

Curtenius Guard Camp #17

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Department of Michigan Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Meeting Minutes

27 July 2010

Samuel W. Grinnell
GAR Post #283 Hall
115 Main Street
Sunfield, Michigan

Commander George Roux assigned Brothers to fill vacancies of absent officers by appointment Pro Temp.

I. Opening Ritual:

Camp Commander George Roux opened the meeting per the Ritual at 7:08 PM.

II. Roll Call:

Brothers Present: Roux, Haines, Arnold, J. Pahl Sr., Zank, K. Harrison, Shull, Aves, Bankhead, Bauer, Benedict, G. Copenhagen, Goutis, Hodges, Langworthy, Rehkopf, Rousseau,

Brothers Excused: Coon, Emerick, Harrington, N. Harrison, Hoffman, J. Phal, Jr., B. Shumway, J. Shumway, Thomas, Traub, Zowe

Guests included: Department Commander Don Shaw, Troy Copenhagen

III. Approval of Minutes: A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes as transmitted; motion passed for both March and May's meetings

IV. Concern for Brothers: It was noted that Brother Lowe from the Jackson camp is home after his hip surgery and is starting to get around.

V. New Members and Initiations:

Troy Copenhagen, Richard Hamilton, applications were voted on and passed Troy was initiated this evening and; Richard Hamilton will be back in the state next Memorial Day to be initiated.



VI. Committee Reports:

Camp Council: – No report.

Bylaws - No report.

Memorials and Graves Registration: –

GAR Monuments: – The monument in Hastings located in Tyden Park on Broadway Street is being moved about three blocks to the north to the Court House.

Eagle Scouts Certificates: – No report.

Membership – No report

Veterans' Day: – Massing of Colors.

Parade in Detroit on the 6th of November if anyone is interested in marching in the parade and staying in Historic Fort Wayne on Friday night can get more information from Brother K. Harrison

Military Affairs: – No report.

Patriotic Instruction: - Bro Arnold shared from the National Patriotic Instruction information on the Fighting McCook's.

Program and Publicity: - On 21st of August Sunfield will be having their Farmer Picnic there will be a parade.

At the muster in Jackson we will have a table with information on the Department of Michigan set up at the band shell.

The Civil War seminars will probably start in January

Hall Restoration: – The hall restoration is all done but the payment. Big thanks to Brother Arnold for all of his hard work in getting the hall painted.



We would still like to put on storm window to help in keeping the hall secure.

An Eagle Scout working on is Eagle Scout Project will be replacing the single flag pole with three.

Memorial Day Activities – No report.

Grinnell Award. No report.

VII. Orders and Communications:

Still waiting on web site and logo for the sesquicentennial.

There will be NSSA shoot on Garrison Rd an extension of Price road in Laingsburg this weekend. This shoot will feature all Civil War Arms.

National encampment in Overland Kansas in August

A thank you was read for Brothers Arnold and K Harrison from the Delta Township Historical Society for a talk that they gave. This has sparked a interest in a tour of the Hall sometime in the future.

Brother Harold Holcomb won the door prize.

VIII. Unfinished Business:

Brother Roux has gotten a grant from the Gleaners for around \$100 for promotional business cards or flyers to be done by the end of August.

IX. New Business: Brother Bankhead was asked to start working on the nominating committee. Anyone interested in running for office next year should contact Brother Bankhead

Brother Harrison has submitted guidelines for transporting our battle streamer and ribbons. Anyone who is planning on transporting our camp flags

should review the protocol for transporting our streamers and ribbons.

Do Not:

1. Roll the battle streamers up in to the flag.
2. Wad up the battle streamers.
3. Fold the battle streamers
4. Put the battle streamers into any type of case for transportation
5. Lay the battle streamers down in the vehicle.
6. Put the battle streamers on the flag if there is a chance of rain/snow. Outside use with our flag-even if it is windy- is ok just so long as it is not wet.

Do:

1: Hang the metal ring holding the battle streamers on a clothes hanger and hang them in your vehicle when transporting the flag to events. *(This is the way the United States Official Honors (battle streamers) are transported by the*

National Color Guard.)

2. Keep the battle streamers on the flag when the flag is in the hall.

September we will be having our camp dinner at Brother Traub's house for great meal at a reasonable price (\$10). Brother Traub's home is located at 5661 Saginaw Hwy, Sunfield.

X. Good of the Order:

Pass the hat netted \$68.51

XI. Treasurer's Report: motion second passed see (attachment)

XII. Closing Ritual: The Camp was closed at 9:20 PM.

Respectfully Submitted in
Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Dennis D Zank

Camp Secretary

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Curtenius Guard Camp #17, SUVCW - Financial Report

5/30/2010 through 7/27/2010

7/26/2010

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Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Amount
BALANCE 5/29/2010					6,158.14
5/30/2010	1006	S Ron Shull	reimbursement	General Fund:Supplies	-4.30
5/30/2010	1007	S Paul David Arnold	reimbursement	General Fund:Supplies	-14.37
5/30/2010	1008	S Timothy Fry	purchase of table	General Fund	-30.00
5/30/2010	1009	S Department Of MI, SUVCW	Harold Holcomb	Per Capita	-13.50
			Harold Holcomb	Application	-5.00
			M. Reckline	Per Capita	-13.50
			M. Reckline	Application	-5.00
7/25/2010	1010	S Department Of MI, SUVCW	calculation error to Department	Per Capita	-18.00
5/30/2010	1011	S Chosen Vision	Gift in memory of Mary Aves	Charity	-25.00
7/25/2010	DEP	S Deposit	Harold Holcomb	Per Capita	51.00
			S. Reckline	Per Capita	39.50
			pass the hat 5/30	Hall Restoration Fund	63.00
			merchandise sales	General Fund	15.00
5/30/2010 - 7/27/2010					39.83
BALANCE 7/27/2010					6,197.97
TOTAL INFLOWS					168.50
TOTAL OUTFLOWS					-128.67
NET TOTAL					39.83

General Fund:	\$1,832.63
Hall Restoration Fund:	\$4,060.47
Hall Painting Fund:	\$ 45.47
O'Neal Fund:	<u>\$ 259.40</u>
TOTAL:	\$6,197.97

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Meeting Announcement and Agenda
Tuesday, May 30th, 2010, 7:00 P.M.

Tentative Agenda

- I.* Opening Ritual
- II.* Roll Call of Officers
- III.* Roll Call of Camp
- IV.* Welcome to Guests
- V.* Approval of Minutes
- VI.* Treasurer' Report
- VII. Concerns for Brothers
- VIII Reading of applications from candidates for membership—**Robert Russell Payne**
- IX Balloting for candidates for membership
- X Initiations of one new brother—**Robert Russell Payne (Depending on if in attendance)**
- XI Recess
- XII Committee Reports
- XIII Orders and Communications.
 1. **National General Order # 3 dated Sept 1, 2010,**
 2. **Correspondence dated August 27, 2010 from the Camp LeValley-Heusted #255 asking for help,**
 3. **Correspondence dated September 3, 2010 from Donald Shaw, Department Commander**
- XIV Old Business—**The Hastings Civil War Monument**
- XIV New Business—**The civil war soldier grave re dedication at the Fairview Cemetery, Dansville on October 3, 2010 at 2:30 P.M.**
- XVI Election and installation of officers—**Announcement of Upcoming camp elections at the November Camp Meeting**
- XVII Good of the order

1, Reflection on: The National Encampment, The Sunfield Farmers Picnic and Hall Tours, The Jackson Cascade Civil War Muster.

- 2. Veterans Day Activities in Detroit, Mason and Lansing**
- 3. Michigan Civil War Sesquicentennial Activities**
- 4. Promotional Business Cards and flyer's—Dave Arnold**
- 5. Upcoming 2011 Civil War History Seminars—Dave Arnold**
- 6. Hall Restoration and upcoming projects—Dave Arnold (The painting, security issues and the dedication ceremony on Sunday Sept 26,2010 at the GAR Hall for a Sunfield Boy Scout by the name of Ryan Clark)**

XVIII Patriotic Instructors Report

XIV Closing Ritual

Dennis D Zank
Camp Secretary

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