



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



**Camp Minutes  
Meeting at Memorial Hall  
December 7th, 2016**

The meeting was called to order by Cmdr. DeGroff at 6:57pm. 10 members present: Steve Aarli, Philip Brening, Hugh DeGroff, Terry Dyer, Steven Haight, Richard Hoovler, Bill Johnson, Philip Thompson, John Wade, and Paul Zeien.

Br. Thompson led the membership in the opening prayer.

Br. Zeien called the roll of the membership.

**Officers Reports:**

**Secretary:** Br. Thompson motioned to accept the November 2016 minutes as amended, date in the header. Br. Wade 2nd. Carried.

**Treasurer:** We have a balance of \$1098.50 in the account as of 12/07/16. Br. Wade motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. Br. Dyer. 2nd. Carried.

Previous Balance	\$1128.75
Concert	\$519.75
Band Expense	(\$550.00)
Ending Balance	\$1098.50

**Sickness & Distressed:**

Br. Thompson's Father-in-Law passed away on 11/5. Br. Hoovler had foot surgery and is doing better. Br. Brening had a tooth pulled with no anesthetic. CC Degroff crashed at Gettysburg. Prayer and thoughts for all.

**Old Business:**

Quad dinner will be held at Memorial Hall. Br. Dyer has arranged for ABC Catering so that is all set. This dinner will be the last Saturday night in January. Br. Dyer presented the menu. Sister Dyer reported that the Auxiliary National President will be attended to swear in Natalie Reineke.

CC Degroff read the proposed by-laws changes. Br. Wade motioned to accept. Br. Dyer 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion Carried.

**Graves:**

Br. Aarli after much perseverance and tenacity finally reached Br. Frail National Graves Officer to have his password reset and access restored to the National Graves Database.

**Installation of 2017 Officers:**

DC Zeien installed the 2017 Officers per ritual.

**New Business:**

CC Hoovler presented PCC Degroff his Past Camp Commander Badge.

Br. Dyer told the membership that the SCV luncheon was well received and he figures that there will be more in the future possibly in January.

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Br. Thompson presented a copy of a diary of a co-workers ancestor that fought in the civil war. It turns out he was in with Br. Thompson's ancestor.

DC Zeien thanked all of the camp members that attended the Gettysburg Remembrance Day celebration.

Br. Brening reminded everyone that there will be a WWI event at Midway Village upcoming.

**Patriotic Instructor:**

Br. Brening reported No Report.

Br. Thompson led the membership in the closing prayer.

Cmdr. Hoover closed the meeting at 8:00 p.m. according to protocol.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paul T. Zeien Jr./Steve Aarli

Thank you all for your support over the years I have enjoyed being your Secretary. Please support Br. Aarli with this new position.

Thank you  
Paul