JOHN A. LOGAN CAMP #26 SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS

Camp Minutes for May 3, 2017

The meeting was called to order by Cmdr. Hoovler at 7:00 pm with 11 members present: Steve Aarli PCC, Robert Buerger Jr, Leonard Cassaro, Hugh DeGroff PCC Terry Dyer PDC, Steve Haight PCC, Richard Hoovler CC, Bill Johnson Treas, Dave Johnson PCC, John Wade Steve Anderson (new member).

PCC Haight led the membership in the opening prayer.

PCC Steve Aarli, Sec. called the roll of the membership.

Officer Reports:

Secretary: PCC Aarli, Sec read the minutes for the April 5, 2017 meeting. PCC Hugh DeGroff moved to accept and Bro. Wade 2nd motion passed.

Treasure: Previous balance: \$1877.52

Income: Steve Anderson dues 48.00

Expenses: Dept. Dues & Ins 628.50

Total: 120.00

New Balance: \$1297.02

PCC D. Johnson moved to accept & Bro. Buerger 2nd motion passed.

Balloting: None

Sickness & Distress: None

Membership: CC Hoovler welcomed our newest member Steve Anderson.

ROTC: PCC Dave Johnson will be presenting ROTC Awards to Cadets at Auburn High School and NIU College.

Graves Registration: PCC Aarli read a brief bio of Major George Roper of the US Federal Commissary Dept. and is buried in Greenwood Cemetery in Rockford.

Eagle Scout: CC Hoovler reported that he was at the Scout Pilgrimage in Galena and promoted the SUVCW and Logan Camp.

Monuments/Memorials: PCC DeGroff had no report.

Communications: None

Old Business: A reminder that the Dept. Encampment was coming up on Saturday May 6 in Springfield for those who were going. Also touched on Memorial Day activities. Four members volunteered to march in the Rockford Memorial Day parade Bro's Haight, B. Johnson, Thompson and Hoovler. Also our Auxiliary will host along with the Logan Camp a ceremony at the GAR plot at Greenwood Cemetery on May 29 at 5:30 pm. PCC Dave Johnson still looking into food drive.

New Business: Bro. Steve Anderson was presented his Membership Badge. PCC Aarli for the benefit of our newest member, explained our pop can fund raiser after which Bro. Aarli presented the Camp a check in the amount of \$22. On Saturday June 3, 2017 there will be the 150th Anniversary open house at the Old Soldiers Home in Milwaukee, Wi. hosted by the GAR Post #8 of Wisconsin from 9 – 4pm and is open to the public for tours and displays. PCC Aarli will get more info and share with the Camp membership.

Good of the Order: PCC Dave Johnson announced there will be a Lady Bikers event in Woodstock, Ill. and he will give a talk about Flag etiquette. Also was suggested that a committee be formed to visit local schools to teach and perform proper flag handling, etc. laid over until next meeting

P. I. Report: No report

SVR: 1Sgt Aarli announced his resignation as 1Sgt of our Rockford Zouave SVR Unit and called a special Unit meeting for next month following our Camp meeting to elect his replacement.

There being no further business, PCC Haight gave the closing prayer and CC Hoovler closed the meeting in due form at 8:05pm.

In Fraternity, Charity & Loyalty,

Steve Aarli PCC/GRO

Secretary