

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

Camp Minutes for May 2, 2018

The meeting was called to order by CC Dyer at 7:02 pm with 11 members present: Steve Aarli PCC, Steve Anderson, Bob Buerger, Leonard Cassaro, Hugh DeGroff PCC, Terry Dyer PDC/CC, Steve Haight PCC, Richard Hoovler PCC, Bill Johnson, Phil Thompson PCC and John Wade. Guests: Carol Dyer.

PCC Thompson led the membership in the opening prayer.

PCC Steve Aarli Sec. called the roll of the membership.

Officer Reports:

Secretary: The minutes for the April 4, 2018 meeting were accepted as read. Bro. Thompson moved and PCC Hoovler 2nd

Treasure: Previous balance:	\$1891.03
Expenses: Dept. & Nat'l. dues	594.00
Dept. Ins.	69.56
New Balance:	\$1227.47

A motion was made by Bro. Wade and PCC Hoovler 2nd motion passed.

Balloting: None

Sickness & Distress: PCC DeGroff was present and doing well. Bro. Buerger had surgery on his left foot doing OK. He and his wife came to the meeting a little late, but came and was warmly welcomed.

Signals: PCC Zeien has updated some items on our Camp website.

Membership: PCC Hoovler may have a new member prospect.

Graves Registration: PCC Aarli read an article he found about a Pvt Gurler of the 42nd Illinois Infantry.

Monuments/Memorials: Bro. Steve Anderson has been asked to be new Dept. Memorials Officer for the coming year.

Communications: Sec. Aarli read flyers concerning Rockford Memorial Day Parade, 137th Annual Nat'l Encampment in August at Framingham, Mass. and the 62nd Annual Remembrance Day Parade and CW Ball on Nov. 17, 2018.

Old Business: CC Dyer gave updates on the Lincoln Tomb and Petersburg event. Flag poles and Flags are in place. Dr. Stephenson monument has been shored up due to settling of the soil beneath the marker. CinC Mark Day was very impressed with the progress of the plaza. After the ceremony, CinC Day presented Sister Carol Dyer was presented the National's Dr. Mary Walker Award for her work with the Illinois Auxiliary of the SUVCW. Sister Carol is one of only 5 to receive this award. After the Petersburg ceremony, a new Illinois auxiliary was presented their charter and new members and officers were installed.

Memorial Day observance will take place at the GAR section of Greenwood Cemetery on Sunday May 27 starting at 4:30pm. Be there at 4pm uniforms optional. Local Boy Scouts will take part.

1st Brigade concert: we have many more sponsors on board. We have a couple of local radio stations will air announcements of concert along with Go Section in RRStar, Convention & Visitor group to promote event.

New Business: Discussions were held that we need to revisit the Rockton Cemetery cannon to clean and repaint the tube. PCC Aarli to contact the Cemetery to get permission. It was suggested a weekend in June we'll decide on date at our June meeting.

Roscoe Cemetery marker dedication will be held on Sat. Mat 12

Good of the Order: CW days for local schools will take place at Midway Village.

P. I. Report: None

SVR: none

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

In Fraternity, Charity & Loyalty,

Steve Aarli PCC/GRO
Secretary