

GENERAL WILLIAM PASSMORE CARLIN-CAMP 25 DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA & THE PACIFIC

MINUTES OF THE CAMP MEETING

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 2016 AT 1300 HOURS VFW HALL, 255 VETERANS HISTORIC WAY RENO, NV

I. Opening

- A. The meeting was called to order by Senior Vice Commander Davis at 1330 hours.
- B. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Brother Frank Whitman.
- C. A moment of silence was called by SVC Davis.
- D. Members in attendance were: Ray Ahrenholz, J. M. Brewster, David Davis, Frank Whitman, and Francis Wood. Mike Creager of the 1st Nevada Cavalry was welcomed as a guest.

II. Council Report

A. No report.

III. Commander's Report—Brother Edward Carson

A. Because of Brother Carson's absence there was no report.

IV. Secretary/Treasurer's Report—Brother David Hess

- A. Because of Brother Hess' absence there was no report.
- B. **MOTION**: Brother Whitman made a motion to approve the minutes from the meeting of 14 February (previously submitted by Brother Hess), and the Treasurer's Report. **SECOND**: The motion was seconded by Brother Brewster. Passed unanimously.

V. Senior Vice Commander's Report—Brother David A. Davis

A. No report.

VI. Junior Vice Commander's Report—Brother Roger Linscott

A. Because of Brother Linscott's absence there was no report.

VII. History and Memorials Report—Brother David A. Davis

- A. Brother Davis provided a written and oral report with updates regarding the Unionville Remains (see EXHIBIT 1).
- B. Brother Davis provided a written and oral report on markers at Mitchell Post 69 for Civil War veterans reburied at Our Mother of Sorrows Cemetery in Reno. (see EXHIBIT 1).
- C. Brother Davis provided a written and oral report on a soldier possibly buried at Smith's Creek with a marker located at Camp Floyd/Critteden Cemetery, 30 miles south of Salt Lake City, Utah. (see EXHIBIT 1). Brother Whitman said that he would contact someone he knows at Smith's Creek Ranch to possibly gather additional information.

VIII. Patriotic Instructor's Report

A. Because of Brother Tyrone Davis' absence there was no report.

IX. New Business and Old Business

- A. As previously reported, there will be a presentation of a Daughters and Sons Quilt along with a ceremony at the Nevada Historical Society's upcoming meeting.
- B. Brother Brewster (Signals Officer) reported that the Camp's webpages are currently up to date. This includes Newsletters, Meeting Minutes, Officers, and the Events Calendar. Regarding the Camp's facebook page, he asked that someone from the Camp (Brother Davis suggested that Brother Worcester might be the best candidate) contact the family of Commander Riggs for access to the facebook page.
- C. Brother Whitman advised that Saint Augustine's in Austin is hosting a Salute to Veterans on 28 May from 1400 to 1800 hours, and asked that we add it to our calendar. More details to follow.

- D. Brother Ahrenholz asked that we add the following to our calendar: 18 June at 1100 hours, the Civil War Memorial will be dedicated at the Northern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Fernley, Nevada.
- X. The next meeting is scheduled for 12 June at 1300 hours, VFW Hall
- XI. Brother Ahrenholz offered the Benediction.
- XII. The meeting adjourned at 1430 hours.
 - A. **MOVED** by Brother Whitman, **SECONDED** by Brother Ahrenholz and passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

J M Brewster (for)
David Fredric Hess, Secretary/Treasurer
General William Passmore Carlin Camp 25
Department of California and The Pacific
Sons of The Union Veterans of The Civil War