

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
Department of Missouri including Arkansas Business Meeting
Missouri River Regional Library
Jefferson City, Missouri
Saturday, 5 March 2022

In Attendance: Department Commander Gary L. Scheel of St. James Camp #326; Department Jr. Vice Commander Bryan P. Bradford of Tiger Camp #432; Secretary/Treasurer Edward Krieser, PCinC of Phelps Camp #66; Department Council Member Randal A. Burd Jr., PDC of Fletcher Camp #47; Council Member Dale Crandell, PDC of Westport Camp #64; Council Member Robert Aubuchon of Grant Camp #68; Donald Palmer, PCinC of Grant Camp #68; Glen Alsop, PDC of Wilhelmi Camp #17; Sumner Hunnewell, PDC of Fletcher Camp #47; Pete Oetting, CC of Lillie Camp #6; Stephen J. Stark of Lillie Camp #6; Frank Wallemann of Lillie Camp #6; Samuel Bushman of Lillie Camp #6. Also present were Billy and Jacque Meyer as guests. Three members also attended via Zoom. They were Walt Busch, PDC of Grant Camp #68; John Avery, PDC of Grant Camp #68 and Joe Rainey, CC of Mc person Camp #1. Total of 13 Brothers present and 3 via Zoom.

Meeting opened at 10:00am with Opening Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call of Department Officers. Sr. Vice Commander Robert Amsler was excused.

Joe Rainey reported on new camps in Arkansas.

Officer reports from Commander Gary Scheel and Jr. Vice Commander Bryan Bradford. There were no recommendations.

Minutes of 16 October 2021 Department meeting were on the Department Website. Ed Krieser moved to approve, and Glen Alsop seconded. Motion passed. Financial report was distributed and explained by Ed Krieser. There was question on what to do with the CD. It was decided that Ed would talk to Walt Busch and Marty Aubuchon on what to do with it and report back at the Department Encampment.

Dale Crandell's ROTC Coordinator Report Recommendation to, "authorize the Department Patriotic Instructor/ROTC Coordinator to seek approval from SUVCW Council of Administration for approval to alter the SUVCW ROTC medal by attaching a bronze leaf or bronze star for recipients of the Department's JROTC Outstanding Cadet competition." Seconded and passed.

Motion by Randal Burd to amend Section 101 of the Policy and Procedures Manual as follows:

FROM

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TO

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Pete Oetting spoke on the Laclede Monument.

Don Palmer spoke on the April 2 Activity at the Shiloh National Battlefield and National Cemetery.
Motion by Walt Busch to take out full page add in National Encampment. \$40.00 to be paid from account that Walt has. It was seconded and passed.

Pete Oetting then spoke on the National Cemetery and caretakers house in Jefferson City.

Motion by Walt Busch, “since we have the National Encampment win fall, I recommend that to conserve it as best possible that we require any monument funds requested from it, must show that there is paperwork submitted to National SUVCW &/or the SUVCW Charitable Foundation requesting they provide funding.” It was seconded and passed.

Commander Gary Scheel recognized Sumner Hunnewell, PDC as receiving the SUVCW Charitable Foundation Bronze Centennial Medal.

Randal Burd moved to establish an Outstanding ROTC or Humanities Scholarship Award Fund at \$200.00 each year. If it is not awarded that year, it be rolled over to the next year and \$200.00 be added each year. Motion was seconded and passed.

Randal Burd moved that an Award for Outstanding ROTC or Humanities Scholarship be capped at \$700.00 maximum. Motion was seconded and passed.

Bryan Bradford moved to adjourn. Seconded and passed.

Closing prayer.

Meeting was adjourned by Department Commander Gary Scheel.

Respectfully submitted,
Edward J. Krieser, PCinC
Missouri Department, Secretary/Treasurer

Walt Busch Reports for March 3-4-2022 Meeting

Walt's Journey to Nirvana (not the rock band)

- 10/1-2/2021 Walt, Don, Marty & Bob Aubuchon, and Craig Mathews attend Central Region Assoc Meeting in Murphysboro IL. Attend Monument Dedication. Craig and Walt take pics to Record monument. Walt and Craig take pics of John Logan and Mary Logan monument At the Middle School.
- 10/4/2021 Take pictures of CW Monument at Winnebago Co Courthouse & 2 at Clear Lake in Iowa
- 10/12/2021 US Grant Camp Meeting – I'm not there.
- 10/24/2021 Sherman Day at Calvary Cemetery, 25 people.
- 11/11/2021 Veterans' Day Ceremony at JB – about 35 people
- 11/16/2021 US Grant Camp Meeting
- 11/27/2021 Update Chas Patterson SV Commander file with new info
- 12/4/2021 Gave talk at Hecker Camp in Belleville
- 12/6/2021 Zoom Meeting with Monument Grants Committee
- 12/7/2021 Form 22 Submitted to Dept Secretary
- 1/4/2022 Walt submitted 990-Ns for the Department, Camp and our SVR Unit & provided to Dept Sec.
- 1/11/2022 US Grant Camp meeting – Back at Fraileys
- 1/21/2022 Walt submits 4th Q Grant Camp report
- 2/8/2022 US Grant Camp Meeting
- 2/14/2022 Bob Aubuchon & Walt at US Grant NHS (White Haven) setting up events for April 9 & 10 and July 23 for the 157th Anniversary of Appomattox & His Death, Remembrance Day.
- 2/14/2022 Bob Aubuchon & Walt at Jefferson Barracks submitting forms for events on Memorial Day and for 56th USCT Ceremony in September
- 2/16/2022 Walt & Sumner take pictures of Sherman Business Marker office in St. Louis
- 3/1/2022 Bob Aubuchon & Walt met with person to try to come up with a memorial "park" next to Sherman's Grave
- 3/8/2022 Grant Camp Meeting at Walt's House. Non-Members Invited!**

Assistant Secretary/Treasurer:

- Forwarded 990-N from McNeil Camp to Secretary.
- Created form for Shiloh Event. Taking money in for it (keeping track to pay back the main Account).

Resale Marketing Quartermaster:

This is the inventory prior to today's split up of items.
Here is the list

Challenge Coins	Encampment Medals	Allied Orders Medals	Goody Bags	Shirts	Black Face Masks	Encampment Books	Souvenir Medals	Wine Glasses	Last GAR Burial Ribbons	Vicksburg Coins
21	153	0	59	28	197	37	137	26	12	62

I split up 11 bags as follows.

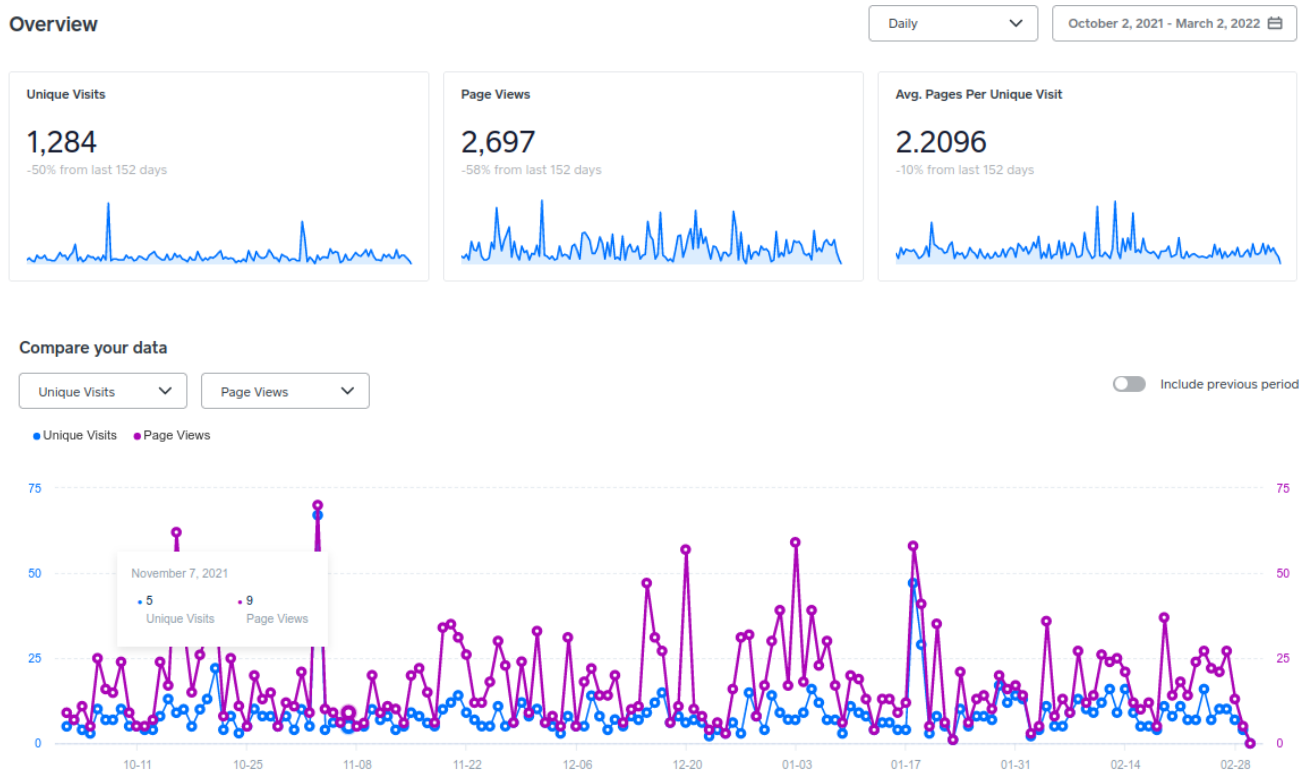
1 challenge coin
5 Encampment Medals
2 Goody Bags
1 Shirt
2 Encampment Books

4 Souvenir Medals
1 Wine Glass
1 GAR Burial Ribbon
2 Vicksburg Challenge Coins

I also have brought along the black face masks and Coozies in the hopes we can split them up as well. If not and we want to hold onto the masks to bring to each meeting we can do that as well. Coozies hopefully can be gotten rid of today!

Unionist Editor – Final Report: My last *Unionist* was sent out by e-mail on 31 Dec 2021. The duties are now turned over to Randal Burd Jr. I have one piece of software to turn over to him Adobe PDF Editor 8.0 that we bought over 10 years ago. I am also turning over to him a USB stick with the doc & pdf copies of past Unionists. Sometimes they come in handy. I hope Randal brings us many Marshall Hope awards.

Signals Officer: Some e-mail updates. Website updates including changing copyright date to 2022.



Emails -

1. I will be assigning the each camp secretary to a new e-mail address that the camp can use to contact people and advertise without fear of having their e-mail hi-jacked. I will post them on the webpages we have for each camp. I will do this after the new election info is copied to me.
2. Isaac Murphy Camp – I don't have info on them so no e-mail addresses.

We have 78 e-mail forwarding addresses currently in use. Because we have kept our domains up to date, we have 200 **free** e-mail addresses. If we ever lapse we will have to start paying for them every month at a cost of about \$1 each/month.

E-Mails User Name	extensions due to # of members
campcommanders@suvcwmo.org	Camp commanders 1 & 2
campjvcs@suvcwmo.org	
camporganizer@suvcwmo.org	
campsecretaries@suvcwmo.org	Camp secretaries 1 & 2
commander@suvcwmo.org	
commanders@suvcwmo.org	
councils@suvcwmo.org	Department Councils
dcrandell@suvcwmo.org	
deptcommander@suvcwmo.org	
deptcouncils@suvcwmo.org	
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deptsecretary@suvcwmo.org	
deptsignals@suvcwmo.org	
deptsvc@suvcwmo.org	
depttreasurer@suvcwmo.org	
droussin@suvcwmo.org	
fletcher@suvcwmo.org	fletcher1 & 2
grant@suvcwmo.org	grant1 thru 6
gscheel@suvcwmo.org	
james@suvcwmo.org	alternative to stjames@suvcwmo.org
jdixon@suvcwmo.org	
jvc@suvcwmo.org	
lillie@suvcwmo.org	lillie 1 & 2
mcneil@suvcwmo.org	
mcperson@suvcwmo.org	mcperson 1 & 2
officers@suvcwmo.org	General Officers
patriot@suvcwmo.org	
pcinc@suvcwmo.org	only Past C-in-Cs
pdc@suvcwmo.org	pdc 1 & All PDCs
phelps@suvcwmo.org	phelps 1 & 2
rotc@suvcwmo.org	
rpetrovic@suvcwmo.org	
secretary@suvcwmo.org	
spradling@suvcwmo.org	spradling 1
stjames@suvcwmo.org	stjames 1 & 2
svc@suvcwmo.org	
tiger@suvcwmo.org	tiger 1
treasurer@suvcwmo.org	

unionist@suvchwmo.org	
usgrant68@suvchwmo.org	Used for e-mails to camp
wbusch@suvchwmo.org	
webmaster@suvchwmo.org	
westport64@suvchwmo.org	Used for e-mails to camp
westport@suvchwmo.org	westport 1 thru 3
wilhelmi@suvchwmo.org	wilhelmi 1 & 2

Monuments, GAR/SUVCW Record

Took Pictures of 5 Monuments – all out of state.

Added 5 monuments to the website that I've been sitting on a while (due to the National Encampment). One was from Brian Smarker.

Added one marker – 2-16-2022 Sumner and I took pictures of the marker on Broadway of Sherman's Business Office in St. Louis.

The German-American Consortium in St Louis is working on restoring the round bas-relief sections of the Col. Hecker Monument in Benton Park. Grant Camp is part of the work on this and we are also working with Hecker Camp in Belleville, IL, to provide informational markers at Benton Park and at Hecker's gravesite or nearby town.

I have not heard anything on how the repairs to the GAR monument in Laclede Missouri are going.

Updated Charles Patterson SV Commander file with new info.

Nothing else concerning historical records. I am finally done with a lot of work and now processing more monument records etc. So, I will post them as needed on the web.

DEPARTMENT ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEE:

As head of the committee for department encampments I would like to thank Bryan Bradford for his work on trying to get an encampment in Columbia. Unfortunately, I was unable to resolve us paying over \$300 for the Legion Hall and also finding reasonable accommodations (rooms for members) in the area.

I tried checking out not only Columbia, but also Boonville, Kingdom City, and Fulton. I could not find decent rates for a meeting room & lodging combined. For this reason, I checked Jefferson City and the Best Western Plus there. I knew they had a meeting room as I had attended regular meetings there when I was a ranger. Below is a contract for a room set up for 40 people (I know it will seat more if need be). The hotel can be had right now for rates of \$117 before taxes. HOWEVER, I was told by Mr. Grogan (below) that if I can guarantee at least 10 room nights we can get a discounted rate (ex. Gov't discount is at \$101.00). So, do we have enough people willing to take a room for one or more nights so that I can get a discounted rate for the group? **The contract for this meeting room has been signed.**

Friday Evening...Do we want a social get-together? We aren't far from our Mexican restaurant. Das Stein Haus is less than a mile over the overpass. It's been a while since I've been there, but their Irish Coffee had 1/2 thick creme floating on the coffee and was to die for as was their French Onion soup. Here is their menu <http://dassteinhaus.info/services...>As you can see, their menu is much more than German.

What do we want for lunch? We should have enough space in the meeting room that we could get Pizza, Subway, Jimmy Johns (yuck), or something delivered in.

Also, for your officers. Mr. Grogan runs a management company that is aggressively trying to get local motels/hotels to use their services in Missouri. Right now, we could get a hotel in St. Charles (no meeting room) or a hotel in Kirksville (with meeting room). We need to keep his info. He is willing to give us good rates and hopefully by next year may have more hotels in Missouri. I do not want to run this committee again, so someone needs to step up. My recommendation to my successor and the department is that since we have Arkansas Camps, we really ought to only consider meeting places along I-44 and south.

NOTE: I have only heard from four people about this. Two are good with pretty much everything/anything decided and will be there Friday night. Don Palmer suggested the Prison Brewery on Friday night instead of Das Stein Haus. That's about it! I have only heard from Ed Krieser, Dale Crandell, Gary Scheel and me about staying Friday night. That is not enough for room discount rates.

I need the commander or someone to find out who is attending from National so I can contact them about room arrangements.

SO,

- 1. Shall we have a Friday night meal?**
- 2. Shall we group order food that morning, all go out for lunch, or provide a list of restaurants that people can order from and get delivery around lunch?**

GRANT CAMP REPORT:

- I am afraid we may be losing 12 members in 2022. I've sent out membership renewals and 9 have not yet responded. 2 have responded advising they are dropping, 2 have passed away.
- We have picked up 3 new members (one under 40) and two more have expressed interest and sent in forms, but as of yet no payment. Our new members are Jay Evans (associate), Gunner Decker (under 40); and Dan Woodruff.
- On another membership note, we now have 14 life members.
- We are running on April 9 & 10 a genealogical table with recruiting info at US Grant NHS (White Haven) during the 157th Anniversary of Appomattox event.
- We are working on creating a "plaza" in the area of Sherman's Grave. We should begin selling "memory" bricks this year. We will be selling some larger one that the SUVCW or other logos can be put on. Costs have yet to be determined.
- Sherman Remembrance Day at Calvary Cemetery on 13 March at 1PM. The Daughters are joining us in this event. [attachment to report].

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

SUVCW Property Forms [See attachments]. Wasn't a committee appointed to review and give this up or down vote? If not, when will we review this.

WALT'S GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS (CALL THEM MOTIONS FOR OLD BUSINESS):

1. Why hasn't the Show-Me Award for Catherine Bell been made and presented to her?

The time lapse is embarrassing. If it has not been made, I move we immediately make it so that Westport Camp can present it to her (if they are still willing to do so). [Note: If need be give me a budget for it and I will have Arch Engraving make it for us.]

WALT'S GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS (CALL THEM MOTIONS FOR NEW BUSINESS):

1. We revised the policy that e-mails to the membership at large have to have the approval of three officers. I recommend that we say that all e-mails going out to all department members, unless it is an emergency e-mail coming from our department commander, must be sent through the department secretary. My reasoning on this is that most e-mails at the national level go out through the chief of staff. We have none and correspondence is generally conducted through a secretary. This allows for spelling and other errors in department order or correspondence to have a better chance of being caught so as not to embarrass us. I would also recommend that misuse of department group e-mail addresses by any member of the department can be punished as per department and national by-laws.
2. Motion: Since we have the national encampment win fall, I recommend that to conserve it as best as possible that we require any monument funds requested from it, must show that there is paperwork submitted to national SUVCW &/or the SUVCW Charitable Foundation requesting they provide funding.
3. Motion that ROTC/JrROTC, Eagle Scout, and History Paper/Humanities Scholarship often have funds that are unused from year-to-year. These funds have been approved to grow but there is no limit on them. Motion that we limit the total given out to any one awardee to be no more than \$700. That is a worthy amount. If an award is given for, say, a Humanities Scholarship and the family is known to be a poor family, I would have no problem voting at that time to give them a little more money to assist with travel expenses to receive the award.



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Approved This _____ of _____, 2021.

Department Commander

Attested by - Secretary



Department of Missouri – Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War
PROPERTY INVENTORY FORM

I attest that this is property held by me and that it is owned by the
Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

Dated: Signed:

Print Name:

I have reviewed the property in the possession of this member and approve of his holding our property:

Dated: Signed:

Print Name:

Submitted to the Department of Missouri Secretary on

Notes:

1. Some members may have property that belongs to a camp and also have other property belonging to the department of Missouri. Separate forms should be filled out on both.
2. This form should be filled out for all property that a member has that is possessed by him.
3. It is recommended that artifacts have pictures taken of them annually and submitted along with the form so that any deterioration may be noted and action, if necessary, be taken.

The department of Missouri recognizes that possession of camp or department property is a responsibility that a member has taken upon himself. We thank the member who has done so and only ask that he takes this responsibility as seriously as possible. You are honoring the boys in blue and the care you provide helps ensure our efforts to preserve artifacts and provide educational opportunities to future generations.



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Department Commander

Attested by - Secretary



DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI - SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

ARTICLES OF GIFT

Accession Number (if applicable) _____ **Page** ____ **of** _____

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I/we, the undersigned, _____
of the County of _____, State of _____

hereinafter referred to as Donor(s), do hereby unconditionally set over and transfer unto the Missouri Department, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, hereinafter referred to as Donee, and such other successor organizations as may hereinafter accede to the authority now exercised by such Donee, my/our property described on this sheet or on attached sheets to be used and/or disposed of by said Donee and its unrestricted discretion, and for myself/ourselves, my/our distributees, and my/our personal representatives, /we waive all present or future rights in, to, or over said property, its use or disposition (including copyright, trademark, and residual rights).

In addition, I/we certify that:

- to the best of my/our knowledge, I/we have good and complete right and title to said property.
- I/we did not violate any local, state, federal or international law upon acquiring said property
- I/we have read, understood, and agreed to the conditions listed below.

The Donor(s) agrees that:

- The Articles of Gift represent an agreement between the Donee and the Donor(s) named on the face hereof. any variation in the terms noted must be in writing on the face of this form and approved in writing by all parties
- Gifts to the Donee may be deductible from taxable income in accordance with the provisions of federal and state income tax law. However, the Donee's employees cannot give appraisals for the purpose of establishing the tax-deductible value of donated items. Evaluations must be secured by the Donor at his/her/their expense.
- The Donor received no goods or services in consideration of this gift.
- Limited exhibition space and conservation concerns do not allow Donee to guarantee the exhibition of any object

DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT(S): (CONTINUE ON REVERSE AS NEEDED)

Intent of the Camp/Department:

DONOR'S SIGNATURE		DATE
DONOR'S ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE		DONOR'S PHONE NUMBER ()
DONOR'S SIGNATURE (MORE THAN TWO OWNERS WILL REQUIRE ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES)		DATE
DONOR'S ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE		DONOR'S PHONE NUMBER ()
WITNESS SIGNATURE		DATE
SUVCW Member Signature	SUVCW Title	DATE
Camp or Department Commander Signature		



DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
ARTICLES OF BAILMENT

This agreement made and entered into this _____ day of _____, 20____,
by and between _____
of (street) _____

City _____ Zip _____

of the Cunty of _____ and State of _____,
hereinafter referred to as the bailor, and the Missouri Department, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, hereinafter
referred to as the bailee.

WITNESSETH, That the bailor hereby agrees to bail and loan unto the bailee, and such other successor organizations as
may hereafter accede to the authority now exercised by the bailee, the following described personal property of the
bailor.

Additional Description (if needed)

It is mutually agreed by and between the parties hereto that such bailment shall be for _____
(A specified time period not to exceed one (1) year) from the date of this instrument, unless terminated by
the bailee, and upon expiration of the loan period shall continue until terminated by the will of either party.

It is further understood and agreed by and between the parties hereto that the bailee shall be responsible only
for the exercise of ordinary care in the protection and preservation of the above-described personal property,
in accordance with standard museum storage and exhibition techniques.

It is further understood and agreed by the parties hereto that the bailee shall send notice of termination of
such bailment by United States certified mail to the bailor or to any successor in the bailor's interest in the
above-described personal property whose name may be communicated to the bailee by the bailor, or his
administrators, executors or successors, at the address last so communicated to the bailee. In case such notice
shall be returned to the bailee undelivered, the bailee shall be authorized to dispose of said personal property
in any manner the bailee may deem proper no sooner than ninety days after such notice is returned to the
bailee.

It is further agreed and understood by and between the parties hereto that this contract shall not be binding
upon any individual agent of the bailee nor upon any member thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The parties hereto have set their hands this _____ day of _____, **20**_____.

WITNESSES	MISSOURI DEPT, SUVCW
1)	BY BAILEE
2)	BY BAILOR

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the Grand Army of the Republic, you can visit:

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War suvvw.org

Woman's Relief Corps womansreliefcorps.org

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asuvvw.org

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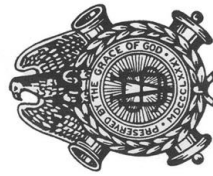
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logansbrigade.org/

Check out these sites to learn more about our organizations and our dedication to preserve the memory of the Union soldiers who lived and fought to preserve our great Union. Join us as we honor our veterans!

Finally, thank you to Calvary Cemetery for allowing us to hold this event.

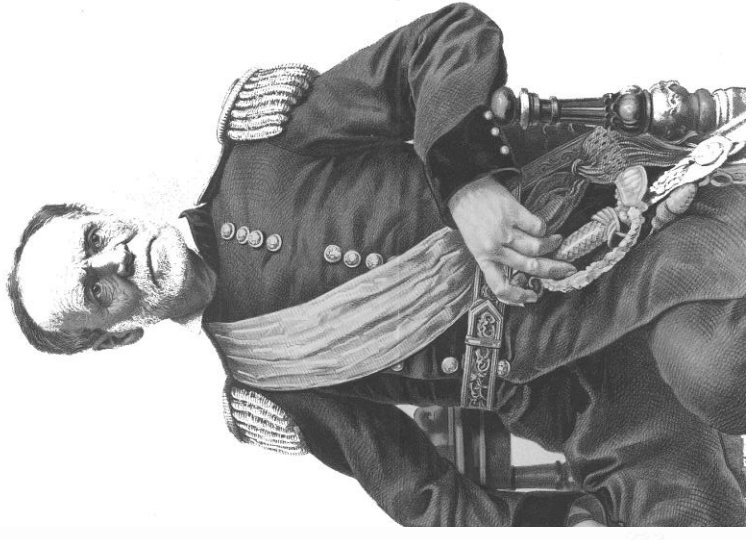


The Five Allied Orders of the Grand Army of the Republic

Fellowship dinner to follow at **SCHLAFLY TAPROOM**,
2100 Locust St, St Louis, MO 63103. All invited.

For information on Sherman's Ransom Post 131 G.A.R.
www.suvvwmo.org/uploads/3/0/9/6/30960503/131_ransom.pdf

General William Tecumseh Sherman Remembrance at Calvary Cemetery 13 March, 2022 1pm



Procession with Pipes
Retiring Old Colors – Hoisting New

Pledge of Allegiance

Led by Past Missouri Department Commander Wait Busch, Master of Ceremonies

Prayer

Monseigneur Michael Witt, US Grant Camp Chaplain

Welcome, Introduction of Special Guests &

“*The Brief History of Our Sherman Remembrance Day*”

By Past Missouri Commander SUVCW Walter Busch

“*The General’s Family*”

Joan Koechig

Missouri Department President, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War 1861-1865

Group Singing: *While We Were Marching Through Georgia*

“*Our Tent’s Ancestors Who Marched To The Sea*”

By Patricia Baehr, Tent Council,

Julia Dent Grant Tent #16, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War 1861-1865

“*Sherman & Grant (and Schofield) in St. Louis*”

by Greg Wolk

SUVCW Life Member; Heritage Programs Coordinator for Missouri Humanities and member of the board of directors of the National U. S. Grant Trail Association

Laying of the Wreaths with Piping

Salute

Taps

Group Singing: *God Bless Our Native Land*

Benediction

William Tecumseh “Camp” Sherman, perhaps best known for his 1864

“March to the Sea,” (1820–1891) was born in Lancaster, Ohio. Sherman graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1840. He became acquainted with the people and geography of the South when the U.S. Army stationed him in Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina between 1840 and 1846. After serving during the Mexican War of 1846–1848, he resigned his commission in 1853. A strong Unionist, Sherman volunteered for duty in the United States Army in May 1861. Initially appointed colonel of the 13th Infantry Regiment, Sherman led a brigade of inexperienced troops at First Bull Run (First Manassas) before being transferred to the Western Theater. After garnering some unflattering publicity in Kentucky, he served under Ulysses S. Grant at Shiloh, where Sherman’s gallant conduct resulted in his promotion to major-general. With this battle and later engagements at Vicksburg and Missionary Ridge, Sherman developed a close working relationship with Grant. Replacing Grant as the overall commander in the West in March 1864, Sherman vigorously implemented the Union’s then-prevailing “hard war” military strategy, in the process making his name infamous to generations of Southerners. After taking possession of Atlanta on September 1, 1864, Sherman ordered his army of 60,000 men on a nearly 300-mile march through Georgia, ending with the fall of Savannah on December 21, 1864. From there, Sherman sent his forces north through the Carolinas. The destruction of infrastructure and personal property from these marches, particularly the one through South Carolina, devastated areas in his army’s path and played a key part in ending the Civil War. Sherman’s postwar career was marked by a fifteen-year tenure as commander in chief of the U.S. Army (1869–1883), publication of his memoirs in 1875, and his popularity as a speaker and writer. Sherman was a member of Grand Army of the Republic Ransom Post 131 in St. Louis.

While We Were Marching Through Georgia

Yes and there were Union men who wept with joyful tears
When they saw the honored flag they had not seen for years
Hardly could they be restrained from breaking forth in cheers
While we were marchin’ through Georgia

Hurrah! Hurrah! We bring the jubilee

Hurrah! Hurrah! The flag that makes you free

So we sang the chorus from Atlanta to the sea
While we were marchin’ through Georgia

God Bless Our Native Land

1 God bless our native land;
firm may she ever stand
thro’ storm and night!
When the wild tempests rave,
Ruler of wind and wave,
do thou our country save
by thy great might.

2 For her our prayers shall rise
to God above the skies;
on whom we wait.
Thou who art ever nigh,
guarding with watchful eye,
to thee aloud we cry:
God save the state!