C. BERGSTROM	.....	11/9/1961
JAMES W. CAMPBELL	.....	11/26/1968
PATRICK K. COMEAUX	.....	11/30/1978
HENRYW. MARBOTT	.....	11/15/1983
WILLIAM L. MATHIS	.....	11/13/1984
IAIN K. MACK	.....	11/16/1991
JOHN S. GAMACHE	.....	11/26/1991
MORGAN A. THOMPSON, JR.	.....	11/28/1995
PATRICK C. MEAGHER	.....	11/26/1996
MORGAN A. THOMPSON	.....	11/28/1997
JOSEPH J. RITTGARN	.....	11/21/2000
STEPHEN L. ALLEN	.....	11/27/2001
LUIS M. GALLEGOS	.....	11/27/2001
ROBERT J. SCHEELER JR	.....	11/24/2003
DAVID D. NAJERA	.....	11/21/2006
DENNIS P. STAHR	.....	11/28/2006
JERRY B. JENNINGS	.....	11/27/2007
IVAN C. MITCHELL	.....	11/18/2008
ERIC C. KURZENBERGER	.....	11/15/2011
MARK A. BACACCO	.....	11/22/2011
CHARLES I. CASKEY	.....	11/13/2012
MARIO S. URBINO	.....	11/27/2012



November Birthdays



07	.....	STEPHEN L. ALLEN
09	.....	RONALD J. HOWARD
14	.....	JOHN F. FITCH
14	.....	WILLIAM F. STANFIELD
15	.....	BRUCE C. MARX
15	.....	NICHOLAS F. MULLEN
15	.....	CLARENCE W. SEYFFERTH, III
15	.....	PAUL B. STEPHENSON
16	.....	DAVID A. BRANT
18	.....	OTTO L. DRUM
20	.....	GLENN R. JAMES
24	.....	ALEX PINA
26	.....	KENT B. DAU
26	.....	ANDREW S. YOUNG
29	.....	MATTHEW N. BOTU
30	.....	STEVEN R. PERRY
30	.....	SANDAKER, DARYL B. SANDAKER

Four Master Masons, busy as could be;
 One didn't like the programs, then there were three.

Three Master Masons, was one of them you?
 One grew tired of all the work, then there were two.

Two Master Masons with so much to be done;
 One said "What's the use," then there was one.

One Master Mason, found a brother -- true!
 Brought him to the Lodge, then there were two.

Two Master Masons didn't find work a bore;
 Each brought another, then there were four.

Four Master Masons saved their Lodge's fate;
 By showing others kindness, then there were eight.

Eight Master Masons, loving their Lodges bright sheen;
 Talked so much about it, they soon counted sixteen.

Sixteen Master Masons, to their obligations true;
 Were pleased when their number went to thirty-two.

So we can't put our troubles at the Lodge's door;
 It's our fault for harming the Lodge we adore.

Don't fuss about the programs or the "Master" in the East;
 Keep your obligation by serving even the very least.

Author Unknown

SW Hackett is a wonderful
 Lodge, full of good spirited
 men and good energy. EACH
 one of us is part of the reason
 we are special and NONE of us

is more special than the other!
 The last time I visited, the vibe
 was off, bad energy permeated
 the room and the Lodge I love
 lost some of its luster. I have

never considered nor will I ever
 consider Degree work to be
 something I can skip because I
 am unhappy with the way
 things are going. I consider it
 my obligation to be there and to
 put my heart into my work no
 matter what "the other guy" is
 doing. We OWE it to our candi-
 dates to show them that in our
 Craft peace and harmony is the
 strength in what is ours! I have
 to be honest with you my
 Brothers, I truly did not appre-
 ciate the way some of you treat-
 ed me in certain circumstances,
 but you taught me to put my
 feelings aside for the good of
 our institution; "and by doing to
 him, that in similar circum-
 stances you would that he
 should do unto you". If you are
 an "Old Timer", remember the
 future of our Craft is should-
 ered on the Entered
 Apprentice standing in the
 Northeast corner for the very
 first time, no less a Mason than
 you are. If the room is filled
 with your presence, the degree
 work filled with your years of
 experience taught to the current
 officers, our Candidates will be

filled with the experience of a
 lifetime. If you are new to our
 Craft, take time to get to know
 the "Old Timers". Ask a load of
 questions and do not be afraid
 to sit down and have a cup of
 coffee with them, they are truly
 amazing men with fantastic sto-
 ries to tell!

Lastly Brethren listen and
 speak to one another with
 humility. When someone does
 something you do not like,
 please whisper gentle counsel
 in his ear, do not mumble under
 your breath. Do not bad mouth
 another Brother; do not embar-
 rass one another or yourselves.

We are Freemasons,
 builders of great men and even
 better nations! We cannot
 afford to let discord ruin one of
 the finest Lodges I have had the
 pleasure of working in. Please
 look at the next Masonic year
 as an opportunity to buckle
 down, enjoy our work, the fel-
 lowship, the education and
 most of all to fill the sidelines
 and show our candidates how
 strong we are!

Brother Jim Williams

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