

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



Camp Minutes
Meeting at Memorial Hall
October 3, 2012

The meeting was called to order by Com. Carter at 7:01 pm. 11 members present: Steve Aarli, Leonard Cassaro, Hugh DeGroff, Terry Dyer, David Eisele, Stephen Haight, Bill Johnson, Jon McGinty, Philip Thompson, John Wade, and Paul Zeien.

Four guest(s): Carol Dyer, Auxiliary member of Logan Auxiliary #20
Jennifer Dyer, Auxiliary member of Logan Auxiliary #20
Amanda Becker, Auxiliary member of Logan Auxiliary #20
Antina Richards Pennock, Auxiliary member of Logan Auxiliary #20

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

Officers Reports:

Secretary: The Minutes for September 1st meeting were amended as follows: Bro. Zeien noticed that the reference to September 1962 should be 1862 for Patriotic Instructor report. Bro. McGinty referenced that the motion for November 3rd dedication did not reference that Greenwood Flag Dedication would be done on the same day. Bro. McGinty motioned to approve the minutes as amended. Bro. Haight 2nd, motion carried.

Treasurer: We have a balance of \$772.50 in the account. Presented by Bro. Johnson

Description	Balance
Balance as of 9/30/2012	903.80
Paint Supplies	-45.00
Cans	32.00
Franklin Township picnic deposit	-50.00
Nat'l Flag Store/pole topper, etc.	-123.30
Cash Back Picnic	55.00
Return Deposit Farnk Twp	50.00
Balance as of 10/3/2012	772.50

Bro. Thompson motioned to approve the Treasurer report as presented. Bro. Wade. 2nd, motion carried.

Old Business:

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

Sickness & Distress. David St. John had a colonoscopy test and waiting for results.
Acting DC Jodi Switzer's father-in-law passed away.
Thoughts and prayers for all

Publicity. Bro. Haight reports status of upcoming Veteran's Day event the following was addressed:

- Handout was issued for presenters to give contact information
- Tips and concerns were given to presenters
- Issued tickets at break time
- Flyer distributed
- Request for membership to eblast flyer
- Bro. Zeien to put information on the state website
- Duty Roster circulated
- Notice uniforms are for presenters and band only
- Bro. Haight will attend the next auxiliary meeting 10/13 at 5:30 Hollywood restaurant

Graves. Comm. Aarli has visited the Belvidere Cemetery. There are 283 soldiers buried there. He has added 2 new ones to the SUVVCW database. He has found 45 that are on the buried list.



Comm. Aarli presented in regard to Boone Counties first black soldier John H. Killebrue Lawson. Buried in Belvidere.

Recognition. No Report

Graves registration. Bro. Aarli reported that he has not had a chance to perform much in this regard due to his efforts with the department. Bro. Aarli reports he has registered 489 graves with adding 2 new names to the database.

Education. No Report.

Investment of Members. Bro. McGinty motioned to accept the transfer request of Bro. Artlip. Bro. Johnson 2nd. Motion Carried.

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Monument Project. No Report.

Last Soldier project. No Report.

Eagle Scout. Bro. Zeien stated that Andrew Guyer has finished the cemetery project but is still going to work on headstones with the VA. Thanks to Comm. Aarli for helping get the VA paperwork completed. It has been sent in for processing.

Recruiting. Bro. McGinty has not had an opportunity to find out advertising rates in the local papers for running ads. He will try and get this done by the next meeting.

State Encampment. October 27th at 11 A.M. located in O'Fallen, IL. Please make your travel plans and get in touch with one another if you plan on carpooling. Below is the list of people that are going to attend.

Terry Dyer	815-222-1250.
Steve Aarli	815-623-8460
Leonard Cassaro ?	815-977-1027
Bill Johnson	815-624-7885
Paul Zeien, Jr.	815-298-5866

National Encampment. No Report.

New Business:

This is the proposed slate for 2013 officers:

Commander Steve Haight
Sr. Vice Phil Thompson
Jr. Vice Steve Aarli
Secretary Paul Zeien
Treasurer Bill Johnson
Chaplain David Eisele
Signals Officer Paul Zeien
Historian/Patritotic Instructor Jon McGinty
Guard John Wade
Council
 Terry Dyer
 Leonard Cassaro
 Hugh DeGroff
Eagle Scout Coordinator Paul Zeien
Memorials
Counselor Terry Dyer
Guide

There was no further discussion on the 2013 slate.

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Bro. Dyer sent a letter to Rochelle explaining the intent of the camp with the cannon located in Rochelle. More information will be given as it is received.

Bro. Dyer asked the membership as to who was planning on attending the Veteran's Dinner we need a table of 8. 5 members have expressed interest in attending.

Comm. Aarli reminded the membership that November 3rd we will be having a dedication at 10 am in Lena. We will be having the flag pole dedication at 2 pm in Greenwood Cemetery. Bro. McGinty will be handling the media with these events.

Patriotic Report. October 1862.

The following events happened in October 1862.

10/3 – 10/4 Battle of Corinth MS

10/8 Battle of Perryville KY

Upon hearing no additional business Comm. Aarli moved to adjourn the meeting. 9:02

Bro. Eisele conducted the closing prayer.

Com. Aarli formally closed the meeting according to protocol.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paul T. Zeien Jr.

Secretary / Signals Officer