

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War Camp 25 Receives U.S. Army Award

On June 10, 2015, Hawthorne Army Depot's Commander Lt. Col. Gregory K. Gibbons presented the Patriotic Civilian Service Award to the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Camp 25, of Gardnerville, Nevada. The Hawthorne Army Depot stores conventional munitions, demilitarizes and disposes of unserviceable, obsolete and surplus munitions; and maintains serviceability through inspection and renovation to ensure munitions readiness per their mission statement.

This award was issued in accordance with the criteria set forth in U.S. Army Regulation 672-20. Camp 25 was honored for their exceptional patriotic civilian service in support to the Mineral County Museum's dedication ceremony last August 9, 2014 at the Aurora Cemetery helping to commemorate the Aurora Veterans Monument and Nevada's Sesquicentennial dedicated in preserving the history and legacy of Union heroes who lie buried at Aurora and who fought and worked to save the Union. In addition, Camp 25 supported the Hawthorne Armed Forces Day 2014 held at Henry Lefty Mayer Field by providing the history and Union sacrifices by means of demonstrating both the display of Civil War weaponry as well as performing three mock battles held for students, general public and military personnel.

Camp 25 members attending the award ceremony were John Riggs, Commander Camp 25, David Davis, Senior Vice-Commander, and Retired Army Colonel Edward Carson, Junior Vice-Commander. John Riggs remarked how proud he was of his Camp 25, the 2014 Recipient of the Abraham Lincoln Award for the best camp in the U.S.A., service to Mineral County and also complimented his support by the Sons of Veterans Reserve personnel under the command of Captain Wayne Eder.

Camp 25 serves all of the State of Nevada north of the Grand Army of the Republic Highway (US 6) and including all of White Pine County and the City of Tonopah. In eastern California, it also includes all of Mono and Alpine Counties, the eastern parts of El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, and Sierra Counties, and Plumas County south of state route 70.



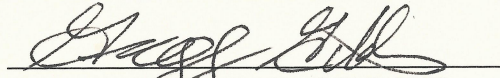
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HAWTHORNE ARMY DEPOT
CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION
FOR PATRIOTIC CIVILIAN SERVICE

IS AWARDED TO

GENERAL WILLIAM PASSMORE CARLIN CAMP 25, SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

For exceptional Patriotic Civilian Service in support of the Mineral County museum's dedication ceremony on August 9, 2014 at the Aurora Cemetery to commemorate the Aurora Veterans' Monument and Nevada's Sesquicentennial. Your service, wearing full dress uniforms of the Civil War and firing a Civil War period mortar, was invaluable to the ceremony. Camp 25 demonstrated compassion and dedication in preserving the history and legacy of Aurora Union heroes who fought and worked to save the Union. Camp 25 also patriotically supported Mineral County's Armed Forces Day 2014. History and Union sacrifices were demonstrated to students, the general public and military personnel by the display of civil war weaponry and reenactment of three mock battles.

10 June 2015


GREGORY K. GIBBONS
LTC, LG
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COL Carson
&
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