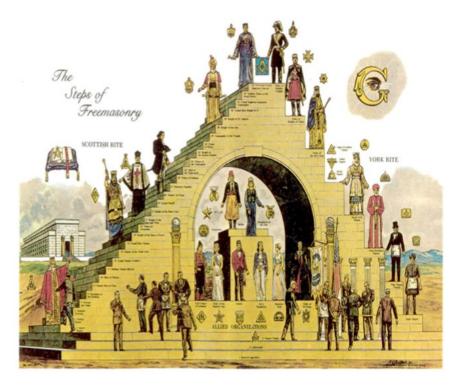
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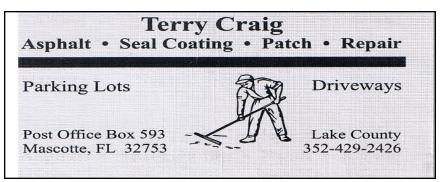
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Brothers,

Helping the residents at the Masonic Home is just as important as financially supporting the Home.

District 32 will have a booth at the Grand Communications to collect items needed for Corky's Cupboard. Each item given to Corky's Cupboard or the Activities Department is deeply appreciated by all residents in the home. All check or cash donations will go to the "Now and Then" gift shop where Corky's Cupboard is located. It is entirely sustained through kind donations. A custom designed Apron will be awarded to the Lodge who presents the most Masonic Donations. Bring your Donations and be counted.

Charles White P.M. Gulf Stream Lodge No.245, District 32 Corky's Cupboard ~Some of the Items needed~

After Shave * Baby Wipes / Wipes Refills * Blush (Neutral/Pinks) * Body Lotion Cold & Facial Cream Oil of Olay * Corky's Cupboard Cash Donations * Cotton Balls / Cotton Pads Denture Adhesive Depends /Poise/Sanitary Pads * Efferdent, Polident, etc.* Emory Boards / Nail Clippers Face Powder & Foundation * Fragrant Body Spray * Hair Spray * Hair Tonics Jewelry - Earrings & Necklaces* Jewelry - Rings & Bracelets* Kleenex & Puffs ** Knee-Hi Hose / Men's Socks Lectric Shave / Pre-shave *

Lipstick (Reds, Pinks, Neutral) Liquid Hand & Body Soap * Liquid Shoe Polish / Laces Masonic Jewelry & Pins Men's Cologne * Mouth Wash (Scope or Listerine) * Nail Polish (Reds, Pinks, Neutral) Nail Polish Remover / Cotton Pads Nic-Nacs For Gift Shop* Rolls Of Stamps * Room Freshener * Sm. Liquid Laundry Detergent Socks-Men & Women, White Tooth Paste-Colgate & Crest Toothbrushes Underarm Deodorant Unique Items For Gift Shop Unused Greeting Cards * Vaseline Intensive Care Women's Cologne, Perfumes *

FROM THE EAST

W∴ F. E. "Bill" Price, Worshipful Master (Sue) Ph: 352-394-5102 E-mail: fprice@embarqmail.com

Brothers all,

The month of May is filled with many special dates. First is the Widows Dinner on Saturday, May 2nd from 5:00pm until 7:00pm at the Lodge, an estimated thirty people are expected for the turn-out.

Many thanks to our Brothers and family members who helped make this a memorable evening.

Another important date is Sunday, May 10th, Mother's Day. Please remember to keep them in your prayers.

Let us also remember our fallen Police Officers on May 15th which is Law Enforcement Memorial Day and our Military Personnel on May 16th, which is Armed Forces Day.

Grand Lodge Communication is on May 25, 26, and 27th at the Rosen Plaza Hotel in Orlando. The new Grand Lodge Officers will be posted at a later date.

Thanks to our E.A. Degree Team for all their hard work, they are putting in many hours of studying to make the next degree a success.

Fraternally, F.E. "Bill" Price, W.M.

May 20 Wed – Groveland 190 host 18th Dist Assn 7:30pm & Memorial

Note: For all events scheduled in this TB, check with the Master for possible changes in date and / time before the event.



FROM THE WEST

Bro. David Vandenbemden, Senior Warden (Heidi) Ph: 352-516-9282 E-mail: dave_van1022@hotmail.com

Brethren and All,

I hope the world sees you well. We are blessed to have quite a few petitions out waiting to be turned in. This will give us the opportunity to perform our ritual and help strengthen Groveland's membership. We really need to hone our ritual skills while the petitions are in waiting. Brothers need to come to Tuesday practices to learn ALL of the positions, with so many petitions out we will need brothers to help filling in, while others are vacationing or snow birding. Our Lodge is extremely lucky to keep bringing in new members, it is a blessing not all lodges have.

Speaking of new brothers, eight... that's right eight of our newest Master Masons are all going to be giving back their proficiency and receiving their aprons. The date has not been set yet but all of them are diligently working and learning. When the date is set, we will send out and email, please come out and support them. This is something I consider one of more difficult achievements in Masonry, but also one of the most rewarding!

Respectfully submitted, D

<u>Charity Of The Month — MAY</u> Mike Conley Hospice House

"There are many who are living far below their possibilities because they are continually handing over their individualities to others. Do you want to be a power in the world? Then be yourself. Be true to the highest within your soul and then allow yourself to be governed by no customs or conventionalities or arbitrary man-made rules that are not founded on principle." —*Ralph Waldo Trine*

(Words to live by: Ed Halpaus, Grand Lodge of Minnesota Education Officer)



4/9/15 The W :. Bill Price, WM presented W :. Brother Hyatt, PM 1977 with a 40 year Certificate & Lapel Pin issued by the M :. W :. Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida.



4/9/15 The W: Bill Price, WM presented new Brother Greg Neese a <u>Certificate of Membership</u> issued by the M: W: Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida. A Groveland Lodge No. 190 One Hundred Year Anniversary lapel pin was also presented to this Brother.





FROM THE SOUTH

Bro. Dr. Jay B. Kosner, Junior Warden (Sandee) Ph: 352-227-4501 E-mail: profjbk@gmail.com

COMPASS OR COMPASSES: WHICH IS CORRECT? Edited by Dr. Jay. B. Kosner

This article can be found on the Internet, although I got it from the library of Discovery Research Lodge 971, of which I am an associate member. Discovery Lodge maintains relationships with other research lodges, in this case located in New Zealand.

This is a question that has concerned a number of members but a simple answer cannot be given. There has been a suggestion made that the plural form came into common use when the mariners compass was invented. The word compas has been recorded as having been used in the 14th century. Three examples are: 1340 "craftily casten with a compas"; 1387 "made the first compas"; and in 1391 by Chaucer who wrote of the "poynt of my compas". In 1551 this sentence was recorded "haue a payre of compasse aptelye made for to draw the circles."

WHAT IS THE ORIGIN OF THE MASONIC ALTAR?

Emessay Notes — The Masonic Service Association N.A. (Nov. 2013)

The Altar has always been an important and necessary part of a Masonic Lodge Room. Or has it?

According to Gary H. Leazer, editor of the Masonic Messenger of the Grand Lodge of Georgia and Junior Grand Deacon of that Grand Lodge, the Altar may not always have been as prominent as we know it to be.

"The presence of an Altar in a Masonic Lodge is difficult to account for. William Preston, in his Lectures in about 1772, described all the furniture in a Lodge Room, but mentioned no Altar."

Does anyone have information to show the origin of the Masonic Altar?

(Source: The Masonic Messenger, August 2013.)

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- Hi-Twelve Club, Leesburg 4th Thursday Taste Tempters
- Hi-Twelve Club #674, Tri County, The Villages, 1st Wednesday 10:45 am, La Hacienda
- King's Ridge Masonic Club, Clermont
- Order of Amaranth #34 (Leesburg Lodge No. 58), 3rd Friday 1:30pm
- Order of Eastern Star #84 (Leesburg Lodge No. 58), 1st Thursday 7:30pm
- Order of Eastern Star #118 (Clermont Lodge No. 226), 2nd Tuesday 7:30pm
- Scottish Rite Bodies, Orlando ~ 1485 Grand Road, Winter Park 407-657-4550 ~ http://www.srorlando.org
- Scottish Rite Club, Lake ~ Mt Dora Lodge No. 238, 1st Wednesday 7:30pm each month, Reservations required, Ill. Jerry Elmore, 33°, (2009) 352-343-4018
- Scottish Rite Bodies, Ocala
- Shriners, Bahia, 2300 Pembrook Drive, Orlando FL 32810, 407-660-8811 off ~ 407-660-9028 fax ~ www.bahiashrine.org
- Shrine Club, Lake County, Tavares
- Shriners, Ocala, 1st Monday 7:30pm
- Tall Cedars, Lake Forest, #200 (Leesburg Lodge No. 58), 2nd Saturday 10:30am
- York Rite Bodies, Leesburg (Leesburg Lodge No. 58), Chapter #33 (3rd Friday 7:30pm), Council #28 (3rd Friday 7:30pm), Commandery #38 (2nd Friday 7:30pm)
- York Rite Bodies, Ocala (Belleview Lodge No. 95), Chapter #13 (3rd Wednesday 7:30pm Jan, Mar, May, Sep, Nov), Council #22 (3rd Wednesday 7:30pm Feb, April, Jun, Oct, Dec), Commandery #19 (4th Wednesday 7:30pm)

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<u>PETITIONS</u> —none at press time

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W∴ Derwood E. Hyatt, PM —40 year Certificate & lapel pin 04-17-15 Bro. Thomas Anthony Alicea —Certificate of Membership issued by GL Bro. Gregory Wayne Neese —Certificate of Membership issued by GL

Fraternally,

Tom Brown, PDDGM, Secretary

<u>MAY 2015</u>

Groveland Lodge No. 190 F. & A. M.

May 02 Sat – Widow's Night 5-7pm, RSVP —W∴ Bill Price, WM May 05 Tue – 190 Called —MM Catechism May 06 Wed – Groveland Garden Club –using the building? May 09 Sat -May 10 Sun – Mother's Day May 12 Tue – 190 School May 13 Wed – Open Books 234 Tavares 6pm-9pm & 18th Dist School 7:30pm May 14 Thu - 190 Stated 7:30pm —Refreshments served at 6:30pm *Mav 15 Fri – Law Enforcement Memorial Day* ~Our Brother Robert Lee Smithwick –died in the line of duty April 2, 1929~ May 16 Sat – Armed Forces Day – Webcast 6pm-Midnight www.scottishrite.org May 19 Tue – 190 School May 20 Wed – 18th Dist Assn 7:30pm & Memorial at Groveland 190 May 23 Sat -May 25 Mon – Memorial Day – 186th Annual Grand Communication 2015 May 26 Tue - 190 School May 27 Wed -May 28 Thu - 190 Stated 7:30pm — Refreshments served at 6:30pm May 30 Sat -May 31 Sun – Supreme Council Founded, 1801

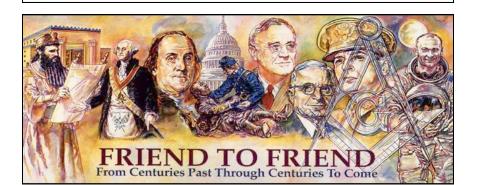
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<u>QUOTES</u>

Political Freedom, Religious Tolerance, Personal Integrity; Freemasonry — it's not for everyone. (*Words to live by: Ed Halpaus, Grand Lodge of Minnesota Education Officer*)

QUOTES

It is a good thing for an uneducated man to read books of quotations. (My Early Life, 1930) Brother Sir Winston S. Churchill (1874 - 1965)



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Losses

 $R \therefore W \therefore$ Joseph T. Price, PDDGM 1998 Leesburg Lodge No. 58 has died — Service was 4/16/15

SICKNESS or DISTRESS

Judy Lojko (Bro. Joe)
Betty Hyatt (W∴ Derwood)
W∴ Don & Patricia Gano's daughter
Bro. Ken Lawn (Lael)
Bro. Bo Carlton (Mary)
Bro. Hewey Davis (Jean)
W∴ Bruce Whitcavitch, Sr., PM —St Patrick's Lodge No. 4, Johnstown NY
Bro. Tim Wilhelm, Jr. Warden Eustis Lodge No. 85
Please, remember the above in your prayers and contact us if you know of any of our Masonic Family that is in need of our prayers.

Fraternally,

Chris Singh, Chaplain

Attendance

3/26/15 Stated = 26 4/9/15 Stated = 24

Floral arrangements donated by Kim E's Flowers went to — 3/26/15 — Bro. Riley Giddens 4/9/15 — W∴ Bill Price, WM

Lawn Maintenance — Brother Bill Vandenbemden

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04	MARVIN TOMLINSON	19	KEN LAWN
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06	GEORGE & VIRGINIA FRIZZELLE (1967)
08	MIKE & BRENDA MOHR (1993)
18	BILL & SUE PRICE (1963)*
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