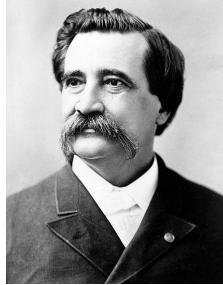


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**Camp Minutes**  
**Meeting at Memorial Hall**  
**November 3, 2010**

The meeting was called to order by Com. Carter at 7:05 pm. 10 members present: Steve Aarli, Robert Buerger, Jr., Greg Carter, Terry Dyer, Leonard Cassaro, Stephen Haight, Bill Johnson, Jon McGinty, John Wade, and Paul Zeien.

Zero guest(s):

Bro. Dyer led the group with the opening prayer as acting Chaplain.

**Officers Reports:**

Secretary: The Minutes for October 6<sup>th</sup> were amended Bro. McGinty referenced the spelling of Chaplin should be modified to Chaplain, Zoe Chappallu should be changed to Zoe Chipalla per Bro. Johnson, and Bro. Aarli pointed out that Bro. Eisele is not acting as Chaplain. The meeting minutes were approved as amended. Bro. McGinty motioned to accept, Bro. Wade 2<sup>nd</sup>, motion carried.

Treasurer: We have a balance of \$291.30 in the account. Presented by Bro. Johnson

Description	Balance
Balance as of 10/31/2010	410.30
Box for C-in-C Schall	-40.00
3 Flag Carriers Butternut Blue	-79.00
Balance as of 11/3/2010	291.30

Bro. Wade motioned to approve the Treasurer report as presented. Bro. Stephen Haight. 2<sup>nd</sup>, motion carried.

**Old Business:**

*Technology:* Bro. Zeien had nothing to report at this time.

*Recognition.* No Report.

*Graves registration.* Bro. Aarli had nothing to report at this time.

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*Education.* No Report.

*Investment of Members.* No Report.

*Monument Project.* No Report.

*Last Soldier project.* No Report.

*Eagle Scout.* Bro. Oestricher will be attending the Blackhawk Area Council, Wanchangi District monthly roundtable. Giving the Cub Scout leaders a talk about citizenship and the Boy Scout leaders a talk about the Son's Eagle Scout program. He has issued 177 certificates. This is a slower time for scouting.

*Recruiting/Advertising.* Bro. McGinty contacted Rock River Times and presented the members a packet outlining the rate schedule. Comm. Carter asked Bro. Haight to check with his Rockford Register Star contacts and Bro. Zeien to check with the Boone County Journal. The Rock River Times has a circulation of 22,000.

*State Encampment.* Comm. Carter gave some brief comments on the encampment. He mentioned the possibility that the department would reimburse the Department Commander for travel expenses. This drew lots of discussion and further discussion will ensue in May. Discussion was held in regard to improving the Dr. Stephenson grave marker a committee was formed and further information to come on this. A group reported on the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the IMF Canal presentation at SIU, Edwardsville with Ken Burns.

*National Encampment.* No Report.

**New Business:**

Comm. Carter asked the members for a resolution for support of the Canadian Union Veterans monument. The members agreed and a resolution of support was adopted. Bro. Zeien will mail support resolution to national.

Bro. Dyer reported on the Minooka event that it was very pleasant weather and possibly the largest in attendance. A very nice event.

Bro. Dyer requested any members who were available to attend the gravesite service of Bro. Giacalone.

Bro. McGinty motioned to accept the proposed department by-law changes that were presented at the department encampment. Bro. Zeien will have Comm. Carter sign and return to Bro. Aarli.

Bro. Haight reported on the slate of officers for the 2011 term. At this point Bro. Aarli has withdrawn his name from consideration for camp secretary. Comm. Carter requested

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that the nominating committee fill this position ASAP so that during the December meeting the new officers will be elected and sworn in.

Comm. Carter presented a report on the Niagara Campaign. This is special to him since his relative was in that unit.

Bro. Dyer suggested that we have a Christmas dinner at Candlewick Lake Bro. Cassaro was looking at possibly having it at the Camp Grant Museum diner. More discussion to be held.

Upon hearing no additional business Comm. Carter moved to adjourn the meeting. 8:07

Bro. Dyer conducted the closing prayer.

Com. Carter formally closed the meeting according to protocol.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paul T. Zeien Jr.  
Secretary / Signals Officer