



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



**Camp Minutes  
Meeting at Memorial Hall  
March 2, 2016**

The meeting was called to order by Cmdr. DeGroff at 7:03pm. 13 members present: Steve Aarli, Robert Buerger Jr., Philip Brening, Hugh DeGroff, Terry Dyer, Steven Haight, William Helvey, Bill Johnson, David Johnson, Richard Hoovler, 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. Buerger motioned to accept the February 2016 minutes as presented. Br. Haight 2<sup>nd</sup>. Carried.

**Treasurer:** We have a balance of \$1897.39 in the account as of 03/02/2016. Br. Wade motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. Br. Thompson. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Carried.

Previous Balance	\$1124.39
Dues In	\$242.00
Ending Balance	\$1897.39

**Sickness & Distressed:**

Br. Aarli's sister's husband has started chemo.

Br. Dyer has lost 64 pounds and is going to see a specialist.

Br. D. Johnson's smell and taste continues to be a problem and he will be going in for tests.

Cmdr. DeGroff's wife will be getting a hip replacement.

Br. Wade Brother-in-law has passed away.

**New Business:**

June 12<sup>th</sup> there will be a ceremonial from 4-8 pm all members are invited.

Lincoln Tomb is coming up and 10 members are participating.

Br. Aarli reported on the April 15<sup>th</sup> event being held in Springfield for those members wishing to stay overnight.

Br. Aarli mentioned the May 14<sup>th</sup> Department Encampment. Delegates will be determined at April Meeting.

Br. Hoovler informed the membership that there is an event April 16<sup>th</sup> in Freeport at the Masonic Lodge for those that would like to participate. This is the 9 Generals of the Civil War program.

Br. D. Johnson reported that the Vet's Roll will be May 25<sup>th</sup> and it is a welcome back celebration.

Br. Dyer reported that the Lena Rededication date has not been determined yet.

Br. D. Johnson reported that there is a Senior Winnebago County scholarship and if anyone knew of a kid looking for scholarship money to contact him.

**Patriotic Instructor:**

Br. Brening reported on March 1866 events.

Br. Thompson led the membership in the closing prayer.

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Cmdr. DeGroff closed the meeting at 7:45 p.m. according to protocol.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paul T. Zeien Jr.

Secretary / Signal Officer / Eagle Scout Coordinator / ROTC Coordinator

Department Signals Officer / Senior Vice Commander