

John A. Logan Camp #26 Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War



Camp Minutes Meeting at Memorial Hall November 6, 2013

The meeting was called to order by Com. Haight at 7:03 pm. 14 members present: Steve Aarli, Robert Buerger Jr., Leonard Cassaro, Hugh DeGroff, Terry Dyer, David Eisele, Stephen Haight, Bill Johnson, David Johnson, Jon McGinty, David St. John, Philip Thompson, John Wade, and Paul Zeien. Three guests: Carol Dyer, Amanda Becker, and Jim Doeg.

Bro. Eisele led the membership in the opening prayer.

Bro. Zeien called the roll of the membership.

Officers Reports:

Secretary: Bro. McGinty motioned to accept the October 2 minutes as presented. Bro. Wade 2nd. Carried.

Treasurer: We have a balance of \$1707.87 in the account as of 11/6/2013. Bro. Aarli motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. Bro. Thompson 2nd. Carried.

Previous Balance	\$1942.87
Spectrum Insurance Donation	200.00
Cash in 1 st Brigade Band	1565.00
1 st Brigade Band Deposit	(750.00)
1 st Brigade Band Final Payment	(1250.00)
Ending Balance	\$1707.87

Bro. Thompson motioned to pay Bro. Bill Johnson for the paint rollers for monuments. Bro. Wade 2nd. Motion Carried.

Bro. DeGroff motioned to pay Memorial Hall in honorarium for 1st Brigade Band \$100. Bro. McGinty 2nd. Motion Carried.

Bro. Thompson motioned to pay Max & Donna via a \$100 gas card for their participation in the Veterans Day event. Bro. Eisele 2nd. Motion Carried.

Bro. DeGroff motioned to pay Mary Logan Auxiliary \$100. Bro. Wade 2nd. Motion Carried.

Sickness & Distressed:

Bro. Eisele thanked the membership for the cards and calls and he is feeling better. Bro. Cassaro is in his 2nd phase of recovery from his surgery.

Membership:

No Report.

Publicity:

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Bro. Thompson thanked all who participated in the concert. There were approximately 177 in attendance with 30 children present.

Signals:

Bro. Zeien reported he created the 2016 bonds that Chaplin Kowalski requested for the department.

ROTC:

No Report.

Graves Registration:

Found approximately 30 graves in a cemetery by Quincy and entered them into the database.

Eagles:

No Report.

Memorials:

No Report.

Welfare:

No Report.

Communications:

Bro. Aarli reported that the Salvation Army is looking for bell ringers and contact him if interested.

Old Business:

Comm. Haight reported on the Department encampment held on October 12th in Springfield IL. Discussions were held as to getting Frank Reed camp more involved. Logan Camp received an outstanding camp award from the department commander.

New Business:

Bro. McGinty prepared job descriptions for the elected positions and presented the following slate to the membership:

Camp Commander – Philip Thompson

Sr. Vice Commander – Steve Aarli

Jr. Vice Commander – Hugh DeGroff

Council Members – Steve Haight, Leonard Cassaro, and David Johnson

Secretary – Paul T. Zeien Jr.

Treasurer – Bill Johnson

Quad Camp Discussion was held in regard to participation with the Chicago camps. The dinner will be the last Saturday night in January. The Logan Camp will plan on participating.

Bro. Thompson motioned that there will be a camp dinner prior to the installation on December 4th at Stockholm Inn at 5:30. Bro. Eisele 2nd. Motion Carried.

Bro. Dyer reminded the membership that the Veterans Dinner was November 8th at 6 for happy hour. Bro.

McGinty motioned to pay Scott \$200 for the dinner. Bro. Wade 2nd. Motion Carried.

The Rockford Zouaves were asked to participate in the dedication and include a rifle salute for the Memorial Circle.

Bro. Aarli requests articles and pictures be sent and included in the Rail Splitter, Banner, and SVR Newsletter.

Patriotic Instructor:

Bro. McGinty reported on the happenings of Illinois units in November 1863.

SVR:

Battery G fall meeting will be held November 24th at 1 pm.

Bro. Aarli motioned to request a wreath be purchased for the SVR up to \$50. Bro. McGinty 2nd. Motion Carried.

Bro. Eisele led the membership in the closing prayer.

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Com. Haight closed the meeting at 8:03 p.m. according to protocol.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paul T. Zeien Jr.
Secretary / Signal Officer / Eagle Scout Coordinator
Department Signals Officer / Council of Administration

Election was held immediately following the meeting.

Bro. Zeien read the slate to the membership. No additional candidates were presented from the floor.

Bro. McGinty motioned to accept the slate of officer candidates as presented for election. Bro. DeGroff 2nd.
Motion Carried.