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A Message from the Editor



Dear Brothers: Another year has come and gone as we find ourselves preparing to celebrate another reunion of Civil War descendants and honor the “Boys in Blue.” This past year has brought both prosperity and losses in one form or another to our Department. We’ve gained members, and we’ve lost members (both physically and spiritually, some moving out of the area and some passing on to be with their Creator). We’ve even had some Brothers leave

our Camps, yet only to form a new Camp in the Department! We’ve been triumphant with some projects and thwarted with others. The Department of California and Pacific continues to develop and become a leader among leaders in the Order.

As a result, the state of our Department is healthy. Our strengths lie in the dynamic membership the Department of

California and Pacific is so fortunate to have. As selfish as it may seem, it is an encouraging feeling to know that we can depend upon each other for support during both the good and bad times, to ensure that our Department continues to be as fruitful as it has been. With the grace of God we will continue to flourish in the years to come.

Destiny will continue to bring us both good times and bad times. Our continued progress is

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certain to ensure only the finest opportunities for us. Personally, as a Brother of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War I am pleased and honored to be member of the Department of California and Pacific. I join my fellow Brothers and Sisters in congratulating the current administration for their hard work over the past year, and look forward to working with the incoming administration over the months ahead of us.

Yours in Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

DANIEL R. EARL (PCC)

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Farewell from the DC

Dear Brothers,

The 121st Annual Department Encampment is fast approaching and will mark the end of my term as Department Commander. I look back on my period of service with few regrets and a great deal of satisfaction. I have been pleased to attend many local Camp functions throughout the Department and have been honored to perform a great number of Installations in person. One new Camp has been added during my term and others are in the discussion stages. I leave the next Commander with a Department that is strong and looking toward the future. Plans are being made for our Department to place a bid as host of the 2012 National Encampment.

While the Department's excellent standing is exciting, I continue to maintain that the work of this organization is done at the Camp level. I encourage all of you be active in your local Camps and help promote the objects of our great Order in the spirit of Fraternity, Charity and

Loyalty. Without the excellent work being done by local Brothers, the Department would be without purpose.

Thank you for allowing me to serve you these past several years. I look forward to gaining entry into the Past Department Commander's Club!

Yours in F, C, & L,

TAD D. CAMPBELL, PCC

Department Commander

NARA PROPOSES MAJOR FEE INCREASES FOR CW PENSIONS

by

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Editor, *The California Column*

Battle Stations! Red Alert! General Quarters!

Why you ask? To preserve our right to research our Civil War ancestors!

This past Monday, February 26th, the National Archives and Records Administration (the federal agency that holds old military records and pension files) proposed a new “rule” change. That “rule” translates into a fee increase of over 300% for we SUVCW Brothers and genealogists ordering pension and military records from NARA in Washington, D.C. Just seven years ago the fee for a military/pension file was \$10 (that included the basics as determined by some “uninterested staff person” at NARA). However,

if one decided to order the *complete* file, it could be done for an additional \$10. Not long afterwards this fee was increased to \$37 and the requestor would automatically receive the *complete* file. Today, NARA is proposing increases for all military records, but specifically for Civil War pension files they plan on robbing us of \$125 for a single pension of any size (the same for 10 pages or 200 pages).

Has inflation really increased over 300% in the last decade? I think not. Why should we, as the taxpaying researcher, be forced to pay more than two days worth of wages (at minimum wage) for documents that if we had access to directly would probably take us only a couple hours to locate and photocopy?

The Mission Statement of NARA is: "The National Archives and Records Administration serves American democracy by safeguarding and preserving the records of *our* Government, ensuring that *the people can discover, use, and learn from this documentary heritage*. We ensure continuing access to the essential documentation of the rights of American citizens and the actions of their government. We support democracy, *promote civic education, and facilitate historical understanding of our national experience*." Yet ironically, NARA is moving to stifle these very principles by claiming it is revising its fee schedule for the reproduction of records and other materials to purportedly reflect the current costs of providing the reproductions.

Under the proposed rule, the public has until 27 April 2007 to submit comments either in opposition or support of the fee increase. Regardless, the "interim final rule" (*i.e.*, the fee increase) will become effective on 29 May 2007. The comments, however, will be of significant influence, not so much to NARA (which has "unofficially" made an "official" decision to hike up the fees), but more importantly to your Representatives in Congress. One can contact NARA and leave comments several ways (I recommend using all):

- ✓ **Federal eRulemaking Portal:**
<http://www.regulations.gov>.
- ✓ **Fax: Submit comments by facsimile transmission to: 301-837-0319.**
- ✓ **Mail: Send comments to: Regulations Comments Desk (NPOL), Room 4100, Policy and Planning Staff, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001.**
- ✓ **Hand Deliver by Courier: Deliver comments to 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD.**

When you contact NARA by any means other than the eRulemaking Portal, be sure to refer to proposed rules for "NARA Reproduction Fees, 36 CFR Part 1258, RIN 3095-AB49".

Access to government records is the cornerstone of an open democratic government and cannot be denied its citizens, regardless of whether it's for genealogy or some other purpose; but at \$125 a request, NARA has ostensibly ceased to serve the needs of the general public. The proposed increases seem to be based more on supply and demand, rather than actual costs involved.

What are the true expenses of NARA? How do we know what a fair market rate is to charge? This can be accomplished by comparing the costs with what we *do* know. For example, businesses such as Staples, Kinko's and Office Max charge between 5-7¢ for self-service copies, and still make a profit. *Is the Government supposed to be making a PROFIT off its citizens?* Major libraries and archives around the country generally cost no more than 15¢ for a self-service copy. At even 25¢/page for a 200 page document the cost would be only \$50. Searching the well organized, catalogued system that NARA has might take 20 minutes tops to find a particular record! Taking into account wages and benefits of the employee searching for those documents, the cost is less than \$10. Shipping and handling will add another \$3. For an unusually large file of 200 pages, the maximum realistic cost of overall reproduction is

\$63. For an average pension of 30 pages the cost is just over \$20. At this prevailing rate the American public has been the victim of highway robbery over the past five years. NARA should be paying *us* to order copies of our ancestors' pensions! Instead the Government wants us to pay *more* for *less*.

Lastly, a look at one citizen's analysis of the proposed fee increase: One comment submitted to NARA agreed that the government ought to be able to recover reasonable costs. The key, here, is *reasonableness*. "Do you think the national parks system recovers the costs of maintaining millions of acres and thousands of buildings through user fees alone?" the comment begins. "Does the Department of Agriculture cover its costs through user fees to farmers? (Their services to farmers are free.) Does the Department of Education charge you for using their . . . database to read documents or find useful information? Not a penny. There are many examples of government services that benefit a select few, but which are paid for by the entire taxpaying population. That's because the costs and benefits balance each other out. Someone who never visits national parks, but whose taxes support them, may use a lot of some other government service. If every government service tried to recoup its operating expenses through user fees, we'd find that the entrance fee to a national park would jump to \$500, and viewing the . . . [Education] database would be by subscription only."

Even more important than commenting to NARA is that we ALL contact our Representative in Congress and express our displeasure with the proposed rate hike. If Congress receives enough negative comments about the proposal they CAN put a stop to it. If you're not sure who your Representative in Congress is you can find out at <http://www.house.gov> (if you don't have Internet access contact the editor at 408-531-9549). Letters, faxes, phone calls, and even personal meetings are needed to convince the people who represent us in Congress that this

increase is WRONG! Remember, the comment deadline is April 27th. Now go run, don't walk, to your nearest Congressman's office!

CA & Pacific Camps Ahead Full Steam!

In the SUVCW, our Civil War ancestors are represented by two separate yet equally important groups: the Camps that work to preserve the memory of the "Boys in Blue" in their local communities and the Department that coordinates activities among the Camps. These are their stories.

[Editor's note: Earlier this year each camp was asked to submit an article or information on recent activities and events of the past year. The following are from those Camps that responded. Thank you!]

Gen. W. S. Rosecrans Camp 2



Nothing submitted.

Phil Sheridan Camp 4Camp Officers for 2007:

Camp Commander Steven J. Welch
 SVC Rick T. LaRosa
 JVC Frank C. Avila
 Secretary-Treasurer Daniel R. Earl, PCC
 Chaplain Rev. Clark Seum
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 Council Daniel M. Bunnell, PDC
 Council Paul E. Lavrischeff
 Council Thomas T. Graham
 Patriotic Instructor Paul E. Lavrischeff
 Historian Daniel M. Bunnell, PDC
 Counselor Daniel R. Earl, PCC
 Guide William H. Pope
 Guard Vincent H. Bartning
 Color Bearer Robert J. Kadlec, PCC
 Musician James M. Welch
 Signals Officer Tad D. Campbell, PCC
 Graves Registration Officer Dan Bunnell, PDC
 Civil War Memorials Officer Dan Bunnell, PDC
 Eagle Scout Certificate Coord. Crittenden Bell
 Newsletter Editor Tad D. Campbell, PCC

Camp Activities for 2006:

- ◆ SUVCW members garrison at Fort Point, San Francisco Living history presentation with ACWA.
- ◆ Installation Dinner/Meeting Presentation by Brother Richard Staley in first person of Commander Charles Burdick, Co. F, 39th IL, a prominent member of Post 7 GAR, San José.
- ◆ President Lincoln's Birthday - Camp Meeting and Dinner Holder's Country Inn, Cupertino.

- ◆ Department Encampment - Department of California & Pacific Las Vegas, NV.
- ◆ Participated with SCV - Headstone/Memorial Bench presentation at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery in Colma, CA.
- ◆ Armed Forces Day Parade, Santa Cruz, CA.
- ◆ Memorial Day weekend placing flags on Veteran headstones at Oak Hill Cemetery, San José, CA with the Boy Scouts of America.
- ◆ Memorial Day weekend - Living History Presentation at ACWA Reenactment, Roaring Camp, Felton, CA.
- ◆ United Veteran's Council - Memorial Day Ceremony Oak Hill Cemetery, San José, CA and Memorial Day Services, Pacifica, CA; observances at various Bay Area cemeteries.
- ◆ Living History Presentation - King City Elementary and Middle Schools King City, CA.
- ◆ GAR burial plot dedication - Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland, CA.
- ◆ Casa De Fruta Civil War Reenactment and Living History Event near Hollister, CA.
- ◆ 67th Annual Independence Day Parade , Redwood City, CA.
- ◆ Living History Presentation/Reenactment - ACWA/CHAS/NCWA event, Duncan Mills, CA.
- ◆ SUVCW National Encampment, Harrisburg, PA.
- ◆ Ardenwood Living History presentation at ACWA/NCWA reenactment, Fremont, CA.
- ◆ Living History Presentation at Huntington Beach Civil War Reenactment.
- ◆ Camp 4's *first* Headstone Dedication Oak Hill Cemetery, San José, CA.
- ◆ Living History Presentation/Reenactment, Kearny Park, Fresno, CA.
- ◆ Memorial Service for Brother Charles J. "Corky" Reed, San Francisco, CA.
- ◆ Veteran's Day Parade, San José, CA.
- ◆ Flag Lowering Ceremony Oak Hill Cemetery, San José, CA.

Gen. U.S. Grant Camp 9

Nothing submitted.

Lincoln Camp 10Camp Officers for 2007:

Camp Commander Thomas Brown
 SVC Timothy Reese
 JVC Marvin Shaw
 Secretary-Treasurer Wayne Thalls
 Chaplain Larry Edler
 Newsletter/Historian Robert Nelson

William B. Keith Camp 12Camp Officers for 2007:

Camp Commander Don Hotchkiss
 SVC Steve Hauk
 JVC Gaylon Good
 Secretary Tedd Quill
 Treasurer Jim Hinds
 Council Bill Jones
 Council Gary Johnson
 Council Bill Brannigan
 Patriotic Instructor Jason Coffey
 Chaplain Alan E. Peterson, PDC
 Historian Leonard C. Becker, PCC
 Counselor Matt Carling
 Guide Bill Jones
 Color Bearer John F. S. Maloney
 Guard Dennis Hayes
 Graves Registration Officer Len Becker, PCC
 Civil War Memorials Officer Jason Coffey
 Eagle Scout Certificate Coord. A. Peterson, PDC

Newsletter Editor Matt Carling
 Quartermaster Don Hotchkiss, Jr.
 Public Information Officer Bill Brannigan
 Camp Signals Officer Jason Coffey

Camp Activities for 2006:

- ◆ Recruiting Drive: We sponsored a tent at the county fair in Apr 06 to recruit new prospective members.
- ◆ Department Encampment: We sponsored the department encampment in March 2006 at the Social Club of Main Street Station in Las Vegas and toured brothers to the Wood Lawn Cemetery where William B. Keith is buried.
- ◆ Memorial Day Program: We held our annual Memorial Day program at Wood Lawn Cemetery and decorated the eight Civil War veterans' graves in May.
- ◆ 4th of July Parade: Many of the Camp 12 members participated in a 4th of July parade in Boulder City.
- ◆ Veterans Day Parade: We took part in the Veterans Day parade in Nov.
- ◆ Christmas Joint Dinner: We held a joint December dinner for the SCV, SUV, Round Table and Friends of the Fort at Main Street Station with Camp 12 providing the color guard.
- ◆ Christmas Play at the Old Fort: We put on a Christmas Play at night under lantern light displaying a western fort circa December 1860 with all the officers saying their farewells to each other and choosing up sides as Lincoln had just been elected and the dissolution of the Union was at hand.
- ◆ Reenactment: We had a tent at the first ever Las Vegas Civil War reenactment to celebrate Nevada Day (Battle Born, our state motto as we became a state in Oct 31 1864 and voted for Lincoln) so we could recruit new members.
- ◆ GRO: We discovered the remains of Sgt. James Bernard Wilson (Co I, 4th Cal Inf) buried in an unmarked grave at Spring Mountain State Park. We are in the process of obtaining a headstone for him.

- ◆ Teaching school: A number of SUV members are involved with presenting 1 day long history programs in various High Schools on the Civil War.

Col. Roderick Matheson 16

Nothing submitted.

Gens. Sedgwick-Granger Camp 17



Camp Officers for 2007:

Camp Commander Paul Gillette
 SVC Floyd Farrar
 JVC Glen Roosevelt
 Secretary-Treasurer Charles Beal

Camp Activities for 2006:

- ◆ Brother Charles Beal initiated a program that involved determining the GPS coordinates for the graves of the Civil War veterans buried here in Orange County, as well as making a digital photo record of each grave.



Gillette-Stelter-Roosevelt-Beal

- ◆ Brother Beal, along with Commander Glen Roosevelt, took the lead in Camp 17's Last Soldier project. The last Union veteran to die in the county was determined to be Pvt. William Crandall of Company I, 52nd New York Volunteer Infantry. Private Crandall passed away in 1945, and had been in an unmarked grave at Anaheim Cemetery since that time.



- ◆ Camp 17 members were actively involved in the inventory and storage of GAR artifacts at Patriotic Hall in Los Angeles, along with Brothers from Camp 2. The hall is undergoing a lengthy restoration, and Commander Roosevelt led the effort to

catalogue all the GAR artifacts which had been haphazardly stored in various locations about the hall, and to place them in a centralized and secure location until the renovation is complete.

- ◆ In addition, Camp 17 brothers participated in over 35 patriotic and instructional events in 2006, from encampments, to reenactments, award ceremonies, and Memorial Day ceremonies.

John Logan Camp 20

Nothing submitted.

Sgt. William Pittenger Camp 21



Camp Officers:

Commander Will Tisch
 SVC Tom Helmantoler
 JVC Dave Allyn
 Secretary-Treasurer John A. May
 Council Bill Daley
 Council Bob Lowe, PDC
 Council Jerry Sayre, PCC
 Chaplain Dean Poole
 Patriotic Instructor John Finch
 Civil War Memorials Officer Dave Shaffer
 Eagle Scout Coord. Steve Berrey
 Graves Registration Officer Bob Lowe, PDC
 Guide Colin McKim
 Guard Jack Bruzas

Quartermaster George Van Valkenburg
 Signals Officer George Van Valkenburg
 Newsletter Editor Dave Allyn

Camp Activities for 2006:

- ◆ participated in the re-opening of the U.S. Grant Hotel in San Diego at which the Camp provided the color guard.
- ◆ participation at the Massing of the Colors in Balboa Park sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America and the Military Order of the World Wars.
- ◆ Veterans' Day Parade in San Diego
- ◆ Mother Goose Parade in El Cajon
- ◆ Fallbrook Christmas Parade
- ◆ Remembrance Day service at the Pittenger gravesite, the highlight of which was the recitation, by rote, of the Gettysburg Address by J. Sayre.

Gen. George Wright Camp 22

Camp Officers:

Commander Don Wilt
 SVC Greg Tracy
 JVC Harry Harland
 Council Fred Bohmfalk
 Council Wayne Griswold
 Council Lee Wolary
 Secretary-Treasurer Tom Smith
 Chaplain Steve Bogart
 Historian Chuck Davis
 Guide Bill Figenshu
 Color Bearer Bob Maerdian
 Eagle Scout Coordinator Bob Maerdian
 Guard Steve Neuburger
 Graves Registration Officer Don Wilt
 Newsletter Editor Greg Tracy
 Civil War Memorials Officer Harry Harland
 Eagle Scout Coordinator Steve Bogart

Camp Activities:

- ◆ participation in Presidents Day event at Mt. Vernon Memorial Park.

- ◆ recruiting and information display at the annual Gibson Ranch NCWA event in May.

Col. Elmer Ellsworth Camp 23



Camp Officers 2007:

Commander David C. Schleeter
 SVC Louis C. Olker
 JVC Kevin Mowery
 Secretary-Treasurer Roger Fernwood
 Council Don Van Auker
 Council Ron Cannon
 Council Grant Noah
 Patriotic Instructor David C. Schleeter
 Chaplain Charles L. Christian
 Historian Donald Van Auker
 Eagle Scout Cert. Coord. Charles C. Christian.

Gen. Alfred Pleasonton Camp 24



Nothing submitted.

Gen. Wm. Passmore Carlan Camp 25



Camp Officers 2007:

Commander: David A. Davis
 SVC Francis "Frank" H. Wood, Jr.
 JVC Brian I. Worcester
 Secretary-Treasurer Brian I. Worcester
 Council Francis "Frank" H. Wood, Jr.
 Council Donald W. Guidici
 Council Michael J. Curtis
 Chaplain Donald W. Guidici
 Patriotic Instructor Brian I. Worcester
 Historian David A. Davis
 Civil War Memorials Officer David A. Davis
 Graves Registration Officer Donald J. Huffman

Camp Activities for 2006:

- ◆ open house for the general public in February featuring a poster display and slide show about the history of the Grand Army of the Republic in Nevada.
- ◆ we convinced Carson City to renovate the GAR statue at Lone Mountain

Almeron J. Patchin Camp 26

Nothing submitted.



William T. Sherman Camp 28



Camp Officers 2007:

Commander Bob Duncan
SVC Tom McCullough
JVC Alex Grzywacki
Secretary-Treasure Roger Knox;
Council Everett Lee
Council David Pettitt
Council William Stewart
Graves Registration Officer Alex Grzywacki
Historian John Woodward
Eagle Scout Cert. Coord. William J. Stewart



Dedication of 21 Civil War veteran headstones for Company "C" California Native Cavalry Cieneguitas Cemetery, Santa Barbara, CA

Camp Activities:

- ◆ plan to preserve the memory of Union Civil War veterans in the Santa Barbara County area by locating and helping to maintain Civil War graves and monuments, especially the 21 headstones of Company "C" of the California Native Cavalry that stand in Cieneguitas Cemetery.



**RESTORATION
OF
MEMORIAL DAY**



*by Al Peterson, PDC
William B. Keith Camp # 12
Las Vegas, NV*

Back in 1868, General John Logan, then the Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, issued General Order # 11 establishing May 30th as Decoration Day. This order was designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion. It was encouraged that on May 30th of each year this order be carried out.



Over the years Decoration Day observances were carried out with great pride and effort to remember our war dead. In 1954 Decoration Day became Memorial Day by an Act of Congress. Nothing changed except the name. Organizations of many kinds continued to carry out this General Order and performed the ceremonies without encouragement or persuasion by others, it was the thing to do.



In 1971, Congress changed the day to the last Monday of May, for reasons I have not seen or heard. The problem lies therein. With Memorial Day being the last Monday of the month we lose sight of the true meaning of the day. When Congress made this "last Monday" designation (National Holiday Act of 1971, P.L. 90-363), creating a 3-day weekend, it became all the easier for us to be distracted from the true spirit and the meaning of the day.

Today, and since 1971 it means another day out of work or school, time for vacations plans to be made, bargains at the malls and cookouts. What happened to remembering those who gave their lives for us? What happened to remembering those who died for this country to make it a better place to live? We have almost forgotten the meaning of Memorial Day.

By observing this day on the last Monday of the month, fewer observances are conducted throughout this great country because citizens are making for themselves and forgetting those who sacrificed for our freedom. Too many do not know what the day stands for.

Therefore, I feel it is our sacred duty and responsibility to pay honor to those who gave of themselves, not only because we are a member of the SUVCW or other fraternal organizations, but because we are obligated to do so. It is our duty and responsibility to restore this sacred day back to its original day May 30th.

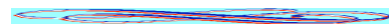
There are a couple of ways to support this matter, go to SUVCW.ORG, follow the links to sign the petition online, or sign your name on a piece of paper and E Mail it to me at AEPSUVCW@COX.NET. It's that simple.

Get your entire family, co-workers, friends, neighbors, reenactors, and other organizations, (the list goes on) to take part in this very important project.

And lastly, during 2007 we will be soliciting suggestions as to how to bring this matter to the attention of the citizens and Congress of this great country. We need your help.



THE TIME IS NOW



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Saturday, January 06, 2007

Dear Brothers,

As Department Senior Vice Commander, I am pleased to announce that the 121st Annual Encampment will return to San Luis Obispo, Mar 23, 24, 2007, at the Elks Lodge #322, 222 Elks Lane.

Registration is \$5.00 and Saturday Lunch is \$20.00. Registration slips are enclosed. Copy as needed.

Sat Night (CinC Dinner) will be at Apple Farm Restaurant and you will need to prepay \$30.00 for dinner as the restaurant needs a headcount. Note: Costs include 18% Service Charge., Taxes, and Room Charge.

As we have done in the past, rooms and other meals are your own responsibility.

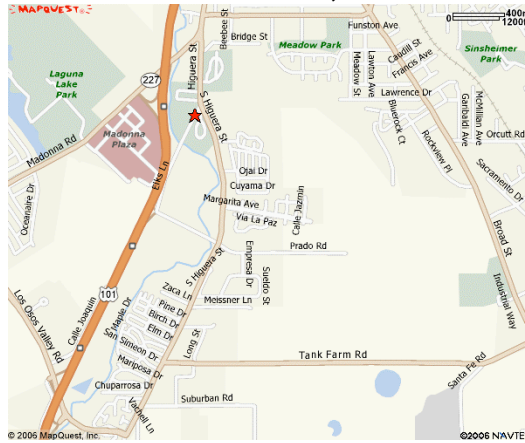
Doing it All for the Boys in Blue.

Yours, in Fraternity, Charity, & Loyalty,

Jerry Sayre

Department Senior Vice Commander

**121ST ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT
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SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MARCH 23RD & 24TH 2007
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Registration Form

Please Mail to: **SUVCW Department of California & Pacific**
C/O Dept. Secretary, Tom Smith
6512 Star Hawk Court, Elk Grove, CA 95758-6305

Please Make Checks payable to: **SUVCW**

Brother Name _____ Camp # _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone (____) _____ E-Mail _____
Guest Name _____ Affiliation _____

Registration Fee	# Brothers Attending _____ @ \$5.00
Meals are as follows: Saturday Lunch	# Attending _____ @ \$20.00
CinC Dinner Saturday Night	# Attending _____ @ \$30.00
___ Tri-Tip Beef ___ Turkey	

TOTAL _____