

**JOHN A. LOGAN CAMP #26
SONS OF UNION VETERANS
OF THE CIVIL WAR
DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS**

Camp Minutes for June 7, 2017

The meeting was called to order by Cmdr. Hoovler at 6:57 pm with 10 members and 1 guest Sister Carol Dyer present: Steve Aarli PCC, Robert Buerger Jr, Leonard Cassaro, Terry Dyer PDC, Steve Haight PCC, Richard Hoovler CC, Bill Johnson Treas, Phil Thompson PCC, John Wade and Jack.

PCC Thompson led the membership in the opening prayer.
PCC Steve Aarli, Sec. called the roll of the membership.

Officer Reports:

Secretary: PCC Aarli, Sec read the minutes for the May 3, 2017 meeting. PCC Thompson moved to accept and PCC Haight 2nd motion passed.

Treasure: Previous balance:	\$11297.02
Income: pop cans	22.00
Addition error	10.00
Expenses: Member badge	28.50
New Balance:	\$1301.02

Bro. Buerger moved to accept & PCC Thompson 2nd motion passed.

Balloting: None

Sickness & Distress: PCC Thompson reported that Bro Brennings impacted tooth procedure went well and is healing nicely.

Membership:

ROTC:

Graves Registration:

Eagle Scout:

Monuments/Memorials: CC Hoovler reported that PCC DeGroff is stepping done as Camp Monuments/Memorials Officer. Anyone else interested in this office to contact the CC.

Communications: Gen. Order #21 from CinC Martin was read in full. An invitation from Star In The East Lodge #166 AF & AM for an open house picnic at the Lodge Hall to celebrate Masonry's 300th anniversary.

Old Business: Memorial Day events were touched on with many positive responses.

New Business: PCC Steve Haight was presented a DC Certificate Award for activities as Dept. GAR Highway Officer.

CC Hoovler shared a DC Participation Award for our Camp attending and supporting the Dept. Encampment.

PDC Dyer reported that next year Memorial Hall will celebrate its 115th anniversary and will also be the 150th anniversary of Gen. Logan's Gen. Order #11.

PDC Dyer suggest that on Memorial Day afternoon or evening that we book the 1st Brigade Band and Teddy Roosevelt impersonator to put on a program to celebrate the above dates. Bro's Thompson, Haight and Carol & Terry Dyer were appointed as a planning committee.

The Viet Nam traveling monument "Healing Wall" will be in Sycamore, Ill. July 12-16. There will be a Timeline event at the Kenosha Civil War Museum from 10 – 4 this Sat. A discussion was had about the lack of Camp activities to promote the Camp and a decline of participation in general. We seem to be stuck in a mindset of "read the minutes and pay the bills" and be out of here asap. PCC Aarli suggested that we could look into having guest speakers at occasional meetings to entice interest.

The following members said they planned to attend the 2017 Nat'l. Encampment in Lansing, Mi. Bro's Haight, Hoovler, Terry & Carol Dyer, Cassaro and Buerger.

CC Hoovler requested the Camp Secretary to send out an email to our Camp members looking for a Camp Memorials/Monument Officer.

Good of the Order:

P. I. Report: No report

SVR: Vote on 1Sgt election laid over.

There being no further business, PCC Thompson gave the closing prayer and CC Hoovler closed the meeting in due form at 8:10pm.

In Fraternity, Charity & Loyalty,

Steve Aarli PCC/GRO

Secretary