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*From the Ill. Robert Winter 33°*



Many friends and brothers have asked why, midst all the successes we have seen at San Jose Scottish Rite, why in the world am I retiring. As most of you know, I've been planning and building a home in the Sierra Foothills, and last spring, Hazel and I moved into it. It is a lovely place, but, as a new residence, needs the attention of the owners to be completely satisfactory, and I just don't feel I'm doing justice to Scottish Rite by living 140 miles from the center and trying to spend time on my new home. As much as I have enjoyed these past four years as your Personal Representative, I also enjoy the challenges of developing my new home and grounds. To try to cling to the job of Personal Representative, in my opinion, is presumptuous at best and selfish at worst. Also, to do justice to the position I have held these past four years requires anywhere from one to three or four days a week in San Jose; and life is too short to spend all my time on the road between San Jose and Sonora.

In passing, I'd just like to tell all my friends how much I've enjoyed the chance to have spent the past four years as your Personal Representative. Of course, working with Illustrious Bill Stovall and the entire phalanx of officers and Personal Representatives at the state level has been a most interesting and rewarding experience, but the best part of all has been working with the members of San Jose Scottish Rite. To have been given a chance to work with the likes of Ill. Leo Mark, and then had the awesome assignment of taking over the reins of control from him and being a part of a team that has contributed what I consider to have been a terrific revitalization of interest and activity in both the affairs of the bodies and the foundation has been tremendously rewarding for me.

I certainly feel I must have an angel on my shoulder, because whenever a serious problem presented itself, someone stepped in to solve it for me. Time and again our members took over the tough jobs and handled them flawlessly. Our General Secretary has been a godsend. My so-called Kitchen Cabinet has been my support group, think tank, committee chairmen, advisory board and close friends. They have kept the activity of the Valley running like a Swiss watch. The Office staff has handled the business of the foundation and the bodies exceptionally well, have interacted seamlessly with the Cabinet, and have relieved me of much, much detail work that I'm poorly prepared to attend to. The Clinic staff members have outperformed all expectations and have been the envy of the fourteen other clinics in California. The maintenance staff members have kept the building together and functioning under the watchful eye of Bob Rowan, and at sundown have miraculously transformed themselves into a serving team under the direction of the incomparable Angela Athans.

Together we have tried to bring the policies and affairs of the organization into line with the expectations of the membership, and the membership has responded with alacrity and perspicacity (I couldn't leave without using that line in one of my messages). There is still work to be done, but in any dynamic organization there will always be work to be done. In talking to Illustrious Ken Nagel, I find that he has some new and exciting ideas that will lend new interest and direction to the valley that I think will be most rewarding.

My thanks to all who have contributed so much to the success of the Valley for the duration of my term, and I trust that the future will bring more and more rewards to your efforts.

*Robert S. Winter*

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**From the Secretary's Table:**



Brethren,

**A** new year is now in the works and changes come with each passing day.

Ill. Winter has tendered his resignation and Ill. Ken Nagel, 33° has accepted his appointment as the personal representative of the S.G.I.G. in California. One will be missed and another will be welcomed.

I offer my personal thanks to Ill. Winter for his confidence in recommending my appointment to the position of General Secretary and I appreciate his firm and constant guidance for the direction of the Valley of San Jose. We have, I hope, begun to make a difference not only in the operations of the Valley, but also in the attendance of our members at our functions. Thank you Bro. Bob for all your efforts and accomplishments. You will be missed by your brethren and we wish you and Hazel the very best in your new “digs”.

To Ill. Brother Nagel, we welcome you most heartily to your new responsibility as “PR” and we are looking forward to your term of service!

Personally, I will do all in my power to support your efforts to improve the San Jose Scottish Rite. Welcome aboard!

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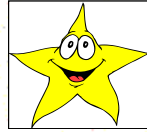
Having just returned from a very interesting trip through the Panama Canal, I want to share with you some of the experiences that Sandy and I had on the trip.

The first was being seated at our dinner table with a former Grand Lodge Division 1 Inspector from Crescent City and his wife, with whom we enjoyed many pleasant conversations.

The second was the discovery of a Masonic Lodge in Cartagena, Columbia. Ask me more about it and I

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### **Happy New Year and Welcome to 2011!**

First, I wish to thank Most Worshipful and Ill. Bill Stovall for his confidence in selecting me as his Personal Representative for the Valley of San Jose. I look forward to the challenge and hope to live up to his expectations.

Secondly, I would like to thank Illustrious Bob Winter for his service these past years in supporting Scottish Rite Masonry in our Valley. His dedication has been unswerving and his leadership has helped keep our Valley thriving. We all wish him and Hazel the best with their relocation to the Sonora area. But, we also know they are not leaving us for good and look forward to their visiting with us on many occasions.

Thank-you Bob and Hazel for your love and support.

I do not plan to make sweeping changes in the operations of San Jose Valley, but I do have a few thoughts and will share them with the leadership team as we commence this journey together.

Our plans will be announced as soon as they are solidified.

For now, I ask only that each of you support our Valley and its Officers and hope you will attend often. There is much to be excited about. But, I need your support if we are to continue the good work established by our predecessors.

Finally, I hope you will keep January 25<sup>th</sup>, the last Tuesday of the month, open and join us in celebrating our new leadership team as the 2011 Officers are installed into their new positions. It will be an enjoyable evening and we will have the pleasure of our SGIG, Illustrious Bill Stovall in attendance to the install the officers.

Thank-you and I look forward to meeting with all of you in the near future.

Fraternally,

*Kenneth Nagel*

Ill. Kenneth Nagel 33°

## **REUNIONS**

**San Jose Scottish Rite Bodies has scheduled our 2011 reunions during the months of April and October.**

**The reunions, in the life of a Scottish Rite Mason are a special time. It is a time for celebration as we welcome new members and it is a homecoming, which is a day of fellowship with brethren and friends, those who know our stories and have been a part of our lives. We fraternally urge all of our members to attend the Reunions! We know that your presence will inspire our new members, your officers, Degree Directors and Casts.**

**The following are our Reunion Schedules for the year 2011. Please mark these dates on your calendar and plan to attend. We will have a banquet on the Saturday evening of each reunion and wives and guests are certainly invited.**

**Spring 2011: Tuesday 12 April (Stated Meeting) 4th Degree  
Tuesday 26 April 12th and 14th Degrees  
Friday 29 April 18th Degree  
Saturday 30 April 29th, 30th, and 32nd Degrees**

**Fall 2011: Tuesday 11 October (Stated Meeting) 4th Degree  
Tuesday 25 October 12th and 14th Degrees  
Friday 28 October 18th Degree  
Saturday 29 October 29th, 30th, and 32nd Degrees**

**We look forward to your attendance at the Reunions! ~**



# 2010 Christmas Party



**A Great Time was had by all!**



Gage is a sweet, fun-loving, four-year-old boy who has been attending our clinic since March 2010 due to a mild-moderate phonological disorder. Gage's parents were worried about his speech development as his sister had speech and language issues and was seen at our clinic for severe Childhood Apraxia of Speech. At the time of his evaluation Gage was intelligible about 50% of the time with familiar and unfamiliar adults according to his mother. Our clinic encouraged Gage's mother to pursue a speech-language evaluation within his school district. However, he was denied services because his speech development was not considered "severe" enough to merit intervention.

While Gage's medical, speech, and language history were insignificant, testing revealed that his sound system was not developing at the rate expected of a four year old. He continued to use a number of phonological processes that are expected to stop at an early age. Some of these error patterns included velar fronting, in which a child uses "t" or "d" for "k" and "g". Thus, "car" becomes "tar" or "girl" becomes "dirl". Another phonological process that Gage used was stopping of the fricatives "v", "f", "th" and "s". While stopping of some fricative sounds is expected to linger through about five years of age, Gage was continuing to use a "p" for "f", as in "pish" for "fish". He also used consonant cluster reduction, so a word such as "stars" became "das". In addition, Gage dropped the ending sounds of words and spoke with a rapid rate. The accumulation of these error patterns significantly impacted Gage's intelligibility.

Since the initiation of treatment Gage has remediated quickly. After a few months of targeted treatment he now uses the "k", "g", "f", "s"-blends and final consonants correctly in his spontaneous speech. Currently, he is working on "th" sounds at the beginning and ends of words, as well as reducing his rate of speech to increase his intelligibility. His mother has noticed a significant improvement in his speech. "Ms. Rachel has been a big part of our lives and we have been blessed to be able to have two children get help with their speech skills." We will miss Gage when he is finished, but we are happy that he has made great progress in the past few months!

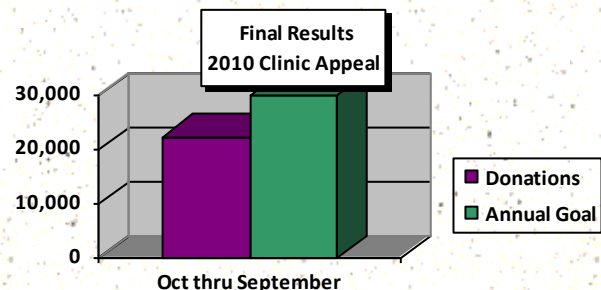
Our San Jose Scottish Rite Children's Language Disorders Clinic helped 55 children in November, completing over 257 treatment hours, including eight screenings. We now have 102 children on that list, awaiting our help.

I am happy to report that our Children's Language Disorders Clinic Christmas Party was a huge success. Children and parents alike had a great time with Santa. His elves, Angela Athens and her cousin, Dina Rizos-Mollo, did a beautiful job decorating the dining area. They also helped to ensure that food and toys were available through the very end of the party so that no child was disappointed. A large number of families were in attendance and we received many compliments. The jumping house and holiday movies on the TV/DVD player, both new additions this year, were crowd pleasers as were the traditional arts and crafts. My thanks also to the Rainbow Girls for their assistance at the arts and crafts tables and to Brother Bob Laws for serving as Santa's photographer. Our clinicians, Rachel Sense and Angela Stephan, were also able to come and enjoy the festivities.

As I have mentioned before, we are continuing to explore avenues in hopes that we will soon be able to increase our clinician staff and help more kids. Your donations are always greatly appreciated and help to reduce the financial burden on our clinic.

On behalf of the Clinic Staff, I would like to thank each and every one of you for your generous donations to the clinic and wish you and your families a happy and healthy 2011.

Respectfully,  
*Durward C. Ayre*  
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 Clinic Director



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\* Brother Irwin T. Cohen 32° KCCH  
Passed November 27, 2010

\* Bro. Egon Jensen  
Passed December 12, 2010



## A chance conversation with our orator Maury Dunbar is the origin of this month's column.

Maury asked me if I remembered the name of the man who invented air conditioning. I replied confidently that yes, I happen to know that it was John Gorrie. Maury thought that didn't sound right and called me later to say he remembered that it was a man named Carrier.

That prompted me to do a little research into the history of air conditioning and it seems that both John Gorrie and Willis Carrier are credited with the invention of air conditioning; John Gorrie in 1848 (patent No. 8080 awarded in 1851) and Willis Carrier in 1912.

My topic this month however, will be John Gorrie.

Born in 1803, his birthplace is generally accepted as Charleston, South Carolina although inconsistencies in the record indicate that his birthplace may actually have been Spain; Charlestown, West Indies or Columbia, South Carolina.

Nonetheless, in 1824 he apprenticed for a year with a Columbia apothecary and in 1825 enrolled in the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York state where he earned his medical degree in a mere 18 months.

Upon graduation, Gorrie opened his first medical practice in Abbeville, South Carolina before moving with his mother to Sneads, Florida in 1831. After his mother died in 1833, he moved to Apalachicola, Florida which was, at the time, the third largest port on the eastern seaboard.

Gorrie supplemented the income from his medical practice by taking on a variety of civic duties beginning with the position of assistant postmaster in 1834 and becoming postmaster before the year was through. In 1835 Gorrie became a notary public and shortly thereafter was appointed chairperson of the Apalachicola city council and city treasurer. It was at this time he also became secretary pro-tem of the Apalachicola Masonic lodge and the following year was elected its treasurer. He then was elected to vice intendant and the following year, 1837, he was elected as intendant (mayor.)

During this period Gorrie was a partner in the Mansion House Hotel, built in 1836, and became president of the Bank of Pensacola.

In 1837 Gorrie became a founding member of the Marine Insurance Bank of Apalachicola and director of the Apalachicola Mutual Insurance Company in 1840. In addition to all of his civic and business responsibilities, he was also a charter member in the establishment of the Apalachicola Episcopal Church.

It's men like Gorrie who make you realize how little you've accomplished in life. For instance; when Mozart was my age he had been dead 19 years. In 1841 Gorrie became Justice of the Peace, the same year that a malaria and yellow fever epidemic swept through Apalachicola. Gorrie resigned from all of his civic responsibilities and reduced the number of patients he was seeing so he could devote as much time as possible to searching for a cure to these deadly illnesses.

Mal-aria is Italian for "bad air" and at the time it was believed that these diseases were caused by rapidly decomposing vegetable matter. It wasn't until 1901 that mosquitoes would be conclusively proven to be the carrier of yellow fever.

Gorrie had long been a proponent of draining the swamps, filling the marshlands and building in brick. Unfortunately, people still got malaria so Gorrie decided to try to control the one thing that he could; the temperature.

He built a fever room which had buckets of ice suspended from the ceiling. It did prove effective in lowering the temperature of his victims, errr I mean patients.

Gorrie had been experimenting with refrigeration since 1838 and by 1845 he had developed a working theory of how to refrigerate air to the degree that the cold air could even be used to freeze water and he had completely abandoned his medical practice. In 1848 he commissioned the Cincinnati Iron Works to build a working model of his machine.

About this time, he was entertaining the French ambassador at the worst possible time: the ice ship had failed to arrive from Boston. There was much twittering about what a social gaff he was about to commit by serving WARM champagne.

When the time arrived, Gorrie confidently announced that, not only was he about to serve cold champagne, but he could even offer a chilled oyster or two. Sadly, this was to be Gorrie's last triumph.

Although he published many medical and scientific papers, his final pamphlet was published in 1854 promoting his ice making machine. Northerners denounced his claims and ridiculed his theories, the powerful ice lobby fought his every attempt to market his machines and worse, because his machine was a prototype it developed a reputation for leaks and unreliability.

Falling further into debt, he was forced to sell half his interest in his ice machine to a New Orleans business man who died before providing Gorrie with any funds. Gorrie died a destitute, broken man on 16 June 1855 and is buried in Gorrie Square in Apalachicola, FL.

So the next time you turn on your home or car air conditioner or enjoy an air conditioned store or movie theater, pause for a moment and consider yet another contribution by a member of our fraternity.

Brethren, this is my last column as Wise Master however I find that I rather enjoy writing these articles so you may see my contributions appearing in the Rite Word from time to time.

**Thank you for your support.**

*Bryant Day*



Brethren and Ladies:

First, I would like to thank you for allowing me to serve as your Venerable Master. It has been an extremely rewarding experience. I have had the distinct privilege of working with an excellent team of officers. I encourage each of you to give the 2011 San Jose Scottish Rite Bodies' officers your support.

I would also like to thank the Most Worshipful and Illustrious Leo B. Mark, 33° for his guidance, Illustrious Daniel McDaniel, 33°, for encouraging me to become an officer of the Lodge of Perfection, and Illustrious Robert E. Winter, 33°, for allowing me latitude in the management of San Jose Scottish Rite Bodies.

One of our chief accomplishments over the past year was the addition of 30 new Scottish Rite Masons to our membership rolls. I encourage the sponsors of these brethren to join them at 2011 events so that they may learn more about our fraternity. While on the topic of membership, I challenge you to continue to build momentum by introducing more Master Masons to San Jose Scottish Rite in 2011. Speak to the worthy and qualified about the opportunity. Tell them that Faith, Hope and Charity are interwoven into our Order. They are stars that give light and luster to the Mason's pathway, urging him onward to the exercise of the noble principles of our Order to which he can belong.

Finally, I would like to offer my congratulations to the Most Worshipful and Illustrious Ken Nagel 33° on his new position as our Personal Representative for the Valley of San Jose.

My best wishes to all of you for a happy, healthy and prosperous 2011.

*Durward C. Ayre*

Durward C. Ayre, 32° KCCH Venerable Master



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Clinic's Christmas Party!  
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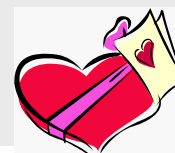
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Fee: \$300.00 (*must accompany this petition*)

(Please print or type)

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-Mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_

Present Blue Lodge: \_\_\_\_\_ Approx. Date Raised: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation (If retired, previous occupation): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever petitioned for any of the Scottish Rite Degrees?: \_\_\_\_\_

I believe in the inculcation of patriotism, respect for law and order and undying loyalty to the principles of civil and religious liberty, the entire separation of church and state as set forth in the Constitution of the United States of America. Wholeheartedly believing in the foregoing, I respectfully apply for membership with San Jose Scottish Rite Bodies.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended by:

1: \_\_\_\_\_ 2: \_\_\_\_\_



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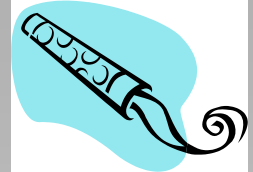
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***Future Scottish Rite Events***

**\* Tuesday, January 11, 2011 \***

**Stated Meeting @ 6:00 PM \* Dinner following @ 7:15 PM**

**~ Please call and make your reservations! ~**

**\* Tuesday, January 25, 2011 \***

**Installation of Officers**

**~ Installing Officer confirmed: Ill. Bill Stovall, 33° S.G.I.G. in California**

**Practice 6:00 PM \* Pictures 6:30 PM**

**Installation 7:00 PM \* Hor' Dourvres 7:45 PM \* Arch of Unity 8:15 PM**