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April 6 – 150<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary of the  
Founding of the Grand  
Army of the Republic



EXPERIMENT OF JACK SANDERS.



## The Collector's Corner Returns!

**Cover:** Missouri Engineers experimenting with firing a .69 caliber musket. Amazingly, the story accompanying this picture says nothing about alcohol being consumed. At least he kept his head down.

**Fare Thee Well!** – Brother Wayne Sampson, PCC, Tiger Camp. Also a belated report on the passing of Brother Lonnie Dover, McNeil Camp.

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## Events on the Horizon

April 1	DEADLINE – Registration for Lincoln Tomb Observance
April 6	150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Founding of the Grand Army of the Republic
April 15	Tax Day
April 16	Lincoln Tomb Observance (Form on Page 25) Time running out to submit!!!!
April 30	DEADLINE – All Camp Secretaries to have Form 27 – Camp Annual Report to Dept Secretary
May 15	DEADLINE – Most Camps to have Form 990N filed with IRS
May 30	Memorial Day
June 3	Social Event – Evening Prior to the Encampment – Bandana's BBQ – Fenton, MO
June 4	Department Encampment – Location to be determined in St. Louis Area
June 18	St Louis County Library – Lineage Fair – June 18 10 am – 1pm – Grant Camp Table, other camps invited to join.
July 4	150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the first Missouri GAR post founding (2 <sup>nd</sup> in the nation) – Cape Girardeau

## Editor's Comments

*The Vicksburg Monument is getting its repairs done to it despite the best efforts of government. In these pages you will find an article about that and also information about the other monuments at Vicksburg that need money for repairs. Maybe we can get government to work this time and repair some of those as well. But, let's talk about monuments in general.*

*Missouri has more monuments listed in the national database than any other state. That is great! However, many of these need repairs and none of our camps are working to refurbish any of these. That's embarrassing. Especially when we consider that we have some department money plus money from National SUVCW and the SUVCW Charitable Foundation that could be had for such projects. The last projects any camps did for repairs to monuments were the Grant Camp assisting LaGrange, Mo, restore their Civil War pillar and the now defunct Col. David Moore Camp in Canton repairing the Major B.B. King monument in Canton.*

*While it's nice to think up new markers and ask for funds for Last Soldier markers, the real need is to keep monuments in repair. The forms are available and to make Missouri's case for repairs you have a Missouri representative in the Charitable Foundation and another on the Monuments Grants Committee of the SUVCW. Getting some repair work for Missouri's monuments should be easy-peasy. If you need help with this I am an e-mail or phone call away.*

*I've issued a challenge at the end of last year to recruit new members this year. This is my second challenge. Let's do some of the work we should be doing. Instead of marching in a parade for St. Patrick's Day, let's march to raise funds to repair some of our older monuments.*

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## MISSOURI'S VICKSBURG MONUMENT REPAIRS UNDERWAY!

Thanks to federal grant money, repair work has now started on the magnificent Missouri monument at Vicksburg National Military Park. Our thanks to Kip Lindberg, who visited the park earlier this month and took this photo.

There are only 2 monuments dedicated to both sides on US battlefields. This is one, the other is at Shiloh. The height is symbolic of the forty-two Missouri units, 27 Union, 15 Confederate. It stands where two opposing Missouri regiments clashed in battle.

The monument features a bronze figure which represents "The Spirit of the Republic," as well as bronze reliefs depicting both Union and Confederate soldiers. The sculptor was Victor S. Holm. The memorial was erected at a cost of \$40,000 and dedicated on October 17, 1917.

The Department of Missouri Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War attempted and succeeded in getting state funds for this project. We were originally told that it was low on the priority list by National Parks for repair despite the estimated \$375,000 it would take to successfully and completely repair it. The Missouri legislature passed the appropriations for the funds and assigned them to Missouri State Parks. Unfortunately, parks took the position that they could not expend money outside the state. Short of a legal battle there wasn't much we could do.

During our attempts to get the funding, controversies over Confederate monuments flared up, which led to



a few newspaper stories that the state of Missouri was getting ready to expend funds on yet another Confederate monument. This untrue news article did not help our efforts and it was particularly maddening as we couldn't get Missouri Sons of Confederate Veterans support for this project! Finally, as we were getting ready for another round of legislative letters, the National Park Service was given funds to repair the monument. The Vicksburg, MS, newspaper stated that our efforts brought the repairs to the forefront, and helped get Congress to fund repairs. At the March meeting of the department, we learned the monument should be finished by this Memorial Day. After some discussion, the department is shooting for a 2017 date to rededicate the monument just before the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of its original dedication. And speaking of the original dedication ceremony, if you follow the link below you can see about a minute and a half video of the event.

[http://www.criticalpast.com/video/65675066850\\_Missouri-Monument\\_21-gun-salute\\_coping-inscription\\_dedication-ceremony](http://www.criticalpast.com/video/65675066850_Missouri-Monument_21-gun-salute_coping-inscription_dedication-ceremony)

Although this monument is near completion, there are other Missouri Union troop markers at Vicksburg in need of repairs. 3 unit markers for the 1<sup>st</sup> Missouri Light Artillery behind the Walmart have been vandalized and need repairs [I'm trying to get costs for these, but they weren't available at print time]. We are going to attempt to get our legislature to get at least some funds to help in the effort to preserve them. Since these are separate from Confederate troops, there should be less controversy.

The above article and photo are in part from Kip Lindberg, Phelps Camp and the Phelps Camp newsletter with some additions. Photo Right by DC Aubuchon.



## OBITUARIES

**Wayne Sampson**, (pictured on the cover) past camp commander of the General Asboth Camp #5, Department of Missouri, passed away on 1 Feb 2016. Wayne joined the Columbia Tiger Camp prior to the demise of the Asboth Camp and he was very active in the camps as well as with the department despite suffering illness for the past several years. Wayne was also a member of the Elijah Gates Camp No. 570, Missouri Sons of Confederate Veterans. Wayne was a leader in trying to get the SCV and SUV work on joint projects and was a moderating voice in many affairs. Truly, a gentleman.

The editor could not find any obituary on Wayne as he didn't have any immediate family, so more of a life history is not known. At the department of Missouri SUVCW meeting in March, the US Grant Camp proposed that the Show-Me Spirit Award which is given to non-SUVCW members who do the most to keep green the memory of the boys in blue be renamed the Wayne Sampson Show-Me Spirit Award. The measure passed.

**Lonnie Dover**, 73, passed away peacefully at his home in Unionville, MO, on Sunday, October 4, 2015. He was born in Kirksville, MO, on December 13, 1941, the son of Leota "Maudie" (Jarman) and Leon Dover, who preceded him in death.

Lonnie graduated from Unionville High School in 1960 and joined the National Guard soon after. He worked as a teacher, police officer, electrician, and TV repairman. Lonnie served as the Fire Chief in the city of Unionville for many years before retiring. He had a passion for many things including history. He was a member of the General John McNeil Camp, Missouri Sons of Union Veterans, and the 2nd Missouri Infantry reenacting unit. Lonnie was also a member of the Masonic Lodge in Unionville, MO.

Lonnie married Bernice Crawford on March 25, 1964 and to this union four children were born. She preceded him in death on November 19, 2008.

Lonnie is survived by his brother, Lonnie (Alfreda) Dover of Unionville, MO; and four children, Russell (Kim) Dover, Mark (Susan) Dover, and Debra (Chris) Ryals, all of Unionville, MO; and Michael (Bobbie) Dover of Casper, WY. Lonnie is also survived by eleven grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents and wife, Lonnie was also preceded in death by his in-laws, Hadley and Lula Crawford.

Funeral services for Lonnie Dover were at Playle and Jones Family Funeral Home in Unionville, MO, at 11:30 AM on Thursday, October 8, 2015. Memorials are suggested to the family and may be entrusted with Playle and Jones Family Funeral Home, 709 S. 27th St., Unionville, MO 63565.



## **Russia Entered America's Civil War?**

September 1863 – The Russian Baltic Fleet entered New York harbor while their Asiatic Fleet entered San Francisco Bay. The purpose of Tsar Alexander II's move was self-serving. England was upset at Russian moves in subjugating insurrectionists in Poland and talk of war was on the horizon. To prevent his fleets being bottlenecked, he sent them to America; an accidental show of support that Lincoln needed.

The British and French had been debating supporting the Confederates and the Poles, but this move, and a series of others, forced the British to change their opinion. Union victories, the Emancipation Proclamation, and the possibility that Prussia and Italy might support the Russian Tsar led to the conclusion that it wasn't worthwhile siding with the Confederates and Poles and causing a world war.

During their stay in San Francisco Bay and in response to raiding along the Pacific coastline by the CSS Shenandoah, the Russian fleet in San Francisco had standing orders from their Admiral to defend the city in the absence of Union ships.

Like Lincoln, Tsar Alexander II (both caricatured above) emancipated his serfs in 1861 and was also later assassinated.

# Collector's Corner

By  
Douglas Roussin

## *We Drank from the Same Canteen (Part 1, Badges)*

**“We Drank from the Same Canteen”** was a reoccurring theme for the Grand Army of the Republic. As a result of this, canteens were printed on ribbons and made into badges. Numerous other items were made with canteen themes. Souvenirs and commemorative canteens were sold at annual and National Encampments. Some posts even designed canteens with specific information about reunions. The sizes ranged from miniatures to large tin and ceramic canteens. The Department of Pennsylvania had a number of tin canteens which had the keystone seal displayed. A popular souvenir was the ceramic canteen often referred to as “Parlor Art” canteens. These were hand painted to the veteran’s specification. The veteran could have his name, post number, or other information painted on it. These canteens were painted with flowers and vines, trimmed in gilt or other bright colors. Some Parlor Art canteens were made for a specific National Encampment while others were made for regimental reunions not associated with the G.A.R. The ceramic canteen was made for other veteran groups like the Union Veterans Union and the Union Veterans League. Because of the fragile nature of these, many are today found with breaks, but some have survived and can still be found in pristine condition.

This is the first part of a four part study on canteens of the Civil War veteran. In part one, we will look at some of the many badges that incorporated the canteen design. Part two, will examine Parlor Art canteens which were specially ordered by veterans. Part three will deal with the miniature canteens. They were sold as souvenirs at Annual and National Encampments as well as other dedications. Part four will finish the series with tin canteen often referred to as whiskey flask.

Below are some of the many badges that incorporate the canteen. It is interesting to note that while many badges use the canteen design, only once was it used as part of the National Encampment badge.



**Left:** This beautiful badge was made for the 40<sup>th</sup> National Encampment which was held in 1906, in Minneapolis. This is the only time the canteen was incorporated into the National Encampment badge as a dominate theme.



**Right:** This is a fancy delegate badge for the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Encampment which was held in Syracuse in 1910. The badge is accented with a red ribbon.



**Left:** This sword and canteen badge were made for the 30<sup>th</sup> National Encampment and probably sold as a souvenir. It was held in St. Paul, Minn.



**Right:** This unusual badge has a knapsack with a canteen at the bottom. On the canteen are the words Chicago, 1887. A similar

knapsack design was made the same year and has St. Louis. In 1887, the National Encampment was held in St. Louis.

These badges have a large ceramic canteen attached. Both were made for annual encampments. The first has a black ribbon with a celluloid pin bar. The word "Guest" appears at the top. The canteen is gilt. It has, Annual Reunion--Grand Army of the Republic--June 22-23, 1905--Trenton, R. I. The second badge have the words, "23 Annual Encampment--G.A.R.--Department of Ohio--1891--Steubenville". The pin bar also has the word Steubenville. This canteen is connected to the pin bar with a red ribbon. The canteen has a portrait of General Logan.



Fobs were a popular souvenir for the veterans at many encampments. Here are three which use the canteen design. The first was made for the 31<sup>st</sup> National Encampment held in Buffalo, New York, August 23-28, 1897. It has the intertwined



G.A.R. letters encircled by a wreath. The fob was made by Schwaab Stamp & Seal Co, Milwaukee. The company used this canteen design for many years. It was a stock item which could easily be stamped for any occasion. The middle fob has a U. S. canteen on a black ribbon. The veteran at some point added the small G. A. R. membership badge. The last fob has a double chain with a U. S. canteen.



If you would like to have more information on canteen badges, please contact me at, [2roussins@att.net](mailto:2roussins@att.net) or phone at 636-586-4263.



### 1925-P Stone Mountain Commemorative Half Dollar

How many other nations have ever put pictures of their enemies on their coins? This coin shows the US Government endorsing a monument that is the subject of modern controversy.

This coin in this condition can be had for around \$80

#### Detailed Description

First minted in Philadelphia on January 21, 1925, the Stone Mountain commemorative half dollar was issued to fund the carving of Confederate leaders and soldiers on Stone Mountain in Georgia. Made of 90% silver, this authentic, lightly circulated-condition coin features Generals Robert E. Lee and Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson on horseback on the obverse and, on the reverse, a majestic bald eagle. 1 1/4" diameter.

# DEPARTMENT TELEGRAPH

**NOTE: Reports are not attached, but were sent to all members previously in an e-mail. Those needing another copy, contact the editor, [wbusch@suvcwmo.org](mailto:wbusch@suvcwmo.org)**



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

### UNAPPROVED 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 Alsop. 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.**

## IN HONOR OF THE RECENT ST. PATRICK'S DAY

### SAYS PRIVATE MAGUIRE.

BY T. B. ALDRICH.

OCH! 't is nate to be captain or colonel,  
Divil a bit would I want to be higher;  
But to rust as a private, I think's an infernal  
Predicament surely," says Private MAGUIRE.

"*They can go sparkin' and playin' at billiards,  
With greenbacks to spend for their slightest desire,  
Loafin' and atin', and dhrinkin' at WILLARD'S,  
While we 're on the pickets,*" says Private MAGUIRE.

"Livin' in clover, they think it's a thrifle,  
To stand out all night in the rain and the mire,  
And a Rebel hard by with a villainous rifle,  
Jist ready to pop ye," says Private MAGUIRE.

"Faith, now, it's not that I 'm afther complainin';  
I 'm spilin' to meet ye, JEFF. DAVIS, Esquire!  
Ye blaggard!— it's only I 'm weary of thrainin',  
And thrainin', and thrainin'," says Private MAGUIRE.

"O Lord, for a row! but, MAGUIRE, be aisy,  
Keep yourself sweet for the inemy'a fire,  
MCCLELLAN 's the saplin' that shortly will plaze ye,  
Be the holy ST. PATHRICK!" says Private MAGUIRE.

"And, lad, if ye're hit, (O, bedad, that eternal  
JIMMY O'DOWD would make up to MARIA !)  
Whether ye 're sargeant, or captain, or colonel,  
Ye 'll die with the best, then!" says Private MAGUIRE.

FROM *SONGS OF THE SOLDERS* EDITED BY FRANK MOORE, APR 1865

## Outstanding JROTC Cadet Pilot Program

The Department of Missouri approved a pilot program to select a 2016 Outstanding JROTC cadet from Missouri-Arkansas. This competition is only open to high school JROTC cadets; college ROTC cadets are not part of this pilot program. Under the pilot program, the Outstanding Cadet will be selected by a committee appointed by the Department Commander and receive a \$200 prize and SUVCW medal-ribbon bar. The 2016 JROTC Outstanding Cadet will be honored at the Missouri Department Encampment Awards Lunch on June 4, 2016.



The steps for a high school JROTC cadet to participate in the competition under the 2016 pilot program are simple:

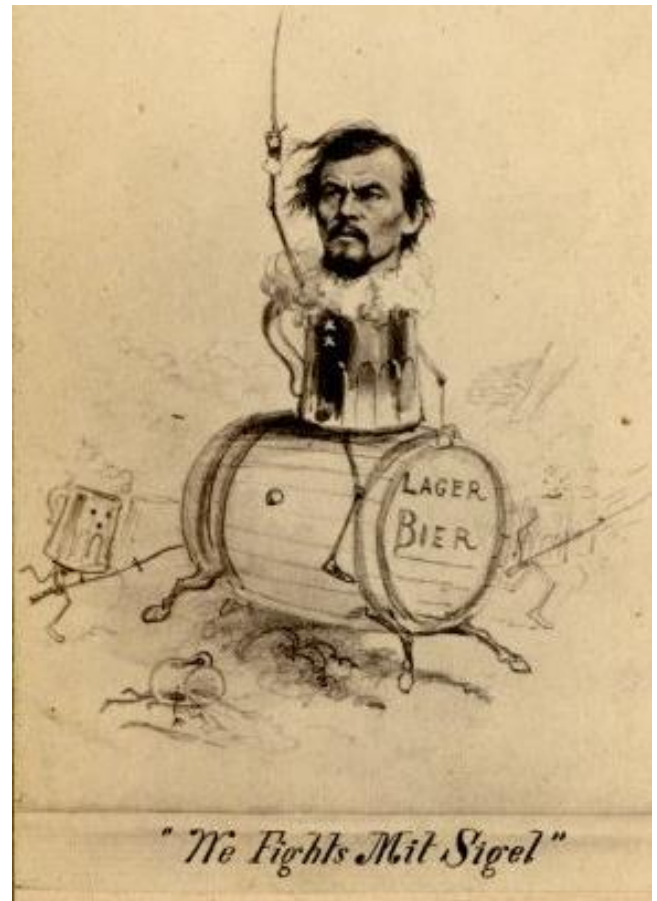
1. The JROTC cadet must be a 2016 recipient of a SUVCW ROTC medal for his/her high school JROTC unit.
2. The JROTC unit must provide a 100- to 300-word summary of the cadet's accomplishments. No form, just a simple email message.
3. Each Camp may nominate one cadet for the competition from among the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

Camp's may want to consider a local prize for their camp's nominee to encourage participation, such as one-year associate membership in the SUVCW. For assistance or questions contact: [dcrandell@suvcmo.org](mailto:dcrandell@suvcmo.org).

While General Grant's favorite drink is reported to have been *Old Crow*, Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey, which is still available today, McClellan issued a general order suggesting that total abstinence in his command was worth 50,000 troops. Tell that to the Sanitation Commissions!

Many Civil War soldiers partook of a healthy drink of beer. Yes, healthy. The sanitation commissions found that drinking malt liquor in camp improved the health of the soldiers. If you drink beer you can't get Cholera from drinking water. God bless the sanitation commissioners!

Unfortunately, the government added a tax on beer in 1862 of \$1/barrel. But it still didn't stop those Germans, Irish or just good ole Americans from getting their lager or cider from sutlers any chance they could.



## MESSAGE FROM THE DEPARTMENT COMMANDER

Greetings,

Recently we moved our clocks forward and we experienced first day of spring. Spring is the start of a new growing season and some say this is a time of renewal. Or in planting terms, it signals growth. Let's keep that theme of renewal and growth for the Department as we continue this year. Many of you have renewed your membership. If you know of someone who hasn't, please call him and remind him. You can help the Department by renewing those contacts with someone you haven't seen or talk to for a while. Wouldn't it be nice to renew old friendships? You can also help the Department to grow by recruiting new members. Many of us have friends, or coworkers who might like to hear about the SUVCW or considering joining. Many of us join because of the fellowship or we wanted to be around other people with a common interest. Make other people aware of our purpose and mission. Recruiting information and guide is available on National's website at [suvchw.org](http://suvchw.org). under the Governance tab of the main website.

At the March, 2016 business meeting we had several items on the agenda. Please take the opportunity to read them so you can keep informed on what is happening in the Department.

The Missouri Monument Restoration Committee received news from the Director at Vicksburg Military Park that they were able to get funds released for the restoration of the Missouri Monument. Restoration would commence and have restoration completed before May. I had the opportunity to visit Vicksburg on Monday, March 14. The restoration is being performed by the National Parks Preservation Training School and it is wonderful to see the progress and steps they are taking to restore the monument. The Monuments Committee is discussing plans for a future rededication ceremony to be held at a later. It will occur at some time in 2017. While the Missouri State Legislature was not able to get the State Parks to change their position on releasing funds that had been approved by the state legislature, we need to thank State Senator Kurt Schaefer R-19 for getting HB No 6 approved.

The Department thanks the Monuments Committee Larry Dietzel of the Tiger Camp, Don Palmer and Mark Coplin of the Grant Camp, and Gary Scheel of the St James Camp for their work. I also thank Dale Crandell for his support, efforts and his contact with Missouri House Representative Warren Love District No. 125.

Representative Warren Love wants to introduce legislation in the State of Missouri for preserving and protecting monuments in HB 2476. We voted at the business meeting to support this bill.

It is very pleasing to see the camp activities and events that each of you plan and participate in. Keep up the excellent work. You honor our ancestors and all those who fought for the Union. Please continue your efforts and submit your news to the Unionist Editor so that we can see what our brothers in Missouri and Northern Arkansas are doing. Continue to honor our ancestors at memorials and gravesites. Share the mission of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War with the public and at living history events. Please continue to recruit.

The Department is looking for suggestions and ideas on how we could fulfill that mission as a Department with participation from many camps. Please share your thoughts and ideas with the Department. This should be an ongoing goal.

The Department Encampment will be held in St Louis on Saturday, June 4, 2016 in St Louis, MO. The Department will be visited by Don Shaw, National Council Member. I challenge each Camp to send representatives and delegates to this encampment. Let's show Council Member Don Shaw a big Missouri welcome.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Martin R. Aubuchon



## *Department Orders*

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#### **DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 6**

**SERIES 2015-2016**

**February 2, 2016**

1. Members of the Columbia Tiger Camp No. 432 reported the passing of Brother Wayne Milton Sampson, PCC on February 1, 2016.
2. Brother Sampson was very active with many camp activities. Brother Sampson participated in many gravesite marker dedications and would attend Department meetings. He was kind to all and he was calm and patient with others. His smile and wit will be missed.
3. There will be no public service. The Tiger Camp will be discussing plans for a memorial service to be held at a later date. The memorial service may be a joint service with the Elijah Gates Camp No. 570 Sons of Confederate Veterans. Wayne was an active member with them.
4. Brother Sampson is an example of a person that followed the SUVCW principles of Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty.
5. 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.
6. In remembrance of Brother Wayne Milton Sampson, 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 February 2, 2016 until February 16, 2016.

Ordered this 2nd Day of February 2016.

Attest:

Martin 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

**General Order #12 Issued by Commander-in-Chief Eugene Mortorff revokes the Charter of the Siegel Camp 624, Department of Missouri. Ordered February 3, 2016.**



## Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

### Department of Missouri

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#### DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 7 SERIES 2015-2016 February 13, 2016

1. Department Secretary Walter Busch received information that Lonnie Dover, PCC of the McNeil Camp passed away at his home on Sunday, October 4, 2015 at the age of 73.
2. In addition to being a member of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, his obit said he had a passion for history. He was also a member of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Missouri Infantry and would travel to reenactments with friends and family.
3. 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.
4. In remembrance of Brother Lonnie Dover, PCC 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 February 13, 2016 until February 27, 2016.

Ordered this 13th Day of February 2016.

Attest:

Martin 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



Night attack on the National forces under Major Bowen, occupying Salem, Dent County, Missouri, by the Rebel forces under Col. Freeman, December 3, 1861

## Department Message

### Missouri State Fair Parade

Calling all Sons of Veteran Reserve members and Civil War reenactors! Is there any interest in department-wide participation at the Missouri State Fair's opening day parade? The Department's March Business Meeting reviewed a member's request for the SUVCW to lead an effort returning uniformed Civil War-clad participants to the Missouri State Fair Parade. At one time, the GAR followed by Civil War re-enactors was a regular participant at the Missouri State Fair, but participation faded over the decades.

This proposal is being shared with our SUVCW camps, SVR units, and general membership to determine if there is renewal interest. This year's opening day parade is 4:00 pm, Thursday, August 11, 2016 in Sedalia, Missouri. Please review with your camp and SVR unit, and bring your thoughts and comments to the Missouri Department Encampment on June 4, 2016.

For more information on the Missouri State Fair: [www.mostatefair.com](http://www.mostatefair.com).



## TRIVIA (answers on page 23)

1. Which General had the longest last name?
2. Approximately how far did the three-inch iron rifled ordnance gun throw its shell when elevated five degrees?
3. How many cannon in a Union Battery? A Confederate Battery?
4. Artillery used different rounds against attacking troops. One was the Canister and the other was Case shot.... What is the difference?
5. What Ohio native entered the army in the Civil War as a lieutenant colonel and died as commander in chief?
6. What is Panada?
7. Name the two songs known best to General Ulysses S. Grant.
8. Who said Sir Walter Scott was the cause of the Civil War?
9. What state was described as, "too small to be a republic and too large to be an insane asylum?"
10. Who did both Northern and Southern soldiers call the "graybacks"?



## CAMPS ROLL CALL

### Sherman Camp

The William T. Sherman/Billy Yank Camp #65, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, held their annual Sherman Day Ceremony on Sunday, February 28, 2016, at the Sherman gravesite in Calvary Cemetery in north St. Louis. The ceremony began at 2:00 p.m., following a parade from the main gate area to the Sherman family gravesite. The ceremony included a brief address by Timothy S. Good, superintendent at the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site in St. Louis County, and concluded with a military firing salute by both muskets and artillery.

Following the ceremony, Camp members and other participants joined in fellowship at the Ferguson Brewing Company for a meal.

The reenactor honor guard arrives at the Sherman family gravesites



The artillery prepares to fire the salute.



Sherman Day - Saluting the colors.



### Fletcher Camp

The General Thomas C. Fletcher Camp was very active the last quarter of 2015. We helped with several community activities. In December, members of the camp rang bells and collected money for DeSoto Contact. Contact helps the needy in the DeSoto area with food throughout the year. It is especially important during the Christmas season. The members have participated in this activity for several years and the Camp finds it a very rewarding experience.

Members also participated in the DeSoto Christmas Home Tours. The Home Tours occur each year the Saturday after Thanksgiving. This year each home on the tour

was over 100 years old. Members were stationed at several homes on the tour and greeted visitors in period dress. The funds raised on the tour profits Get Healthy DeSoto. A reception was held the next day for all the volunteers.

The last meeting of the year was a bonfire party at Commander Doug Roussin's home. It was a beautiful night for December and over 25 members and spouses attended. It was a pleasant way to end the year. Fun was had by all.

We finished the year on December 27th with an Eagle Scout Award presented by member Mark Decker at the Crystal City Elks Lodge.

The first quarter has been quiet but, we are in the process of setting up several events in the spring. Our first event is a living history at the Governor- Brig. General Fletcher House Spring Spectacular in Hillsboro on April 16. Following this, we will be marching on April 30, in the Tractor Parade, sponsored by Get Healthy DeSoto Farmer's Market. Anyone who wants to attend these events are welcome. Call Commander Doug Roussin for more information. 636-586-4263 Email: [2roussins@att.net](mailto:2roussins@att.net) . Happy Spring!

## Grant Camp

Greetings from the U.S. Grant Camp #68 - St. Louis. Our camp remains busy this year. We have continued to have good attendance at our camp meetings. We have started to have a book or media review at our meetings. At our March meeting, Cher Petrovic shared with us her power point presentation on James Eads and his engineering feats during the Civil War and following the conflict. She did a great job with the presentation. We are also continuing to have Civil War Trivia at each meeting.

Coming events include Memorial Day at Jefferson Barracks, May 30<sup>th</sup>; Grant's Death Day Ceremony at White Haven on July 23<sup>rd</sup>; and 56th Colored Infantry Ceremony on August 19th. We had a generous donation from Brother Wattenberg that will allow us to provide the horse we use for pulling Brother Avery's hearst. The cost of the horse is around \$200 plus a tip to the driver. Our plans right now include as always an assist from a cannon crew and working with the Sterling Price SCV Camp on the program. April is the anniversary of the founding of the GAR back in 1866. We are planning to use that theme to present to the guests of the Union service. Keep our ancestors alive by being active in your camps and helping the memory of what they did for our Nation not be forgotten.

In other news, PC-in-C James Pahl, a dual member of our camp, is now the national Banner editor. Wow!

For Grant Death Day at White Haven, we are working with the Missouri Civil War Heritage Foundation on creating a program as our event coincides with their planned US Grant Symposium that weekend. --- Mark Coplin, PCC US Grant Camp 68

## Westport Camp

### New Members

**Warren Love** was enrolled in the SUVCW on January 6, 2016 during Westport Camp's regular meeting. He is a Missouri Representative for the 125<sup>th</sup> District and owner-operator of the Love Ranch in west-central Missouri. Brother Warren joined to honor his ancestor Private Pollard Wisdom who served in Company A, 60<sup>th</sup> Missouri Enrolled Militia.

**Thomas Corum** was enrolled in the SUVCW on February 3, 2016 during Westport Camp's regular meeting. He works in AT&T's Data Center Operations and as an instructor for Kansas City's Metropolitan Community College. Brother Thomas joined to honor his ancestor Private George Corum who served in Company E, 45<sup>th</sup> Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

### **Medal of Honor Commemoration**

Westport Camp #64 hosted a joint commemoration for National Medal of Honor Day. This year's event honored John Lewis Barkley (1895-1966) with a gravesite service on March 20, 2016. He was a veteran of World War I and received the Medal of Honor for heroism at the Meuse-Argonne Offensive on September 26, 1918 at Cunel, France.

John Lewis Barkley (right) was born August 28, 1895 in Henry County, Missouri. He was one of five children of Frank Barkley and Leona Doggett, who were Missouri farmers. With the outbreak of the Great War, John, like many of his classmates and neighbors was inducted into the U.S. Army on September 20, 1917 in Warrensburg, Missouri. He served in Company K, 4<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 3<sup>rd</sup> Army Division and served overseas from April 1918 until the war's end in August 1919. His Medal of Honor citation reads:



*For extraordinary heroism on 7 October 1918, while serving with Company K, 4th Infantry, 3rd Division, in action at Cunel, France. PFC Barkley, who was stationed in an observation post half a kilometer from the German line, on his own initiative repaired a captured enemy machinegun and mounted it in a disabled French tank near his post. Shortly afterward, when the enemy launched a counterattack against our forces, PFC Barkley got into the tank, waited under the hostile barrage until the enemy line was abreast of him and then opened fire, completely breaking up the counterattack and killing and wounding a large number of the enemy. Five minutes later an enemy 77-millimeter gun opened fire on the tank pointblank. One shell struck the drive wheel of the tank, but this soldier nevertheless remained in the tank and after the barrage ceased broke up a second enemy counterattack, thereby enabling our forces to gain and hold Hill 25.*

Among his many other service commendations are the British Distinguished Service Cross, French Military Medal, French War Cross, Belgian War Cross, and Italian War Cross. John was also promoted to Corporal.

At the end of the First World War, John returned to farming and real estate development. He married Marguerite Marie Mullin and their marriage had one daughter: Joan Marie Barkley-Wells. John died April 14, 1966 and is buried at Forest Hill Cemetery

An estimated 50 people including his only daughter Joan Marie Barkley-Wells and members of SUVCW Westport Camp #64 and Franklin Camp #5 attended the commemoration for John Lewis Barkley. Kansas City Mayor Sly James supported the commemoration by issuing a city proclamation for John Lewis Barkley and National Medal of Honor Day.

The joint-commemoration was organized by the local Sons of the American Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, Children of the American Revolution, Society of the War of 1812, United States Daughters of 1812, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, National World War I Memorial & Museum, and Bugles Across America.

# St. James Camp

## Eagle Court of Honor

We were invited to attend an Eagle Court of Honor on 27 February 2016.

Four members of the St. James Camp #326 attended the Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Eagle Scout Thomas Engelmann at the American Legion Hall today. It was probably the largest attendance at an Eagle Scout Court of Honor that members of the camp have been at.

Department of Missouri SUVCW Eagle Scout Coordinator Bob Hammack handed Eagle Scout Thomas Engelmann the SUVCW Certificate and 1st Sergeant Gary Scheel of our camp guard handed him the Department of Missouri SUVCW Eagle Scout Coin. William Zoughaib was on the Eagle Scout Honor Guard for the ceremony and Ed Millinger was videotaped the ceremony.



L-R Standing. William Zoughaib, Gary Scheel, Bob Hammack and Thomas Engelmann

### Girl Scout's SUVCW Father

Jenya Zoughaib is working on her project for the Girl Scout Gold Award. This is the highest award that a Girl Scout can earn. Her project includes raising funds for Battered Women and Children Shelter. She has just started her project and we wish her all the best. Jenya is father and brother is a member of our Camp and we have watched her grow up. She assists our camp when we do our living histories and school days.

## Rural Heritage Days



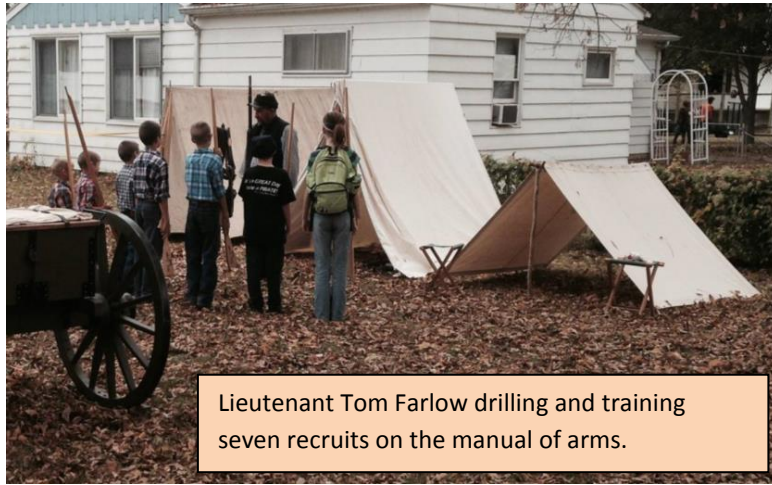
October 24th was the Rural Heritage Day that we have every year in Ste. Genevieve. We felt that there was a good flow of people through our station this year. Our display tent of equipment of a Civil War Soldier was manned and equiped by Corporal Tom Greminger. Also there was a photo of the J. Felix St. James G.A.R. Post members and a list of names that the visitors could check to see if their ancestor had served in the Civil War.

Our ladies were very active also with their area that had games that children played during the Civil War era. Ruth



Kasten, Sue Zoughaib and Mary Scheel had several children come through their area.

Also in the photo on the previous page is Mark Diamond of the Milice de Ste Genevieve (Ste. Genevieve Militia – pre Civil War) demonstrating making nets and Private Ed Millinger who was filming all the activities for Ste. Genevieve TV station.



Lieutenant Tom Farlow drilling and training seven recruits on the manual of arms.

Private Jerry Kasten brought his cannon, Private Clarence Warfield discussed Civil War topics to all who were interested. Clarence showed Jenya Zougaiab some methods of sewing while people were watching. 1st Sergeant Gary Scheel and his wife Mary walked around most of the day talking to mostly children and issuing them a pass between the lines and directing them and their parents toward the Civil War camp.

## Spirit Reunion or De Je Vue

The Foundation for Restoration sponsored the annual Spirit Reunion in which over twenty residents of the Memorial Cemetery are portrayed by volunteers. There are at least four Civil War veterans or soldiers who are buried in the cemetery.

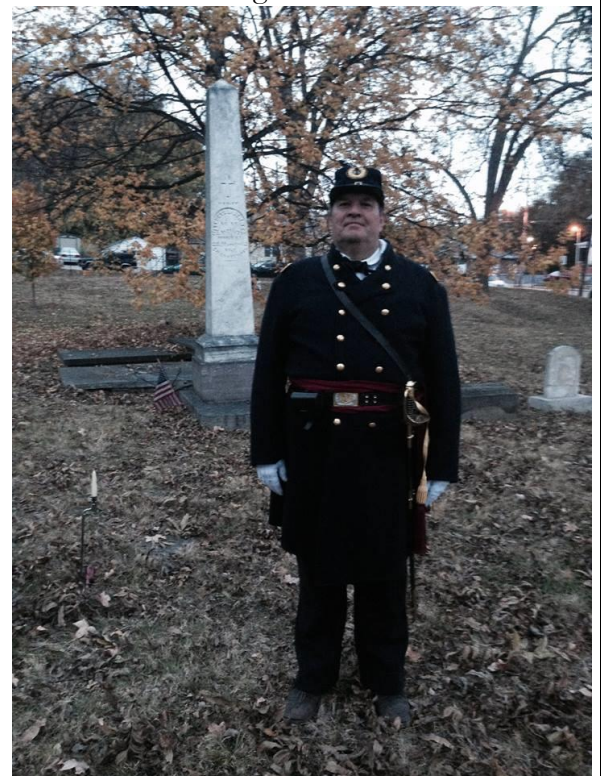
(Left) Camp member William Zoughaib is portraying Private Jacob Zimmer, 30th Missouri Infantry died in 1862 in the hospital in Ste. Genevieve and was buried in Memorial Cemetery. Private Zimmer was a drummer boy. He lies in an unmarked grave.

(Right) Camp Member Gary Scheel portrayed Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James. Colonel St. James was mortally wounded at

the Battle of Shiloh, dying on April 8, 1862 and buried on April 15, 1862 next to his father. There is no marker at his grave site but in from the 1880's we know that the J. Felix St. James G.A.R. Post 326 met every Memorial Day at his grave. Also present and portraying inhabitants of the cemetery were Camp Members Bob Mueller and Taylor Hardin.

### Upcoming Camp Events

- April 8<sup>th</sup> Commemorate death of Lt. Col. J. Felix St. James
- April 22<sup>nd</sup> R.O.T.C. Presentation at Poplar Bluff High School
- May 5<sup>th</sup> Ste. Genevieve Middle School Living History



## Veterans Day 11/11/15



←Private Ed Millinger and his wife Becky were present at the Veterans Day ceremony at the American Legion Hall in Ste. Genevieve. Ed was the only member present in uniform and he participated in the firing of honors. Also present was Senior Vice Commander Samer Zoughaib and his wife Susab.

Private Ed Millinger firing as → representative of our Camp Guard.



Becky Millinger & Susan Zoughaib



FROM THE *MISSOURI DEMOCRAT*, 19 Oct 1864, page 4, column 1.

Prisoners from Ste. Genevieve.-- Captain Gustav St. Gemme arrived from Ste. Genevieve, with the following prisoners in charge: Chauncey S. Williamson, Theodore Aubuchon, Peter Aubuchon, Charles Carron, Fred. Carron and Emil Carron.

These men had recently been in the rebel army, and gave themselves up, stating that they had been conscripted by the rebels. The two Aubuchons had been elected lieutenants in the rebel company, and assisted in drilling and organizing the company. They were committed to Gratiot as prisoners of war.

[Ed. Note – There are at least two ‘conscripts’ listed above who have two more relatives in the SUVCW]

## Tiger Camp

At our January meeting officers for 2016 were installed by PDC Dietzel.

On February 1, we lost our longtime brother Wayne Sampson. Wayne was Past Camp Commander of Asboth Camp and a dual member of Tiger Camp. When Asboth Camp closed, Wayne requested that his past camp commander-ship be restored at Tiger Camp. This action was taken at the 2015 fall business meeting. At the spring 2016 business meeting, at the request of Grant Camp, the **Show Me Spirit Award** was renamed the **Wayne Sampson Show Me Spirit Award**. On behalf of Tiger Camp and all of Brother Sampson's family and friends, we want to say thank you. Wayne will be missed as will his knowledge and kindness.

## Phelps Camp

**PRESENTATION ON 2ND KANSAS COLORED INFANTRY** Camp member Jeff Patrick and Springfield-Greene County Library Local History Librarian Brian Grubbs presented a program on the 2nd Kansas Colored Infantry at the Springfield Library Center (4653 S. Campbell Ave.) on Sunday, February 28.

### *ALLIED ORDERS/SVR/Other Groups*



### Calling all those who either attended or missed the Lincoln funeral reenactment in May 2015.

We have yet another opportunity to re-live history. The Old State Capitol State Historic Site is planning to stage a funeral commemoration this year complete with military and civilian reenactors, the re-created horse-drawn hearse, and coffin. The event will take place at 6:00 p.m. on May 4 in Springfield, IL (the original entombment date 151 years ago). The procession will leave the OSC, pass the Lincoln Home, and proceed to the historic Receiving Vault at Oak Ridge Cemetery for a brief service. There is no fee to register. Interested participants should e-mail questions and/or your interest to either of the following [troy.gilmore@illinois.gov](mailto:troy.gilmore@illinois.gov) or [justin.blandford@illinois.gov](mailto:justin.blandford@illinois.gov) to sign up. I hope to see you there! - John

Avery

Answers to private messages already by John Avery. Yes, please share... No, I'm not in charge of this one but will be able to enjoy participating instead... No, I'm not crazy, but thanks for your concern about my mental health.... No, this is not an event for the purely progressive reenactor. No, this is not a Coalition event; that group ceased operation last autumn...

# US Grant Symposium

While planning is still in progress, Missouri's Civil War Heritage Foundation will be hosting its third annual U.S. Grant Symposium on July 23-24, 2016. The event will be headquartered out of the Missouri Civil War Museum at Jefferson Barracks and will have at least one event at U.S. Grant National Historic Site (White Haven) in Affton, MO.

The main speaker for the event will be Frank Williams, President of the Ulysses S. Grant Association. Other activities are still being planned.



Pediculus humanus corporis (above)  
and Gen. Schimmelfennig (below)

**FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY - DO NOT CONFUSE THEM!**



## Trivia Answers:

1. U.S. Brig. Gen. Alexander **Schimmelfennig** had the longest name (14 letters)
2. When elevated five degrees, the three-inch rifled ordnance gun throws its shell accurately up to 2,000 yards.
3. Six cannon in a Union Battery and 4 cannon in a Confederate one.
4. Canister is made with about 96 iron balls held together by a tin cover, Case shot has a timed fuse that would burst over the attacking troops' heads.
5. **James A. Garfield**, assassinated as president.
6. **Panada**: hot gruel made of corn meal, army crackers mashed in boiling water, ginger or bully soup.
7. To quote Grant: I know only two tunes. One of them is **Yankee Doodle**. The other isn't."
8. **Mark Twain** reviled the chauvinist attitude held by many Southerners as originated and perpetuated by the popular novels of Sir Walter Scott. [Not to be confused with Walter Scott, the murdered lead singer of Bob Kuban and the In-Men –ed.]
9. **South Carolina**. Former Congressman James Petigru's sentiment.
10. **Body Lice**: the common name for Pediculus humanus corporis and Pediculus vestimenti.



## Annual Lincoln Tomb Ceremony

All are invited to participate in the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Lincoln Tomb Ceremony, sponsored by the SUVCW and MOLLUS, commemorating the 151<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of President Lincoln's death. It will be held at the Lincoln Tomb in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Springfield, IL at 10 AM on Saturday, April 16, 2016.

**Headquarters Hotel:** President Abraham Lincoln Hotel, 701 E. Adams St., Springfield, IL 62701. The room rate is \$96.99 for single/quad. A 10% dining discount at Lindsay's Restaurant is included. Call 1-866-788-1860 for reservations and mention "**Sons of Union Veterans**". **Reserve your room by March 25, 2016.** After this, the remaining blocked rooms will be released.

**Wreaths** may be ordered from local Springfield florists. Instruct the florist to have the wreath delivered c/o the Lincoln Tomb, Oak Ridge Cemetery, Springfield, by 9 AM on Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Luncheon** will be held at the President Abraham Lincoln Hotel at 12:30PM. The luncheon program will feature a documentary film by the Lincoln Monument Assoc. on the history of Lincoln's Tomb. Luncheon cost is \$29 per person. For event info, go to the SUVCW web site (suvchw.org) or contact Robert Petrovic at: [rpetro7776@aol.com](mailto:rpetro7776@aol.com) or 636-274-4567.

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**OBSERVANCE WREATH PRESENTATION**  
(please print clearly)

Organization name in full: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name & title of wreath bearer: \_\_\_\_\_  
e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
if no e-mail, home address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, & Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

**To insure being recognized in the program, this notice MUST be received no later than April 1<sup>st</sup> at the address shown below.**

### OBSERVANCE LUNCHEON

Please accept \_\_\_\_ luncheon reservation(s). Please list name, e-mail address, home address & phone number of person responsible for picking up tickets at the door. **PLEASE PRINT.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Herb-roasted Pork Loin W/Maderia sauce \_\_\_\_\_ Parmesan Chicken W/Red Pepper Jus Lis \_\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian \_\_\_\_\_  
Include remittance of \$29.00 per person for each lunch reservation payable to **National Organization SUVCW.**

**Reservations must be made by April 1<sup>st</sup> and cancellations by the same date in order to receive refund.** There will be no extra tickets sold at the door. Make a copy of this form for your records and send original with remittance to:

### MILITARY PARADE INFORMATION

Name of unit: \_\_\_\_\_  
No. of people attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact person name: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

This will insure each unit receives a streamer for their flag and all participants receive ribbons.

SEND TO:

**ROBERT M. PETROVIC**  
**6519 CHEROKEE LANE**  
**CEDAR HILL, MO 63016**  
**P# 636-274-4567**

# 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](mailto: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](mailto:wbusch@suvcmo.org)

Dale Crandell (816) 995-4218

[dcrandell@suvcmo.org](mailto: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

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.

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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)

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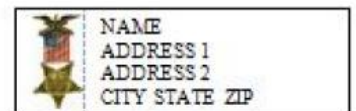


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