



Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Department of Missouri

Meeting Minutes Business Meeting March 12, 2016

Call to Order 1002 hrs

Invocation – Prayer by Ed Krieser

Pledge of Allegiance – Led by Dale Crandell

Roll Call of the Officers and Members: PDC-DC Martin Aubuchon, PCC-SVC Randal Burd Jr, PCC-JVC Dale Crandell, PDC-Sec Walt Busch, PC-in-C Donald Palmer Jr, PC-in-C Acting Chaplain Ed Krieser, PDC Bob Petrovic, PCC Bryan Bradford, John Palmer, Sumner Hunnewell, CC Allen Heidbreder

Minutes of Department Business Meeting October 24, 2015

Motion to accept business meeting and both special encampments by Ed Krieser. Second by Randal Burd. Passes unanimously.

Treasurer Report – Written report – see attached. Motion to approve subject to audit by Walt Busch and second by Randal Burd. Passes.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Elected Officers

Commander:	Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC	See written report
Senior Vice Commander:	Randal Burd, Jr., PCC	
	Spoke about by-laws draft. Committee members Randal, Martin Aubuchon, and Glennon	
	Also. Don Palmer and Randal working on Awards Committee. No other SVC report.	
Junior Vice Commander:	Dale Crandell, PCC	See written report
Secretary:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	See written report
Treasurer:	Gary L. Scheel, PCC	See written report
Council Member:	Donald D. Palmer, PC-in-C	No report
Council Member:	Larry D. Dietzel, PDC	No report
Council Member:	James R. Dixon, PDC	No report

Appointed Officers

Camp Organizer:	Robert M. Petrovic, PDC	See written report
Chaplain:	Robert D. Hammack	No report

Civil War Memorials Officer:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	See written report
Counselor:	Robert J. Amsler, Jr., PCC	No report
Eagle Scout Coordinator:	Robert D. Hammack	No report
JROTC/ROTC Coordinator:	Dale Crandell, PCC	See written report
Grand Army of the Republic (GAR)		
Records Officer:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	See written report
Graves Registration Officer:	Robert D. Hammack	No Report.
Historian:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	No Report
Historical Records Coordinator:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	See written report
Marketing & Promotions Officer:	James R. Dixon, PCC	See report
Medal of Honor Officer:	William L. Groth, Jr	No report
	Dale Crandell reports that in Kansas City area there is a medal of honor ceremony next Sunday (see scan). Walt gathering photos and bios on MOH in Missouri and Arkansas.	
Missouri Unionist Editor:	Walter E. Busch, PDC	See written report
Patriotic Instructor:	Tom Farlow, PCC	No Report
SV/SUV Records Officer:	Walter E. Busch	No Report
Signals Officer:	James R. Dixon	No Report
Quartermaster:	Douglas W. Roussin	No Report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Awards Committee: Randal Burd, PCC
Award stuff removed from the by-laws to be placed in policy manual. Award criteria not changing and no new awards. Compiling still list of former recipients.

Discussion on the policy manual. Walt suggested that there be a certified copy annually at the department encampment and these are the rules to operate under for the next year. Changes during the year can be handled by Commander's directive/order. Motion to do this by Randal Burd and second by Bryan Bradford. Passes

Motion by Randal Burd for awards to be into the awards committee by April 15 and recipients decided on by the committee by May 1. Second by Bryan Bradford. Passes

Grant Camp sent in a letter requesting the Show-Me Spirit Award change to the Wayne Sampson Show-Me Spirit Award. Motion by Randal Burd and second by Bryan Bradford. Passes

Bylaws Committee: Randal Burd, PCC See Attached Report
Motion by Walt Busch to keep by-laws the same except for removal of the awards section. Second by Bob Petrovic. Don suggests moving forward with review now. Walt & Bob withdraw motion. Randal makes motion to remove awards from by-laws and Article II Section 5 from them and put them into our policies. Second by Walt.

Motion to continue awards program as it has been done in the past until it is reflected in the policies with the new dates included until codified. Motion b7 Randal and second by Walt.

Secretary to send out e-mail to camps advising of the by-laws changes to be approved by the department encampment.

Encampment Site Committee: Walter Busch & Dale Crandell See Attached Report
Motion by Randal Burd to accept encampment committee proposal for registration.
Second by Bryan Bradford. Passes.
Motion by Randal Burd to pay for national representative's meals. Second by Walt Busch. Passes

Membership Committee: Dale Crandell Commander's Report
Never met, so no report.

Missouri National Encampment: Ed Krieser, PC-in-C
Radisson Hotel for \$109/room in Branson 2019 for National. Also here for department encampment in 2017. Required 10 room nights for a free meeting room. Don, Marty, Bob, Bryan, and Allen all said they would take a room for the department encampment so should be able to make room nights.
Motion from Ed Krieser to have 2017 Department Encampment at Radisson in Branson. Rooms for \$109/night to get a free hotel meeting room. With approval for Ed to commit to hotel with contract. Second by Bob. Passes.

Vicksburg Monument Restoration Don Palmer, PC-in-C
Reviewed history of project. Don Palmer suggests Memorial Day 2017 for rededication ceremony or alternative as October 2017 (anniversary of original dedication). To submit to encampment date of rededication.

OLD BUSINESS

Presentation folders – Bob Petrovic has them and they cost \$1.79 for pre-order price. Dale Crandell moved price be set in future for \$2.00. Second by Walt. Passes

Policy & Procedures Manual- Incorporate Policy regarding mourning periods – covered by committee report. That and awards to be worked on by Dale.

Honoring Real Sons and Daughters living in Missouri. Martin reports that Phelps Camp will be working with them.

NEW BUSINESS

Discussion on dual membership status – Ed Krieser. Semi consensus that dual members ought to pay entire amount.

Support for House Bill 2476 - Historic Preservation Bill

Dale Crandell makes motion to support the bill. Second by Randal Burd. Passes. Walt Busch abstains.

Dale Crandell makes motion that bill have the words "War between the States" changed to "Civil War" Second Randal Burd. Passes. Walt Busch abstains.

Participation in the Missouri State Fair in Sedalia August 11-21. Dale makes motion to support the parade by putting it in the newsletter and talk about it at encampment. Second by Walt. Passes.

Lincoln Tomb Ceremony Springfield, IL April 16, 2016 – Marty attending.
National Encampment Springfield, IL August 11 – 14, 2016. Need Delegates

JROTC/ROTC

1) That the department present the SUVCW's ROTC medal and ribbon bar with bronze leaf or star depending on branch of service and a department certificate along with the \$200 prize to the 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet. Second by Walt. Passes

2) That the department endorse the Outstanding JROTC Cadet Program and forward for consideration at the 2016 Department Encampment. Tabled...

Publish proposal in Unionist by Randal Burd and second by Bob Petrovic. Passes

Fall Meeting in Springfield with Phelps Camp. Suggestion was made to have a fall meeting at the Wilson's Creek NB. Suggestion made to Martin Aubuchon. Against policy as currently promulgated as must be within 50 miles of Jefferson City.

CLOSE at 1400 hrs.



Secretary, Unionist, and Historical Records Officer Report

by Walter Busch

SECRETARY REPORT:

APRIL 30TH IS DEADLINE FOR ALL CAMP PER CAPITA FORM 27 REPORTS

Secretary: On 2/3/16, PC-in-C Treasurer Richard Orr sent info on how to file new 990-N info with the IRS. I filed with them for the dept and my camp and even though initial log-in was a little confusing once in it was easy. Site is:

<http://suvchw.org/ftp/form11fi.pdf>

Rec'd a few updates on member e-mails addresses and have made the changes in the accounts.

EIN report to national treasurer was submitted ahead of schedule.

Form 22 filed with national ahead of schedule

On 10-24-15, filed resolution with national commander for reinstatement of PDC Taylor's status.

UNIONIST EDITOR REPORT:

Have sent out two issues since last meeting. Next out March 31/April 1. Deadline for articles March 25.

HISTORICAL RECORDS OFFICER:

12/3/15 African American Troy GAR Post Records Documented by Walt
12/8/15 Bethel Post Records by Walt
12/29/15 Rec'd Dale Crandall – Shiloh Skirmish Monument – Entered into System
1/2/2015 Bellefontaine Cemetery Marker Recorded by Walt

34 Missouri Monuments entered into the National Database so far.

All Arkansas monuments are in the National Database, but a lot of information is missing.

CURRENTLY STANDING MARKERS – NOT RECORDED MONUMENTS

Audrain County - Mexico

US Grant Marker – Mexico in the Civil War - Graceland Museum, 501 S. Muldrow
– Dedicated 4-30-15

Boone County – Centralia Area

The Centralia Battle - Centralia Battlefield – CSA Flag - N39°10.671' W92°06.530'
Battle of Riggs' Run. Tri-City Lake Road. East of Centralia.

Camden County

Battle of Monday Hollow -Wet Glaize. Beulah Church located along Highway 7

Cape Girardeau City

Grant Trail Info – Cape County Court of Common Pleas'

Gentry County - Stanberry

Cannon – Stanberry, Mo City Park

Howard County - Glasgow

Cannon. Lewis Library, 315 Market St.

New Madrid County - New Madrid

Bissell's Submersible Saw – New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W
The Siege of New Madrid – New Madrid-Dirt Rd- no of Sand Hill Cemetery
36° 35.37' N, 89° 33.243' W.
Fort Bankhead- New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W

Ray County - Albany

Battle of Albany, Orick, MO (DNR)

Stoddard County - Bloomfield

Minton Bros Aboard the C.S. Arkansas (316 S Prairie)

First Stars & Stripes Newspaper (401 S Prairie)

Bloomfield Academy (404 W Missouri St)

Mutiny in Bloomfield (201 Center St)

Fatal Tree (Route 25 & Route E) 36° 52.98' N, 89° 55.46' W

General Davidson's Cavalry (Park Lake Dr & Crowley Ridge Dr)

The Execution of Asa Ladd (Courthouse)

Total: 18



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Outstanding JROTC Cadet Program

Purpose. This program provides a competition among high-school level JROTC Units to annually select an Outstanding JROTC Cadet. This program is an enhancement of the existing SUVCW ROTC/JROTC awards program with the stated objectives to:

1. Build stronger relationships between the SUVCW and local high schools;
2. Providing enriched programming for our SUVCW Camps and program support for our JROTC Units;
3. Supports the SUVCW's education marketing objectives by bringing Civil War history to high schools;
4. Supports the SUVCW's patriotism and citizenship marketing objectives by rewarding high school students pursuing military and public service;
5. Improve the SUVCW's charitable work; and
6. Establishes a pilot program for a SUVCW national competition.

Eligibility. This competition is open to any high-school JROTC cadet. College-level ROTC cadets and midshipmen are not part of this program.

1. Cadet must be enrolled and in good standing with a JROTC Unit at a high school within the geographic boundaries of the SUVCW Department of Missouri.
2. Cadet must be the recipient of the SUVCW's ROTC medal for the current year, which is selected by the local JROTC Unit commander/senior faculty instructor.
3. JROTC Unit commander/senior faculty instructor must support the cadet's nomination by submitting a summary of the cadet's accomplishments.

Process. The steps for a high school JROTC cadet and SUVCW Camp to participate in the competition are intentionally simple:

1. The JROTC cadet must be a recipient of a SUVCW ROTC medal for his/her high school JROTC unit in the current, sponsored by the local SUVCW Camp or SUVCW Department.
2. The JROTC unit must provide a 100- to 300-word summary of the cadet's accomplishments. A simple email text is sufficient but an optional SUVCWMO Form 7 is provided.
3. Each Camp may nominate one cadet for the competition from among the JROTC high school units they sponsor. For JROTC Units sponsored by the Department, the Department ROTC Coordinator may nominate one cadet.
4. Submit the Camp's nominee with the JROTC unit's 100- to 300-word summary to Department's ROTC Coordinator. Deadline to receive Camp nominations: April 15th.
5. A JROTC Selection Committee selects the Outstanding JROTC Cadet by May 15th.
6. The selected Outstanding JROTC Cadet and family are not required to attend, but are invited to the Department Encampment for presentation of the award.

Selection Committee. The Department Commander will appoint a JROTC Selection Committee, with a preference for SUVCW members that are military veterans, ROTC/JROTC

alumni, or past or present school educators. The Department ROTC Coordinator is a non-voting member of this committee.

Award. The Department's award for the Outstanding JROTC Cadet includes:

1. A \$200 prize.
2. The SUVCW medal and ribbon bar with a bronze leaf (Army and Air Force) or bronze star (Navy and Marine Corps).
3. A SUVCW certificate unique to the award and Department of Missouri.

DRAFT



In the name and by the authority of the

**Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Department of Missouri**

This commendation is given to

Cadet John Smith

Missouri High School

Air Force Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps

In recognition as the

Outstanding JROTC Cadet



Presented this 4th Day of June in the Year 2016,
Affixed with the Seal of the Department of Missouri, by

Department Commander



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**Junior Vice Commander Report
12 March 2016**

1. Referred four membership applications received from National:
 - Timothy Heggemeier, applicate enrolled in Sherman Camp #65
 - Ronald McCall, applicant forwarded to Phelps Camp #66
 - Eric Kornegay, applicant forwarded to McPherson Camp #1
 - Dwain Cunningham, applicant forwarded to Lincoln Camp #1
2. Followed-up on three membership inquiries from the Department website:
 - Christopher Bribiesca, no reply (second inquiry)
 - Donald Bryson, no reply (recent inquiry)
 - Pete Oetting, no recent contact
3. Drafting the supplemental application process improvement recommendations requested by the Department October Business Meeting. Regrettably, very little progress.
4. No progress on the Department's Membership-Camp Expansion Plan adopted at the Department October Business.

In FC&L,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dale Crandell".

Dale Crandell



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ROTC Coordinator Report 12 March 2016

ROTC. 14 of the 17 Missouri and Arkansas college-level ROTC Units are participating in our 2016 SUVCW awards program. Camps are sponsoring 13 ROTC Units and the Department is sponsoring one ROTC Unit. Only one ROTC program accepted the Department's invitation: Truman State University

JROTC. Only one high school-level JROTC Unit accepted the Department's invitation to participate in the 2016 SUVCW awards program: Mountain Grove High School.

2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet. The Department October Business Meeting approved a pilot program to select the 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet from Camp nominations. The program was announced in the January 2016 Unionist and follow emails to the Camps. The steps for the 2016 pilot program are simple:

1. The JROTC cadet must be a 2016 recipient of a SUVCW ROTC medal for his/her high school JROTC unit.
2. The JROTC unit must provide a 100- to 300-word summary of the cadet's accomplishments. No form, just a simple text message.
3. Each Camp may nominate one cadet for the competition from among the JROTC high school units they sponsor.
4. Submit the Camp's nominee with the JROTC unit's 100- to 300-word summary to Department's ROTC coordinator dcrandell@suvcwmo.org. Deadline to receive Camp nominations: May 10, 2016

The Department October Business Meeting also authorized a \$200 prize to the 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet. Ideally, the Cadet should also be presented with a certificate and medal-ribbon bar. Following military tradition, a bronze leaf (Army and Air Force) or bronze star (Navy and Marine Corps) is presented in lieu of a second presentation of the same medal-ribbon bar.

- Recommendation 1. That the Department present the SUVCW's ROTC medal and ribbon bar with a bronze leaf or star and a Department certificate along with the \$200 prize to the 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet.

Outstanding JROTC Cadet. Enclosed for your review, edit, and consideration is the detailed Outstanding JROTC Cadet Program requested by the Department October Business Meeting.

- Recommendation 2. That the Department endorse the Outstanding JROTC Cadet Program and forward for consideration at the 2016 Department Encampment.

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THE FOLLOWING IS THE PROPOSED
ENCAMPMENT REGISTRATION MATERIAL
FOR THE 2016 MO ENCAMPMENT. This
needs approval at this meeting.

ALSO

C-in-C Mortroff has advised he will not be attending and that Bro. Don Shaw will. We need to decide what we are paying for the for national representative at this meeting.

2016 Missouri Department Encampment Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Saturday, June 4, 2016 - Fenton, Missouri



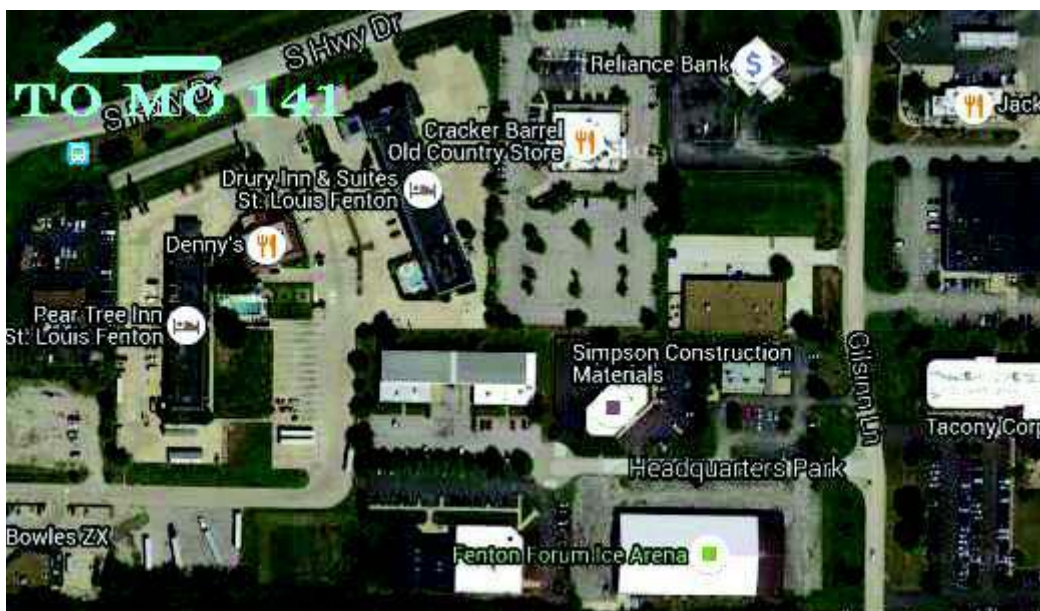
Drury Inn & Suites

1088 S Hwy Dr, Fenton, MO 63026

Phone: (636) 343-7822

GPS: 38.541703, -90.466777

Directions to Our Hotel:



Friday, 3 June 2017

6:00 pm Social Dinner – Bandana’s BBQ, South Hwy Dr, Fenton.

Saturday, 4 June 2014

Agenda

8:00 - 9:00 am Registration

9:00 am - Department Business Session I

12:00 noon – Lunch – Catered from Joe Barcardi’s or On Your Own

1:30 pm - Department Business Session II

4:00 pm - Elections/Officer Installation

5:30 pm – Adjourn

6:00 pm – After Hours Social Location TBD Day of Encampment

NOTES:

1. Camps wishing to have a brag board must create their own. There is not be a lot of room, so we may have to rotate displays.
2. The Department of Missouri would like to encourage members to bring their families. The hotel has an indoor pool and a fitness center. Room prices are at \$134 for summer rates, but I have 5 rooms in my name (2 queen beds / no smoking) for Friday night and Saturday night at a \$114.97 price. If you want a room at that price, you must contact me by May 20 via e-mail or phone webusch@hotmail.com or 314-630-8407. I will call the hotel and have it switched over to your name.
3. There are many attractions for family members to enjoy while SUVCW members are attending the business sessions. See last page.

**2016 Missouri Department Encampment
Pre-Registration Form
(Please Return Forms by May 25, 2016)**

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE _____

DEPARTMENT _____ CAMP NAME NUMBER _____

CURRENT/HIGHEST PAST OFFICE/DELEGATE/ALTERNATE _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

Please return this form and check payment made out to **Dept of Missouri SUVCW** to:

**Walter Busch
1240 Konert Valley Dr
Fenton, MO 63026**

Registration Fee (\$7 each / \$10 at the door) = \$ _____

MEAL(S) _____	Turkey Sandwich _____	Veggie Sandwich _____	Chicken & Bacon Sandwich _____
_____	Philly Beef Sandwich _____	Philly Chicken Sandwich _____	Italian Sandwich _____
_____	Pasta Con Broccoli _____	Pasta Primavera _____	Pasta Carbonara _____
_____	Cannelloni _____	Manicotti _____	Beef Ravioli _____
_____	Tortellini _____	Vodka Pasta _____	Pizza Pasta _____

Meals Described Page 3 # MEALS _____ X\$12.00 = \$ _____

REGISTRATION & MEALS TOTAL \$ _____

Notes :

- 1. The department will provide soft drinks, tea and water.**

Questions? Please contact:

Walt Busch (314) 630-8407

wbusch@suvcmo.org

Dale Crandell (816) 995-4218

dcrandell@suvcmo.org

NOTE: Attendees MUST present a signed credentials card & membership card at the Encampment in order to complete the registration process and be admitted. Credentials cards should be provided by your Camp Secretary. Members should wear membership badges, Department officers are required to wear them.



DROP-OFF CATERING MENU

SANDWICHES

*Served with Salad, Cookies and Soda
10" round muffaletta with your choice of:*

TURKEY

With Provel cheese

VEGGIE

Lettuce, tomatoes, black olives and onions

CHICKEN AND BACON

With cheddar cheese

PHILLY BEEF OR CHICKEN

Oven roasted peppers & onions topped with melted provel cheese

ITALIAN

Volpi salami, mortadella and prosciutto ham with Provel cheese

PASTA

Served with Salad, Bread & Butter, Cookies and Soda

PASTA CON BROCCOLI

PASTA PRIMAVERA

PASTA CARBONARA

CANNELLONI

MANICOTTI

BEEF RAVIOLI

TORTELLINI

Tri-color cheese tortellini with choice of marinara or white cream sauce

VODKA PASTA

Our marinara sauce combined with a delicious vodka-based cream

PIZZA PASTA

Pasta that tastes like pizza

**For the Luncheon You can order
any of the above for \$12.00 and
it comes with the house salad below.**

**BE SURE TO USE CHECK LIST (ATTACHED)
WHEN ORDERING!**

Each order is individually packed except soda, bread and salad will come in bulk format. Had to agree to this in order to be allowed to get the variety of food shown above.

SALADS

JOE BOCCARDI'S HOUSE SALAD

Lettuce, Provel cheese and tomatoes, tossed in our House Italian Dressing

Directions

Coming in on I-270 from the South, directions start at I -55 & I-270 junction

Go north on I-270 for about 4.9 miles;

Merge onto I-44 W/US-50 W via EXIT 5B toward Tulsa; Then 2.05 miles

Take EXIT 274A toward Bowles Ave.; Then 0.13 miles

Merge onto N Highway Dr. ; Then 0.64 miles

Turn left onto Bowles Ave.

1. Daimler Chrysler Corp is on the corner

2. If you reach I-44 W you've gone about 0.2 miles too far

Then 0.10 miles ; Take the 1st left onto S Highway Dr.

1. If you reach W Park Center Dr you've gone about 0.1 miles too far

Then 0.13 miles

□ 088 S Highway Dr, Fenton, MO 63026-1911, 1088 S HIGHWAY DR is on the right.

Coming in on I-270 from the North, directions start at Dougherty Ferry Rd Exit heading south on I-270

Then 2.22 miles

Merge onto I-44 W/US-50 W via EXIT 5B toward Tulsa. ; Then 1.95 miles

Take EXIT 274A toward Bowles Ave. ; Then 0.13 miles

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THINGS TO DO IN THE AREA

Shopping

Lone Elk County Park

Route 66 State Park

Lutheran Museum

Missouri History Museum

Powder Valley Conservation Area

Jefferson Barracks County Park (Civil War Museum)

Forest Park

Castlewood State Park

US Grant NHS (White Haven)

SONS OF THE UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI
Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC, PCC

COMMANDER'S REPORT
March 12, 2016

ATTENDANCE:

- Sunday, November 8, 2015 - Attended the grave marker dedication at the Columbia Cemetery, located in Columbia, MO for Wallace Lilly and his wife Mary Dunn. Presented the Department Wreath. Event sponsored by the Tiger Camp #432.
- Monday, November 9, 2015 - Attended the Grant Camp Meeting in St. Louis, MO.
- Wednesday, December 2, 2015 - Attended the St. Louis Civil War Roundtable meeting. Brought Information and sample letters for members present to write the Governor or state representative to gain support for the Legislature to find a way for MODNR State Parks to release money authorized in House Bill No. 6 for the restoration of the Missouri monument.
- Tuesday, December 8, 2016 - Attended the Grant Camp Christmas Party in St. Louis, MO.
- Monday, January 11, 2016 - Attended the Grant Camp Meeting in St. Louis, MO.
- Wednesday, January 27, 2016 - Attended the Wilhelmi Camp Meeting in St. Clair, MO. Installed the newly elected officers.
- Saturday, February 6, 2016 - Attended the Tiger Camp meeting in Columbia, MO.
- Monday, February 8, 2016 - Attended the Grant Camp Meeting in St. Louis, MO.
- Sunday, February 28, 2016 - Attended the Sherman Day ceremony at Mt Calvary cemetery in St. Louis, MO. Presented the Department wreath and spoke briefly on the purpose of the SUVCW. The event is sponsored by the Sherman Camp.
- Sunday, March 6, 2016 - Attended the Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Joel Crumrine at Peace Lutheran Church in St. Louis, MO. Presented the Eagle Scout certificate and the Department's Eagle Scout coin. Gave a brief history on the SUVCW.

Missouri Monument Restoration

In January, I had conversations with Missouri House Representative Warren Love District No 125 and State Senator Kurt Schaefer R-19 regarding House Bill No. 6. Representative Love thought it would be necessary for the legislature to find a different fund for the appropriated funds to allow the release or payment for the restoration of the Missouri monument. Senator Schaefer didn't agree with State Parks position. Received several emails were received from Dale Crandell regarding this subject.

Mark Coplin received some good news from the Superintendent at Vicksburg and the information was passed along to Dale Crandell who passed it along to me. That information and further discussion regarding the Missouri Monument will be presented later by the Missouri Monument Restoration Committee.

Historic Preservation Legislation

On February 1, 2016, I received an email from Kelly Rodgers Legislative Assistant to Representative Warren Love with an attachment for a rough draft on historic preservation legislation. The intent is to amend Chapter 253 RSMO by adding a new section known as section 253.414 and would be known as the "Missouri Heritage Protection Act of 2016. This information was forwarded to Dale Crandell and to members of the Department Monument Restoration Committee (Mark Coplin, Don Palmer, Larry Dietzel, Gary Scheel) for review and comment. A suggestion was made that this be forwarded to Department Counselor Robert Amsler for review and comment. No responses or comments were received. A further inquiry by Dale Crandell to Warren Love found that getting funds released from the State Parks was not going to be a priority for this session in 2016 and he would bring this subject up in the next session. A copy of the proposed legislation is attached.

On Thursday, March 10 it was brought to my attention thru forwarded email from Darrell Maples, Commander Missouri Division Sons of Confederate Veterans and Dale Crandell Representative Warren Love wants to introduce legislation for historic preservation as HB 2476. A hearing has not been scheduled, but he is asking for support by requesting individuals to write their legislator to support this bill. Their correspondence indicates that money for restoration of the Missouri Monument is approved in the 2017 budget. Further discussion on this subject is placed on the agenda under New Business.

Department Encampment

Received correspondence from Commander in Chief Eugene Mortoff stating he was going to attend the encampment. Later he said that Council Member Don Shaw would attend as a National Representative.

Siegel Camp Charter Revocation

Siegel Camp No 64 Charter is revoked by General Order 12 and is posted on National's website.

Dual Membership Discussion

By General Order No. 11, CinC Eugene Mortoff has called for a Special Committee to review and discuss issues with dual membership status. Department member Ed Krieser, PCinC is on that committee and has requested discussion on this topic under new business.

General Order No. 3 Last Real Sons

This order requested that a Department in which a Real Son or daughter resides to take several actions to honor those persons. There are three real sons living in Missouri in Bolivar, MO. The individual names are Garland Pool, Ernest (John) Pool and William Pool. Per information received from National, their home camp is Colonel John Bryner Camp No 67, Department of Illinois. The Camp is located in Peoria, IL. Information has been received from Joe Hutchinson, PCC and current secretary. I have been in correspondence with Joe Hutchinson and he has informed that they have been members since 2004 when they were initiated in person and have attended meetings in the past. He also has informed me that one of their members, former Brother Tim Pletkovich recruited these members when he was on the National Reals Sons Committee. None of them have been

back to the Camp for visits in recent years. The Camp and Department continue to send them both Camp and Department newsletters. Brother Pletkovich wrote a book entitled "Civil War Father about the Real Sons he had met and the book includes biographies of many of them. If we wanted to purchase the book, he thought Tim still had copies. I asked him if he could check to see if these three brothers were included. I also mentioned this is an opportunity for us to coordinate with each other and to work jointly to honor these brothers. If biographical information already exists, we can use that information.

Since the initial contact with Brother Pletkovich, I tried calling Ernest (John) Pool's earlier phone number. That phone is no longer a working number. I called the number for Garland Pool and spoke with his wife Robbie. She informed me that Garland and Ernest are both in a nursing home in Bolivar, MO. Garland has Alzheimer's and doesn't communicate. Her husband Garland does communicate somewhat, but basically he also has Alzheimer's also. I spoke with her for several minutes and explain to her the purpose of my call and that we were trying to establish a contact and to offer our support and let her and her husband and brother-in-laws that there were fellow SUVCW members closer to them than Peoria, IL.

She said her brother-in-law was still active and could communicate well. His phone number is still valid and I spoke with him for several minutes regarding his SUVCW membership, real son status, and we talked a little about his time in the Second World War. I told him what I was doing and offered my name and contact information and he replied by saying "Just call me anytime." He also said their sister is still living.

I called John Rutherford at Phelps Camp and did not receive a return phone call. I called Robert (Bob) Clanton and talked to his wife. She said Jeff Patrick would be the best contact. I talked to Jeff Patrick and brought him up to date regarding General Order No. 3. He thought this was a worthwhile project and would present a great opportunity for their camp. I sent him all the information and correspondence between me and Brother Pletkovich. Brother Pletkovich was informed that Phelps Camp would follow up with the General Order and that Jeff Patrick would be the point of contact of any coordination. I asked Brother Pletkovich to confirm if any biographical information existed on the Real Sons and Daughter to avoid duplication and to accelerate getting information on the National website.

Grant Camp Correspondence

Grant Camp sent a letter to the Department with a request to rename the Show Me Spirit Award to the Wayne Sampson Show Me Spirit Award. This item is placed on the Agenda under New Business.

U.S. Grant Camp #68 – St. Louis, Missouri
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

February 10, 2016

Department of Missouri – Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

To the Honorable Commander of the Department of Missouri – Martin Aubuchon – and brothers of the Department of Missouri, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War


Let it be known that at our last U.S. Grant Camp #68 meeting held on February 8th 2016, a motion was made and passed unanimously by the camp membership present for the following resolution to be brought before the Department of Missouri for its consideration to change the name of one of the Department Missouri Awards.

As you are aware Columbia Tiger Camp #432 member and Past Camp Commander of the Gen. Asboth Camp #5, Brother Wayne Sampson, passed away on February 1st 2016. His dedication and devotion to the order and his ability to reach across to our Confederate cousins should not be forgotten.

That is why we, the members of U.S. Grant Camp #68 – St. Louis, Missouri - Department of Missouri - Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, propose a resolution to the Department of Missouri that the **Show Me Sprit Award** to be renamed - the **Wayne Sampson Show Me Sprit Award**, and that this resolution be voted on at the March meeting of the Department of Missouri SUVCW.

We also request that if such resolution is passed - that the family of Wayne Sampson be contacted and made aware of the Department of Missouri Award's name change in his memory.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.



Mark Coplin

Camp Commander – U.S. Grant Camp #68
St. Louis, Missouri
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Camp Organizer Report

Marty Aubuchon

From: Martin Aubuchon <deb.martyaubuchon@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2016 1:32 PM
To: Marty Aubuchon
Subject: Fwd: Information

Martin (Marty)
Sent from my I Phone

Begin forwarded message:

Camp Organizer

From: Bob Petrovic <rpetro7776@aol.com>
Date: March 9, 2016 at 8:52:50 AM CST
To: deb.martyaubuchon@sbcglobal.net, webusch@hotmail.com
Subject: **Information**

We had a group from Jefferson City that was interested in starting a camp. I sent them information on what forms they needed to fill out and where to find them. Also I told them to contact me if they had any questions. I have not heard from them as to the status of the new camp.

Bob P.

Treasurer's Report

Brothers,

This is my report from 20 October 2015 thru 29 February 2016

Submitted by,

Gary L. Scheel
Treasurer

DATE	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	Rec'd	Paid Out	U.S. Bank	Montgomery	Montgomery
10/20/2015	Deposit	Camp #17 Transfer Member Emmett Taylor. Reinstatement dues and fees/ Walt Busch purchased 15- 2007 Shirts	\$57.00		\$57.00		
10/20/2015	Check #258	National Organization SUVCW. Dues and fees for transfer/reinstatement of Camp #17 Member Emmett Taylor		\$33.00	-\$33.00		
10/30/2015	Interest	Interest	\$0.14		\$0.14		
11/2/2015	Deposit	Camp #64, Supplemental, Camp #68 one new member, Camp #432 four new members	\$67.25		\$67.25		
11/2/2015	Check # 259	National Organization SUVCW. Dues and fees for 1 Westport, 1 Grant and 4 Tiger Camps		\$58.75	-\$58.75		
11/2/2015	Cancelled	Outstanding Check #222 to the Department of the Chesapeake never cashed.	\$40.00			\$40.00	
11/2/2015	Check #229	Montgomery Bank Checking transfer to U.S. Bank Checking via Check #229		\$2,405.95		-\$2,405.95	
11/2/2015	Deposit	Montgomery Bank Checking account closed. Check #229	\$2,405.95		\$2,405.95		
11/28/2015	Deposit	Check#1005 Genr McPherson Camp#1 Dues for Paul Dolly	\$21.50		\$21.50		
11/28/2015	Check #260	National Organization SUVCW Dues and Fees for Paul Dolly, McPherson Camp #1		\$16.50	-\$16.50		
11/30/2015	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.23		\$0.23		
12/31/2015	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25		\$0.25		
1/30/2016	Check #261	Jones School Supply Co. 250 Folders Blue, 1 Proof, 1 Die		\$496.13	-\$496.13		

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1/31/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25			\$0.25		
2/29/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.22			\$0.22		
		TOTALS	\$14,760.98	\$15,183.74	\$5,421.99	\$0.00		\$1,145.92

Yellow Highlights (in digital copy) indicate items that have not cleared the bank

Account Totals
 Checking Account \$0.00
 Checking Account U.S. Bank \$5,421.99
 CD \$1,145.92
 Cash/Checks on Hand \$0.00
TOTAL ALL ACCOUNTS \$6,567.91

Interest Transfer date 2/29/2016 CD & US

Earmarked Funds
 Past Commanders Fund \$1,584.72
 Benevolent Fund \$128.00
Total Earmarked Funds \$1,712.72
 Total Undesignated General Funds (Total Funds Minus Earmarked Funds) \$4,854.97

Treasurer's Report Respectfully Submitted
 Gary L. Scheel PCC 3/12/2015

SONS OF THE UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI
GARY L. SCHEEL, PCC

TREASURER'S REPORT
03/12/2016

SUMMARY

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Respectfully submitted

Gary L. Scheel, PCC

Marketing Report

James Dixon

Martin Aubuchon

From: James Dixon <jamesdixonsuvcw@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 10, 2016 11:26 PM
To: Marty Aubuchon
Subject: Department Meeting. Marketing and Promotion

Marty,

No reports. Good flow on the website, and Facebook. Still working on getting the records on the site, been getting good progress. Any updates suggested, just email me. Haven't heard any so far.

James

Sent from my HTC



You are invited to participate in a commemoration for

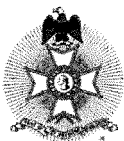
**Private First Class John Lewis Barkley
Company K, 4th Infantry, 3rd Division, U.S. Army
Medal of Honor Recipient**

National Medal of Honor Day honors the 3,496 men and women whose service and sacrifices were recognized with the nation's highest medal, the Medal of Honor. Awarded since the Civil War and often called the Congressional Medal of Honor, there are 34 deceased recipients buried in the greater Kansas City area.

Several local lineage and veteran groups are conducting a commemoration for this World War I medal recipient buried at Forest Hills Cemetery. PFC Barkley was one of two from the 4th Infantry to be awarded the Medal of Honor for service during the Meuse-Argonne Offensive.

Contact Dale Crandell at dcrandell@swbell.net for information.

**2:00 pm, Sunday, March 20, 2016
Forest Hills Cemetery
6901 Troost Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri**





Westport Camp #64
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
westport.suvcwmo.org

Missouri State Fair Parade

- Proposal:** For the SUVCW and SVR to support a Department-wide uniformed group to march in the Missouri State Fair opening day parade.
- What:** Missouri State Fair is an annual event with the traditional fair activities ranging from agriculture judging to live entertainment.
- The fair includes a mile-long parade on opening day.
- Where:** Sedalia, Missouri.
- When:** Fair runs August 11 - 21, 2016.
Parade 4:00 pm, Thursday, August 11, 2016.
- Who:** 366,218 people attended in 2013.
- Why:** In prior years, Civil War re-enactment groups participated in the parade.
- More:** <http://www.mostatefair.com/entertainment-attractions/free-entertainment/parade>



Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Department of Missouri

Department Commander

Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC

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Business Meeting Reminder

February 29, 2016

TO:

Elected Officers:

Randal Burd, Jr., PCC, Senior Vice Commander
Dale Crandell, CC, Junior Vice Commander
Walter E. Busch, PDC, Secretary (Term expires 2017)
Gary L. Scheel, PCC, Treasurer (Term expires 2017)
Donald D. Palmer, Jr., CinC, Council (Term Expires 2016)
Larry D. Dietzel, PDC, Council (Term Expires 2016)
James R. Dixon, PCC, Council (Term Expires 2017)

Appointed Officers:

Robert D. Hammack, Chaplain
Robert M. Petrovic, PDC, Camp Organizer
Robert J. Amsler, Jr., PCC, Counselor
Robert D. Hammack, Eagle Scout Coordinator
Robert D. Hammack, Graves Registration Officer
Walter E. Busch, PDC, Civil War Memorials Officer
Walter E. Busch, PDC, GAR Records Officer
Walter E. Busch, PDC, Historian
Walter E. Busch, PDC, Historical Records Coordinator
James R. Dixon, PCC, Marketing & Promotions Officer
Walter E. Busch, PDC, Missouri Unionist Editor
William L. Groth, Jr., PCC, Medal of Honor Officer
Tom Farlow, PCC, Patriotic Instructor
Douglas W. Roussin, Quartermaster
Dale Crandell, CC, JROTC?ROTC Coordinator
James R. Dixon, PCC, Signals Officer

Brothers, this is a reminder that the next business meeting is scheduled for March 12 at 10:00 am in House Hearing Room #7 in the State Capital Building in Jefferson City, Missouri.

All elected and appointed officers should prepare written reports for their respective office and attend the business meeting. The report should include any activities for which you are responsible and the progress of any items. Committee reports are also due at this time.

Please prepare your reports and send them to the Department Secretary Walter Busch and Department Commander by MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2016 so copies may be made for the Department meeting attendees. If the report can't be completed by the requested date, then you are responsible for making copies of your report to be used by the attendees.

If you have any business item or topic that you would like added to the agenda, please contact me and it will be added to the agenda.

A Rough draft of the agenda is as follows:

Minutes of Department Business Meeting October 24, 2015.

Treasurer Report

Officer Reports

Committee Reports

Awards

Bylaws

Encampment

Membership

Missouri National Encampment

Vicksburg Monument Restoration

Old Business

Policy & Procedures Manual Update

Presentation Folders

New Business

Dual Member Discussion

Everyone is reminded to fulfill the responsibilities of their office as was agreed to at your time of installation. In addition, all brothers are to follow the SUVCW principles of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty.

In accordance to Article II, Section 5, members need to have their SUVCW membership card at the meetings and present it when requested. Each member is encouraged to wear their membership badge. All elected officers must wear their membership badge or be subject to a \$10.00 fine payable to the Department of Missouri.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the upcoming business meeting.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Martin R. Aubuchon
Commander

Proposed Legislative Act - Should we support?

4346H.01I

AN ACT

To amend chapter 253, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to historic preservation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI,
AS FOLLOWS:

Section A. Chapter 253, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 253.414, to read as follows:

253.414. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Missouri Heritage Protection Act of 2016".

2. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Council", the Missouri advisory council on historic preservation;

(2) "Department", the department of natural resources;

(3) "Designated veterans' grave marker", any veteran grave marker that has been determined by a majority vote of the council to be of sufficient historical military significance to be designated for inclusion in the registry;

(4) "Historic property", as defined under section 253.395;

(5) "Historic site of significant military history", all sites currently recognized by the department as state historic sites whose designations are based, at least in part, on their significance to Missouri military history; these may include, but shall not be limited to, the Battle of Athens state historic site, the Battle of Lexington state historical site, the Confederate Memorial state historic site, the Fort Davidson state

historic site, and sites in honor of the French and Indian War, American Revolution, War of 1812, United States-Mexican War, the War Between the States, Spanish American War, the Mexican border period, World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict, the Vietnam War, Operation Urgent Fury (Grenada), Operation El Dorado Canyon (Libya), Operation Just Cause (Panama), Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm (Persian Gulf War I), Operation Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan), or Operation Iraqi Freedom (Persian Gulf War II);

(6) "Historical marker program", the program conducted by the council that qualifies any marker for which the design and narrative has been voluntarily submitted and approved by the council; is erected on state, municipal, or private property under procedures adopted by the council; and which commemorates the marking of the locations of sites, persons, and events significant in the history of Missouri including, but not limited to, military history;

(7) "Marker", any marker identified and recognized by the historical marker program;

(8) "Military monument or memorial", any monument, memorial, object of remembrance, or other designation, including a statue, portrait, plaque, seal, flag, symbol, building name, street name, historic site, or other real estate name, that:

(a) Honors a citizen or group of citizens of Missouri or honors a person or group of persons for military or war-related service conducted within or in the name of or on behalf of the state of Missouri or honors the soldiers as identified in section

253.110, or honors military veterans of the United States of America; and

(b) Is located and has been continuously, repeatedly, or permanently displayed in the state for a period of time exceeding two years or that has been included in the registry;

(9) "Park", as defined under section 253.010;

(10) "Permitted public ceremony", any act or series of acts by individuals, groups, or organizations that have been conducted by practice or tradition or as may be requested by individuals, groups, or organizations and approved by the council, after August 28, 2016, including temporary grave decorations, reenactments, meetings, or gatherings to honor and recognize a citizen or group of citizens as identified in paragraph (a) of subdivision (8) of this subsection;

(11) "Registry", a list of all state historic military monuments or memorials, markers, and designated veterans' grave markers that are located on state, municipal, private, or other land that have been voluntarily submitted and approved by the council for inclusion on the registry or statutorily designated monuments or memorials adopted by the general assembly for statutory inclusion on the registry. No site shall be designated and included on the registry without the written consent of the landowner or landowners in recordable form sufficiently describing the site so that it may be located on the ground. Such consent shall be recorded in the deed records of the county in which the land is located;

(12) "Statutorily designated monument or memorial", any

monument, memorial, or other designation, including a statue, portrait, plaque, seal, flag, symbol, building name, street name, historic site, or other real estate name that is adopted by the general assembly for statutory inclusion on the registry.

3. No agency, political subdivision, or entity with the power of eminent domain shall relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial on any site under the control of the department or otherwise located on state lands which are listed on the registry or amend any practice of permitted public ceremony on any registered state historic site without holding a public hearing and without a majority vote of the council approving the action to relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial, or any practice of permitted public ceremony on any state historic site. Prior to any such public hearing and vote of the council, the department shall provide public notice of the hearing, which notice shall be published in the Missouri Register at least sixty days prior to any action to seek the council's approval to relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any such state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial or amend any practice

of permitted public ceremony on any state historic site, and the department shall publish a notice of such hearing once a week for two consecutive weeks in any newspaper qualified under section 493.050 to publish legal notices in the local area containing the site. The second notice shall be published at least ten days before the hearing is scheduled.

4. The provisions of subsection 3 of this section shall not apply to any agency, political subdivision, or entity responsible for maintaining any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial from taking proper and appropriate measures and exercising proper and appropriate means for the protection, preservation, care, repair, or restoration of such historic military monument or memorial, marker, designated veterans' grave marker, or statutorily designated monument or memorial.

5. The provisions of subsection 3 of this section shall not apply to actions undertaken by the Missouri department of transportation.

6. (1) Any decision made under this section by the council may be appealed and in such instance shall be reviewed by the joint committee on administrative rules.

(2) The joint committee on administrative rules may meet at any time to review such appeal.

Proposed By-Law Changes Put on Hold



Bylaws Department of Missouri Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War as amended in 2016

REVISION	DATE	WRITER	ACTIONS
Draft1	10/21/2015	Martin Aubuchon	Sent to Randal Burd 10/21/2015
Draft2	10/22/2015	Randal Burd	Made changes on Martin Aubuchon's Draft1; Discussed at Dept. Business Meeting 10/24/15
Draft3	2/11/2016	Randal Burd	Finalized changes discussed by Department on 10/24/15; Sent to committee 2/11/2016
Draft4	3/7/2016	Martin <u>Aubuchon</u>	Comments sent to Randal Burd 3/7/16
Draft5	3/11/2016	Randal Burd	Draft finalized for meeting on 3/12/2016

Preamble

We, the descendants of soldiers, sailors or marines who served in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Revenue Cutter Service of the United States of America during the War of Rebellion of 1861-1865, have joined this patriotic and fraternal order for the purpose and objects set forth by the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, and in so doing pledge ourselves to commemorate our forefathers' deeds, to render loyal service to our country, and to promote the maintenance of unqualified American citizenship with respect for and honor to the flag.

ARTICLE I - Organization

This Department shall be constituted by the Constitution and Regulations (C&R) governing the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and shall be known as the DEPARTMENT of MISSOURI, SONS of UNION VETERANS of the CIVIL WAR.

ARTICLE II - Meetings

Section 1. The Encampment of the Department of Missouri, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, shall be held annually on the first Saturday in June. The place and arrangements for the Department Encampment shall be determined by the Encampment Site Committee. The Department Commander, or his designee, shall be present at the Department Encampment.

Section 2. Special meetings of a Department Encampment may be called by the Commander, with the consent of the Council, or be convened by the Commander upon the receipt of a petition approved by a majority of the Camps; provided that not less than thirty (30) days notice of said meeting shall be given to each Camp. No business shall be transacted at any special meeting other than that for which it was called—and the call for all special meetings shall state the object and purpose of same.

Section 3. There shall be at least two regular business meetings each year in addition to the Department Encampment. One meeting will be in October and one meeting will be in March. The Department Commander will make arrangements for the meeting locations, dates and times, and will give notice by a Department Order at least 30 days prior to the meetings(s). Meeting notices should be posted on the Department's web site and also distributed, at least by electronic means, to all members of the Department at the last known email address known to the Department. The electronic means may consist of direct communication from the Commander, Secretary, or by the Department newsletter. Electronic communication may also consist of communication from the Commander or Secretary to the Camp Commanders and Secretaries who will forward the information onto their members or notify them by other means. The regular business meetings may address and approve any business before the Department, but may not approve Bylaw changes.

Section 4. A quorum for the business meetings or Department Encampment is a majority of the membership reported present and entitled to vote when the meeting was called following any of the above procedures. A member needs to have his membership card and present it when requested at the start of the meeting. The member should wear his membership badge or the appropriate Camp Commander's badge. Past Department Commanders may wear the membership badge or the past Department Commander's badge.

Section 5. All elected officers must wear their membership badge or appropriate Camp Commander or Past Department Commander's badge at business meetings and Encampments. The Department Commander must wear the Department Commander's badge. Any elected officer not wearing a badge is subject to a \$10.00 fine, payable to the Department.

ARTICLE III - Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The elected officers of the Department shall be as follows: Commander, Senior Vice Commander, Junior Vice Commander, three (3) members of the Council, two of which will be elected in even number years and one in odd numbered years, a Secretary/Treasurer or a Secretary and a Treasurer. The Secretary/Treasurer or a Secretary is elected in even years and the Treasurer elected in odd years. The same member may hold the office of Secretary and the office of Treasurer simultaneously. The Commander, Treasurer, or the Secretary/Treasurer may not serve on the Council. All elected officers will serve for one year. The Secretary/Treasurer or a Secretary and Treasurer will serve a term of 2 years. Council members will serve a term of 2 years. All officer and committee references in these bylaws shall be regarded as Department-related unless described otherwise. Officers shall be elected at the Department Encampment by the brothers present and entitled to vote. No brother shall be eligible for election to the office of Department Commander unless he has served as a Camp Commander.

Section 2. The Commander, after his election, shall appoint other officers for the term of one (1) year as per the C&R. The appointed officers shall include the following: Chaplain, Counselor, Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) Records Officer, Graves Registration Officer, Historian, and Patriotic Instructor. The Commander will also appoint the following: Camp Organizer, Civil War Memorials Officer, Eagle Scout Coordinator, and Historical Records Coordinator. The Commander will also appoint at least two members to the Encampment Site Committee.

The Commander may also appoint: Department Quartermaster, Marketing & Promotions Officer, Medal of Honor Records Officer, Missouri Unionist Editor, JROTC/ROTC Coordinator, Signals Officer. The Commander may also appoint a Color Bearer, Guard, and/or Guide as required to follow the Order's Ritual and Ceremonies.

Section 3. All officers shall be Brothers of the Department of Missouri and shall perform the duties as specified by the C&R, Ritual and Ceremonies, these Bylaws, and the orders of the Commander.

*HISTORICAL RECORDS OFFICER ~~SHALL~~ MAY BE APPOINTED TO COMBINE ANY)
THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS: ³ GAR OFFICERS, HISTORIAN, CIVIL WAR
MEM. OFFICER, SONS OF UNION VETERANS RECORDS OFFICER, & MOH OFFICER.*

The officers shall have such other duties which are described in the official Department officer(s)' job descriptions as adopted by the National Organization.

Section 4. If a vacancy should occur in any elected office, the Council shall convene, and by a majority vote of said Council, elect a brother of the Department of Missouri to fill said vacancy until the next Annual Encampment. If a vacancy should occur in any appointed office, the Commander may appoint another brother of the Department to fill said vacancy until the next Encampment. The removal of any elected or appointed officer from office for misconduct of duty shall be as provided by the C&R and these Bylaws.

Section 5. All officers (elected and appointed) shall upon their retirement from office, turn over to their successor all property of the Department within ten (10) days after leaving office. All property shall be confirmed with a written inventory list, signed by both parties, with a copy of the list given to the Secretary.

Section 6. Pursuant to the C&R, a sufficient number of Brothers of the Department of Missouri shall be elected as delegates and alternates to represent the Department of Missouri at the Annual Encampment of the Order. Said election shall occur at the Department Encampment preceding the National Encampment in question.

Section 7. The installation of Department officers shall be performed at the Department Encampment.

ARTICLE IV - Authorized Expenditures

Section 1. Elected officers may be entitled to reimbursement of certain expenses necessary for the conduct of their offices. Approval of reimbursement for expenses shall be obtained by a vote of the Council. Expenses may include, but not be limited to, long distance telephone calls and postage.

ARTICLE V - Council

Section 1. The Council shall meet after their installation and elect a Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Secretary. They shall have charge and supervision of all investments of funds and property of the Department. They shall convene on the day of and just before the Department Encampment for the purpose of a full audit of the Department books and accounts, an accounting of all Department property, and to review a budget prepared by the Treasurer for the ensuing year and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought to its attention.

Section 2. The Treasurer shall have all necessary books, papers, etc., at the time and place designated and shall render assistance in making said audit. Failure to comply without just cause or prior arrangements may result in disciplinary measures set forth in the C&R and these Bylaws.

ARTICLE VI - Reports

Section 1. All officers of the Department shall present an annual written report at the department encampment.

Section 2. The Secretary shall make and keep a record of the proceedings of the Department Encampment. He shall make a regular report of the correspondence received and sent, and other activities as required by his office, to the Commander as often as required by the C&R. He shall also make reports, as may be deemed necessary by the Commander and/or Council.

Section 3. The Treasurer shall prepare and maintain records of all the Departments finances, reporting the total receipts, expenditures and balances on hand. This report shall be presented at the Department Encampment. He shall also make special reports, as may be deemed necessary by the Commander and/or Council.

ARTICLE VII - Camp Charter Fees and Per Capita Tax

Section 1. The charter fee for all new Camps within the Department of Missouri will be paid by the Department.

Section 2. Each new Camp within the Department shall receive a packet containing the Department Bylaws, and a listing of current Camps and Officers within the Department.

Section 3. The per capita tax for the ensuing year shall be fixed at the October business meeting or a special Department meeting after the National Encampment.

Section 4. Camps shall be exempt from Department per capita tax assessment on real sons, life members, and juniors.

Article VIII Department Committees

Section 1. The Standing Department Committees shall be as follows: Bylaws, Awards, Legislative, Membership, Graves Registration, Civil War Memorials, G.A.R. Records, Historian, Historical Records Coordinator, Sons of Union Veterans/Sons of Veterans (S.U.V./S.V.) Records, Camp Organizer, Marketing & Promotions, and Communication & Technology. The chairmen of said committees may appoint brothers to assist them in their Department functions at their discretion.

Section 2. Special Committees may be created by action of the Commander and shall exist for the period of time designated in the creation thereof. Duties and responsibilities shall be defined at the time of committee creation.

Section 3. All Standing and Special Committees shall, except as where otherwise noted, consist of brothers of the Department of Missouri in good standing within their respective camps. The Commander shall appoint the Chairman of each Committee unless otherwise specified. The Commander shall serve *member ex-officio* on all Standing and Special Committees, unless otherwise noted.

Section 4. The Bylaws Committee shall be chaired by the Senior Vice Commander and shall review these Bylaws in even years, bringing any necessary revisions to the attention of the Department membership.

Section 5. The Legislative Committee shall keep itself informed of all legislation which may be introduced in the Missouri State Legislature, of such nature as to affect the interest of this Order and / or the Other Allied Orders of the Grand Army of the Republic, or the patriotic interests of the people, and may recommend to the Camps, subject to the approval of the Department Commander, any action that the committee deems advisable or expedient, The Legislative Committee shall consist of the Department Commander, Secretary, and three other brothers of the Department appointed by the Commander.

Section 6. The Membership Committee shall be chaired by the Junior Vice Commander and shall consist of all Camp Junior Vice Commanders. The purpose of the committee shall be to put forth proposals and implement programs for the recruitment of brothers into the order.

Section 7. The Graves Registration Committee shall seek and identify all graves of Civil War veterans in the State of Missouri. The Committee shall bring to the attention of the Department any disrespect or lack of maintenance shown to any Civil War grave. The Committee shall be chaired by the Graves Registration Officer.

Section 8. The Civil War Memorials Committee shall seek, locate, catalog, and promote the preservation of all monuments and memorials to Civil War veterans within the State of Missouri. The Committee shall be chaired by the Civil War Memorials Officer.

Section 9. The GAR records Committee shall seek, locate, and catalog all GAR records within the State of Missouri. The Committee chair shall be the GAR Records Officer.

Section 10. The Communications and Technology Committee shall advise officers and committees about the latest technologies pertinent to the Department. The Committee shall be chaired by the Signals Officer.

Section 11. The SV/SUV Records Committee shall seek, locate, and catalog all SV/SUV Records within the State of Missouri. The committee shall be chaired by the Historical Records Coordinator.

Section 12. An Awards Committee, consisting of the last 3 Past Department Commanders and chaired by the Senior Vice Commander, shall deliberate on all nominations received by their respective deadlines and make final recommendations to the Department Commander on Camps, brothers, and people outside the Order who are worthy of the awards presented by the Order. They shall also review the current rules and criteria governing each award as set forth in the Department's Policies and Procedures and may recommend modifications to the criteria for future awards. Modification recommendations need to be brought to the attention of the Department by the March business meeting. The membership of this standing committee will adjust annually, immediately following the regular Department Encampment, to fit the criteria as stated in this Section.

Section 13. The Marketing Committee shall seek, propose, and initiate approved plans to promote the Department of Missouri and its Camps. The Committee shall be chaired by the Marketing & Promotions Officer, who may appoint additional brothers to assist him as needed. The Junior Vice Commander, because of his role as Chairman of the Membership Committee, shall also be a member of this committee.

Section 14. The Encampment Site Committee, consisting of at least two (2) members appointed by the Department Commander, shall find potential meeting locations for the Department Encampment, investigate costs, make arrangements, and report their actions at a regular business meeting. The Encampment Site Committee shall solicit interest and request for proposals from the various Camps in the Department by including the request in the Missouri Unionist or sending information to the Camp Commanders and Secretaries. The Encampment Site Committee shall rotate the Department Encampment location to a new location **every year if at all possible**. Any Camp that would like to make arrangements will forward their request to the Encampment Site Committee for consideration.

Final arrangements will be confirmed at the March business meeting. The Encampment Site Committee will give notice to the Camp Commanders and Secretaries and the notice will be posted on the web site and also distributed minimally by electronic transmission to all members of the Department at the last known electronic contact address known to the Department.

Section 15. The Department Quartermaster shall keep the property of the Department in a safe and secure location. The custodian will maintain a complete list and record of all Department property which has been assigned to him for safe keeping. The Property Custodian will submit a complete list and record to the Department Encampment. As new property is received by the Department and transferred to the Property Custodian, the new items are to be added to the record of Department property. The Property Custodian will arrange to have the Department altar available for the Department Encampment.

Section 16. The Department Historian will maintain a history of the Department of Missouri.

Section 17. The Historical Records Coordinator will collect, organize, and catalog all SV/SUV Records within the State of Missouri and ensure the preservation of historical records of the Grand Army of the Republic, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and will coordinate all activities with the Department Historian, Civil War Memorials Officer, GAR Records Officer. The Historical Records Coordinator will also coordinate with the Department Quartermaster. The Historical Records Coordinator will serve as a advisor as to the proper disposition or storage of camp records.

ARTICLE IX - Camps

Section 1. The Department Commander may annually inspect any Camp for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the same.

Section 2. The use of ritualistic ceremonies in the conducting of regular Camp meetings is encouraged of all Camps.

Section 3. The initiation of candidates into the Order is encouraged to be done as per the Ritual of the Order at a regular Camp meeting.

Section 4. Camps are encouraged to meet at least quarterly throughout the year in ritual session.

Article X Membership at Large

Section 1. In accordance with Chapter II, Article X, Section 1, National Regulations, the Department shall not maintain membership at large (MAL). When applications are received from the National Organization for MAL, the Department Junior Vice Commander shall contact the member and give him the opportunity to select one of the Camps in the Department to join. If the new MAL does not elect to choose a Camp within 30 days, he shall be assigned to the Camp closest to his place of residence. The Junior Vice Commander shall develop and maintain a map of the Department to serve as a guideline for Camp assignment.

ARTICLE XI - Associates, Juniors and Junior Associates.

Section 1. Associates may be enrolled only into existing Camps within the Department pursuant to the order's C&R.

Section 2. The Associate applicant shall observe all procedures of application, membership and dues structures as the member applicant.

Section 3. A rejected applicant for Associate enrollment shall not be eligible to apply again for Associate enrollment until six (6) months have elapsed after such rejection.

Section 4. Juniors or Junior Associates may be enrolled only into existing Camps within the department pursuant to the Order's C&R.

Section 5. Juniors or Junior Associate applicants shall observe all procedures of application as outlined in their respective Camp Bylaws and the Order's C&R. Juniors and Junior Associates are exempt from the Department per capita tax.

Section 6. A rejected applicant for Junior or Junior Associate enrollment shall not be eligible to apply again for Associate enrollment until six (6) months have elapsed after such rejection.

Section 7. No Junior or Junior Associate shall hold an elected or appointed office of the department.

ARTICLE XII – Camp Elections

Section 1. The Camps of this Department shall elect Camp officers between the first regular meeting of the Camp during the month of October and the first meeting of December, inclusive; said elections shall conform to regulations established by the C&R.

Section 2. The Camps of this Department shall install Camp officers between the first regular meeting of the camp in November through January, inclusive. Said installation shall conform to regulations established by the C&R and shall be performed by the Department Commander or his designee or the Commander-in-Chief or his designee who shall make report thereof. The installing officer shall complete the installing officer's report (Form 22) before departing and provide the same to the Camp Secretary to be filed with the Department Secretary.

ARTICLE XIII - Amendments

Section 1. The Bylaws shall only be amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the brothers present and entitled to vote at any Department Encampment.

Section 2. Any proposed amendment, to these Bylaws shall be printed or typewritten and a copy sent to the Commander and Secretary of each Camp for review, at least 30 days prior to any Department Encampment. All Camps shall take action on same and instruct their delegates accordingly.

Section 3. These Bylaws and any amendments shall be effective immediately after their adoption at the Department Encampment and subsequent approval of the Commander-in-Chief.

ARTICLE XIV - Ritualistic Equipment

Section 1. Camps are encouraged to provide at least three (3) flags. The first two flags shall be the United States and the Missouri state flags. The third flag shall be the blue, bearing the gold badge of the order, no smaller than 8 by 10 inches centered with the names of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the name and number of the Camp. The size of all three flags and poles, respectively, shall be the same. The fringe on all three flags shall be yellow.

Section 2. The Department is encouraged to provide three (3) flags. The first two flags shall be the United States and Missouri state flag. The third flag shall be red, bearing a gold badge of the order, no smaller than 8 by 10 inches centered with the names in gold lettering of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the Department of Missouri. The size of all three flags and poles, respectively, shall be the same. The fringe on all three flags shall be yellow.

Section 3. All flags of the Camps and or the Department shall be displayed, if practicable, at all regular meetings of the respective body, at parades, and when ordered by the Department Commander.

Section 4. All Camps and the Department shall make all efforts possible to secure and use the ritualistic equipment provided for in the C&R, Ritual and Bylaws.

ARTICLE XVI - Discipline

Section 1. Disciplinary activities are addressed and governed by the national constitution and regulations ("C&R") in chapter V (General Regulations), article VI (Discipline).

ARTICLE XVII - Sons of Veterans Reserve and Camp Guards

Section 1. The Department of Missouri will encourage the establishment of a military unit known as the Sons of Veterans Reserve (SVR) as outlined within the C&R of the Order.

Section 2. The Department Commander may call upon the SVR Officer commanding within the Department and request the SVR to provide an appropriate appearance and military participation on behalf of the Department.

Section 3. The senior officer of any SVR unit existing within the Department present at any Department function, shall assume overall command of the military aspects of the Department function. The senior officer of each Camp Guard participating in any Department function shall place himself and his Camp Guard under the command of the SVR officer.

Section 4. Camps may maintain an independent Camp Guard under the auspices of the Camp. Said Camp Guards shall not be governed by the standard operating procedures of the National Military Department, SVR. The highest ranking officer of any Camp Guard shall be Captain.

Section 5. The Department may call upon the various camps and request that the camps provide an appropriate appearance and military participation at a Department function.

Section 6. Each Camp with a Camp Guard may regulate the amount of dues for members of such a unit.

Section 7. There shall be no money paid out from the Department treasury to any source expense or purpose for the SVR or any Camp Guard.

ARTICLE XVIII - Inclusion of Other Regulations

Section 1. Included herein by reference and made a part of these Bylaws are the following Rules and Regulations and any subsequent amendments or modifications thereto: Constitution and Regulations of the National Organization of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and Standard Operating Procedures of the National Military Department of the Sons of the Veterans Reserve.

ARTICLE XIX - Dissolution and Disposition of Assets

Section 1. In the case of surrender or forfeiture of the Department Charter, all Department property and assets shall be turned over to the National Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War or his duly authorized representative and shall become the property of the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. The receipts for property and assets shall be added to the surrendered department records.

Section 2. All property of the Department shall be held by the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, as a charitable trust and used for the purpose for which the order exists. Any such transfer or disposal within six (6) months of disbandment or surrender of the Department Charter without consent of the National Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War is prohibited. The property and funds of the Department shall not be divided amongst its members.

Section 3. In the event the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War no longer exists, said property and funds shall revert to the benefit of the first and any remaining organizations of the Allied Orders of the Grand Army of the Republic or in their absence, to the holdings of the Missouri Historical Society.

At the Missouri Department Annual Encampment on June __, 2016, it was voted on and passed to amend the Bylaws by updating the articles en masse and correcting grammar:

ATTEST:

Secretary, Department of Missouri

Date _____

The foregoing Bylaws change of the Department of Missouri, SUVCW, is found to be in accordance with the Constitution and Regulations (C&R) of the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and is hereby approved.

Commander-in-Chief,
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Date: _____

ATTEST:

National Secretary,
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Date: _____



Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Department of Missouri

Preregistered:

Don Shaw, Council of Administration – Dept of Michigan (Guest).....Present
Martin Aubuchon, PDC – Department Commander.....Present
Walter Busch, PDC – Department Secretary.....Present
Donald J Palmer, PC-in-C – Department Council.....Present
Dale Crandell, PCC – Junior Vice Commander.....Present
Robert M. Petrovic , PDC – Department Organizer.....Present
Jack Grothe, PCC – Sherman Camp.....Present
Bryan Bradford, PCC – Tiger Camp.....Present
Sumner Hunnewell , Delegate – Fletcher Camp.....Present
Michael Hudson, Delegate – Grant Camp.....Present
Oliver Pechman, Delegate – Fletcher Camp.....Present
John Palmer, Delegate – Grant Camp.....Present
Doug Roussin, PCC – Fletcher Camp.....Present
Allen Harger, Guest – Columbia.....Present

Not Pre-registered

Ed Krieser, PC-in-C- Lincoln.....Present
Joe Rainey, PCC – McPherson.....Present
Glennon Alsop, PDC – Wilhelmi.....Present
Randal Burd Jr, PCC – Senior Vice Commander.....Present
Bob Hammack, Graves Registration Officer – St James.....Present
Rodney Terry, Delegate – Westport.....Present
Bob Aubuchon, PCC – Grant Camp.....Present

21st Department Encampment Missouri Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Minutes

**Saturday, June 4, 2016
Drury Inn, South Outer Road
Fenton, MO 63026**

Registration 8:00 to 9:00 am

Housekeeping – Walt Busch & Cmdr Aubuchon

9:05 am Opening of Encampment – By Commander Aubuchon

Invocation by Bob Hammack, Chaplain

Pledge of Allegiance led by Temporary Patriotic Instructor Ed Krieser

Roll Call of the Officers and Members – Walt Busch

Recognition of guests

Auxiliary – Julia Dent Grant Tent 68 – President Deb Aubuchon & PP Cher Petrovic – sends greetings from the capitol of Missouri Baseball.

National Council – Don Shaw – Sends greetings & presents Vernors' Ginger Ale

Appointment of Committees

A. Credentials – Walt

B. Resolutions – Ed Krieser, Joe Rainey and Jack Grothe

C. Officer Reports – Don Palmer, Sumner Hunnewell

REPORT OF OFFICERS

Reminder: Verbal reports should be limited to five (5) minutes unless there are questions. Each written report is accepted as is and each officer or committee member can add or delete items with a maximum time of five minutes.

Statements should be concise and pertinent to the topic. We are to be respectful of each other and conduct ourselves under the principles of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty.

Elected Officers

Commander: Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC See written report

Senior Vice Commander: Randal Burd, Jr., PCC See written report

Junior Vice Commander: Dale Crandell, PCC See written report

Secretary: Walter E. Busch, PDC See written report

Update on Spradling Camp – Communications rec'd and working on it.

Minutes of March 12, 2016 Business meeting motion by Dale Crandell to approve and second by Bob Hammack. Correct PDC to PCC for James Dixon

Treasurer: Gary L. Scheel, PCC not present See written report

Asst Treasurer – Walt Busch – Bill from Don Shaw from \$12.00 for meal, American Gold Label for \$41, Cher Petrovic by \$8 and sitting on \$132 cash/checks. Walt makes motion to pay these bills and reimburse Don Shaw for Food for \$50 with \$50 coming from Grant Camp Checkbook to be reimbursed by Dept. Motion by Bryan Bradford and second by Randal Burd. Passes

Motion to approve Treasurer Report – Subject of Audit motion by Randal Burd and Second by Jack Grothe. Motion carried

Proposed Budget – Randal Burd brings up that Awards program not proposed to be funded. Discussion followed on

Interrupt Proceedings for presentation of award to Cadet Anthony Krantz for Missouri JROTC Cadet of the Year, from Independence Van Horn High School Army Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps. Presented by the Commander.

Back to Budget Proposal

Motion to remove \$500 from Miscellaneous by Randal Burd and Second by Walt Busch And to add \$300 to Awards, Department Encampment \$250, Website Maintenance \$300, Postage \$25, Eagle Scout Awards \$50, ROTC Award \$225, Past Dept Commander Medal \$0 , Delete Line Item for CinC Rooms, Rename Miscellaneous 'Management Reserve' with \$170, New Camp Charter change to \$25, Add line item \$1000 for 2019 for National Encampment Committee. With recommendation that next year we do not vote on this until a report is received by the council members.

Council Member 2016: Donald D. Palmer, PCinC, report deferred until after review of books

Council Member 2016: Larry D. Dietzel, PDC

Council Member 2017: James R. Dixon, PDC

Appointed Officers

Camp Organizer: Robert M. Petrovic, PDC See Written Report

Chaplain: Robert D. Hammack

Apologizes for not coming to last two meetings. Recognizes Wayne Sampson's Goodness and fraternal efforts.

Remember the passing of John Soucy (Grant Camp), Wayne Sampson (Tiger Camp) and Lonnie Dover (McNeil Camp). There ought to be a ceremony at the start of the next encampment where we honor our dead.

Counselor: Robert J. Amsler, Jr. No Report

Eagle Scout Coordinator: Robert D. Hammack

Sent out 68 Eagle Scout awards. Camps taking a proactive role so he doesn't get Reports from all camps. Recognized St James, Tiger and Westport for doing awards.

Bob Petrovic, National Eagle Scout Coordinator, contacted by Las Vegas SUV about our coin and they have since made up some also .

JROTC/ROTC Coordinator: Dale Crandell, PCC See written report

Bob Hammack – has the ROTC medals.

Graves Registration Officer: Robert D. Hammack

Still has stacks and stacks of graves to register. Still around 16,000. Camps slow in turning them in.

Historian: Walter E. Busch, PDC No Report

Historical Records Coordinator: Walter E. Busch, PDC See Written Report

Civil War Memorials Officer:

Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) Records Officer:

Historian:

SV/SUV Records Officer:

Missouri Unionist Editor: Walter E. Busch, PDC

Marketing & Promotions Officer: James R. Dixon, PCC See attached report

Medal of Honor Officer:

William L. Groth, Jr., PCC

Patriotic Instructor:

Tom Farlow, PCC

Signals Officer:

James R. Dixon, PCC

See Written Report

Quartermaster:

Douglas W. Roussin, PCC

Finally has all boxes and charters and all equipment. Motion by Walt to use \$30 Management Reserve funds for plastic totes for QM Seconded by Randal Burd. Passes. Find permanent storage tabled until business meeting

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Awards Committee: Randal Burd, names to be announced later.

By-laws Committee: Randal Burd

Change to by-laws as sent to camps:

The department by-laws section identified as Article XV- Sections 1 and 2 shall be removed from the by-laws and appropriate wording placed into our procedures manual.

Passes with Dale Crandall voting no. [Walt to send to National]

Encampment Site Committee: Walter Busch & Dale Crandell

Next year's encampment will be held June 3, 2017 in Branson

Membership Committee: Dale Crandell

No Report

Missouri National Encampment: Ed Krieser

Three hotels only can handle the National Encampment. Looking at Hilton and still working on National approval for Encampment.

Vicksburg Monument Restoration: Don Palmer See Written Report

Our efforts in the Columbia Tribune were covered by the AP and got NPS moving on restoring. Recommendation that we hold rededication for Memorial Day 2017, pending concurrence from Vicksburg. Bryan Bradford makes motion to accept recommendation And second by Doug Roussin. Joe Rainey suggested changing to Oct 2017. Passes for Memorial Day Weekend.

Regimental markers- funding. Walt thinks it should be dept project and get funds from national.

Lunch 12:06 PM – Bob Aubuchon left around this time.

Begin Meeting: 1:36 PM

CAMP REPORTS

St James Camp

Tiger Camp

Westport Camp

Grant Camp

COMMUNICATIONS

Announcement by Richard Orr to run for National Treasurer

Announcement by David McReynolds to run for National Treasurer

National Encampment delegates to make up their own minds without direction from the dept. encampment

Larry Puckett from Spradling Camp- Forms will be resent. Forms sent April 30 were returned for incorrect mailing address.

Letter from Tennessee Department Commander Michael Downs stating support for David McReynolds

US Grant Camp Resolution regarding national funds to go to historic sites. (see below)

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Francis Blair Jr Award – Larry Dietzel, to be transported by Bryan Bradford

Meritorious Service Award – Mark Coplin, to be transported by Don Palmer

Eads Award(s) – US Grant Camp & Westport Camp

Commander's Certificate of Appreciation – Dale Crandell

Commander's Certificate of Appreciation – Walt Busch

DEPARTMENT COUNCIL

Audit Report -- Cannot do the report with the report submitted. Need bank statements as well. Referred to next council to review prior to next meeting.

Budget Review/Recommendation – passed by the encampment above so no action

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Westport resolution regarding GAR 100th Anniversary In Kansas City – committee concurs. Passes (included in reports)

US Grant Camp that National Organization re preservation sites with formal contributions programs to support Civil War historic sites. Passes by voice vote. See Secretary report for wording.

OFFICER REPORTS COMMITTEE

A. From Commander

1. Dept Commander – Review Dept By-Laws for Unnecessary Officers
2. Review job descriptions
3. Operating Procedures Manual
4. Special Committee – To support Allied Orders in MO to work on Project together
Committee concurs provided committee has sunset clause on their work.
Assign committee placed under under new business
5. Camps to write article reminding public about 150th of GAR
6. Encourage participation in dept meetings

B. From JVC

7. Better list of camp officers. Walt objects already have. Dale withdraws recommendation
8. Change by-laws
9. Update department procedures manual
10. Add department maps for dividing state between camps.
11. Support supplemental applications process
12. ROTC to be tasked to get to do ROTC options where no camps support
13. ROTC to be tasked to get to do JROTC options where no camps support
14. ROTC replace medals with bronze stars and leaves.

Committee does not concur. – Stands

15. JROTC to get outstanding JROTC member starting in 2017

C. Signals Officer

16. Paypal Account – Committee recommends no action at this point

17. Renewal of Website through Webby. Walt Busch – if we can't get all the old info back on line in 2 years we need to look at option to going back to old way of getting stuff back on line

18. Marketing – Radio advertising outreach. Did not concur. Need marketing plan first.

OLD BUSINESS

Award revisions (Name Change) web site update for Name Change -Department Show Me Spirit

Award to Wayne Sampson Show Me Spirit Award. – No new awards needed.

Continuation of outstanding JROTC award program.

Honoring Real Sons and Daughters living in Missouri – Jeff Patrick, Phelps Camp has taken over the task, but has not given us a status report.

Participation in the Missouri State Fair in Sedalia August 11-21. – No support noted for this at this time.

NEW BUSINESS

Department/Camp Recognition appreciation – challenge coin, ribbon. Jack Grothe spoke on this.

Walt concerned about this being too broad. Walt suggested whoever is suggesting this come back with a better proposal of what is expected of the program

Seven in favor pursuing program. Opposed 5 to trying to develop this.

Joe Rainey – Monument support statue at Little Rock Capitol for Union soldiers for USCT, artillery, cavalry, and infantry. Gathering proposals for the item. Asking for communication supporting this effort. 2nd by Walt Busch. Passes. [Secretary to make communication supporting this and sent to Joe Raney and Little Rock Captiol.]

Bylaw amendment vote

Purchaser for Dept of MO Gift to CinC and Auxiliary to SUVCW President

Audit Report: Cannot complete due to not having bank statements, starting amounts and info on CD. Deferred audit to time Gary can present books. Approved Walt's \$112 + change for lunch.

Gift to the Past Commander-in-Chief and President of the Auxiliary. Bob Petrovic says commander will not be attending the campfire. Will continue to give out despite commander maybe not showing up to campfire.

Supplemental Membership. Dale - Suggests revising membership form to show supplemental membership. Suggests QM to sell membership docs; process supplements and charge \$15 so that departments collect some money; a fee-based member to ancestor database. Don – need resolution. Randal makes motion that Dale prepare resolution. 2nd by Walt. Passes, Ed Krieser is abstaining.

UPCOMING EVENTS/GOOD OF THE ORDER

Ulysses S. Grant Death Day Remembrance Ceremony-Grant Historic Site 9:00 am Saturday July 23, 2016

June 18 – Lineage Fair at St Louis County Library

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

Everybody in room is qualified to vote except Allen Harger & Don Shaw.

NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

Commander – Glen Alsop nominated Randal Burd Jr (accepted) Dale Crandell nominated Jack Grothe (declined)

Senior Vice Commander – Bob Petrovic nominated Dale Crandell (accepted)

Junior Vice Commander – Bob Petrovic nominated Ed Krieser (accepted); Bryan Bradford nominated Bryan Bradford as JVC (accepted); Ed then withdrew. Martin Aubuchon nominated Sumner Hunnewell (accepted)

Secretary – Bob Petrovic nominated Walt Busch (decline – but will do it)

Council –need 2: Randal Burd nominated Glen Alsop (accepted) Dale Crandell nominated Ed Krieser (accepted – then bowed out); Randal Burd nominated Bryan Bradford

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Commander- Randal Burd Majority 13 voted for him

Senior Vice Commander – Dale Crandell 16 voted for him

Secretary – Walt Busch majority 17 voted for him

Councils – 17 members voted for both delegages

Junior Vice Commander – Bob Petrovic nominated Ed Krieser (accepted); Bryan Bradford nominated Bryan Bradford as JVC (accepted); Ed then withdrew. Martin Aubuchon nominated Sumner Hunnewell (accepted) By Secret Ballot as counted by Don Shaw and Allen Harger --
Bryan 7 Sumner 11

ELECTION OF NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT DELEGATES

Delegates: John Palmer, Jack Grothe, Bryan Bradford, Robert Hammack, Dale Crandell, Oliver Pechman, Sumner Hunnewell, Rodney Terry. Alternates: Joe Rainey, Doug Roussin and Richard Kottemann and all other members of the department of Missouri as recorded in our encampment minutes and members according to the per capita for 2016 and all supplemental form 30s up to the date of the encampment.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Swearing in of Officers. All to remain the same with exception of Ed Krieser as Patriotic Instructor.

Special Committee – To support Allied Orders in MO to work on Project together. Marty Aubuchon to chair the committee.

CLOSING CEREMONY 5:20 PM

**THE FOLLOWING
ARE THE REPORTS
SUBMITTED PRIOR
TO/AT THE
MEETING**

SONS OF THE UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI
Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC, PCC

COMMANDER'S REPORT
June 4, 2016

The year has come to end and it has come quickly. Before I forgot to say so, I want to thank each officer for their time and support during this past year. The success of the organization depends on the contributions from each of you. While I had the distinction of commander, my role is no more important than your roles. It requires each of us working together to keep this organization going. I appreciated the spirit of cooperation and attention to business that was exhibited this year at the business meetings. I hope this continues in the future for the future officers

It seemed for some time that the organization had been a little complacent. Some of the items that were recommended for action two years ago fell by the wayside and this year attention to some of those items were discussed and implemented this year.

Thanks to the efforts of the Policy and Procedures Committee headed by Dale Crandell, the Department has a policy and procedures manual prepared from previous Department minutes which will serve as a guide for future Department business. Items are now written and can be referred or referenced to a policy instead of relying on member's memories.

The need to revise or update our current bylaws is recognized and accepted by several members. The Bylaws Committee under the Senior Vice Commander Randal Burd solicited comments and began the process of reviewing and updating the bylaws. One change was accepted at a business meeting and that will be decided by vote at today's Encampment. This will be a continuing effort that will be coordinated by the new Senior Vice Commander.

The Department website is being modified and updated. It is not complete and a lot of work still remains, but there has been progress and this remains a high priority. Thank you to the Signals Officer James Dixon for your completed work to date.

The Department's newsletter has been one of the main communication tools which is used to inform other camps and department members the activities that are occurring within the Department. Thanks to the efforts of Walter Busch, Editor of the Unionist, the department has a quality newsletter.

The Department has a new award this year, Outstanding JROTC/ROTC award which was initiated by JROTC/ROTC coordinator Dale Crandell.

One of the major challenges to the Department this past year was the release of the funds for the restoration of the Missouri Monument. Several members aided in a lobbying effort to try to get the approved funds released. While we weren't successful, there was a silver lining in that the National Park Service was able to obtain funds within their fund to restore the monument.

Some people like to think, that maybe this National Park Service action was taken because of the efforts of several brothers in the Department of Missouri. They saw our passion and desire to have this monument restored. The Department thanks the committee consisting of Larry Dietzel, Mark Coplin, Don Palmer, and Gary Scheel.

Department Challenges

My observation is that the camps are very active and perform many activities. Some events may involve participation of more than one camp. Therefore it may be a regional activity.

How One of the challenges or difficulties in the Department is the development of a Department activity or program that is supported, promoted, or even sanctioned by the Department which would involve participation by all camps. One may say the development of the Eagle Scout Coin is an activity that was sanctioned or promoted at the Department level.

The Department should try to develop other activities that involve camp members in which they can participate so that the Department becomes more than just an administrative function for the camps. This is a challenge and will involve a lot of work, coordination, and effective planning. We saw the difficulties when we consider The Price's Raid in Missouri which was derailed or sidetracked by the insurance issues.

Another challenge is the involvement of camp members to attend business meetings and to develop a pool of future candidates for Department offices.

Another area that needs improvement is the communication or coordination of reporting between camp officers and Department Officers for the JROTC/ROTC Officer, Eagle Scout Officer, Patriotic Instructor.

Recommendations:

1. Review the current Department Organization and evaluate the need for offices not prescribed by the National Constitution and Regulations. Medal of Honor Officer for instance.
2. Encourage officers to review their job descriptions and responsibilities as prescribed by the C & R and/or Department Bylaws. Have each officer prepare a list of duties and tasks required by their position that can be used for the subsequent elected or appointed officer.
3. Prepare a Department Operating & Procedures Manual to include all job descriptions and tasks.
4. Appoint a special committee to think about the development of a Department wide activity that could involve all Department members and the Allied Orders. Some thoughts. History symposium, tour of the Military Museum in Jefferson City, or a Memorial Service in Jefferson City. Since the demographics support an activity in St Louis, a regional activity may be in order.
5. Contact the camps and request them to plan an event or publish a newspaper article that promotes the 150th anniversary of the founding of the GAR. I am sure this will be done at the Department level with an article in the Unionist.
6. In the communications with Camps, continue to encourage the participation of members at the Department business meetings and the need for their involvement.

In conclusion, I wish to thank everyone for the opportunity to serve as your Department Commander this past year. I ask everyone to give the new Department Commander your cooperation and support. I wish to remind the new Department Commander and other elected officers that there is still work that needs to be completed on several items. Don't be complacent. Keep the process alive. For all new elected and appointed officers, please continue to show your dedication and enthusiasm for the Department.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Martin R. Aubuchon



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Annual Report to the Department Encampment, 4 Jun 2016

For the 2015-2016 year, I have had the task of chairing the Bylaws and Awards committees.

Bylaws Committee – The Bylaws committee authored multiple changes to the Bylaws for consideration. These changes were reviewed at both the October and the March business meetings at which time it was decided the only changes to be voted on at the 2016 Department Encampment would be the removal of the Awards section of the Bylaws to the Department of Missouri Policy and Procedures manual, which is overseen by the Department Council.

Motion: “The department by-laws section as written below in the 2012 Approved By-Laws shall be removed from the By-Laws and appropriate wording placed into our procedures manual.”

ARTICLE XV - Awards

Section 1. Authorization for a Department certificate of appreciation award is provided. The award shall be conferred by the Commander upon any individual or entity, who, in the judgment of the Awards Committee, has through his/her actions, words, or deeds, significantly contributed to the furtherance of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the memory of the Grand Army of the Republic within the State of Missouri.

Section 2. The James Eads Award for most outstanding camp and the Frank Blair Award for most outstanding individual brother shall be presented annually. The GAR Award for member(s) of the other Allied Orders who have best assisted the Sons of Union Veterans, Department of Missouri in its mission may be presented annually. The Show-Me Spirit Award for most outstanding citizen(s) who have best promoted the remembrance of the Union soldiers of the Civil War may be presented annually. The Meritorious Service Award for long term contributions to the Department of Missouri may be presented as needed. The Committee may elect to grant other awards as needed. The James Eads and Frank Blair Awards will consist of a paper certificate. Any awards given to recipients who are not members of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Department of Missouri will consist of a plaque.

In the place of this section of the Bylaws, the heading, “**ARTICLE XV – Awards**” will remain. In place of the removed text will be the statement “**This section was removed to the Department’s Policies and Procedures manual by vote of the 2016 Department Encampment.**”

Awards Committee – The awards committee received and accepted all submitted nominations for Department Awards, duly considered these nominations, and made recommendations to the Department Commander. The committee also decided not to make any changes to the Department’s Award program at this time except for implementing the resolution approved at the 2015 Department Encampment, which was used in this year’s deliberations on nominations.

From: Bob Petrovic <rpetro7776@aol.com> (CAMP ORGANIZER)
Date: May 27, 2016 at 2:39:58 PM CDT
To: deb.martyaubuchon@sbcglobal.net
Subject: Re: Dept Encampment Reminder

Marty,

There was one group from Jefferson City that was interested in starting a new camp. hey were sent information on how to start a camp and to let me know what I could do to help them out. I received no answer from them.

Bob p.





Department of Missouri – Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Department Marketing and Promotions Officer Report

June 4, 2016

Department Encampment

St. Louis, Missouri

James R Dixon, PCC – Council Member

Facebook Page:

Members: 674

Proposed Changes:

PayPal Account – currently using webmasters account for website purchase. Would be better off having our own for convenience and liability. Would be easy to link existing department banking account for use in buying/selling items or services. We spoke of this at the October meeting, could not remember what the outcome was. The website needs to be renewed, and we would want to do this as soon as possible if approved.

Renewal of Website through Weebly:

1 month\ \$29.00/m

6 months\ \$28.17/m

1 year\ \$24.92/m

2 years\ \$19.54/m (Used last time)

** Our service expires **June 13, 2016**

Updates of site:

- Still working on the pages for the Department Records, and gradually adding documents and updates on photos and layouts of pages.
- Looking for update on the Vicksburg Monument for the website.
- Possible ideas for Memorial Page on website for members' ancestors. Short history about said person and Photo if available.
- Needing more photos for Missouri and Arkansas G.A.R. and S.V. Medals, Ribbons, and Items.

Marketing Budget:

- Looking for possible Marketing funding for (Radio, Advertising, and Outreach).
- Needing guidance on what I am able to use amount and if there are funds available for these uses.
- Could be making larger membership impact with outreach to certain areas.

EVENTS!

Please,

Email me at jdixon@suvchwmo.org if your camp has an event or news that needs spread!

Send me links to events and news articles or videos for the site.

In Fraternity, Charity, & Loyalty,

James R Dixon, PCC

Council Member

Department Webmaster

Marketing/Promotions



Lt. Col. WILLIAM KINMAN
Killed in the battle of Chickamauga.

Just a little Historical Show and Tell...

This is my 3rd Great Uncle, Lt. Col.
William Kinman, 115th Illinois Infantry.

William was killed during the attack on Snodgrass Hill during the Battle of Chickamauga, GA. He was leading his men in front of the lines, and was struck off of his horse. One of his men came to his aid and lifted him up, where he was struck in the head and killed by a Confederate bullet. His Son, who was in the 115th as well, found his fathers' body and pinned his name to it. William was still buried as Unknown in a mass grave.

Tiger Camp #432 – Columbia, MO

Over the past year there have been some notable events at Tiger Camp.

On November 8, 2016 we gathered to honor past Columbia GAR Camp Commander Sgt. Wallace Lilly. We dedicated a grave marker for he and his wife who had been in unmarked graves from the time of their deaths. His in 1926 and hers in 1932. Sgt. Lilly had been instrumental in marking the final resting place of a number of Civil War veterans.

In December we presented our first camp awards. These awards were presented to:

Rudi Keller – Community Recognition award for a series of columns on regional Civil War history and support of camp and other historical events and activities.

Russell DeVenney -Meritorious Service Award for longtime support and tireless work for Tiger Camp.

Robert Allen – Historical Education Award for his effort in developing the annual Civil War Days program for Columbia Public Schools.

In February upon the death of Wayne Sampson we said a sad farewell to our brother and friend.

In May we again participated in Columbia Public School Civil War Days held this year at Centralia Battlefield.

Also in May we participated in a Wreath laying ceremony at the Civil War Memorial on the grounds of Boone County Courthouse in honor of Memorial Day.

In the months of April and May we presented a total of five ROTC awards at University of Missouri, Lincoln University and Mexico Military Academy. The award at Mexico was a JROTC award.



Westport Camp #64
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Westport Camp Report to the Department of Missouri Encampment May 1, 2015 – April 30, 2016

Westport Camp #64 had a productive and successful year. Membership stands at 26 with the enrollment of five new members, death of two members, and drop of one member. Monthly camp meetings were held on the first Wednesday of the month at the Bass Pro Shop's Conservation Room in Independence, Missouri. Eight camp members are also enrolled in the Sons of Veterans Reserve.

Civil War Monuments. Under Brother Brian Smarker's guidance, the camp registered seventeen Civil War monuments. From the Department's non-inventoried monuments list, there are two monuments in northwest Missouri: Battle of Albany historical marker, and Stanberry Park cannon.

Eagle Scout. Under Brother Michael Lundeen's guidance, the camp recognized three new Eagle Scouts with presentation of certificates and coins at their Court of Honor. Each presentation has been the result of a camp member's connection to the Eagle Scout's family.

ROTC. Under Brother Dale Crandell's guidance, the camp presented twenty ROTC awards: two college ROTC and eighteen high school JROTC. This is an increase of two from last year. The camp nominated a cadet for the Department's JROTC Outstanding Cadet competition.

Memorial Day. The camp continued its active support of 2015 Memorial Day observances.

- Brookings Cemetery. Camp members placed flags at an estimated 500 veteran gravesites.
- Union Cemetery. Uniformed SVR members were part of the timeline color guard for services at this historic cemetery.
- Vietnam Veterans Memorial. Uniformed SVR members participated in the parade of colors for the Memorial Day service at this Kansas City memorial fountain-park.

Veterans Day. Uniformed SVR members participated in the parade of colors at Kansas City's Vietnam Veterans service. The 2015 service was held at the Vietnam Veteran's Hall due to inclement weather.

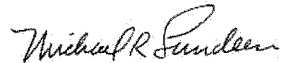
Christmas Dinner. The camp closed 2015 with its traditional Christmas Dinner with the DUVCW Macklind Tent #24. Key note speaker was Willadine Johnson, decedent Private Rufus Vann, who spoke of the Battle Island Mound. The camp presented its 2015 annual awards:

- Distinguished Service Award – Brother Dirk Stapleton.
- Outstanding Member of the Year – Brother Michael Lundeen.

Medal of Honor Commemoration. The camp continued its practice to recognize a local Medal of Honor recipient with a gravesite service for National Medal of Honor Day. An estimated 50 attended the commemoration for Private First Class John Lewis Barkley (1895-1966) who was a World War I veteran and received the medal for service during the Meuse-Argonne Offensive. This was a joint service with SAR, DAR, CAR, 1812 Society, USD 1812, SUVCW KS, DUVCW, and Burgles Across America.

National Medal of Honor Day. The camp dressed Civil War medal of honor recipient grave sites for National Medal of Honor Day: Nathaniel Gwynne, William Grebe, Thomas Toohey, John Ricksecker, and Wilbur Moore.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,



Michael Lundeen, Camp Commander
Westport Camp #64



**Resolution to Commemorate the Centennial of the Grand Army of the Republic's
50th National Encampment in Kansas City, Missouri**

WHEREAS the Grand Army of the Republic, founded in 1866, was a fraternal organization of over 400,000 veteran soldiers, sailors, and marines who served with honor to defend the Union during the American Civil War.

WHEREAS the Grand Army of the Republic met annually at National Encampments from 1866 until 1949, with its last member passing in 1956;

WHEREAS the Grand Army of the Republic held its 50th National Encampment in Kansas City, Missouri on August 28 through September 2, 1916; this being one of two National Encampment held in Missouri, and the only one held in Kansas City;

WHEREAS the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War are the descendants and lawful heirs of the Grand Army of the Republic, entrusted through the generations with their legacy;

WHEREAS the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War's 1954 and 1998 Federal Charters state the purpose of the Order is "to perpetuate the memory of the Grand Army of the Republic and of the men who saved the Union in 1861 to 1865"; and

WHEREAS this year, 2016, is the sesquicentennial of the founding of the Grand Army of the Republic and the centennial of the National Encampment in Kansas City.

THEREFOR be it resolved that the Department of Missouri of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War declares August 2016 a jubilee month and asks all camps and members to commemorate the centennial of the Grand Army of the Republic's National Encampment in Missouri.

[Endorsed by Westport Camp #64 on June 1, 2016]

General McPherson Camp #1
1/1/2016 – 05/31/2016

03/04 Camp supported Battle of Pea Ridge 154th anniversary living History weekend at Pea Ridge National Military Park. Camp also set up a recruiting table.

04/15 Camp Commander and Camp Secretary supported Ft. Scott living history weekend at FT. Scott National Park.

Set up Rack cards at Prairie Grove Battlefield State Park, Shiloh Museum, Rogers Museum, Elm Springs Museum, and Pea Ridge National Military Park.

04/16 Awarded Suvcw Award to the Jr. ROTC at Anderson, MO.

04/16 Camp had a recruiting table at the LDS Family Heritage Conference.

04/28 Camp Commander presented SUVCW award to Army ROTC at University of Arkansas.

05/21 – 22 Camp Commander and Camp Secretary took part in the Re-enacting of the “Forlorn Hope” at the Vicksburg National Military Park.

05/30 Camp presented Wreaths at the National Cemetery at Fayetteville, AR. Opened And closed the Ceremony by firing our Civil War Cannon. Camp also Presented a Wreath at the G.A.R. Cemetery later in the day.

Mayor Project - A Statue at the Capital Building in Little Rock to Honor the 18,000 plus Men from Arkansas that fought for the United States during the Civil War.



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**Junior Vice Commander Report to the Department of Missouri Encampment
4 June 2016**

1. Referred nine membership applications received from National:
 - Lawrence Notthorft, applicant enrolled in Tigers Camp #432
 - Gary Maples, applicant enrolled in Tigers Camp #432
 - Sumner Hunnewell, applicant enrolled in Fletcher Camp #47
 - Thomas Wilson, applicant enrolled in Sherman Camp #65
 - James Hoskins, applicant enrolled in Grant Camp #68
 - Ronald McCall, applicant enrolled in Phelps Camp #66
 - Eric Kornegay, applicant forwarded to McPherson Camp #1
 - Andrew Clooney, applicant forwarded to Grant Camp #68
 - Timothy Westcott, applicant forwarded to Westport Camp #64
2. Referred and followed-up on four membership inquiries from the Department website:
 - Christopher Briesca, no reply
 - Timothy Heggemeier, applicant enrolled in Sherman Camp #65
 - Donald Bryson, no reply
 - Pete Oetting, no reply
3. The Department's Policies and Procedures Manual, Paragraph 200 outlines our new member muster-in process, which our Department and Camps loosely follow, most likely from not knowing there is a written process. Additionally, as JVC a major obstacle has been not knowing camp officers and contacts. This led to the accidental forwarding of an old membership application from a member that was already enrolled in another camp.
 - **Recommendation 1:** Task the new JVC and new Secretary to develop a better Department membership and camp officer roster process, and report recommendations to Department's October Business Meeting.
 - **Recommendation 2:** Update the Department's *Policies and Procedures Manual*, Paragraph 200, Step 4; change "Treasurer" to "Secretary".
4. As requested by the 2015 Department Encampment, developed Missouri and Arkansas maps for referring membership inquiries to camps. Maps adopted by Department's October Business Meeting.
 - **Recommendation 3:** Update the Department's Policies and Procedures Manual, Paragraph 201, Step 2 by adding "following the Appendix X and Z maps" at the end of the sentence.
 - **Recommendation 4:** Update the Department's *Policies and Procedures Manual*, to add the Missouri and Arkansas maps as appendixes

5. As requested by the Department's October Business Meeting, enclosed are supplemental application process improvement recommendations requested by the Department October Business Meeting.

➢ **Recommendation 5:** Endorse the supplemental application process improvements and forward by resolution for consideration by the National Order.

6. No progress on the Department's Membership-Camp Expansion Plan adopted at the Department October Business.

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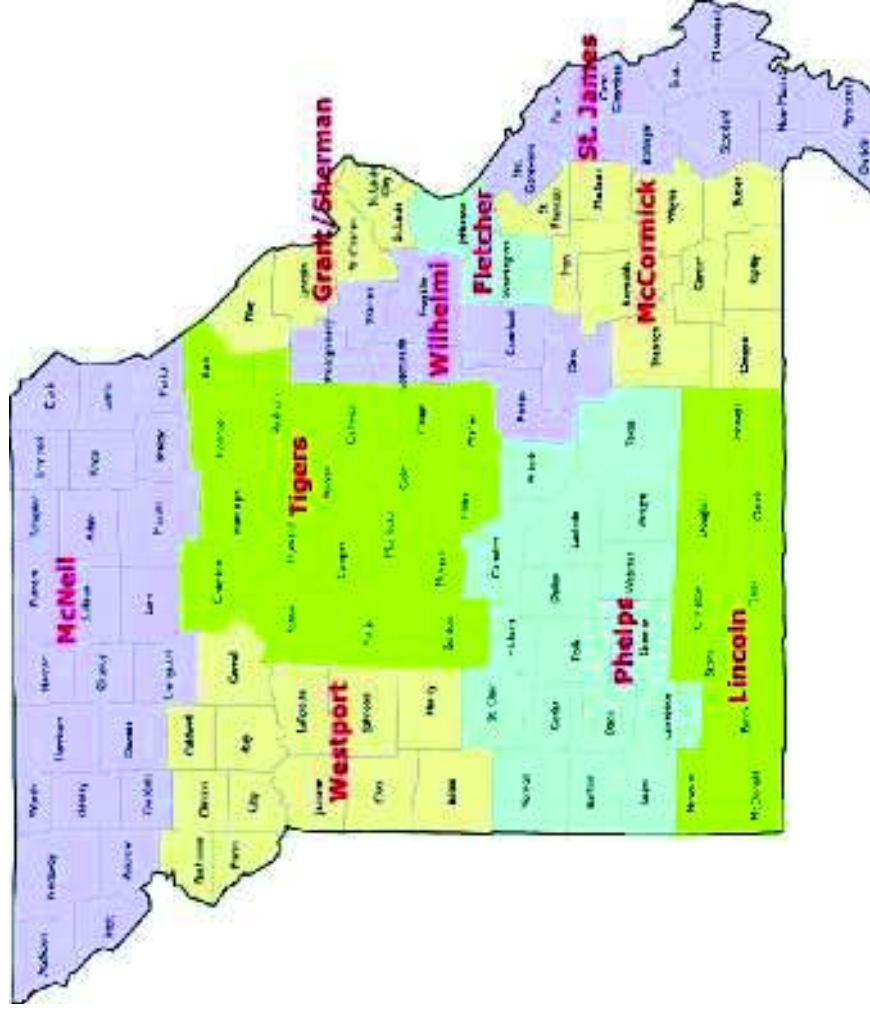

Dale Crandell

¶ **200 New Membership Applications.** Once a new member is accepted by a Camp, there is a six step intake process:

1. Camp forwards packet to the Department Secretary containing Form 30 Camp Status Reports (or Form 27 Camp Annual Reports), Form 3 Membership Applications, check for pro-rated National and Department per capita fees, and National application fee.
2. Camp e-mails confirmation of new member to the Department Junior Vice Commander and Department Secretary; and updates Camp roster.
3. Department Secretary forwards Camp's check to Department Treasurer and e-mails request for Department Treasurer to forward check for pro-rated National per capita and National application fee.
4. Department Treasurer forwards check to Department **Treasurer Secretary** for pro-rated National per capita and National application fee.
5. Department Secretary completes the Form 30 (or Form 27), retaining copies for the Department records; adds Department check, and forwards the packet to National.
6. Department Secretary e-mails confirmation of new member to Camp and Department elected officers; and updates Department roster.

¶ **201 Internet New Membership Applications.** Prospective members have the option to submit an online Form 3 Membership Application, which triggers a four step process:

1. National forwards Form 3 and prospective member's check to the Department Junior Vice Commander (JVC).
2. Department JVC forwards Form 3 with check to the Camp located closest to the prospective member's home address, **following the appendix X and Z maps.**
3. Camp has 60 days to determine whether to accept the prospective member's application.
 - a. If the Camp accepts the prospective member, the Camp follows paragraph 200 above.
 - b. If the Camp declines, they return the Form 3 and check to the Department JVC, where the Department JVC will repeat this process with the next closest Camp.





Merchandise. A new member has two membership certificate options, both purchased from the National Quartermaster. The standard membership certificate, costing \$4.50, does not list the member's qualifying ancestor. However, the tri-color membership certificate, costing \$6.50, does list the member's qualifying ancestor.



While the tri-color certificate could be used for supplemental members, the SUCVW is missing a merchandise revenue opportunity. Needed is a complement to the standard membership application that certifies the ancestor's service and member's lineage. This ancestor certificate could be purchased for the new member's original qualifying ancestor and supplemental qualifying ancestors. Ideally, the ancestor certificate would use the same graphics and style as the standard membership certificate, to support there being displayed together. The market intent is for a member to purchase an ancestor certificate for each of his qualifying ancestors, in addition to his purchase of a membership certificate.

Fees. The SUCVW's \$10 minimum application fee is shared with \$5 forwarded to the National Order and the balance retained by the Camp. The fee structure excludes the Department's administrative efforts. Not a major financial burden as a Department benefited from the collecting a new member's Department per capita. However, supplemental memberships do not provide Department revenue.

What is needed is an increase and restructure of the application fee, raising it from a \$10 minimum to a \$15 minimum; \$5 National fee, \$5 Department fee, and the balance retained by the camp. To be equal, this new \$15 application fee would apply to both membership and supplemental application.

Process. Per SUCVW's practice, genealogical proof of a member's connection to their ancestor is not required, but to only require proof of the ancestor's service. This is unique among hereditary organizations. With the introduction of supplemental memberships, the SUCVW as a minimum should start documenting member-to-ancestor lineage as a genealogical resource. With our existing membership and supplemental application process, the Form 3 lists member-to-ancestor lineage, however this implicit information is not accessible to prospective members or genealogy researchers. Needed is an accessible and searchable database, possibly fee based, containing member-to-ancestor lineage. While this does not require proof of lineage, it does share self-declared lineage information.



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**ROTC Coordinator Report to the Department of Missouri Encampment
4 June 2016**

ROTC. 15 of the 17 Missouri and Arkansas college-level ROTC programs participated in our 2016 SUVCW awards program. Camps sponsored 13 ROTC programs and the Department sponsored 2 ROTC programs.

Per the Department's October Business Meeting, the Department invited 4 ROTC programs to participate, where there was no local Camp option, however only 2 accepted our Department's invitation: Truman State University and University of Arkansas – Pine Bluff.

- **Recommendation 1:** *task the ROTC coordinator to continue to invite ROTC programs where there is no local Camp option at: Truman State University, University of Arkansas – Pine Bluff, Arkansas State University, and University of Central Arkansas.*

JROTC. The final count of JROTC awards is not yet available.

Per the Department's October Business Meeting, the Department invited 4 JROTC programs to participate, where there was no local Camp option, however none accepted our invitation. This was pilot program to determine interest.

- **Recommendation 2:** *task the ROTC coordinator to continue to invite JROTC units where there is no local Camp option as a pilot program to determine interest.*

ROTC/JROTC Medals. The Department's Policies and Procedures Manual, Paragraph 851 tasks the ROTC coordinator to maintain an inventory of 10 ROTC medals-ribbon bars. The ROTC coordinator's 2014 reported indicated an inventory of 12 medals-ribbon bars, however that inventory is now missing. Although the medals-ribbon bars are not free, it seems prudent for the Department to still maintain a small inventory.

- **Recommendation 3:** *task the ROTC coordinator to replace the inventory of 10 ROTC medals-ribbon bars along with an assortment of bronze stars and leafs.*

2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet. The Department's October Business Meeting approved a pilot program to select the 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet from Camp nominations. Cadet Anthony Krantz from Independence's Van Horn High School Army JROTC unit was selected as our 2016 Outstanding JROTC Cadet.

Although the program was announced in the January and April *Unionist*, and emails to Camp Commanders and ROTC Coordinators. Only one Camp made a nomination. An additional pilot year is needed to assess Camp and JROTC interest.

Outstanding JROTC Cadet. The Department's October Business Meeting tasked the ROTC coordinator to develop a permanent Outstanding JROTC Cadet program for consideration at the 2016 Department Encampment, which is enclosed.

- **Recommendation 4:** *authorize a second pilot program competition to select a 2017 Outstanding JROTC Cadet, following the program's written process.*

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,


Date Crandell



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Outstanding JROTC Cadet Program

Purpose. This program provides a competition among high-school level JROTC Units to annually select an Outstanding JROTC Cadet. This program is an enhancement of the existing SUVCW ROTC/JROTC awards program with the stated objectives to:

1. Build stronger relationships between the SUVCW and local high schools;
2. Provide enriched programming for our SUVCW Camps and program support for our JROTC Units;
3. Support the SUVCW's education marketing objective by bringing Civil War history to high schools;
4. Support the SUVCW's patriotism and citizenship marketing objective by rewarding high school students pursuing military and public service;
5. Improve the SUVCW's charitable work; and
6. Establish a pilot program for a SUVCW national competition.

Eligibility. This competition is open to any high-school JROTC cadet. College-level ROTC cadets and midshipmen are not part of this program.

1. Cadet must be enrolled and in good standing with a JROTC Unit at a high school within the geographic boundaries of the SUVCW Department of Missouri.
2. Cadet must be the recipient of the SUVCW's ROTC medal for the current year, which is selected by the local JROTC Unit commander/senior faculty instructor.
3. JROTC Unit commander/senior faculty instructor must support the cadet's nomination by submitting a summary of the cadet's accomplishments.

Process. The steps for a high school JROTC cadet and SUVCW Camp to participate in the competition are intentionally simple:

1. The JROTC cadet must be a recipient of a SUVCW ROTC medal for his/her high school JROTC unit in the current, sponsored by the local SUVCW Camp or SUVCW Department.
2. The JROTC unit must provide a 100- to 300-word summary of the cadet's accomplishments. A simple email text is sufficient but an optional SUVCWMO Form 7 is provided.
3. Each Camp may nominate one cadet for the competition from among the JROTC high school units they sponsor. For JROTC Units sponsored by the Department, the Department ROTC Coordinator may nominate one cadet.
4. Submit the Camp's nominee with the JROTC unit's 100- to 300-word summary to Department's ROTC Coordinator. Deadline to receive Camp nominations: April 15th.
5. A JROTC Selection Committee selects the Outstanding JROTC Cadet by May 15th.
6. The selected Outstanding JROTC Cadet and family are not required to attend, but are invited to the Department Encampment for presentation of the award.

Selection Committee. The Department Commander will appoint a JROTC Selection Committee, with a preference for SUVCW members that are military veterans, ROTC/JROTC

alumni, or past or present school educators. The Department ROTC Coordinator is a non-voting member of this committee.

Award. The Department's award for the Outstanding JROTC Cadet includes:

1. A \$200 prize.
2. The SUVCW medal and ribbon bar with a bronze leaf (Army and Air Force) or bronze star (Navy and Marine Corps).
3. A SUVCW certificate unique to the award and Department of Missouri.

Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James Camp #326 SUVCVW
2016 MO Department Encampment Report

June 1, 2015 to May 31, 2016 Activities

Had monthly meetings of the Camp
Camp members participated in the 4th of July Patriotic Celebration. Veterans Day, Heritage Day, Déjà vu Spirit Reunion, Holiday Christmas Festival
Presented Brother Mueller with a Certificate of Recognition
Held a School Day and Encampment Sept 11 and 12 including the "Missouri Divided Loyalties" Display
Members Greg Wolk gave a presentation on U.S. Grant in Missouri and Gary Scheel gave a presentation on the Battle of Vicksburg to the Camp and the public.
Participated in three Eagle Scout Courts of Honor ceremony
Completed 95 grave registrations including putting some on Find a Grave website
Participated in a ROTC award ceremony in Poplar Bluff Missouri on April 22nd
Commemorated the anniversary of the death of Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James on April 8th
Conducted a Civil War school day with 150 7th graders at Ste. Genevieve Intermediate School
Will participate in the VFW Memorial Day Ceremony on May 30th
Will conduct a Decoration Day ceremony in Memorial Cemetery on May 30th

Future Plans for Calendar Year 2016

Participate in an Eagle Scout Court of Honor for two twin brothers on Jun 12th
Have a lecture on J. Felix St. James at our June 14th meeting
Present scholarship to Camp Member Noah Robinson on June 14th
Participate in the Patriotic 4th of July Celebration , Heritage Day, Déjà vu Spirit Reunion, Veterans Day, and Holiday Christmas Festival events.
Have a reenactment of the Civil War Raid on the Ste. Genevieve Bank on Sept. 24th

Subject: Missouri Monument @ Vicksburg Committee Annual Report

To: 21st Missouri Department Encampment

In 2014, the Department of Missouri established a project to restore and ultimately re-dedicate the Missouri state monument at Vicksburg National Military Park. The Missouri monument, purchased by the state of Missouri, was originally dedicated in October 1917. Department Commander Glen Alsop appointed the committee, which consists of PCinC Don Palmer, serving as chairman, PDC Larry Dietzel and PCC Mark Coplin. PCC Gary Scheel joined the committee in 2015.

In our report at the Department Encampment last year, it was noted that a \$375,000 earmark was placed in the 2016 state budget under the Department of Natural Resources thanks to Sen. Kurt Schaefer, who served on the Appropriations Committee. The report also noted that the proposed budget was awaiting Gov. Jay Nixon's approval and signature.

Since filing our previous report, Gov. Nixon approved the proposed 2016 budget with amendments; however, the \$375,000 allocation was still included in the Department of Natural Resources budget. But later in 2015, we were made aware of attempts from the press and the Department of Natural Resources to derail the plan. In early December, the committee was made aware of an action by Department of Natural Resources budget director Janet Mertens blocking the funds in the budget, stating that funding this project was not an appropriate use of DNR funds. At about the same time, an article appeared that mischaracterized our project as an attempt to obtain state funds to restore a "Confederate monument".

In January 2016, members of the Westport Camp, including Dale Crandall, Jim Martin and Rep. Warren Love, investigated the legalities of the DNR actions and potential resolutions to the issue, including adding a line item under a more appropriate state department for 2017. On the issue regarding the DNR blocking of funds, Rep. Jeremy LaFaver submitted a request to the Attorney General to issue an opinion regarding the DNR action. Given that there was no precedent, the Attorney General's office could offer no opinion. As a result, a recommendation was made by Rep. LaFaver and the Secretary of State's constituent liaison to file a lawsuit against the DNR. Given the financial resources required to initiate and sustain such a lawsuit, this was dismissed as a realistic option.

In early February, committee member Mark Coplin received a communication from Bill Justice, Superintendent at Vicksburg National Military Park, noting that the National Park Service elevated the Missouri state monument restoration in priority and the funds were allocated to Vicksburg to proceed with the restoration. This caught everyone by surprise, but it was a pleasant surprise. Bill noted that the restoration activities were scheduled to begin in March. Although Bill could not explain why the Missouri monument project was elevated in priority, one has to think that the publicity generated by the project, coupled with the ebb and flow experienced by the SUVCVW in dealing with the Missouri state government, helped convince the National Park Service that something had to be done.

In March, Department Commander Marty Aubuchon stopped by Vicksburg during his trip to Louisiana and confirmed that restoration activities had commenced. In addition, an article was submitted to the National organization that appeared in the Spring issue of the BANNER.

The next step is to establish a date for the re-dedication and begin coordinating with various groups to plan the re-dedication ceremonies. Given the time required to plan the event, it was determined that attempting a re-dedication in 2016 was not realistic. Since the monument was originally dedicated in 1917, a date in 2017 was more attractive. The options presented included Memorial Day weekend, Labor Day weekend, or the actual time of the original dedication, which was in October.

Recommendation: Given the positive and negatives brought up in discussion during the March business meeting (e.g., kids in school, proximity to the Department Encampment, general public interest, etc.), the committee is recommending that the re-dedication be held over Memorial Day weekend 2017, pending concurrence with Vicksburg National Military Park.

In Fraternity, Charity & Loyalty,

Don Palmer, PCinC, Chairman

Larry Dietzel, PDC

Mark Coplin, PCC

Gary Scheel, PCC

US GRANT CAMP No. 68 REPORT

TO DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI ENCAMPMENT

June 7, 2015 to June 4, 2016

Membership as reported on the camp annual report is 33 which include 2 life members. The camp recently reported the death of John C. Soucy, Jr. MD. Monthly camp meetings are held the second Monday at Frailley's Southtown Grill in St Louis, Missouri. Average attendance is 6 to 10 members. Members of the Julia Dent Camp Auxiliary also meet that night. At each meeting we have a trivia session or a program of interest. All members of the camp are also enrolled in the Sons of Veteran Reserve.

CIVIL WAR MONUMENTS

With the efforts of Walt Busch, six (6) markers or monuments were registered.

EAGLE SCOUT

From Martin Aubuchon's contact with a church member and a coworker, two Eagle Scouts were recognized with the presentation of a certificate and the Department coin at their Court of Honor. Another certificate and coin will be presented to another Eagle Scout that recently received his Eagle Scout status. He was not aware of the SUVCW program, but recently learned of it thru conversation with Gary Scheel of the St James Camp. The previously mentioned coworker is a scout master and he will forward the SUVCW Eagle Scout recognition program to the Greater St Louis Boy Scout District Council to make other posts aware of the program.

ROTC

The camp presented four (4) ROTC awards to the cadets of three high school JROTC (Lafayette, Marquette, University City) units and one college ROTC (St Louis University). All are AIR Force units. Camp ROTC Coordinator Dan Jackson handles the high schools and Martin Aubuchon coordinated the college.

SHERMAN DAY Mt Calvary Cemetery

Each year the Sherman Camp conducts a ceremony on or near Sherman's birthday at Mt Calvary Cemetery to honor William Tecumseh Sherman. Several members of the camp will attend in SVR uniforms.

LINCOLN DAY REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY (Springfield, IL)

Several Camp members attended the observance ceremony held in April. Several members attend in SVR uniforms. The camp has been represented, consistently, for several years at this event.

MEMORIAL DAY

At the Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, a ceremony is conducted in the Union Section of the Civil Section by either the Sherman Camp or the US Grant Camp in alternate years. This ceremony is held after the National Cemetery's Memorial Day observance. Several members consistently attend every year and in SVR uniforms. One member John Avery has a historical hearse which is pulled by a horse, paid by camp funds. Several members of the other Allied



The Lieutenant Colonel's Report

Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James Camp #326

Department of Missouri

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

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Greetings!

Our regular business meeting which was supposed to be on May 10 was held on May 5th. After the students returned to their school rooms we spent about an hour breaking everything down and loading it up. We then all proceeded to Sirro's for our usual meal and meeting. Our meeting was very short but the meal and the fellowship was good.

Meeting called to order by Junior Vice Commander Gary Scheel. Members present for the meeting. Clarence Warfield, Gary Scheel, Micheal Poiete, Tom Farlow, Jerry Kasten and Ed Millinger. Guests present at the meeting were Ruth Kasten, Mary Scheel and Deb Cambron.

No pledge of allegiance or minutes were presented.

No treasurers report was given.

Gary Scheel announced that according to the Department of Missouri that we should discuss the Department by law changes and vote on whether we approve or not. We should then ask our delegates to vote in as the camp directs either for or against the changes. The changes basically get rid of the section in our by-laws about Department awards.

Motion to Approve the suggested by-law change and to tell our delegates to approve such change. Motion made by Tom Farlow and Seconded by Clarence Warfield. The motion was approved by raising of the right hand by all members present.

Motion to Approve Bob Hammack as a delegate to the Department of Missouri Encampment. Motion made by Jerry Kasten and seconded by Tom Farlow. Motion was approved by raising of the right hand by all members present.

With no farther business to discuss meeting was adjourned by common consent.

Next Meeting is: **June 14th, 2016 at 6:30 p.m.**

At the Orris Theater

Our Camp Website: <http://sarw326.org>

<http://www.facebook.com/#/pages/State-Genieve-SUVCW/444029475061?ref=the>

Our Camp Blog: <http://www.suvcwstgen.blogspot.com/>

(Photo of approximate grave site of Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James taken 31 May 2010 courtesy of Ruth Kasten)

Orders may attend in addition to a couple of reenacting groups. The Sons of Confederate Veterans support this event also and conduct a separate ceremony in the Confederate Section. This year, Camp Commander Mark Coplin conducted the service in period looking clothing and with GAR emblems and badges to represent a GAR uniform. Martin Aubuchon also presented the look of a GAR veteran with his display of a GAR hat badge and GAR membership badge. Don Palmer gave a brief address on the history of the cemetery and the GAR.

GRANT DEATHDAY REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY

The camp with the support of the National Park Service conducts an annual ceremony at the Grant Historic Site on or near the death day of Ulysses S. Grant. The camp conducted the event last year in July. One camp member presented a program after the ceremony in the auditorium for the public on the topic of Grant in Movies. This year the camp will conduct the remembrance ceremony on July 23 which marks the 131 anniversary of his death. Don Palmer will present a program for the public after the ceremony on the topic History of the GAR.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT

Several camp members attended the National Encampment in Richmond, Va in 2015. Several camp members will attend the National Encampment in Springfield, IL in 2016. Several camp members (Don Palmer, John Palmer, Bob Petrovic, Walt Busch, Martin Aubuchon have consistently attended National Encampments for several years.

VETERANS DAY

A couple of members participate in SVR uniforms along with an Infantry reenacting group in the annual Veterans Day parade in downtown St. Louis.

CHRISTMAS FOR THE UNKNOWN UNION SOLDIER

Several years ago a tradition was started by a young lady to honor the unknown Union Soldier by placing a poinsettia on the grave of the unknown Union soldier at Christmas time. The placement of the flower is made thru the efforts of several volunteers and support of several fraternal and patriotic groups. The young lady was honored with a SUVCW award one year. Camp member Martin Aubuchon participated again in December 2015 in helping to place flowers on the graves of unknown Union Soldiers.

Camp News

Our Activities.

On April 8th we observed the 154th Anniversary of the death of Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James after being mortally wounded on April 6th, 1862 at the Battle of Shiloh (Pittsburg Landing) We had one person to show up to stand guard at his grave site from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m and that was Brother Ed Millinger. We did not get a photo. Thank you Ed for your dedication.

On April 22nd two members of our camp participated in the Junior R.O.T.C. Ceremony at the Poplar Bluff High School. Ed Millinger and Gary Scheel participated.



Cadet Captain Zachary H. Cambron received the SUVCW Jr. R.O.T.C. Certificate and Medal with ribbon. As you can see by the cadets in the background of both photos there were several present. We gave Cadet Captain a list of several residents of Ste. Genevieve and Perry Counties who had served in the Civil War. He seemed very interested and appreciative. He was waiting to find out if he had been accepted at the U.S. Air Force Academy.



On May 5th we were privileged to give a Civil War presentation to the 7th Grade Classes at Ste. Genevieve High School. We were asked to do this by Michael McDaniel. There were supposed to be around 150 students present. Members who were present was Tom Greminger who had his booth set up and described the items and weapons that the soldiers of the Civil War used. Also on display was the list of names of men who served from Ste. Genevieve County during the Civil War. Ruth Kasten and Mary Scheel had a game area which included town ball and they seemed to enjoy that activity. Clarence Warfield described camp life and also had some of the students try to stab a grapefruit with a bayonet. Jerry Kasten talked various students the proper loading and firing procedures for a cannon. Tom Farlow, Michael Polete and Ed Millinger gave instructions and demonstrated the firing of a rifle during the Civil War. Gary Scheel drilled



the students using our camp wooden rifles. And our favorite guest Deb Cambron gave a demonstration of spinning wool and the womens life during the Civil War. Following are some photos of the activities that went on throughout the day.



Corporal Tom Greminger standing in front of his display with a prospective member Paul Kist who dropped by to see what was going on.



Private Clarence Warfield who was the powder monkey during the firing of our cannon is describing the black powder round that will be fired out of the cannon. He was doing this to help give Jerry Kasten time to explain the positions and responsibilities to his new gun crew.



The firing of the cannon is always a favorite of the students.

Private Jerry Kasten who is in command of the cannon kept asking would you like to see it again. Of course the answer was always yes.



1st Sergeant Gary Scheel putting the students through their paces.



Deb Cambron demonstrating spinning wool and describing what the life of the women and families was like during the Civil War.

I did not get a photo of Ruth Kasten and Mary Scheel or Jerry Kasten or Clarence Warfield and their areas during the activities.



On May 22nd in Bloomsdale at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Max Upchurch received his Eagle Scout Award. Gary Scheel presented Max with the SUCVW Eagle Scout Certificate and a SUCVW Eagle Scout Challenge Coin. Five years earlier our camp attended Max's older brother, Jordan, as he received his Eagle Scout Award. Jordan was presented his SUCVW Eagle Scout Certificate at the same place. Their father who is their Scout master had received his Eagle Scout in 1977.

FUTURE ACTIVITIES

- May 30th, Memorial Day at American Legion Hall in Ste. Genevieve. 11 AM
- May 30th, Memorial Day at Memorial Cemetery in Ste. Genevieve. 12:30 p.m.
- June 4th, Department of Missouri Encampment in Drury Inn & Suites in Fenton, MO. Information for the location and the Pre-Registration Form was included in the last issue of the Missouri Unionist on pages 27 to 30.
- The pre-registration fee is \$7.00 and the registration fee at the door is \$10.00.
- If you are going you need to let Secretary Bob Mueller know so he can get your credentials card to you.
- June 12th, Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Schuyler Ogden and Nathaniel Ogden, twin brothers at the American Legion Hall in Ste. Genevieve at 2 p.m.
- June 14th, Camp Meeting, Presentation of the Private John E. Smith Scholarship to Noah Robinson a member of our Camp
- July 4th, Ceremony at 12 noon at the Court House in Ste. Genevieve.

Missouri Department Secretary Report for 2016 Dept. Encampment

Per Capita - Form 35 Submitted on 5/27/2016 & 990N Filed in March

Camp Membership Status

Department of Missouri Camps	Paying Members	Life Members	Real Sons	Juniors	Jr Associates	In War Zones	TOTAL OWED FOR IN PER CAPITA
General James B McPherson Camp #1	9	0	0	0	1	0	8
Lincoln Camp #2	7	2	0	1	0	0	4
Major Francis Wilhelm Camp #17	15	0	0	0	0	1	14
Fletcher Camp #47	14	0	0	0	0	0	14
Gen. John McNeil Camp #62	14	0	0	0	0	0	14
Westport Camp #64	26	0	0	0	0	0	26
Gen W.T. Sherman "Billy Yank" Camp #65	27	2	0	0	0	0	25
Col. John S. Phelps Camp #66	24	0	0	0	0	0	24
Gen. US Grant Camp #68	33	2	0	0	0	0	31
Spradling Camp #72	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gen. James R. McCormick Camp #215	12	0	0	0	0	0	12
Felix St. James Camp # 326	20	1	0	0	0	0	19
Columbia Tigers Camp #432	19	0	0	0	0	0	19
TOTALS	220	7	0	1	1	1	210

Graves Registration Turned in by Secretary & James Egbert

7/20/15 Turned in 21 Graves to GRC

10/14/2015 35 Graves Registered

10/15/15 27 Graves Registered

Department Orders



Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Department of Missouri

DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 9
SERIES 2015-2016
May 25, 2016

Suspension of Captain G. N. Spradling Camp No. 72

1. Captain G. N. Spradling Camp No. 72 has failed to submit a properly completed and signed Form 27 (Camp Annual Report) to the Department Secretary, and has not sent the required payment for per capita dues, both of which were due on or before April 30, 2016.
2. Correspondence from the Department Secretary and the Department Commander was sent to the camp members requesting information on the status of the completion of the Form 27. A reply was received from the Camp Chaplain stating he was only the Chaplain. No other information has been received from their other officers or other camp members regarding the status of the Form 27.
3. Chapter I, Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution and Regulations of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War states: A Camp failing to pay per capita dues or neglecting to forward reports within the time specified by law may be suspended by the Department Commander. Suspended Camps may be reinstated by forwarding reports and paying all arrearages of per capita dues.
4. Chapter I, Article I, Section 9 of the Constitution and Regulations states: Any camp which fails to file the Form 22, Form 27, or EIN report by the dates specified herein shall have its charter automatically suspended. The Department Commander shall issue a Department Order noting the automatic suspension.
5. Therefore, the Captain G. N. Spradling Camp No. 72 is hereby suspended for failure to pay per capita dues and failure to submit the properly completed Form 27.
6. The Camp is forbidden from conducting any business of the Order, other than that which will bring them back into good order. The Camp may be reinstated after properly submitting all delinquent forms and payment for per capita dues and any other required fees.

Ordered this 25th day of May 2016.

Attest:

Marin R. Aubuchon, PDC
Commander
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Walter E. Busch
Secretary
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War



Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Department of Missouri

DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 8
SERIES 2015-2016
May 13, 2016

1. US Grant Camp No. 68 reported the passing of a camp brother John C Soucy, Jr. MD.
2. Brother Soucy would spend his winters in Utah and warmer weather in Wentzville, MO. He attended camp meetings and would also attend camp activities or Memorials as a member of the 2nd MO Infantry SVR. He enjoyed Civil War Activities. It seem like it was only yesterday, when we first met and he expressed his interest in joining the US Grant Camp.
3. Brother Soucy was a Son of both the SUVCW and the Sons of Confederate Veterans.
4. It is only right and our duty as members of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, to honor and pay a tribute of respect to a fellow brother of the SUVCW.
5. In remembrance of Brother John C. Soucy, Jr, the Department of Missouri Charter, all Camp Charters, Department and Camp flags, Department and Camp websites, and all membership badges will be draped in black from May 13, 2016 to May 20, 2016.

Ordered this 13th day of May 2016.

Martin R. Aubuchon, PDC
Commander
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Attest:

Walter E. Busch
Secretary
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Spradling Camp – Father Greg Pilcher and I have shared several e-mails. The last (this past week) was me giving him membership info on other Spradling Camp members in an effort to maintain the camp.

From the National Treasurer, Brother Richard Orr on 5/17/16

Brothers,
The IRS released this statement today. Please make it available to all Departments and Camps. Rich Orr
The Form 990-N online filing system moved from Urban Institute to IRS.gov in February. While the new system has been successful, a very small percentage of users see site errors while registering or submitting the form. The IRS offers this advice:

- Review the steps listed on How to File Form 990-N. Pay particular attention to the “text character” restrictions.
- The Form 990-N (e-Postcard) User Guide will explain each step in the filing process.
- If site errors are unresolved, call TE/GF Customer Account Services at 877-829-5500. A representative will gather your Form 990-N information for filing on your organization’s behalf.
- Organizations will not be penalized for filing late if it was caused by website issues.
- Organizations should continue efforts to file, even if they are late.

For more on filing Form 990-N, see the Form 990-N page on IRS.gov.

FROM US GRANT CAMP as approved at their May meeting

Resolution

Whereas, at the 2015 National Encampment, a motion was passed to donate residual Memorial Grant funds each year to battlefield preservation efforts within the National Park Service, state parks and local sites; and,

Whereas, the protectors of our Civil War battlefields and historic sites require significant financial resources to cover historic preservation and do not have the financial resources to cover all of these needs; and,

Whereas, the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, has applied for 501c3 status and has a need to increase the amount of charitable contributions above and beyond current levels in order to satisfy the Internal Revenue Service; and,

Whereas, “Preservation” is a key element of the SUVCW brand, and specifically, preservation concerning Civil War battlefields and historic sites is a key preservation initiative under the Vision 2020 strategic plan;

Be it resolved, that the National Organization, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, be directed to expand approved preservation efforts concerning Civil War battlefields and historic sites and establish a formal historic preservation program, including its own fund, with the purpose of providing annual

Correspondence

US Grant Camp – Don Palmer, Walt Busch and Mark Coplin will have a table at the Lineage Society Fair held at the main St. Louis County Library. The fair will be on June 18, 10 am-1 pm. The fair will take place on Tier 4, the floor where the newspaper microfilm is stored. Tables will be set up with your society’s name on them. Other members/camps are welcome to assist us. Please contact one of us to let us know.

US Grant Camp - Jon Pennington shared the following:
The Department of Missouri’s own Bob Hammack was recently selected by the Greater St. Louis Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America to receive the Silver Beaver Award. The Silver Beaver is the highest award an adult Scouting volunteer can receive at the Council level. It is presented to recognize registered Scouters of exceptional character who have provided distinguished service to youth within a council. Only one Silver Beaver is awarded for every 60 units (or fraction thereof).

contributions to national, state, and local governments to (1) support battlefields and Civil War and Grand Army of the Republic historic sites; (2) increase the percentage of financial resources considered charitable by the IRS; and, (3) address a key initiative under the Vision 2020 plan.

Missouri Unionist Editor's Report for the 2016 Dept Encampment

Haven't been threatened yet – so must be doing ok. Have sent out 4 newsletters in the past year. Would really appreciate more articles. As previously stated, I would have no problem assembling a 50 page newsletter if we got enough input from the camps.

Deadlines for next Unionists arc: June 25, Sept 25, Dec 25 and Mar 25.

Historical Records Officers Report for the 2016 Dept Encampment

Missouri Monuments Submitted

6/20/15 Walt Busch - Ironton Marker Recorded
 6/20/15 Bob Aubuchon sent in Moore's Mill Marker
 6/20/15 Wayne Sampson – Mexico Cannon
 7/5/15 Walt Busch - Record Monument – Lafayette Park
 7/10/15 Rec'd Info on 2 Monuments from Dale Crandell
 7/14/15 Walt Busch - Father Dickson Cemetery Monument
 8/11/15 Rec'd 5 more monuments from Dale Crandell
 09/08/15 Rec'd 2 more monuments from Dale Crandell
 9-16-2015 3 Monuments from Dale Crandell added
 10/07/15 Walt – Monument at Meramec Caverns
 12/29/15 Rec'd Dale Crandell – Shiloh Skirmish Monument
 1/2/2016 Walt - Bellefontaine Cemetery Marker Recorded

Total turned in by members: 20

MISSOURI CIVIL WAR MONUMENTS AND MARKERS

UNDOCUMENTED CURRENTLY STANDING MARKERS

Audrain County US Grant Marker – Mexico in the Civil War - Graceland Museum, 501 S. Muldrow – Dedicated 4-30-15
Boone County The Centralia Battle - Centralia Battlefield – CSA Flag - N39°10.671' W 92°06.530' Battle of Riggs' Run. Tri-City Lake Road. East of Centralia.
Camden County Battle of Monday Hollow -Wet Glarze, Beulah Church Highway 7
Cape Girardeau County Grant Trail Info – Cape Co Court of Common Pleas'

Gentry County Cannon – Stanberry, Mo City Park
Howard County Glasgow Cannon. Lewis Library, 315 Market St.
New Madrid County New Madrid
 Bissell's Submersible Saw – New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W
 The Siege of New Madrid – New Madrid-Dirt Rd- no of Sand Hill Cemetery 36° 35.37' N, 89° 33.243' W.
 Fort Bankhead- New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W
Ray County Battle of Albany, Orick, MO (DNR)
Stoddard County Bloomfield
 Minton Bros Aboard the C.S. Arkansas (316 S Prairie)
 First Stars & Stripes Newspaper (401 S Prairie)
 Bloomfield Academy (404 W Missouri St)
 Mutiny in Bloomfield (201 Center St)
 Fatal Tree (Route 25 & Route E) 36° 52.98' N, 89° 55.46' W
 General Davidson's Cavalry (Park Lake Dr & Crowley Ridge Dr)
 The Execution of Asa Ladd (Courthouse)

Total: 18

MISSOURI & ARKANSAS GAR POST RECORDS

From Walt Busch
 12/3/15 Troy Black GAR Post Records
 12/8/15 Bethel Post Records
 12/21/15 Record GAR post 158 Info
 3/11/16 Update GAR Post 107 info with new picture

MISSOURI – ARKANSAS MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENTS

Did research this past year finding pictures and biographical info on several of these men.

NO UPDATES ON THE FOLLOWING:

GAR COMMANDERS – MO OR AR
SUV/SV COMMANDERS – MO OR AR
SUV/SV POST RECORDS
LAST SOLDIER PROJECT

DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI TREASURER'S REPORT
FOR JUNE 4TH DEPARTMENT ENCAMPMENT

Date 23 May 2016 by Department of Missouri Treasurer Gary L. Scheel

Brothers,

I took over the responsibilities of Treasurer on 26 June 2016 when all books were delivered to me by the previous treasurer now Department Commander, Martin Abuchon.

On the same day Department Commander and I opened a checking account at U.S. Bank in Ste. Genevieve. We deposited \$4,000.00 from the Montgomery checking account leaving in that account enough money to cover any outstanding checks that may clear the bank. The advantages of changing from Montgomery Bank to U.S. Bank were 1. There are U.S. Banks in most areas of the state. 2. We started receiving interest on the money in our checking account which to date has amounted to \$2.04 which is transferred to the Past Commander's Fund line item. We were not receiving any interest from Montgomery Bank on its checking account.

We have received the Per Capita funds from all Camps except the Spraudling Camp in Arkansas. As of this date we have \$7,059.78 in our U.S. Bank checking account and \$1,148.37 in our CD at Montgomery Bank. This gives us a total of \$8,208.15 in all of our accounts.

Of this money we have two line items that are classified as earmarked funds. Past Commanders Fund total is \$1,585.20 with the last interest added to this fund from our U.S. Bank Checking account on 29 April 2016. The second line item is the Benevolent Fund totaling \$128.00. These two line items total \$1,713.20.

Our total funds available for the use of the Department as of this date total \$6,492.50. I apologize that I will be unable to attend the Department Encampment this year. When I took on the responsibilities I had hoped that our Bed and Breakfast would have sold by now. It hasn't and I have three rooms leaving on June 3rd and all new guests coming in on June 4th. This requires me to stay in Ste. Genevieve and take care of business.

Attached is 06-01-2015 thru 05-27-2016 records of the Department transactions to our accounts.

Respectfully Submitted,

Gary L. Scheel

Department Treasurer

DATE	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	Rec'd	Paid Out	U.S. Bank Checking 152316728228	Montgomery Checking 10100873	Montgomery CD 2190031808
6/22/015	Check 2161	Glennon Alesop 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 6139	Martin Abuchon 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 8693	Tom Greminger 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 8005	Alan Heidbreder 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 1200	Ed Krieser 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 5224	Don Palmer & John Palmer 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$14.00				
6/22/015	Check 10389	Robert Petrovic 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 1207	Wayne Sampson 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 289	Brian Smarker 2015 Mo Depart Encampment Registration Fee	\$7.00				
6/22/015	Check 1469	St James Camp Per Capita Fees	\$23.00				
6/22/015	Check 135	Grant Camp Reinstatement and Per Capita Fees for Reinstated Brother John David McAlee	\$39.00				
6/22/015	Cash	Wall Busch payment for old National Encampment Shirts	\$3.00				

10/20/2015	Deposit	Camp #17 Transfer Member Supplement dues and fees, Walt Busch purchased 15, 2007 Shirts	\$57.00	\$57.00			
10/20/2015	Check #258	National Organization SUVOW Dues and fees for transfer/reinstatement of Camp #17 Member, Emmett Taylor	\$33.00	-\$33.00			
10/30/2015	Interest	Interest	\$0.14	\$0.14			
11/2/2015	Deposit	Camp #64, Supplemental Camp #68 one new member, Camp # 432 four new members	\$67.25	\$67.25			
11/2/2015	Check # 259	National Organization SUVOW Grant and 4 Tiger Camps Dues and fees for 1 Westport, 1 Department of the Chesapeake never cashed.	\$58.75	-\$58.75	\$40.00		
11/2/2015	Cancelled	Montgomery Bank Checking transfer to U.S. Bank Checking via Check #229	\$2,405.95		-\$2,405.95		
11/2/2015	Deposit	Montgomery Bank Checking account closed. Check #229	\$2,405.95	\$2,405.95			
11/28/2015	Deposit	Check#1005 Gair McPherson Camp#1 Dues for Paul Dolly	\$21.50	\$21.50			
11/28/2015	Check #260	National Organization SUVOW Dues and Fees for Paul Dolly, McPherson Camp #1	\$16.50	-\$16.50			
11/30/2015	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.23	\$0.23			
12/31/2015	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25	\$0.25			
12/31/2016	Interest	Montgomery Bank CD	\$1.16				\$1.16

1/30/2016	Check #261	Jones School Supply Co. 250 Folders Blue, 1 Proof, 1 Die	\$496.13	-\$496.13			
1/31/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25	\$0.25			
2/29/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.22	\$0.22			
2/29/2016	Interest	Montgomery Bank CD	\$0.75				\$0.75
3/23/2016	Check #262	Walt Busch, Reimburse for payment of Drury Inn meeting room for Dept. Encampment, June 2016	\$107.25	-\$107.25			
3/23/2016	Deposit	Folder Purchase Lincoln, Grant, Westport Camps 140.55, Walt Lunch & Encampment 19.00, Dues St. James & Krieger 699.00	\$658.55	\$658.55			
3/31/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.23	\$0.23			
3/31/2016	Interest	Montgomery Bank CD	\$0.54				\$0.54
4/27/2016	Deposit	Grant #68, \$870.00, McNeil #62, \$406.00	\$1,276.00	\$1,276.00			
4/29/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25	\$0.25			
5/9/2016	Deposit	Fletcher #47, \$416; Grant #68, \$29; Dale Cradall #19; Fletcher #47, \$5; Wilhelm #17, \$412; Grant #68, \$29; Sherman #65, \$725; Westport #64, \$764; McCormick #215, \$348; McPherson #1, \$238; Tigers #432, \$522.	\$3,507.00	\$3,507.00			

DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL
2015-2016 PROPOSED BUDGET

	2012-2013	2012-2013	2013-2014	2013-2014	2014-2015	2014-2015	2015-2016	2015-2016	2016-2017
	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET
INCOME									
National Capita Dues	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Dept Encampment Dues	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00	\$38.00
Miscellaneous	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00	\$28.00
Eagle-Scout Coins	\$80.00	\$288.59	\$80.00	\$49.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$100.00	\$75.00	\$25.00
Interest	\$0.00	\$3.65	\$0.00	\$5.97	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$0.00	\$6.78	\$7.00
TOTAL	\$1,886.00	\$485.24	\$1,886.00	\$1,731.97	\$1,868.00	\$1,724.57	\$1,883.50	\$1,646.78	\$1,682.00
NO AMOUNTS SHOWN AS THE AMOUNTS ARE RECEIVED AND PASS THRU TO NATIONAL									
Dept Encampment	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
Dept Gift to C in C and P AUSV Pres	\$200.00	\$53.30	\$150.00	\$200.00	\$150.00	\$48.00	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$150.00
National Encampment Book Ad	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Mo Incomp Annual Fee	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
Past Commander Plaque Name Plate	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$10.00
Website Maintenance	\$800.00	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$0.00	\$600.00	\$677.54	\$900.00	\$299.40	\$500.00
Secretary Postage & Office Supplies	\$75.00	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$0.00	\$75.00	\$0.00	\$75.00
Flowers, Sympathy etc	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$100.00
Eagle-Scout Awards	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Eagle-Scout Coins	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Missouri Underst	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dept Commander Travel Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Past Dept Commander's Medal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$160.00	\$160.00	\$80.00	\$0.00	\$80.00
C in C & AUSCW Pres Rooms	\$0.00	\$214.66	\$400.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Altar Repair	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2019 Encampment Committee									
Miscellaneous									\$500.00
New Camp Charter									\$125.00

Date	Description	Amount	Balance
5/21/2016	Deposit	\$849.00	\$849.00
5/27/2016	Deposit	\$144.01	\$993.01
5/27/2016	Check #263	-\$4,890.00	-\$3,896.99
	TOTALS	\$21,388.47	\$20,180.99
			\$1,148.37

Account Totals	Amount
Checking Account	\$0.00
Checking Account U.S. Bank	\$7,089.78
CD	\$1,148.37
Cash/Checks on Hand	\$0.00
TOTAL ALL ACCOUNTS	\$8,238.15
Earmarked Funds	
Past Commanders Fund	\$1,587.65
Benevolent Fund	\$128.00
Total Earmarked Funds	\$1,715.65
Total Undesignated General Funds (Total Funds Minus Earmarked Funds)	\$6,492.50

Yellow Highlights (in digital copy) indicate items that have not cleared the bank

Treasurer's Report Respectfully Submitted Gary L. Scheel PCC 5/27/16

**Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Department of Missouri
Business Meeting
Hearing Room 3, State Capitol
October 15, 2016**

Present: Commander Randal Burd, Jr, PCC; Sec Walt Busch, PDC; Camp Organizer Bob Petrovic, PDC; SVC Dale Crandell, PCC; PcinC Ed Krieser; Graves Reg/Eagle Scout Officer/Chaplain Bob Hammack; Council Bryan Bradford, PCC; Council Glen Alsop, PCC; JVC Sumner Hunnewell; Oliver Pechmann; Warren Love

Westport Camp paid \$75.00 check #1126 for 15 Eagle Scout Coins.

Congratulations to Glen Alsop for recent marriage. October 8, 2016

JVC Hands out "Honor Their Memory" Brochures to camps.

Opening: 1004 hrs

Prayer by Chaplain Bob Hammack

Pledge Led by Sumner Hunnewell

Walt made motion that officers who have not made a written report have only five minutes. Second Sumner Hunnewell. Passes

Walt made motion to pass reading of minutes last meeting he forgot to bring to March meeting. Second Bob Petrovic passes

Motion to have councils review treasurer report via e-mail and report back at March meeting. Motion Bob Hammack, Second Glen Alsop, passes

Commander's Report: As printed

Randal mentioned that there is a term limit of 5 terms for camp commanders, and this is presenting a potential problem in a couple camps.

SVC Report: See report. Recommendation to get forms on website. Seconded by Glen. Passes.

JVC Report: See report. 3 new members – 2 Westport Camp. JVC is promoting life member option – referring it to marketing committee to increase our life memberships in the dept. Councils to add in policy and procedure manual about life member fees waived at state level.

Secretary Report: adds that Vern Stottlemire sent letter about Oct 29th Ceremony at Moberly Cemetery for GAR and Lincoln Monuments held by McNeil Camp. See Rest of Report.

Camp Coordinator Bob Petrovic: No Report, but never have received info about Jeff City Camp. They are dragging their feet according to Commander.

Chaplain: No Report

Assorted Records Officer Report Walt Busch: See Report.

Eagle Scout Coordinator: Coins are big hit. Presentation folders good thing. We receive requests even from other states. Bob Hammack received Silver Beaver award. Bob Petrovic - Al Peterson, Las Vegas, NV, made up challenge coins based on our model – Hands out about 400 a year.

ROTC Coordinator: See Report. Recommendation: New goals being developed for March Meeting

Graves Registration Officer: Stagnating a little. Walt said he still has 300 to process if Bob wants to do them. Bob didn't take him up on the offer.

Glen brought up a issue with the new GRO form that now requires a password entered each time you want to enter item, thus slowing the entry process. Bob Hammack suggested talking to Gary Scheel about it as he is on the committee that works on that.

Unionist: Next deadline Dec 31.

Signals Officer: No report.

Assistant Signals Officer: Needs www.suvcwmo.org site opened up to me a little more so I can edit more pages. Emails are up to date.

Awards Committee: No Report. Suggested that forms get posted on the website [walt – posted after meeting].

By-Laws Committee: No Report

Encampment Committee: 2017 Dept Encampment at Branson as shown in Sep 2016 Unionist. Chief of Staff sent info for their encampment.

Membership Committee: No Report

National Encampment 2019: Ed Krieser: Can't get hotel in Branson, can only get Springfield, MO. Working with Phelps Camp. Grant Camp members, among some of the others, are not happy with Springfield, want Branson. Committee is Ed Krieser, Bob Petrovic and Jeff Patrick. Referred back to committee til March.

Vicksburg Monument Committee: Walt Busch says Don Palmer plans on Sat of Memorial Day weekend. And talked about challenge coins for the event. Glen Alsop motion for Bob Petrovic to get back to council with pricing of 100 or 200 challenge coins for the event. Second Bryan Bradford. Passes.

Old Business:

Dale on Policy & Procedures manual turned over to council. It is on-line. Dale writes updates and sends to councils.

Dale motions to move Osage Co & Maries Co to Wilhelmi Camp. Approved.

New Business:

Mark Coplin sent out info on Mo History Award Program to give award for essay. Dale thinks this is a good idea to show our charity work. Referred to Awards Committee.

Representative Warren Love spoke about issues recently with monuments and name changes of streets, etc across the nation. Missouri Heritage Protection Act, no House Bill # yet.

Dale makes motion for officers of the department to review the bill once introduced and for all elected officers, councils and pdcs to vote on our support of act, if supportive, then a letter of support will be issued by dept commander. Ed Krieser seconds. Passes with Walt abstaining.

1126 meeting closes



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**Agenda
Fall Business Meeting, 15 Oct 2016**

Call to Order

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Introduction of Visitors & Remarks

Approval of Encampment Minutes

Officer Reports

Treasurer's Report – see written report
Commander – see written report
SVC's Report – see written report
JVC's Report – see written report
Secretary – see written report
Council – no report submitted

Appointed Officer Reports

Camp Organizer – no report submitted
Chaplain – no report submitted
Civil War Memorials – see written report
Counselor – no report submitted
Eagle Scout Coordinator – no report submitted
JROTC/ROTC Coordinator – no report submitted
GAR Records Coordinator – see written report
Graves Registration – no report submitted
Historian – see written report
Historical Record Coordinator – see written report
Marketing & Promotions – no report submitted
Medal of Honor – no report submitted
Missouri Unionist Editor – see written report
Patriotic Instructor – no report submitted
SV/ SUV Records Officer – see written report
Signals Officer – no report submitted
Quartermaster – no report submitted

Committee Reports

Awards

Bylaws

Department Activity

Encampment

Membership

2019 Missouri National Encampment

Vicksburg Monument Restoration

Old Business

2105-2016 Department Audit (Council)
Policies & Procedures Manual (Dale C.)

New Business

National History Day Missouri



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Commander's Report Fall Business Meeting, 15 Oct 2016

Timeline of Meetings, Orders, and Relative Correspondence

- 04 Jun 2016 – Elected Department Commander at 21st Department Encampment in Fenton, Missouri
- 05 Jun 2016 – **Department Order #1** – Announcement of 2016-2017 Officers and Appointments; Correspondence with Dept. Council and Treasurer regarding overdue audit
- 09 Jun 2016 – Correspondence with office of Representative Fitzwater regarding hearing room reservation; **Department Order #2** – 2016-2017 Department Business Meeting Schedule
- 10 Jun 2016 – Correspondence with office of Representative Fitzwater confirming reservations
- 12 Jun 2016 – Correspondence with TREAS, SEC, and Signals Officer regarding website renewal
- 16 Jun 2016 – **Department Order #3** – Encampment Site Committee Appointments
- 19 Jun 2016 – Correspondence with CC Joe Rainey of McPherson Camp #1 regarding camp/event issue
- 22 Jun 2016 – **Department Order #4** – Creation and Maintenance of Special Committees; “Message from the Department Commander” for 30 Jun 2016 Missouri Unionist; Correspondence w/ CC Chris Warren of McCormick #215 regarding five-year CC term limits
- 28 Jun 2016 – Submitted Commander Biography for Department website per request
- 29 Jun 2016 – Correspondence with CinC Eugene Mortorff regarding National award considerations
- 07 Jul 2016 – Received Quarterly Report from Westport Camp #64
- 12 Jul 2016 – Received Quarterly Report from U.S. Grant Camp #68
- 30 Jul 2016 – Submitted Department Commander's Report to National Chief of Staff Mike Paquette; Reviewed and signed revised Bylaws of Wilhelmi Camp #17
- 01 Aug 2016 – Correspondence with National Treasurer Richard Orr regarding 1023 tax letters; Correspondence to McNeil and Spradling camp lists regarding 1023 tax letters
- 04 Aug 2016 – Phone Conversation with Pete Oetting regarding starting Jefferson City SUVCW camp
- 05 Aug 2016 – **Department Order #5** – Centennial of 50th GAR Reunion in Kansas City, Missouri; Correspondence with CinC Don Martin regarding invitation to 2017 Dept. Encampment; Correspondence with Pete Oetting recapping starting Jefferson City SUVCW camp
- 08 Aug 2016 – Correspondence with National Secretary Davis regarding updating Dept. mailing list
- 09 Aug 2016 – Correspondence from Bryner Camp #67 (Illinois) regarding Real Son Earnest John Pool; Correspondence with Dept. Treasurer and Council regarding sympathy flowers for funeral; **Department Order #6** – Passing of Real Son Garland Pool
- 13 Aug 2016 – Attended 135th National Encampment, Springfield, Illinois
- 14 Aug 2016 – Correspondence with CC Chris Warren of McCormick Camp #215 over five-year term limits
- 15 Aug 2016 – Correspondence with CC Chris Warren of McCormick Camp #215 over five-year term limits
- 20 Aug 2016 – **Department Order #7** – Reinstatement of Spradling Camp #72
- 31 Aug 2016 – Correspondence from CC Joe Rainey, McPherson Camp #1 regarding Bro. Willis hardship
- 03 Sep 2016 – Attended Civil War Day at St. Francois State Park, sponsored by McCormick Camp #215
- 04 Sep 2016 – Letter to Brother (Rev.) Clinton Willis; to be included with \$128 check from benevolent fund
- 06 Sep 2016 – Correspondence with CC Mark Coplin, U.S. Grant Camp #68 regarding passing of L. Palmer
- 08 Sep 2016 – **Department Communiqué #1** – Passing of PCinC Donald Palmer's Mother Lucy; Correspondence with CinC Don Martin regarding current five-year term limit rule for CCs; Correspondence with Executive Dir. Demmy regarding missing Banner issues for C. Warren;

- 13 Sep 2016 – Correspondence to ASUVCW Nat. Pres. Denise Oman regarding citizenship requirements
- 14 Sep 2016 – Correspondence from ASUVCW Nat. Pres. Denise Oman regarding citizenship requirements
- 19 Sep 2016 – Correspondence from ASUVCW Nat. Pres. Denise Oman regarding citizenship requirements
- 19 Sep 2016 – Attended McCormick Camp #215 meeting in Bonne Terre, Missouri;
- 23 Sep 2016 – Correspondence with CinC Don Martin regarding consolidating/merging camps
- 29 Sep 2016 – “Department Telegraph from the Commander’s Desk” for 30 Sep 2016 Missouri Unionist
- 02 Oct 2016 – Correspondence with National Chief of Staff Ed Norris regarding 2017 Dept. Encampment;
- 02 Oct 2016 – Approved Chair’s request to add Jeff Patrick of Phelps #66 to 2019 Nat. Enc. Committee
- 05 Oct 2016 – Correspondence from Bryner Camp #67 (Illinois) regarding Real Son Earnest John Pool;
- 06 Oct 2016 – **Department Order #8** – Passing of Real Son Earnest John Pool
- 06 Oct 2016 – Correspondence from Dept. Treasurer Scheel regarding audit materials
- 06 Oct 2016 – Phone Conversation with acting CC of Lincoln Camp #2 regarding passing of Gen. Conlon;
- 09 Oct 2016 – **Department Order #9** – Passing of Brigadier General (Father) Philip J. Conlon;
- 09 Oct 2016 – Correspondence with Awards Committee regarding questions on previous processes
- 10 Oct 2016 – Correspondence from National Chief of Staff Ed Norris regarding 2017 Dept. Encampment
- 10 Oct 2016 – Correspondence with CC Mark Coplin of Grant Camp #68 regarding Nat. History Day MO
- 13 Oct 2016 – Received Quarterly Reports from Grant Camp #68 and Westport Camp #64
- 15 Oct 2016 – Presided over Fall Business Meeting, State Capitol Building, Jefferson City, Missouri

This is by no means a complete list of my activity and correspondence, but hopefully this list highlights the major issues addressed since the Department Encampment which required my input. Of course I also appreciate the ongoing open communication with Department Secretary Walt Busch, Signals Officer James Dixon, and the other officers who keep me up to speed on a regular basis. We are blessed to have two Past Commanders-in-Chief and a host of Past Department Commanders to turn to for advice. I am grateful not only that the Department entrusted me with the office of Commander for the 2016-2017 year, but for the advice and support I have received thus far in carrying out the duties of this office.

MOURNING PERIODS THUS FAR DURING 2016-2017 ADMINISTRATIVE TERM

NATIONAL	7 AUG 2016 – 6 SEP 2016	Real Son Harold Becker	General Order #29
NATIONAL	9 AUG 2016 – 8 SEP 2016	Real Son Garland Pool	General Order #30
DEPARTMENT	9 AUG 2016 – 8 SEP 2016	Real Son Garland Pool	Department Order #6
DEPARTMENT	2 OCT 2016 – 1 NOV 2016	Real Son Earnest John Pool	Department Order #8
DEPARTMENT	6 OCT 2016 – 20 OCT 2016	Brig. Gen. Philip J. Conlon	Department Order #9
NATIONAL	12 OCT 2016 – 11 NOV 2016	Real Son Earnest John Pool	General Order #7



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Senior Vice Commander Report 15 October 2016

Attended the National Encampment as a Department delegate, participating in all business sessions and votes. The Department's recommendations on supplemental membership improvements was referred to committee.

Per Department Order #5, represented the Department at the GAR National Encampment Commemoration at Kansas City's Ilus Davis Park on August 28, 2016, which was the centennial of the encampment opening day.

Forwarded updates for the Department's Policy and Procedures Manual (PPM) to the Department Council, including updating the new award nomination deadline of April 15th.

Appointed the Bylaws Committee consisting of: Marty Aubuchon, Ed Krieser, Don Palmer, and Brian Smarker; and published a committee agenda:

- Identify Department appointed officers to keep, add, delete, or merge with another.
- Identify Department standing committees to keep, add, delete, or merge.
- Identify Bylaw items that should move to Policy & Procedures.

The Annual Awards Committee includes: Marty Aubuchon, Glenn Alsop, and Larry Dietzel. Forwarded to the committee proposed updates to the four award nomination forms:

- Blair Award
- Meritorious Service Award
- GAR Award
- Samson Show-Me Spirit Award.

One recommendation: approve, post, and distribute updated award nomination forms.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Dale Crandell



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Policy and Procedures Manual

4 June 2016

The Policy and Procedures Manual (PPM) for the Department of Missouri is a guide for Department officers, committees, and members on our operations and communication. It is a collection of practices established by Department Encampments, Department Business Meetings, and Department Orders, as well as precedents set by tradition. Our National Constitution and Regulations, and Department Bylaws take precedence over the PPM. As a living document, the PPM can be amended by a simple majority vote of any Department Encampment, Department Business Meeting, or Department Order. Maintenance of the PPM is entrusted to the Department Council.

Section 100	General Policies
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Appendix A	James B. Eads Award Application (2013)
Appendix B	RESERVED - Francis P. Blair, Jr. Award Nomination Form
Appendix C	RESERVED - Meritorious Service Award Nomination Form
Appendix D	RESERVED - Grand Army of the Republic Award Nomination Form
Appendix E	RESERVED - Wayne M. Sampson Show-Me Spirit Award Nomination Form
Appendix F	RESERVED - Certificate of Appreciation Nomination Form
Appendix G	Missouri County and Camp Map (2016)
Appendix H	Arkansas County and Camp Map (2016)

Section 100 – General Policies

¶ 100 Membership Badge. All elected and appointed Department Officers and Past Department Commanders must wear at least one of their SUVCW membership or officer badges at Department Encampments and Business Meetings. A Department Officer or Past Department Commander violating this policy may be assessed a \$10 fine, payable to the Department's Past Commander Fund.

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2011]

¶ 101 Group E-mail Distribution. Use of the Department's group e-mail addresses requires prior approval of two department elected officers. The intent is to avoid misuse of group e-mail addresses for personal use, commercial use, or non-fraternal conduct. Group e-mail addresses covered by this policy includes:

- department@suvchwmo.org
- Using all of the camp group e-mail addresses (grant@suvchwmo.org)

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2011]

¶ 102 Record Retention and Archiving. Department records are archived with Western Historical Manuscript Office (Historical Society of Missouri) at Columbia, Missouri. The intent is to ensure a central location for Department archives.

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¶ 103 Mourning Period. The Department-wide mourning periods are:

- 30 Days – Department Commander (past and present)
- 14 Days – Camp Commander and Department Officer (past and present, elected and appointed)
- 7 Days – member and special friend of the Department

Camps are free to set additional and longer mourning periods as they deem appropriate.

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated October 2015]

Section 200 – General Procedures

¶ 200 New Membership Applications. Once a new member is accepted by a Camp, there is a six step intake process:

1. Camp forwards packet to the Department Secretary containing Form 30 Camp Status Reports (or Form 27 Camp Annual Reports), Form 3 Membership Applications, check for pro-rated National and Department per capita fees, and National application fee.
2. Camp e-mails confirmation of new member to the Department Junior Vice Commander and Department Secretary; and updates Camp roster.
3. Department Secretary forwards Camp's check to Department Treasurer and e-mail's request for Department Treasurer to forward check for pro-rated National per capital and National application fee.
4. Department Treasurer forwards check to Department Secretary for pro-rated National per capital and National application fee.
5. Department Secretary completes the Form 30 (or Form 27), retaining copies for the Department records, adds Department check, and forwards the packet to National.
6. Department Secretary e-mails confirmation of new member to Camp and Department elected officers; and updates Department roster.

¶ 201 Internet New Membership Applications. Prospective members have the option to submit an online Form 3 Membership Application, which triggers a four step process:

1. National forwards Form 3 and prospective member's check to the Department Junior Vice Commander (JVC).
2. Department JVC forwards Form 3 with check to the Camp located closest to the prospective member's home address, following the Appendix G and H maps.
3. Camp has 60 days to determine whether to accept the prospective member's application.
 - a. If the Camp accepts the prospective member, the Camp follows paragraph 200 above.
 - b. If the Camp declines, they return the Form 3 and check to the Department JVC, where the Department JVC will repeat this process with the next closest Camp.

Section 300 – Reports

¶ 300 Quarterly Reports.

Section 400 – Encampment and Business Meetings

¶ 400 Encampment Voting Rights. In order to vote at a Department Encampment, a delegate must present to the Department Secretary: 1) SUVCW membership card for the current year, and 2) credential card from his camp. Department Officers and Past Department Commanders receive their credential cards from the Department Secretary. The Department Secretary will determine if the member is entitled to vote under the Department's Bylaws and National Regulations.

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2011]

¶ 401 Business Meeting Voting Rights. In order to vote at a Business Meeting, a member must present to the Department Secretary his SUVCW membership card for the current year. A credential card is not required for a Business Meeting. The Department Secretary will determine if the member is entitled to vote under the Department's Bylaws and National Regulations.

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2011]

¶ 402 Written Officer Reports. All elected and appointed officers shall provide a written report of activities and recommendations at each Department Encampment and Business Meeting. Reports must be sent by e-mail (preferred) or postal mail to both the Department Commander and Department Secretary. The report for a Department Encampment is due by May 15th and for a Business meeting it is due two weeks prior to the meeting.

¶ 403 Oral Officer Reports. Officers who have not submitted a written report are limited to a three-minute oral report during a Department Encampment or Business Meeting. The intent is to encourage written reports.

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2009]

¶ 404 Department Encampment Hosting. The Department pays all costs and receives all revenue for the Department Encampment. A camp may host an Encampment under the guidance of the Department's Encampment Committee without risk of incurring a financial loss to the camp.

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2010]

Section 500 – Officers

¶ 500 Quartermaster Position. The Department Commander shall appoint a Quartermaster with responsibility to inventory and hold property not assigned to other elected or appointed department officers.

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2011]

¶ 501 Officer Property Inventory. That all incoming and outgoing officers document their exchange of Department property and files, and that the Department Secretary be copied.

[Department Encampment Minutes dated June 2010]

Section 600 – Committees

¶ 600-609. Reserved.

Section 700 – Awards

¶ 700 Award Nomination. Any camp or member may submit an award nomination or application. Consideration for one of the annual awards presented at the Department Encampment must be submitted to the Awards Committee by April 15th for service from April 1st of the prior year through March 31st of the current year. The nomination and application forms (PDF format), posted on the www.suvcwmo.org website, must be used. They can be submitted by e-mail (preferred) or postal mail to the Department Senior Vice Commander (Eads Award application submitted to Department Secretary).

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2009]

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2015]

¶ 701 Award Selection. The Annual Award Committee will conduct a simple majority approve-disapprove vote on all award nominations and applications. The committee is tasked with notification to the nominator and Department officers of its selection decisions. The committee's selection decision is final.

¶ 702 Award Presentation. The Department Senior Vice Commander coordinates with other Department and Camp officers for an appropriate venue and time-date to announce the award recipient and make the award presentation. Every effort should be made to present awards at the Department Encampment. The committee is tasked to provide any certificates, plaques, or trophies associated with an award; toward this the committee must request an annual budget from the Department Treasurer.

¶ 703-709. Reserved.

¶ 710 James B. Eads Award. The Eads Award is presented annually to all qualifying camps. A camp must submit an application form (PDF format) via e-mail (preferred) or postal mail by April 15th to the Department Secretary that documents the camp's activities and eligibility. The specific eligibility is outlined in the application form and considered part of this PPM document; therefor any changes to the eligibility criteria or application form must be approved by a Department Encampment or Business Meeting. A qualifying camp receives a ribbon streamer.

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2015]

¶ 711 Francis P. Blair, Jr. Award. The Blair Award is presented annually to one member selected from among the nominations. The recipient of the Blair Award will receive a certificate and have his name added to a Department plaque. The stated award criteria are:

The member who has made the greatest collective contribution during a specific year to the Department and his Camp through its programs and activities. The member must have been in good standing and exemplify the virtues of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty for the entire year. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration.

¶ 712 Meritorious Service Award. A Meritorious Service Award may be awarded to one or more members selected from among the nominations. Recipients of the Meritorious Award will receive a certificate and have their name added to a Department plaque. The stated award criteria are:

The member who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to the Department and his Camp through its programs and activities. The member must have been in good standing for five or more years, and exemplify the

virtues of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration.

¶ 713 Grand Army of the Republic Award. The GAR Award may be awarded to one or more individuals selected from among the nominations. Recipients of the GAR Award receive a plaque. The stated award criteria are:

The Allied Order member who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to promote fraternal relationships between the Allied Orders in perpetuating the memory of the Grand Army of the Republic and our ancestors who fought to preserve the Union. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration for three years.

¶ 714 Wayne M. Sampson Show-Me Spirit Award. The Sampson Award may be awarded to one or more individuals selected from among the nominations. Recipients of the Sampson Award receive a plaque. The stated award criteria are:

The individual who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to promote the SUVCW, Allied Orders, or Civil War history, and who demonstrates a shared interest in the SUVCW mission. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration for three years.

¶ 715 Certificate of Appreciation. A Certificate may be awarded to one or more members or non-members where another Department Award is not warranted. A Certificate can be awarded by both the Awards Committee or the Department Commander. Recipients receive a certificate. The stated award criteria are:

The member who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to the Department and his Camp through its programs and activities. The member must have been in good standing at the time of award, exemplify the virtues of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty. A Certificate recipient is eligible for repeat consideration.

¶ 716 Member Anniversary Recognition. Reserved.

Section 800 – Programs

¶ 800-809. Reserved.

¶ 810-819 Grave Registration. Reserved.

¶ 820-829 Civil War Memorials/Monuments. Reserved.

¶ 830-839 Department Records archiving. Reserved.

¶ 840 Eagle Scout Award. Recipients of an Eagle Scout award certificate are to be posted on the Department's website. The posting should include the scout's name, troop, and project. The intent of this policy is to bring public recognition for the scout being honored and the award program.

¶ 841 Eagle Scout Coins. The Department Eagle Scout Coordinator shall maintain an inventory of Eagle Scout coins. These coins are intended for Department sponsored Eagle Scout award presentations where a local camp is not available.

¶ 850 ROTC/JROTC Awards. Recipients of an ROTC/JROTC award medal are to be posted on the Department's website. The posting should include the cadet's name, school, and unit. The intent of this policy is to bring public recognition for the cadet being honored and the award program.

[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2011]

~~¶ 851 ROTC/JROTC Medals. The Department ROTC Coordinator shall maintain an inventory of ten ROTC medals. These medals are intended for Department sponsored ROTC award presentations where a local camp is not available.~~

~~[Department Business Meeting Minutes dated March 2013]~~

~~[Department Encampment Meeting Minutes dated June 2016]~~

Appendix H – Arkansas County and Camp Map



Secretary's Report Oct 15/2016

6/3 & 4	Dept Encampment
6/13	Grant Camp Meeting
7/9	Record info on Faulkner Co & White Co AR last soldiers as well as updated that of Garland Co
7/11	Grant Camp Meeting
8/6	Galena IL – Two Monuments at Grant Home
8/8	Rockford IL – Visit GAR Museum / Picture of 2 GAR Monuments in Cemetery (1 new)
8/11 – 14	SUVCW Encampment – Springfield IL
8/14	Record Cannon – Whitehall IL
8/17	Record Marker – Mexico MO
8/18	Record Cannon – Glasgow MO
9/3	Recorded 8 Monuments in Bloomfield and 1 in Cape Girardeau
9/6	Recorded Hannibal marker, and 2 SCV Markers Centralia
9/9	Updates to GAR Posts Lyon 2, Hassenduebel 13 and Harding 107
9/12	Grant Camp Meeting
9/12	New Last Soldier Info – Atchison Co. & Major Update Last Soldier Howell Co
9/21	Boonville GAR Marker on prison grounds by Tiger Camp Dietzel
9/30-10/1	CRA Meeting – Franklin, TN
10/10	Grant Camp Meeting

Correspondence

E-Mail from Mark Christ, Arkansas History, about plans to put up USCT marker. Our e-mail advised that we support it and gave Joe Rainey's name. Christ responding to us thanking for our assistance.

Assorted Records Keeping Officers

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9/21	Boonville GAR Marker on prison grounds by Tiger Camp Dietzel

Outstanding Monuments

CURRENTLY STANDING MARKERS

Boone County
Columbia

DUV Marker for USCT Soldiers – Columbia Cemetery 30 E. Broadway 65203
Gen. Odon Guitar Grave Marker - Columbia Cemetery 30 E. Broadway 65203 (reads like a monument-so...)

Clark County

Athens

Near N40°35'04" W91°41'46" 5 New Field Markers for Battle of Athens (DNR posted 2016)

Gentry County

Cannon – Stanberry, Mo City Park

New Madrid County

New Madrid

Bissell's Submersible Saw – New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W

The Siege of New Madrid – New Madrid-Dirt Rd- no of Sand Hill Cemetery 36° 35.37' N, 89° 33.243' W.

Fort Bankhead- New Madrid 36° 35.024' N, 89° 31.607' W

Ray County

Albany

Battle of Albany, Orrick, MO (DNR)

Total: 12

Assistant Signals Officers

E-Mails massively updated, including some new members this month from Tiger Camp.

www.suvcwmo.org has been updated with all Unionists, Department Orders, And all old history files we had are now on the site.



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**ROTC Coordinator's Report
 15 October 2016**

The Department has a strong and growing ROTC award program with 34% of the ROTC/JROTC units and 62% of the camps currently participating. Comparison against published data from National and is not available; although the Department of Missouri has similar participation levels with the Departments of Florida (36%) and Pacific (35%).

Unit	MO	AR	Total	2014	2015	2016			
Air Force ROTC	3	1	4	3	3	3			
Army ROTC	8	4	12	8	7	9			
Navy ROTC	1	0	1	1	1	1			
ROTC	12	5	17	12	11	13	71%	65%	76%
Air Force JROTC	21	12	33	9	11	11			
Army JROTC	31	24	55	9	12	16			
Marine Corps JROTC	5	2	7	1	1	1			
Navy JROTC	4	5	9	0	0	0			
JROTC	61	43	104	19	24	28	18%	23%	27%
Total	73	48	121	31	35	41	26%	29%	34%
Camps	11	2	13	6	7	8	46%	54%	62%

Three-Year Plan: The Department adopted an ROTC Program Three-Year Plan (2014-2016) at its October 2013 business meeting, but only meet one of its goals. Although not a goal, the Department did inaugurate a pilot program to select an Outstanding JROTC Cadet, but only one camp made a nomination for the 2016 initial year.

- Goal 1: Camp participation: goal 66%, actual 62%.
- Goal 2: ROTC unit participation: goal 88%, actual 76%.
- Goal 3: JROTC unit participation: goal 25%, actual 27%.
- Goal 4: develop camp ROTC Coordinator tool box, no actual work.

Recommendation. That the Department adopts a new three-year plan with annual tracking metrics to enhance the ROTC award program.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Dale Crandell
 Dale Crandell
 ROTC Coordinator

ROTC Units

School	Unit	SUVCW Camp
Lincoln University	Army ROTC	Tigers Camp #432
Missouri State University	Army ROTC	Phelps Camp #66
Missouri University of Science & Technology	Air Force ROTC	McCormick Camp #215
Missouri University of Science & Technology	Army ROTC	McCormick Camp #215
Missouri Western State University	Army ROTC	Westport Camp #64
St. Louis University	Air Force ROTC	Grant Camp #68
Truman State University	Army ROTC	McNeil Camp #62
University of Central Missouri	Army ROTC	Westport Camp #64
University of Missouri - Columbia	Air Force ROTC	Tigers Camp #432
University of Missouri - Columbia	Army ROTC	Tigers Camp #432
University of Missouri - Columbia	Navy ROTC	Tigers Camp #432
Washington University	Army ROTC	Sherman Camp #65
Arkansas State University	Army ROTC	Department
University of Arkansas - Fayetteville	Air Force ROTC	McPherson Camp #1
University of Arkansas - Fayetteville	Army ROTC	McPherson Camp #1
University of Arkansas - Pine Bluff	Army ROTC	Department
University of Central Arkansas	Army ROTC	Department

JROTC Units – Missouri

School	Unit	City
McDonald County High School	Army JROTC	Anderson
Blue Springs High School	Air Force JROTC	Blue Springs
Blue Springs South High School	Air Force JROTC	Blue Springs
Branson High Schools	Air Force JROTC	Branson
Charleston High School	Army JROTC	Charleston
Marquette High School	Air Force JROTC	Chesterfield
Clinton High School	Army JROTC	Clinton
Excelsior Springs Technical High School	Navy JROTC	Excelsior Springs
Farmington High School	Air Force JROTC	Farmington
Forsyth High School High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Forsyth
Fredericktown High School	Army JROTC	Fredericktown
Van Horn High School	Army JROTC	Independence
Joplin High School	Army JROTC	Joplin
Kansas City Central Academy of Excellence	Army JROTC	Kansas City
Kansas City East High School	Army JROTC	Kansas City
Kansas City Lincoln College Prep Academy	Army JROTC	Kansas City
Kansas City Northeast High School	Army JROTC	Kansas City
Kansas City Southwest Early College Campus	Army JROTC	Kansas City
Ruskin High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Kansas City
Knob Noster High School	Air Force JROTC	Knob Noster
Lee's Summit High School	Air Force JROTC	Lee's Summit
Lee's Summit North High School	Air Force JROTC	Lee's Summit
Lee's Summit West High School	Air Force JROTC	Lee's Summit
Wentworth Military Academy & College	Army JROTC	Lexington
Malden High School	Army JROTC	Malden
Missouri Military Academy	Army JROTC	Mexico
Southwest Area Career Center	Army JROTC	Monett
Mountain Grove High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Mountain Grove
Neosho High School	Air Force JROTC	Neosho
Nevada High School	Air Force JROTC	Nevada
New Madrid County Central High School	Army JROTC	New Madrid
Nixa High School	Army JROTC	Nixa
Ozark High School	Army JROTC	Ozark
Pacific High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Pacific
Poplar Bluff High School	Army JROTC	Popular Bluff
Republic High School	Air Force JROTC	Republic
Saint Clair High School	Air Force JROTC	Saint Clair
Smith Cotton High School	Army JROTC	Sedalia
Hillcrest High School	Army JROTC	Springfield

School	Unit	City
St. Joseph Benton High School	Army JROTC	St. Joseph
St. Joseph Central High School	Army JROTC	St. Joseph
St. Joseph Lafayette High School	Army JROTC	St. Joseph
Jennings High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
Lafayette High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
McCluer High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
Normandy High School	Air Force JROTC	St. Louis
Riverview Gardens High School	Navy JROTC	St. Louis
Soldan International Studies High School	Air Force JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Beaumont High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Cleveland Junior Naval Academy	Navy JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Gateway Institute of Technology	Air Force JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Roosevelt High School	Marine Corps JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Sumner High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
St. Louis Vashon High School	Army JROTC	St. Louis
University City High School	Air Force JROTC	University City
Washington High School	Navy JROTC	Washington
Waynesville Career Center	Army JROTC	Waynesville
Webb City High School	Army JROTC	Webb City
Lafayette High School	Air Force JROTC	Wildwood
Willard High School	Navy JROTC	Willard

JROTC Units – Arkansas

School	Unit	City
Alma High School	Navy JROTC	Alma
Arkadelphia High School	Army JROTC	Arkadelphia
Beebe High School	Air Force JROTC	Beebe
Benton Senior High School	Army JROTC	Benton
Brookland High School	Army JROTC	Brookland
Bryant High School	Air Force JROTC	Bryant
Cabot High School	Air Force JROTC	Cabot
Camden Fairview High School	Navy JROTC	Camden
Conway High School	Army JROTC	Conway
Crossett High School	Navy JROTC	Crossett
Dardanelle High School	Army JROTC	Dardanelle
El Dorado High School	Army JROTC	El Dorado
Forrest City High School	Navy JROTC	Forrest City
Northside High School	Army JROTC	Fort Smith
Greenwood High School	Air Force JROTC	Greenwood
Harrisburg High School	Army JROTC	Harrisburg
Hope High School	Air Force JROTC	Hope
Hot Springs High School	Navy JROTC	Hot Springs
Jacksonville High School	Air Force JROTC	Jacksonville
Valley View High School	Army JROTC	Jonesboro
Westside High School	Air Force JROTC	Jonesboro
Catholic High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Little Rock
Central High School	Air Force JROTC	Little Rock
Parkview Arts/Science Magnet High School	Navy JROTC	Little Rock
Wilbur D. Mills High School	Army JROTC	Little Rock
Lonoke High School	Army JROTC	Lonoke
Malvern High School	Army JROTC	Malvern
Marked Tree High School	Army JROTC	Marked Tree
Mountain Home High School	Navy JROTC	Mountain Home
Newport High School	Army JROTC	Newport
North Little Rock High School West	Army JROTC	North Little Rock
Osceola High School	Air Force JROTC	Osceola
Greene County Tech High School	Air Force JROTC	Paragould
Paragould High School	Army JROTC	Paragould
Dollarway Senior High School	Navy JROTC	Pine Bluff
Pine Bluff High School	Air Force JROTC	Pine Bluff
Watson Chapel High School	Army JROTC	Pine Bluff
Sheridan High School	Army JROTC	Sheridan
Texarkana Arkansas Senior High School	Air Force JROTC	Texarkana

School	Unit	City
Truman High School	Army JROTC	Truman
Van Buren High School	Army JROTC	Van Buren
Warren High School	Army JROTC	Warren
West Memphis High School	Army JROTC	West Memphis
White Hall High School	Army JROTC	White Hall
Rivercrest High School	Army JROTC	Wilson
Wynne High School	Marine Corps JROTC	Wynne



**Francis P. Blair, Jr. Award
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of Civil War
Nomination Form**



The Francis P. Blair, Jr. Award is presented annually to the most outstanding member of the Department of Missouri, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. It is for the member who has made the greatest collective contribution during a specific year to the Department and his Camp through its programs and activities. The member must have been in good standing and exemplify the virtues of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty for the entire year. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration.

From secession to Reconstruction, Francis Blair of Missouri made an unbroken series of major contributions to the Union cause. No man did more to block Missouri's move to the Confederacy in 1861. As a U.S. Congressman, he battled for President Lincoln's early war programs. As a soldier, he was a distinguished divisional and corps commander during the Vicksburg and Atlanta campaigns. Finally, as a post-war senator, he confronted the radical Republicans in an attempt to bring reconciliation to a shattered union.

Submit: Department's Senior Vice Commander (svc@suvcwmo.org)

Deadline: April 15

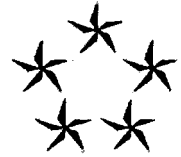
Nomination/Accomplishments:

Nominator:

Date:



**Meritorious Service Award
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of Civil War
Nomination Form**



The Meritorious Service Award is presented to a member of the Department of Missouri, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. It is for the member who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to the Department and his Camp through its programs and activities. The member must have been in good standing for five or more years, and exemplify the virtues of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration.

Many of our Union soldier, sailor, and marine ancestors performed their duty every day, year after year, during American Civil War. Collectively their continuous service to their Unit, State, and the Country saved the Union and provides the example for this award. Considered the highest honor the Department can award to a member, the Meritorious Service Award recognizes service and cumulative accomplishments.

Submit: Department's Senior Vice Commander (svc@suvcwmo.org)
Deadline: April 15

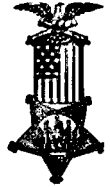
Nomination/Accomplishments:

Nominator:

Date:



**Grand Army of the Republic Award
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of Civil War
Nomination Form**



The Grand Army of the Republic Award is presented to an Allied Order member or group. It is for members or groups who have made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to promote fraternal relationships between the Allied Orders in perpetuating the memory of the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) and our ancestors who fought to preserve the Union. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration for three years.

The GAR was a fraternal organization composed of veterans of the U.S. Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Revenue Cutter Service who served the Union during the American Civil War. It's five auxiliaries make up our present day Allied Orders: Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (1881), Woman's Relief Corps (1883), Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (1883), Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War (1885), and Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic (1896).

Submit: Department's Senior Vice Commander (svc@suvcwmo.org)
Deadline: April 15

Nomination/Accomplishments:

Nominator:

Date:



**Wayne Sampson Show Me Spirit Award
Department of Missouri
Sons of Union Veterans of Civil War
Nomination Form**



The Wayne Sampson Show Me Spirit Award is presented to an individual who has made a significant contribution or collective contributions over a period of time to promote the SUVCW, Allied Orders, or Civil War history, and who demonstrates a shared interest in the SUVCW mission. An award recipient is not eligible for repeat consideration for three years.

Brother Wayne Milton Sampson was a long-term member of Missouri's Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and Sons of Confederate Veterans, exemplifying the importance of cooperation across organizational differences to keep green the history of the American Civil War and its impact on Missouri life. Rarely did you not find Brother Wayne, either in a blue or gray uniform, at a Memorial Day service, grave dedication, or living history event; always there to tell the story of the boys in blue and gray.

Nomination/Accomplishments:

Nominator:

Date:

Gentlemen of McNeil camp and Friends

On Oct 29, in Moberly Mo. at the Oakland Cemetery there will be a rededication of the three civil war monuments that are in that cemetery. The Monuments include; a Union Soldier, Confederate Soldier and a rare one of Abraham Lincoln. The three monuments have just been restored. The committee in charge is looking for reenactors both blue and grey to help with this I think it would be great if McNeil camp had a presence there the event starts at 2pm Saturday Oct. 29th. To get to the cemetery if you are going south on US 63 take the third exit go west toward the down town area and you will drive by the cemetery. If you are a reenactor or not I think this will be a worthwhile event to attend the SCV plan to have a large group there so why not the SUVCW. Please pass the word to anyone you think might be interested. Enclosed is a clipping from *Missouri Life*.



CIVIL WAR MONUMENT REDEDICATION

Three statues, including a Union soldier, a Confederate soldier, and a rare one of Abraham Lincoln, have been successfully restored at Oakland Cemetery. The rededication takes place Oct. 29 in Moberly with a Posting of the Colors, Civil War reenactors, and speakers at each monument. The event starts at 2 PM and is free. Call 660-263-6070 or visit Moberly.com for more information.

CALL ME WITH ANY ?
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The dissolved camp General Alexander S. Asboth Camp No. 5,

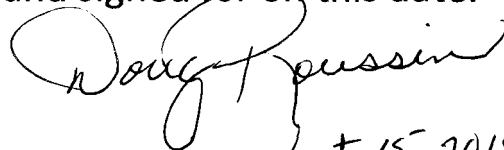
Department of Missouri, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Located at Wentzville Missouri has relinquished its camp charter.

Receiving relinquished charter is Missouri Department Quartermaster

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War: Doug Roussin.

Received and signed for on this date:


sept 15, 2015



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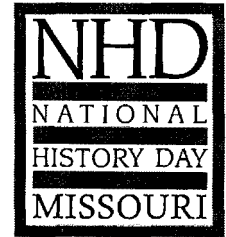
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STATE CONTEST SPECIAL PRIZES

*Please complete the online form to apply for special prizes at the state contest:
<http://www.nhdmo.org/special-prize-application.html>*

American Association of University Women, Women's History Prizes

Three (3) \$100 awards given to the best **junior and senior individual** entries on women's history in the **performance** category and the best **junior individual** entry on women's history in the **documentary** category. This prize is awarded by the American Association of University Women, a network of women and men dedicated to removing barriers that block women from full equality.

Digital Public Library of America (DPLA) Prize

One \$50 award to a **website** or **documentary** entry that best uses the Digital Public Library of America (DPLA) for significant source material. **PLEASE NOTE:** *Entries for the DPLA Prize are judged prior to the Saturday contest. Your process paper should describe your use of DPLA and the sources you located through DPLA. If you need more space than allowed for the process paper, please submit an additional document about your use of DPLA (less than 500 words) with the online application. Documentary entries must also submit a copy of your documentary to the National History Day in Missouri office.*

Dr. Howard Croteau Prize

One (1) \$100 award to the **winner** of the **junior individual documentary** category. This prize is given in memory of Dr. Howard Croteau by Dr. Shelly Croteau, NHDMO Region 4 Coordinator, and Kevin and Max Miller. [No need to apply; this award is given automatically.]

Folk History Prizes

One (1) \$75 award presented by the Missouri Folklore Society for the **best entry** in any division or category involving Missouri folklore, folk life, and/or folk history. An entry might include collections of songs or verbal lore from relatives or neighbors, a history of traditional skills or occupations based on interviews with those who practiced such crafts as well as on written sources, documentation of a family or community event such as a festival or reunion, traditional foods for special events, or a study of a local folk hero or legend.

Freedom's Frontier National Heritage Area Prize

One (1) \$50 award to the **best entry** in any division/category related to one of the three themes of Freedom's Frontier: Shaping the Frontier, Missouri/Kansas Border War, Enduring Struggles for Freedom in western Missouri and eastern Kansas. This prize is awarded by the Freedom's Frontier National Heritage Area.

Immigrants in Missouri Prize

One (1) \$100 award to the **best exhibit** documenting the contributions of an immigrant group to the history of Missouri, given by Adolf and Rebecca Schroeder of Columbia. The prize will encourage students to research not only the usual ethnic groups associated with the history of Missouri-- French, Germans, Native Americans, African Americans, and English—but also smaller and more recently arrived ethnic groups.

Jewish History Prizes

\$100 awards for up to two entries—**historical paper, documentary, or website**—on Jewish history, by the United Hebrew Congregation of Joplin and Temple Israel of Springfield, to encourage students of all backgrounds to investigate any period, setting, or aspect of the history of the Jewish people. **PLEASE NOTE:** *Entries for Jewish History prizes are judged prior to the Saturday contest. If you are submitting a documentary, please mail a copy to the National History Day in Missouri office.*

Local History Prize

One (1) \$100 award for a **paper** or **exhibit** that uses published or unpublished local government records, unpublished manuscript sources of a local nature, or local photograph collections. The award is presented by **Lynn Morrow**, former Director of the Local Records Program of the Missouri State Archives, and **Kristen Morrow**. This prize was established to encourage students to relate the theme of National History Day to a local topic and to advocate the use of local records in the research of that topic.

Missouri German Heritage Prize

One (1) \$100 award presented by the **German Heritage Archives** at The State Historical Society of Missouri for the **best entry** relating to German immigrant contributions to Missouri. Entries may focus on a community in Missouri founded by German immigrants; German-American achievements in the arts, agriculture, business or science; a German-American cultural or musical group; or an individual or family history.

Missouri History Prize

For the best **exhibit** dealing with the history of Missouri, either events or individuals. The winning exhibitor(s) will have their exhibit on display in the Missouri State Museum, which is located inside the Missouri State Capitol building in Jefferson City. This prize was established by the Missouri State Museum to encourage relating the theme of National History Day to a Missouri topic.

Missouri Humanities Council Prize

One (1) \$100 award to the **winner** of the **Historical Paper** category, given by the Missouri Humanities Council. In odd-numbered years this prize will be given to the Junior Historical Paper winner and in even-numbered years the prize will be given to the Senior Historical Paper winner. [No need to apply; this award is given automatically.]

Missouri Press Association Prize

A \$200 award for the **best entry** in any division or category that features the history of journalism, newspapers, or a journalist. This prize is established by the Missouri Press Association to encourage National History Day in Missouri scholars to explore the vibrant history captured by journalists and shared by the newspaper industry.

Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City Prize

One (1) \$100 award presented by the Native Sons and Daughters of Greater Kansas City for the **best entry** involving Kansas City area history. The prize may go to any student who studies a topic related to Kansas City area history.

Shoemaker, Floyd C., Prize

One (1) \$150 award for the best **senior historical paper** dealing with the history of Missouri, either its events or personalities. Shoemaker, secretary and director of The State Historical Society of Missouri (1915-1960), created this award to support the advancement of Missouri history in the universities, colleges, and high schools throughout the state.

Show-Me Prizes

Five (5) \$50 awards presented to the **best individual senior entries** in any category that showcase a significant development in Missouri and/or demonstrate how a Missourian contributed to significant events in national or international history. These awards are presented by The State Historical Society of Missouri's Bicentennial Committee. **PLEASE NOTE:** *Entries for Show-Me prizes are judged prior to the Saturday contest. In addition to the online entry form, please submit a copy of your documentary, a video of your performance, or video/photographs of your exhibit to the National History Day in Missouri office. Applicants for this prize grant The State Historical Society of Missouri a non-exclusive license to showcase their NHD project in promotions of Missouri's bicentennial.*

Strickland Memorial African-American History Prizes

Five (5) \$100 awards, one in each category, from an endowment established by Dr. Arvarh E. Strickland, Department of History, University of Missouri-Columbia to the **best entries** on African-American history. The award is open to both junior and senior divisions.

Contest Information

MO Regional Information

Maryville March 3, 2017

Kirksville

Projects due: TBA, 2017

Interviews: TBA, 2017

Greater Kansas City March 4, 2017

Columbia/Mid-Missouri

Docs, Websites, Papers February 17, 2017

Performance/Exhibits March 14, 2017

St. Louis February 25, 2017

Joplin March 10, 2017

Springfield February 24, 2017

Rolla February 24, 2017

Cape Girardeau March 10, 2017

MO State Information

**STATE CONTEST: April 29, 2017,
University of Missouri -- Columbia**

Visiting Columbia for State

National Information

**NATIONAL CONTEST: June 11-15, 2017,
University of Maryland -- College Park**

Visiting Maryland/D.C. for Nationals

AN ACT

To amend chapter 253, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to historic preservation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI,
AS FOLLOWS:

Section A. Chapter 253, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 253.414, to read as follows:

253.414. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Missouri Heritage Protection Act".

2. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Council", the Missouri advisory council on historic preservation;

(2) "Department", the department of natural resources;

(3) "Designated veterans' grave marker", any veteran grave marker that has been determined by a majority vote of the council to be of sufficient historical military significance to be designated for inclusion in the registry;

(4) "Historic property", as defined under section 253.395;

(5) "Historic site of significant military history", all sites currently recognized by the department as state historic sites with designations that are based, at least in part, on their significance to Missouri military history; these may include, but shall not be limited to, the Battle of Athens state historic site, the Battle of Lexington state historical site, the Confederate Memorial state historic site, the Fort Davidson state

historic site, and sites in honor of the French and Indian War, American Revolution, War of 1812, United States-Mexican War, the War Between the States, Spanish American War, the Mexican border period, World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict, the Vietnam War, Operation Urgent Fury (Grenada), Operation El Dorado Canyon (Libya), Operation Just Cause (Panama), Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm (Persian Gulf War I), Operation Enduring Freedom (Afghanistan), and Operation Iraqi Freedom (Persian Gulf War II);

(6) "Historical marker program", the program conducted by the council that qualifies any marker for which the design and narrative has been voluntarily submitted and approved by the council; is erected on state, municipal, or private property under procedures adopted by the council; and which commemorates the marking of the locations of sites, persons, and events significant in the history of Missouri including, but not limited to, military history;

(7) "Marker", any marker identified and recognized by the historical marker program;

(8) "Military monument or memorial", any monument, memorial, object of remembrance, or other designation, including a statue, portrait, plaque, seal, flag, symbol, building name, street name, historic site, or other real estate name, that:

(a) Honors a citizen or group of citizens of Missouri or honors a person or group of persons for military or war-related service conducted within or in the name of or on behalf of the state of Missouri or honors the soldiers as identified in section

253.110, or honors military veterans of the United States of America; and

(b) Is located and has been continuously, repeatedly, or permanently displayed in the state for a period of time exceeding two years or that has been included in the registry;

(9) "Park", as defined under section 253.010;

(10) "Permitted public ceremony", any act or series of acts by individuals, groups, or organizations that have been conducted by practice or tradition or as may be requested by individuals, groups, or organizations and approved by the council, after August 28, 2017, including temporary grave decorations, reenactments, meetings, or gatherings to honor and recognize a citizen or group of citizens as identified in paragraph (a) of subdivision (8) of this subsection;

(11) "Registry", a list of all state historic military monuments or memorials, markers, and designated veterans' grave markers that are located on state, municipal, private, or other land that have been voluntarily submitted and approved by the council for inclusion on the registry or statutorily designated monuments or memorials adopted by the general assembly for statutory inclusion on the registry. No site shall be designated and included on the registry without the written consent of the landowner or landowners in recordable form sufficiently describing the site so that it may be located on the ground. Such consent shall be recorded in the deed records of the county in which the land is located;

(12) "Statutorily designated monument or memorial", any

monument, memorial, or other designation, including a statue, portrait, plaque, seal, flag, symbol, building name, street name, historic site, or other real estate name that is adopted by the general assembly for statutory inclusion on the registry.

3. No agency, political subdivision, or entity with the power of eminent domain shall relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial on any site under the control of the department or otherwise located on state lands which are listed on the registry or amend any practice of permitted public ceremony on any registered state historic site without holding a public hearing and without a majority vote of the council approving the action to relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial, or any practice of permitted public ceremony on any state historic site. Prior to any such public hearing and vote of the council, the department shall provide public notice of the hearing, which notice shall be published in the Missouri Register at least sixty days prior to any action to seek the council's approval to relocate, rename, rededicate, erect, modify, remove, or otherwise disturb any such state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial or amend any practice

of permitted public ceremony on any state historic site, and the department shall publish a notice of such hearing once a week for two consecutive weeks in any newspaper qualified under section 493.050 to publish legal notices in the local area containing the site. The second notice shall be published at least ten days before the hearing is scheduled.

4. The provisions of subsection 3 of this section shall not apply to any agency, political subdivision, or entity responsible for maintaining any state historic military monument or memorial, any marker, any designated veterans' grave marker, or any statutorily designated monument or memorial from taking proper and appropriate measures and exercising proper and appropriate means for the protection, preservation, care, repair, or restoration of such historic military monument or memorial, marker, designated veterans' grave marker, or statutorily designated monument or memorial.

5. The provisions of subsection 3 of this section shall not apply to actions undertaken by the Missouri department of transportation.

6. (1) Any decision made under this section by the council may be appealed and in such instance shall be reviewed by the joint committee on administrative rules.

(2) The joint committee on administrative rules may meet at any time to review such appeal.



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Junior Vice Commander Report to the Department Business Meeting 15 October A. D. 2016

I would like to thank SVC Dale Crandell for his help and advice as I have moved into this role.

Since the Department Encampment (4 June 2016), we have had two membership applications received from Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief Day and one redirected from National Headquarters via David W. Demmy, Sr.

- ◇ Jason Pace Alteri (Centerton, Arkansas), applicant enrolled in Capt. G.N. Spradling Camp No. 72
- ◇ John David Jehle (Nixa, Missouri), applicant enrolled in Phelps Camp No. 66
- ◇ Martin Randall Jones (Mexico, Missouri), applicant enrolled in Columbia Tiger Camp No. 432

During Brother Crandell's tenure as SVC, Tim Westcott's membership application was processed and during my tenure he was mustered into Westport Camp #64.

Pursuant to past SVC Crandell's 4 June 2016 report about the loosely followed mustering-in policy, each prospective member's camp was given the steps from our department's *Policy and Procedures Manual* (see below for an example). I scan applications and documentation in case of loss in the mail. And, although provided with detailed camp rosters, I found some camp offices and individual e-mail addresses /phone numbers to be invalid. I passed some of these along to the Secretary.

At the National Encampment in Springfield, Illinois, I was provided a box of professional, glossy, tri-fold recruitment forms (SUVCW Form 70). Split among the active camps, each will receive 40-cdd forms. Queries to Camp Commanders about receiving their allowance through the mail was met with silence. They will be distributed during this business meeting (or another, if no camp representative is available).

One of the goals of the JVC is the retention of members.

- ◇ **Recommendation:** Promote the Life Member option. The benefits include no *per capita* national dues would be required from the individual. Also, a *Life Member* can be a member of multiple camps without concern about the *per capita* dues. The Life Membership can be paid during a one-year period with up to three different payments. It is pro-rated by age. See attached SUVCW Form 9.

Also, I have not made any progress on the Department's Membership-Camp Expansion Plan adopted at the Department October 2015 Business Meeting. I would appreciate some help and direction in this area.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Sumner G. Hunnewell, SVC Department of Missouri

Example of an e-mail to the camp JVC for a prospective member:

Greetings, Brother Joseph,

I have a membership application for Mr. Alteri, who lives in Centerton. Can you verify that you are the camp JVC? If so, I will forward you his application and check. If not, can you let me know who the camp JVC is?

Here are the policies in place for your reference.

1. Camp has 60 days to determine whether to accept the prospective member's application.

If the Camp accepts the prospective member, the Camp follows paragraph 200

200 New Membership Applications. Once a new member is accepted by a Camp, there is a six step intake process:

1. Camp forwards packet to the Department Secretary containing Form 30 Camp Status Reports (or Form 27 Camp Annual Reports), Form 3 Membership Applications, check for pro-rated National and Department per capita fees, and National application fee.

2. Camp e-mails confirmation of new member to the Department Junior Vice Commander and Department Secretary; and updates Camp roster.

3. Department Secretary forwards Camp's check to Department Treasurer and e-mail's request for Department Treasurer to forward check for pro-rated National per capital and National application fee.

4. Department Treasurer forwards check to Department Treasurer for pro-rated National per capital and National application fee.

5. Department Secretary completes the Form 30 (or Form 27), retaining copies for the Department records, adds Department check, and forwards the packet to National.

6. Department Secretary e-mails confirmation of new member to Camp and Department elected officers; and updates Department roster.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Yours in Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Sumner Hunnewell
Missouri Department JVC

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
LIFE MEMBER APPLICATION

(Associates and Juniors are not eligible)

Form 9 – Rev. 7/12

NAME: _____

(PRINT OR TYPE)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIPCODE: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ ANCESTOR'S NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____ REGIMENT OR SHIP: _____

RELATIONSHIP OF ANCESTOR TO APPLICANT: _____

CAMP: _____ DEPARTMENT: _____

ENCLOSED, FIND \$ (SEE FEE SCHEDULE BELOW) AS MY FIRST PAYMENT / FULL PAYMENT TO BE A **LIFE MEMBER** IN THE SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR. I HEREBY DECLARE THAT I WAS ADMITTED INTO THE SUVCW ON THE ____ DAY OF _____ AND THAT I AM A BROTHER IN GOOD STANDING.

DATE: _____

(SIGNATURE)

FEE SCHEDULE

Under 40	1,000.00
41-50	700.00
51-60	500.00
61-70	300.00
71 plus	230.00

Not less than one-third of the total fee shall accompany this application and the remainder shall be paid at the convenience of the Member within three (3) years from the date of the application. A Member is not considered to be a **Life Member** until the required fees are **paid in full**. If the full payment has not been received within three (3) years, the amount of payment that was submitted shall be designated as a donation to the Permanent Fund of the Order.

Life membership in the SUVCW excuses a Brother from all National per capita dues. It does not necessarily excuse him from paying Department level per capita dues or Camp level dues. The decision to levy Department per capita dues on Life Members is made by a Department Encampment. Likewise, the membership of a Camp determines if all, a portion of, or none of the dues will be required from a Life Member. Examples of each of these three variables can be found within the Order.

Make check or money-order payable to: Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Mail application and payment to:

SUVCW National HQ, 1 Lincoln Circle at Reservoir Park, Suite 240 (Nat'l Civil War Museum Bldg.),
Harrisburg PA 17103-2411.

Previous versions of this form are void.

Form 9 – Rev. 7/12 Copyright 2003-2012 SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR,
A Congressionally Chartered Corporation

219 Altar Repair	\$200.00	\$250.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
220 Management Reserve						\$170.00		
221 New Camp Charter						\$25.00		
222 Frame New Camp Charter	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$80.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Reimburse Per Capita								\$47.00
223 Overpayments								\$128.00
224 Benevolent Fund								\$128.00
TOTAL	\$1,416.01	\$1,820.00	\$1,161.04	\$1,720.00	\$883.90	\$2,680.00	\$789.50	

NET INCOME \$1,682.00 \$315.96 \$48.00 \$563.53 (\$136.50) \$762.88

1 Commander badge currently in inventory

NOTE: Following expenses not in budget

DATE	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	Rec'd	Paid Out	U.S. Bank Checking	Montgomery Checking	Montgomery CD
6/17/2015	check 2050	Spradling Camp Per Capita Fees for New Member John Means II	\$27.25				
6/17/2015	check 1716	Joe Rainey Payment for Per Capita Fees for New Member Brian Robbin (McPherson Camp)	\$27.25				
6/19/2015	check 2003	Phelps Camp Payment Per Capita Fees for New Members Calvin Asay & Roger Assay	\$68.00				
6/20/2015	check 188	Cher Petrovic - Payment for Framed Certificates of Appreciation, Meritorious Awards, Blair Awards, and Matt and Frame for new Charter for Abraham Lincoln Camp.		\$190.00		-\$190.00	
6/22/2015	check 189	Don Palmer - Reimbursement for Show Me and GAR Awards		\$159.75		-\$159.75	

6/25/2015	Check 224	National "SUVCW- New Brother Applicatio Fee and Pro-rated National Per Capita Fees for new Brothers John Means, Brian Robbins, Roger Assay, and Calvin Assay	\$89.00	-\$89.00	
6/25/2015	Check 225	VFW Post 2654 - Civil War Monument Restoration in Moberly, MO	\$100.00	-\$100.00	
6/25/2015	Check 226	Phelps Camp - Refund for overpayment of per capita fees for two new members	\$14.50	(14.50)	
6/25/2015	Check 227	Westport Camp - Refund for overpayment of per capita fees due to death of Billy Brant	\$29.00	-\$29.00	
6/26/2015	Check 228	U.S. Bank-Transfer of funds to U.S. Bank in Ste. Genevieve from Montgomery Bank in Webster Groves	\$4,000.00	-\$4,000.00	
6/26/2015		Checkbook and Treasurer books turned over to Gary Scheel			

6/26/2015	Deposit	Montgomery Bank- Transfer of funds to checking account established at U.S. Bank in Ste. Genevieve	\$4,000.00		\$4,000.00		
6/30/2015	Interest	Interest - CD	\$1.14		\$1.14		\$1.14
7/21/2015	Deposit	Check from Michael Lundeen for 5 Eagle Scout Coins and Postage	\$30.00		\$30.00		
7/21/2015	Check 251	General McPherson Camp. Reimbursement of funds	\$385.74		-\$385.74		
7/31/2015	Deposit	Westport Check # 1114 \$73.00 Spraudling Check # 2052 \$27.25	\$100.25		\$100.25		
7/31/2015	Check 252	National SUVCW Membership dues and fees. From Westport (3) & Spraudling (1)	\$83.25		-\$83.25		
7/31/2015	Interest	Interest - US Bank Checking	\$0.17		\$0.17		
8/16/2015	Check 253	Bob Petrovic- Invoice #8778, 2 shirts, and 1 Calligraphy for Lincoln Camp Charter	\$105.00		-\$105.00		
8/31/2015	Debit Card	Jones School Supply Co. 1 embosser hand held, 100 2" Gold Seals	\$108.15		-\$108.15		
8/31/2015	Interest	Interest - US Bank Checking	\$0.16		\$0.16		

9/4/2015	Deposit	Fletcher Camp - Application fees & pro rated per capita dues for one new member	\$22.25		\$22.25			
9/4/2015	Check 254	National SUVcW Membership dues and fees. From Fletcher Camp		\$16.50		-\$16.50		
9/4/2015	Check 255	National Organization SUVcW Quartermaster. 1 neck ribbon Red & postage		\$13.75		-\$13.75		
9/28/2015	Deposit	Lincoln Camp #2, \$22.50 Kartheiser dues. Paid \$3.00 to much. And Westport Camp Website Donation. \$30.	\$52.50			\$52.50		
9/28/2015	Check #256	National Organization SUVcW. Dues for Kartheiser, Lincoln Camp #2		\$16.50		-\$16.50		
9/28/2015	Check #257	Abraham Lincoln Camp #2. Reimburse overpayment see deposit 9/28/15		\$3.00		-\$3.00		
9/30/2015	Interest	Interest-US Bank Checking	\$0.14			\$0.14		
9/30/2015	Interest	Interest-Montgomery CD	\$1.15				\$1.15	9/18/15
10/20/2015	Deposit	Camp #17 Transfer Member Emmett Taylor. Reinstatement dues and fees/Walt Busch purchased 15-2007 Shirts	\$57.00			\$57.00		

10/20/2015	Check #258	National Organization SUVCW. Dues and fees for transfer/reinstatement of Camp #17 Member Emmett Taylor	\$33.00	-\$33.00		
10/30/2015	Interest	Interest	\$0.14	\$0.14		
11/2/2015	Deposit	Camp #64, Supplemental, Camp #68 one new member, Camp # 432 four new members	\$67.25	\$67.25		
11/2/2015	Check # 259	National Organization SUVCW. Dues and fees for 1 Westport, 1 Grant and 4 Tiger Camps	\$58.75	-\$58.75		
11/2/2015	Cancelled	Outstanding Check #222 to the Department of the Chesapeake never cashed.	\$40.00		\$40.00	
11/2/2015	Check #229	Montgomery Bank Checking transfer to U.S. Bank Checking via Check #229	\$2,405.95		-\$2,405.95	
11/2/2015	Deposit	Montgomery Bank Checking account closed. Check #229	\$2,405.95	\$2,405.95		
11/28/2015	Deposit	Check#1005 Genr McPherson Camp#1 Dues for Paul Dolly	\$21.50	\$21.50		

3/31/2016	Interest	Montgomery Bank CD	\$0.54				\$0.54
4/27/2016	Deposit	Grant #68, \$870.00; McNeil #62, \$406.00	\$1,276.00			\$1,276.00	
4/29/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.25			\$0.25	
5/9/2016	Deposit	Fletcher #47, \$416; Grant #68, \$29; Dale Cradall \$19; Fletcher #47, \$5; Wilhelmi #17, \$412; Grant #68, \$29; Sherman #65, \$725; Westport #64, \$764; McCormick #215, \$348; McPherson #1, \$238; Tigers #432, \$522.	\$3,507.00			\$3,507.00	
5/21/2016	Deposit	Grant #68, \$19; Phelps #66, \$701; Tiger #432, \$50 10 Eagle Scout Coins; Bob Petrovic, Encampment Reg. \$7; Jack Grothe, Encampment Reg. & Lunch \$19; McPherson #1, \$28; Encamp T&I Donation, \$20 cash; \$5 cash McPherson #1	\$849.00	\$0.00		\$849.00	
5/27/2016	Deposit	D. Palmer, \$38, 2 Encamp & Lunch; Pechman, \$19, 1 Encamp & Lunch, \$19; M. Aubuchon, \$19, 1 Encamp & Lunch; Grant #68, \$34, Dues & Fees; St. James #324, \$34.01, 19 Folders	\$144.01			\$144.01	
5/27/2016	Check #263	National Organization SUVCW Department Per Capita	-\$4,890.00	\$4,890.00		-\$4,890.00	

5/31/2016	Interest	U. S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.42		\$0.42		
6/6/2016	Check #264	Anthony Krantz Dept. of MO Outstanding JROTC Cadet Awardee	\$200.00				-\$200.00
6/17/2016	Check #265	Cher Petrovic Invoice #505928 Certificates, Blair Award, Meriterous Service and 2 Commendation.	\$8.00				-\$8.00
6/17/2016	Check #266	American Gold Label & Printing- Dept Encampment Ribbons	\$41.00				-\$41.00
6/17/2016	Check #267	U.S. Grant Camp #68 Reimburse for the payment of Don Shaw Expenses	\$50.00				-\$50.00
6/17/2016	Check #268	Walt Busch Encampment Expenses reimbursement. \$112.25 Joe Boccardi's; \$24.26, Walgreens, Soda and Beer; \$11.25, Secretary of State Annual Registration	\$147.96				-\$147.96
6/20/2016	Deposit	Encampment, McPherson Camp, \$10; Tiger Camp, Dues \$29; Bob Hammack, \$10; Randal Burd, \$10; Glen Alsop, \$10; Doug Roussin, \$19; Bryan Bradford, \$14; Spradling Camp Dues, \$161.	\$298.00				\$298.00

6/30/2016	DEPOSIT		St. James #326, Kist Dues, \$19.50; Phelps #66, Reinstatement for 5 members. Kyle, Gallion, Stanton, Asay, Asay,	\$214.50		\$214.50			
6/30/2016	Interest		U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.34		\$0.34			
6/30/2016	Interest		Montgomery Bank CD	\$1.57		\$1.57			\$1.57
7/13/2016	Check #269		Abe Lincoln Camp #2; Reimburse Per Capita over payment		\$12.00				-\$12.00
7/13/2016	Check #270		Maj. Francis Wilhelmi Camp #17 Reimburse Per Capita over payment		\$6.00				-\$6.00
7/13/2016	Check # 271		General U.S. Grant Camp #68, Reimburse Per Capita over payment		\$29.00				-\$29.00
7/14/2016	Check #272		National Organization SUVCW. Phelps Camp # 66, 5 Reinstatements of members		\$165.00				-\$165.00
7/14/2016	Check #273		Dept. of Illinois, SUVCW 2016 National Encampment Program Book Ad		\$40.00				-\$40.00
7/18/2016	Check #274		James Dixon June & July Website to Weebly Business site		\$58.00				-\$58.00

7/18/2016	Check #275	National Organization SUVCW Dues & Fees; Westport Camp #64, Westcott; St. James Camp #326, Kist	\$33.00	-\$33.00		
7/18/2016	DEPOSIT	Westport Camp #64, Dues and Fees for new member Westcott	\$19.50	\$19.50		
.	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.30	\$0.30		
8/10/2016	DEPOSIT	St. James #326 Dues and fees for 4 new members Jackson & Kassen boys.	\$78.00	\$78.00		
8/10/2016	Check #276	National Organization SUVCW Dues & Fees; St. James Camp #326 2 Jackson & 2 Kassen boys.	-\$66.00	-\$66.00		
8/10/2016	Check #277	Randal Burd Reimbursement of flowers purchased for Real Son Garland Pool in Bolivar, MO	-\$62.98	-\$62.98		
8/29/2016	DEPOSIT	Spraliding Camp #72 Capita Dues	\$52.50	\$52.50		

8/29/2016	Check #278	National Organization SUVCW Spradling Camp #72 2016 Per Capita Tax Reinstatement		-\$161.00	-\$161.00		
8/29/2016	Check #279	Camp #72 Capt GN Spradling SUVCW Reimburse overpayment		-\$10.50	-\$10.50		
9/4/2016	Check #280	Clinton Willis Benevolent Fund		-\$128.00	-\$128.00		
9/9/2016	Interest	U.S. Bank Checking Account	\$0.28		\$0.28		
8/15/2016	Direct Withdrawal via Debit Card	Weebly Business site fee for 2 years Found out on 9/9/16		-\$469.00	-\$469.00		
		TOTALS	\$21,398.89	\$20,180.99	\$6,036.18	\$0.00	\$1,148.37

Account Totals

Checking Account	\$0.00
Checking Account U.S. Bank	\$6,036.18
CD	\$1,148.37
Cash/Checks on Hand	\$0.00
TOTAL ALL ACCOUNTS	\$7,184.55

Yellow Highlights (in digital copy) indicate items that have not cleared the bank

Interest 9/9/2016
Transfer date 9/9/2016

Earmarked Funds
Past Commanders Fund \$1,590.56

Treasurer's Report Respectfully Submitted

CD & US

Benevolent Fund	\$0.00
Total Earmarked Funds	<u>\$1,590.56</u>
Total Undesignated General Funds	\$5,593.99
(Total Funds Minus Earmarked Funds)	

Gary L. Scheel PCC 5/27/16