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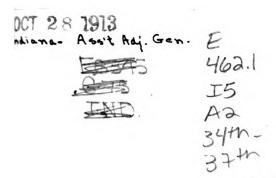
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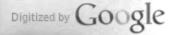
The first general meeting of the Thirty-Fourth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, was held in the First Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Indiana, on the evening of May 21, 1913.

The meeting was called to order by Past Department Commander D. N. Foster, who presided, and Rev. A. B. Storms, pastor of the Central Avenue M. E. Church gave the invocation which was followed by a musical number by the Shortridge High School Mandolin Club.

Annis Burk, representing Mayor Shank, presented the keys of Indianapolis to the veterans, not as a favor, he said, but because of a debt all America owes to the veterans of the civil war. Governor Ralston delivered the address of welcome, to which Department Commander W. E. Gorsuch, of South Bend, made response.

Gov. Ralston said in part:

The part Indiana soldiers took in the Civil War is the most brilliant page in the history of our state, and imperfect indeed



would be any review of their record that omits a reference to one of its most masterful men, who threw the force of his life and position on the side of the Union—Governor Oliver P. Morton.

The firing upon Fort Sumter made of him a flaming sword and every breeze that unfurled the beauties of Old Glory added to his patriotic fervor. He never waited for directions. He took the initiative in raising money and providing other means for the prosecution of the war. He was too far seeing to wait for Congress and the Legislature to authorize him to act, but he acted and put it up to Congress and the Legislature to ratify his deeds.

Under the stress of military necessity he was a law unto himself and a recent biographer discusses him under the head "I Am the State."

Yes, soldiers of Indiana, your record is a glorious one. When President Lincoln, in 1861, asked fewer than 5,000 of you to come to the front, more than 12,000 of you sprang forward ready to offer up your lives upon the sacrificial altar. And when the first and second calls were made by the President, you were the first to shout in the language of old Isaiah: "Here I am. Send me."

Patriotic and courageous, Indiana soldiers were always found in the thickest of the fight. No wonder, therefore, that Indiana's percentage of loss of those sent to the front was greater than that of any other state.

Her loss was necessarily great because her soldiers fought on almost every battle field of the war. They fought in every state that attempted to break out of the Union except Florida, and were ready to fight anywhere the Confederates wanted a battle on Northern soil; and let it never be forgotten, an Indiana soldier was the last to give up his life in the last battle of the war. All hail the matchless record of Indiana's citizen-soldiery; their fortitude and endurance; their courage and patriotism. When the artist sketches it upon canvas his brush will not trace in it a single stain. His picture will be a work of art indeed, true to history, calculated to kindle sentiments of gratitude in the world's heart and inspire patriotism in unborn generations.

Standing fifty years this side of the great conflict and confronted as we are with the marvelous achievements made in the industrial, intellectual and institutional life of our nation, we should not have to inquire why you were called on to endure the hardships and make the sacrifices you did. The answer should be familiar history to this generation, but I suggest the question because this and subsequent generations must not forget you went to war to maintain a government national in its conception, founded on the consent of the governed and bequeathed to the on-sweeping centuries through the blood of our fathers.



You went to the front that a government of the people, by the people and for the people might not perish from the earth. To make its perpetuity certain the doctrine of nullification had to be overthrown and human slavery abolished. What you did in the great work is more enduring than the monument standing yonder builded by a grateful people in recognition of your valor and patriotism.

Soldiers, in speaking this word to you I am not forgetful your steps are growing shorter. I am not unmindful you are no longer fitted for the long march. I understand, too, the clouds are lowering about you, but I want you to believe me when I assure you that both on this side and beyond the clouds, hope and love reign for you.

May all your remaining days be days of peace and plenty; and as you move in and out among your fellow citizens, may you not fail to see that the smiles of a grateful people are upon you.

Members of the Grand Army of the Republic, I voice the sentiments of every heart in Hoosierdom when I bid you and all the auxiliary aids connected with your organization a cordial welcome to the capital city of your state on this great event.

Other addresses were made by Mrs. Belle W. Ephlin, Department President Woman's Relief Corps; Colonel W. F. Geller, division commander Sons of Veterans; Mrs. Flora R. Harlan, president Ladies' Auxiliary S. of V.; Mrs. Lida Manson, Department president Ladies of the G. A. R.; Adjutant-General Henry J. Seely, and Dr. J. C. Fulton, of Bluffton.

Music was furnished by the Shortridge High School Mandolin Club; Mrs. Laura Burr, of Anderson; Mrs. Winona C. Diewert, of Greensburg; and the Logansport Grand Army quartet.

FIRST DAY'S SESSION.—TOMLINSON HALL.

Thursday, May 22, 9:30.

The convention was called to order by Commander Gorsuch. Comrade A. J. Ball was announced as Officer of the Day and Comrade Geo. Thormeyer as Officer of



the Guard to serve during the sessions of the Encampment.

The Encampment was opened in due form according to the ritual. Rev. Richard C. Jones, Department Chapplain, invoked the divine blessing.

The following report of the Committee on Credentials was read:

Indianapolis, Ind., May 22, 1913.

To the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

The Committee on Credentials would respectfully report that we have examined the Roll Call and find the following to be correct and complete roll of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. DAUGHERTY, Chairman, T. B. WILKINSON, EMMA STUART FINCH, J. C. GORDON.

Adopted.

Commander—Comrade Fesler's voice being rather weak he has delegated my Chief-of-Staff to call the roll of the Department Officers.

Roll of officers was called by Chief-of-Staff Daugherty. Inasmuch as the roll call was so voluminous it was moved and seconded that the calling of it be dispensed with.

Here follows the roll call of the Encampment.



DEPARTMENT OFFICERS.

*Department CommanderV	VILBUR E. GORSUCH.
*Senior-Vice Department Commander V	V. V. WILLIAMS.
*Junior-Vice Department Commander I). B. McConnell.
*Medical DirectorS	
*ChaplainH	RICHARD C. JONES.
*Assistant Adjutant-General and	
Assistant Quartermaster-General J	. R. FESLER.
*Chief-of-StaffV	V. W. DAUGHERTY.
*Department InspectorA	UGUST LEICH.
*Patriotic Instructor	GEORGE W. SCEARCE.
*Judge-AdvocateS	SAMUEL M. HENCH.
Chief Mustering OfficerJ	. D. GALLEHER.
*Color Bearer	CHAS. W. WHEAT.
*Chief BuglerJ	OHN W. CLEMSON.
NATIONAL OFFICERS.	
*Council of AdministrationWm. H. Armstrong	
PAST NATIONAL OFFICERS.	
†Commander-in-ChiefI	
†Scnior-Vice Commander-in-Chief I	
*Senior-Vice Commander-in-ChiefV	
†Junior-Vice Commander-in-ChiefRobert S. Foster.	
†Chaplain-in-ChiefI	
†Surgeon GeneralV	
*Chaplain-in-ChiefI	
*Judge-Advocate-GeneralV	
DEPARTMENT COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION.	
†FLAVIUS J. VAN VORHIS. ORL. *A. D. VANOSDOL.	*John H. Hoffman.
*J. C. GORDON.	JOHN II. HOFFMAN.
PAST DEPARTMENT COMMANDERS.	
†Robert S. Foster. ‡Charles M. Travis.	†Benjamin Starr.
†Nathan Kimball. *Gil R. Stormont.	*George W. Grubbs.
†Oliver M. Wilson. †Ivan N. Walker. †Louis Humphrey. †Joseph B. Cheadle.	†Daniel R. Lucas.
- 10 - 10 : 10 : 10 : 10 : 10 : 10 : 10	†Marine D. Tackett.
†Jonathan B. Hager. †James T. Johnston.	E. R. Brown.
†Samuel E. Armstrong†Albert O. Marsh.	*W. A. Ketcham.
†William W. Dudley. †Harvey B. Shively.	
†James R. Carnahan, *Henry M. Caylor.	
Edwin Nicar. James S. Dodge. *David N. Foster. *Daniel Ryan,	
	*Dan Waugh.
†Thomas W. Bennett. †William L. Dunlap.	Frank Swigart.
†Ira J. Chase. *David E. Beem.	
*Argus D. Vanosdol. *Milton Garrigus.	

†Transferred to another Department.



*Present.

+Deceased.

Morton Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Сом.—*James A. Crabb.

P. C.—James W. Haley, James F. Murphy, *Lawrence Burget, Carl Kreitenstein, *Nicholas Fillbeck, *Jesse Robertson, *James S. Neeley, *David Denny, *James F. Nosler, Cyrus Knapp, Hiram Steele, *S. Hamlin Jaggers, *Oscar Rankin, T. C. Williams, *Russell Cole, John R. Coffin, Hamilton Elliott, Edward O'Neil, L. H. Beekman, *Jerome B. Dooley, Cornelius P. Murphy, Charles Mills, Zalmon Ruddell, Noble H. Rogers.

Del.—*John Merry, *Wm. A. McClure, *Wm. B. McIlvain. Alt.—Oscar Hammond, Isaac N. Valentine, John T. Slavins.

General Canby Post No. 2, Brazil.

Com.—*Solomon Conder.

P. C.—S. E. Couch, *S. C. Bishop, *B. V. Rector, *N. T. Keasey, Luther Wolfe, George W. Geren, W. W. Decker, *J. E. Sherfey, B. F. Hedges, *T. M. Robertson, M. V. McClure, Solomon Conder. *John Williams.

Del.—*Wellington W. Lathrop. Alt.—Benjamin S. Bailey.

John A. Logan Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Com.—Harry Canfield.

P. C.—A. L. Stoney, E. G. Black, *J. H. Mitchell, *D. C. Rankin, *J. W. Graves, *J. W. Mitchell, B. K. Kramer, *G. W. Washburn, T. W. Davis, *Geo. W. Dexter, *Albert A. Jones, *Henry A. Miller, W. H. Friend, I. C. Cannon, Martin Lucas, *I. S. Wade. *Samuel C. Walker, W. W. Alder, C. Callahan, *Daniel White.

Del.—*James H. Jones, Thos. S. McDowell, A. C. McCorkle, Alt.—*Hull Itskin, D. W. Henderson.

John C. Fremont Post No. 4, Covington.

Com.-*C. W. Bowman.

P. C.—Oliver Blakely, *J. T. Bell, Oliver Boord, G. W. Martin, *Sam Martin, Wm. Remester, Peter Harmon, W. W. Evans, John McCoy, Bert Vanhook, James T. Bell.

Del.—Dr. Barnes.

Alt.—Nelson Mebeker.

Com.—Commander.

P. C.—Past Commander.

ALT.—Alternate.



Pap Thomas Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Com.-*W. W. Dixon.

P. C.-*J. F. Childs, *O. C. Elder, *J. Cobb, *A. S. Creath, *Thos. Havens, *W. M. Bruner, W. W. Dixon, *D. Lyons, *W. McElroy, *H. C. Snell, *G. S. Dickey, *Albert Tower, *J. Shaw, Jacob Theis, *B. F. McCoy, *J. N. Annis, S. F. Ridenour.

Del.-*A. Murphy, *A. Hershfield.

ALT .- *J. A. Wilson, *J. Taylor.

James H. Emmett Post No. 6, Wabash.

Com.—T. R. Brady.

P. C.—*W. M. Henley, *A. F. Spaulding, *W. W. Woods, *Alex. Hess, W. D. Gochenour, John W. DePuy, T. R. Brady, S. J. Payne, *Daniel Jackson, John B. Tyer, *N. McNamee, Alvah Taylor, B. F. Williams, W. W. Green, G. W. Swadley, *W. F. Lines, A. M. Gibson, George V. Murphy, W. H. Wilson, *R. F. Blount, *E. G. Burgett, *T. C. McClure, Samuel Sholtz, *A. H. Plummer, *J. P. Noftzer (No. 199), James P. Ross, *W. F. Dundee. Del.-*A. C. Huff, A. F. Spaulding.

ALT.-John Webber, Dan Livengood.

McPherson Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

Com.-*D. C. Smith.

P. C.—*Edward C. Snyder, *Byron R. Russell, Jas. F. Boots, *Harvey R. Tinsley, Sam'l L. Ensminger, *Henry H. Talbott, Martin V. Wert, *Benj. F. Crabbs, *Eleazer Cole, *Geo. F. Myers, Hiram Burroughs, *Jas. A. McClelland, *John W. Clemson, *Sam'l W. Fraley, *Thos. T. Meinhall, Thos. Shepard, *Chas. M. Crawford, *Patrick H. Lalley, *Albert T. Hornbaker, *Thos. J. Griffith, Ebenezer H. Morgan, David C. Smith, *Joseph R. Linn, *W. H. Ferkish.

Del.—*Ambrose Remley, *Jackson McCormick.

ALT.-Wm. P. Daggett, Abram H. Hernley.

Auten Post No. 8, South Bend.

Com.-W. H. H. Ritter.

P. C.-J. P. Creed, Edwin Nicar, Cyrus C. Trump, John L. Steele, *J. A. M. LaPierre, John T. Hall, T. E. Howard, W. A. Liggett, D. N. Dressler, M. L. Steffey, R. W. Donmoyer, *B. F. Yerrick, John Yant, Mark L. Webster, *Horace Martin, W. L. Hindman, Geo. A. Betcher, John S. Van Arsdal.



Del.—L. D. White, *M. G. Huey, John Kleindish, Elza W. Evans.

Alt.—Alexander Staples, Chas. J. Taylor, Daniel Peeley, E. B. Row.

Steele Post No. 9, Rockville.

Com.—Samuel Coble.

P. C.—M. T. Kelley, *M. W. Marshall, J. B. Connelly, *Elwood Hunt, Clinton Murphy, *David Strouse, James O'Haver, *Wm. H. Hargrove, A. F. White, Rufus Dooley, *Isaac A. Pickard, J. N. McCampbell, Joseph O'Haver, A. Van Swearinger, Daniel H. Strange.

Del.—George W. Lollis.

Alt.—Samuel Crooks.

Captain Floyd Post No. 10, Annapolis.

Сом.-

P. C.—J. C. Vickery, J. M. Ephlin, J. R. Tucker, G. C. Maris, R. G. Atcheson, S. P. Bannon.

Del.-*Geo. Uselman.

ALT.

Greencastle Post No. 11, Greencastle.

Com.-*A. H. Lockridge.

P. C.—*C. O. Wagoner, L. P. Chapin, *J. A. Kellar, J. T. Denny, *T. C. Grooms, *S. F. Lockridge, W. B. Vestal, *Chas. Meltzer, *F. A. Hays, Jesse M. Lee, Jesse Richardson, F. Rockhill, *C. M. Short, E. E. Edwards, *J. M. Donnohoe, J. R. Miller, *W. J. Ashton, *F. Rockhill.

Del.—R. W. Allen, C. O. Wagoner, Chas. Meltzer.

Alt.—John King, Jesse Richardson.

Isham Keith Post No. 13, Columbus.

Com.—Jno. A. Robertson.

P. C.—*W. F. Kendall, *Geo. H. Clutch, *B. M. Hutchins, M. V. Jewell, *S. M. Glick, *C. A. Adams, *L. C. Moore, *Lewis King, *Gustavus Miller, *Henry Strassner, *Wm. Williams, *Wm. Polen, John Stobo, *C. E. Potter, *John Newton, T. A. Moore, Evan McMahon, *A. C. Flanigan, Ed Ganmon, *Wm. Henderson, *John L. Jones, J. Huffer.

Del.-W. C. Trotter, *Jos. Cochran.

ALT.—Valentine Ault, H. C. Hubbard.



Logansport Post No. 14, Logansport.

Com.-*A. C. Walters.

P. C.—*D. B. McConnell, John Ensfield, *J. H. McMillen, *I. N. Watkins, *J. E. Crain, *J. B. Winters, *A. J. Robinson, Lemuel Brown *James Grow, M. M. Gordon, *S. A. Vaughn, George P. McKee, *A. C. Walters, F. C. Miller (P. C. Waverly Post).

Del.-*Robert R. Green, *M. M. Collett.

ALT.-*W. H. H. Ward, Mauris L. Sellers.

Morgan Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Com.—A. T. Lett.

P. C.—G. H. Stucky, *Fred Smith, *I. C. Higgins, A. M. Jones, George Goodrich, *Geo. D. Martin, Wm. H. McCord, A. T. Lett, E. J. Harris, Gabriel Adkerson, Wm. H. Ficklin, Chas. Schafer, John M. White, G. G. Heuring, Marion Jones.

Del.-*Thos. R. Tislow.

ALT.-Wm. Jackson.

Jeff C. Davis Post No. 16, Vincennes.

Com.—John T. Simpson.

P. C.—*D. F. Spees, George Pennington, A. P. DeBeuler, I. E. Townsley, Abe S. Reel, *John T. Simpson, James A. Keith, Joseph Roseman.

Del.-John C. Watt.

Alt.—Felix Gremore.

George H. Thomas Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Chas. W. Oaks.

P. C.—*Peter Franzman, *Robt. W. McBride, *Benj. F. Osborn, *Omer B. Boardman, James M. Watts, Oliver J. Pursel, Francis J. Hauhn, Amos. H. Haines, *Wm. L. Resoner, *Samuel E. Collins, Addison J. Rodgers, John I. Yeaman, *John C. Hamilton, Israel S. Badorf, Benj. N. Spinner. *Alexander M. Scott, Garrett M. Walrod, Fletcher E. Marsh, Robt. B. Armstrong, David N. Huey, Geo. B. Marshall, James A. Menefee, Augustus D. Shaw, *Beverly W. Sullivan, *Oscar N. Wilmington, *James A. McHaffy, *Oran Perry, *Willis G. Sale, *Chas. L. Wilson, *John B. Wirts, Christopher J. Murphy, Chas. W. Smith, *John L. McMaster, *Jos. E. Haskell, James B. Black, *Henry C. Allen. *John M. Paver, Richard M. Smock, *James E. Twiname, *Daniel L. Brown, Wm. H. Armstrong, *Wm. N. Pickerill, James H. Porter, *Garrett H. Shover, *Augustin Boice, *Harvey B. Stout, *W. W. Daugherty, *Rollin C. Irwin, *B. A. Richardson, F. M. Haines,



Wm. Sherer, J. Newton Lambert, *Edw. J. Saverage, *Eli F. Ritter, *Irby S. Wagner, Oscar T. Kuhn, *A. J. Ball, *T. B. Corey, *Thomas Wooley, *H. C. Luson.

Del.—*Henry Nicolai, Vinson Carter, *Geo. W. Alexander, *Isaac N. Julian, Oren S. Hadley, *John Reinschild.

Alt.—S. A. Rollins, Geo. Thormeyer, Henry Comstock, Samuel M. Compton, Ben Jearl, Geo. W. Baxter.

Dumont Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Com.-*George M. Wright.

P. C.—*Elisha Weakly, *K. Alexander, *Samuel C. Carson, *Cameron Lympus, *John M. Byers, *James B. Wilson, *S. B. Morris, *Joseph B. Randall, *A. M. Weed, *James Neves, *T. L. Haymond, *R. M. Wood, *James K. Bowers, *A. J. Ensminger, *William H. Norris, Thos. F. Chaffee.

Del.—*George Peters, *George Hill, *Elizah Vanarsdall, *C. J. Murphy.

ALT.

Ellsworth Post No. 20, Seymour.

Com.—*John Hunterman.

P. C.—J. W. Wegver, *J. H. Boake, *Chas. Murphy *L. W. Jones, *Dan Wilson, *John Fox, *Lawry Foster, *Linley Ruddick, *W. J. Rumbley, John Hunterman.

Del.-*F. M. Huckleberry, Weley Covert.

Alt.—A. P. Williams, D. M. Hays.

General Shunk Post No. 23, Marion.

Com.-*S. W. Turner.

P. C.—James S. McClain, *Jacob M. Barnard, Woodson S. Marshall, *Francis M. Smith, *Augustin Kern, Robert A. Love, Joseph Clouse, *Daniel T. Price, *Samuel Woods, *D. E. Myers.

Del.-*John A. Howard.

ALT.—D. Green.

Abe Lincoln Post No. 24, Mace.

Com.—*William Evans.

P. C.—*John Hughelheim, *W. H. Thompson, John Pogue, *Frank Baker, William Evans, *Thomas Wright, James Williams, *T. A. Davidson.

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Benton Post No. 25, Fowler.

ALT.

P. C.—C. Van Auker, Ed Westman, Chas. Hampton, *Ben Barker, L. B. Stevenson, J. M. Rodman.

DEL.-

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Alois O. Bachman Post No. 26, Madison.

Com.-*Louis E. Beckman.

P. C.—John F. Moore, *John F. Hammell, A. D. Vanosdol, C. P. Richardson, Geo. A. Sipmson, James White, Chas. W. Stanley, James F. Girard, *David G. Stuart, Webster B. Ray, *Wm. Wallington, John Chapman, Chas. W. Calloway, *H. C. King.

Del.—*Daniel Grebe, *William Dietz, Durbin Miller.

ALT.—James Humphries, Marion Schoolcraft.

Farragut Post No. 27, Evansville.

Com.-*Chas. Kretchmar.

P. C.—C. H. Myerhoff, A. C. Rosencranz, J. W. Messick, H. A. Mattison, J. R. Elberfield, *August Leich, *C. C. Schreeder, *J. D. Carmody, *Stephen Biederman, G. J. Giessler, L. N. Wheeler, *Chas. Kretchmar.

Del.—*Wm. Warren, *I. L. Smith, *Frank Snurpus, *Green Fields, *D. W. Brown.

ALT.—W. A. Fritsch, Gustav Riss, A. D. Walden, J. R. Wise, A. Winstroth.

Archer Post No. 28, Princeton.

Com.-*A. P. Twineham.

P. C.—*Gil R. Stormont, *Jos. C. Hartin, Hugh Hanna, F. M. Grigsby, H. T. Carliss, W. M. Duncan, *Jas. A. Sprowl, John M. Stormont, Jos. K. McGary, *W. J. Lowe, Jas. W. Lewis.

Del.-*W. W. Blair, *J. T. Carpenter.

ALT.-G. W. Shopbell, W. C. Hudelston.

Aaron Hobson Post No. 29, Marshall.

Com.—Stephen Beeson.

P. C.—Stephen Beeson, B. W. Dooley, *C. E. McDaniel, E. R. Teague, W. A. Ealam, E. D. Litsey, S. K. Fuson.

Del.—Eli Wanda.

ALT .- H. L. Titus.



Thos. J. Harrison Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Com.-*John W. Barnes.

P. C.—*Milton Garrigus, Orlando A. Somers, T. S. Strickland, A. N. Grant, *Daniel S. Shafer, *Oliver L. Moulder, *Edwin A. Moore, Jeremiah McCool, *Milton Bell, J. C. Niswanger, *J. B. Butcher, Sol A. Pennington, *Wm. H. Sumption, *H. M. Sailors, *Wm. H. Sellers, *Henry B. Stewart, *Nelson D. Stanbro, *John H. Stone, *John S. Trees, *Wm. H. Fisher, Joshua W. Cragen (Jerome, Ind.,), W. D. Ward (Kansas), *John Z. Lett.

Del.—*J. E. McDaniel, *Eli Quaintance, *A. E. Curlee. Alt.—*Sol Burkett, John A. Jones, W. R. Hull, J. D. Veatch.

Bcothroyd Post No. 31, Delphi.

Com.—Silas B. Doggett.

P. C.—*George W. Mitchell, *James A. Neff, *Norton Jones, *A. B. Crampton, *Isaac Cochran, *Jacob B. Fisher, *Joseph W. Hanna, *A. B. Crampton,, *Samuel W. Barnett, *John S. Case, *James F. Hull.

Del.—Stephen L. Woodruff. Alt.—John Grey.

Garfield Post No. 32, Boswell.

Сом.-

P. C.—H. C. Cassel, Robt. Kelley, David Weaver, B. F. Booth, B. E. Demmick, S. P. Smith, *G. W. Nichols.

Del.—I. B. Eberle.

ALT.—

Lew Dailey Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Com.-*J. M. Wooster.

P. C.—E. Y. Sturgis, *L. L. Martz, Ben Fry, *Wm. J. McAfee, *John Vose, Ezra Deering, Henry Steckemper, M. L. Marquart, Cyrene Warner, William Angel *M. M. Justus, J. L. Myers, *F F. Boltz, *J. V. Kenagy, *H. C. Melick, *John Wisner, *J. C. Fulton, *Adam Foust., *E. M. Rinear.

Del.—*J. W. Rinear, *J. S. Lockwood, *Alexander Lydy, *A. F. Cotter, J. I. Leonard.

ALT.—



General Lyon Post No. 34, Otwell.

Com.—R. E. Chappell.

P. C.—James Scandlin, S. W. Chappell, R. E. Chappell, Albert Pride.

Del.-*B. B. Radcliff.

ALT.-John Bower.

R. J. Templeton Post No. 35, Oxford.

Com.-W. H. McConnell.

P. C.—*Andrew Titsworth, *A. P. Carnahan, W. H. McConnell.

Del.—B. F. Smith.

ALT .- B. F. Smith.

McKeehan Post No. 36, North Vernon.

Com.—

P. C.—*J. C. Cope, D. B. Reeder, G. W. Shaffer, A. McKand, H. Willman, *H. Knoll, E. Langneck.

Del.-*Joseph Evans.

ALT.-

Elmer Post No. 37, Elkhart.

Сом.-

P. C.—C. G. Conn, *James D. Braden, Wm. H. Trump, James H. Dodge, *John P. Walker, W. H. Merritt, O. T. Chamberlin, John Larue, Valentine Marks, Geo. H. Coley.

Del.-August Whirly.

ALT.—Chas. Dillon.

Sedgwick Post No. 38, Union City.

Com.—*Ambrose H. Swain.

. P. C.—Jas. Patchell, J. B. Ross, E. P. Gallion, Philip Wolf, R. B. Castle, J. W. Hoke, H. T. Warren, C. C. Waite, J. W. Broadrick, J. L. Reeves, *E. L. Anderson, Robert Lester, *Milton Cooper, D. W. Bickel, *J. C. Walker.

Del.-Wm. Wasson.

ALT.-*Abijah Green.

Col. Asbury Steele Post No. 39 (Nat. Mil. Home), Marion.

Com .- *Harvey Davis.

P. C.—*James Stone, Maloy W. Rock, Joseph A. Herman, Jesse A. Scott.

Del.—*Joseph Hardesty, Tim Fitzgerald, *Albert Boley.

ALT.-E. T. Chaffee.



Sion S. Bass Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Com.—Samuel Curtis.

P. C.—*J. E. Graham, *A. Daugherty, J. Liggett, *J. Edsall, A. W. Pierce, *T. Geller, *J. Kress, Isaac d'Isay, *J. Hess, *Wm. Engle, *Sam'l M. Hench, *Wm. Donnell, *J. Shuler, *J. Kikley, *J. Corlett, *M. T. Connett.

Del.-*John H. Cook, *Wm. Dufforn.

ALT .- F. J. Potter, Wm. Schoonover.

Veteran Post No. 41, Winamac.

Com.—Jasper N. Brown.

P. C.-Fred Haschaal, *Milton Ewing, O. S. Kelso.

Del.-Milton Ewing.

ALT.—Fred Haschaal.

Rich Mountain Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Com.-*Wm. E. Whittinghill.

P. C.—*Jesse Neff, *T. M. Small, *Nick Bennett, *J. R. Saunders, *N. A. Perrill, *J. Y. Storm, W. H. H. Evans, *I. N. Caster, *R. E. Burns, *J. A. Powell, *J. S. Wood, *Joseph Reese, *C. T. Warren, *S. R. Carter, J. C. Jaques, C. W. Johnson, *Jacob S. Miller, W. R. Marks, A. E. Anderson, *A. F. Campbell.

Del.—*Wm. M. Hawkins, *James Richey, *A. L. Howard, J. C. Templeton.

ALT.—T. R. Caldwell.

Meade Post No. 44, Butler.

Com.-*W. H. Wickard.

P. C.—J. M. Young, J. McClintock, E. B. Rose, W. U. Craun, W. L. Yates, A. C. Huffman, S. Vandusen, John Brown.

DEL.-W. H. Wolcott.

ALT.-

Geo. V. Rawson Post No. 46, Michigan City.

Com.-*H. A. Root.

P. C.—Wm. H. Davis, H. J. Willits, A. B. Barron, H. A. Root, J. C. Haddock, M. L. Bramhall

DEL.—

ALT.



Kenesaw Post No. 47, Independence.

Com.-Wm. Havey.

P. C.—Zest Munson, Wes Foster, Wm. Ketchum, *John W. Edwards, Wm. Harvey.

Del.-*Abram Clawson.

ALT.—David Benson.

Shiloh Post No. 49, Newport.

Com.-R. H. Nixon.

P. C .-

Del.-*R. H. Nixon.

ALT.-

Dan Pratt Post No. 50, Galveston.

Com.—A. C. Garrett.

P. C.—*J. M. Bell, J. Q. Symon, *Wm. Wampler, *A. C. Garrett, J. C. Patton, *A. J. Haynes.

Del.-*S. A. Metcalf.

ALT.-Leroy Cornell.

Tippecanoe Post No. 51, Monticello.

Com.-*Philip A. Holladay.

P. C.—*James B. Roach, *G. B. Ward, *J. E. Loughry, James M. McBeth, *Elliott Malone, Thos. E. Donnelly, P. A. Holladay, rugh H. Steele, *Wm. H. Hutton, C. E. Harlacher, Wm. M. McCorkle, Samuel Z. Todd, *W. E. Fox, *Henry Snyder.

Del.—Benj. F. Baer.

Alt.—James M. Pringuy.

Waterloo Post No. 52, Waterloo.

Com.-Chas. R. Reed.

P. C.—James P. McCague, F. C. Waterman, J. J. Lightner, James N. McBride, Prentiss Gill, F. W. Willis, C. R. Reed, Geo. W. Sparks, John Shuman, Robert Patterson, S. R. Rickel, A. W. Wherley.

Del.-James N. McBride.

ALT.—A. W. Wherley.



Sol Meredith Post No. 55, Richmond.

Com.-*Wm. H. Baughman.

P. C.—*Joseph P. Iliff, *John F. Davenport, *Lafe Larsh, *W. K. Young, *Noah H. Hutton, *Lysander M. White, Elijah Lawton, *John A. Markley, *Geo. Weist, *Benj. B. Duke, *Allen W. Grave, *James A. Taylor, *Martin A. Bailey, *Martin L. Grose, *James H. Vanzant, *Henry C. Fox, *H. R. Marlatt, *John Ward, *Daniel W. Comstock, *S. S. Wilson, Samuel Huddleston, Thos. P. Smith, *Wm. Mitchell, Isaac Earl, William Schunaman, *Fred Bartel, *Irvin B. Arnold, *B. Cogshall, *Philip Lefeber, Jacob McConnelly, John A. Griffy.

Del.—John L. Rupe, *John P. Lancaster, *John Deets. Alt.—Geo. McKinney, Stephen Thomas, Michael Griffin.

William B. Reyburn Post No. 56, Peru.

Com.-*Clark Latta.

P. C.—*Wm. F. Daly, *Louis B. Fulwiler, W. H. H. Spaulding, *James H. Hosman, Wm. F. Gibbons, J. V. Wilhelm, Guy Haughtington, *T. H. McGloin, *Abe Whistler, *Cornelius Bell, John Emehiser, Wm. I. Leffel, *P. M. Crume, *Wm. Demuth, Clark Latta.

Del.—*I. C. Road, A. J. Parks. Alt.—

Nelson Trusler Post No. 60, Winchester.

Com.—B. F. Wilmore.

P. C.—Nimrod Brooks, Wm. E. Murray, *I. P. Watt, John Miller, R. Bosworth, George Coats, W. C. Brown, A. M. Best, M. M. Austin, Olynthus Cox, John Flight, David Fudge, B. F. Wilmore, *Levi Carnes, Wm. P. Marlatt, N. C. Simmons, *L. G. Puckett, W. H. Reinheimer.

Del.—*Stephen Clevenger, *G. D. Corte. Alt.—F. M. Johnson.

Elwood Post No. 61, Elwood.

Com.-*J. W. Davis.

P. C.—S. W. Edwins, *John Lewis, *John P. Rounds, *Lafayette Ferguson, *J. H. Wagner, *M. E. Baylor, *Chas. Waymire, *John F. Brown.

Del.—*Harrison Gray, *Slath Bowers. Alt.—Major Jones, John Rittenhouse.



Bryant Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Com.-*H. B. Walters.

P. C.—*James Anderson, Vol Correll, J. D. Galleher, *Jacob Sheffer, *W. H. Langton (Dept. of Ill.), E. Little, G. D. Wagner transferred).

Del.-*James P. Bennett.

ALT.—Hezekiah Crumley.

Samuel Henry Post No. 63, Decatur.

Com.-Fred F. Freck.

P. C.—*J. D. Hale, *B. W. Sholty, *D. K. Shackley, W. H. Myers, L. Cherryholmes, M. J. Westzberger, C. T. Raineer, R. D. Patterson, J. R. Parrish, *L. N. Grandstaff, *Fred F. Freck.

Del S. B. Fordyce, Daniel Kitson.

ALT.-John Williams, Geo. Kline.

Hackleman Post No. 64, Brookville.

Сом.-*М. А. Јасов.

P. C.—M. A. Jacob, *Louis G. Scheze, John L. Cowen, Thomas B. Thackery, *John Ferris.

Del.-*George Golden.

ALT.—Hugh West.

Stone River Post No. 65, Frankfort.

Com.—George Blystone.

P. C.—*Wm. H. Hart, *O. Gard, D. A. Coulter, *Q. A. Kennedy, *Chas. H. Doctor, *James A. Price, *Cy Clark, *J. W. Amos, *Joe Reagan, *H. C. Jackson, R. W. Seagers, R. C. Clark, *David Handley, J. H. Mills, *N. W. Cosner, *S. J. Keever.

Del.-*Wm. M. Spence, *John Maxwell.

ALT.-Wm. Kemp, John Atkinson.

DeLong Post No. 67, Auburn.

Com.-J. O. Davidson.

P. C.—*Nicholas Ensley, Robt. Simpson, John Otto, Joseph Rainier, *Philip Noel, S. J. Farney, W. C. McIntosh, J. Q. Davidson, D. C. Marvin, *H. F. Sembower.

Del.-*Amos Hilkey.

ALT.-Alfred Kessler.



Shively Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Com.-*Christian Siehl.

P. C.—John Brademeyer, J. F. Minker, F. H. Paetker, John Appel, J. N. Morris, *J. A. Gardner.

Del.—Chas. Hatter.

ALT .- Ben Griff.

Martin R. Delaney Post No. 70, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Henderson Brown.

P. C.—*Cruz Duncan, Frank Mahan, *Henderson Brown, Carter Temple, Chas. W. Brown, *Chas. Hunter.

Del.—Phillip Dawson, *Joseph Price.

ALT.-John Hubbard, William Adams.

U. S. Grant Post No. 72, Washington.

Com.-*C. E. Peck.

P. C.—W. P. Ellis, J. W. Ramsey, Zack Jones, W. H. Springer, Philip Hart, J. W. Kellams, J. D. Berry, *J. W. Streeter, *Frank Wise, *Geo. W. Snider, *J. W. Sullivan, J. M. Jackman, W. S. Waller, *Joseph Bogner, J. G. Wallace, Wm. Wirts, Henry Wood, F. J. Smith, R. H. Bell, Henry Bell.

Del.-*Frank Evans, *A. D. Colbert.

ALT.-W. H. Fariss, A. E. Johnson.

Remington Post No. 74, Remington.

Com.-John Shelmon.

P. C.—J. H. Green, J. R. Wilson, Isaac Luckey, H. H. Walker, Ezra Bowman, Isaac Luckey.

Del.-*T. J. Turner.

ALT.—

Henry S. Lane Post No. 76, Francesville.

Com.-*Stephen Eldridge.

P. C.-*Stephen Eldridge.

Del.—*Thos. M. Spence.

ALT.—Alphus Kulinger.



Blankenship Post No. 77, Martinsville.

Com.—Thos. D. Evans.

P. C.—John V. King, Jas. H. Jordan, *Geo. W. Grubbs, *D. P. Kennedy, F. M. McNair, *H. H. Woods, J. H. Seaman, *J. M. Neeley, Moses Bailey, John C. Kriner, W. W. Kennedy, Chas. Hamilton, Calvin Stanley, *W. H. Miller, *Thos. Minter.

Del.-Leroy S. Hatley.

ALT.—Squire Tatum.

Williams Post No. 78, Muncie.

Com.-*Warren Brockway.

P. C.—Wm. H. Murray, *A. L. Kerwood, W. J. Carson, Nathan N. Spence, *Samuel B. Garrett, George N. McLaughlin, Robert Q. Patterson, *Frank E. McGrath, *G. W. H. Kemper, *Nathan H. Long, Edward M. Bishop, *Lyman O. Leach, *Web. S. Richey, George A. Carpenter, Oliver Carmichael, *John Poland, W. H. Cooper, James E. Dare, D. H. McAbee, D. W. Sloniker, *Joseph Younce, John Buettner, Edwin Pugh, *C. M. Kiger, *E. M. Thornbury, *J. H. Yaryan.

Del.—*Clay Whiteley, *Abraham McConnell, John W. Davis. Alt.—Thomas Skinner, John Cashdollar, J. H. Williamson.

Joel Wolfe Post No. 81, Rushville.

Com.—Jabez Smith.

P. C.—*John C. Humes, Edward Young, *Ben L. McFarlan, Chas .O. Nixon, *Irvin L. Clifford, John M .Stevens, Luther B. Downey, Col. E. H. Wolfe, Frances M. Redman, *Ben L. Smith, James K. Mattox, Daniel M. Kinney, Jabez Smith.

Del.—George D. Pearsey.

Alt.-John W. Davis.

John A. Platter Post No. 82, Aurora.

Com.-H. P. Sparth.

P. C.—*Clark Canfield, *James M. Baker, E. H. Niebaum, F. H. Rusher, *H. P. Sparth, John E. Baker, *F. W. Doerr, *John Peters, *F. W. Kassebaum, *Elijah Stewart, L. E. Brinkamp, *R. Block, F. M. Doerr, *Thomas Tanner.

Del.-*Aaron B. Henley.

ALT.—



John P. Porter Post No. 83, Geneva.

Com.-S. Cook.

P. C.—J. M. Holloway, *Will H. Fought, J. P. Scheer, S. W. Hale, M. J. O'Harra, L. Rape, Wm. Fields, *A. Burris, I. N. Veley, J. L. Juday, *J. G. Brenner, S. Cook, *Wm. Drew, Eli Krons (transferred from post at Bryant, Ind.), *Henry Kirby.

Del.-*Christopher Haviland.

Alt.-J. W. Heistand.

Rensselaer Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

Сом.—D. Н. Yeoman.

P. C.-*D. H. Yeoman, Henry Grow, John M. Wasson,

Del.—Henry Grow.

Alt.—Burgess Dillon.

Paul E. Slocum Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Com.-*Thos. C. Whisnand.

P. C.—*W. J. Allen, W. A. Fulwider, *Wm. F. Hepley, Moses St. Clair, *J. T. Eller, J. H. Eaton, N. H. Fee, Thos. Kilpatrick, Joseph Lindsay, *W. W. Pauley, *Isaac N. May, William Whaley, W. J. Allen, *N. R. Matson.

Del.—*Isaac Mitchell, *Joel H. Malicoat, *Henry Springer. Alt.—Geo. W. Welch, William Griffin, Jacob Vandyke.

Jeffersonville Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

Com.—Christian Russ.

P. C.—William Faucett, E. B. Youmans, *Geo. McCullough, J. J. Wagoner, Silas Bowlding, Chas. Lamper, *J. M. Vanmeter, R. B. Mason, Christian Russ.

Del.-J. M. Kiselmark.

ALT.-J. M. Vanmeter.

Samuel Reid Post No. 87, Salem.

Com.-*W. J. Hauger.

P. C.—*Eli W. Menaugh, Fred L. Prow, *Josiah Emery, William Overman, James B. Berkey, Wm. L. McKnight, Ed. N. Conner, W. E. Johnson, Wm. M. Linscott, Wm. J. Hauger.

Del.—*William R. McNight.

Alt.-John A. Bressie.



Robert Huff Post No. 89, Lawrenceburg.

Com.—John G. Schmeltzer.

P. C.—Jacob Rief, Sanford Tuthill, *Samuel Harryman, John Rork, John McKee, *Geo. A. Taylor.

Del.-*Drewry Nothern.

ALT.—Cyrus Demaree.

Charles W. Howell Post No. 90, Goshen.

Com.—Charles W. James.

Del.—S. P. Fryberger, *William Miller.

ALT.—Chas. F. Harper, John W. Simmons.

Worthington Post No. 91, Worthington.

Com.—George W. Hamilton.

P. C.—D. S. Fulk, Ephraim Herrell, Daniel Saliday, J. W. Jackson, J. D. Spainhaver, Henry Williams, J. W. Jackson.

DEL.

ALT.

Samuel H. Dunbar Post No. 92, Greenfield.

Com.-*Stephen Jackson.

P. C.—*Henry Snow, J. K. Henby, *Taylor Morford, *John Barr, *Thomas Coffee, George W. Duncan, Wm. R. King, *Wm. Hutton, *Lafayette Slifer, *James Thomas, Henry Winslow, Jacob Pavey, J. W. Loder, Almond Kiefer, Stephen Jackson.

Del.-*John Davis, George Reed.

ALT.-S. O. Shumway, Willis Bird.

Gettysburg Post No. 93, Spencer.

Com.-*William S. Mead.

P. C.—Thomas H. Boswell, *David E. Beem, William Fender, Calvin A. Hutchinson, John H. Murphy, Wm. S. Mead, *James McClure, *Samuel Parish, Andrew J. Wellman, Bernard Jacobs, William Fender, *Theodore Labestew, A. M. Bryant.

Del.—Geo. Boneswell, Geo. W. Dean.

Alt.—Geo. W. Edwards, John N. Thomas.



Ben North Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

Com.—B. F. Miller.

P. C.—W. H. Clark, James Harris, G. A. Dugle, *H. B. Sparks, Charles Fisher, *George W. Sweazey, S. E. Scott, Henry Mead, *Lewis F. Works, *M. S. Langwood.

Del.-*I. B. Redd.

ALT.-

McClung Post No. 95, Rochester.

Сом.—John В. Apt.

P. C.—John R. Stallard, Michael L. Essick, A. G. Sinks, Isom R. New, *Jonas Myres, *J. T. Gainer, W. S. Bolles, O. F. Smith, S. H. Hoffman, *H. E. Butler, *W. H. Wheaton, *G. A. Martindale.

Del.-*Jacob Wright.

ALT.-Wm. H. Dierdorf.

C. C. Wheeler Post No. 98, Versailles.

Com.—Benj. Winsor.

P. C.—J. O. Cravens, John W. Albright, *T. G. Day, *Henry Osborn, *F. M. Hancock, *D. K. Marsh, B. F. Preble, J. P. Lynch, A. M. Wooley, *Philip Seelinger, Benj. Winsor.

Del.—

ALT.

Girard Post No. 101, Monon.

Com.-Richard Sparrow.

P. C.—A. Stanfelt, J. M. DeVault, F. A. Haugh, *G. L. Cattlin, N. Sparrow.

Del.—Robert Adams, *James Tull.

Alt.—Samuel Albright, Job Duvall.

McHolland Post No. 102, Kentland.

Com.-John Higgins.

P. C.—Isaac Smart, J. W. Randall, T. C. Moore, A. Heilman, G. M. Bridgeman, Jira Skinner, John Lowe.

Del.—J. D. Conklin.

ALT .- *W. H. Burton.



William Smith Post No. 103, Sheridan.

Com.-John S. Kercheval.

P. C.—*John S. Kercheval, *John P. Bradfield, J. M. Abbott, John M. Haughey, Abe Steffey, *John H. Cox, Wm. M. Evans, *Louis S. Kercheval, *John W. Dungan, *Capt. A. A. Haskett, Thos. J. Lindley, *M. L. Leter, O. S. Newton, *Isaac M. Jones, *Robt. M. Stephenson, John H. Cox.

Del.-R. N. Crumbaugh.

Alt.—Joseph W. Cropper.

J. H. Danseur Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Com.—Ransom J. Willard.

P. C.—J. J. Gillett, *R. J. Willard, F. L. Church, *G. W. Hissong, E. Hinkley, E. R. Steele, L. D. Cather, H. M. Bastian, John H. Caton, John Wuthrick, *Albert Preston.

Del.-John Wuthrick.

ALT.—George W. Minnick.

Van Buren Post No. 105, Pike's Peak.

Com.-*C. Hurley.

P. C.—Thos. A. Hendrix, *Robt. A. Wilson, *A. Haucher, John Foreman, C. Hurley.

Del.-Joseph Skinner.

ALT.—Jonathan Hines.

Chaplain Brown Post No. 106, Valparaiso.

Com.-*Frank P. Thompson.

P. C.—*Nelson J. Bozarth, Aaron W. Lytle, E. M. Burns, John R. Mills, Jasper N. Finney, *John W. Forney, Lamb D. Wolf, *D. D. Rose, Frank P. Thompson, *W. C. Wells.

Del.—Louis LaDouear, Joseph Zea.

Alt.—Hiram Miller, James Bell.

Charles W. Heath Post No. 109, East Enterprise.

Com.-H. D. Tinker.

P. C.—A. J. Works, H. D. Tinker, Geo. W. Land, Isaac H. Littlefield.

DEL.-

ALT.



Hathaway Post No. 110, Rolling Prairie.

Com.-W. H. Hecker.

P. C.—*G. H. Shead, W. H. Hecker, C. W. Freeze, H. B. Worden.

Del.-E. M. Thomas.

ALT.—George Heald.

Morocco Post No. 111, Morocco.

Com.-John Grant.

P. C.—D. M. Graves, B. F. Roadrick, J. Vayett, James Shafer, Geo. Musson, John H. Grant.

Del.-John Grant.

ALT.-

Kosciusko Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Com.-*Ephraim L. Seaman.

P. C.—J. N. Runyon, W. H. Bennett, John Niswanger, *C. W. Scott, J. S. Neely, J. W. Sellers, *C. W. Burket, David Kintzler, *S. D. Hathaway, Noah McComb, *J. Tinkey.

Del.-J. M. Stout, Andrew J. Cary.

Alt.—Benjamin J. Foulk, John Pinkerton.

Deacon Post No. 115, New Carlisle.

Com.—Samuel Davis.

P. C.—L. A. Maudlin, Samuel Davis, Geo. W. Doughty, Isaac N. Vail, H. H. Wethered, Oren Tippy.

Del.-John D. Taylor.

Alt.—Samuel Wenger.

Andrews Post No. 116, Andrews.

Com.—*M. Woodbeck.

P. C.-M. Woodbeck, M. Swartz, Wm. McMahon, *John Kahl.

Del.-Robt. J. Wybourn.

Alt.—A. L. Thompson.

Harrison Cathcart Post No. 117, Bristol.

Com.—J. W. Mitchell.

P. C.-A. E. Salisbury, S. L. Krider.

DEL.-

ALT.



George W. Rader Post No. 119, Middletown.

Com.—S. P. Ledgerwood.

P. C.—*J. A. Young, Jonathan Brattain, E. M. Hanby, A. J. Fleming, Isaac H. Miller, *Lafe Bell.

Del.-I. W. Cooper.

ALT.-*W. M. Moore.

Masters Post No. 120, Boonville.

Com .- E. P. Rowe.

P. C.—Wm. H. Allen, *John C. Shaffer, *Ephraim Rowe, *Wm. H. Hudson, F. J. Lamar.

Del.-*W. Wilson.

ALT.

C. L. Guild Post No. 121, Medaryville.

Com.-*Calvin Coppess.

P. C.—M. Robinson, *W. H. H. Tilton, *Henry W. Ballard, *Fred Maribauer, R. L. P. Massey, Ben Ogesby, *Henry L. White. Del.—*John Parker.

ALT.—Peter Owens.

James C. Veatch Post No. 123, Rockport.

Com.—John Hemelheber.

P. C.—J. S. Wright, John Feigel, G. W. Bettis, Bart Inco, John Hemelheber, A. D. Garlinghouse, Joseph McAdams, J. K. Balderson, B. F. Bridges.

Del.—George Bettis, Bart Inco, Joseph McAdams. Alt.—

John Murray Post No. 124, Pierceton.

Com.—Samuel H. Kile.

P. C.—*Hiram Finton, *Wm. A. Babcock, John A. Clemons, M. R. Bishop, A. G. Adams, G. W. Wolf, Joseph Hanson, *Samuel H. Kile, *T. A. Hoover, *John A. Mock.

Del.—Samuel D. Grimm.

ALT.-W. S. Smith.



Stansbury Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Com.-J. H. Hoffman.

P. C.—*J. H. Hoffman, J. L. Dunning, W. G. Gardner, C. R. Graves.

Del.-*J. B. Noe.

ALT .- Job Sharp.

Connersville Post No. 126, Connersville.

Com.-*W. T. Murray.

P. C.—Thos. M. Little, A. E. Barrows, Geo. Stewart, W. N. Young, *S. E. Perin, W. T. Murray, J. W. Hanah, *Chas. H. Smith, *Preston Cates, *I. M. Anderson, Jas. Wymore, Rezin Stevens, *L. L. Cooley, W. T. Murray.

Del.—Alonzo Runyon, *John Lewis.

Alt.-*J. K. Proctor, John Green.

Wadsworth Post No. 127, Franklin.

Com.-*Luther Short.

P. C.—*Joseph M. Storey, Wm. S. Young, Lewis D. Rothbaust, *John H. Worley, *Alvin F. Curtis, Wm. H. McClanahan, *John R. Owens, *James M. Brown, *Phil. W. Brown, *Edmon P. Ervin, Thos. B. Wood, *W. W. Long, *Richard V. Witman, William Thomas, *Daniel D. Waldren, *D. H. Shuttern.

Del.-*Dr. John W. Dill, *John Carson.

ALT.-Rodman Coons, Richard M. Lee.

Houghton Post No. 128, Mishawaka.

Com.—*John Borough.

P. C.—Ed. A. Jernegan, Jesse H. Gaines, H. D. Kindy, R. E. Perkins, John W. Boyd, M. M. Fisher.

Del.-*E. R. Huntsinger.

ALT.

Henry C. Coulter Post No. 131, Russiaville.

Cом.—A. C. Merrick.

P. C .- O. L. Evans, Luke Thomas.

Del.-R. O. Richards.

ALT.—George Shultz.



Lafayette Gordon Post No. 132, Argos.

Com .- *I. Hess.

P. C.—*John C. Gordon, *J. Pickerl, I. Hess, J. D. Townsend, *J. A. Lowery, *J. F. Rosebaum, *J. S. Hussey, *J. W. Price, *William Stafford, *William F. White, W. H. J. Flagg, *Charles Behn, William White.

Del.-I. Hagenbush.

ALT .- *J. W. Harris.

Lookout Post No. 133, Noblesville.

Com.-*T. J. Burton.

P. C.—Jas. H. Harris, *J. K. Fisher, Isaac F. Hiatt, H. M. Caylor, John A. Atkins, *L. G. Metsker, Geo. S. P. Smith, W. C. Vance, *J. R. White, *W. E. Craig, A. R. Tucker, W. H. Scovell, Isaac J. Dayton, *Joseph LaFeber, *A. J. Fryberger, *Wm. H. Stern, E. C. Wilson, *Gilbert Gray, Philip Rhoads, Jesse E. Venable, *J. T. Furgason, T. J. Collier, *J. A. Phoff.

Del.-*C. N. Scott, *D. S. Byers.

ALT.-J. R. Harris, *Nathan Kiste.

James R. Slack Post No. 137, Huntington.

Com.-*John Carey.

P. C.—Chas. W. Watkins, *Nathan H. Kuhlman, Buell M. Cobb, *Israel H. Heaston, *David Pressel, *Wm. F. Swaim, John S. Gill, Andrew J. Rosebrough, Chas. H. Newell, Alfred H. Stuver, *Wm. H. H. Brown, *Frank Gerard, David D. Holm, Wm. P. Moffett, Abner H. Shaffer, Alois Scheiber, Dewitt C. Anderson, *John S. Glenn, John Minnich,

Del.—Henry Bridge, Cyrus Hughes.

Alt.-Ernest Pippenbrink, David M. Hawley.

S. C. Aldrich Post No. 138, Hudson.

Com.-W. A. Greenamyer.

P. C.-W. A. Greenamyer.

DEL.

ALT.

Lookout Mountain Post No. 140, Gaston.

Com.-Henry B. Trout.

P. C.—*W. C. Hoffman, *J. W. McCreery, Henry Miller, *Henry B. Trout, George Lisby, *J. W. Slain.

Del.—Lewis Bond.

ALT.-John Conner.



John C. Carnes Post No. 144, St. Joe Station.

Com.—Geo. W. Trostel.

P. C.—J. D. Leighty, Mahlon Baker E. Inhafe, Chas. W. Freeburn, J. Y. Davis, Ben Hamilton, Jos. Koch, J. A. Provines, C. A. Rhoads, G. Horn, Geo. Nostel, Walter Mabel.

DEL.-

ALT.

Put Evans Post No. 146, Sharpsville.

Com .- Louis Hoffman.

P. C.—Hiram Heath, J. K. Baxter, *C. M. Sleeth, *P. A. Bailey, *Louis Hoffman, *L. H. Doty, *J. T. Grayson, *W. M. Bennett, Lewis Hoffman.

Del.-*E. W. Ulrich.

ALT.-Ed Smith.

Patton Post No. 147, Laporte.

Com.-Wm. C. Weir.

P. C.—E. R. Hart, *Edwin Malloy, *E. L. Ephlin, W. C. Weir, L. J. Bryant, E. D. Daniels, *Peter Fisher.

Del.-Frank A. Boyd.

ALT.

George W. Lennard Post No. 148, New Castle.

Com.—Lee M. James.

P. C.—*George H. Cain, W. M. Pence, *Lou M. Moore, L. S. Denins, M. E. Anderson, T. W. Gronendyke, Thad Coffin, Joseph M. Brown, D. W. Chambers, H. C. Elliott, W. B. Bock, I. W. Ellis, John Thornburg, *A. W. Saint, H. H. Henderson, *Thomas Gray, *J. C. Livezey, Lee M. James, Joel Harvey, *L. Dennis, David Luellen, *Clark Gordon *Geo. P. Beach, David Luellen, J. W. Black.

Del.-Jacob M. Gough, *W. B. Bock.

Alt.—Lee M. James.

B. J. Crosswait Post No. 150, Angola.

Com .- David K. Swift.

P. C.—D. K. Swift, Andrew Somerlott, Orville Carver, Henry H. Wist, Lafayette Burkett, John Carson, Lawrence Gates, J. H. Hirst, Thad K. Miller, Wm. Tasker, S. J. Stowe, A. B. Jeffries, Nelson Letts, J. G. Johnson, Curtis Cassell, A. J. Snyder, David K. Swift.

Del.-*J. B. Cheney, *Solomon Cox.

ALT.—Andrew Hart, Joseph Chasey.



Dela Hunt Post No. 152, Cannelton.

Com.-John Zimmerman.

P. C.—John Zimmerman, *Jacob Snyder.

Del.—Samuel Hyde.

ALT.—Robt. B. McMains.

Stephen J. Bailey Post No. 154, Portland.

Com.-Jos. E. Clark.

P. C.—*Levi L. Gilpin, Louis J. Bruner, Jesse J. M. LaFollette, John W. Headington, Nimrod Headington, Thos. J. Stanley, *Wesley D. Sebring, Samuel F. Hiatt, Tunis W. Thorp, Jacob W. Burk, Joseph E. Clark.

Del.-*Mordica White.

ALT.-

Major Patton Post No. 157, Vevay.

Com.—Jos. Ramsayer.

P. C.—John Moxby, John Shaw, Edmond Raschig, J. C. Kirk-patrick, John Pavey, J. C. Long, Fred Thiebaud.

DEL.

ALT.-

Gordon Tanner Post No. 159, Brownstown.

Cом.—William Т. Hancock.

P. C.—E. M. Wells, *D. B. Vance, J. C. Gosman, J. F. Slade, *Andy Perian, Frank Crocket, *Jam Bosley, *Daniel Empson, *E. W. Miller, Wm. T. Hancock.

Del.-*George W. Wort.

ALT.—Charles Atkins.

John Wheeler Post No. 161, Crown Point.

Com.-Wm. Krimbill.

P. C.—Henry W. Wise, John E. Luther, O. G. Wheeler, Ed F. Caswell, Wm. Krimbill.

Del.-Joseph T. Atkins.

ALT.-*H. H. Meeker.

Antietam Post No. 162, Jamestown.

Com.—John F. Proctor.

P. C.—S. M. Best, *Thompson Henry, *John C. Ferree, *John F. Proctor, Thos. Day, *John Yetton.

DEL.-

ALT.—



Jacob Hoops Post No. 163, West Terre Haute.

Com.—Chester R. Church.

P. C.—Chester R. Church, M. T. Goodman, Wm. Broadhurst, Thos. Underwood, Wesley Harney.

Del.-*W. A. Black.

ALT.-W. A. Black.

Jesse S. Ogden Post No. 164, Danville.

Com.—Henry Curtis.

P. C.—John V. Hadley, *George W. Scearce, *Thos. J. Cofer, *Dr. F. H. Huron, J. S. Marshall, *Chas. Sacre, *A. M. Dooley, *John W. Whyte, Dr. Chas. A. White, H. N. Vannice, *H B. Little, *E. C. Wills, *Harvey Henry, J. E. Huniston, *John McCoy.

Del.-*Theodore Woods.

ALT.—Geo. Woods

William McGinnis Post No. 167, Roanoke.

Сом.-

P. C.—A. Wasmuth,, *J. W. John, Sylvanus Koonts, A. J. Hyser, J. M. Keefer,* J. M. Wohlford, P. D. Swick.

Del,-*Noah Bordoine.

ALT.-Francis Goings.

Jerry B. Mason Post No. 168, Knightstown.

Com.—T. B. Wilkinson.

P. C.—T. B. Wilkinson, *Wm. B. McGovern, *John E. Keys, *White Heaton, *Wm. P. Foulke, *Robert A. Smith, *R. W. Gillutt.

Del.-Marcus Pickering.

Alt.—J. W. Reeves.

William Swain Post No. 169, Ossian.

Com.—M. N. Newman.

P. C.—M. N. Newman, J. A. D. Taylor, A. Hoopengardner.

Del.—Lewis Hoopengardner.

Alt.—*John Koons.



Champion Hills Post No. 171, Brookston.

Com.—George Owen.

P. C.—*George Owen, *I. S. Ramey, J. E. Carson, J. H. Giles, Robert Irwin, A. H. Melts, Thomas Bostick.

Del.-*John Hartman.

ALT.

August Willich Post No. 175, Batesville.

Com.—Peter Schreiner.

P. C.—*C. S. Ward, Peter Schreiner, John Bohland, *June Abbott, John Schultz, Wm. E. Moore.

Del.—Selector Thackery.

ALT.—John Meister.

James M. Waggener Post No. 177, Greenwood.

Com.—James M. Kelley.

P. C.—J. F. Meinan, Wm. Bass, S. V. Alexander, *Geo. Whitenack, *J. M. Kelley.

DEL.

ALT.-

Lynnville Post No. 178, Lynnville.

Com.-L. B. Ridens.

P. C.-L. B. Ridens, M. W. Rice

DEL.-

ALT.

Cambridge City Post No. 179, Cambridge City.

Com.-I. F. Sweney.

P. C.—Abram Runnel, *W. F. Medsker, *I. F. Sweney, Gilbert Crosley, Jacob McConley, David Wright.

Del.-J. N. Conklin.

ALT.-*W. B. Overhiser.

Minor Padgett Post No. 180, Bennington.

Com.-J. W. Gardner.

P. C.—W. M. Seymour, F. W. Cole, J. W. Gardner, Michael Harmon.

DEL.-

ALT.



George W. Stough Post No. 181, Columbia City.

Com.—P. V. Gruesbeck.

P. C.—John[§] F. Lawrence, Nic Eisaman, H. H. Laurence, I. N. Keller, J. M. Maine, *Frank Smith, P. V. Gruesbeck, *Levi Garettson.

Del.-Franklin Smith.

Alt.-Adam Keiser.

Bennett Post No. 183, Kewanna.

Com.—*John A. Barnett.

P. C.—John A. Barnett, J. C. Cannon, J. J. Kumler, *A. Hunneshagen, *H. N. Troutman, E. V. Hudkins.

Del.-Wm. R. Freel.

ALT.—Daniel Bruce.

Virgil H. Lyons Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Com.—David Douglass.

P. C.—*J. L. Gunn, *J. Q. A. Mattern, *Wm. R. Snipes, *J. S. Moore, *David Douglass, *Taylor Reagan, *Wm. P. McKenzie, *J. M. Barlow, *John Tucker, *F. B. Kumas, *Chas. Doan.

Del.-J. M. Barlow.

ALT.-J. L. Gunn.

Stephen Mead Post No. 187, Fort Branch.

Com.—*Chesley F. Garrison.

P. C.—Thos. A. Walters, John A. Ervin, John Rustin, Aug. Rodeman, C. F. Garrison, Benj. F. Stewart.

DEL.—

ALT.

Duvall Post No. 188, Liberty.

Com.-*John Harlan.

P. C.—John W. Short, E. H. Yaryan, John Yaryan, Rufus L. Brown, Thos. Casey, *Wm. Duvall, Albert Parvis, J. C. Gillmore, W. H. H. Clark, J. A. Bertch.

Del.-J. Harlan.

ALT.-



William Spear Post No. 189, Dillsboro.

Com.-*J. C. Vandoloh.

P. C.—Leroy Roberts, D. C. Misner, *Wm. Rowland, J. H. Abbott, H. B. Tonnemacher, F. M. Miller, J. F. Pieper, Henry Pieper, Wm. Handley.

DEL.-

ALT.

Mart Ballenger Post No. 190, Williamsburg.

Сом.—

P. C.-M. J. Roberts, Richard Williams, John H. Beard.

DEL.

ALT.

W. L. Sanderson Post No. 191, New Albany.

Com.-H. E. Koutter.

P. C.—Andrew Fite, Louis Bir, Chas. H. Sowle, Wm. R. Atkins, J. W. Edmondson, R. P. Finney, John W. Durbin, W. H. Padgett, O. P. Anderson, Rob. Ralston, *A. H. McQuiddy, *A. L. Brasher, A. C. Stelle, Edmond Caye, J. Hammond, H. C. Merritt, S. Hubler, W. E. Noyes.

Del.-*Sylvester Hubler.

ALT.—A. L. Brasher.

Col. Nathan Kimball Post No. 192, Linton.

Com .- *David Jarvis.

P. C.-David Jarvis.

DEL.—

ALT.

William Cuppy Post No. 195, South Whitley.

Com.—B. F. Bates.

P. C.—W. D. Cook, B. F. Bates, Raymond William, Allen Pence, Frank Drake, Will Heagy, J. Keel.

DEL.-

ALT.

Joseph Bowen Post No. 197, North Liberty.

Com.-L. E. Coder.

P. C.—A. N. Narigon, David Houser, *W. H. Connor, L. E. Coder.

Del.-John Pontius.

ALT .- Wm. Edison.



Shiloh Field Post No. 198, Elkhart.

Com.-W. J. Hazel.

P. C.—*Cyrus Seiler, John C. Stuck, E. B. Myres, R. S. Chamberlain, L. M. Smalley, *J. A. Bigelow, F. E. Tousley, *A. C. Brown, M. E. Huston, Wm. H. Wotson, J. L. Miller, John S. Lloyd, A. C. Rogers, H. W. Godfrey, D. E. Long, Jesse B. Drake, T. F. Garvin, Nelson E. Miller, W. M. Tobias.

Del.-*D. A. Fleming, D. H. Shreiner.

ALT.-Jos. N. Parker, J. L. Wright.

Gen. John A. Logan Post No. 199, N. Manchester.

COM.-B. F. Shilts.

P. C.—J. J. Martin, J. B. Shuler, J. C. Elwood, J. D. Spurgeon, Emanuel Egner, Joe Cowgill, *Samuel Dunbar, *R. A. Schoolcraft, *J. A. Clevinger, J. P. Noftzger, *Charles Kosher, *Geo. W. Ridgly, *Samuel Hamilton. Henry Smith, *J. M. Cox, *Wm. Starrett, Allen Cody, B. F. Shilts.

Del.-*Reuben Moyer, Henry Strayer.

ALT.—John Cordier, B. F. Goodwin.

Boone Post No. 202, Zionsville.

Com.-*Mark D. Miller.

P. C.—*J. M. Byer, *I. T. Huckleberry, *C. Nuby, R. Lee, *J. L. Hopkins, F. S. Anderson, *L. Burton, J. W. Rooker, Columbus Nuby, *D. R. Fouts, *Israel Myers.

Del.-*Lou Parker.

ALT .- Columbus Nuby.

James Price Post No. 203, Tipton.

Com.-*S. D. Downing.

P. C.—Thomas Paul, J. A. Swoveland, *M. Huss, J. H. Van Valkenburg, Wm. McBride, *E. W. Pharas, W. J. Miner, H. Bunch, *Wm. Smith, *Chas. Matthews, *S. T. Bacy, D. W. Hilligoss, *N. Campbell. *S. D. Watson, E. Wheatley, J. R. Bartholomew, Jas. Harper, Wm. White, Dan Waugh, *Alonzo Merrett, *Alonzo Richardson, H. C. Burton, *Isaac Booth, John Axtell, *Wm. A. Watson, J. W. Hilligoss, *George Teeters.

Del.—*J. A. Lankford, James Bennett.

Alt.—Sam Watson, *Joe Gross.



Reed Post No. 206, Fulton.

Com.-J. V. Reed.

P. C.—J. V. Reed, J. V. Pownall, *R. B. Reed, N. A. Londerback, *J. H. Baird, J. V. Pownall, William Watson.

DEL.

ALT.

Cicero Post No. 207, Cicero.

Com.-*T. H. C. Beall.

P. C.—N. W. Webster, S. T. Dunham, *John Foster, James H. Glaze, *N. B. Dewey, Michael Kreag, *G. H. Kiplinger, *T. H. C. Beall, *Thomas J. Brown, *O. H. Cottingham, James Little, *Andrew Berg, *S. C. Gilkey, John Leaming, *Allen Turner.

Del.-*Jacob Y. Case

ALT.—Ervin Reese.

A. B. Wade Post No. 208, Chesterton.

Com.-R. S. Greer.

P. C.—Martin Young, H. H. Williams, A. J. Anderson, G. A. Marquardt, R. S. Greer.

Del.-Nathan De Mass.

ALT .- Jos. Rand.

Geo. H. Chapman Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Leonidas Bowlan.

P. C.—*James Dunn, *Chas. W. Wheat, *A. R. Seward, T. M. Hall, *Frank Hay, *Thos. C. Clapp, *Chas. Miner, *John D. Bloomfield, Wm. H. Fullenwider, Jonas Dressler, *Geo. W. Summers, *M. E. Monrean, A. J. Stephens, *Alonzo Baxter, Jas. Spilker, Pleasant Hackleman, W. A. Smith, *T. G. Allen, *Thos. Martin, Robt. A. Brown, Sebastian Rohrer, Manual Jay, Wm. B. Prather, *A. J. Stephens, Wm. A. Dodge, *James Hartley.

Del.—*Geo. W. West, *Joshua Humbler, *J. A. Victor, *W. W. Willis.

Alt.—Wm. Leftswick, Geo. W. Pearson, Wm. Kunkle, Geo. Rigler, Andrew Somers.

Frank Beitzell Post No. 210, Centerville.

·Сом.—*Ennias Kitterman.

P. C.—Ennias Kitterman, Nimrod Parrott, *Wm. Matthew, A. D. Zehring, *John F. Dynes.

Del.-Wm. Demoss.

ALT .- J. M. Stimson.



William F. Davis Post No. 214, Patriot.

Com.—Wm. Gockel.

P. C.—Henry W. Starker, Rosman I. White, Francis A. Jackson, *Wm. Gockel.

Del.-John P. McNutt.

ALT.—Thos. J. Miller.

Martin Post No. 216, Westville.

Com.—Harvey Holmes.

P. C.—E. S. Smith, J. A. Hilton, T. F. McGuigan, E. M. Bryson, A. Lawrence, J. M. McGinnis, John Hilton, John Herold.

DEL.-

ALT.-

R. M. Kelly Post No. 217, Edinburg.

Com.-J. C. Freese.

P. C.—*J. C. Freese, A. M. Winterberg, D. G. Mitchell, Robt. Chandler, Joseph Watson, John Williams, *Lee Stater.

Del.-Jasper Fulp.

ALT.

H. D. Washburn Post No. 220, Dana.

Com.—Albert Martin.

P. C.—H. H. Aye, *J. B. Fillinger, G. H. Fisher, Jas. M. Maxfield, *J. F. Barnett, *B. S. Fisher, *Albert Martin, John W. Park.

Del.—Daniel Ryland.

Alt.—Sam'l Pearman.

Harrison McAllister Post No. 221. Dupont.

Cом.—*В. F. Hedrick.

P. C.—S. W. Nichols, *J. H. Callicott, B. F. Hedrick.

DEL.

ALT.

James Moffatt Post No. 223, Elizabethtown.

Com.—James G. Orem.

P. C.—*John B. Anderson, T. G. Hammond, W. H. Jackson, James G. Orem, *W. H. O'Neal.

Del.-James A. Petree.

Alt.-Andrew J. Kendall.



Samuel Simonson Post No. 226, Charlestown.

Сом.-

P. C.—*Wyatt E. Willey.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Jacob Stahl Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Com.-David Manor.

P. C.—Ezra M. Stahl, Hiram P. Sinclair, *Benj. G. Shinn, Elisha Pierce, *Clark Stewart, James Marshall, Jacob M. Cox, Joshua T. Kelley, John W. Stiles, Lewis Reeves, Robert C. Voss.

Del.-*James G. McColly.

ALT.—Abraham Hahn.

Sol. D. Kempton Post No. 228, Fortville.

Com.—Robt. S. Irwin.

P. C.—*Chas. V. Hardin, *Thos. W. Clark, *James C. Jordan, John H. Guinn, *Geo. W. Conger, *Elijah Asbury, *M. B. Walker, *Robt. S. Irwin, *J. J. Simms, *Valentine Apple.

Del.-*John F. Wiggins.

Alt.—Samuel B. Yaryan.

Walters Post No. 229, Hebron.

Com.-G. C. Gregg.

P. C.—G. C. Gregg, John Morrow, *Martin Nichols, J. A. Hodgins, *J. P. Downs.

DEL.-*H. P. Wood.

ALT.-W. H. Addams.

Major Henry Post No. 230, Pendleton.

Com.—Chas. B. Caddy.

P. C.—G. W. Parker, *T. M. Hardy, *J. W. Zeublin, *Ziba Darlington, *E. W. Collis, *B. B. Tillson, A. W. Oldham, J. W. Lewark, Geo. D. Rent, J. H. Ashbaugh, J. R. Wene, *W. H. H. Benefiel, *P. J. Albright.

Del.-*Wesley White.

ALT.—W. I. Jones.



Hammond Post No. 231, Marengo.

Com.—Edward Harrison.

P. C.—W. V. Weathers, J. W. Tower, T. S. Hiestand, E. Tower, *J. M. Weathers, E. Harrison, C. F. Cornelius.

DEL.-

ALT.

Custer Post No. 232, Wakarusa.

Com.—Jerome Martin.

P. C.-Cornelius Morris, J. W. Seaman, Jerome Martin.

DEL.-

ALT.

John Layton Post No. 237, Coatesville.

Com.—J. B. Gambold.

P. C.—*W. N. Lakin, *J. B. Gambold, Wm. Greenlee, *D. W. Campbell, *S. Maddison.

DEL.

ALT.

Fairfax Post No. 240, Westfield.

Com.—B. F. Hershey.

P. C.—J. M. Kane, B. F. Hershey, *Calvin Keitser, W. H. Conklin, *O. F. Brown.

Del.—*Wm. H. Emery.

ALT.—R. L. Lenfesty.

R. S. Thomas Post No. 241, Mt. Etna.

Com.—James Gallagher.

P. C.-James E. Gordon, Wm. L. Pritchett, James Gallagher.

Del.—Wilson Breckner.

ALT.—Lenard Parrott.

John A. Hollett Post No. 242, Brownsburg.

Com.—Grand Eaton.

P. C.—*I. W. Gray, *Chas. Harmon, *John Button, *J. W. Henson, *Grand Eaton.

Del.—T. J. Jolly.

Alt.—Wm. F. Dinwiddie.



Major May Post No. 244, Anderson.

Cом.—*Stephen Metcalf.

P. C.—*A. I. Makepeace, *John Baker, *Edmond Johnson, *Chas. Stewart, *W. T. Durbin, *Robt. Dorst, *J. J. Musser, *C. W. Benbow, W. W. Clifford, *F. M. VanPelt, *H. C. Durbin, L. D. Crawley, *I. N. Wood, *H. H. Durbin, *C. G. P. Austin, John F. Thompson, *S. G. Bevehimer, J. S. Steele, *C. S. Lawson, *R. B. Mason, *J. G. Jeffers, *Joseph Brown, Wm. A. Kindle.

Del.—*John Beson, *John Turner, *O. L. Shawl.

ALT .- J. F. Wilson, Thos. Foland, D. A. Taylor.

Steadman Post No. 245, Wingate.

Com.-F. M. Smith.

P. C.-F. M. Smith, Jerry Haas, George Warrick.

DEL.-

ALT.

Lakeview Post No. 246, Syracuse.

Com.-W. H. Pence.

P.C.—Aliver Cromwell, Wm. Colwell, Jacob Rentfrow, E. Bushong, Fred Butt, C. V. Smith, J. Willard.

Del.-*S. B. Stiffler.

ALT.-

E. C. Newland Post No. 247, Bedford.

Com.-V. V. Williams.

P. C.—*Isaac Crim, *T. C. Glover, L. C. Payne, *E. R. Murphy, *John W. Acorn, *J. D. Alexander, *J. G. Emery, *John D. Ganey, *Lee Potter, *Chas. Dunnihue, *H. C. Malott, *V. V. Williams, *James Owens, *Wm. Hilton, L. P. Lenard, Samuel Simpson. Del.—Samuel Littell, John Goodman.

ALT.—T. H. Wethers, J. H. Brown.

Frank Jones Post No. 249, Huntsville.

Com.—James Adamson, T. W. Gaddis. Del.—G. W. Edwards.
Alt.—Goodlope Wright.



Bowman Post No. 250, Hagerstown.

Com.-J. L. Dixon.

P. C.—B. F. Jewett, *J. M. Hartley, J. L. Dixon, R. G. Quickel, J. B. Williams, A. Wolard, F. Stoltz, J. H. Leavel, J. H. Benbow.

Del.-A. G. Woody.

ALT.-E. B. Reynolds.

McCarty Post No. 251, Alfordsville.

Cом.—James W. Gilley.

P. C.—Alfred Weber, Jos. Arvin, W. M. Patrick, Geo. W. Cochran, John G. Leming, Phillip Scales, James W. Gilley.

DEL.

ALT.-

Spicely Post No. 252, Orleans.

Com.—S. Joel Habert.

P. C.—W. F. Sears, T. J. Brengle, *James Jordan, W. C. Hollowell, *L. C. Wright, L. P. Motsinger, J. A. Jenkins, A. L. Gallion, Jewel Leonard.

Del.-James H. Henderson.

ALT.-

Rose Lawn Post No. 253, Rose Lawn.

Com.—C. R. Ball.

P. C.—Oliver G. Wilder, Chas. R. Ball, Robt. Medworth.

DEL.—

ALT.

Adams Post No. 254, Moores Hill.

Com.—Frederick Slater.

P. C.—Robt. T. Wilson, J. F. Spencer, J. W. Lambertson, T. A. Jennings, Frederick Slater, *J. W. Dashiell.

Del.-*J. W. Dashiell.

ALT.-*H. D. Moore.

Harter Post No. 256, Newtonville.

Com.—Aaron W. Sutton.

P. C.—*Elijah F. Osbon, James F. Carey, John C. Gorman, *M. T. John.

Del.—Richard A. Stevens.

ALT.—Bartlett Whitehouse.



Roann Post No. 257, Roann.

Com.-*L. M. Spotts.

P. C.—J. B. Taylor, T. B. Attwood, J. L. Richardson, L. M. Spotts, Jas. Barnhart, Al Parker, John Fuller, M. H. King, E. P. Morehouse.

Del.—S. A. La Boytanx.

Alt.-Jacob Butterbaugh.

Miles H. Tibbotts Post No. 260, Plymouth.

Com.-G. W. Baxter.

P. C.—L. Tanner, W. B. Hess, F. M. Burkett, D. L. Mosehr, *W. E. Bailey, G. W. Baxter, *E. Price, G. W. Knoblock.

Del.-*Wm. F. Craig, *Chas. H. Foree.

ALT.-C. Fisher, S. Wilson.

Moses Herron Post No. 261, Farmland.

Com.—Curtis B. Small.

P. C.—Henry Deselmo, W. T. Davis, W. J. Clevenger, E. R. Mc-Intire, Caleb Trees, B. F. Sunday, Ellis L. McNees, W. F. Mullin, Curtis B. Small, *Nelson Pegg.

DEL.-E. R. McIntire.

ALT.-W. T. Davis.

Warrick Post No. 262, Newburg.

Com.—John A. Lawhead.

P. C.—James M. Fowler, James L. Matthews, Hiram L. Robertson, John A. Lawhead.

DEL.-

ALT.

John C. Jenks Post No. 263, Toronto.

Com.-F. N. Austin.

P. C.-W. F. Kerns, L. L. Goodwin, F. N. Austin.

DEL.-

ALT.

E. R. Hawn Post No. 266, Bird's Eye.

Com.—John Koch.

P. C.-R. F. Bates, John Koch.

Del.-Stephen Rowland.

ALT.-Myers McKinney.



Hambright Post No. 270, Arcadia.

Com.—W. H. Hartley.
P. C.—A. Guy, *T. J. Bishop, W. H. Hartley.
DEL.—*M. A. Lynch, *Joseph Correll.
ALT.—

Lawton-Wayne Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

Com.—Crawford Griswold.

P. C.—*H. E. Adams, I. S. Null, *J. A. Crippen, Robt. S. Bell, *Frank Gibson, B. J. Goff, David N. Foster, J. W. Hayden, I. N. Medsker, Geo. D. Adams, Chas. Ehrman, *Henry C. McMaken, *Crawford Griswold, A. W. Kintz, *John J. Ogle, Conrad Bricker, *Geo. W. Aldrich, B. Gard, *Theo. Bley, Benj. W. Skelton, Wm. Kelsey, A. R. Walter, *E. B. Smith, W. E. Wood, E. H. White, *D. L. Beaber, E. S. Johns, Walter Olds, Cornelius Gearin, *L. W. Johnson, Phillip Keil, H. B. Otto, *Mason Mellott, Oliver Blystone, W. B. McMaken, S. S. Kelker.

Del.—Henry C. Sawyer, William Killen, Asa Turner. Alt.—Stephen Chase, Thomas Ryan, Cyrus Fike.

J. E. Fouts Post No. 272, Saluda.

COM.—J. C. Maddox.
P. C.—John S. Pender, *J. C. Maddox.
DEL.—
ALT.—

Bruce Post No. 273, Ladoga.

Com.—Mason Summers.

P. C.—T. C. Lawrence, C. A. Clark, *Fred Southers, John Harden, Mason Summers.

DEL.— ALT.—

George Ridlen Post No. 275, Scottsburg.

Сом.-

P. C.—N. B. Patterson, *J. T. Wiley, John Cravens, T. E. Biery, P. H. Overman, Jos. Hepworth, W. H. Glessner, *——Gardner.

Del.—*Jefferson Ray.

ALT.-



Burnham Post No. 276, Lowell.

Com.-*B. W. Laybourn.

P. C.—H. H. Ragon, Yates C. Vosburg, G. S. Clark, G. W. Davis, P. A. McNay, T. D. Dickinson, W. C. Nichols, C. C. Pattee, Thos. Cushman, Wm. E. Zartman.

Del.-*Nathan Worley.

Alt.-O. V. Servis.

Otterbein Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Com.-J. W. Smith.

P. C.—*F. M. Maddox, A. B. Rouen, *J. J. Foster, *G. W. Bringham, *R. J. Williamson, *J. W. Smith, *N. A. Chamberlain. Del.—*Jesse Dickens.

ALT.-J. Walsh.

S. K. Harryman Post No. 278, Mooresville.

Com.-*B. F. Jones.

P. C.—B. F. Jones, *W: F. White, *H. B. Taylor, *J. H. Mills, S. B. Stanley, *David Fields, *David Stephens, J. P. Calvert, J. H. Rusie, A. H. Horton.

Del.-Wm. Bowman.

ALT.-J. L. Matthews.

Joseph R. Gordon Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Com.—A. J. Buchanan.

P. C.—Austin Daugherty, W. F. Taylor, D. H. Olive, *W. D. Wilson, *R. M. Dunlap, J. R. Fesler, *J. B. Stimson, L. I. Chapman, *A. J. Buchanan, *J. R. Lowe, J. Keller, *L. M. Bennett, J. W. Kirk, *H. L. Bruce, B. B. Potts, *D. Aber, *H. C. Smith, *James H. Boyle, *Stephen Sutton, W. A. Jones.

Del.—A. S. Crimmins, W. A. Jones, *H. A. Wilcox, *H. C. Lane.

Alt. --- Chasteen, *--- Chapple, --- Fourshea.

General Cruft Post No. 284, Lewis.

Com.-*J. N. Woods.

P. C.—J. N. Woods, Gilbert Liston, C. C. Givens, J. K. P. Stephens, R. N. Cochran, *T. J. Barnes, *J. S. Harrell.

Del.-Jacob Henry.

ALT.-Wm. E. Reed.



William Landon Post No. 290, Knox.

Com.-John G. Kratli.

P. C.—*John G. Kratli, O. A. Hayes, *Chas. Laramore, *S. I. Brown, B. F. Hart.

Del.-John E. Collins.

ALT.—A. J. Laramore.

W. A. Garrison Post No. 291, Lafontaine.

Com.—J. A. Gardner.

P. C.—T. H. Miller, T. P. McNiel, S. D. Harris, J. B. Bruner, J. W. Harper, J. A. Gardner, *F. M. Calfee, D. R. Melick, W. R. Hunt, D. S. Boswell, *H. C. Groomes.

Del.-Jacob Sutton, William Lowe.

ALT.-

B. A. Reid Post No. 292, Clayton.

Com.-*J. C. Walker.

P. C.-*J. H. Hall, E. J. Smith, Charles G. Bare, J. C. Walker.

Del.-*C. M. Callahan.

ALT.-James Noel.

Acton Post No. 294, Acton.

Com.—*J. J. Lowes.

P. C.—*D. M. Smock, *W. C. Hutchinson, W. R. Lowes, John Hamlyn, J. N. Clark, O. W. Brenton, *F. M. Gordon, *J. J. Lowes, *A. H. Plymate, Fernando Sleeth, S. W. Brown, *Isaac Shaffer, *Rev. R. E. Hawley.

Del.-F. M. Gordon.

ALT.—Irwin Madison.

Joe Cook Post No. 296, Lynn.

Com.—James M. Hamilton.

P. C.—S. C. Bowen, Ezra Nye, James M. Hamilton, Geo. M. Bascom, Henry Hawkins, Martin Eckerle, Henry M. Benson, T. M. Nichols, Thos. P. White, Benj. P. Green, *William Shell, W. W. Kinsey.

Del.—*Thomas P. White.

ALT.—Henry Hawkins.



William H. Link Post No. 301, Monroeville.

Com.-*N. R. Spaulding.

P. C.—*Morris Rose, W. A. Connelly, John Wilcox, *E. Freidline, John Goodin, John Johnson, John Freidline, John W. Meeks, Geo. W. Muma, Chas. Richards, C. A. Niel, Isaac Jones.

Del.-*Samuel Ball.

ALT.—Levi Crates.

Thomas G. Hall Post No. 304, Andersonville.

Com.—Madison G. James.

P. C.—*Wm. S. Kaler, *John W. Cramer, *Theodore Walker, *Madison James.

Del.—Atwell Morgan.

Alt.—Geo. W. Phillips.

Frank Neff Post No. 307, Sullivan.

Com.—David B. Chastine.

P. C.—Wm. T. Crawford, O. H. Crowder, *G. W. Buff, Josiah Asdell, *W. Coulson, *W. P. Maxwell, *M. F. Willis, W. H. Crowder, John H. Tyson, W. B. Ridgeway, W. J. Lawson, James N. Bilyew.

Del.-James Joseph.

ALT.-John Lane.

John Stewart Post No. 310, Cammack.

Com.—J. C. Darbyshire.

P. C.—R. M. Snodgrass, J. C. Darbyshire, D. M. Tuttle, R. N. Miller, *Joshua Jester.

DEL.-

ALT.

W. B. Fleming Post No. 316, West Lebanon.

COM.-F. H. Biggs.

P. C.—P. W. Fleming, T. C. Fleming, Joseph Swisher, Gren Wallace, F. H. Biggs, Ezra Romine, L. W. Smith.

Del.-J. P. Cheesman.

ALT.-J. C. Goodwine.



Pickett Post No. 321, Hazelton.

Сом.-N. F. Knight.

P. C.-N. F. Knight.

DEL.

ALT.

Thomas J. Brooks Post No. 322, Loogootee.

Com.-*A. J. Best.

P. C.—J. A. Bramble, I. B. Love, *L. L. Dilley, J. A. Padget, A. J. Best, *Will Houghton.

Del.-Geo. Noland.

Alt.-J. A. Padget.

Lovell H. Rosseau Post No. 326, Bloomfield.

Com.-*Thos. M. Ryan.

P. C.—Levi J. Faucett, James Harrell, L. C. Tate, Thos. M. Ryan.

Del.-*Franklin Ramsey.

ALT.—David R. Spauchouer.

Joe Kearns Post No. 327, Merom.

Com.—H. H. Shideler.

P. C.—T. K. Cushman, Orren Stoddard, John Creger, W. E. Maple, Geo. W. Pleasant, A. P. Coyner, John H. Ladd.

Del.-Elias Moore.

ALT.—John Daniels.

P. R. Owens Post No. 329, Clinton.

Com.—Vincent Seward.

P. C.—*David McBeth, Milburn J. Ruby, *Levi Wright, James M. Robertson, Thos. A. Kibby, Gilds D. Walker, Joseph W. Reeder, *Martin H. Stokesberry.

Del.-James M. Youmans.

ALT.-John R. Vaught.

William C. Jackson Post No. 332, Dale.

Com.-A. H. Mills.

P. C.—William Wood, John W. Elles, Wesley Brown, John Schaff.

DEL.

ALT.-



Winchester Post No. 333, Gosport.

Сом.-Н. Ј. Мигрhy.

P. C.—H. J. Murphy, T. S. Stierwalt, L. Sthair, W. R. Dagley, *John Snodgrass, *James R. Henry, *D. W. Mustard.

Del.-*Charles McClung.

ALT.

Basil B. Decker Post No. 334, West Baden.

Com.-John F. Quinn.

P. C.—Henry Henson, Ira Breedlove, Nathan P. Gilliatt, *T. B. Underwood, James Ellis, J. P. Rominger, *Thos. J. Cave, *Aaron R. Anderson.

Del.-Judge T. B. Buskirk.

ALT.—A. B. Dickey.

Wm. H. Hamilton Post No. 339, Morgantown.

Com.—D. M. Knight.

P. C .- D. M. Knight.

DEL.-D. M. Knight.

ALT.-William J. Long.

Harrison Bales Post No. 341, St. Bernice.

Com.-T. N. Lownsdale.

P. C.—Robert Bales, *T. N. Lownsdale.

Del.-M. G. Hutson.

ALT.—A. J. Henderson.

E. T. Wood Post No. 350, Ridgeville.

Com.-*James Karnes.

P. C.—Geo. L. Gegner, Geo. W. Hollowell, *Andrew J. Wood, Samuel Ginger, James Karnes, Luther Stewart, *Abram Morrical, Thos. W. Odle, Thos. O. Flood, John Harris.

Del.—*Wm. H. Winship.

Alt.-James Mendenhall.

Frederick Penny Post No. 351, Jeffersonville.

Сом.-

P. C.—Stephen Hayden, Hen Morson, Jas. A. Jeffers, N. M. Hooker, John Mitchell.

DEL.-

ALT.—



Russell Post No. 354, West Fork.

Сом.-

P. C.—Geo. T. Jenkins, Wm. H. Armstrong.

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ALT.—

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Com.—Samuel Fetinger.

P. C.-G. P. Burch.

Del.-Abe Corn.

Alt.—David D. Etarrh.

Addleman Post No. 357, White Water.

Com.-John Van Zant.

P. C.—C. E. Saxton, Wm. G. White, John Hunt, J. W. Garrett, Jerome Jordan, J. M. Benson, J. M. Bennett, M. Morine.

Del.—*J. J. Jones.

ALT.-

Jas. B. Cartwright Post No. 358, Pennville.

Сом.-

P. C.—A. Grissom, A. H. Baily, *A. T. Place, J. D. Smith, W. H. Hickman, Dan Hilton, *T. W. Underwood, *T. J. Cartwright.

DEL.-

ALT.—

George Miller Post No. 359, Windfall.

Сом.-

P. C.—B. F. Legg, W. O. Dean, Ira Cue, Jacob Barrow, Ira Wright.

Del.-*Madison Wright, *Drury B. Vice.

ALT.-

Williamson Post No. 364, Paoli.

Сом.—J. R. Moore.

P. C.—W. T. Kimbrel, George Manis, J. R. Moore, Z. T. Lambdin, Nathan Meredith, Patrick Holaday, *John T. Radcliff.

Del.-George Manis, *Jacob Stewart.

ALT.-



Hiram G. Fisher Post No. 366, Lapel.

Com.-J. A. Sears.

P. C.—*Harvey Gwinn, *C. C. Studley, Jasper Huffman, J. A. Sears, *Addison Fischer, J. D. Julian, T. F. Samuels, E. G. Huffman, J. H. Farrer.

DEL.

ALT.

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Com.-W. G. Gray.

P. C.—Eli Arnold, Daniel Arnold, *W. W. Adams, J. F. Mc-Dorman, W. G. Gray.

DEL.—Geo. H. Maddox.

ALT.—Daniel Arnold.

Maj. Rob't. Anderson Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Wm. H. Hinckley.

P. C.—*J. A. C. F. Myers, *N. M. Taylor, *E. G. Booz, *Z. T. Landers, *A. D. Miller, Wm. H. Calvert, *J. A. Murphy, Jno. L. Ketcham, J. M. Robbins, *J. W. Hollenbeck, C. W. Snyder, *H. P. Miller, *Ed L. Jones, *Robert Gordon, *Robert H. Keller, Wm. W. Robbins, *Isom Griffin, *Jos. Burk, Anslem Hobbs, George Eagle, *—— Swiggart, Paton H. Walters.

Del.—Cyrus F. Noble, John H. Riley, *W. F. Clark, *John B. Kidd.

ALT.—James R. East, Warren Cozatt.

Major Arn Post No. 370, Hillsdale.

Сом.—R. G. Ingerton.

P. C.—R. G. Ingerton, *William Pearman, *A. B. Casebeer, Joseph Carter.

Del.-W. J. Cotrell.

ALT.—James Daniels.

Jas. B. McPherson Post No. 371, Koleen.

Com.-J. E. Walton.

P. C.-*J. E. Walton.

Del.—Frederick Radebaugh.

Alt.-Eli S. Combs.



Bowling Green Post No. 373, Bowling Green.

Сом.-

P. C.—Martin Campbell, L. M. Gwathmey, C. W. Woods, L. A. Harris, John Alexander.

DEL.-

ALT.

Stilwell Post No. 375, Colfax.

Сом.-

P. C.—B. F. Scott, H. C. Allen, F. M. Goldsberry, James Leslie, F. M. Teegarden, William Hendern, I. Hutchison, G. W. Allison.

DEL.

ALT.-

Jesse Coppock Post No. 378, Walkerton.

Com.-H. A. Adle.

P. C.—H. A. Adle, Philip Augustin, Silas Baker, Dr. R. Neville, B. F. Rinehart.

Del.-*J. M. Wolfram.

Alt.-P. Q. Nichols.

John Secrist Post No. 384, Laurel. .

Сом.—

P. C.—Joseph T. Stephens, Joseph B. Hooker.

DEL.-

ALT.

M. D. Manson Post No. 385, Shoals.

Com.-Michael Shirey.

P. C.—*Michael Shirey, James B. Freeman, *James L. Passel, William B. Clifton, A. J. Daugherty.

DEL.-

ALT.

Beeson Post No. 386, Fairmount.

Сом.-

P. C.—Mathias Friend, Hugh Western, Judge Smithson, Chas. F. Beick, Eph. Bartholomew, Frank Jones, Byron Love, Alexander Little.

Del.-*Calem Moore.



Leamon Griffith Post No. 387, Hamilton.

Com.-Orrin Moss.

P. C.—Hiram Sweet, R. G. Renner, Thos. Crane, R. R. Dirim, B. F. Griffith, J. B. Lemon, Jacob Kimmel, William Houlton, William Keys, *L. W. Griffith, Henry Gurtner, Nicholas Bohney, George Casper, Henry Foutz, Hiram Merchant.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Oliver Short Post No. 390, Rossville.

Com.-*William Malone.

P. C.—F. C. Cassel, A. J. Chittick, *P. W. Lewis, William Malone, James Gray.

Del.-*William Jordan.

ALT.-Mathias Spees.

Huckleberry Post No. 391, Butlerville.

Com.-J. R. Davis.

P. C.—J. R. Davis, J. R. Pool, *Paul F. Strickland, *Lemuel Engle.

DEL.-Will Calkins.

ALT.-Macy Edwards.

Carroll Post No. 393, Stockwell.

Сом.-

P. C.—W. W. Campbell, W. M. Ward, S. P. Crawford, W. R. Lindsey, *D. C. Murphy, H. L. Davidson.

DEL.-

ALT.

Blinn Post No. 394, Prairieton.

Com.-*John T. Reynolds.

P. C .- John T. Reynolds, W. O. Burgatt.

DEL.-

ALT.

Fahler Post No. 397, Star City.

Com.-W. T. Noel.

P. C.—*W. T. Noel, R. B. Minton, S. Bacon, S. Fisher, T. Carey.

Del.—L. S. Reams.

ALT.-William Mayer.



Hardzog Post No. 400, Bremen.

Com.—George B. Wort.

P. C.—Adam Koontz, Jacob Kauffman, Christ Seiler, George B. Wort.

Del.-Huron A. Place.

Alt.—Peter Fisher.

Simon Miller Post No. 401, Akron.

Com.-J. H. Love.

P. C.—*F. M. Weaver, *J. H. Day, *Joseph Hoover, J. H. Love, T. H. Broche, E. R. Brown, *Albert Groves, —— Steell, J. H. Wait.

Del.-*J. W. Clifton.

Alt.-Wm. Kreightbaum.

Berlin Post No. 402, Nappanee.

Com.—Daniel Culp.

P. C.—Daniel Culp, Elias R. Tobias, Henry Tobias.

Del.-*Jonathan Yearian.

Alt.—John Reed.

John Ruess Post No. 406, Upland.

Com.—Olin Deerin.

P. C.—Olin Deerin, Thos. Gourley, William Stelts, Fred Wilhelm, Addison Keever, Robert Waterman, William T. Smith, Milton Marshall, Linus Marshall, Henry J. Kline, F. A. Fleming, Donald McIntosh, Robert Sanborn, William Graves.

Del.-John Jones.

ALT.-Wm. T. Smith.

Altoona Post No. 407, Waterman.

Com.—George W. Knauer.

P. C.—Robert Paschal, George Knauer.

Del.-*Isaac P. Dowdell.

ALT.-N. H. Dowdell.

Edwin Lennox Post No. 408, Swayzee.

Com.-J. B. Myer.

P. C.-James Mullins, William F. Knote, Joseph Downing.

Del.—I. R. Lee.

ALT.—Joseph Bloxham.



Magnolia Post No. 409, Jonesboro.

Com.—A. H. Cline.

P. C.—*A. H. Cline, A. J. Miller, *W. R. Coomler, *Joseph M. Mappin, *G. Nicodemus, Geo. W. Bradford, Geo. G. Clark, J. H. Coppock, J. H. Rook, Wm. G. Wilson, *John F. Furnace.

Del.-John C. Macy.

ALT.—Harden Pope.

Hobart Post No. 411, Hobart.

Com.-James Guyer.

P. C.-M. J. Cooke, John Matthews, James Guyer.

Del.-N. P. Banks.

ALT.-Jacob Lutz.

J. B. Hager Post No. 414, Switz City.

Сом.-

P. C.—*Marion Bennett, Mose Bland, Isaac Brown, Henry Lehman, Joseph Turpin, John Mitchell, Riley Roark, J. M. Harah.

DEL.

ALT.

John K. Highman Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Com .- Morris Ford.

P. C.—Jonathan P. Jackson, Horace P. Owen, Robert Clark, William A. Twigg, *Morris Ford.

Del.-William Hartman.

ALT.-William Ford.

John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany.

Сом.-

P. C.—J. J. Hook, Manson Vincent, *D. M. Bell.

Del.-*John S. Krohn.

ALT.-

Fountain City Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Com.-J. B. Chenoweth.

P. C.—*M. M. Lacey, J. B. Chenoweth, F. M. Hunt, A. J. Gibbs, *R. M. Clark.

Del.-John S. Thornton, *Edward Price.

ALT.—W. F. Davis.



Gen. Frank White Post No. 422, Cloverdale.

Com.-H. E. Kellar.

P. C.—A. B. Mann, J. M. Scott, T. Brown, H. B. Martin, *H. E. Keller, J. W. O'Daniel, W. R. Larken, *R E. Williamson.

Del.—*Isaac Gilman.

ALT.

Garland Post No. 423, Waveland.

Com.-W. S. Goslin.

P. C .- *Milton Carrington, W. S. Goslin.

Del.-J. R. Sharp.

ALT.-H. H. Lough.

Hugh H. Willits Post No. 424, Greentown.

Com.-*Vinson Gilliland.

P. C.—*A. A. Covalt, O. L. Osborne, *T. L. Hines, *J. A. Kellar, Joe Clevenger, T. L. Osborne, *J. G. Brown, *Wm. M. Voorhis, T. T. Patterson, John A. Stapleton, *George Newkirk, *F. M. Lawrence.

DEL.-A. A. Covalt.

ALT.-*S. F. Brainerd.

Reuben Masten Post No. 431, Amo.

Сом.—Enoch Harlan.

P. C.—G. W. Tincher, *Syl Mabe, John Rudd, *I. B. Hodson, *William Beeson, *I. B. Garrison, William Hunt, *Amos Kersey,

DEL.

ALT.

Silvers Post No. 435, New Lebanon.

Com.-J. W. Canary.

P. C.—*George C. Youngman, T. C. Layton, *T. B. Springer, J. W. Canary.

DEL.-J. T. Eaton.

ALT .- George Irvin.

R. C. Kise Post No. 437, Darlington.

Com.—E. P. McCloskey.

P. C.—E. P. McCloskey, Joseph Corns, E. H. Cox; Samuel S. Martin, E. H. Russell.

DEL.-W. H. Custer.

ALT.-J. B. Martz.



B. R. Dunn Post No. 440, Matthews.

Com.-Joseph Clark.

P. C.—John Sanders, Warren Fergus, John F. Wright, John B. Reason, William Simons, T. J. Miller, D. W. Wills, Thomas F. Scott, W. A. Greenleaf.

Del.-*Elsa Stephenson.

ALT.-Zeno Wood.

Henry Chipman Post No. 442, Warsaw.

Com.-*John W. Armstrong.

P. C.—*J. W. Armstrong, *A. G. Wood, *N. N. Boydston, *B. Q. Morris, J. E. Stephenson, J. J. Babcock, H. W. Graham, *J. E. Peterson, *J. S. Smith, H. P. Comstock.

Del.-M. Phillipson.

ALT .- *Alvin Robinson.

Mich. Campbell Post No. 444, Spartanburg.

Com.—Henry Wise.

P. C.—Henry Wise, Augustin Moran, John F. Middleton, James Knox, John Hawkins, Sanford Crist.

Del.-James Knox.

ALT.-S. Crist.

G. W. Rotramel Post No. 445, Carlisle.

Com.—Daniel Hines.

P. C.—W. E. Cowle, J. O. Whalen, Bailey McConnel, Daniel Hines.

Del.—Geo. W. Watson.

ALT.—James Miller.

W. W. Millines Post No. 447, Chrisney.

Com.-Jonathan P. Baker.

P. C.—D. J. Smith, J. P. Baker, W. D. Henderson, Albert Bayse, Henry Bender, W. H. H. Taylor.

DEL.

ALT.

Guckus Wellman Post No. 448, Jasper.

Com.—Conrad Eckert.

P. C.-John Betz, *W. S. Hunter, Conrad Eckert.

DEL.-

ALT.



M. D. Leeson Post No. 453, Jacksonburg.

Сом.-

P. C.—W. H. Dougherty, Alexander Gorman, J. P. Dougherty, Nathaniel Scates, Charles Davis.

DEL.

ALT.-

Jonathan J. Burge Post No. 454, Prairie Creek.

Com.-Miller Ward.

P. C.—Stephen Trueblood, *N. H. Ring, *Arthur Bowen, D. S. Kester, *E. S. Kester.

Del.-*Miller Ward.

ALT .- Arthur Bowen.

W. T. Sherman Post No. 455, Bridgeport.

Сом.-

P. C.—Benj. Sanders, *D. L. Crone.

DEL.-

ALT.-

F. F. Swain Post No. 456, Milroy.

Com.-*Edward Fisher

P. C.—Edward Fisher, Clement C. Thomas, Samuel B. Jones, Solomon Smith.

Del.-*Milton B. Tompkins.

Alt.-Andrew J. Pullium.

Henryville Post No. 461, Henryville.

Com.—Ed L. Perine.

P. C.—T. J. Huffman, *J. A. Clegg, *I. T. Wells, *Ed L. Perrine, *W. H. Holton, Elan Guernsey, *James R. Ferguson, *Peter Francis.

Del.—*Elam Guernsey.

ALT.—Fred Lotz.

A. J. Hawn Post No. 463, Bainbridge.

Com.—J. Wilkinson.

P. C.—J. Wilkinson, J. M. McCorkle, E. C. Waln, *G. W. Starr, G. W. Wampler, A. V. Balch, O. A. Cassity

Del.-S. J. Waln.

ALT.—



Hiram Williamson Post No. 465, Florence.

Com.-John Love.

P. C.—John Love, Anthony Tiele, John P. White, Albert Robison.

Del.-J. M. W. Langsdale.

ALT.-John F. McCreary.

Charles Porter Post No. 469, Hope.

Com.-John T. Hitchcock.

P. C .- *W. H. Aikin, John T. Hitchcock.

Del.—A. S. Davis.

Alt.-J. J. Brannen.

Ulrich Dahlgren Post No. 470, Laconia.

Com.—Sylvanus Steepleton.

P. C.—C. C. H. Kerns, Sylvanus Steepleton, Noah Elbert, William J. Shaw, James W. Rhodes.

DEL.-

ALT.-

J. W. Thornburg Post No. 474, Odon.

Com.-*J. P. Taylor.

P. C.—Aaron Hattery, J. P. Taylor, *Geo. D. Abraham, *W. F. Wirt.

DEL.

ALT.

Marsh B. Taylor Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Com.—*Stephen M. Aiken.

P. C.—Stephen M. Aiken, *Andrew S. Young, *J. B. Shaw, *Solomon Penrod, Charles Poock, *Marcellus Rawles, *Louis Frischmeyer, *Job S. Sims, A. V. Eaton, *Charles Hasty, *H. H. Howard, *Columbus M. Jackson, Elijah Sparks.

Del.-*John Bell, D. N. Reed

ALT .- A. J. Clark, John Hart.

Henry T. McClung Post No. 476, Pleasantville.

Сом.—

P. C.—Thos. N. McClung, J. S. Anderson, *B. F. Shepherd, Casper H. Moody, D. S. Hunter.

DEL.—

ALT.



Cory Post No. 477, Cory.

Сом.-

P. C.—E. W. Kester, Hartley Brill, Silas Foulke, Thomas Green, Nathaniel Donham, Aker B. Haney, *Wm. Hixson.

DEL.-

ALT.

Lincoln Post No. 480, New Albany.

Com.—Jerry Washington.

P. C .- Jerry Washington.

Del.-Wm. F. Dawson.

ALT.

Elberfeld Post No. 484, Elberfeld.

Com.-W. H. H. Kifer.

P. C.—John Barnes, David Korte, Fred Garvis, Jasper Greer, W. H. H. Kifer, J. T. Morris, Frederick Schultz, George A. Smith, P. F. Smith, John T. Taylor, William Meach.

DEL.-

ALT.

W. F. Butler Post No. 485, Camden.

Com.—George McCormick.

P. C.—William G. Galdwell, George McCormick, J. Fesler, H. K. Stauffer.

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ALT.

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Com.—T. A. Crockett.

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Del.-*C. B. Steward.

ALT.

Henry Speyer Post No. 489, Culver.

Com.—Samuel Osborn.

P. C.—Ezra Blanchard, *Samuel Osborn, *J. E. Meyers, J. F. Nutt, William Walker.

Del.-J. L. Schenerman.

ALT.—Henry E. Adams.



Frank White Post No. 490, Huron.

Com.—Josephus King.

P. C.—John Terrell, William A. Toliver, Josephus King, William L. West, Willburn Terrell.

Del.-Cornelius Gardner.

ALT.—Samuel C. Trueblood.

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Com.-U. S. Marrs.

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Del.—Thos. Hollingsworth.

ALT.-Mathias Moore.

Ashbaugh Post No. 497, Stinesville.

Cом.—*Joseph Steinhagen.

P. C.—*J. S. Wiliams, *D. C. Pugh, *W. H. York, *W .H. Brown, *J. W. Davis, *Jos. Steinhagen, B. F. Davis.

Del.-Allen Skelton.

ALT .- Sam Skelton.

Joseph C. Miller Post No. 498, Avon.

Com.—G. D. McClain.

P. C.—*Mack Smith, *Eli Parnell, A. A. Parsons, Barney Gossett, *John Douglass, Gilbert D. McClain, Seth J. Huron.

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ALT.

George A. Kendall Post No. 499, Lizton.

Com.-I. S. Tharp.

P. C.—J. Q. Adams, *H. B. Leak, *James M. Leak, Walter Schemerhorn, *H. T. Storms, Jacob Kendall, *John S. Tharp, John Montgomery, A. Overstreet.

DEL.

ALT.-

W. H. Calkins Post No. 502, Hammond.

Com.—Francis M. Elliott.

P. C.—Patrick Reiley, George Post, Edward C. Weeks, George P. Jaqua, John W. Dyer, F. M. Elliott.

DEL.-

ALT.



C. C. Browand Post No. 505, Kendallville.

Com.-Eli Miller.

P. C.—John W. Miller, Wm. P. Myers, W. C. Lane, Mortimer Broughton.

Del.-*A. J. Rummell.

ALT.-*W. W. Riddle.

General Russell Post No. 506, Princeton.

Com.—Cyrus Tucker.

P. C.-James Cox, Cyrus Tucker, J. W. Stevenson.

DEL.-

ALT.

Wm. McLaughlin Post No. 508, Milford.

Com.—James Orn.

P. C.—Edward Bicknell, Isaac Closson, J. C. McLaughlin, J. H. Kinley.

Jackson Woods Post No. 512, Nashville.

Com.—James M. Yoder.

P. C .- *James M. Yoder, Elihu Wheeler.

Del.-James Bond.

ALT.—

John Coshow Post No. 513, Parkersburg.

Com.

P. C.—P. J. Johnson, A. J. Warbertson, J. T. Lookabaugh, *John McMurtry, *Abraham Fink.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Melville Thomas Post No. 515, Paris.

Сом.—*Т. H. Hudson.

P. C.—J. M. Dixon, *D. A. Roberts, *William Muster, *Harmon Dixon, G. W. Smith, T. H. Hudson, G. W. Dodd, M. A. Wells, R. S. Dixon.

Del.-*Simeon R. Cline.

Alt-Henry T. Stuart.



Henry McLaughlin Post No. 516, Salamonia.

Сом.—*R. В. Whitacre.

P. C.—L. W. Lemaster, B. F. Harter, R. B. Whitacre, J. V. Darst.

Del.-*W. A. Carter.

ALT.-

Noah Ring Post No. 518, Hymera.

Com.—C. J. McAnally.

P. C.-John F. Scherb.

DEL.-

ALT.

A. H. Cockrum Post No. 520, Oakland City.

Com.-Z. M. McCleary.

P. C.—L. O. Emerson, D. J. King, J. M. Reaves, W. A Harper, J. V. Gillem, Z. M. McCleary (6 terms.)

Del.-*William Caskey.

ALT.—Abraham Grubb.

Advance Post No. 524, Advance.

Com.-*George Canada.

P. C.—J. W. Roark, A. N. Lewis, *George Canada, *Thomas Mulson.

DEL.-

ALT.

John T. Benson Post No. 527, Lanesville.

Com.-*John W. Blume.

P. C.—George H. Mader, John W. Gresham, *Thos. Lyskowinski, *George G. Schafer, James A. Harbeson, *John W. Blume, Del.—William Hanger.

Alt.—*J. J. Bullert.

Kerr Post No. 529, Rome City.

Com .- J. M. Schmerhorn.

P. C.—Levi Crume, Jacob Pfaff, Joseph Grimm, J. M. Schmerhorn.

DEL.-W. H. Moore.

ALT.—Allen Barr.



Fred Small Post No. 531, Westport.

COM.-*R. T. Stott.

P. C.-William Haus, I. W. Williamson, I. P. Burroughs.

Del.—Lewis Smalley.

ALT.—James Landis.

Plainville Post No. 532, Plainville.

Com.—Allen Dougherty.

P. C.—David H. Dyer, D. V. Ellis, Allen Dougherty.

Del.-*William A. Tomey.

ALT.-Wm. A. Harper.

Shirley Post No. 535, New Goshen.

Сом.—*Isaac Kibby.

P. C.—James Anderson, Lester L. Shaw, *Louis H. Rhyan, Isaac Kibby.

DEL.

ALT.-

M. B. Cutler Post No. 537, Elnora.

Com.—William Slimp.

P. C .- John Edmondson, Milton Farris.

DEL.—

ALT.

Hagan Post No. 538, Buffaloville.

Com.—David Lewis.

P. C.-J. H. Brinkman, Samuel Bench, David Lewis.

DEL.

ALT.—

Col. Joseph Lane Post No. 540, Heltonville.

Com.-W. W. Giger.

P. C.—R. W. Hunter, J. G. Beyers, James Faubion, W. W. Giger, A. G. Meadows, J. P. Morrow, J. W. Hanners

DEL.

ALT.—



Hazlett Post No. 550, Russellville.

Com.—Jacob McGaughey.

P. C.—Jacob McGaughey, Thos. Kelley, Lewis A. Hazlett, Jonas Pickle, John W. Harvey.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Patten Post No. 552, Bicknell.

Com.—Samuel A. Bunting.

P. C.—*Ellis House, *L. B. Staley, D. K. Smith, J. G. Hart, H. P. Pieper, *G. W. Donaldson, *Samuel A. Bunting.

DEL.-

ALT.

Samuel Stewart Post No. 557, Flora.

Com.-R. C. Menaugh.

P. C.—*J. B. Clark, *G. W. Shanklin, *L. S. Myer, *A. B. Ledman, *James Kenrick, *R. C. Menaugh, R. R. Bright, *J. M. Wharton.

Del.-*Wm. H. McCreary.

Alt.—Thos. Ferguson.

Alvin P. Hovey Post No. 559, West Indianapolis.

Com.-*Albert Byrkit.

P. C.—Wm. L. Mitchell, *A. B. Wood, Wm. F. Mattocks, *John A. Abbott, *J. W. Keithley, Henry Holliday, Wm. Newkirk, John D. Hardesty, Wm. O'Haver, James Tyner, *John H. Brown.

Del.-*Samuel Hodge, *A. B. Crull.

ALT.—Stephen Hilliard.

A. J. Barlow Post No. 560, Markle.

Сом.—

P. C.—H. C. Dilley, J. J. Creviston, J. A. Miller, I. S. Shideler, H. Root, Samuel Shack.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Major John Gerber Post No. 562, Canaan.

Com.—James H. Elliott.

P. C.—S. B. Lewis, John Crawford, *Willis Ryker, G. R. Harper, T. Wheeler, James H. Elliott.

DEL.-

ALT.



John Keitzer Post No. 563, Monterey.

Com.-William Buehrle.

P. S.-Jacob Beck, William Buehrle.

Del.-George Wade.

ALT.-Joseph H. Ball.

Gaskins Post No. 564, Farmersburg.

Com.- * Samuel C. Smock.

P. C. – M. A. Jennings, J. G. Lloyd, *Barnett Jewell, *A. P. Asbury, * hn Wisener, E. K. Asbury, Isaac Massey, D. Baldridge, J. Mc ew, *Byron Dolson, *David L. Baldridge.

DEI -Wm. H. Johnson.

AL -Daniel H. Jones.

Notre Dame Post No. 569, Notre Dame.

Com.-Mark Wills.

P. C .- James McLain.

DEL.

ALT.-

Col. Snodgrass Post No. 570, Crothersville.

Сом.-G. W. Bard.

P. C.—Griffin Stradley, G. W. Bard, *J. S. Campbell, *James E. Gillespie, *D. W. Sage, *C. B. Thompson.

Del.-*James McFall.

ALT.-John W. Hamacher.

Daniel Lake Post No. 571, North Judson.

Com.—Jacob Alspaugh.

P. C.—W. H. Replogle, A. M. Smith, O. D. Brown, George Lightcap, H. H. Englerth, Jacob Alspaugh, James Jarrett.

Del.-O. D. Brown.

Alt.-O. B. Rockwell.

Marion Kelly Post No. 572, Bridgeton.

Com.-*J. H. Kerr.

P. C.-J. M. Miller, J. H. Kerr.

Del.—*Jas. J. Knight.

ALT.—Gil Davis.



Lt. Thos. Chambers Post No. 575, Edwardsport.

Com.-John T. McKee.

P. C.—Geo. H. French, *Robert Curry, Michael Atkinson, James Morgan, Jacob F. Scudder, Samuel J. Reeve, Wm. F. Shively, James L. Culbertson, John T. McKee.

DEL.-

ALT.

Norman Eddy Post No. 579, South Bend.

Com.—Charles Steele.

P. C.—Joseph Turnock, *W. E. Gorsuch, *Will Emery-Brown, W. P. Harmon, *J. H. Loughman, Elmer Crockett, E. P. Stanfield, J. M. Stanfield, O. W. Williams, Joseph N. Calvert, E. P. Chapin, Christian King, Andrew Anderson, John T. Kelly.

Del.-William S. Weaver.

Alt.-Joseph E. Mossey.

Joel R. Spahr Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Com.-*Michael Schan.

P. S.—*George W. Coward, Reuben B. Reynolds, *Joseph M. Vensey, *Joseph L. Leach, Joseph G. Snider, *William H. Clegg, Hugh Mitchell, George W. Beninger, Levi W. Robinson, Charles M. Dinsmore, James W. Stanforth, Charles Strauch.

Del.-Alban Lutz.

ALT.-Jacob H. Gibson.

Fort Wagner Post No. 581, Evansville.

Com.—Enoch Moss.

P. C.-W. H. Anderson, Moses Slaughter, Robert Moss.

DEL.-

ALT.-

James A. Mount Post No. 582, Center Point.

Com.-Robert Kerr.

P. C.-W. N. Grimes, Robert Kerr.

DEL.-

ALT.-



Martin Rutter Post No. 584, Pittsburg.

Com.-*J. K. Myers.

P. C.—J. J. Jones, *William Myers, *J. W. Foster, *Ben S. Hendrickson, *J. M. Davidson, *George N. Vanostram.

Del.-*Charles Thayer.

ALT.-E. J. Liston.

George G. Reilly Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Coм.—В. L. Walker.

P. C.-*S. F. Johnson, B. L. Walker.

DEL.-

Alt.-*Thornton McCoy.

Benj. F. Spooner Post No. 586, Yorkville.

Com.-*Nicholas Zimmer.

P. C .- *Nicholas Zimmer, George Schite.

Del.-Frederick Meyer, Sr., F. J. Nowlin.

ALT .- Paul E. Hiatt, Adam Long.

Brook Post No. 588, Brook.

Com.-J. W. S. Ullery.

P. C.—Geo. W. Knapp, John W. S. Ullery, G. F. Merchant, *M. A. Jones, Thorp Beagley, John B. Lyons.

Del.-Alex. Stutsman.

ALT.-Wm. Flemming.

Jasper Packard Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home.

Com.—Peter S. Slanter.

P. C.—*Joel Yeager, J. H. Sawyer, *S. B. Davis, Dawson Smith, J. H. Beeber, D. B. Kehler, R. J. Powell, E. C. Powell, Alpheus Banning, Hugh Moffitt, Solomon Meader, *J H. Tyson, Chas. Ketcham, *F. M. Cones.

Del.-*J. W. Perkins, *Wm. Redding.

Alt.—Theophilus Jacobs.

John P. Baird Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

Com.—*W. K. Burnett.

P. C.—*J. E. Bickle, Martin Beal, James H. Colscott, *H. F. Dysart, *Quincy A. Hunt, *T. J. Kelyon, Richard Fossett, B. F. Boring.

Del.-*Geo. F. Long, John Mann.

ALT.—*Wm. H. Samuels, L. G. Adair.



The Department Commander called the Senior Vice-Department Commander V. V. Williams to the chair and read the

DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, South Bend, Ind., May 22, 1913.

Officers and Representatives of this 34th Encampment:

Comrades, one year ago at South Bend, Comrade Frank Swigart was chosen our Commander. To me was accorded the honor of a unanimous election to the post of Senior Vice-Commander.

Fifteen days following this meeting the Grim Reaper had called our beloved Commander for final muster. With his taking, Indiana comrades lost one who was at all times active and who at all times had Grand Army interests at heart.

Following the funeral services, the Department officers present assembled in the headquarters of Logansport Post No. 14 and in keeping with the Rules and Regulations governing our order installed your Senior Vice-Commander to the place made vacant.

Let me assure you that it was with some trepidation the duties were assumed. My first words were "I will do my best," and I have tried to make good. It was further announced that there would be no changes made in the official staff named by Comrade Swigart, believing fully that those who had been asked to assist him would give me their best efforts as well.

Along lines that seemed for the good of the order I have made many visits to posts in the Department. These visits have proven of interest to me and I think have been



beneficial to the membership. Let me urge district meetings where possible, and if not, then County, believing that they tend to awaken local interest that will bring into the post room many who would not get interested otherwise.

I have repeated many times during these visits that there should not be one who wore the blue and had honorable membership with us in 1861 to 1865 who would hesitate to come into the post room and make meetings interesting, and have urged our membership to go out and bring in some one whenever there was a break in their ranks. In these final words let me again urge you that you get them all in. The Grand Army of the Republic is the natural home of every soldier who had honorable membership with that Grand Army of our Republic which made secession a failure.

THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT,

assembled at Los Angeles, California, September 9th to 14th, 1912, and was well attended, and proved a profitable and interesting meeting. All who were there must say they could not have been better received or entertained.

The day of our grand parade was an ideal one and all seemed inspired to go over the line of march.

Indiana had near 200 in the column and a noticeable feature was we had many friends among those viewing the parade who at some time had been residents of the Hoosier State.

OUR LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

has proven a valuable feature since its creation about five years ago and should be continued. In this committee we have a friend at court during legislative sessions



who is authorized to speak for us. This has come to be recognized and its value will increase with its years of service.

LAFAYETTE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Two visits were made to this home and on both occasions the conditions appeared satisfactory and the members generally content with their surroundings. Those with whom I talked had no serious complaints to offer, and some that were offered as complaints I understand have been remedied. The Comrades at the Home have a good friend in Comrade Fesler, our Department A. A. G., who has been honored by our Governor to a place as trustee. It is safe to say that anything wrong will have his attention, and no doubt good will result. I can only add that the soldiers of Indiana are fortunate in having so good a home as is located at Lafayette, at their command.

KNIGHTSTOWN ORPHANS' HOME.

During my term of office, two visits were made; one at the time of the June Commencement, and a second with the annual meeting of the Board in October, 1912. Both visits were pleasant and served to impress me more than ever with the great good accomplished in this home.

To one who has never visited the home many surprises would be presented. Habits of order prevail everywhere and yet no hardship is asked. It is safe to say that the Home, as managed by its efficient Board of Trustees and Commandant, Past Department Commander Dan Ryan, with the efficient corps of assistants which they have, we can safely believe the best interests



of the orphans of our comrades will be conscientiously and lovingly cared for. Their school, with its principal, Mrs. Laura Cumback, and her assistants, is not excelled by any school in our state.

THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

It is with pleasure in summing up the year's work that I bear testimony to the great amount of most efficient service rendered during this time by our Auxiliary, the Woman's Relief Corps, under the able and painstaking management of the Department President, Mrs. Belle Ephlin, of Tangier.

They have brightened many homes where comforts were meager and have given strength and encouragement to our comrades in many localities where posts were on the verge of surrender. There is a great work before them and may they have the determination and strength of purpose to carry forward their work of love in the years to come as they have in the past, being ever mindful of these words; one country, one language, one flag, and that in union there is strength, and that patriotism is now and ever will be the foundation of our republic.

LADIES OF THE G. A. R.

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic make good reports of their patriotic work during the past year, as well as giving aid to the posts to which they are attached, and are deserving of our encouragement. There is work enough for all, and especially is this true in the matter of teaching patriotism. There are many all over our land who need this sort of education lest they forget, as was the case during 1861 to 1865.



SONS OF VETERANS.

This organization should be dear to every Comrade's heart and should be made of great importance to the Grand Army of the Republic. They should be building a strong body for work while there are plenty of them, so that in later years, as our successors, they may be able to wield patriotic influences in the affairs of the Nation. They should at this time be assuming the duties of Memorial Day, and asking the active co-operation of our Woman's Relief Corps and all patriotic organizations. The school children should be interested as well as our people, thereby demonstrating fully each year as time goes on that they are indeed Patriotic Sons of Patriotic Sires.

DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS.

Though few in numbers are, wherever organized, zealous of our cause, and the Grand Army of the Republic, wherever possible, should encourage their efforts. It is to be hoped that they will take new life in perpetuating the memories of the fathers who died that the nation might live. There are many Daughters of Veterans in Indiana; why not get interested in what was done in the years 1861 to 1865. In perpetuating those deeds you will keep alive to the needs of our times.

THE FLOODS.

Portions of our Department have been flood stricken during April and early May and our Comrades, upon the call of the Commander-in-Chief, responded nobly by contribution to our assistance, for which they have our grateful acknowledgment, and the hope that they may never have a like experience.



MEMORIAL DAY.

Our Memorial Day will soon follow this Encampment. General Orders, National and Department, have gone out to every post in our land. In recognition of these orders let every Grand Army man strive to make the present Memorial Day as impressive as any that have gone to make history, and while we live let us be loyal to those living as well as to those who have gone before. Call on your home people to join you in showing appreciation for those who served the nation when there was no politics in army movements. Say to your people, "They who honor their heroes will always have heroes—and a nation without heroes will soon pass." Honor Memorial Day while you live with a prayer that it will continue to the end of time.

In closing, let me thank, especially, Colonel Fesler, our efficient Assistant Adjutant-General for the hearty and friendly accord that has at all times been manifest in our work. His ripe experience as to the duties of his office, as well as general knowledge of department work, has at all times made my work a pleasure. As much may be said for Mrs. Maggie Adams, his faithful office assistant.

I further thank every elective officer in the Department for interest shown and for promptness in performance of their duties, and a good word to each and every one of my official staff for willingness to aid in every way possible.

And now, boys of the encampment, as your Commander, I say "good bye," but as a Comrade, not yet. I want to meet you many times in the years to come to us. Finally, keep up Post interest and interest in our organization while you have a picket Post membership.

W. E. Gorsuch,
-Department Commander.



REPORT OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL AND ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 21, 1913.

W. E. Gorsuch, Department Commander:

DEAR COMRADE—In keeping with the Rules and Regulations of our organization, I take pleasure in submitting the following report as Assistant Adjutant-General:

Total number members in good standing December 31, 1911 12,218

Gained during the year 1912-By muster in ______ 237 By transfer _____ 129 By reinstatement _____ 344 By delinquent reports _____ 175— 885 13,103 Loss during year 1912oss during year 1912—

By death ______648 By honorable discharge ______ By transfer _____ 84 By suspension _____ 517 By dishonorable discharge By delinquent reports _____ 145 By surrender of charter _____ 157—1,566 Number in good standing December 31, 1912_____ 11,537 Number remaining suspended _____

Total number on rolls ______ 12,072

Expended for relief _____\$499.60

Number of Comrades and families relieved during year____ Number of others relieved during the year_____



During the year 1912 the following Posts were reorganized:

Hambright Post No. 270, Arcadia. John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany.

The following Posts disbanded during the year 1912:

Post No. 43, Sandborn.

Post No. 57, Goodland.

Post No. 59, Converse.

Post No. 112, Bunker Hill.

Post No. 160, Dayton.

Post No. 184, Thorntown.

Post No. 280, Mitchell.

Post No. 305, Portland Mills.

Post No. 318, English.

Post No. 319, Elizabeth.

Post No. 373, Bowling Green.

Post No. 389, Milan.

Post No. 451, Pittsboro.

Post No. 460, Van Buren.

Post No. 501, Royal Center.

Post No. 555, Oaktown.

Post No. 559 disbanded but has since reorganized.

Number of Posts in good standing December 31, 1911_____ 347
Gained during the year ______ 2

Aggregate _______ 349
Loss ______ 17

Number remaining in good standing December 31, 1912___ 332

I have the honor to submit herewith my report of the receipts and disbursements for the year ending April 30, 1913, as required by the Rules and Regulations.

RECEIPTS.

May 1, cash balance on hand last report	457.08
Per capita tax	2,340.50
Terre Haute Trust Company, interest	53.81
Terre Haute Trust Company, principal	300.00
Union National Savings and Loan Association, interest	60.00
Sale of supplies	230.53

Total _____\$3,441.92



DISBURSEMENTS.

Sentinel Printing Company	370.78
Postage	140.37
C. D. R. Stowitz, supplies	119.88
C. D. R. Stowitz, per capita tax	409.59
Expense Account, Commander Waugh, balance	25.00
Expense Account, Commander Swigart	25.00
Expense account, Commander Gorsuch	100.00
J. R. Fesler, salary	750.00
Expense National Encampment, Los Angeles	181.06
Expense Department Encampment, South Bend	47.25
A. P. Craft, Badge Past Commander Waugh	100.00
A. P. Craft, class pins for graduating class Soldiers' and	
Sailors' Orphans' Home	19.00
Floral designs, Balsley, Swigart, Marsh, King	18.90
Local and long distance phone and telegrams	43.57
Traveling expenses A. A. G. and Commander	47.75
Maggie Adams, salary as stenographer	480.00
Foster & Messick, bond of A. Q. M. G.	10.00
Hibben & Hollweg, ribbon for badges	2.70
Walter Abbott, Los Angeles, ribbon for badges	6.80
Express and drayage	9.40
J. A. Polk & Co., city directory	6.00
Xmas presents, postman, janitor, office help	7.25
Repairs to typewriter, suitcase, office clock	2.25
Typewriter ribbons	1.50
Refunds	1.74
Sundries	.40
Auditing books	
Indianapolis Morning Star	
American Toilet Supply Co.	2.40
Total	\$2,934.39
Balance	
ASSETS.	
Cash balance on hand April 30, 1913	\$ 507.53
Loan in Terre Haute Trust Company	
Union National Savings and Loan Association, loan	1,000.00
Supplies on hand	69.94
Furniture and fixtures	550.00



The following Posts contributed the amounts set forth to the Christmas Fund for the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home:

Balance on hand\$	83.35
Post No. 369, Indianapolis	2.00
Department Commander W. E. Gorsuch	2.00
Post No. 579, South Bend	2.00
Post No. 281, Indianapolis	2.00
Post No. 17, Indianapolis	10.00
Post No. 137, Huntington	5.00
Post No. 55, Richmond	5.00
Post No. 350, Ridgeville ·	1.00
Post No. 127, Franklin	5.00
Post No. 277, Otterbein	1.00
Post No. 1, Terre Haute	5.00
Post No. 247, Bedford	3.00
Post No. 26, Madison	5.00
Post No. 27, Evansville	5.00
Post No. 2, Brazil	3.00
Post No. 192, Linton	2.00
Post No. 202, Zionsville	2.00
Post No. 3, Lafayette	2.00
Post No. 147, Laporte	5.00
Post No. 271, Fort Wayne	3.00
Post No. 131, Russiaville	.75
Post No. 589, Lafayette	5.00
Post No. 290, Knox	2.00
Post No. 228, Fortville	2.00
Post No. 33, Bluffton	5.00
Post No. 103, Sheridan	2.00
Post No. 85, Bloomington	5.00
Post No. 564, Farmersburg	1.00
Post No. 209, Indianapolis	5.00
Total\$1	81.10
Check to Mrs. Belle Ephlin, Pres. Dept. of Indiana W. R. C. 1	80.75
Relance on hand	35

COMMANDER GORSUCH—This is the seventh consecutive year I have been honored by my Department Commander to the position I now have the honor and pleasure

of holding, and I have had the loyal support and encouragement of each of them in building up our organization, and none have been more loyal than yourself, nor manifested a greater interest in building up our organization and increasing our membership than you. From the day you were installed into office to the close of your term at all times attending all calls made on you by Grand Army Posts, regimental reunions, district meetings and other gatherings of old soldiers, and at all times tried to impress on their minds the great importance of sustaining our organization. With all that, you will see that my report shows a loss of 681. No doubt the loss would have been greater had it not been for the flag prize you gave to each post in the department making a net gain of ten or more, sixteen posts having secured a flag. should not be necessary to offer prizes for increase in membership, nor would it if the Post Commanders and their membership could fully realize the great help the organization has been to us all, and at no time has it been more essential than now. A visit to the Soldiers' Home at Lafayette and to the Orphans' Home at Knightstown would convince them of that, and for many other reasons you no doubt know.

Old age and failing health are the excuses generally given for non-attendance at Post meetings and finally being dropped from the posts. These are poor excuses. The trouble is that too many posts do not meet regularly, and when it comes to collecting the small amount that is assessed for dues, and making reports, they refuse to pay and are dropped from the rolls. There are now more than 500 on the suspended list for non-payment of dues and a large percent of them from posts that only meet at the call of the Post Commander. Commanders, have

your regular meetings as often as you can, but have them, if but quarterly.

Now I want to extend to you, Commander Gorsuch, and to all your subordinate officials, my sincere thanks for the many courtesies shown me during your administration, the memories of which will be a great pleasure to me along life's pathway. And to every Comrade in the Department, without an exception, I have nothing but sympathy and a good wish for their good health and happiness.

Most sincerely and fraternally,
J. R. Fesler,
A. A.-G. and A. Q.-M. G.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 22, 1913.

To the Department Commander and Comrades of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

We, your committee, duly appointed to audit the books of Comrade J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General of this department, have the honor to report that we have made careful inspection of the same and beg leave to report that we find them in proper form, specific in detail and correct in finding.

(Signed) Orlando A. Somers, W. W. Daugherty, Harlan P. Miller,

Committee.

REPORT OF SENIOR VICE-COMMANDER.

To the Commander and Comrades of the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

Your Senior Vice-Commander submits the following report: At the regular meeting of the Department Encampment at South Bend, Indiana, May 21st, 22d and 23d, 1912, you did me the honor to elect me Department Junior Vice-Commander, for which I hereby express by sincere thanks for the confidence reposed in me.



Within three short weeks our beloved Department Commander, Frank P. Swigart, was summoned to answer the last roll call in the Great Beyond. By his death I became Senior Vice-Commander, and as such my duties and responsibilities were not increased, owing largely to the efficiency of our Department Commander, W. E. Gorsuch, and the Assistant Adjutant-General, J. R. Fesler, who has been on duty all the time, looking after the interests of the Grand Army of the Republic throughout the state, and I wish to say here, it is a pleasure to be associated with such loyal comrades, and such a grand work. A large portion of the time I was laid up with rheumatism and not able to leave my home, and further handicapped by sickness in my family, yet I endeavored to do all within my power to advance the interests of the G. A. R., not only in my own Post, but I have visited several other Posts in southern Indiana and in every instance have encouraged enlistment, and in some cases recommended consolidation of Posts, where the numbers are so few it is difficult to get a sufficient number together to transact business. I feel confident that if many of the smaller Posts would surrender their charters and unite with larger Posts, better results would be obtained.

In conclusion, I desire to express my thanks to the department officers and comrades for their kind and courteous treatment, and I shall ever remember them as true comrades.

Yours in F. C. & L., V. V. WILLIAMS, Senior Vice-Department Commander.

REPORT OF JUNIOR VICE-COMMANDER.

LOGANSPORT, IND., May 21, 1913.

W. E. Gorsuch, Commander Department of Indiana G. A. R.:

The appointment of Junior Vice-Commander of this Department was accepted by me with full sense of the honor done me by it, but being in ignorance of the duties devolving on incumbent, I held myself in readiness to perform any duties I might be called upon to perform. No calls having been made upon me, and nothing coming to my mind suggestive of special duties, I have no performance to report.

I take great pleasure, however, to report the unvarying kindness and consideration of all the officers and comrades of the Grand Army with whom it was my good fortune to meet. Advancing years and failing health prevented by attendance at many meetings of the Grand Army, but such as it was my good



fortune to attend showed life and enthusiasm in the cause and spirit of the organization.

Respectfully submitted in F. C. & L.,
D. B. McConnell,
Junior Vice Commander,
Department of Indiana G. A. R.

REPORT OF MEDICAL DIRECTOR.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 22, 1913.

To the Commander of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

I hereby submit the following report as Medical Director of the Department for the year ending May 23, 1913:

The Medical Director of the Department has had very little to do in regard to the caring for the Medical Department during the year. Have answered a few letters concerning comrades and congratulate the Department on its healthy condition at, the present time.

Submitted in F. C. & L.,
S. I. Brown,
Medical Director.__

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT CHAPLAIN.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1913.

To Comrade Wilber E. Gorsuch, Commander Department of Indiana G. A. R.:



MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES.

Number of Posts observing Memorial Day services	163
Number of Comrades participating in Memorial Day services.	6,377
Number of cemeteries in which graves were decorated	991
Number of graves decorated2	8,052
Number of graves unmarked by headstones	743
Number of public schools engaging in Memorial Day services_	233
Number of pupils participating1	9,993
Number of other organizations participating	209
Number of addresses delivered to Posts on Memorial Day	147
Number of addresses delivered by Veterans	36
Number of addresses delivered by Sons of Veterans	34
Number of Posts having burial plots	53

I would discourage making the day one of sport and amusement and most earnestly urge all citizens and civic organizations to co-operate in the religious observance of this sacred day, for it is a holy day.

I sent report to Chaplain-in-Chief early in July, 1912. It is almost impossible to get the posts to send in reports. They have good intentions but never put them into practice.

Respectfully submitted in F. C. & L.,

RICHARD C. JONES,

Department Chaplain.



No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
1	Peter N. Staff		Private	ĸ	31st Ind. Inf	Feb. 7
1		68	Artificer	H	1st Western Eng	June 13
1	Joseph H. McChesny	69	Private	D	11th Ind. Inf.	
				D	11th Ind. Cav.	June 1
1	Andrew J. Thompson .		1st Lieut	G	7th Ind. Cav	July 2
1	Eli B. Hamilton	1	Corporal	C	144th Ill. Inf	Nov. 14
1	Samuel C. Scott		Captain	E	31st Ind. Inf	Nov. 20
1	Gotlieb C. Houck	1	Private	D	71st Ind. Inf	Pec. 3
2	Joseph C. Gifford	• •	1st Lieut	B	71st Ind. Inf	Mar. 21
2 2	Aaron W. Love	• •	Private	D	70th Ind. Inf	Feb
2	Christian Ehrlich Milton B. Phillips		Private Private	K	6th Ind. Cav 149th Ind. Inf	Sept. 18 Oct. 29
2	Thomas Henderson		1st Lieut	G	28th Ill. Inf	Oct. 28
2	William Pullen		Private		2011 111. 1111	Dec. 19
3	N. I. Throckmorton		Private	C	40th Ind	Feb. 1
3	J. L. Carpenter		Private	B	94th Ohio	Apr. 1'
3	A. E. Shearman		Private	Ā	117th New York	Apr. 1
3	John W. Warner		Private	A	11th Ind. Cav	Nov. 30
3	Charles W. Sexton		Sergeant	I		Dec. 2
4	James H. Mehamy		Private	В	38th Ill	Sept. 1
5	D. C. Elder		Private		7th Ind	July 5
5	U. S. Johnson		Private	I	146th Ind	Aug. 13
5	B. F. Black		Private	В	68th Ind	Sept. 9
5	The. Miller		Private	G, D	2d Cav	Oct.
5	P. R. Stage		Private	I	68th Ind	Nov. 12
5	Thomas Garrett		Private	F	31st Ind	Jan. 17
6	James Donaldson	٠.	Sergeant	A	142d Ind	Mar. 16
6	Benjamin Walker	• •	Corporal	• • • •	St. Louis Res'vs	Mar. 30
6	Thomas Burke	• •	Private	A	153d Ind	June !
6	J. R. Bruner	• •	Captain	D	47th Ind	July 1
6	Fred Aukerman	• •	Corporal	H F	152d Ohio 101st Ind	Aug. 29
7	Joseph A. Crune Ira Cadwallader	76	Private Private	D	135th Ind	Dec. 20 Aug. 6
7	Merrick Y. Buck		Private	E	16th Ind	Aug. 6 Sept. 12
7		6.753	Private	A	1st Ohio Inf	Jan. 13
7	Isaac W. Jones		Private	G	3d Iowa	Jan. 31
7	George W. Coons		Private	H	154th	June 1
8	Jacob Godfrey				48th Ind. Inf	
8	Charles Staples			F	155th Ind. Inf	
8	Jacob Manning			K	20th Ohio	
8	Robert Drulinger				9th Ind. Inf	
8	Henry Sandhovel				48th New York.	
8	Charles Maurer Henry G. W. Hardy				21st Ind. Bat 23d Ind. Inf	

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
8	Egbert L. Finney			C	73d Ind. Inf	
8	John E. Flinn			K	147th Ind. Inf	
8					74th Ill. Inf	4.5
8	William Mollar			E	58th Ind. Inf	
8					21st Ind. Bat	
8	0	٠.			9th Inf	
8				B.	163d Ohio	
8		::		C	73d Ind. Inf	
3		78	Lieut	В	177th	Apr. 28
9		69	Private	C	137th	Nov. 26
10			Corporal	E	149th Ind. Inf	Dec. 11
11		82	Private	A	78th Ind	Mar. 17
11		73	Private	F	123d Ind	Apr. 18
13		73	Captain	Е	22d Ind	Feb. 17 Feb. 29
13 13		75 69	Private	H	25th Ind	-
13		67	Private	D	53d Ind 82d Ohio	Apr. 7 July 7
13	Hezekiah Puffenberger		Private	E	67th Ind	Aug. 13
13		73	Private	G	6th Ind	Dec. 23
14	** ** **		Private		21st Ind. Art	Feb. 5
14				K	9th Ind. Inf	Feb. 10
14	** ' ' ' '			G	15th Ky	Feb. 5
14			Captain	D	46th Ind. Inf	June 8
14	T 1 1 7 7		Private	H	46th Ind. Inf	July 5
14	117 TT TO 11		Private	В	46th Ind. Inf	July 10
*	John M. Criemans			В	4th Ohio Inf	
幸	Benj. F. Threewits			K	36th Ind. Inf	
*	Judson O. Moore			I	47th Ill	
14			Private	L	12th Ind. Cav	Sept. 9
14			Private	L	12th Ind. Cav	Feb. 16
15	23	٠.	Private	I	25th Ind. Bat	June 11
15		٠.	Sergeant	K	146th Ind. Inf	May 3
15	Michael Callahan	٠.	Private	G	43d Ohio Inf	June 15
15		٠.	Private	G	68th Ind	Mar. 14
15	0	• •	Private	D	80th Ind	Oct. 31
15		• •	Private	E	42d Ind	Feb. 15
15		٠.	Sergeant	H	42d Ind	Sept. 8
15 16		67	Private	F	42d Ind	July 9
17		67	Corporal	F	5th Tenn	Apr. 2 Jan. 5
17		66 74				
17	Charles H. Abbett Joseph J. Jones			F	11th, 36th Ind 70th Ind	Jan. 11 Jan. 25
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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
17	Joseph M. Ryder	72	Private	A	162d Ohio	Mar. 12
17	James E. Greer	68	Sergeant	I	26th Ind	Mar. 21
17	Timothy Griffin		Private	C	79th Ind	Mar. 24
17	John B. Conner		Captain	A	12th Ind	Apr.
17	August Westfield		Private	В	9th V. R. C	Apr. 8
17	Andrew J. Kramer		Private	F	5th Ind. Cav	June 13
17		65	Private	F	133d Ind	June 26
17	John W. Jones	69	Private	A	11th Ind	June 26
17	Conrad Shafer		Private	K	68th Ind	July 14
17 17	David M. Fisher	10.00	lstSergeant	F H	19th Ind	July 18
17	Theodore W. Pease		Private	1.00	19th Ind	July 31
17	William B. Harris		Private	A K	7th Md. Inf	Aug.
11	Carey M. Layne	09	Private	D	72d Ind }	Sept. 19
17	Thomas W. Stewart	77	Captain Private	A	150th Ind }	Oct. 11
17		67	Private	K	1st N. Y. Art	Nov. 26
17	Daniel M. Ransdall	70	Corporal	G	70th Ind	Nov. 28
17	Jonathan J. Ridge		Corporal .	H	23d N. J	Nov. 29
17	Henry Moore	71	Private	A	25th Iil	Dec. 2
17	Thomas H. Butler		Colonel		5th Ind. Cav	Dec. 8
17	Timothy C. Faries		Private	G	12th Ohio	Dec. 27
17	Osman H. Judkins		Corporal	B	38th Ind	Dec. 29
18	William Edwards		Private			Feb. 3
18	Henry Montgomery					June 25
18	Frank Fisher					Aug. 12
18	Thomas J. Edwards					Sept. 20
18	Henry Pierson					Sept. 22
18	James C. Bennett		2d Lieut	В	70th Ind	Oct. 16
18	James Sexton		Private	E	132d Ind	Dec. 17
20	T. B. Ridlen		Sergeant	H	22d I. V. S	Mar. 19
20	W. J. Durham		Private	I	134th	May 10
20	David S. Reed		Private	G	5th O. V. C	June 16
24	Jacob M. Wells		Captain	В	U. S. Col. T	Jan.
23	John W. Reynolds	68	Private	G	12th Ind. Inf	Mar. 3
23	John G. Wolf		Private	• • • •		Mar.
23	William F. Redding		Seaman		U. S. Navy	Sept. 30
26	Jacob Bentz	72	Private	В	61st Pa. Inf	Feb. 18
26	W. H. Demaree		Private	A	55th Ind	Mar. 16
26	John Hoagland	71	Private	E	3d Ind	May 10
26	George E. Grace	72	Lieut	L	4th Ind. Cav	Apr. 11
26	John A. Litterer	75	Private	B	17th Ill. Inf	Aug. S
26	Robert Dunlop		Private	1000	4th Ind. Cav	Dec. 30
27 27	John Wilson Charles H. Roberts		Private	F F	3d Tenn	Jan. 19 Feb. 18

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
27	Henry C. Green	67	Private	A	136th Ind	Mar. 17
27	Anton Maurer		Private	\mathbf{E}	183d Ohio	May 12
27	William H. Stites		Corporal	В	146th Ind	May 20
27	Eugene H. Mann		Sergeant	A	53d Ill	Aug. 6
27	Hiram Linn	72	Private	H	92d Ohio	Dec. 12
28	John Bieger		Private	A	80th Ind	Jan. 13
28	B. F. Taylor	• •	Private	H	20th Ohio	Mar. 19
28	J. T. Bryant	• •	Private	I K	10th Ind	Mar. 21
28 28	J. W. Little		Private	B	133d Ohio	Apr. 23
28	J. D. Leonard John Rustin		Private Private	H	58th Ind 65th Ind	June 25 June 29
28	Joseph C. McGarrah		Private	B	65th Ind	Dec. 7
28	William S. Bromegen.		Private	A	185th Ohio	Dec. 12
30	Henry C. Sellers		Private .:	Ē	29th Ind	Jan. 1
30	William E. Braxton		Private	F	13th Ind. Cav	Jan. 21
30	T. A. Van Cleve	100	Private	D	55th Ind. Inf	Jan. 27
30	Jonathan Bates	74	Private	G	89th Ind. Inf	Jan. 31
30	Benjamin F. Brandon.		Private	C	12th Ind. Inf	Feb. 10
30	James W. DeHaven	79	Private	C	74th Ohio Inf	Mar. 25
30	Samuel Doty		Private	E	148th Ind	Apr. 12
30	Charles H. Leach		Private	L	21st Ind. H. A	Apr. 30
30	Jacob Goodwine	10000	Private	G	57th Ind. Inf	June 12
30	Henry McNutt	79		G	57th Ind. Inf	Aug. 8
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30		1000	Private	C	75th Ind. Inf	Nov. 3
30	William Carr			В	67th Ind. Inf 12th N.Y.Ind.Bt	Dec. 10
30	William, H. Higgins Anderson Warner	100	Private		146th Ind. Inf	Dec. 12 Jan. 29
31	Paul Hamlin	2007	Private	A	9th Ind. Vol	June 7
31	Thomas Paul	1		B	150th Ind	Aug. 10
33	David Langshore		Private		191st Ohio	Nov. 22
36	Ernest Langeneck					June 10
36	Henry Miller			B	3d Pa. Art	Dec. 17
36	L. C. Jones		Private	K	30th Ill	Dec. 23
37	A. W. Neal		Sergeant		1st Mo	
37	C. H. Gotell		Private	В	130-8th O.Vol	Sept. 3
38	Job Evans		Private	F	20th Ohio Art	Jan. 22
38	William T. Sageberry.	82	Corporal	D	152d O. V. I	Feb. 14
38	Daniel W. Woodbury.		Private	В	7th I. V. C	Mar. 18
38	Wesley Johnson		Private	G	54th I. V. 1	Apr. 19
38	John W. Staats	100	Private	В	12th I. V. I	July 16
38 38	C. S. Evans	1000	Ass't Surg. Ass't Surg.	• • • •	156th O. V. I U.S.N. 16thW.I.	Oct. 16
38					152d O. V. I	Nov. S

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39 John D. Ridge	Date of Death.	Regiment.	Company.	Rank.	Age.	Name.	No. of Post.
39	Jan. 10	139th Pa	K			William J. Young	39
Mathias Schoup	Apr	57th Ind	B				39
Mathias Schoup		55th Ky	F				
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		106th O. V. I					
40 Abraham Sowers		11th Ind. Bat	.::				
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George I. Haswell Private K 100th Inf			A 100 CO.				200
40 George W. Brower. Private F 88th Inf. 40 Jacob Hettrick 1 1 1 40 Thomas Cadwallader. 1 11th Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind.			11/1/23		F .	[40.00
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40 William Glenn 79 Private 11th Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind. Ind.		91st Ind. Inf	1000				2.121
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No. of Post. Company Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Christopher Eyler 77 Private ... 12th Mich Apr. 11 W. H. Wickham 64 78 Drummer . В 14th New York. Oct. 15 David E. Ashcraft Private ... 14th West Va .. Nov. 17 78 George E. Birt......... 74 E 77th Ind. . . Private .. Nov 18 123d I. V. I.... 81 William A. Cullen.... Lieut. Col. May 68th I. V. I 16th I. V. I 81 Arthur A. Gates Private ... D July 14 81 James S. McFadden Private ... H Nov. 28 82 Private ... Zachariah Smith E 18th Ky. Inf.... Apr. 14 83d...... 68th N. J. 4th N. J. V. I ... 93d I. V. I. ... 185th O. V. I. ... John E. Baker 82 Private ... I Jan. 20 Henry Fogle. F Apr. 27 Private ... 83 Davis Brown. 75 E Private ... July 83 William Dinwiddie ... 69 Oct. 22 Private ... 83 J. J. Watson 68 C Sergeant .. Dec. 66th O. V. I.... Thomas W. Black 79 Private ... F Dec. 24 85 Henry Henley 85 Captain ... 117th Ind..... Feb. 13 T. H. Sudbury 73 85 Private ... 14th Ind. Sept. 5 38th V. I. I 86 J. H. Boyer Private ... Casper Zimmer. Private ... G 6th Ind. Inf... 6th Pa. 86 Charles Chew Private ... H 86 William Rose C 16th Ind. Inf. .. Private ... Jack Kendall 54th Ind. Inf ... 86 Private ... Sept. -86 C. H. Enright 23d Ind. Inf... Private ... 86 Clark Chew 85th Pa..... Private ... Aug George C. Masterson .. |82| 1st Lieut... Apr. |28 7th Ind. Bat 87 John Brooks 75 Private ... 5th Ind. Cav ... Aug. 3 Lorenzo D. Green 75 81st Ind..... Dec. Private ... 87 90 Peter Weinbremer.... 64 Private ... 142d Ind..... Jan. 12 41st Wis. 49th N. Y. V. . . John C. Mossop 62 90 Private ... Feb. 17 D 90 John Pasch 84 Private ... Apr. 20 July 74th Ind. Inf. .. 90 Jacob Brockelman 83 Private ... E 12th Ind. Cav .. 90 Jacob Myers 79 Private ... D July 30 Adam Greenwalt 72 90 Private ... 75 O. V. I..... May 27 51st Ill William G. Smith C Jan. 22 92 Private ... 92 Ben Elliott I 8th Ind Mar. 3 Private ... 92 Elijah Hunt Isaac Stuteman. Private ... B 79th Ind. Oct. 31 77th Ind. 92 John Murphy D Sept. 6 93 Henry H. Freeman. Private ... E 57th Ind. Feb. Luther Kail Nov. 9 93 Private ... I Samuel S. Sharp 8 93 Private ... G 38th Ind. Dec. Theodore Wells Musician .. 94 A 50th. Feb. C 7th July 94 Henry Lemmon Private ... Matthias K. Haines... 1st Lieut ... 2d Bt. & Ensign) Miss. Squadr'n Dec. 16

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127	Joseph L. Stubbs	66	Private	I	51st Ill	Aug. 2
127		67	Private	K	144th Ind	Oct. 8
127	Lindsey Stinnett	82	Private	I	77th Ind	Dec. 21
128	Frank Avery	69	Private	I	9th Ind	Jan. 15
128	Abraham C. Heiner		Corporal	K	87th Ind	Mar. 29
128	Colden Austin		Private	В	138th Ind	July 22
128	George J. Miller		Private	K	87th Ind	Oct. —
128	James Van Riper		Private	В	15th Ind	Dec. 29
131	Charles C. Duncan	66	Private	F	153d Inf	June 6
131	John M. Darby	75	Private	G	89th Inf	June 20
133		72	Corporal	I	9th Ind. Legion.	May 2
133	James Williams	200	Corporal	C	100th U.S. C. T.	Apr. 25
133	John Bauchert	1	Captain	D	75th Ind	Sept. 13
137	James C. Branyan		Private	I	138th Ind. Inf	Apr. 8
137	Charles L. Houseman .		Private	E	75th Ind. Inf	June 2
137 138	William R. Lawrence.		Private	E	2d Ohio H. A	Nov. 4
140	G. W. Strawser Benjamin Bartlett		Private	B	38th Ohio 36th Ind	May — Dec. 23
144	J. R. Nicholas	100 Car.	Private	F	3d N. J	June 2
144	Jacob D. Leighty		1st Lieut	200	11th Ind	Oct. 17
146	Johnson D. Garrett		Color Bea'r		17th Ind	Nov. 25
147	J. E. Vail		·····	11/12	1st Oregon	July 1
147	Frank C. Ketchum				2d Ill	Apr. 2
147	William H. Crane				29th Ind	June 27
147	D. J. Jennings				1st N. Y	Feb. 16
147	Griffin A. Coffin		lst Lieut		29th Ind	Oct. 19
147	Charles P. Smith		Private		1st Mich. Eng	Dec. 15
148	S. G. Vance		Private			Jan. 29
148	Axiom Copeland		Private			Mar. 30
148	Marion Crull		Private			Aug. 24
148	L. P. Mitchell		Private	H	147th Ind	Dec. 6
148	Miles Haguenrod		Private	C	36th Ind	Dec. 26
148	David Chambers	·:	Captain	D	36th Ind	Dec. 27
150	William Tasker	71	Private	H	74th I. V. I	Oct. 17
150		75	Private	A	44th I. V. I	Oct. 16
150	John W. Vanfossen	• •	Corporal	H	5th S. S. O.V. I.	Nov. 2
150	Arthur O. Keffee		Private		00 1 7 77 7	Nov. 27
152	H () 경영경, '' () -	76	Private	A	23d I. V. I	Mar. 26
154	Nimrod Headington		Colonel	• • • •		Jan. 8
157	Thomas H. Downey John Saver	74	Private			Tom 10
159 159	Meredith Bland	1000	Private	ĸ	Ky	Jan. 12 Nov. 7
161	Samuel R. Pratt	100		-	67th Ind 87th Ind	Nov. 7 Dec. 31
161	James McKnight		Surgeon		9th Ind	Mar. 11

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161 161 161	David Ross		1			
16 161		68	Private	G	12th Ind. Cav	June 1
		10000			52d Ill. Vol	July 1
161	Abel Sewards		Private	D	5th Va. Vol	July 2
Tir	Frank Backe			G	12th Ind. Cav	Aug.
168	Francis Dovey				19th Ind. Bat	Mar.
168	Sheppard Bowman		Private		147th Ind. Inf	June
168	Charles M. Butler		Lieut		19th Ind. Bat	Sept.
168	William Simmons					Nov.
175	Frederick Wachsman			K	83d Ind	Mar.
175	Joseph Martz			H	14th Ohio	Mar.
175	George Weimer			D	5th Ohio Cav	Feb.
178	H. McReynolds		Private	M	10th Cav	Mar.
179	Gilbert Crosby			٠١		Aug.
181	Dan Myers				5th Ind	Apr.
181	W. Withers		Private			Sept.
181	James Staples		Private	• • • •		Sept.
181	George Shickler					Sept.
181	Al Hosick					Oct.
	Simon Harshberger				10:1 T 1 T 6	Dec.
	H. A. L. Green			E	12th Ind. Inf	
	George Thornbrough		Duimata		504h T. J	Tesler
187	Franklin Durham		Private	В	58th Ind	July
187	Thomas Christison			В	8th Ky	June
187	H. D. Hamilton		Private	D	120th Ind	Dec.
191	William M. Lewis		Captain		Paym'r U. S. A.	Feb.
191	James Stockdale			D	9th Ind	July
191	Jeremiah Floyd	09	Private	B F	13th Cav } 117th Inf }	Oct.
191	Henry E. Waddell	74	Sergeant	G	82d Ind. Inf	Nov.
191	Charles H. Sowle	79	Private	F	4th Ky. Cav	HOV.
191	Charles II. Bowle	1.2	Captain	H	4th Ky. Cav	Dec.
192	John F. Nixon	72	Private		12th Ind }	Dec.
192	James S. Sherwood	78	Musician		16, 21 and 24 Ind.	Nov.
198					192d O. V. I	Apr.
198				D	8th U. S. C. T	Aug.
198	J. W. Kellogg			A	Chandlers'Home	
100				100	Guards Mich	Aug.
198	Alex McLaughlin			A	26th Pa. Vol	Sept.
198	Frederick Hose	70	Private	H	13th O. V. I	Dec.
199			Private	D	21st Pa. Cav	June
199	A. B. McFann		Bugler		23d Ind. Art	
203	William Fisher	84	Private	G	5th Ind. Cav	
203	Jacob Fritz	183	Private	E	155th Ind. Vol	Apr.
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203	James P. Brown	78	Private	D	37th Ind. Vol	July 25
203	N. S. Martz		Private	G	6th Ind. Cav	Sept. 2
203	Stephen Lee	74	Private	G	57th Ind. Inf	May 23
203	James M. Campbell	72	Private	В	75th Ind. Inf	June 8
203	John Swab	73	Private	F	128th Ind	June 16
203	James Gilles	81	Private	C	101st Ind Inf	Aug. 31
203	Thomas D. Sutherland.	12.0	Private	D	82d Ind. Inf	Sept. 8
203	D. C. Canady	72	Private	C	5th Ind. Cav	Sept. 20
206	Henry C. Pownall	74	Private	E	29th Ind. Inf	Feb. 26
206	Emor P. Van Atta	69	Private	В	21st Ohio	Sept. 22
206	Robert Holiday	80	Sergeant	E	87th Ind	Nov. 24
208	John B. Fuller	::	Private	I	73d Ind. Vols	Jan. 26
209	Joseph McVey	75	Private	H	16th I. V. I	Feb. 22
209	Lewis P. Jackson	70	Private	H	1st O. V. I	Mar. 9
209	William Burch	73	Private	H	130th I. V. I	Mar. 23
209	Mathias Smith	100	Private	I	26th I. V. I	Apr.
209		66	Private	B	1st Ind. Bat	June 7 June 3
209	Robert S. Moore		Private	H	70th I. V. I 12th I. V. I	June 3 July 1
209 209	Joseph D. Camp Nelson Overmyer			F	11th O. V. I	July 22
209	William Leftwick			Ĺ	13th N. Y. Cav.	Aug. 1
209	John Webber			B	7th Ky	Sept. 28
209	William M. Allison		Private	K	7th Wis	Sept. 11
209		80		A	70th I. V. I	Oct.
209	John W. Whiteman		Private	E	39th I. V. I	Dec.
209	Henry C. Campbell		Private	C	46th Mo	Dec. 13
209	Joseph F. Hartman		Private	D	16th I. V. I	Dec. 1
214	Robert A. Jamison	68	Private	B	4th Ind. Cav	May 13
216	Ephraim M. Bryson	73	Corporal	H	87th Ind. Vol	Mar.
217	Joshua Sims			H	19th Inf	Jan. 27
217	Charles Shurman		Private		22d Ind. Bat	
217	Clate Sowles	1	Private		33d Ind. Inf	
220	W. F. Ford			• • • •		June 21
220	G. T. Douglas	• •		• • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Aug
220	J. M. Maxwell		D :	• • • •	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Dec. —
222	S. N. Chambers	19.75	Private	• • • •	55th Ind. Inf	Mar
227	Nathaniel M. Roby		Private	A	22d I. V. I	Sept. 24
228	Benjamin W. Sweeney		Private	F	2d Ky. Inf	Feb. 19
228	David R. Richards James H. Fausset		Sergeant	G G	12th I. V. I	June 14
$\begin{array}{c} 228 \\ 228 \end{array}$	Peter Bolander	332.00	Private	A	12th I. V. I 11th I. V. I	June 28
231	John W. Lang		Private	7.7	13th Ind. Cav	July -
232	John Palmer		Private		15th Ind. Cav	Sept.
244	Joseph R Cravens					Dehr.

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244	Mat G. Watkins		Private	A	5th Ind. Cav	Apr. 28	
244	John Featherston		Private	B	2-th Ind	June 21	
244	George Mathes I. R. Conwell	1 1	Private	C B	73d Ind 2d Ind. Cav	Aug. 19 Aug. —	
244	W. A. Cravens		Captain Private	D	34th Ind	Oct. 20	
244	James M. Fleming		Sergeant	č	2d Ohio H. A	Nov. 12	
244	John W. Cattus		Private	Ĭ	13th Ind. Cav	Nov. 29	
244	John Runyan		Private	F	9th Ind. Cav	Dec. —	
244	William B. Miller		Private	F	84th Ind	Dec. 29	
247	Dudley Scroggins	71	Private	\mathbf{E}	136th Ind. Vol .	Jan. 4	
247	Alexander Evans	73	Private	F	15th Ind. Vol	Mar. 15	
247	William McCinney	100		C	43d Ind. Vol	Mar. 24	
247	Milton H. Goldsmith.			K	67th Ind. Vol	May 10	
247 247	Robert N. Flinn Samuel King	12.5		G E	4th Ind. Cav	Aug. 4	
247	Jennings Larter	1.60	Private	C	28th U. S. C. T.	Aug. 30 Nov. 22	
249	C. R. Strahan		Private		7th 1nd	Aug. —	
253	Oliver G. Wilder			E	91st Ill	July 7	
260	Charles Wilcox			D	73d Ind	Jan. 20	
260	James Gibson	70	Private	D	73d Ind	Feb. 27	
260	Morris Agler		Private	A	46th O. V. I	Mar. 20	
261	G. W. Worl					Feb. 2	
261	9		D			Feb. 17	
261	Caleb Trees		Private		1st Ind. H. A	Aug. 13	
262 262	E. B. Burnes Eli S. Rivers	1	The state of the s	B	14th Ind 89th Ind	Sept. 30 Oct. 2	
263	Abraham Coslett	1	Private	K	13th Ind. Cav	Oct. 2	
271	Thomas C. Beall			G	12th Ind. Vol	Jan. 21	
271	Allan H. Dougall	1000			88th Ind. Vol	May 22	
271	James C. Peltier			K	12th Ind. Vol	July 24	
271	David Binkley		THE RESERVE AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE	В	17th Ohio	Aug. 30	
271	Enoch Clark	1 2 4		G	152d Ind	Sept. 19	
271	William Kelsey	1 100		E	36th Wis	Sept. 23	
271	William H. Workman	1 500	The second secon	I	7th Iowa	Dec. 4	
$\frac{271}{272}$	John F. Crow Henry M. Walker	1 5	Private Private		11th Ind. Bat 22d Ind. Inf	Dec. 19 May 27	
275	W. D. Everett		Captain	I	81st I. V. I	Apr. 11	
276	R. W. Bacon			Ĉ	42d Ill. Inf	Nov. 8	
277	William P. Wiles			Ğ	20th Ind. Inf	June 2	
278	R. R. Scott		Captain	E	12th Ind. Inf	Feb. 19	
278	T. E. Williams		Private	E	12th Ind. Inf	June 27	
280	George Z. Wood					July 21	
280	Isaiah Phipps					Sept. 27	
281	J. E. Reynolds				1	Oct. 15	

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281	H. M. Haines					Nov. 11
284	Constantine W. Stewart	/ 1	Private	K	85th Ind. Vol	Jan. 4
284	Franklin Stock	• •	Private	D	43d Ind. Vol	Feb. 26
290	William H. Stevenson.	• •	Private	D	29th Ind. Inf	Jan. 8
290	J. M. Thomas	• •	Private	E	128th Ind. Inf	Mar. 5
290	J. B. Barnum	 76	Private	K F	55th & 73d Ind. 41st Ill. Inf	Mar. 12
290 290	H. C. Heisey		Private Corporal	17	151st Ind. Inf	Apr. 25
290		75	Private	::::	47th Ind. Inf	Aug. 10 Mar. 26
292		79	Private	D	144th Ind	Dec. 4
294		67	Private	B	9th Ind. Cav	Dec. 8
296	1. T. 1. T.	78	Private	F	69th Ind. Inf	July 9
301		68	Private	F	130th Ind	Aug. 1
305	J. W. Radeliff		Private		115th	Mar. 21
305	Nelson Wood		Private			Apr. 21
305	James Daniels					
310	William Persionett	67	Private	K	42d Ind	Sept. 2
322	0	65	Private	K	22d Ind	Jan. 13
322		74	Private	В	82d Ind	June 29
322		77	Private	B	143d Ind	Aug. 12
322	Hiram Sims		Private	F	65th Ind	Dec. 26
326		79	Private	C E	146th Ind	Oct. 21
$\frac{326}{327}$		$\frac{72}{75}$	Private	D	59th Ind 38th Ill	May -
329		69	Corporal	i	43d Ind	Sept. 9
332		75	Private Sergeant	E	25th Ind	May 20
332		79	Private	M	10th Ind	Dec. 23
333	W. R. Dagley		Private	B	21st Ind. H. A.	Oct. 2
334	Samuel Kirby		Private	G	49th Ind	Feb. 26
334	Eleaz J. Pierce		Ord. Sergt.	A	17th Ind	May 13
334	George W. Willyard		Private	F	13th Ind. Cav	Dec. 26
342	E. D. Gunsaullus	79	Private	K	29th I. V. I	July 28
350	Thomas Addington	82	Chaplain	A	84th Ind. Vol	Jan. 24
350	Daniel J. Banta	70	Private	F	81st O. V. I	Feb. 24
350	John B. Sipe	69	Private	C	5th Ind Cav	Mar. 28
350	Joshua W. Flood	77	Private	Ç	100th Vol. Inf	Sept. 10
351	Andrew Jackson	70	Private	I	6th Wis. Cav	July 20
355		76	Private	Ι	53d Ind	Aug.
359		64		• • • •		
359	[12] [2] [2] [2] [2] [2] [2] [2] [2] [2] [86		• • • •	24th	Mar. 29
364 368	James W. Henderson Thomas J. Arnold	68	Corporal	ï	138th Ind	Dec. 29
369	John R. Davis		Corporal	Ċ	132d Ind. Vol	Mar. 19
369	Ewald Over	1000		4	6th W. Va. Inf.	

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No. o		Age.		Company.	regiment.	Death.
369	William H. Lester	78	Corporal	K	33d Ind	May 28
369	Henry M. Bronson	75	Lieut	В	145th O. V. I	Oct. 30
369	H. J. Shonacker		Musician	A	1st Mich. Inf	Dec. 21
371	Joseph Dover	77	Private	K	49th Ind	June 19
375	G. P. Rondaba	75	Private	G	26th Ia	Mar. 1
385 378	G. W. Allison		Private	A	51st Ia	Oct. 26
387	A. P. Atwood Fred D. Oberlan		D-:		**************************************	
390	William Stephenson	٠.	Private	A I	53d Ind	Aug. —
391	J. W. Clarkson		Sergeant	K	4th Ohio Cav	Jan. 10
391	Joseph V. Wilson		Private	D	84th Ind 9th Ind	Mar. —
400	Benjamin Shaffer		Private	F	74th Ind	Mar. —
411	F. C. Stevens	85	Private	В	151st Ind. Vol	Sept. 30 May 1
411	Patrick Sutwin		Private	В	38th Ind. Vol	May 1
411	George Ragen	70	Private	E	99th Ind. Vol	Feb. 1
422	Elbarry Conkwright		Private	C	24th Ky. Vol	Apr. 6
445	Stephen D. Price	77	Private	1	17th Ind	Sept. 2
447	Kinion N. Daniel	70	Private	G	4th Ky. Cav	July 1
447		69	Private	C	42d Ind. Inf	July 8
447 456		72	Private	C	53d Ind. Inf	Oct. 6
465	Joseph Jones William Peak	82	Private	F	16th Ind. Vol	Nov. 24
465	John Conrad	::	Private	С.	7th Ind	T 1 00
469	Ezra Reed		Private	I	7th Ind 67th Ind	July 20
469	Lewis Holden		Private	Ī	33d Ind	Mar. 8
469	Solomon Smith					Apr. 20 Aug. 21
474	William M. Flinn	72	Corporal	В	27th Ind. Inf	Feb. 22
474	George M. Critchlow	71	Prjvate	В	27th Ind. Inf	Mar. 29
475	Christopher C. Jackson	71	Private	C	72d Ind	Dec. 26
477	William Kester		Private	I	85th Ind	
484	Fred Garvis					
489	Levi Heeter	68	D:	В	87th I. V. I	Dec. 25
497	William Lupton Thomas J. Smith	73	Private	A	25th Ind	June 14
497		67	Corporal Private	H	18th Ind	Mar. 29
499	David V. Leak			Н	15th N. Y. Cav. 7th Ind. Inf 33d Ind	Mar. 18 Aug. —
502						Nov. 7
505	Samuel G. Shook	71	Private	F	129th Ind	Jan. 23
505	Henry Campbell	80	Private	K	152d Ind	Apr. 22
513						Mar. 3
515	Alexahder Hoard	72	Private	В	18th Ind. Vol	May 23
515	Benjamin Burtch			G	145th Ind	Aug. 2
531	Benjamin F. Bower		Frivate	D	83d Ind	July 18

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No.		A	- 0	3		
531	W. T. Stott		Captain	В	52d Ind	Aug. 9
531	James Movinger		Private	C	113th Pa	Sept. 29
531	Lewis Idlewine		Private	H	83d Ind	Dec. 16
535	James M. Winders	68	Private	F	43d Ind	
557	Lewis Billiard	72	Private	A	46th Ind	Aug. 5
557	F. M. Davis	71	Private	E	154th Ind	Sept. 9
559	William Palmer	67	Drummer .	D	83d Ohio	Apr. 6
559	Geo. L. K. Standridge.	81	Corporal	В	9th Ind	July 7
562	George R. Harper	65	Chaplain	E	137th	May 6
562	L. H. Şuard	75	Adjutant	C	82d	June 10
563	George H. Reynolds	76	Private	C	20th Ind	Sept. 20
570	George Applegate	75	Private	A	22d Ind	Mar. 13
571	Albert Masher		Private		48th	Aug. 18
572	Frank Welch	74	Orderly	A	14th Ind	Mar. 3
575	Michael Atkinson		Sergeant	E	3d Ky. Cav	May 23
579	Andrew Koener		Private	I	37th Wis	Feb. 22
579	Frank S. Carlton		Private	G	74th Ind	Apr. 27
579	Orlin Bassett		Private	A	106th N. Y	Jan. 14
580	Richard H. Timmonds		Ensign		Navy	July —
586	Thomas Strong		Private	K	26th Ind	May 2
588	George W. Knapp	73	1st Lieut	C	68th U. S. C. T.	Apr. 6
589	Harry Bloomer	٠.	Private	K	5th Ohio	Jan
589	Calvin Keefer		Private	H	128th Ind	Feb
589	Paul Wimsey		Private	I	135th Ind	Mar. 12
589	Allen Conner			Ī	118th Ind	Mar
589	Thomas Dinsmore	• •	Private	I	10th Ind	Mar. 24
589	Henry Hebmer			• • • •	7th & 98th Ohio	Mar. 24
589 589	Jared Lampeer				9th Ind	Mar. 24
589	Samuel Moorehead		Private	F	9th Ind	Mar. 24
	Michael Dolan			D	U. S. Navy	May 13
589 589	Leonard Culver				88th Ind. Inf	May 17
589	Thomas Immel			I	74th Ind	May -
589	George H. White		D-:		Alat Tana Can	May 29
589	William Campbell		Private	H	41st Tenn. Cav	May 9
	J. B. Aydelotte					T1 94
589 589	Perry Boen			••••		July 26
589	Jacob Fritz			• • • • •		July -
	G. W. Hoaglen					Oct
589	Frank Inman		Delega		71-4 T J	Oct
92	William T. Maris	65		E	71st Ind	June 1
$\frac{592}{592}$	William A. Nichols			K	31st Ind	June 2
172	Julius Burns	100	Private	D	30th Ind	Aug. 2

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REPORT OF JUDGE-ADVOCATE.

W. E. Gorsuch, Department Commander, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

Comrade: It is my official duty to submit to you my final report as Judge-Advocate for the year ending May 23, 1913.

I am glad to report that there has been very little work for me to do in this branch of the Department.

I received a fairly large number of letters, or communications, from comrades of our Order, upon many subjects, as I thought, incidentally connected with the administration of Grand Army matters; and in such cases, I gave answers and instructions as I believed were well suited to each particular case, where it did not require a decision, or opinion, as to questions of Grand, Army law.

During the past year, you submitted to me the question, whether a Post had the right, or authority to divide its funds, pro rata, among the members of the Post, whenever it thought best to do so.

As you know, I decided that a Post did not have that power, and I am fully convinced that if a Post had such power, it would be detrimental to the interests of our great and patriotic order.

The money and property of the Posts are held in trust by the Posts for the use of the Posts, and the comrades of the Posts, and for the purposes for which the Grand Army of the Republic was founded.

The question as to what should be done with the money, and the property of Posts, in case of the surrender of the charter of a Post, was not decided. That is a question for the future.

Thanking you for your many kind courtesies and expressions of good will and comradeship, I respectfully submit this report in F. C. & L.

(May 21, 1913.)

SAMUEL M. HENCH,

Judge-Advocate.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT INSPECTOR.

EVANSVILLE, IND., May 17, 1913.

J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

DEAR COMRADE: It has been intimated to me that I am expected to make a report to the coming encampment as Inspector.

When I reported for duty and instructions a year ago I was informed that the inspection of Posts having been done away with there were no specific duties for the Department Inspector,



etc., consequently I am unable to make a specific report, but I am happy to say that when I send in my report to Comrade J. Payson Bradley, Inspector-General of the Grand Army of the Republic, I can report that the Department of Indiana is in good working order, that all the officers are prompt and thorough in the discharge of their duties, and that they are ably seconded by all the comrades.

In my visits to the nearby Posts and at reunions and gatherings, I find the comrades everywhere as resting on their laurels—satisfied with their conditions and surroundings. The average age of the Civil War veterans is past the "three score years and ten" mark and I have noticed that they are not near as belligerent as they were; they live more in a reminiscent state of mind, and consequently have more love for all mankind. The ties formed in the bivouac and on the field are drawing us closer together.

The following lines will touch a responsive chord in the breast of most of us; may I be pardoned for quoting them?

"A little more tired at close of day,
A little less anxious to have our way,
A little less ready for scold and blame,
A little more care for a brother's name;
And so we are nearing the journey's end,
Where time and eternity meet and blend.

"A little more love for the friends of youth,
A little less zeal for 'established' truth;
A little more charity in our views,
A little less thirst for the daily news;
And so we are folding our tents away,
And passing in silence at close of day.

"A little more leisure to sit and dream,
A little more real unseen things seem,
A little more near to those ahead,
With visions of those long-loved and dead;
Thrice happy, then, if some soul can say,
'I live because he has passed my way.'"

With love for all comrades.

Truly yours in F. C. & L.,

August Leich,

Department Inspector.



REPORT OF DEPARTMENT PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR.

DANVILLE, IND., May, 1913.

Wilber E. Gorsuch, Commander Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

In compliance with the rules and regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, I beg leave to submit my report as Patriotic Instructor of this Department. I regret to say that I have but little data as having come from the Post Patriotic Instructors, upon which to base a report, having received but thirty reports from the three hundred and forty-six Posts reported in good standing last year.

I take it that a large part of the delinquency can be accounted for through natural causes, growing out of the physical disabilities of our comrades as a result of age. The time is here when we cannot expect our comrades as a whole to perform the active duties of our organization as they have done in the past, but the few reports that I have show a commendable interest is being exhibited in the various communities from which they come.

I take it that these reports reflect the loyal and patriotic feeling that still exists throughout our Department. I feel that we should express our commendation of the action of the last legislature in making an additional appropriation for the re-enforcing and encasing of our regimental battle flags, that they may be preserved to future generations, who may look upon them and receive new inspirations of patriotism.

Major D. I. McCormick is engaged in a great work and grows more enthusiastic in the discharge of his duty as he learns more of the history of these flags. The information which he gathers will be compiled into a history of these flags and it will serve to teach the coming youth something of the terrible sacrifice of life it took to uphold the Old Flag in the dark days of 1861 to 1865. Even we who participated in that great conflict, as we listen to the stories of the tragedies enacted during the heat and smoke of battle are impressed more than ever by the appalling nature of the Civil War. On behalf of Major McCormick, and to the end that such a history may be perfected, I invoke the assistance of all our comrades who may be able to contribute thereto.

The Grand Army of the Republic has done more to educate the people in patriotism, than any, or all other organizations put together, but its ranks are growing thinner each year, and the time is fast coming when the last number will answer to the final roll call. The work of inculcating patriotism in the hearts



of the people must be carried on, or our nation will wither and die as has been the fate of other republics in the world's history. It therefore behooves us to be even more zealous in enlisting the interest of the people and especially the young, for upon them will rest the burden of perpetuating the memory of the past and keeping alive the devotion to the flag.

We are sometimes fearful of the tendency of the present time to forget the purpose of Memorial Day and to make it a day for games, races and revelry, instead of a day of "memory and tears." A day on which we try to show our gratitude and love for those who gave their lives as a sacrifice that this might become a united, prosperous and happy nation. It is hard for those who passed through the fiery ordeal of the war to understand why a day so sacred to us, should not be sacred to our countrymen. Perhaps we should remember, when we are inclined to censure, that a barrier of years lies between the young men of today and the battle fields of the Civil War. They never experienced the bitter pangs of separation from home and loved ones to go to war, nor do they realize what war means, for no pen can describe it, neither can its likeness be printed on canvas or chiseled in marble. They never heard the groans of dying soldiers, nor saw them lying unattended upon the field of battle under a burning sun. This casts no shadow over them. They rest on the bosom of peace. In the enjoyment of all that it brings they may sometimes forget the sacrifices it cost. We must make an effort to awaken them from the lethargy into which they have fallen. We should call upon the press to aid in preserving Memorial Day for the purpose for which it was intended. A part of it has already spoken and we heartily commend those papers which have been patriotic enough to stand for its observance and hope the remainder of the press will come out boldly against the desecration of this sacred occasion. The public schools are already doing a great deal to teach patriotism to the young and yet more might be done to instill in the responsive minds and hearts of the children a deep seated reverence for the flag and for the things for which it stands. The opening exercises of all public schools should include singing "America," saluting the flag, and pledging allegiance to it and the Republic for which it stands.

I wish to call attention to the first National Patriotic Instructors Institute held under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic, Minneapolis, Minn., January 18, 1913, and recommend the strongest endorsement of this patriotic educational work. The program included a number of splendid addresses



upon patriotic subjjects and valuable discussions on teaching patriotism in the schools. Such work cannot help but be productive of good and it should become a regular feature of the Departments.

An occasion such as it affords will give opportunity to correct the impression, if such exists, that we are laying too much stress on the patriotism of war. We who have passed through the experience of war can better realize the blessing of peace, and it is this we should impress upon the people of the younger generations. The patriotism of peace should be taught as our highest duty to our country. The clean, upright, law abiding citizen is the greatest patriot.

We need a better standard of morality and a higher conception of public service more than a standing army. My thought is better expressed by Patriotic Instructor H. S. Goff in an address delivered at the National Patriotic Instructors Institute, who said, "Perhaps two or three times in a century the war spirit is aroused, and we know that the soldiers of the Revolutionary and Civil Wars did their work well. But I want to impress upon the minds of the children the great fact, that it takes more manhood and womenhood, more civic moral courage to stand forty years facing the temptations and conditions of civil life than it does to stand in line of battle and do your duty there."

Respectfully submitted in F. C. & L.,
GEO. W. SCEARCE,
Department Patriotic Instructor.

The following list of Committees was then read:

On Commander's Address—Gil R. Stormont, Milton Garrigus, David E. Beem.

On Officers' Report—A. D. Vanosdol, Lewis King, Henry M. Caylor.

 $\begin{tabular}{lll} {\it Presentation} & of & {\it Department} & {\it Commander's} & {\it Badge}{--}{\rm W.} & {\rm A.} \\ {\it Ketcham.} & \end{tabular}$

Committee to visit Woman's Relief Corps—Dan Waugh, Geo. W. Grubbs, C. W. Wheat.

To visit Daughters of Veterans—A. P. Asbury, D. N. Foster, M. M. Justus.

To visit Ladies of the G. A. R.—S. M. Hench, James S. Dodge, Chas. Myerhoff.

To visit Sons of Veterans—J. D. Alexander, Daniel Ryan, B. F. Yerrick,



The following is the Committee on Resolutions:

First District—A. P. Twineham, Post No. 28, Princeton.

Second District—J. T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Third District—W. S. Hunter, Post No. 461, Henryville.

Fourth District—J. S. Campbell, Post No. 570, Crothersville.

Fifth District—James M. Barlow, Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Sixth District—J. C. Livesay, Post No. 148, Newcastle.

Seventh District—W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—I. P. Watts, Post No. 60, Winchester.

Ninth District—Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Tenth District—Joel Yeager, Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Iome.

Eleventh District—Albert Boley, Post No. 39, National Military Home.

Twelfth District—John J. Ogle, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. Thirteenth District—John C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.

As no city or town extended an invitation to the Department for the Encampment of 1914, it was decided to leave this matter to the Council of Administration.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham announced the candidacy of Past Commander O. A. Somers for the position of Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. Comrade Somers, who was too ill to be present at the Encampment, was unanimously and enthusiastically endorsed by the convention, with instructions to those who should be selected as delegates to the National Encampment to do all in their power to secure his election.

Comrade W. W. Daugherty announced the line of march of the parade with positions assigned to the various districts.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham requested all Past Department Commanders present to meet at Room 4 at the Denison Hotel to escort the Commander-in-Chief to the reviewing stand.



The following letter from S. A. Cunningham, Commander-in-Chief of the Confederate Veterans, was read:

NASHVILLE, TENN., May 19, 1913.

Col. W. E. Gorsuch, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Please accept from me greetings:

I was a Confederate soldier and a prisoner in Camp Morton from about February 22, 1862, to the latter part of August of that year. During that period Col. Richard Owen was Commandant of the prison, from the time we were sent there to the latter part of June. His patriotic deportment and his unfailing courtesy in treating us as gentlemen so profoundly impressed all who observed his conduct that gratitude was general in the prison. I was one of the smallest and most insignificant of them all, but have ever entertained so great regard for him that it becomes the greatest pleasure of my life to place in tangible form, in your State Capitol, a memorial to his honor. Of the 4,200 prisoners under his charge I can learn of less than 10 per cent. of the number. I wish the memorial could have been dedicated at the time of your meeting, but could not arrange it.

The date has been fixed for June 9th, and through you, allow me, please, to cordially invite members of your great organization in Indiana to be present. Gov. Samuel M. Ralston will preside on the occasion, and the Vice-President, your recent Governor, has been requested to acept the Memorial for your state.

Every person of whom I have knowledge in the South and in the North regards it as a fitting act by Confederate prisoners who shared Col. Owen's kindness, and their friends.

With sincere respect,

Yours truly,

S. A. CUNNINGHAM.

I send this in care of Hon. W. W. Spencer, as I don't know your temporary address.

The following letter of greeting from W. T. Sherman Post No. 21, G. A. R., Pensacola, Florida, was next read:

PENSACOLA, FLA., May 16, 1913.

Col. W. E. Gorsuch, Commander Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

MY DEAR COMRADE: W. T. Sherman, Post No. 21, Department



of Florida, sends greetings to the old comrades of Indiana. May you all live another eleven years and return again to the Hoosier capital, and to the Monument that honors the memory of the Indiana soldiers of '61 to '65.

The Commander of this Post is glad that his name is among the men that Indiana called to build the monument, and I think, the only living survivor left. Long live the Grand Army of the Republic.

> Yours in F. C. & L., Geo. W. Johnston, Commander W. T. Sherman Post.

The following order of business was adopted by the Encampment:

RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1913.

The Council of Administration recommends that the order of business for the government of Encampment be as follows:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1. Opening of the Encampment.
- 2. Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 3. Calling Roll of Department Officers and Posts.
- 4. Commander's Address.
- 5. Appointment of Committees on Reports of Officers and other Committees.
- Reception and Reference of Resolutions and Communications.
- 7. Reports of Officers.
- 8. Reports of Committees.
- 9. Miscellaneous Business, including meeting place of next Encampment.
- Election of Delegates and Alternates to National Encampment.
- 11. Election of Department Officers as follows:
 - (a) Council of Administration.
 - (b) Chaplain.
 - (c) Medical Director.
 - (d) Junior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (e) Senior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (f) Commander.



12. Installation of Officers.

The business of the Encampment shall be conducted under the "Rules of Order" of the National Encampment so far as they are applicable.

All speeches shall be limited to five minutes, except by unanimous consent.

The Committee on Resolutions, one from each Congressional District, shall be selected by the comrades on Thursday morning, immediately after the reading of the Commander's address, for which a recess of ten minutes shall be taken.

All resolutions offered shall be referred to the Committee on Resolutions without reading and without debate on the first day of the Encampment, and no resolution shall be considered that has not been presented to the Encampment on the first day and signed by the party presenting it, except by two-thirds vote.

In nominations for Department Offices the roll will be called by Congressional Districts, and only the name, location and Post of the Comrade shall be given.

The Comrades from each Congressional District will assemble in District meeting on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock in the hall, and organize by selecting a chairman and first and second vice-chairman, who shall serve until the next Encampment and until their successors are selected, and also two Tellers, all of whose names shall be reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General. They shall at the same time select delegates and alternates to the National Encampment, and may also name one Comrade to be placed on the ticket for Council of Administration, giving name in full, postoffice address and number of Post they are selected from. They shall at the same time recommend for appointment by the Department Commander the name of one suitable Comrade for District Recruiting Officer.

In balloting for Department Officers in the Encampment the same Tellers shall collect the ballots of their respective Districts, count the same, and when the Districts are called, the Chairman of such District will announce the result of such ballot for each candidate and send the same in writing to the Assistant Adjutant-General, signed by the Chairman and Tellers. The Assistant Adjutant-General shall then tabulate the vote and announce the result of each candidate.

If there be any controversy in any District over the result of any ballot before it is announced the Commander shall, upon the request of two Comrades, order the roll of said District called for verification.



At the same time of the selection of the Committee on Resolutions there shall be selected a member to be voted on for Council of Administration from each District. These names shall be printed and distributed to the various Districts and the five candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Every ballot to have five names upon it. Ballots having less or more than five names shall not be counted.

Representatives and Alternates to the National Encampment shall be elected in the same manner as Department Officers and appointed to each Congressional District according to the numerical strength of the District; one Representative and one Alternate for each three hundred Comrades in good standing and one additional Representative and Alternate for a major fraction of more than one-half of that number, apportioned as follows:

One Representative and one Alternate-at-large.

First District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Second District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Second District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Third District—One Representative and one Alternate.

Fourth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Fifth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates. Sixth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates. Seventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates. Eighth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates. Ninth District—Four Representatives and four Alternates.

Tenth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Eleventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Twelfth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Thirteenth District—Four Representatives and four Alternates. In balloting no proxies will be allowed and no votes will be counted unless cast by Comrades present in the hall at the time the vote is taken, either by Districts or in open Encampment. After the second ballot for any office the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes shall be dropped on each successive ballot.

First District—Gibson, Vanderburgh, Warrick, Spencer, Pike Posey.

Second District—Daviess, Green, Knox, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Owen, Sullivan.

Third District—Dubois, Perry, Crawford, Harrison, Floyd. Clark, Scott, Washington, Orange, Sullivan, Lawrence.

Fourth District—Bartholomew, Brown Dearborn, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Ohio, Ripley, Switzerland, Decatur.

Fifth District—Hendricks, Putnam, Clay, Parke, Vermilion, Vigo.



Sixth District—Fayette, Franklin, Hancock, Henry, Rush, Shelby, Union, Wayne.

Seventh District-Marion.

Eighth District—Adams, Wells, Jay, Randolph, Delaware, Madison.

Ninth District—Fountain, Montgomery, Boone, Clinton, Carroll, Tipton Hamilton, Howard.

Tenth District—Benton, Jasper, Lake, Newton, Porter, Tippecanoe, Warren, White.

Eleventh District—Blackford, Cass, Grant, Huntington, Miami, Pulaski, Wabash.

Twelfth District—Allen, DeKalb, Lagrange, Noble, Steuben, Whitley.

Thirteenth District—Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Laporte, Marshall, Starke and St. Joseph.

Meeting adjourned to meet again at 8:30 Friday morning.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

Department Commander Gorsuch called the Encampment to order at 8:30. The following telegram from Dr. Albert Tucker was read:

Noblesville, Ind., May 22, 1913.

Col. J. R. Fesler, Adjutant-General Indiana Grand Army of the Republic, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Convey my love and kindest thoughts to the boys, my comrades, in convention. My physical condition prevents by being with them in person but am there in spirit. May God bless you all with long and useful lives to your homes and country is my prayer.

ALBERT TUCKER,

By F. A. Tucker.

Motion was made by Comrade David Strouse that the Encampment send greetings to Comrade Tucker. Motion carried.



REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS' REPORTS.

The Committee on Officers' Reports presented the following report:

COMMANDER AND COMRADES: Your Committee to whom was referred the Reports of the Officers of the Department, respectfully submit the following report:

We have carefully examined said reports and find them correct. We recommend that the same be approved and the thanks of the Encampment extended to those officers for their efficient discharge of duty.

A. D. VANOSDOL, H. M. CAYLOR, LEWIS KING,

Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO VISIT SONS OF VETERANS.

COMMANDER: We, the undersigned Committee appointed to visit the Sons of Veterans now in session in this city, report that we have performed the duty assigned us and we were given a royal reception, such as only the Sons of Veterans can give.

J. D. Alexander, Chairman, Daniel Ryan, B. F. Yerrick.

REPORT ON DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

To the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

Your Committee upon the Department Commander's Address submit the following:

We find the address to be thoroughly patriotic and suggestive as to the present and future of our beloved Order, and we recommend it to the careful perusal of the members of this Department.

We endorse its whole tenor, tone and sentiment. We especially call attention to and approve its recommendations to speedily get all honorable soldiers in to the Grand Army of the Republic, their natural home; also its reference to the Woman's Relief Corps and sons of Veterans, and the impressive utterances on the observance of Memorial Day. The address evinces abiding love and interest in the continuous welfare of this Department and its



membership, arising from his long and useful connection therewith.

In recognition of the efficient and faithful services of the retiring Department Commander, W. E. Gorsuch, the usual badge of a Past Department Commander of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, has been procured and will be presented before the close of this Encampment.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON GARRIGUS, Chairman, GIL R. STORMONT, DAVID E. BEEM.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered the citizens of Indianapolis for their generous hospitality and liberality in entertaining the members of this Encampment.

REPORT OF INDIANA STATE SOLDIERS' HOME, LAFAY-ETTE, INDIANA.

Mr. Wilbur E. Gorsuch, Commander Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

Sir: I beg to submit the following report from the Indiana State Soldiers' Home:

Its membership May 20, 1913, was 1355, 482 men and 873 women. The deaths for the year ending May 1, 1913, numbered 105, 54 women and 51 men, over 9 per cent. of the population. The hospital has been filled to its capacity for a year and many have been sick in quarters. In fact the entire Home is almost a hospital. When it is known that the average age of its members is over seventy years, it is not surprising that many are invalids. Members admitted during the year past have been particularly feeble, and a number came in only to be carried to their last resting place in a very short time.

The past year has shown a decrease in membership, the first in the history of the Home. It is probable that high tide in membership was reached in 1910 and 1911, and that from that period it will gradually decrease. The loss in 1911 and 1912 over 1910 and 1911 was 39 and it is very likely that 1912 and 1913 will show a still greater loss. It is not likely the Home will ever have to ask the Grand Army of the Republic to help secure additional quarters for its comrades asking admission to the Home.

The Legislature of 1911 appropriated \$10,000 for a Nurses Cot-



tage and that has been completed in the last year and proves a very valuable addition to the quarters of the Home.

The question of help is becoming a more serious problem every year. Where formerly the members did the bulk of the work of the Home, they are now physically unable to do it and citizens help must be employed, which is very hard to get.

The per capita allowance made by the Legislature of 1909 has proven adequate for all the needs of the Home and each year the Board of Trustees has been enabled to turn back to the state a tidy amount, but as the expenses increase each year it will not be very long until it will all be needed.

Respectfully and fraternally,

D. B. KEHLER, Commandant.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 21, 1913.

The Adjutant-General, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

SIR: The Indiana Battle Flag Commission, whose duty it is to encase the flags of the Organizations that served in the Mexican, Civil and Spanish-American wars, begs leave to submit the following report of the progress made up to this date.

The General Assembly at the Session of 1911 appropriated \$10,000 with which to build cases. The Commission received bids on twenty-five cases complete, the lowest bid being \$800.00 for each case. The Commission considered these figures excessive, and they purchased the material from the manufacturers, hired the necessary help, and constructed twenty-five cases at a cost of about \$300.00 each, which is \$500.00 less than the bids received.

The General Assembly of 1913 appropriated \$10,000 to continue the construction and with this amount the Commission hopes to construct from thirty to forty cases before the meeting of the General Assembly 1915.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID I. McCormick,

Secretary and Treasurer, Indiana Battle Flag Commission.

HEADQUARTERS GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1913.

This Encampment wishes to extend its thanks to the General Assembly of the State of Indiana for its patriotic action in the last session, for its fidelity and loyalty to some of our comrades in the matter of transportation to the field of Gettysburg, Pennsyl-



vania, and thereby enabling many to attend the 50th anniversary of that battle who otherwise could never have made that pleasant excursion to the great battlefield. We recommend that this be published in the papers as an item of news to the many who were in the battle.

Respectfully,

FRANK M. HAY, A. R. SEWARD.

Comrade Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following resolutions and the action of the committee thereon:

Offered by Comrade Joseph Hardesty, Post No. 39.

To the Committee on Resolutions:

Comrades: At a regular meeting of this Post held at these Headquarters Monday afternoon, May 12, 1913, it was moved and seconded that the Delegates to the Department Encampment at Indianapolis be instructed to ask that a resolution be forwarded by your Committee to the Members of Congress from Indiana urging them to prepare a Bill to be submitted to the House of Representatives, urging an increase in the pensions of deceased soldiers' widows. This motion was unanimously carried and the delegates instructed accordingly.

Referred to National Pension Committee.

Offered by Comrade Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30:

Resolved, that the National G. A. R. Committee on Pensions be requested and urged to secure if possible the enactment of a law so amending the Widows' Pension Law as to give a pension to widows who have married veterans since June 27, 1890, who have been faithful for *five years* in caring for their soldier husbands, so as to repeal the unjust discrimination now existing between soldiers' widows.

Approved. Referred to National Encampment.

Offered by Comrade W. A. Ketcham, Post No. 17:

The Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic, in Encampment assembled, instructs its representatives in the 47th National Encampment to present the name of Comrade Orlando



A. Somers, Past Department Commander of this Department, for Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army, and to labor diligently and earnestly for his election.

With a membership exceeded by only four Departments, none of which has had less than four Commanders-in-Chief, there has in all the years of the Grand Army come to Indiana but one Commander-in-Chief and we think it high time that a second one shall come to us.

As a private soldier of three years' service, as a citizen honored by his neighbors, as a Grand Army man in Post Hall and Department matters, Comrade Somers has proved his qualifications for high office in the Grand Army.

It is altogether fitting that in an Encampment to be held in the immediate vicinity of the fields of Lookout Mountain, Chickamauga and Mission Ridge, on which he served his country so well, this belated honor should be given to this, our comrade.

We commend him to the National Encampment for this high honor.

Approved and unanimously adopted.

Offered by Comrade David Strouse, Post No. 9:

Whereas, a great many Posts do not have a sufficient membership to fill all the offices provided by the Ritual, and as it seems that the office of Surgeon is superfluous,

Be it Resolved, that it is the sense of this Encampment that it would be expedient to abolish the office of Surgeon or to leave the matter of the election of a Surgeon to the discretion of each Post; that this resolution be presented to the next National Encampment for its consideration.

Indefinitely postponed.

Offered by Comrade Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30:

Whereas, The Department Encampment now and heretofore has been held so close to May 30 as to seriously interfere with the necessary preparation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, therefore,

Be it Resolved, That hereafter the date for the Annual Encampment shall be fixed at a date not less than fifteen days prior to May 30th, so that ample time may elapse between the two occasions, that both may be successfully conducted.

Concurred in.



Offered by Comrade David Strouse, Post No. 9:

Whereas, a large number of Posts are so depleted in membershi ν that it is hardly practicable to fill the numerous offices provided by the Ritual, and

Whereas, the Adjutant can perform the duties of Quartermaster without much extra labor.

Be It Resolved, That it is the sense of this Department that where a Post deems it advisable so to do that it be not required to elect a Quartermaster and that the duties be performed by the Adjutant and that the offices of Adjutant and Quartermaster be combined; that the subject matter of this resolution be presented to the next National Encampment for its consideration.

Indefinitely postponed.

Offered by DeLong, Post No. 67:

Whereas, We the members of DeLong Post No. 67 G. A. R. fully believe that the Army Nurses of the Civil War are justly entitled to an increase of pension over and above twelve dollars per month which they now receive under the existing law, and

WHEREAS, We are informed that there are now bills introduced into Congress which if enacted would place upon the Pension Roll of the United States all women who served as nurses in caring for the sick and wounded soldiers of the Civil War, for a period of not less than ninety days, at the rating of twelve dollars per month, with an increase of pension for age similar to that which is granted to the soldiers;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That we, the members of DeLong Post No. 67 uannimously urge the enactment of a new law, better suited to the needs of these women who gave so willingly of their health and strength to their country in her hour of need and amid the privations and dangers of the Civil War. And also be it further

Resolved, That we hereby ask the Grand Army of the Republic of this state and all existing Auxiliary organizations to cooperate with us in our earnest endeavor to secure a just and more liberal pension law than now exists for the relief of the Army Nurses of the Civil War.

Indefinitely postponed.

Whereas, a resolution from Maj. Robert Anderson Post asking this Committee to recommend to Gov. Ralston the appointment of



Comrade W. W. Robbins to the position of Adjutant-General of the State of Indiana: That it is not a proper subject to be brought before this Encampment and that the same be indefinitely postponed.

The resolution above is the report of this Encampment.

The Resolution Committee recommends that this Encampment make provision for such an order of business that Comrades can hear what business is being transacted by the Encampment, by either placing part of the Districts on the stage or putting some one in the center of the hall to repeat what is being done by the Encampment, and we suggest that the Committee on Arrangements at each Encampment alternate the seating of the Districts so as to bring the number in the back of the hall to the front of the hall, alternately.

The Resolution Committee also recommends:

That the Department Commander furnish a new and complete Order of Business, comprising new rules and regulations for the use of the annual Encampment, and that sufficient numbers be supplied so that each delegate attending may have a copy of the same.

The next business was the election of the Delegates and Alternates to the National Encampment. The call of the Districts resulted in the announcement that the following comrades had been selected:

DELEGATES.

George D. Martin, Post No. 15, Petersburg, C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville, James A. Sprowl, Post No. 28, Princeton. John T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington. Chester E. Peck, Post No. 72, Washington. L. L. Dilley, Post No. 322, Loogootee. A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany. E. P. Ervin, Post No. 127, Franklin. Smith Redd, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus.



David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville. James M. Barlow, Post No. 186, Plainfield. Jesse Robertson, Post No. 1, Terre Haute. W. H. Norris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. W. B. Bock, Post No. 148, Newcastle. George W. Hill, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. R. M. Smock, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. John Rheinschild, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Elias N. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton. G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie. J. H. Wagner, Post No. 61, Elwood J W. Barnes, Post No. 30, Kokomo. A. A. Hasket, Post No. 103, Sheridan. Geo. Newkirk, Post No. 424, Greentown. David Handley, Post No. 65, Frankfort. Joel Yeager, Post No. 589, Lafayette. Daniel White, Post No. 3, Lafayette. Henry A. Miller, Post No. 277, Montmorenci. Adam Foust, Post No. 3, Warren. James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash. Benj. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City. D. L. Beaber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. Nicholas Ensley, Post No. 67, Auburn. M. L. Patterson, Post No. 401, Akron. John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, Knox. William Stafford, Post No. 132, Argos. C. W. Burket, Post 114, Warsaw.

ALTERNATES.

John Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville.
Robert Clark, Post No. 415, New Harmony.
Wesley Wilson, Post No. 120, Boonville.
W. H. Faris, Post No. 72, Washington.
Joe Streeter, Post No. 72, Washington.
A. D. Colbert, Post No. 72, Washington.
William R. McKnight, Post No. 87, Salem, R. R. No. 2.
H. P. Spath, Post No. 82, Aurora.
J. F. Hammil, Post No. 26, Madison.
D W. Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour.
Joseph C. Sherfey, Post No. 2, Brazil.
John W. Whyte, Post No. 164, Danville.
John E. Bickel, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.
C. T. Morfort, Post No. 92, Greenfield.

John C. Hume, Post No. 81, New Salem, R. R. No. 14. Nathan Nicholson, Post No. 148, Newcastle. Henry Nicoli, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. C. W. Chappell Post No. 281, Indianapolis. G. W. Summers, Post No. 209, Indianapolis. Abijah Green, Post No. 38, Union City. F. M. Van Pelt, Post No. 244, Anderson. Chas. Weymire, Post No. 61, Elwood. R. C. Clark, Post No. 65, Frankfort. James Casey, Post No. 203, Tipton. G. W. Shanklin, Post No. 557, Flora. Jesse Neff, Post No. 42, Lebanon. Henry Snyder, Post No. 51, Monticello. Albert A. Jones, Post No. 3, Battle Ground. Joseph Jackson, Post No. 475, West Lafayette. Joseph Mappin, Post No. 409, Gas City. W. M. Wampler, Post No. 50, Galveston. D. B. McConnell, Post No. 14, Logansport. Albert Preston, Post No. 104, Lagrange. John Kress, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Ed Malloy, Post No. 147, Laporte. J. T. Gaines, Post No. 95, Rochester. Samuel Osborn, Post No. 489, Culver. Joseph Turnock, Post 579, South Bend.

RECRUITING OFFICERS.

First District-

Ephraim Rowe, Post No. 120, Boonville.

Second District-

Ben Tolson, Post No. 72, Washington.

Third District -

William Veazy, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Fourth District-

A. S. Creath, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

__Fifth District—

Thos. C. Williams, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District-

Seventh District-

Eighth District-

E. W. Bishop, Post No. 78, Muncie.

Ninth District-

Tenth District-

I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—

Wm. W. Adams, Post No. 368, Montpelier.



Twelfth District-

Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Thirteenth District-

A. Hunneshagen, Post No. 183, Kewanna.

The following Comrades were selected to serve as Chairmen, First and Second Vice-Chairmen and Tellers from the several Districts until the next Encampment:

First District-

Chairman-J. T. Carpenter.

Tellers—Chas. H. Myerhoff, Post No. 27; I. C. Higgins, Post No. 15.

· Second District—

Chairman-A. P. Asbury, Post No. 564.

Tellers-A. D. Colbert, Post No. 72; James Farris.

Third District-

Chairman-J. A. Gardner.

First Vice-Chairman-W. R. McKnight, Post No. 87.

Second Vice-Chairman-A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191.

Tellers—E. W. Menaugh, Post No. 87; Jacob Snyder, Post No. 152.

Fourth District-

Chairman—Lewis King, Post No. 13.

Tellers—E. P. Ervin, Post No. 127; W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13.

Fifth District-

Chairman—David Strouse, Post No. 9.

Tellers—Elias Kemper, I. A. Pickard, Post No. 9.

Sixth District-

Chairman-J. P. Iliff, Post No. 55.

Tellers-Lafe Larsh, Post No. 55; William Matthews.

Seventh District-

Chairman—Chas. L. Wilson.

First Vice-Chairman-G. W. Summers, Post No. 209.

Second Vice-Chairman-L. I. Chapman, Post No. 281.

Tellers—W. W. Daugherty, Post No. 17, G. W. Summers. Eighth District—

Chairman-P. J. Albright.

Tellers-M. M. Justus, Post No. 33; A. J. Wood.

Ninth District-

John W. Barnes, Post No. 30.

First Vice-Chairman—David Handley, Post No. 65.

Tellers-S. D. Watson, N. D. Stanbro, Post No. 30.



Tenth District-

Chairman-I. S. Wade, Post No. 3.

Tellers—Henry A. Miller, Post No. 277; Daniel White, Post No. 3.

Eleventh District-

Chairman-Alex Hess, Post No. 6.

Tellers—T. R. Brady, Post No. 6; I. Nicodemus, Post No. 409.

Twelfth District-

Chairman-S. M. Hench, Post No. 40.

Tellers—Wm. Kennerk, Post No. 40; Geo. N. Aldrich, Post No. 271.

Thirteenth District-

Chairman-C. W. Burket, Post No. 114.

Tellers-M. L. Patterson, Post No. 401; Chas. Beher.

Rev. Luckey, representing a committee bearing greetings from the Sons of Veterans, was introduced to the Encampment and said in part:

Comrades: It is indeed a great pleasure to be permitted to look into the faces of the survivors of the greatest war this country has ever seen or doubtless ever will see. It is a high honor this morning I have of carrying a message of love and greeting from 50,000 sons of these fathers to you. 50,000 of yours sons are organized today in an organization known as the Sons of Veterans, meeting in session in this city, and they sent a committee of three yesterday to carry greetings to you but we could not pass muster; we could not get through our fathers' lines at the door.

Fifty years ago and you were boys—the flower of this country. Statistics tell us that 2,700,000 of you were but 21 years or younger in age. We are told by statistics that 250,000 of those enlisted from '61 to '65 were but sixteen or under in age and that 300 of you were but twelve years of age, so it is no wonder that you at that time were called boys; Lincoln's Boys; the Boys in Blue. But today your heads are silvered over and I came here to tell you that your sons are rising up all over the United States today to call you blessed and they are sending this morning by me greetings of good cheer. We come to you as your sons. You have been good fathers to us. You are now honored men. We are your children that sympathize with you as only your flesh and blood can do. We are organized to perpetuate the principles for which you enlisted in this great war and we want to perpetuate your memory after you are all gone.



We do not desire to take your time this morning. I know you are busy, but we do want to say that you have sons who are loyal and who have joined their hands and hearts to defend the memorials you have set up and see that their beloved fathers are not crowded out on Memorial Day. The 30th day of May should be observed in strewing flowers upon the graves of our dead soldiers. We want to say to you as your sons this morning, have courage. Stand up for your dead. If any set of men on this green earth deserves one day sacred for memory and retrospection it is the Grand Army of the Republic, and it makes our hearts ache and bleed to think that some are, so thoughtless as, for the love of money, to establish a speedway on that day and say "We will make it a permanent one." I have heard our fathers say "We will change the day to Sunday." That is your pleasure if you desire it so. But do not be crowded out. Your sons, let me tell you, have begun a campaign through public schools, through pulpit and through the press that will make any man in this Union ashamed to go anywhere else on that holy day -Memorial Day.

We have stood back. We don't want to take your places. But I came to tell you that we are here to defend your rights, and whenever you need us we have open arms and outstretched hands. We will welcome you and we want you to try us and see if we are not honest and dutiful sons, ready to defend that for which you stood ready to lay down your lives.

Mrs. Emma Stuart Finch, representing the Indiana Division Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary, said in part:

It is indeed a very great honor to have the privilege of addressing this body of men, most of whom I know personally and have known for a great many years. To me you are the dearest men on earth.

On behalf of the Indiana Division Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary I bring to you this bunch of flowers. We hope you may all come back—we will be glad to have you every year.

Nominations were called for Delegate-at-Large to the National Encampment. It was moved and seconded that the Comrade receiving the highest number of votes be elected Delegate-at-Large and the one receiving the next highest be elected Alternate-at-Large.

Comrades S. M. Hench, Post No. 40; J. R. Henry,



Post No. 17; and P. J. Albright, Post No. 230, were nominated. The nominations were closed and a ballot was taken.

Comrade Hench received 436 votes. Comrade Albright received 127 votes. Comrade Henry received 15 votes.

Comrade Hench was declared elected Delegate-at-Large and Comrade Albright Alternate-at-Large.

Mrs. Mattie Crockett Miller, with a committee from the Ladies of the G. A. R., was next introduced and spoke as follows:

This committee carries to you greetings from the Department President of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic—sisters, wives, mothers and daughters of the Comrades of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic—and the love and reverence of every member of our Circle in Indiana, whose representatives are now assembled in the Young Women's Christian Association Hall.

When the men of your company sprang into line you felt the touch of an elbow and gave a quick glance to know who was next in line—who would spring to catch you if you were going to fall. These annual meetings disseminate the sentiments of loyalty and patriotism and help keep alive the memory of those days. It is a holy, sacred work. It is through kinship that the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic are permitted to use the letters "G. A. R.," and to use the motto. Our motto, like yours, is "Friendship, Charity and Loyalty." We are proud to have so many of your members in our Circle at Logansport, of which your late Commander was an honored member.

We realize that we have but a few more years in the natural course of events in which we can meet you, therefore we pledge ourselves to you in true comradeship. And when you shall have passed away the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic will never fail to keep alive to coming generations the memory of your deeds of valor, nor fail to keep sacred the 30th day of May—no, never, never, never.

A beautiful bunch of flowers was presented to the Commander with the following words written on the card attached:



Please use these flowers in remembrance of Joseph McVay, who departed this life February 22, 1912.

From his daughter,

ANNA MCVAY.

The Encampment tendered a vote of thanks to Miss McVay, instructing the Assistant Adjutant-General to write her a note of thanks.

Nominations were called for members for the Council of Administration and the following Comrades were placed in nomination:

August Leich, Post No. 27.

A. D. Colbert, Post No. 72.

W. H. Holton, Post No. 461.

Lewis King, Post No. 13.

Thos. J. Keylon, Post No. 592.

John A. Bertch, Post No. 188.

J. L. McMasters, Post No. 17.

Stephen Metcalf, Post No. 244.

Dan Waugh, Post No. 203.

Nat Chamberlain, Post No. 277.

Alexander Hess, Post No. 6.

Philip Noel, Post No. 67.

Cyrus Seiler, Post No. 198.

A ballot was taken and the five Comrades receiving the highest number of votes were declared elected. They are as follows:

August Leich, Post No. 27, Evansville. Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash. Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus. Daniel Waugh, Post No. 203, Tipton. J. L. McMasters, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

A committee from the Woman's Relief Corps was introduced and Mrs. Mary McCorkle Sims spoke as follows:

It is always a matter of pleasure to those who are fortunate enough to be delegated to represent our Order on such occasions as this. For thirty years we have walked and worked by your



sides as your help-mates and as becomes your auxiliary, and every year we have brought to you the assurances of our love, our respect and reverence for you as a body of patriotic, high minded, noble gentlemen. We have no new pledges to make; only a renewal of our old. We pledge to you the same loyalty that has characterized our Order ever since its organization.

We come because we really believe you expected us, wanted us to come, would welcome us, and that you would have been disappointed if we had not come. Your joys and triumphs are our joys and triumphs.

Even the loyalty of the children is illustrated in a little story that many have no doubt read, of a Memorial Day when a grandfather and grandmother were preparing to go to the post room and the cemetery leaving their two little grandchildren at home. They could not remember the time when their mother had not taken them with her, but the mother's sickness kept the children at home. They sat down and watched their grandparents go away. They finally heard the fife and drum and saw the procession go by, their grandfather carrying the flag, and their grandmother in the rear with the other members of the Woman's Relief Corps. Finally a happy thought struck the little boy.

"Say, sister, we'll get some flags and my drum and we'll have a procession of our own." So they got flags and the little boy marched along beating his drum, with his sister following behind. Presently a flock of hens fell in line and waddled along, much to the disgust of the little girl. "Wait, brother," she called; "Wait until I drive these old hens away."

"Indeed I won't," replied her brother. "Those old hens belong to us, 'cause that's the Woman's Relief Corps.' "

So we feel that we belong to you; your work is our work and your interest, as I have said, is our interest, and we leave you our blessing. Jehovah watch above us until death to us comes, and as your life's sun goes down to the setting may peace be with you in mind and spirit.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

TANGIER, IND., May 3, 1913.

To *Department Commander Wilbur Gorsuch:

I have the honor to submit my report for the year ending May, 1913.

Cash expended for relief\$1	,518.56
Relief other than money 3	,794.21
Number of soldiers assisted	285
Number of soldiers' families assisted	. 1179



This does not include the vast amount given by our Corps to the tornado and flood sufferers of our own Indiana. The Corps are doing all they can to relieve the suffering of those made homeless by the recent storms.

All anniversaries have been observed and lessons of patriotism taught to the youth of our country by observing not only these days, but "Memorial Day," which is a lesson within itself.

Most cordially in F. C. and L.,

Belle Wasson Ephlin,

Department President.

Mrs. Ida S. McBride was introduced by Commander Gorsuch and said in part:

My Comrades of Indiana: This morning when our President said that I was to be one of a committee to carry greetings to you I was glad, as I always am. Your Commander has said "This is the candidate for National President of the Woman's Relief Corps." You have heard that for three years. I don't believe you will hear it another year but I want to tell you that so long as we are members of the Woman's Relief Corps we are working for you. Our hearts are with you and my heart is always with the members of the Grand Army of the Republic. I wish you God speed in all you undertake. I want to present to your Commander in the name of the President of the Woman's Relief Corps, these flowers, with our love.

Past Commander Asbury: I move that the Department of Indiana endorse the name of Mrs. Ida S. Mc-Bride for National President of the Woman's Relief Corps.

This endorsement was unanimously given, with three cheers for the Woman's Relief Corps.

Mrs. McBride: Comrades, if I come next year, I will come as National President.

Nominations were called for Department Chaplain. Comrades E. L. Seamans, Post No. 114; B. F. Shepherd, Post No. 476; Charles Hunter, Post No. 70; and Hull Itskin, Post No. 3, were placed in nomination. A ballot was taken which resulted in the election of E. L. Seamans, Post No. 114, Warsaw.



For Medical Director, Comrade W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton, was elected by acclamation.

For Junior Vice-Commander, David H. Olive, Post No. 281, Indianapolis, received the unanimous vote of the Encampment, there being no other candidate.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: I move that the comrade receiving the highest number of votes be declared Commander and the comrade receiving the second highest number be declared Senior Vice-Commander.

Comrade W. W. Daugherty: I move that the motion be tabled.

The above motion was seconded and carried, and motion tabled.

For Senior Vice-Commander the name of Comrade J. H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier, was nominated. The entire vote of the Encampment was cast for Comrade Hoffman and he was declared elected Senior Vice-Commander of the Department.

Commander-in-Chief Alfred B. Beers was introduced and addressed the Encampment as follows:

If you will bear with me for just a moment: I know just how interesting is the occupation you are engaged in. I am sorry I could not be here before, but I went out to see the girls—mind, I use the plural—and that has prevented me from getting here sooner. I think it is the duty of the Commander-in-Chief to go to see these organizations that are doing so much to help the national organization and making it possible to have a respectable national organization with a respectable amount of money in the treasury so that the business can be carried on in a decent way.

I have just come from the Sons of Veterans. If a fellow don't know anything about the Sons of Veterans he ought to go around. It makes me feel like a fellow who went to Los Angeles—twenty-five years younger—and I stop there. It is an inspiration. I want to commend the younger fellows—the chaps who are willing and able to help you—your sons. I want to ask you in this Department as a measure of helping yourselves to help the Sons of Veterans.



So far as the Grand Army is concerned it was practically left in good condition by my predecessor and I have tried to do as little as possible to harm it. I hope when I lay down my work next fall we will have as strong an organization as a year ago.

I ask you as Comrades, if you know of any man who has an honorable discharge and is not a member of the Grand Army, visit him and get him to join. In numbers lies our strength and the greater our numbers the greater our strength. What we have secured for the members of the Grand Army of the Republic in the past has been because of our numbers and because of the power and influence of the men in our ranks who speak for the Grand Army of the Republic. The time has gone by when we can sit in our seats and think that everything has been done that it is possible to do for the Grand Army. We want to keep a solid, compact organization, a masterful power to get those things that we should have, not things we ought not to have or unreasonable things, so I ask you to join with all the rest of our Comrades to keep this organization up to its present high standing. It is a duty due yourself and every Comrade.

It has given me great pleasure to come into the Department of Indiana—a progressive, wide awake Department that does things. It is an inspiration to stand here and look into the faces of all of you Comrades. I only wish you might live forever, and I might live forever to be with you and enjoy each others comradship and each others' society in happy memories of the past.

Nominations were called for Department Commander. Comrades Thomas B. Buskirk, Post No. 334; A. B. Crampton, Post No. 31; and Daniel W. Comstock, Post No. 55, were placed in nomination.

The nominations were closed and a ballot taken.

- D. W. Comstock received 259.
- A. B. Crampton received 199.
- T. B. Buskirk received, 60.

Comrade D. W. Comstock was declared elected Commander for the ensuing year.

The business of the Encampment having been concluded, Past Department Commander Gil R. Stormont, acted as Installing Officer and Comrade Chas. W. Wheat as Officer of the Day and installed the newly elected officers.

Commander Comstock then appointed John R. Fesler, Post No. 281, as Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General.

Past Commander Gorsuch pinned the Commander's badge on Commander Comstock. Short addresses were made by Comrades Buskirk and Crampton, pledging to Commander Comstock their loyal support. By motion of Comrade Buskirk the election of Commander Comstock was made by acclamation.

Commander Comstock said in part:

Comrades of the Grand Army: I will not say that I did not expect to be elected. If I said that I would be lacking in frankness to you, and I have always made it a point to be perfectly frank. I have believed from the start; I have felt it—not that I claimed any merit of my own, but it seemed to me in view of my acquaintance I had the advantage of my friends in that regard. I have been more frequently at your meetings. As we know men better we like them better, and I had the advantage of my honorable adversaries in this, that I had a wider acquaintance with the men who attend these meetings. That was all that gave me the advantage.

I thank you, in view of the great honor which I have received. I feel it a great honor and great distinction to have my family and children and grand children recall the fact that I have been so honored. It is a distinctive office. The organization itself is distinctive.

I thank you, from the bottom of my heart I thank my friends for the very chivalrous and courteous manner in which they have conducted this campaign.

In a short but exceedingly impressive and appropriate address Comrade W. A. Ketcham presented the customary badge to Past Department Commander Gorsuch. The Department Chaplain pronounced the benediction and the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment was duly closed.



GENFRAL ORDERS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June, 4, 1912.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.

1. At the Thirty-third Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, held at South Bend, May, 21, 22, and 23, 1912, the following Comrades were elected to the offices herein designated:

Department Commander, Frank Swigart, Post No. 14, Logansport.

Senior Vice-Department Commander, Wilbur E. Gorsuch, Post No. 579, South Bend.

Junior Vice-Department Commander, V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford.

Department Chaplain, Richard C. Jones, Post No. 168, Knightstown.

> Medical Director, Stephen I. Brown, Post No. 290, Knox.

Council of Administration,
Flavius J. Van Vorhis, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
Orlando A. Somers, Post No. 30, Kokomo.
A. D. Vanosdol, Post No. 26, Madison.
John H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier.
J. C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.

41. The following staff appointments are announced:
Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General,
John R. Fesler, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Chief of Staff, W. W. Daugherty, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Judge Advocate,
Samuel M. Hench, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Patriotic Instructor,
George W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville.

Department Inspector,

August Leich, Post No. 27, Evansville.



Chief Mustering Officer, J. D. Galleher, Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Color Bearer,

Chas. W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Chief Bugler,

John W. Clemson, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

III. The following Comrades were elected Delegates and Alternates to the Forty-sixth National Encampment to be held at Los Angeles, California, during the week beginning September 9, 1912:

Delegates.

Robert W. McBride (at large), Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

William Warren, Post No. 27, Evansville.

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Thomas M. Ryan, Post No. 326, Bloomfield.

J. W. Streeter, Post No. 72, Washington.

R. P. Finney, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Edmund P. Ervin, Post No. 127, Franklin.

Dan Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour.

Nicholas Filbeck, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Joseph E. Sherfey, Post No. 2, Brazil.

James C. Bennett, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Frank Brown, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Henry Nicoli, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

W. W. Daugherty, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

J. D. Smith, Post No. 358, Pennville.

S. B. Garrett, Post No. 78, Muncie.

John H. Cox, Post No. 103, Sheridan.

James Harper, Post No. 203, Tipton.

J. D. Galleher, Post No. 62, Williamsport.

G. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Otterbein.

William F. Daly, Post No. 56, Peru.

Tobias H. Miller, Post No. 291, Lafontaine.

John N. Kress, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne (2525 Broadway).

W. H. Miller, Post No. 90, Goshen.

S. D. Hathaway, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Alternates.

T. B. Wilkinson, Post No. 168, Knightstown (at large).

Morris Ford, Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Philip Klein, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Eli W. Menaugh, Post No. 87, Salem.

Henry C. Snell, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Wm. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus.



James Knight, Post No. 572, Bridgeton. John E. Bicknell, Post No. 592, Terre Haute. W. K. Young, Post No. 55, Richmond. S. B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. William N. Pickerill, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. F. J. Van Vorhis, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. A. Green, Post No. 38, Union City. W. H. Hickman, Post No. 358, Pennville. T. R. Caldwell, Post No. 42, Lebanon. B. F. Wise, Post No. 133, Noblesville. Louis LaDauer, Post No. 106, Valparaiso. C. M. Housoner, Post No. 402, Nappanee. James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash. Warren Fergus, Post No. 440, Matthews. Jesse L. Dunning, Post No. 125, Ligonier. John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, Knox. Cyrus Ceiler, Post No. 198, Elkhart.

IV. The following Comrades, on the recommendation of their delegates at the State Encampment, are hereby appointed Recruiting Officers of their respective districts for one year, and your Department Commander would urge upon you to call one or more meetings during the year and invite not only the members of the Grand Army, but every Comrade that is eligible to membership with us in your District, and notify your Department Commander the date of such meetings and he will meet with you on the occasion. By this means your Commander will have an opportunity to have a heart to heart talk with you all, that he can have in no other way, as our ranks are becoming so depleted by death, and so many small Posts, that it would be impossible for him to visit you by Post. The success of our Department for the year depends much on these District Meetings, and you will please keep that in mind.

Recruiting Officers.

First District—Charles Kretchmar, Post No. 27, Evansville. Second District—Ben Tolson, Post No. 414, Switz City. Third District—J. A. Gardner, Post No. —.
Fourth District—Geo. W. Shaffer, Post No. 36, North Vernon. Fifth District—John Mattern, Post No. 186, Plainfield. Sixth District—Charles H. Smith, Post No. 126, Connersville. Seventh District—W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. Eighth District—Asbury L. Kerwood, Post. No. 78, Muncie. Ninth District—W. D. Ward, Post No. 30, Kokomo. Tenth District—George Gregg, Post No. 229, Hebron.



Eleventh District—A. F. Spaulding, Post No. 6, Wabash. Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Thirteenth District—C. W. Scott, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

V. The following Comrades have been appointed on the Visiting Committee to the Indiana State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette:

Gil R. Stormont, Chairman, Post No. 28, Princeton.

Bryon Russell, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

Jonathan P. Creed, Post No. 8, South Bend.

Lawrence Burgert, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

E. P. Ervin, Post No. 127, Franklin.

H. C. Durbin, Post No. 244, Anderson.

Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.

Julius Victor, Post No. 209. Indianapolis.

Henry Snyder, Post No. 51, Monticello.

A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Tarvin C. Grooms, Post No. 11, Greencastle.

VI. The following have been appointed on the Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown:

Garrett H. Shover, Charman, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

T. B. Wilkinson, Post No. 168, Knightstown.

M. M. Lacey, Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Joseph P. Iliff, Post No. 55, Richmond.

F. M. Van Pelt, Post No. 244, Anderson.

W. B. McMaken, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

W. L. Day, Post No. 384, Laurel.

George West, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Dr. A. R. Tucker, Post No. 133, Noblesville.

J. B. Gambold, Post No. 233, Coatesville.

W. T. Murray, Post No. 126, Connersville.

VII. Post Commanders will appoint and forward the name of one good Comrade as Aide-de-Camp on the staff of the Department Commander and let it be one who will take an active interest in building up his Post. On receipt of his name and address the Assistant Adjutant-General will forward him his commission.

By command of
Frank Swigart,
Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.



HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 17, 1912.

GENERAL ORDER No. 2.

I. Comrades of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic: It is with a feeling of profound sorrow that announcement is made of the sudden death of our Department Commander, Frank P. Swigart, at his home at Logansport on the evening of June 7th, 1912. On the 11th instant, Headquarters of the Department was closed and the officials of the Department assembled at the home of Comrade Swigart at Logansport to pay a last tribute of respect and perform the last rites due a Comrade who, at the late Encampment at South Bend, had been awarded the highest honor at your command (that of Department Commander). Less than three weeks had passed when he who was so alive to the best interests of our Order, was called to join the ranks of that great and silent army that is being recruited from the Grand Army of the Republic.

Comrade Frank P. Swigart was born in New Carlisle, Clark County, Ohio, April 29, 1840, and moved with his father's family to Cass County, Indiana, in 1842. Comrade Swigart was educated in the public schools of Cass County and the Normal School of Kokomo in Howard County, and while pursuing his studies in the Normal School at Kokomo the Civil War broke out, and on the 5th of November, 1861, he enlisted in Company B, 46th Indiana Infantry; was appointed by his Captain as a Sergeant in his company, and on the 30th of April, 1862, was promoted to Second Lieutenant of his company; on October 16th, 1862, was promoted to the Captaincy and served as such until October 12,1864, when he resigned on account of wounds received in battle.

Captain Swigart was a brave, true and faithful soldier, loved and honored not only by his own company but by all whose pleasure it was to know him. On his return from the army, as soon as he recovered his health, he studied law and took up his profession in Logansport, where he continued to reside until his death. Captain Swigart was of the sort that make good soldiers and good regiments and on returning home make good citizens. A good Grand Army man of the sort that made Post meetings interesting, he was always read, with a welcome that came from the heart. The Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, has lost a good Comrade; Logansport Post No. 14 a true and faithful member; his home city and the country a true



and loyal citizen; his family a kind, affectionate and loving husband and father. In the bereavement they have our heartfelt sympathy as well as our best wishes for their future welfare. The Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, will ever cherish his memory.

II. At the close of the funeral services of Department Commander Swigart the officials of the Department assembled at the headquarters of Logansport Post No. 14, and were called to order by J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, and in keeping with the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Senior Past Department Commander present, Milton Garrigus, assisted by Past Commander O. A. Somers, proceeded to the installation of Senior Vice-Commander Wilbur E. Gorsuch, of South Bend, as Department Commander, and Junior Vice-Department Commander V. V. Williams, of Bedford, as Senior Vice-Commander. On motion of Flavius J. Van Vorhis, Member of Council of Administration, Comrade D. B. McConnell, of Post No. 14, Logansport, was unanimously elected and installed as Junior Vice-Commander.' and all will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

III. There will be no change in any of the appointments made by my predecessor in office, as they all have my hearty approval, believing, as I do, that I will have their support in all my efforts for the best interests of the Department and the Grand Army of the Republic and realizing as I do that very much depends on them, as well as the Post Commanders and their membership for a successful year, and I trust I will have the hearty support of all.

By command of

WILBUR E. GORSUCH, Department Commander,

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER.

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., August 10, 1912.

GENERAL ORDER No. 3.

I. The Forty-sixth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will convene in Los Angeles, California, Septem-



ber 9th to 14th, inclusive, for the transaction of the business of the Department, and your Department Commander will be pleased to see the Grand Army of Indiana well represented on that occasion. Any delegates that were elected at the Encampment at South Bend that can not attend will please notify Assistant Adjutant-General J. R. Fesler, Room 25, State House, at once, that he may notify the alternates.

II. The Department of Indiana will leave Indianapolis on a special train over the Big Four, at 3 o'clock p. m., September 4th, arriving at St. Louis at 9:15; leave St. Louis at 11:30 p. m. over the Missouri Pacific; arrive at Kansas City September 5th, 7:30 a. m.; leave Kansas City at 11:30 a. m. over the Santa Fe route; arrive at Williams, Arizona, Saturday, the 7th, 11:10 a.m. (Side trip for Grand Canon, Colorado, for those who wish.) Leave Williams at 11:20 over Santa Fe, arriving at Los Angeles, 8:30 a. m., Sunday, September 8th. One car (or more) of the Comrades and their friends from the northern part of the State will join us at Kansas City on the morning of the 5th. They will start from South Bend on September 4th at 1:21 p. m., and will be accompanied by Commander Gorsuch, so that after leaving Kansas City all delegates, Comrades and friends of Indiana will be together. The train will consist of standard and tourist cars. Fare for the round trip will be \$67.90. Sleeping berths in tourist: lower berth one way, \$7.25; standard: lower berth \$14.00, upper \$11.20. On return trip parties can return by any of the regular lines they may prefer and get "stop overs," but must make that known to the agent at time of purchase of ticket. All tickets good returning until October 31st. For any other information regarding the trip write J. R. Fesler, Room 25, State House, or C. D. Boyd, Traveling Passenger Agent, State Life Building, Indianapolis, Indiana.

III. Department Headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic and Woman's Relief Corps will be located at the Alexandria Hotel, Los Angeles, California, Rooms 552-553. There will be a meeting of those who are entitled to seats in the National Encampment at the Headquarters, Los Angeles, at 4 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, September 10th.

IV. The parade will be on Wednesday, September 11th, and it is desired that every Indiana soldier in attendance at the Encampment be in line, regardless of where his residence is at this time.

V. On September 10th, at 9 a. m., at the Armory, Los Angeles, there will be a meeting of Department and Post Patriotic In-



structors of the Grand Army of the Republic and all allied patriotic organizations to plan methods for the good of the Order, for co-operation and efficiency, and the dissemination of patriotic instruction. J. B. Lewis, National Patriotic Instructor, desires a full attendance at said meeting. In the afternoon the Patriotic Instructors are invited to visit the Los Angeles schools. No doubt these meetings will be very interesting and instructive and your Commander would be pleased to have all attend who can.

VI. The following Comrades have been appointed on the Visiting Committees in addition to those already appointed.

Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown:

William Kinerk, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Harlan P. Miller, Post No. 369, Indianapolis. E. M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Visiting Committee to the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette:

- M. M. Justus, Post No. 33, Bluffton.
- H. C. McMaken, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

VII. The names of the following Comrades have been recommended as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Charles W. Bowman, Post No. 4, Covington. Benj. F. Yerrick, Post No. 8, South Bend. Simpson F. Lockridge, Post No. 11, Greencastle. Smith Hornbeck, Post No. 16, Vincennes. Rev. D. W. Abbott, Post No. 33, Bluffton. Theodore Geller, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne. Frank N. Beidler, Post No. 52, Waterloo. William H. Baughman, Post No. 55, Richmond. Clay Whiteley, Post No. 78, Muncie. Henry B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. James Thomas, Post No. 92, Greenfield. Aaron W. Lytle, Post No. 106, Valparaiso. C. W. Burkett, Post No. 114, Warsaw. John W. Price, Post No. 132, Argos. C. D. Ward, Post No. 171, Brookston. John A. Barnett, Post No. 183, Kewanna. Thomas Wall, Post No. 191, New Albany. George W. Reed, Post No. 201, Madison. N. W. Webster, Post No. 207, Cicero. A. R. Seward, Post No. 209, Indianapolis. Albert Martin, Post No. 220, Dana. James Owens, Post No. 247, Bedford.



Samuel S. Kelker, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.
William P. Maxwell, Post No. 307, Sullivan.
Cyrus Seiler, Post No. 198, Elkhart.
L. L. Dilley, Post No. 322, Loogootee.
Samuel Osborn, Post No. 489, Culver.
Col. William M. Cockrum, Post No. 520, Oakland City.
Thos. J. Keylon, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.
Isaiah L. Smith, Post No. 27, Evansville.
J. E. Crain, Post No. 14, Logansport.

These Aides have been recommended by their Posts, and your Department Commander believes they will be a great help to him in the work of building up the Department.

VIII. General Order No. 8, from National Headquarters, is enclosed with this Order.

By command of
W. E. Gorsuch,
Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 18, 1912.

GENERAL ORDER No. 4.

- I. The Forty-Sixth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, held at Los Angeles, California, September 9th to 14th, was largely attended and very generously and cordially welcomed by the citizens of Los Angeles. Your Department Commander was very much elated over the number we had in the parade (about 200). Indiana was honored by the re-election of Comrade W. H. Armstrong of Thomas Post No. 17 as a member of the Council of Administration and also as a member of the Executive Committee. Comrade William F. Daly, of Peru, Indiana, was also appointed as Senior Aide-de-Camp.
- II. The annual election of Post Officers and Representatives to the Department Encampment will take place at the first regular



meeting in December and it is very important for the prosperity of your Post and Department that in their election you secure the best material you have—comrades who are alive to the work and who have such an interest in it that they will attend your Post meetings regularly. Each Post will elect one delegate for every fifty members and one for a fraction more than one-half of that number, based on the membership reported in good standing on the 30th of June, 1912, and also a like number of alternates. Posts having less than fifty are entitled to one representative and one alternate. All Past Post Commanders in good standing are members of the Department Encampment and for that reason should not be elected as representatives or alternates.

III. As soon as Post Officers are elected the Adjutant will fill out the enclosed Certificate of Election, transmit one copy to Department Headquarters and retain the other for reference. Be careful that all names are written in full and correctly spelled. Posts failing to make their reports or pay their per capita tax when due are not entitled to representation in the Dpartment and National Encampments.

It is also the duty of Post Adjutant to make out the Mortuary Report. This should include the names in full of all members in good standing in the Post who died during the year 1912, giving as nearly as possible the rank, company, regiment, age and date of death.

- IV. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Adjutant and Quartermaster for the six months ending December 31st, 1912, also the blanks for the Patriotic Instructor (who will make his report out) are enclosed. In order that the Assistant Adjutant-General may be able to make his reports out promptly it is very essential that the Post Commander see to it that his reports are made out and forwarded with the per capita tax to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster General at once after the last regular meeting in December. Many of the posts have been careless in that matter the past year and we hope this may not be overlooked.
- V. The installation of Post officers will occur at the first regular meeting in January, 1913, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, and your Commander would recommend that posts with Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans, where they have camps, may be invited to attend this meeting.
 - VI. Post Commanders who desire any additional names for



appointment as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander or Commander-in-Chief will send names of those recommended to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, and the Commissions will be made out and forwarded at once.

VII. Your attention is called to Circular Letter No. 1 of July 13, from these headquarters, in which your Department Commander offers a nice bunting flag on staff suitable for post turnouts or Post decorations to be given to every Post in the Department that will show an increase of ten or more *net* in its membership for the semi-annual term ending December 31, 1912, over the term ending June 30, 1912, and your Commander very much desires that many of the Posts in the department may make such a showing as will entitle them to the flag.

VIII. There are more than 400 children at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, and whatever donations the Posts desire to contribute for the purchase of Christmas presents for these children will be receipted for by J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, and the money so applied and accounted for.

IX. The following additional Aides have been appointed on the staff of the Department Commander and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

George W. Pleasant, Post No. 327, Meron. James M. Wharton, Post No. 557, Bringhurst.

X. General Order No. 2 from National Headquarters, is enclosed with this Order.

IN MEMORIAM.

Albert O. Marsh, age seventy-two, died October 29, 1912, at his home in Winchester, Indiana, after an extended illness. A widow survives.

Comrade Marsh was born September, 1840, in Ashtabula county, Ohio, where he remained during his minority. He attended Hiram College when James A. Garfield was president of that institution; enlisted in the Fifteenth Ohio Volunteer Infantry in the Civil War and at the expiration of his time re-enlisted in the Forty-sixth Ohio. In June, 1863, he received a commission from President Lincoln as Captain and was assigned to the duty of organizing colored troops at Memphis, Tenn. Was also Provost Marshal of the District of West Tennessee. Served on staffs of General R. P. Buckland and General A. L. Chetlain; was mustered out of service in 1864.

In 1867, Comrade Marsh located in Seymour, Indiana, where



he was engaged in insurance work. In 1869 he moved to Winchester where he engaged in the practice of law; was elected judge of the Randolph circuit court and after serving one term and part of another, resigned to fill a position as United States Pension Agent at Indianapolis, serving in that capacity for eight years.

Comrade Marsh joined the Grand Army of the Republic at Winchester and was a member of the committee that selected Lafayette as the place for the State Soldiers' Home. At the G. A. R. Encampment at Lafayette in 1894 he was unanimously elected Department Commander of that Order.

He was an active member of the Presbyterian church and a faithful member of the Sunday School, in which he taught a Bible class of men for more than forty years. He stood high in Masonic circles. In all positions of trust he acquitted himself with great credit and his private life was above reproach.

By command of
W. E. Gorsuch,
Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 13, 1913.

GENERAL ORDER No. 5.

- I. The Thirty-Fourth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic will convene at Indianapolis, Indiana, May 21st, 22d and 23d, for the transaction of the business of the Department. The date and place of holding our next National Encampment has not been decided on yet.
- II. The reports for the term closing December 31st and the per capita tax have been received from nearly all the Posts of the Department and the showing is fully up to our expectations. The Posts that have not made their reports, will please make and send them in at once as we do not want to place them on the suspended list as we are required to do.



Quartermasters who have not sent in their Mortuary Reports will please send them in at once.

III. Your Department Commander in Circular Letter No. 1, dated July 13th, offered a prize of a Post flag to each Post in the Department that would make a net gain of ten or more in membership over the membership of the term closing June 30th, and the following Posts have received the prize. Your Commander is happy over the result, and only sorry there were not more.

McKeehan Post No. 36, North Vernon. Sion S. Bass Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Sol. Meredith Post No. 55, Richmond. Paul E. Slocum Post No. 85, Bloomington. Lafayette Gordon Post No. 132, Argos. Dela Hunt Post No. 152, Cannelton. Lawton-Wayne Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. Simon Miller Post No. 401, Akron. John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany. A. H. Cockrum Post No. 520, Oakland City. Gen. Canby Post No. 2, Brazil. Farragut Post No. 27, Evansville. T. J. Harrison Post No. 30, Kokomo. Hackleman Post No. 64, Brookville. Chaplain Brown Post No. 106, Valparaiso. Edwin Lennox Post No. 408, Swayzee.

- IV. The Chamber of Commerce of our city, with representatives from all commercial organizations are now holding meetings once a week for the purpose of completing plans for our Encampment and their purpose is to make it the best Encampment the Department has had, and the location being so central there is no doubt of a very large attendance.
- V. Comrades, let me call your attention to the fact that our membership is becoming less year by year, and it behooves us more now than ever before to urge upon every honorably discharged soldier of the War of the Rebellion that lives in your vicinity to join our organization and touch elbows with us as they did from 1861 to 1865. Our organization has had much to do in the help that has come to us since its organization, and all have shared it alike, and it is but fair now that all should share in keeping up the organization that has done so much for them.
- VI. A bill is being prepared to present to the legislature asking for an appropriation sufficient to pay the railroad fare of all soldiers now living in Indiana who participated in the Battle of



Gettysburg and desire to attend the fiftieth anniversary of that great battle July 1st to 4th. The purpose is to pay the transportation of those who wore the blue and the gray. While on the ground the government will furnish sleeping accommodations and subsistence free of charge.

Comrade Wm. M. Briner, Post No. 5, Greensburg, has been appointed as Aide on the staff of Department Commander.

By command of
W. E. Gorsuch,
Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 1, 1913.

GENERAL ORDER No. 6.

I. As announced in General Order No. 5, the Thirty-Fourth Annual Encampment will assemble at Indianapolis, May 21st, 22d and 23d, for the transaction of the business of the Encampment. All arrangements are well on their way. There was some little delay in the work on account of the great flood that visited our city and State, but now that is past and the sufferers have been liberally cared for, and the citizens are now giving their attention to our coming Encampment, and will be just as enthusiastic in their efforts in giving a warm welcome to the survivors of the Old Veterans of the great war of 1861 to 1865 as though the flood had not visited us. Our citizens all realize that you are all getting old and want to contribute all they can to make these annual meetings the most joyful of the year to you.

II. The Headquarters of the Department of the Grand Army of the Republic, of the Department of the Woman's Relief Corps and of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, will be established at the New Denison Hotel on the second floor. This hotel is on the corner of Ohio and Pennsylvania streets, only two blocks from Tomlinson Hall, where the Encampment will assemble for its meetings.



- III. The Council of Administration will meet at Headquarters at 3 o'clock P. M., May 21st, and the Committee on Credentials will meet to issue the badges to the delegates of the Encampment at the State House, Room 12, at 10 o'clock A. M.
- IV. Programs of each day's proceedings will be mailed to each Post in the Department, giving out statements of each day's meetings so that you will be fully informed as to campfires, regimental reunions, etc.
- V. The Committee on Transportation had hoped to secure a liberal reduction in rates on the steam roads and interurban lines but have been refused by all.
- VI. The parade will take place on the 22d at 2:15 p. m., will not exceed one mile in length, and will be on asphalt streets from start to finish, so that we feel that if any of our Comrades have not been in the habit of marching in the parade on account of the length and condition of streets on which which they had to march, it will not be so with them here. You will see by the program when you receive it that Col. Perry, in planning for the parade, instead of having it to form by Posts has arranged to have it form by districts, with all Post colors carried in front of each district, a change which we feel all will endorse.
- VII. Enclosed herewith you will find the Department Commander's Memorial Order, and also General Order No. 4, from National Headquarters.
- VIII. The following Comrades have been appointed as Aides-de-Camp to the Department Commander and will be obeyed and respected accordingly: John T. Kelley, Post No. 579, South Bend; John W. Whitlow, Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

By command of W. E. Gorsuch,

Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

MEMORIAL DAY.

My Comrades, another Memorial Day will soon be here. Do what you can to make the day impressive. Interest all the people to the end that these days may live after you.

Call out and interest the school children; teach them that Memorial Day is sacred to the memory of our nation's defenders,



who, at a time when treason was rampant and disruption imminent, stood for the Union of States and one Flag for all.

Ask the Sons of Veterans whether organized or not to do their duty. The Woman's Relief Corps, our auxiliary, and all loyal women in kindred organizations to honor the day. Ask your manufacturers and business men to recognize the day, if only for the afternoon, so their employees can participate. Attend church services on Sunday preceding Memorial Day. Be firm for May 30th and don't seek convenience. If May 30th is not convenient for you, others will make excuse. A feature without a fixed date will prove as a nation without a head. May 30th as a Memorial Day was established in 1869, and should have a place on the calendar while July 4th is recognized; and so on Memorial Day, mark each Comrade's grave with the flag of our Republic and strew flowers to his memory.

By command of W. E. Gorsuch, Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 13, 1912.

CIRCULAR LETTER No. 1.

My Dear Comrades—I am very anxious that our department retain that same good standing in the National Organization that it has had in the past, and, fully realizing that it will require concerted action to do this, I appeal to every Post Commander and to every member of our Order to join in the work of increasing interest in meetings. It sounds well of a town to say that it has a good Grand Army Post among its assets, and local pride all over the State should cause the Grand Army of the Republic to maintain its standing.

We fully realize that it is not as easy to attend Post meetings as it was in former years, but the principles for which the Grand Army stands are unchanged and beneficial, not only to the membership of the Grand Army, but the citizenship in general have



shared in its benefits, and it is just as essential now that these principles be nurtured as at any time in the past. You can keep your dues paid and hold your membership even if you can not attend more than half the meetings, or if conditions are such that you can not, then your Post will gladly remit your dues and hold you in good standing.

Those who attend Post meetings are usually square on the books—and a good, well-filled Quartermaster's Department was always appreciated. Don't lost sight of what the organization has been to you and to the widows and orphans of those who have joined the silent majority. More soldiers of the War of the Rebellion are dormant in Grand Army matters, or have never been associated with us, than are active. Let us get active.

To that end a nice bunting flag on staff suitable for Post turnouts or Post room decorations will be given to every Post in the Department that will show an increase of ten or more in its membership for the semi-annual term ending December 1, 1912. Come on, Comrades, let us see how many flags will be called for—the more the merrier. Nothing would please us better than if every Post in the Department should make the increase and receive a flag.

The Post Commanders have generally been very prompt in sending in their reports for the term closing June 30th, but there are still some who have not reported. Please make them out and send in at once, that we may get our consolidated report out.

Fraternally in F., C. & L.,

WILBUR E. GORSUCH, Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

· Assistant Adjutant-General.

Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Office of Assistant Adjutant-General, Room 25, State House, Indianapolis, Ind., April 5, 1913,

SPECIAL ORDER No. 1.

On account of the most disastrous flood our State has ever had and the great affliction it has brought on our citizens, your Department Commander has felt it his duty to call on the Posts of the Department to contribute something for the relief of our



Comrades who have suffered by the flood, many of them having saved nothing except the clothing they had on.

Departments from other States, on the suggestion of Commander-in-Chief Beers, have made liberal contributions and the money will be placed in the hands of those of our Comrades who live in the district where the suffering is greatest and are acquainted with the conditions of all. The citizens of our State have been liberal in their contributions to the general relief fund, in which all share alike.

By command of
W. E. Gorsuch,
Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.





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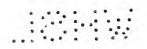
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The first general meeting of the Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, was held in Tomlinson Hall, Indianapolis, Indiana, on the evening of May 6, 1914.

The meeting was called to order by Hon. Chas. Bookwalter, who presided; Rev. E. I. LaRue delivered the invocation, followed by the song "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," by Mrs. James L. Gavin. Addresses of welcome were given as follows: "Welcome to Our Honored Guests," by J. E. Martin, Commander Ben Harrison Camp No. 356, Sons of Veterans; address of welcome to the city, by Mayor Joseph E. Bell, and greetings by Governor Samuel M. Ralston. Responses were made by Judge D. W. Comstock, Department Commander Grand-Army of the Republic; Mrs. Estella Irwin Huffman, Department President Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, Department President Ladies Grand Army of the Republic; William H. Hansche, Division Commander Sons of Veterans, and Mrs. Emma Stuart Finch,



Division President Sons of Veterans Auxiliary. Music was furnished by the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home Band, Mrs. James L. Gavin, Mrs. Laura S. Burr, Dwight A. Murphy, and the famous "Logansport G. A. R. Quartet."

FIRST DAY'S SESSION—TOMLINSON HALL.

Thursday, May 7, 1914.

The convention was called to order by Department Commander Daniel W. Comstock. Comrade Chas. W. Wheat was announced as Officer of the Day and Comrade ———— Downey as Officer of the Guard to serve during the sessions of **the** Encampment.

The Encampment was opened in due form according to the ritual. Comrade E. L. Semans, Department Chaplain, being absent, Comrade W. P. McKinsey invoked the divine blessing:

God, our Father, we thank Thee for Thy loving goodness. For another year we thank Thee that Thou hast brought us through the vicissitudes of the winter. We thank Thee that so many of us are here, as well as we are and able to be here. God, bless us in all the deliberations of this meeting. Bless us in all of our relations that we sustain to the Grand Army of the Republic and bless us in all the relations we sustain as citizens; and we pray Thee to bless these comrades; take care of their families while they are away. We pray Thee to bless other old soldiers of Indiana and the whole United States. Bless our beloved order. Send Thy blessings upon our country; bless Thy servant the Governor of our own State, and Thy servants, the Governors of all the States of our great country. Bless the army and the navy and the courts and the municipalities; bless all our legislators; God, bless our country in every respect. May this cloud of war that has been hanging about us be driven away and peace come to all the nations of the earth.

The Encampment repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison.



The following report of the Committee on Credentials was read:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 7, 1914.

To the Thirty-fifth Annual Engampment, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

The Committee on Credentials would respectfully report that we have examined the roll call as prepared in the office of the Assistant Adjutant-General and find the following to be a correct and complete roll of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,
HARLAN P. MILLER, Chairman.
GEO. W. SUMMERS,
J. T. ELLER,
Committee on Credentials.

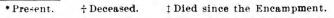
It was moved and seconded that the calling of the roll be dispensed with. Carried.



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P. C.-James Scandlin, R. E. Chappel, Albert Pride.

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ALT .- J. P. Replogel, Isaac Shekels.



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Alt.—Robt. Stephenson, Chas. Bratton.



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Del.-D. Lomas.

ALT.-D. W. Weites.

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Com.-H. A. Root.

P. C.—Wm. H. Davis, H. J. Willits, A. B. Barron, H. A. Root, J. C. Haddock, M. L. Bramhall.

DEL.

ALT.

Shiloh Post No. 49, Newport.

Com.-R. H. Nixon.

P. C.-R. H. Nixon.

DEL .-

ALT.-

- Dan Pratt Post No. 50, Galveston.

Com.-A. C. Garrett.

P. C.—J. M. Bell, J. Q. Symons, Wm. M. Wampler, A. C. Garrett, J. C. Patton, A. J. Haynes.

Del.-Tom Fording.

ALT.—Henry Curtis.

Tippecanoe Post No. 51, Monticello.

Com.-P. A. Holladay.

P. C.—Wm. E. Fox, Jas. M. Roach, Elliott Malone, J. E. Loughry, Jas. M. McBeth, Hugh H. Steele, Wm. H. Hutton, Patrick Hays, C. E. Harlacher, Henry Snyder, G. B. Ward, T. E. Donnelly, P. A. Holladay.

Del.-M. A. McConahay.

ALT.-Wm. M. McCorkle.

Waterloo Post No. 52, Waterloo.

Com.—Isaac Speer.

P. C.—J. P. McCague, Prentiss Gill, J. N. McBride, Frank N. Beidler, Robt. Patterson, John J. Lightner, Geo. W. Sparks, Phillip Plum, Chas. R. Reed, John Shuman, S. R. Rickel, James M. Chapel, A. W. Wherley.

DEL.-Clark W. Griffith.

ALT.-Levi W. Treech.



Sol Meredith Post No. 55, Richmond.

Com.-John Deets.

P. C.—Jos P. Iliff, John F. Davenport, Lafayette Larsh, W. K. Young, Noah H. Hutton, L. M. White, Elijah Lawton, John A. Markley, Geo. L. Weist, Benj. B. Duke, Allen W. Grave, James R. Taylor, Martin A. Bailey, Martin L. Grose, James H. Van Zant, Henry C. Fox, H. R. Marlott, John Ward, D. W. Comstock, Samuel Huddleston, T. P. Smith, Wm. Mitchell, Wm. Shunaman, Fred Bartel, Jacob McConley, Philip Lefeber, Irvin B. Arnold, W. H. Baughman.

Del.—Michael Griffin, Thos. S. Fagan, Timothy Hart, John P. Lancaster.

ALT.—Lewis Miller, Oscar Johnson, Gus Meyers, M. C. Price.

William B. Reyburn Post No. 56, Peru.

Com.-Clark Latta.

P. C.—L. B. Fulwiler, W. F. Dailey, W. H. H. Spaulding, J. H. Hosman, Wm. Gibbons, J. V. Wilhelm, Guy Haudington, J. D. Emehiser, Wm. Demuth, Clark Latta, P. M. Crume, Abe Whistler, Cornelius Bell, P. H. McGloin, Wm. Leffel

Del.-J. A. Norris, Calvin Orr.

ALT.-Wm. Hahn, James Ogle.

Nelson Trusler Post No. 60, Winchester.

Com.—Jas. E. Huston.

P. C.—N. C. Simmons, W. H. Reinheimer, George Coats, B. F. Wilmore, L. G. Puckett, R. Bosworth, David Fudge, Olynthus Cox, J. C. Grimm, Geo. N. Carter, James E. Ashwill, W. P. Marlatt, A. M. Best, John Flight.

Del.-Wm. J. Purdy, Nathaniel Curtis.

ALT.-T. J. Bush, R. G. Kennedy.

Elwood Post No. 61, Elwood.

Com.-J. W. Davis.

P. C.—John P. Rounds, John Lewis, John F. Brown, S. W. Edwins, J. H. Wagner, Lafayette Ferguson, M. E. Baylor, Chas. Waymer, J. W. Davis.

DEL.

ALT.



Bryant Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Com.-Wm. H. Langton.

P. C.—James Anderson, Jacob Sheffer, H. B. Walters, Wm. H. Langton, Elish Little.

Del.-James Bennett.

ALT.—Sam Lewis.

Samuel Henry Post No. 63, Decatur.

Com.—Wm. H. Myers.

P. C.—W. H. Myers, D. K. Shockley, J. R. Parish, L. Cherry-holmes, L. N. Grandstaff, J. D. Hale, M. J. Wertzberger, T. W. Mallonee, F. F. Frech, R. D. Patterson, B. W. Sholty.

Del.—S. B. Fordyce, Nathan Ehrman.

ALT.—Nathan Beckner, G. B. Cline.

Hackleman Post No. 64, Brookville.

Com.-Louis G. Scheize.

P. C.—Geo. F. Obyrne, M. A. Jacob, Louis G. Schieze, John Cowen, Thos. B. Thackery, John Ferris.

Del.-Marion Butler.

ALT.-O. G. Templeton.

Stone River Post No. 65, Frankfort.

Com.-W. M. Spence.

P. C.—Wm. H. Hart, Olive Gard, David A. Coulter, James A. Price, Q. A. Kennedy, C. H. Docter, N. D. Cosner, Jos. H. Reagan, Cy Clark, Robt. W. Seagars, Henry C. Jackson, Richard C. Clark, J. H. Mills. David Handley, Geo. Blystone, W. M. Spence.

Del.-Geo. W. Brown, Geo. P. Gaddis.

ALT.—Wm. Kemp, Samuel Keever.

DeLong Post No. 67, Auburn.

Сом.-О. H. Widney.

P. C.—Nicholas Ensley, Robt. Simpson, John Otto, Joseph Rainier, Philip Noel, S. J. Farney, W. C. McIntosh, J. B. Davidson.

Del.-Isaac Ditman.

ALT .- A. Kessler.



Shively Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Com.-F. M. Beck.

P. C.—John S. Brademeyer, Fred H. Poetker, Henry Landgrebe. John Appel. John N. Morris, James A. Gardner, Christ Siebe.

Del.-Wm. Wilson.

ALT.-Wm. Koch.

Martin R. Delaney Post No. 70, Indianapolis.

Com.—Henderson Brown.

P. C.—Cruz Duncan, Frank Mahan, Chas. Hunter.

Del.—Isaac Wilson, Orlando Toles.

ALT.-Wm. Hubbard, Wm. Adams.

U. S. Grant Post No. 72, Washington.

Com.-C. E. Peek.

P. C.—Wm. P. Ellis, R. E. Hawley, J. W. Ramsey, J. M. Bass, Ed Canaday, I. F. Hendron, Zac Jones, Wm. Gary, W. H. Springer, Phil Hart, J. W. Kellams, John Berry, J. W. Streeter, Franklin Wise, Geo. Snyder, John Sullivan, W. S. Waller, Jos. Bogner, Henry Bell, W. M. Wirts, C. M. Peek.

Del.-W. P. Ellis, J. H. Ramsey.

ALT.-Wm. Faris, Ben Tolson.

Remington Post No. 74, Remington.

Сом.—J. H. Biddle.

P. C.—J. R. Wilson, J. H. Green, H. H. Walker, J. P. Shelmon, I. D. Luckey.

DEL.

ALT.

Henry S. Lane Post No. 76, Francesville.

Сом.-

P. C.—Stephen Eldridge.

Del.—S. Thrasher.

Alt.-T. M. Spence.

Blankenship Post No. 77, Martinsville.

Com.-John E. Walker.

P. C.—Geo. W. Grubbs, D. P. Kennedy, H. H. Woods, F. M. McNair J. M. Neeley, W. W. Kennedy, Chas. Hamilton, Calvin Stanley, Thos. Minton, Thos. D. Evans, John E. Walker.

Del.-Sam Sidens, Wm. K. Hastings.

ALT.—Squire Tatum, L. S. Hatley.



Williams Post No. 78, Muncie.

Com.-Thos. Skinner.

P. C.—Wm. H. Muray, A. L. Kirwood, S. B. Garrett, N. N. Spence, R. J. Patterson, Geo. McLaughlin, F. C. McGrath, G. W. H. Kemper, N. H. Long, E. W. Bishop, L. O. Leach, Geo. A. Carpenter. Web S. Richey, Oliver Carmichael, John Poland, W. H. M. Cooper, J. E. Dare, D.M. McAbee, D. W. Sloniker, Jos. Younce, John Yaryan, John Buetner, Warren Brockway, John W. Davis.

Del.—Henry L. Baker, Jos. A. Goddard, Jos. Kirk.

ALT.—Abram McConnell, Andrew McDowell, Lemuel Love.

Joel Wolfe Post No. 81, Rushville.

Com.—Jabez Smith.

P. C.—John C. Humes, Edw. Young, Ben L. McFarlin, Chas. O. Nixon, L. L. Clifford, J. M. Stevens, L. B. Downey, E. H. Wolfe, F. M. Redman, Ben L. Smith, J. K. Mattox, Dan M. Kinney, Jabez Smith.

Del.—Geo. D. Pearcy.

Alt.-John G. Boys.

John A. Platter Post No. 82, Aurora.

Com.-Elijah Stewart.

P. C.—L. E. Beinkamp, H. P. Spaeth, Clark Canfield, James Baker, O. Canon, E. H. Niebaum, Richard Block, E. Steward, F. W. Kassebaum, Wm. Doerr, Fred Rusher, John Peters, Ed Jamison.

Del.-F. W. Kassebaum.

ALT.

John P. Porter Post No. 83, Geneva.

Com.-J. L. Juday.

P. C.—J. M. Holloway, Will H. Fought, J. P. Scheer, S. W. Hale, L. Rape, Wm. Fields, A. Burris, I. N. Veley, J. L. Juday, J. G. Breuner, S. Cook, Wm. Drew, Eli Krous, Henry Kirby.

Del.—Geo. Schott.

ALT.-A. J. Idlewine.

Rensselaer Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

Сом.—David H. Yeoman.

P. C.-David H. Yeoman, Henry Grow.

Del.—A. J. Bellows.

ALT .- W. R. Brown.



Paul E. Slocum Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Com.—Lewis W. Shields.

P. C.—W. J. Allen, W. A. Fulwider, Wm. F. Hapley, Moses St. Clair, J. T. Eller, Newton H. Fee, Joseph Lindsay, J. H. Eaton, Thos. Kilpatrick, John Millis, Wm. W. Pauley, Isaac N. May, Wm. Whaley, Nathan R. Matson, Thos. C. Whisenand.

Del.—Robt. B. Strong, Isaac Mitchell, Jacob Vandyke.

ALT.—Isaac P. Hopewell, Taylor S. Moon Alexander Kelly.

Jeffersonville Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

Сом.-J. M. Rislemark.

P. C.—Wm. Faucett, E. B. Youman, R. B. Mason, Geo. F. Mc-Cullough, J. J. Waggoner, Chas. Lampher, J. M. Van Meter, Christian Russ, Silas Baldwin.

Del.-J. M. Van Meter.

ALT.—R. B. Mason.

Samuel Reid Post No. 87, Salem.

Com.—Wm. J. Hauger.

P. C.—Eli W. Menaugh, Josiah Emery, Wm. Overman, Fred L. Prow, James B. Berkey, W. E. Johnson, W. M. Linscott, W. J. Hauger.

Del.-Wm. R. McNight.

ALT.-Lucius D. Martin.

Robert Huff Post No. 89, Lawrenceburg.

Com.—John G. Schmeltzer.

P. C.—Jacob Rief, Sanford Tuthill, John Rork, S. E. Harryman, Geo. A. Taylor, John McKee, John G. Schmeltzer.

Del.—Cyrus Demaree.

ALT.—Chas. Cunningham.

Charles W. Howell Post No. 90, Goshen.

Com.—Wm. H. Miller.

P. C.—Thos. A. Gilmore, W. C. Hafer, Sam'l F. Poorman, Hiram F. Kidder, Jos. F. Andrews, Jno. W. Cornell, W. S. Bitner, Jas. Garnett, Chas. W. James.

Del.—Henry Bechtel, John W. Simmons.

Alt.—Mort Jackson, D. B. Hutchinson.



Worthington Post No. 91, Worthington.

Com.—Ephraim Harrell.

P. C.—D. W. Solody, David F. Hulk, J. W. Jackson, Ephraim Harrell, J. W. Hanelton, J. S. Spainhaver.

Del.-J. W. Jackson.

ALT.-J. W. Hamelton.

Samuel H. Dunbar Post No. 92, Greenfield.

Com.—D. C. Jamison.

P. C.—Henry Snow, J. K. Henby, Taylor Morford, John Barr, Thos. Coffee, Wm. Hutton, Lafayette Slifer, James Thomas, Henry Winslow, Jacob Pavey, J. W. Loder, Almond Kiefer, Stephen Jackson.

Del.-Dr. Laramore, Mr. Payne.

ALT.—Geo. Johnson, George Reed.

Gettysburg Post No. 93, Spencer.

Сом.-Wm. S. Mead.

P. C.—David E. Beem, Thos. H. Boswell, Wm. Fender, Calvin A. Hutchinson, Bernard Jacobs, John S. Johnson, John H. Murphy, Samuel A. Parish, Wm. S. Mead.

DEL.—Albert Patrick.

ALT.-Geo. C. Massy.

Ben North Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

COM.—P. P. Stultz.

P. C.—Wm. Clark. H. B. Sparks, James Harris, G. A. Dugle, M. S. Longwood, Charley Fisher, S. E. Scott, Geo. W. Sweazey, E. S. Thompson, L. F. Works, B. F. Miller.

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McClung Post No. 95, Rochester.

Com.-John H. Shelton.

P. C.—J. R. Stallard, Isom R. New, A. G. Sinks, Jonas Myers, J. T. Gaines, S. H. Hoffman, W. S. Bolles, Samuel Miller, H. E. Butler, John B. Apt.

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Com.—Henry Osborn.

P. C.—John O. Cravens, T. G. Day, John W. Albright, Henry Osborn, F. M. Hancock, D. R. Marsh, B. F. Prebble, J. P. Lynch, Philip Seelinger, A. M. Wooley, Ben Winsor.

Del.-Leidle J. Shook.

ALT.-James Parker.

Girard Post No. 101, Monon.

Com.—Richard Sparrow.

P. C.—Geo, L. Catlin, Aaron Stanfield, James M. Devault, Chas. Newberry, Richard Sparrow.

Del.-James Tull, Robt. Adams.

ALT.-C. M. Horner, Frank Phillips.

McHolland Post No. 102, Kentland.

Com.-John Higgins.

P. C.—Isaac Smart, T. C. Moore, A. Heilman, G. M. Bridgeman, Jira Skinner, John Lowe, John Higgins.

DEL.-C. A. Wood.

ALT.—Ambrose Williams.

William Smith Post No. 103, Sheridan.

COM.-E. R. Worley.

P. C.—J. S. Kercheval, J. P. Bradfield, J. M. Abbott, J. M. Haughey, Abe Steffey, J. H. Cox, W. M. Evans, L. S. Kercheval, J. W. Dungan, Thos. J. Lindly, A. A. Haskett, O. S. Newton, Isaac Jones, Robt. M. Stephenson, Will L. Scott, Geo. Hamilton.

Del.—Jos. W. Cropper.

ALT.-E. C. Barrett.

J. H. Danseur Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Com.—Albert Preston.

P. C.—John J. Gillett, Ransom J. Willard, Lorenzo D. Cather, Frank L. Church, Geo. W. Hissong, Albert Preston, Elmer R. Steele, Husten M. Bastian, John H. Caton.

DEL.-Aaron C. Bush.

ALT.—Geo. W. Minnick.



Van Buren Post No. 105, Pike's Peak.

Com.—C. Hurley.

P. C.—F. A. Hendrix, R. A. Wilson, A. Hancher, John Foreman, C. Hurley.

Del.-Michael West.

ALT.-John Anthony.

Chaplain Brown Post No. 106, Valparaiso.

Com.—James Bell.

P. C.—N. J. Bozarth, E. M. Burns, Jasper N. Finney, J. R. Mills, George Baldwin, J. S. Louderback, A. W. Lytle, John W. Forney, D. D. Rose, Frank P. Thompson.

Del.-Wm. Johnston, Jos. Glover.

ALT.-Jacob Fisher, Horace Miller.

Charles W. Heath Post No. 109, East Enterprise.

Com.-H. D. Tinker.

P. C.—A. J. Works, Geo. W. Land, Isaac Littlefield, H. D. Tinker.

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ALT.

Hathaway Post No. 110, Rolling Prairie.

Com.-W. H. Hecker.

P. C.-G. H. Shead, W. H. Hecker, C. W. Freese, H. B. Worden.

DEL.

ALT.

Morocco Post No. 111, Morocco.

Сом.—John Grant.

P. C.—B. F. Roadruck, Geo. Clark, Samuel Thomas, James Shafer, John Grant.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Kosciusko Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Com.—Ephraim L. Semans.

P. C.—John N. Runion, W. H. Bennett, C. W. Scott, Jos. S. Neely, John W. Sellers, C. W. Burket, David Kentzel.

Del.-Andrew J. Cary, J. H. Koontz.

ALT.—Henry Walter, Michael Mickley.



Deacon Post No. 115, New Carlisle.

Com.—Isaac N. Vail.

P. C.—L. A. Maudlin, Geo. W. Doughty, I. N. Vail, H. H. Wethered, Oren Tippy.

DEL.

ALT.

Andrews Post No. 116, Andrews.

Com.-M. Woodbeck.

P. C.-M. Woodbeck, M. Swartz, Wm. McMahen, John Kahl.

Del.—Robt. Wybourn.

ALT.—H. Petengill.

Harrison Cathcart Post No. 117, Bristol.

Com.-J. W. Mitchell

P. C.-A. E. Salisbury, S. L. Krider.

DEL.

ALT.-

George W. Rader Post No. 119, Middletown.

Com.-Wm. M. Moore.

P. C.—J. A. Young, Jonathan Brattain, Lafe Bell, Andrew J. Fleming, E. M. Hanby Isaac H. Miller, S. P. Ledgerwood.

Del.-Joseph Dutton.

ALT.-John Noftsinger.

Masters Post No. 120, Boonville.

Com.—E. P. Rowe.

P. C.—Wm. H. Allen, John C. Shaffer, Ephraim Rowe, Wm. H. Hudson, F. J. Lamar.

DEL.

ALT.

C. L. Guild Post No. 121, Medaryville.

Com.—Calvin Coppess.

P. C.—M. Robinson, W. H. H. Tilton, H. W. Ballard, Fred Maribauer, R. L. P. Massey, Ben Oglesby, Henry L. White, Calvin Coppess.

Del.-John Mannan.

ALT.-John Parker.



James C. Veatch Post No. 123, Rockport.

Com.—Bartley Inco.

P. C.—J. S. Wright, John Feigel, G. W. Bettis, Bart Inco, John Hemelheiber, A. D. Garlinghouse, Joseph McAdams, J. K. Balderson, B. F. Bridges.

DEL.-

ALT.

John Murray Post No. 124, Pierceton.

Сом.—J. A. Clemans.

P. C.—Hiram Finton, W. A. Babcock, M. R. Bishop, G. W. Woolf, J. A. Clemans, S. H. Kile, T. A. Hoover, J. A. Mock, A. G. Addams. Del.—S. D. Grim.

Alt.—Daniel Vanness.

Stansbury Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Com.-J. H. Hoffman.

P. C.—J. H. Hoffman, C. R. Graves, J. N. Ohlwine, J. L. Dunning.

Del.-Isaac King.

ALT .- A. Yorkey.

Connersville Post No. 126, Connersville.

Com.—Jesse K. Proctor.

P. C.—F. M. Little, W. N. Young, Chas. H. Smith, J. W. Hannah, W. T. Murray, S. E. Perin, Geo. F. Stewart, I. M. Anderson, Jas. Wymore, L. L. Cooley.

Del.-Alonzo Runyan, Steven Crandal.

ALT.—Chas. Lair, Jos. McKay.

Wadsworth Post No. 127, Franklin.

Com.—John W. Dill.

P. C.—Jos. M. Storey, Wm. S. Young, John H. Wooley, L. D. Rothbaust, Alvin F. Curtis, Wm. H. McClanahan, John R. Owens, Jas. M. Brown, Phil W. Brown, Edmon P. Ervin, Thos. B. Wood, R. V. Ditmars, D. D. Waldron, Wm. Thomas, Luther Short.

Del.-Wm. M. Province, John Carson.

ALT.-Wm. H. Fisher, Thos. Flinn.



Houghton Post No. 128, Mishawaka.

Com.—E. R. Huntsinger.

P. C.—E. A. Junetgan, Jesse H. Gaines, J. W. Boyd, R. E. Perkins, M. M. Fisher, John Borough, E. R. Huntsinger.

Del.-Ezra Martin.

Alt.-J. W. Hutchinson:

Henry C. Coulter Post No. 131, Russiaville.

Com.-W. M. Thompson.

P. C.-Luke Thomas, A. C. Merrick, O. L. Evans, J. F. Miller.

Del.—Luke Thomas.

ALT.-R. O. Richards.

Lafayette Gordon Post No. 132, Argos.

Com.-I. Hess.

P. C.—J. C. Gordon, J. Rickere, W. H. J. Flagg, Jas. Townsend. I. Hess, Wm. White, Wm. Stafford, John Price, J. S. Hussey, J. A. Lowrey, Chas. Behn.

Del.-John W. Harris.

ALT.—Corben Spencer.

Lookout Post No. 133, Noblesville.

Com.—Eli C. Lutz.

P. C.—Jas. H. Harris, Jas. K. Fisher, H. M. Caylor, L. G. Metsker, Geo. A. P. Smith, Wm. C. Vance, John R. White, Wm. E. Craig, W. H. Scovell, Isaac J. Dayton, Jos. LaFeber, A. J. Frybarger, Wm. H. Stern, Gilbert Gray, Philip Rhoads, Jesse E. Venable, T. J. Burton.

Del.-John Vail, Chas. N. Scott.

ALT.—Geo. W. Howe, Nathan Kiste.

James R. Slack Post No. 137, Huntington.

Com.—Ernest Pippenbrink.

P. C.—C. W. Watkins, D. D. Holm, B. M. Cobb, N. H. Kuhlman, I. H. Heaston, Robert Fulton, Frank Gerard, David Pressel, Chas. H. Newell, John S. Gill, Wm. F. Swaim, A. J. Rosebrough, Alfred Stuves, W. H. H. Brown, Wm. P. Moffett, A. H. Shaffer, Alois Scheiber, D. C. Anderson, John S. Glenn, John Minnich, John Casey.

Del.—H. S. Finkenbiner, Cyrus Hughes.

ALT.—Daniel Ager, John H. DeWitt.



S. C. Aldrich Post No. 138, Hudson.

Com.-W. A. Greenamyer.

P. C.—W. A. Greenamyer, J. C. Whysong, P. Snowberger, G. Fredrick.

DEL.-

ALT.

Lookout Mountain Post No. 140, Gaston.

Com.—Henry B. Trout.

P. C.—Wm. C. Hoffman, J. W. McCreery, Henry Miller, Geo. Lisby, J. W. Slain, H. B. Trout.

Del.—Lewis Bond.

ALT.-Mark Powers.

John C. Carnes Post No. 144, St. Joe Station.

Com.—George Trostel.

P. C.—Mahlon Baker, E. Inhafe, Chas. W. Freeburn, J. Y. Davis, Ben Hamilton, Jos. Koch, J. A. Provines, C. A. Rhoads, G. Horn, Geo. Nostel, Walter Mabel.

DEL.-E. Inhafe.

ALT .- J. Y. Davis.

Put Evans Post No. 146, Sharpsville.

Com.-Louis Hoffman.

P. C.—J. K. Baxter, C. M. Sleeth, L. H. Doty, J. T. Grayson, P. A. Bailey, W. M. Bennett, Louis Hoffman.

DEL.-E. W. Ulrich.

ALT.-F. M. Mills.

Patton Post No. 147, Laporte.

Сом.-Wm. С. Weir.

P. C.—L. G. Bryant, E. R. Hart, Ed L. Ephlin, Edward Malloy, Peter Fisher, W. C. Weir.

DEL.-Thos. Marr, E. C. Clark.

ALT.—Jas. H. Buck, Chas. Fridson.

George W. Lennard Post No. 148, New Castle.

Com.—Lea M. James.

P. C.—G. H. Cain, W. M. Pence, L. M. Moore, L. S. Dennis, T. W. Gronendyke, Thad Coffin, H. C. Elliott, W. B. Bock, I. W. Ellis, Jno. Thornburg, A. W. Saint, H. H. Henderson, Thos. Gray, T. C. Livesey, Lea M. James, Joel Harvey, David Luellen, Clark Gordon, Geo. P. Beach, Allen Koon, R. H. Tyner.

Del.-Mahlon D. Harvey.

ALT.—Amos Kern.



B. J. Crosswait Post No. 150, Angola.

Com.—Solomon Cox.

P. C.—Andrew Somerlott, Orville Carver, Henry H. West, Lafe Burkett, John Carson, Lawrence Gates, Joseph Hirst, T. K. Miller, Jesse Y. Johnson, S. J. Stowe, Nelson Letts, Curtis Castel, N. B. Jeffries, D. K. Swift, Sol M. Cox.

Del.-P. Snyder.

ALT.-J. B. Warden.

Dela Hunt Post No. 152, Cannelton.

Com.—John Zimmerman.

P. C .- John Zimmerman, Jacob Snyder.

DEL.—Samuel Hyde.

ALT.-Robt. B. McMains.

Stephen J. Bailey Post No. 154, Portland.

Com.-Jos. E. Clark.

P. C.-Levi L. Gilpin, Louis J. Bruner, Jesse J. M. LaFollette, John W. Headington, Nimrod Headington, Thos. J. Stanley, Wesley D. Sebring, Samuel F. Hiatt Tunis W. Thorp, Jacob W. Burk, Jos. E. Clark.

DEL.--

ALT.-

Major Patton Post No. 157, Vevay.

Com.-Jos. Ramsayer.

P. C.—John Moxby, John Shaw, Edmond Raschig, J. C. Kirkpatrick, John Pavey, J. C. Long, Fred Thiebaud.

DEL.

ALT.—

Gordon Tanner Post No. 159, Brownstown.

Com.-Wm. T. Hancock.

P. C.—E. M. Wells, D. B. Vance, J. C. Gosman, J. F. Slade, Andy Perian, Frank Crockett, J. Boslay, Daniel Empson, E. W. Miller, Wm. T. Hancock.

DEL.—

ALT.

John Wheeler Post No. 161, Crown Point.

Сом.-Wm. Krimbill.

P. C.—Henry W. Wise, John E. Luther, Ed F. Casewell, Oliver G. Wheeler, Wm. Krimbill.

DEL.-Hiram Barton.

ALT.-Jos. T. Atkins.



Antietam Post No. 162, Jamestown.

Com.-John F. Proctor.

P. C.—S. M. Best, Thompson Henry, John C. Ferree, Thos. Day, John F. Proctor, John Yelton.

DEL.-

ALT .-

Jacob Hoops Post No. 163, West Terre Haute

Com.—Chester R. Church.

P. C.—C. R. Church, M. T. Goodman, Wm. Broadhurst, Thos. Underwood.

DEL.-W. A. Black.

ALT.-A. Wiseman.

Jesse S. Ogden Post No. 164, Danville.

Com.—Geo. Wood.

P. C.—J. V. Hadley, Geo. W. Scearce, T. J. Cofer, T. H. Huron, J. S. Marshall, Chas. Sacre, A. M. Dooley J. W. Whyte, C. A. White, H. N. Vannice, H. B. Little, Harvey Henry, Geo. Wood.

Del.—Geo. Kesler.

ALT .- H. T. Kirk.

Jerry B. Mason Post No. 168, Knightstown

Com.-M. A. Pickering.

P. C.—White Heaton, T. B. Wilkinson, John E. Keys, Wm. P. Foulke.

DEL.-John McMurney.

ALT.

William Swain Post No. 169, Ossian.

Сом.-М. N. Newman.

P. C.—M. N. Newman, J. A. D. Taylor, V. W. Clark, Abe Hoopengardner.

Del.-Ransom Allen.

ALT.-Abe Hoopengardner.

Champion Hills Post No. 171, Brookston.

Сом.—John Hartman.

P. C.—Geo. Owen, I. S. Ramey, J. E. Carson, J. H. Giles, Robt. Irwin, A. H. Melts, Thos. Bostick.

Del.-Jacob Fisher.

ALT.-Thos. Guntrip.



August Willich Post No. 175, Batesville.

Com.—Peter Schreiner.

P. C.—C. S. Ward, John Schultz, Peter Schreiner, John Bohland, June Abbott.

Del.—Selector Trackeray.

ALT.-

James M. Waggener Post No. 177, Greenwood.

Com.—James Kelley.

P. C.—J. F. Meinan, Wm. Bass, S. V. Alexander, Geo. Whitenack, J. M. Kelley.

DEL.-

ALT.

Lynnville Post No. 178, Lynnville.

Com.-L. B. Ridens.

P. C.-L. B. Ridens, M. W. Rice.

DEL.

ALT.

Cambridge City Post No. 179, Cambridge City.

Com.—David Wright.

P. C.—Abraham Runnel, W. F. Medsker, I. F. Sweney, Gilbert Crosley, Jacob McConley, David Wright.

Del.-John W. Conklin.

Alt.-W. B. Overhiser.

Minor Padgett Post No. 180, Bennington.

Com.-J. W. Gardner.

P. C.-J. W. Gardner, F. W. Cole, W. N. Seymour, M. Harmon.

DEL.

ALT.—

George W. Stough Post No. 181, Columbia City.

Com.—P. V. Gruesbeck.

P. C.—J. M. Maine, J. M. Carver, Frank Smith, I. N. Keller, Nick Eisleman, P. V. Gruesbeck, J. F. Lawrence, Henry Lawrence.

Del.—Jonathan Williams.

ALT.—Adam Kiser.



Bennett Post No. 183, Kewanna.

Сом.—John A. Barnett.

P. C.—John A. Barnett, A. Hunneshagen, J. C. Cannon, H. N. Troutman.

Del.—J. J. Carter.

ALT.-W. W. Mohler.

Virgil H. Lyons Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Com.—David Douglass.

P. C.—John L. Gunn, John Q. A. Mattern, Wm. R. Snipes, J. S. Moore, Taylor Reagan, Wm. P. McKenzie, J. M. Barlow, John Tucker, David Douglass.

DEL.-John Tucker.

ALT .- John Mattern.

Stephen Mead Post No. 187, Fort Branch.

Com.-C. F. Garrison.

P. C.—Thos. A. Walters, John A. Ervin, John Rustin, Aug. Rodeman, C. F. Garrison, Benj. F. Stewart.

DEL.

ALT.

Duvall Post No. 188, Liberty.

Com.-Jonathan Harlan.

P. C.—John W. Short, E. H. Yaryan, John Yaryan, Rufus L. Brown, Thos. Casey, Wm. Duvall, Albert Parvis, J. C. Gillmore, W. H. H. Clark, J. A. Bertch.

DEL.

ALT.

William Spear Post No. 189, Dillsboro.

Com.—Wm. E. Johnson.

P. C.—Jas. H. Abbott, H. B. Tonemacher, H. C. Wheeler, Wm. Handley, Jos. I. Barnhart, Stephen Jones, John H. Leasure, J. C. Vandolah, Wm. Rowland, J. H. Shutts, Lee Roberts.

DEL.

ALT.

Mart Ballenger Post No. 190, Williamsburg.

Com.-J. H. Beard.

P. C.-M. J. Roberts, Richard Williams, John H. Beard.

DEL.

ALT.-



W. L. Sanderson Post No. 191, New Albany.

Com.-John H. Scott.

P. C.—Andrew Fite, Louis Bire, W. R. Atkins, J. W. Edmonson, John W. Durbin, W. H. Padgett, O. P. Anderson, Robt. Ralston, A. H. McQuiddy, A. L. Brasher, A. C. Steele, Edmond Caye, J. M. Hammond, G. H. Merritt, S. Hubler, W. J. Noyes, Henry E. Koetter.

Del.-John S. Marsh.

ALT .- H. W. McKay.

Col. Nathan Kimball Post No. 192, Linton.

Com.-Jas. Brookshire.

P. C.—

DEL.-

ALT.

William Cuppy Post No. 195, South Whitley.

Com.—B. F. Bates.

P. C.—W. D. Cook, B. F. Bates, Raymond William, Allen Pence, Frank Drake, Will Heagy, J. Keel.

DEL.

ALT.

Shiloh Field Post No. 198, Elkhart.

Com.—Frank E. Tousley.

P. C.—Cyrus Seiler, John C. Stuck, E. B. Myers, R. S. Chamberlin, L. M. Smalley, J. A. Bigelow, F. E. Tousley, A. C. Brown, M. E. Huston, Wm. H. Watson, J. L. Miller, John S. Lloyd, A. C. Rogers, H. W. Godfrey, D. E. Long, T. F. Garvin, Nelson E. Miller, Wilson M. Tobias, W. J. Hazel.

Del.-J. M. Lounsberry.

ALT.-Jas. N. Parker.

Gen. John A. Logan Post No. 199, N. Manchester.

Com.—Reuben Moyer.

P. C.—J. J. Martin, J. B. Shuler, J. C. Elwood, J. D. Spurgeon, Emanuel Egner, Joe Cowgill, Samuel Dunbar, R. A. Schoolcraft, J. A. Clevenger, J. P. Noftzger Chas. Kosher, Geo. W. Ridgly, Samuel Hamilton, Henry Smith, J. M. Cox, Wm. Starrett, Allen Cody, B. F. Shiltz.

DEL.—

ALT.-



Boone Post No. 202, Zionsville.

Com.-J. S. Bussell.

P. C.—J., M. Byers, D. R. Fouts, C. Nuby, I. T. Huckleberry, J. W. Roker, R. Lee, J. S. Hopkins, L. Burton, Mark D. Miller. Del.—J. M. Dye.

ALT.-W. D. Silverthorn.

James Price Post No. 203, Tipton.

Com.-Jas. A. Lankford.

P. C.—S. G. Downing, Isaac Booth, H. C. Burton, N. S. Martz, Alonzo Richardson, Dan Waugh, Wm. McBride, R. M. Robison, Joseph Gross, D. W. Hilegost, N. Campbell, Sam Watson, Wm. Watson, Mahlon Teter, John A. Swoorland, Thomas Paul, Wm. Smith.

DEL.—Marion Potter, Thos. Maretz. Alt.—Robt. Axtell, Wm. Smith.

Reed Post No. 206, Fulton.

Com.-John V. Reed.

P. C.—J. V. Reed, J. V. Pownall, R. B. Reed, N. A. Louderback, J. H. Baird, Wm. Watson.

DEL.—

ALT.

Cicero Post No. 207, Cicero.

Com.-T. H. C. Beall.

P. C.—N. W. Webster, S. T. Dunham, John Foster, James H. Glaze, N. B. Dewey, Michael Kreag, T. H. C. Beall, Thos. J. Brown, O. H. Cottingham, James Little, Andrew Berg, S. C. Gilkey, John Leaming, Allen Turner.

DEL.

ALT.

A. B. Wade Post No. 208, Chesterton.

Сом.-R. S. Greer.

P. C.—H. H. Williams, Martin Young, A. J. Anderson, R. S. Greer.

Del.-Nathan DeMoss.

ALT.—Sol Replogle.



Geo. H. Chapman Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Com.-James Leggett.

P. C.—James Dunn, Chas. W. Wheat, A. R. Seward, John D. Bloomfield, W. H. Fullenwider, Wm. H. Smith, M. E. Monrean, Alonzo Baxter, James Spilker, P. A. Hackleman, T. G. Allen, Thos. Martin, W. H. Prather, A. J. Stephens, Chas. Miner, Samuel Rouch, James Harter, L. Bowlen.

Del.—Oren S. Williams, Thos. Search, Hezekiah Trueblood. Alt.—John Woodard, Amos Everlive, Duasan Gray.

Frank Beitzell Post No. 210, Centerville.

Сом.—Ennias Kitterman.

P. C.—Ennias Kitterman, Nimrod Parrott, Wm. Matthew, A. D. Zehring, John F. Dynes.

DEL.

ALT.

Alexander Trimble Post No. 213, Red Key.

Com.—Isaac N. Goe.

P. C.—Isaac N. Goe, Silas Glover, M. V. B. Coons, John W. Hill, Theo. A. Baker.

DEL.-

ALT.

William F. Davis Post No. 214, Patriot.

Com.-Wm. Gockel.

P. C.—Rosman I. White, Henry W. Starker, Francis A. Jackson, Wm. Gockel.

DEL.

ALT.—

Martin Post No. 216, Westville.

Сом.-Wm. H. Kimball.

P. C.—E. S. Smith, J. A. Hilton, T. F. McGuigan, E. M. Bryson, A. Lawrence, J. M. McGinnis, John Hilton, John Herold, Harvey Holmes.

DEL.-

ALT.

R. M. Kelly Post No. 217, Edinburg.

Com.-John Williams.

P. C.-J. C. Freese, A. W. Winterberg, John Williams.

Del.—J. M. Drybread.

ALT.—Gaston Fulps.



H. D. Washburn Post No. 220, Dana.

Com.-B. S. Fisher.

P. C.—H. H. Aye, J. B. Fillinger, G. H. Fisher, Jas. M. Maxfield,

J. F. Barnett, B. S. Fisher, Albert Martin, John W. Park.

DEL.

ALT.-

Harrison McAllister Post No. 221. Dupont.

Com.—B. F. Hedrick.

P. C.—S. W. Nichols, J. H. Callicott, B. F. Hedrick.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Freedom Post No. 222, Freedom.

Com.-Washington Light.

P. C.—L. D. Marley, Washington Light, Wm. Suffall, Wm. W. Scott, Wm. F. Williams, Wm. McHenry.

DEL.-Robt. Hockman.

ALT.

James Moffatt Post No. 223, Elizabethtown.

Cом.—John Dunn.

P. C.—John B. Anderson, T. G. Hammond, W. H. Jackson, Jas. G. Orem, W. H. O'Neal.

Del.-Jas. A. Petree.

ALT.-A. J. Kendall.

Samuel Simonson Post No. 226, Charlestown.

Com.—Wyatt E. Willey.

P. C.-Wyatt E. Willey.

DEL.-

ALT.

Jacob Stahl Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Cом.-Elisha Pierce.

P. C.—Hiram P. Sinclair, Benj. G. Shinn, Elisha Pierce, Clark Stewart, James Marshall, Jacob M. Cox, Joshua T. Kelley, John W. Stiles, Lewis Reeves, Robert C. Voss.

DEL.

ALT.—



Sol. D. Kempton Post No. 228, Fortville.

Com.-Jos. R. Eakes.

P. C.—Chas. V. Hardin, Thos. W. Clark, Gresham Conger, John J. Sims, J. C. Jordan, M. B. Walker, Elijah Asbury, Valentine Apple, Robt. S. Irwin.

Del.-Sam B. Yaryan.

ALT.—Isaiah Sharritt.

Walters Post No. 229, Hebron.

Com.-G. C. Gregg.

P. C.—G. C. Gregg, John Morrow, Mort Nichols, J. A. Hodgins, J. P. Downs.

Del.-H. P. Wood.

ALT.-W. H. Addams.

Major Henry Post No. 230, Pendleton.

Сом.-Wm. I. Jones.

P. C.—Thos. M. Ha**ndy**, J. W. Zeublin, Zibee Darlington, E. W. Collis, B. B. Tillson, A. W. Oldham, J. W. Lewark, J. R. Wene, Wm. I. Jones.

Del.-Wesley White.

ALT.—Lawrence Haas.

Hammond Post No. 231, Marengo.

Com.-E. Harrison.

P. C.—W. V. Weathers, J. W. Tower, T. S. Hiestand, E. Tower, J. M. Weathers, E. Harrison, C. F. Cornelius.

DEL.-

ALT.

Custer Post No. 232, Wakarusa.

Com.—Jerome Martin.

P. C.—C. Morris, J. W. Seaman, Jerome Martin.

DEL.—

ALT.

John Layton Post No. 237, Coatesville.

Com.—J. B. Gambold.

P. C.—W. N. Lakin, J. B. Gambold, Wm. Greenlee, D. W. Campbell, S. Maddison.

DEL.

ALT.-



Fairfax Post No. 240, Westfield.

Com.—B. F. Hershey.

P. C.—B. F. Hershey, Calvin Feister, O. F. Brown, J. A. Owen, W. H. Conklin.

DEL.-W. H. Emery.

ALT.—J. A. Williams.

R. S. Thomas Post No. 241, Mt. Etna.

Com.—James Gallagher.

P. C.-James E. Gordon, Wm. L. Pritchett, Jas. Gallagher.

DEL.—

ALT.

John A. Hollett Post No. 242, Brownsburg.

Com.—Grand Eaton.

P. C.—I. W. Gray, Chas. Harmon, John Button, John Henson, Grand Eaton, Jas. A. Hollett.

DEL.-T. J. Jolly.

ALT.-W. F. Dinwiddie.

Major May Post No. 244, Anderson.

Com.—John Beesom.

P. C.—John Baker, Edmond Johnson, Chas. Stewart, W. T. Durbin, Robt. Dorste, J. J. Musser, W. W. Clifford, H. C. Durbin, F. M. Van Pelt, L. D. Crawley, I. S. Wood, H. H. Durbin, C. P. G. Austin, Jno. F. Thompson, S. G. Bevelheimber, Chas. E. Lawson, Robt. B. Mason, J. G. Jeffer, Joseph Brown, Wm. A. Kindle, Stephen Metcalf.

DEL.-John Turner, W. H. H. Quick, Ezra Iler.

ALT.-Jonas Stewart, J. F. Wilson, D. F. Mustard.

Steadman Post No. 245, Wingate.

Com.-F. M. Smith.

P. C .- F. M. Smith, Jerry Haas, Geo. Warrick.

DEL.—

ALT.—

Lakeview Post No. 246, Syracuse.

Com.-John Willard.

P. C.—Oliver Cromwell, Wm. Colwell, Jacob Rentfrou, E. Bushong, Fred Butt, C. V. Smith, J. Willard.

DEL.

ALT.



E. C. Newland Post No. 247, Bedford.

Com.-C. A. Knight.

P. C.—J. H. Crim, T. G. Glover, John W. Acorn, L. E. Payne, J. G. Emery, John M. Ganey, Lee Potter, Chas. Dunihue, H. C. Malott, E. R. Murphy, J. D. Alexander, James Owens, Samuel Simpson, V. V. Williams, W. H. Hilton.

Del.-Wm. Knight, W. C. McCann.

ALT.-Ples. Ganes. J. M. Anderson.

Frank Jones Post No. 249, Huntsville.

Com.-James Adamson.

P. C .- Jas. Adamson, T. W. Gaddis.

DEL.-

ALT.

Bowman Post No. 250, Hagerstown.

Com.-John L. Dixon.

P. C.—J. H. Benbow, J. M. Hartley, J. L. Dixon, A. Woolard, J. B. Williams, J. H. Leavel, F. Stoltz, B. F. Jewett.

DEL.-A. G. Woody.

ALT.-E. B. Reynolds.

Spicely Post No. 252, Orleans.

Com.—T. J. Brengle.

P. C.—T. J. Brengle, W. F. Sears, J. A. Jenkins, S. J. Habert, Jervel Leonard, L. C. Wright, W. C. Hollowell, L. P. Motsinger.

Del.—T. B. Newby.

Alt.—Frank Kearby.

Rose Lawn Post No. 253, Rose Lawn.

Com.-C. R. Ball.

P. C.—Oliver G. Wilder, Chas. R. Ball, Robt. Medworth.

DEL.

ALT.

Adams Post No. 254, Moores Hill.

Com.-J. W. Dashiell.

P. C.—R. T. Wilson, H. D. Moore, J. F. Spencer, J. W. Lambertson, J. W. Dashiell.

Del.-J. W. Dashiell.

ALT .- T. A. Jennings.



Harter Post No. 256, Newtonville.

Com.-John C. Gorman.

P. C .- John C. Gorman, James F. Carey.

Del.-Richard A. Stevens.

ALT.—Bartlett Whitehouse.

Roann Post No. 257, Roann.

COM .- L. M. Spotts.

P. C.—J. B. Taylor, T. B. Attwood, J. L. Richardson, L. M. Spotts, Al Parker, John Fuller, M. H. King, E. P. Morehouse.

Del.-S. A. Labrotaux.

ALT.—Geo. Crow.

Miles H. Tibbotts Post No. 260, Plymouth.

Com.-W. E. Bailey.

P. C.—L. Tanner, W. B. Hess, F. M. Burkett, D. L. Mosehr, W. E. Bailey, G. W. Baxter, E. Price, G. W. Knoblock.

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ALT.-

Moses Herron Post No. 261, Farmland.

Com.-W. J. Clevenger.

P. C.—Henry Deselmo, W. T. Davis W. J. Cleavenger, E. B. McIntire, Caleb Trees, B. F. Sunday, Ellis L. McNees, W. F. Mullin, Curtis B. Small, Nelson Pegg.

Del.-W. T. Davis.

ALT.—Henry Deselmo.

Warrick Post No. 262, Newburg.

Сом.—John Lawhead.

P. C.-H. L. Robertson, John Lawhead.

DEL.-

ALT .-

E. R. Hawn Post No. 266, Bird's Eye.

Сом.—John Koch.

P. C .- John Koch.

DEL.-Geo. Ash.

ALT .- Steven Rowland.



Hambright Post No. 270, Arcadia.

Com.-W. H. Hartley.

P. C.-A. Guy, T. J. Bishop, W. H. Hartley.

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ALT.-

Lawton-Wayne Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

Com.—Samuel S. Kelker.

P. C.—H. E. Adams, L. S. Nuel, J. A. Crippen, Robt. S. Bell, Francis Gibson, B. J. Goff, D. W. Foster, John W. Hayden, I. N. Medsker, Geo. D. Adams, Chas. Ehrman, H. C. McMaken, A. W. Kintz, John J. Ogle, Conrad Bricker, Geo. W. Aldrich, Theo. Bley, B. W. Skelton, Wm. A. Kelsey, A. R. Walter, E. B. Smith, W. E. Hood, E. H. White, D. L. Beaber, A. S. Johns, Walter Olds, Cornelius Gearin, L. W. Johnson, Mason Mellott, H. B. Otto, W. B. McMaken.

Del.-H. G. Moderwell, Wm. J. Bright, John Loth.

ALT.—Frank McKinnie, Jos. Richard, Fredman Voight.

Bruce Post No. 273, Ladoga.

Com.-Mason Summers.

P. C.—T. C. Lawrence, C. A. Clark, Fred Southers, John Harden, Mason Summers.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Burnham Post No. 276, Lowell.

Com.—C. C. Pattee.

P. C.—H. H. Ragon, Y. C. Vosburg, G. S. Clark, G. W. Davis, R. C. Wood, P. A. McNay, T. D. Dickinson, C. C. Pattee, Thos. Cushman, W. E. Zartman, B. W. Laybourn.

Del.-Martin Driscoll.

ALT.-O. V. Servis.

Otterbein Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Com.-J. J. Foster.

P. C.—A. B. Rowen, F. M. Maddox, J. W. Smith, R. J. Williamson, J. J. Foster, N. A. Chamberlain, G. W. Bringham.

Del.-Joseph Walsh.

ALT.-



S. K. Harryman Post No. 278, Mooresville.

Com.—B. F. Jones.

P. C.—B. F. Jones, H. B. Taylor, David Fields, J. H. Rusie, J. H. Mills, W. F. White, A. H. Horton, J. P. Calvert, S. B. Stanley, David Stephens.

Del.-G. W. Bass.

ALT.

Joseph R. Gordon Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Com.—T. L. Stout.

P. C.—Austin Daugherty, Wm. F. Taylor, D. H. Olive, W. D. Wilson, Robt. M. Dunlap, John R. Fesler, Jos. B. Stimson, L. I. Chapman, A. J. Buchanan, J. R. Lowe, Jas. Keller, L. M. Bennett, J. W. Kirk, H. L. Bruce, B. B. Polts, H. C. Smith Darius Aber, H. C. Grooms.

Del.-W. H. Heimes, C. S. Allemong; C. W. Chappell.

ALT.—A. S. Crimans, J. T. Girrard, J. A. Chastine.

Ira G. Grover Post No. 283, New Point.

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DEL.-

ALT.-

General Cruft Post No. 284, Lewis.

Com.-J. N. Woods.

P. C.—J. N. Woods, J. K. P. Stephens, Gilbert Liston, C. C. Givens, R. H. Cochran.

Del.-Manson S. Gosnell.

ALT.-T. J. Barnes.

William Landon Post No. 290, Knox.

Com.-John G. Kratli.

P. C.-O. H. Hays, Chas. Laramore, S. I. Brown, J. G. Kratli.

DEL.—A. J. Laramore.

ALT.-John E. Collins.

W. A. Garrison Post No. 291, Lafontaine.

Com.-J. A. Gardner.

P. C.—T. H. Miller, S. D. Harris, J. B. Bruner, D. S. Boswell, F. M. Calfee, J. W. Harper, T. P. McNiel, D. R. Melick, J. A. Gardner.

DEL.

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B. A. Reid Post No. 292, Clayton.

Com.-E. J. Smith.

P. C .- J. H. Hall, E. J. Smith, Chas. G. Bare.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Acton Post No. 294, Acton.

Com.-J. J. Lowes.

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Del.-Wm. Johnson.

ALT.-Wm. H. Halfacre.

Joe Cook Post No. 296, Lynn.

Com.-James M. Hamilton.

P. C.—S. C. Bowen, Ezra Nye, T. P. White, B. P. Green, W. W. Kinsey, G. M. Bascom, H. M. Benson, M. Eckerle, T. M. Nichols, H. Hawkins, Wm. Shell, J. M. Hamilton.

DEL.—Thos. P. White.

ALT .- Henry Hawkins.

William H. Link Post No. 301, Monroeville.

Com.—Henry Smith.

P. C.—J. W. Meek, Morris Rose, J. D. Friedline, Geo. W. Muma, Isaac Jones, E. Friedline, C. A. Nill, N. R. Spaulding, C. Richards, John Garley, D. W. Miller, John Wilcox, W. A. Connelly.

DEL.-J. W. Meeks.

ALT.-Morris Rose.

Thomas G. Hall Post No. 304, Andersonville.

Com.—Madison G. James.

P. C.—Wm. S. Kaler, Theo. Walker, John W. Cramer, Madison G. James.

DEL.-Atwell Morgan.

ALT.—Geo. W. Phillips.

Frank Neff Post No. 307, Sullivan.

Com.—Vard Boles.

P. C.—Wm. T. Crawford, O. H. Crowder, U. Coulson, Josiah Asdell, Wm. H. Crowder. Vard Boles, W. P. Maxwell, M. T.



Willis, Jas. Bilyew, Wm. B. Ridgeway, I. P. Wilkey, David Chastine, Wm. T. Lawson.

DEL.

ALT.

John Stewart Post No. 310, Cammack.

Com.-J. C. Darbyshire.

P. C.—R. M. Snodgrass, J. C. Darbyshire, D. M. Tuttle, R. N. Miller, Joshua Jester.

DEL.

ALT.

W. B. Fleming Post No. 316, West Lebanon.

Com.—Peter Beer.

P. C.—P. W. Fleming, Jos. Swisher, T. C. Fleming, Green Wallace, L. W. Smith.

DEL.-L. W. Smith.

ALT.-

Pickett Post No. 321, Hazelton.

Com.-N. F. Knight.

P. C.-N. F. Knight.

DEL.-

ALT.

Thomas J. Brooks Post No. 322, Loogootee.

Com.-A. J. Best.

P. C.—J. A. Bramble, Wm. Houghton, A. J. Best, L. L. Dilley, J. A. Padgett.

DEL.-Geo. Noland.

ALT.-M. F. Halbert.

Lovell H. Rosseau Post No. 326, Bloomfield.

Com.—Thos. M. Ryan.

P. C.—Levi J. Faucett, L. C. Tate, James Harrell, T. M. Ryan.

Del.-Levi J. Faucett.

ALT.

Joe Kearns Post No. 327, Merom.

Com .- H. H. Shideler.

P. C.—T. K. Cushman, Oren Stoddard, John Creager, O. P. Coyner, Marcus Root, Ed Maple, James Hunt, John H. Ladd, H. H. Shideler.

Del.-H. H. Shideler.

ALT.-Oren Stoddard.



P. R. Owens Post No. 329, Clinton.

Com.—Jos. W. Reeder.

P. C.—Milburn J. Ruby, David McBeth, Levi Wright, Jas. M. Robertson, Thos. A. Kibby, Jos. W. Reeder, Martin H. Stokesberry, Vincent Seward.

Del.-Jas. M. Youmans.

ALT.-John R. Vaught.

William C. Jackson Post No. 332, Dale.

Com.-John Schaaf.

P. C .- J. Weller, John Schaaf, A. H. Mills.

DEL.-John Ellis.

ALT.—Geo. Wilsman.

Winchester Post No. 333, Gosport.

Com.-Newton Weir.

P. C.—H. J. Murphy, T. S. Stierwalt, L. Sthair, W. R. Dagley, John Snodgrass, James R. Henry, Newton Weir.

DEL.

ALT.

Basil B. Decker Post No. 334, West Baden.

Сом.—Geo. W. Pruett.

P. C.—Henry T. Henson, Jonathan Rominger, Thos. J. Cave, James Ellis, Geo. W. Kellams, John F. Quinn, Ira Breedlove, Thos. J. Underwood, Aaron Anderson.

DEL.-Geo. W. McFarland.

ALT.-Wm. B. Underwood.

Wm. H. Hamilton Post No. 339, Morgantown.

Com.—D. M. Knight.

P. C.—D. M. Knight, Frank Runel, James Harris, J. H. Knight, Peter Kemp, John Steel, J. P. Kelso, Philip Bond, Thos. Sandefer, James Smith.

Del.-D. M. Knight.

ALT.—Peter Kemp.

Harrison Bales Post No. 341, St. Bernice.

Com.-T. N. Lounsdale.

P. C.-T. N. Lounsdale, Robert Bales.

Del.-McG. Hutson.

ALT.-A. J. Henderson.



E. T. Wood Post No. 350, Ridgeville.

Com.-Thos. O. Flood.

P. C.—Geo. W., Hollowell, A. I. Wood, Lemuel Ginger, James-Karnes, Luther Stewart, Abram Morrical, Thos. W. Odle, Thos. O. Flood, John Harris.

Del.-Wm. H. Winship.

ALT.-Wm. K. Green.

Frederick Penny Post No. 351, Jeffersonville.

Com.-John Mitchell.

P. C.—Ben Morrison, Wm. Booker, Jas. A. Jeffries, Stephen-Hayden.

DEL.-

ALT.

Robert Cromwell Post No. 355, Winslow.

Cом.—Samuel Fettinger.

P. C.-G. P. Burch, Samuel Fettinger.

Del.-Abe Corn.

ALT.—Newton Jones.

Addleman Post No. 357, White Water.

Com.-John Van Zant.

P. C.—C. E. Saxton, Wm. G. White, John Hunt, J. W. Garrett, Jerome Jordan, J. M. Benson, J. M. Bennett, M. Morine.

DEL.

ALT.

Jas. B. Cartwright Post No. 358, Pennville.

Com.-T. W. Underwood.

P. C.—A. Grissom, A. H. Bailey, A. T. Place, J. D. Smith, W. H. Hickman, Dan Hilton, T. W. Underwood, T. J. Cartwright.

DEL.-

ALT.

George Miller Post No. 359, Windfall.

Com.-W. O. Dean.

P. C.—B. F. Legg, W. O. Dean, Ira Cue, Jacob Barrow, Ira Wright.

DEL.-

ALT.-



Williamson Post No. 364, Paoli.

Com.—Samuel Toliver.

P. C.—W. T. Kimbrel J. R. Moore, Geo. Manis, Patrick Holaday, Z. T. Lambdin.

Del.-James Lucas.

ALT.—Henry Chambers.

Hiram G. Fisher Post No. 366, Lapel.

Com.-E. G. Huffman.

P. C.—C. C. Studley, H. G. Winne, Jasper Huffman, Addison Fisher, J. H. Farrer, J. P. Garrett, T. F. Samuels, J. D. Julian, J. A. Sears.

DEL.-

ALT.

Johnson Post No. 368, Montpelier.

Cом.—John Rhine.

P. C.—Eli Arnold, Daniel Arnold, W. W. Adams, J. F. McDorman, W. G. Gray.

DEL.

ALT.

Maj. Rob't. Anderson Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

Com.—Auslem Hobbs.

P. C.—Newton M. Taylor, Zack L. Landers, W. H. Calvert, Jonathan A. Murphy, John L. Ketcham, Jas. W. Robbins, J. W. Hollenbeck, Chas. W. Snyder, Wm. F. Clark, Robt. Gordon, Harlan P. Miller, Edward L. Jones, Payton H. Walter, Wm. H. Hinckley, Anslem Hobbs.

Del.-Warren Cozart, Harvey W. Pease.

ALT.-Hugh Parkhill, J. J. Sincebaugh.

Major Arn Post No. 370, Hillsdale.

Com.—R. G. Ingerton.

P. C.—Wm. Pearman, A. B. Casebeer, Jos. Carter, R. G. Ingerton.

DEL.—Daniel Carter.

ALT.—Adam Barnes.

Jas. B. McPherson Post No. 371, Koleen.

Com.—Jos. E. Walton.

P. C.-J. E. Walton.

Del.—Eli S. Combs.

ALT.—F. R. Radebough.



Jesse Coppock Post No. 378, Walkerton.

Com.-H. A. Adle.

P. C.-H. A. Adle, Silas Baker, B. F. Rinehart, R. Neville.

Del.-John Wolfram.

ALT.-Wm. Stickley.

John Secrist Post No. 384, Laurel.

Com.-Jos. Stevens.

P. C .- S. M. Potts, Jos. Stevens, Jas. DeArmond.

DEL.-T. P. Rockafellow.

ALT.

M. D. Manson Post No. 385, Shoals.

Com.-Michael Shirey.

P. C.—Michael Shirey, J. B. Freeman, Wm. B. Clifton, Jas. L. Passel.

DEL.

ALT.

Beeson Post No. 386, Fairmount.

Com.—Hugh Western.

P. C.—Mathias Friend, Hugh Western, Judge Smithson, Chas. F. Beick, Eph. Bartholomew, Frank Jones, Byron Love, Alexander Little.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Leamon Griffith Post No. 387, Hamilton.

Com.-M. O. Howard.

P. C.—Hiram Sweet, E. G. Renner, Thos. Crane, R. R. Divim, B. F. Griffith, J. B. Lemon, Jacob Kimmel, Wm. Houlton, Wm. Keys, L. W. Griffith, Henry Gurtner, Nicholas Bohney, Geo. Casper, Henry Foutz, Hiram Merchant.

DEL.-

ALT.

Huckleberry Post No. 391, Butlerville.

Com.-F. W. Huer.

P. C.—J. R. Davis, J. R. Pool, Paul F. Strickland, Lemuel Engle.

DEL.

ALT.



Carroll Post No. 393, Stockwell.

Com.—Henry L. Davison.

P. C.—Warrick Stalnaker, W. R. Lindsay, D. C. Murphy, W. W. Campbell, S. P. Crawford, Robt. Bull, W. F. Pierce, H. L. Davison.

Del.-W. R. Lindsay.

Alt.—H. L. Davison.

Blinn Post No. 394, Prairieton.

Com.-John T. Reynolds.

P. C.-John T. Reynolds, W. O. Burgatt.

DEL.

ALT.

Fahler Post No. 397, Star City.

Com.-W. P. Noel.

P. C.-W. P. Noel, R. B. Minton, S. Bacon.

Del.-L. S. Reams.

ALT.

Hardzog Post No. 400, Bremen.

Com.—Geo. B. Wort.

P. C.-Adam Koontz, J. Kauffman, Christ Seiler.

DEL.-

ALT.—

Simon Miller Post No. 401, Akron.

Com.-Martin L. Patterson.

P. C.—E. R. Brown, T. H. Brock, J. H. Day, Albert Grove, Joseph Hoover, J. H. Love, Thos. Steele, J. H. Waite.

Del.-Augustus Case.

ALT.-Albert Grove.

Berlin Post No. 402, Nappanee.

Com.—Daniel Culp.

P. C.—Elias R. Tobias, B. Uline, Daniel Culp, Henry R. Tobias, John Reed.

Del.-Jonathan Yarian.

Alt.—H. R. Tobias.



John Ruess Post No. 406, Upland.

Com.—Robt. Sanborn.

P. C.—Fred Wilhelm, Milton Marshall, Linus Marshall, Wm. T. Smith, Henry J. Kline, F. A. Fleming, Donald McIntosh, Wm. Graves, Olin Deeren.

Del.-John Jones.

ALT.

Altoona Post No. 407, Waterman.

Com.—Geo. W. Knauer.

P. C.-Robt. G. Paschal, Geo. W. Knauer.

Del.—Daniel C. Williams.

ALT.—Isaac B. Dowdell.

Edwin Lennox Post No. 408, Swayzee.

Сом.-Wm. F. Knote.

P. C.-James Mullins, J. B. Myer, I. R. Lee, W. F. Knote.

DEL.-Isaac R. Lee.

ALT.-Jos. Bloxham.

Magnolia Post No. 409, Jonesboro.

COM.-A. H. Cline.

P. C.—A. H. Cline, A. J. Miller, W. R. Coomler, Jos. M. Mappin, G. Nicodemus, Geo. G. Clark, J. H. Coppock, J. H. Rook.

Del.-John C. Adams.

ALT.—Jas. Denning.

Hobart Post No. 411, Hobart.

Com.—Jas. Guyer.

P. C.-M. J. Cooke, John Matthews, Jas. Guyer.

DEL.-N. P. Banks.

ALT.

J. B. Hager Post No. 414, Switz City.

Com.-Marion Bennett.

P. C.-Marion Bennett, Jos. Turpin, W. L. Stephenson, John

J. Mitchell, Wm. Roark, Moses J. Bland.

Del.-Marion Bennett.

ALT .- M. J. Bland.



John K. Highman Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Com .- Morris Ford.

P. C.—Horace P. Owen, Jonathan Jackson, Robt. Clarke, Morris Ford.

DEL.-Wm. Hartman.

ALT .- Wm. M. Ford.

John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany.

Com.—Lafayette Sults.

P. C.-J. J. Hook, Manson Vincent D. M. Bell, L. Sults.

Del.-John Krohn.

ALT .- W. B. Fouts.

Fountain City Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Com.-J. B. Chenoweth.

P. C.—J. B. Chenoweth, R. M. Clark, M. M. Lacey, J. B. Chenoweth.

Del.-T. J. Bloom.

ALT.-Edw. Price.

Garland Post No. 423, Waveland.

Com.-W. S. Goslin.

P. C.-Milton Carrington, W. S. Goslin.

DEL.

ALT.

Hugh H. Willits Post No. 424, Greentown.

Com.—C. Powell.

P. C.—A. A. Covalt, J. G. Brown, Wm. M. Voorhis, T. L. Osborn, T. L. Hines, F. M. Lawrence, Stephen Jarvis, T. T. Patterson, Vinson Gilliland, Jos. Clevenger, C. Powell.

DEL.-Robt. Smeltzer.

ALT.—John Osborne.

Reuben Masten Post No. 431, Amo.

Com.—Enoch Harlan.

P. C.—G. W. Tincher, Syl Mabe, John Rudd, I. B. Hodson, Wm. Beeson, I. B. Garrison, Wm. Hunt, Amos Kersey.

DEL.-

ALT.



Silvers Post No. 435, New Lebanon.

Com.-J. W. Canary.

P. C.—T. B. Springer, R. K. Houpt, Geo. C. Youngman, J. W. Canary.

Del.-J. T. Eaton.

ALT.-W. H. Bland.

R. C. Kise Post No. 437, Darlington.

Com.—E. P. McCloskey.

P. C.—E. P. McCloskey, W. H. Custer, E. H. Russell, S. S. Martin, J. Martz.

DEL.-E. P. McCloskey.

ALT.-W. P. Harland.

B. R. Dunn Post No. 440, Matthews.

Com.—Esla Stephenson.

P. C.—John Sanders, Warren Fergus, John F. Wright, William Simons, John R. Reason, T. J. Miller, D. W. Wills, Thos. F. Scott, H. A. Greenleaf, Jasper Clark.

DEL.—Henry Garrison.

ALT.-Noah Reason.

Henry Chipman Post No. 442, Warsaw.

Com.—A. G. Woods.

P. C.—A. G. Woods, N. N. Boydston, J. E. Stephenson, J. J. Babcock, B. Q. Morris, J. W. Armstrong, Alvin Robinson, John Peterson, H. P. Comstock, H. W. Graham, J. S. Smith, Frank Dillon.

DEL.-M. Phillipson.

ALT.-J. Elginfritz.

Mich. Campbell Post No. 444, Spartanburg.

Com.—Henry Wise.

P. C.—Henry Wise, Augustin Moran, John F. Middleton, James Knox, John Hawkins.

DEL.

ALT.

G. W. Rotramel Post No. 445, Carlisle.

Com.—Daniel Hines.

P. C.—W. E. Cowle, Jos. R. Whalen, Bailey McConnel, Daniel Hines.

Del.-Geo. Watson.

ALT.—Jas. Miller.



W. W. Millines Post No. 447, Chrisney.

Com.-J. P. Baker.

P. C.—J. P. Baker, Henry Bender, W. H. H. Taylor, Wm. Henderson, Jack Smith, Albert Boyse.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Guckus Wellman Post No. 448, Jasper.

Com.-Conrad Eckert.

P. C.-John Betz, W. S. Hunter, Conrad Eckert.

DEL.

ALT.

Jonathan J. Burge Post No. 454, Prairie Creek.

Com.—Arthur Bowen.

P. C .- N. H. Ring, Arthur Bowen, Miller Ward, E. S. Kester.

Del.-Lee Hoopengarner.

ALT.—Riley Pietz.

W. T. Sherman Post No. 455, Bridgeport.

Com.—D. L. Crone.

P. C.—Benj. Saunders, D. L. Crone.

DEL.—

ALT.—

F. F. Swain Post No. 456, Milroy.

Com.-Edw. Fisher.

P. C.-Edw. Fisher, Samuel B. Jones, Clement C. Thomas, Wm.

A. Smith

Del.—Andrew Pullium.

ALT.-Isaac Seright.

Henryville Post No. 461, Henryville.

Com.—Samuel H. Williams.

P. C.—E. L. Perine, Jas. A. Clegg, W. H. Holton, Peter Francis,

I. P. Wells, Jas. R. Ferguson, S. H. Williams, Jacob Hartman, Jas. P. Maupin.

Del.-Abner Biggs.

ALT.-E. L. Guernsey.



A. J. Hawn Post No. 463, Bainbridge.

Com.-J. Wilkinson.

P. C.—J. Wilkinson, J. M. McCorkle, E. C. Waln, G. W. Starr, G. W. Wampler, A. V. Balch, O. A. Cassity.

DEL.-

ALT.

Hiram Williamson Post No. 465, Florence.

Com.-John Love.

P. C.—John Love, Anthony Tielle, Jos. Bonnelle, Ferdinand Came, John Evett, John Scott.

Del.-J. M. W. Langsdale.

ALT .- John F. McCreary.

Charles Porter Post No. 469, Hope.

Com.-W. M. Aikin.

P. C.-W. M. Aikin, John T. Hitchcock.

Del.-T. T. Davis.

ALT.-J. J. Brannen.

Ulrich Dahlgren Post No. 470, Laconia.

Com.—Sylvanus Steepleton.

P. C.—C. C. H. Kerns, Sylvanus Steepleton, Noah Elbert, Wm. J. Shaw, J. W. Rhodes.

DEL.

ALT.

J. W. Thornburg Post No. 474, Odon.

Com.-J. P. Taylor.

P. C .- Aaron Hattery.

DEL.-W. H. Kinneman.

ALT.-J. D. Laughlin.

Marsh B. Taylor Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Com.-Lemuel Ross.

P. C.—S. M. Aiken, Solomon Penrod, H. H. Howard, A. S. Young, J. B. Shaw, Chas. Pook, L. S. Frishmeyer, Job S. Sims, Chas. Hasty, A. V. Eaton, Marcellus Rawles, Elijah Sparks, Samuel Jackson.

DEL.—David Reed, John Hart.

ALT.—Alex. Fultz, John Bell, J. B. Shaw.



Henry T. McClung Post No. 476, Pleasantville.

Com.-J. S. Anderson.

P. C.—Thos. N. McClung, J. S. Anderson. B. F. Shepherd, Casper H. Moody, D. S. Hunter.

DEL.-

ALT.—

Cory Post No. 477, Cory.

Com.—Silas Foulke.

P. C.—Wm. Hixson. A. B. Haney, Nathaniel Donham, Hartley Brile, Silas Foulke. E. W. Kester.

Del.-Hugh Robertson.

ALT .- John Toby.

Elberfeld Post No. 484, Elberfeld.

COM.-W. H. H. Kifer.

P. C.—John Barnes, David Korte, Fred Garvis, Jasper Greer, W. H. H. Kifer, J. T. Morris, Frederick Schultz, Geo. A. Smith, P. F. Smith, John T. Taylor, Wm. Meach.

DEL.

ALT.

Albert J. Guthridge Post No. 488, Rensselaer.

Com.—Thos. A. Crockett.

P. C.—J. F. Irwin, N. S. Bates, Geo. O. Pumphrey, Erastus Peacock, M. H. Hemphill.

DEL.

ALT.

Henry Speyer Post No. 489, Culver.

Com.—Ezra Blanchard.

P. C.—Samuel Osborn, J. E. Myers, J. F. Nutt, Wm. Walker, Ezra Blanchard.

DEL.

ALT.-

Frank White Post No. 490, Huron.

Com.—Josephus King.

P. C.—Josephus King, Wm. A. Toliver, John Terrell, Robt. Gerking, Wilburn Terrell, Wm. L. West, Geo. White.

DEL.

ALT.



Harrow Post No. 491, Mt. Vernon.

Com .- U. S. Marrs.

P. C.—L. W. Jones, G. W. Kimball, Alonzo Erwin, Sylvester Kirk, Robt. McGill, Jas. Mills, R. M. Stinnett, V. M. Cartwright, U. S. Marrs.

Del.-Mathias Moore.

ALT.-Wm. H. Duckworth.

Ashbaugh Post No. 497, Stinesville.

Cом.—Joe Steinhagen.

P. C.—J. S. Williams, D. C. Pugh, Wm. H. York, B. F. Davis, Wm. H. Brown, James Davis, Jos. Steinhagen.

Del.—Allen Skelton.

ALT.—Samuel Skelton.

Joseph C. Miller Post No. 498, Avon.

Com.-G. D. McClain.

P. C.—Mack Smith, Eli Parnell, A. A. Parsons, John Douglass, G. D. McClain, Seth J. Huron.

DEL.

ALT.

George A. Kendall Post No. 499, Lizton.

Com.-John S. Tharp.

P. C.—J. Q. Adams, H. B. Leak, Jas. M. Leak, Walter Schermerhorn, H. T. Storms, Jacob Kendall, John S. Tharp, John Montgomery, A. Overstreet.

DEL.-

ALT.

W. H. Calkins Post No. 502, Hammond.

Com.—Ephraim G. Mathis.

P. C.—Patrick Reilly, Edw. C. Weeks, Geo. P. Jaqua, John W. Dyer, F. M. Elliott.

DEL.-

ALT.

C. C. Browand Post No. 505, Kendallville.

Com.-Eli Miller.

P. C.—John W. Miller, Wm. P. Myers, W. C. Lane, Mortimer Broughton.

DEL.-

ALT.



General Russell Post No. 506, Princeton.

Com.-Cyrus Tucker.

P. C.-J. W. Steverson James Cox, Cyrus Tucker.

Del.-J. W. Steverson.

ALT.—James Eaves.

Wm. McLaughlin Post No. 508, Milford.

Com.-James Orn.

P. C.—Edw. Bicknell, Isaac Closson, J. C. McLaughlin, J. H. Kinley.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Jackson Woods Post No. 512, Schooner.

Com.-James M. Yoder.

P. C.-James M. Yoder, Elihu Wheeler.

DEL.

ALT.-

John Coshow Post No. 513, Parkersburg.

Com.-John McMurtry.

Del.—Reuben Bell.

ALT.—Dr. L. Stanly.

Melville Thomas Post No. 515, Paris Croosing.

Com.—C. W. Allen.

P. C.—J. M. Dixon, D. A. Roberts, Wm. Muster, M. R. Wells, T. H. Hudson, Harmon Dixon, G. W. Smith, G. W. Dodd, R. S. Dixon.

Del.-John H. Wagner.

ALT.-Marion A. Shepherd.

Henry McLaughlin Post No. 516, Salamonia.

Сом.—R. B. Whitacre.

P. C.-L. W. Lemaster, B. F. Harter, R. B. Whitacre.

DEL.-W. A. Caster.

ALT.-J. G. McLaughlin.

Noah Ring Post No. 518, Hymera.

Com.—C. J. McAnally.

P. C.-John F. Scherb, C. J. McAnally.

DEL.

ALT.-



A. H. Cockrum Post No. 520, Oakland City.

Com.—Z. M. McCleary.

P. C.—L. O. Emerson, D. J. King, J. Reeves, W. A. Harper, J. V. Gillum, Z. M. McCleary.

Del.-Wm. Caskey.

ALT.—Samuel Equerty.

Advance Post No. 524, Advance.

Com.-Geo. Canada.

P. C.-J. W. Roark, A. N. Lewis, Geo. Canada, Thos. Mulson.

DEL.

ALT.-

John T. Benson Post No. 527, Lanesville.

Com.—John W. Blume.

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Del.-J. J. Bulleit.

ALT.—Wm. Hauger.

Kerr Post No. 529, Rome City.

Com.-J. M. Schemerhorn.

P. C.-Levi Crum, Joseph Pfaff, Joseph Grimm.

Del.—Allen Barr.

ALT.—S. A. Shanover.

Fred Small Post No. 531, Westport.

Com.—R. T. Stott.

P. C.—Wm. Hause, I. W. Williamson, I. P. Burroughs, R. T. Stott.

DEL.

ALT.

Plainville Post No. 532, Plainville.

Com.—Allen Dougherty.

P. C.—Allen Dougherty, David H. Dyer, D. V. Ellis.

Del.—Paul Goliher.

ALT.—Wm. A. Tomey.

Shirley Post No. 535, New Goshen.

Сом.—Isaac Kibby.

P. C.—James Anderson, Lester L. Shaw, Louis H. Rhyan, Isaac Kibby.

DEL.

ALT.—



M. B. Cutler Post No. 537, Elnora.

Сом.-W. New.

P. C .- John Edmondson, Milton Farris.

DEL.

ALT.-

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Com.-W. W. Giger.

P. C.-A. G. Byres, J. L. Faubion, R. W. Hunter, J. P. Morrow,

J. W. Hanna, W. W. Giger.

Del.—Lloyd Hickman.

Alt.—J. W. Hall.

Patten Post No. 552, Bicknell.

Com.—Saml. A. Bunting.

P. C.—Ellis House, L. B. Staley, D. K. Smith, J. G. Hart, H. P. Pieper. G. W. Donaldson, Saml. A. Bunting,

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ALT.-

Samuel Stewart Post No. 557, Flora.

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P. C.—L. S. Myer, J. B. Clark, A. B. Ledman, J. M. Wharton, G. W. Shanklin, James Kenrick, R. R. Bright, R. C. Menough.

DEL.-Wm. H. McCrarry.

ALT.-Wm. H. Everman.

Alvin P. Hovey Post No. 559, West Indianapolis.

Com.—Wm. Newkirk.

P. C.—A. B. Wood, Wm. L. Mitchell, John A. Abbott, Stephen Sutton, J. W. Keithley, James Tyner, John H. Brown, John D. Hardesty, Wm. Newkirk, Albert Byrkit.

Del.—Chas. A. Tuttle.

ALT.-Warren Sandrock.

John Keitzer Post No. 563, Monterey.

Com.-Wm. Buehrle.

P. C.-Jacob Beck, Wm. Buehrle.

DEL.-T. W. Gwin.

ALT.-Jos. H. Ball.



Gaskins Post No. 564, Farmersburg.

Com.-John Wisener.

P. C.—M. A. Jennings, A. P. Asbury, John Wisener, E. K. Asbury, S. C. Smock.

Del.-D. H. Jones.

ALT.-J. W. Ramsen.

Notre Dame Post No. 569, Notre Dame.

Com.-Mark A. Wills.

P. C .- Mark Wills.

DEL.—

ALT.

. Col. Snodgrass Post No. 570, Crothersville.

Com.—John W. Hamacher.

P. C.—Geo. W. Bard, Jas. Gillespie, Jas. S. Campbell, David W. Sage.

DEL.-Elias White.

ALT.—John Lambert.

Daniel Lake Post No. 571, North Judson.

Com.-Walter Lightcap.

P. C.-W. H. Replogle, A. M. Smith, Jas. Jarrett, Jacob Alspaugh.

Del.—Jas. Jarrett.

ALT .- O. D. Brown.

Marion Kelly Post No. 572, Bridgeton.

Сом.—James Knight.

P. C.-J. M. Miller, J. H. Kerr, James Knight.

DEL.-Wilson Sapp.

ALT.

Norman Eddy Post No. 579, South Bend.

Com.-J. H. Loughman.

P. C.—W. E. Gorsuch, W. E. Brown, Elmer Crockett, W. P. Harmon, J. H. Loughman, E. P. Stanfield, J. M. Caulfield, O. W. Williams, J. N. Calvert, Chris King, Andrew Anderson, E. P. Chapin, John T. Kelly, Chas. Steele.

DEL.-W. M. Matthew.

ALT.-John J. Mayer.



Joel R. Spahr Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Com.—Reuben B. Reynolds.

P. C.—Geo. W. Coward, Jos. L. Leach, Jos. Veasey, R. B. Reynolds, C. W. Glossbrenner, Jos. G. Snider, Wm. H. H. Clegg, Hugh Mitchell, Geo. J. Beninger, Levi W. Robinson, Jas. W. Stanforth.

Del.-Chas. Strauch.

ALT.—Jos. Snider.

Fort Wagner Post No. 581, Evansville.

Com.-Moses Slaughter.

P. C.-W. H. Anderson, Moses Slaughter, Robt. Moss.

DEL.

ALT.-

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Com.-Robt. Kerr.

P. C.-W. N. Grimes, Robt. Kerr.

DEL.-

ALT.

Martin Rutter Post No. 584, Pittsburg.

Сом.—Geo. N. Vanostin.

P. C.—W. M. Myres, J. J. Jones, J. W. Foster, J. N. Davidson, Ben S. Hendrixson, Geo. N. Vanostin, J. K. Myres.

Del.-James Lister.

ALT.—Chas. Thayer.

George G. Reilly Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Com.—S. F. Johnson.

P. C.-B. L. Walker, S. F. Johnson.

DEL.—B. L. Walker.

Benj. F. Spooner Post No. 586, Yorkville.

Com.—Nicholas Zimmer.

P. C.-Nicholas Zimmer, Geo. Schite.

Del.-Frederick Meyer, Sr.

ALT .- F. J. Nowlin.

Brook Post No. 588, Brook.

Com.-M. A. Jones.

P. C.—M. A. Jones, J. B. Lyons, Thorpe Bagley, A. F. Merchant, J. W. S. Ulrey.

DEL.—J. J. McCabe.

ALT.—Wm. Fleming.



Jasper Packard Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home, Lafayette.

Com.—Joel Yeager.

P. C.—John H. Beeber, Geo. Poineer R. J. Powell, E. C. Powell, A. Banning, D. B. Kehler, Peter Slauter, J. W. Perkins, J. H. Sawyer.

Del.—Saml. Beeber, J. N. Tuttle, Saml. Dunham, O. R. Sisson. Alt.—Oliver K. Kain, Patrick Frammel, Turner Barns, Harrison Welsh.

John P. Baird Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

Com.—Lafayette Roberts.

P. C.—Martin Beal, Thos. J. Keylon, John E. Bickel, Richard Fossitte, Jas. H. Scolescott, W. K. Burnett, B. F. Boring, H. E. Dysort.

DEL.-G. F. Long, A. M. Collins.

ALT.—David Rood, Jos. W. Camp.

On motion made by Comrade O. A. Somers and duly seconded, the following Rules and Order of Business was adopted for the Encampment:

RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 6, 1914.

The Council of Administration recommends that the order of business for the government of the Encampment be as follows:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1. Opening of the Encampment.
- 2. Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 3. Calling Roll of Department Officers and Posts.
- 4. Commander's Address.
- 5. Appointment of Committees on Reports of Officers and other Committees.
- Reception and Reference of Resolutions and Communications.
- 7. Reports of Officers.
- 8. Reports of Committees.
- Miscellaneous Business, including meeting place of next Encampment.



- Election of Delegates and Alternates to National Encampment.
- 11. Election of Department Officers as follows:
 - (a) Council of Administration.
 - (b) Chaplain.
 - (c) Medical Director.
 - (d) Junior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (e) Senior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (f) Commander.
- 12. Installation of Officers.

The business of the Encampment shall be conducted under the "Rules of Order" of the National Encampment so far as they are applicable.

All speeches shall be limited to five minutes, except by unanimous consent.

All resolutions offered shall be referred to the Committee on Resolutions without reading and without debate, on the first day of the Encampment. And no resolution shall be considered that has not been presented to the Encampment on the first day and signed by the party presenting it, except by two-thirds vote.

In nominations for Department Officers, the roll will be called by Congressional Districts, and only the name, location and Post of the Comrade shall be given.

The Comrades from each Congressional District will assemble in district meeting on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock in the hall and organize by selecting a chairman, first and second vice-chairmen and two tellers, who shall serve until the next Encampment or until their successors are elected. These names shall be reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General at once. They shall at the same time select delegates and alternates to the National Encampment and shall also name one Comrade to be placed on the ticket for Council of Administration. A member of the Committee on Resolutions will also be named and reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General. They shall at the same time recommend for appointment by the Department Commander the name of one suitable Comrade for District Recruiting Officer.

The names selected for Council of Administration by each district shall be printed and distributed to the various districts, and the five receiving the highest vote shall be declared elected. Ballots having less or more than five names shall not be counted.

In balloting for Department Officers in the Encampment, the same Tellers shall collect the ballots of their respective Districts, count the same, and when the Districts are called, the Chairman of such District will announce the result of such ballot for each



candidate, and send the same in writing to the Assistant Adjutant-General, signed by the Chairman and Tellers. The Assistant Adjutant-General shall then tabulate the vote and announce the result for each candidate.

If there be any controversy in any District over the result of any ballot before it is announced, the Commander shall, upon the request of two Comrades, order the roll of said District called for verification.

Representatives and Alternates to the National Encampment shall be elected in the same manner as Department Officers, and apportioned to each Congressional District according to the numerical strength of the District; one Representative and one Alternate for each three hundred Comrades in good standing, and one additional Representative and Alternate for a major fraction of more than one-half of that number, apportioned as follows:

One Representative and one Alternate-at-large.

First District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Second District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Third District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Fourth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Fifth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Sixth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Seventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Eighth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Ninth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Tenth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Eleventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Twelfth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Twelfth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Thirteenth District—Four Representatives and four Alternates.

First and Ninth Districts—One Representative and one Alternate jointly.

In balloting no proxies will be allowed, and no votes will be counted unless cast by Comrades present in the hall at the time the vote is taken, either by Districts or in open Encampment. After the second ballot for any office, the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes shall be dropped on each successive ballot.

First District—Gibson, Vanderburg, Warrick, Spencer, Pike and Posey.

Second District—Daviess, Green, Knox, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Owen, Sullivan.

Third District—Dubois, Perry, Crawford, Harrison, Floyd, Clark, Scott, Washington, Orange, Lawrence.

Fourth District—Bartholomew, Brown, Dearborn, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Ohio Ripley, Switzerland, Decatur.



Fifth District—Hendricks, Putnam, Clay, Parke, Vermillion, Vigo.

Sixth District—Fayette, Franklin, Hancock, Henry, Rush, Shelby, Union, Wayne.

Seventh District-Marion.

Eighth District—Adams, Wells, Jay, Randolph, Delaware, Madison.

Ninth District—Fountain, Montgomery, Boone, Clinton, Carroll, Tipton, Hamilton, Howard.

Tenth District—Benton, Jasper, Lake, Newton, Porter, Tippecanoe, Warren, White.

Eleventh District—Blackford, Cass, Grant, Huntington, Miami, Pulaski, Wabash.

Twelfth District—Allen, DeKalb, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Whitley.

Thirteenth District—Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Laporte, Marshall, Starke, St. Joseph.

In the absence of the Senior Vice-Commander, Commander Comstock called Comrade Daniel Ryan to the chair while he read the

DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Indianapolis, Ind., May 7, 1914.

Comrades—The Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic promises to be more largely attended than was the Thirty-fourth. This may be truthfully said of the encampment of its auxiliary organizations. I will not anticipate the reports of the Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, but refer you to those carefully prepared papers as showing that the patriotic and useful organization to which we have the honor to belong, is, apart from its decimations by time, maintaining its strength. By the practice of judicious charity, especially in the past year, in aiding



the flood victims, and by the lessons of patriotism which it teaches, it, the organization, is constantly rising in the esteem of intelligent citizens who were not privileged to bear arms in defense of the Union.

The National Encampment, held at Chattanooga, was largely attended; the treatment accorded the members of the Grand Army of the Republic most thoughtful and generous. Perhaps never before in the history of our national encampments was so much time, money and labor expended in giving assurance of our welcome. It was all a success and we will be wanting in appreciation if we do not cherish a grateful recollection of the goodwill manifested by the citizens of Chattanooga.

Indiana should be largely represented at the next National Encampment, to be held in Detroit, on August 31 to September 5, 1914. The nearness to our State of Detroit, its beauty, its ample accommodations, the splendid manner in which it opened its doors to the boys, at a prior encampment, should induce all to attend who can.

THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

The Woman's Relief Corps deserves its good fame. It teaches patriotism; it administers the gentle offices of kindness; relieves distress as only women can; bids despair take hope, and poverty rejoice. It inspires in our homes a deeper reverence for the flag. It is constantly extending the sphere of its usefulness and establishing new claims for esteem. With its support the Grand Army of the Republic will live; without it, its future is lacking in promise.

THE LADIES OF THE G. A. R.

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, with the same noble aim as their sister organization, The



Woman's Relief Corps, differs from it only in the qualifications for membership. Only those are eligible who are united by blood or marriage to one who has borne arms in defense of the Union; but they are alike in the love for our representative form of government; in their admiration of valor; in devotion to country, and in reverence for the toil and sacrifice of the Union soldier.

THE AUXILIARIES OF THE SONS OF VETERANS.

The auxiliaries of the Sons of Veterans, the youngest of the patriotic societies allied with the Grand Army of the Republic, have given ample evidence of zeal in patriotic work. With time we are assured its usefulness will be vastly increased.

THE SONS OF VETERANS.

To be the son of a veteran is, with the constantly increasing appreciation of the blood and treasure expended in the preservation of the Union of the States, becoming more and more a matter of pride to those who have a right to the name. The organization is growing numerically and in importance, and by the proper regard for its purposes, is destined to command the esteem of all faithful citizens, who respect filial virtue and love of country.

The Sons of Veterans of Indiana are the first in the history of State Encampments to entertain the members of the parent order. That this has been done with abundant success cannot be questioned. It marks an epoch in department history. The expense, in time and money, of this thoughful act, may be partly estimated, but the patriotic and loyal spirit, deeper than that of hospitality, which inspired it, is most impressive. We believe that



it will long be a matter of pride to them as well as a grateful remembrance to their guests.

VETERANS OF THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

A passing reference cannot be out of place to that later issue of the loyal spirit of the Republic, "The United Veterans, Spanish-American War." Many of them are the sons of veterans of the Civil War, and belong to the organization known by that name. They responded to the call "to arms" of their country as promptly as did we. They went more comfortably to a safer front than did their sires, but they were responsive to discipline; obeyed orders; did what they were called upon to do, and we can well afford to express to them our congratulations and best wishes.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME.

I have attended the commencement exercises of many educational institutions. At all I have been interested and edified, but at no one of them have I been so profoundly impressed with the usefulness, philanthropy and possibilities for good work, as that of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, at Knightstown. It is well managed; it is worthy, and doubtless will continue to be the recipient or the object of the fostering care of our great State.

STATE SOLDIERS' HOME.

The State Soldiers' Home, at Lafayette, is one of a small number of like institutions, conducted on the cottage plan. It is of especial interest to Indiana; a home in its best sense in which the old soldier, broken in health and fortune, may, in the society of his wife, spend his last days. It is bringing comfort and happiness to many



who are deserving of their country's best care. I recommend to the encampment for consideration, the reports of the respective visiting committees, to the State Soldiers' Home and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans Home, at Knightstown. Neither of these institutions is an almshouse; each is the loved child of the State; each a monument to her gratitude.

THE NATIONAL HOME.

The National Home, at Marion, Indiana, is, as you know, under the control of the general government. Post No. 39, known as the Col. Asbury Steele Post, is composed of a membership of the inmates of the home. The membership is disproportionate to the number of men eligible, and at times it has suffered because of petty differences resulting in the withdrawal of many of the members. This Post has been given especial attention during the past year, and it is plesant to announce that most of those who withdrew have been re-mustered, and recruits have been added.

MONUMENTS.

It is gratifying to know that the people are erecting memorials to those who fell in the "big war". I had the privilege of taking part in the services incident to the unveiling, at Decatur, Adams County, Indiana, of a plain but fitting structure, uniting in its design, a memorial and fountain, destined to be an instructive lesson to coming generations. At Elwood, in Madison County, by individual subscriptions, there is to be unveiled, on the 31st day of this month, a monument to the unknown dead, the first in the State. These are eloquent of the growing patriotism of our people.



By at least one Department Commander, W. A. Ketcham, recommendation has been made that in many of the Counties of the State, the Out-Posts, which are weak in number, and eyearly growing weaker, should connect themselves with the largest Post in the County, centrally located. For many reasons which suggest themselves to all, I heartily join in and repeat this recommendation.

Certainly I need not urge upon this assembly of the Grand Army of the Republic the importance and sacredness of Memorial Day, nor its serious observance. It is a time for memory, not for tears. From year to year the gratitude of a nation preserved should, upon this fixed day in the calendar, be made manifest by expressions alike of gratitude, pride and reverence, to those whose memories they will honor, but the respective local Posts must take the initiative; the details may well be left to younger men.

For whatever success may have attended the administration of the business affairs of this department for the past year, credit is chiefly due to the zeal and efficiency of that brave soldier, modest gentleman and devoted officer, Assistant Adjutant-General Col. John R. Fesler. He has been ably assisted in its details by his capable, industrious and faithful clerk, Mrs. Maggie Adams; with cordial thanks for the deportment of all with whom I have had official and fraternal relations, I now, at the close of my term of office, surrender its responsibilities, but will always retain the dearest memory of its honors.

I thanked you when I took the oath of office; again I thank you after having kept it as best I could.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander.



The following committees were announced by Comrade O. A. Somers:

On Commander's Address—S. M. Hench, Post No. 40; G. R. Stormont, Post No. 28; Dan Ryan, Post No. 518; Geo. W. Grubbs, Post No. 77; Daniel Waugh, Post No. 203.

On Officers' Reports—David N. Foster, Post No. 271; Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30; Chas. H. Myerhoff, Post No. 27; W. E. Gorsuch, Post No. 579.

The following reports were referred to the Committee on Officers' Reports without reading and without debate, in accordance with the Rules and Regulations:

REPORT OF SENIOR VICE-COMMANDER.

To the Commander and Comrades of the Thirty-fifth Encampment, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

As Senior Vice-Department Commander, I submit the following as a very brief report:

The very comprehensive address of the Commander and the complete report of our worthy Assistant Adjutant-General cover in detail all the points of interest so completely that little is left for the Senior Vice-Commander to report, except his personal effort in the interest of the Grand Army. The absence of any special duties being assigned to the Vice-Commanders leaves them practically without a job, unless the Commander should be incapacitated during his term of office. This condition, however, has not occurred during this year, for which we and all Comrades are truly thankful. We are grateful for the good health and strength of our beloved Commander, which have enabled him to transact the business of the organization in so satisfactory a manner.

My personal work in the interest of the Grand Army has been very limited and local. Opportunity for any special work has not come to me, or I have failed to see the opportunity. I have exercised whatever of influence I may have in the interest of my own Post and those in nearby places, with whom I have had some correspondence on various subjects in which they were interested. I have attended several soldiers' meetings and also a public meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps, at which meeting I had the honor of presiding. The worthy President of the Relief Corps, Mrs. Estelle Huffman, gave a very interesting address, telling of the work and aim of this organization in a manner that at once



interested the very large audience assembled. Short addresses were given by other speakers, patriotic songs were sung, and a very complete and interesting program was carried out. Such meetings, I believe, are of great benefit and afford the opportunity for giving to the public information concerning this great organization that they otherwise would not get.

All honor to the Woman's Relief Corps! Their good works and kind deeds stand out in bold relief. They should be encouraged and helped.

At the time the Officers and Committee visited the Soldiers' Home, much to my regret, I was unable to join them on account of illness.

The matter of special amusements, games of baseball, horse racing and various other sports usually staged for Memorial Day has received some consideration. The members of the Grand Army of the Republic and a greater portion of the public generally in this vicinity have discouraged all such amusements on that day. Indeed, the protests have been so many and strong that they are being considered by those interested in the sports of the times. Memorial Day is set apart to pay tribute to the memory of those unforgetable men who gave their lives to save the nation, and should be kept sacred. I believe it to be the duty of the Grand Army everywhere to use its influence in every legitimate way to discourage all sports and amusements that in any way detract from the interest in Memorial Day.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Comrades for the very great honor conferred by electing me to the office of Senior Vice-Commander, Department of Indiana. I am grateful for the honor of being associated with our worthy Commander, and our faithful Assistant Adjutant-General, to whom I am greatly indebted for many favors.

Respectfully submitted in F., C. and L., JOHN H. HOFFMAN, Senior Vice-Commander.

Ligonier, Ind., May 6, 1914.

REPORT OF JUNIOR VICE-DEPARTMENT COMMANDER.

Commander Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:
MY DEAR COMBADE—As the custom requires me to make a report of my doings for the last year, during which time I have been known by the boys of the Grand Army of the Republic as Junior Vice-Commander, I am backward in approaching the front, as we, in active service, are under the command of an officer above us,



and always look for orders, but in civil-military service we must assume much and originate our own ideas and actions to suit the occasion, so I can only say that when opportunity came my way I took occasion to sow some fresh seed in the garden of the G. A. R., which mostly has been in the shape of recruits, and many active comrades, full of life and vigor, putting new life into the association and encouraging others to do the same, have been recruited.

I have taken occasion to visit a number of Posts, including the Home at Lafayette, and find quite a diversity of action from one to the other, which might be remedied in some degree by the Commander designating a certain district in the State for his subordinates to have a general supervision over, and be held to account and report at the annual Encampment as to his particular district in the way of its interests and upbuilding.

I am very respectfully yours,

DAVID H. OLIVE,

Junior Vice-Commander, Department of Indiana, G. A. R. Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 1914.

REPORT OF MEDICAL DIRECTOR.

PRINCETON, IND., May 6, 1914.

Hon. Daniel W. Comstock, Commander Department of Indiana, G. A. R., Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR COMRADE—As Medical Director Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, I submit the following brief report. But little has transpired within the past year requiring special mention from me. Our ranks have been thinned by many of our loved Comrades having been required to answer the last roll call, thus admonishing those of us who remain that the time is not far distant when our noble organization will be a memory only.

So far as reported, our loss for the year has been 670.

Very respectfully,

W. W. BLAIR, Medical Director.



No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
1	Cyrus Knapp	80	Private	K	31st Ind. Vol	Apr. 30
1		76	Private	D	15th Ind. Vol	May 30
1		80	2d Lieut	Ĩ	133d Ind. Vol	Mar. 4
1	Milton W. Henderson.		2d Lieut	Ē	85th Ind. Vol	July 28
1	James W. Haley		Captain	I	51st Ind. Vol	Oct. 29
2	Luther Wolfe	84	Captain	B	97th Ind. Inf	Mar. 2
2	Jefferson Baughman		Private	E	51st Ind. Inf	Oct. 1
2	Noah T. Keasey		Private	E	118th Ind. Inf	Dec.
2	John Rider	84	Sergeant	F	1:0th N. Y. Inf	Dec. 24
3	George A. Harrison	1	1st Lieut	Ē	64th N. Y. Inf	Feb. 4
3	Henry Priess		Private	A	10th Ind. Inc.	1 00.
0	Tienty Thess		Sergeant	G	32d Ind. Inf.	Oct.
4	Phillip B. Grubbs		Private	K	7th Ind	May 29
4	Homer Sewell			C	10th Ind	July 19
5	M. C. Welsch		Colonel	A	146th Ind. Inf	Feb. 2
5	W. A. Dawson		Private	A	146th Ind	Feb. 2
5	Thomas McMahon		Private		26th Bat	Mar. 2
5			Private	D	7th Ind	July 2
6	Samuel H. Werst		Private	G	130th Ind	- u., -
6	George W. Senadley		Private	Ğ	100th Ind	
6	Alonzo Ramsey		1117400			Oct.
6	Bradley Porter					Nov 1
6	S. A. Bitner	1				Dec. 2
7	James F. Boots		Private		22d Ind. Bat	Nov. 3
7	W. F. Britton		Private	C	40th Ind	Mar. 1
7	Walter B Carr		Captain	Ď	135th Ind	Apr. 19
7	Thomas Shepherd		Private	C	72d Ind	June
8	Samuel Hawkins					July 1
8	Wilson W. Burket					July 1
8	William B. Morgan					July 2
8	Malaci Poole					Aug. 1
8	Frank Wil barger					
8	Cassell McCoy					Dec
8	Nathaniel Shaftstall					
8	James Savage					
9	Samuel Crooks		Private	D	78th Ind	Apr. 2
9	M. T. Kelley		Private	I	31st Ind	May 29
9	James H Richardson		Private		14th Ind	July 10
- 9	Newton Way		Private	G	6th Ind. Cav	July 3
9	Thomas A. Britton			Ĭ	31st Ind	Aug.
11	John T. Owen		Private	Ĥ	6th Ind. Cav	Feb.
11	Henry C. McCammack		Private	H	115th Ind. Vol.	Feb.
11	Simpson Watson		Private	C	6th Ind. Cav	Feb. 10
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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
13	John R. Rice 69	Private	G	33d Ind	Mar. 2
13	Daniel Greenfield 70	Private		142d Ind	Apr. 1
13	Thomas J. King 72	Private	D	140th Ind	May 1
13	Marshall Taylor 73				Oct. 3
14	Patrick Walsh				Feb
14	William S Richardson				Feb. 1:
14	David Studebaker				Feb. 1:
14	M. M. Gordon	Major			Aug.
14	Jacob M. Barron				Sept. 2
14	Isaac N. Crawford				Sept. 1
15	George Whitman	Lieut	D	58th Ind	Sept. 2
17	Ephraim Canfare 75		7. 10. 10.	2d Ind. Bat	Jan. 1
17	John Oxenford 67		F	12th Ind. Inf	Jan. 2
17	Hubbard Woodward 68	0	L	1st Wis. Cav	Feb.
17	F. J. Van Vorhis 72	0		86th Ind. Inf	Feb.
17	George M. Wagner 84			6th Ind. Bat	May 1
17	Augustin Boice 71		В	91st O. V. I	May 1
17	Edwin A. West 68	1 200 5 1 200 5 1 1 1 1	L	9th Ind. Cav	May 2
17	John W. Strickler 72	0	I	70th Ind. Inf	June 2
17	George Brown70			401 T 1 T 4	June 2
17	George H. L. Rice 70		C	42d Ind. Inf	June
17	George Butler 75			11th Ind. Inf	July 1
17	James A. McKehan 80	11.70/7/2019 19:00	I	70th Ind. Inf	July 2
17	William H. Potter 73		E	3d Ohio (av	Sept 1
17	Daniel Shearer 92		K	51st Ind Inf	Sept. 2
17	Jacob L. Bieler74			6th Ind. Bat	Oct.
17	Henry L. Kaley 69		H	11th Mo Inf	Oct. 1
17	John H. Schott 68 Christian D. Wells 65		I K	127th Pa. Inf 139th Ind. Inf	Oct. 2 Nov.
17	Richard E. Harris 68		B	148th O. Inf	Nov. 1
17	John H. Humann 67	4 0 C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	-	21st N. Y. Inf	Dec.
7	Alden S. Fowler 72		F	27th Mass. Inf	Dec.
17	Eli F. Ritter 75		C	79th Ind. Inf	Dec. 1
17	Charles H. Lincoln 75		A	14th Ill. Inf	Dec. 1
17	John W. Bartlow 71		G	37th Ind. Inf	Dec. 1
17	Byron Dawson 75		A	8th Ind. Cav	Dec. 2
17	Thomas J. Masse 75		1	om mo. cav	Dec 2
18	Leonidas Bowman	10			
18	Robert S. Wells	The state of the state of			
18	Henry M. Ensley	The state of the s			
18	Edward S. Van Cleave				
	Frank J. Treon		1		
18	W. H. Barnes				
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20	Noah Russel					
23	James S. McClain		Private	B-F	87th Ohio Inf	Apr. 25
23	Edward Gardner		Private	K	35th N. Y. Inf	
23	Patrick Kelley		Fireman U.	8. N.		Aug
23	John W. Allen		Sergeant	F	34th Ind	Nov. 21
25	H C. Clark	91	Private	C	42d Ill Inf	Mar. 15
25	James Divit	90	Private	F	155th Ill. Inf	Sept. 13
26	Joseph Dilenheim		Private	E	3d Ind. Cav	Mar. 1
26	John G. Moore		1st Lieut	L	4th Ind. Cav	Mar. 30
26	James J. Richardson		Private	K	83d O. Vol. Inf.	Sept. 2
26	William Phibbs		Private	A	55th Ind. V. Inf.	Sept. 27
	Also served on gunbo	at	on Ohio and	Mis	s. rivers	
27	Fielden A. Chamberlin		Private	E	49th Ind. Inf	Feb. 5
27	George J. Geisder		Private	A	136th Ind. Inf	Apr. 6
27	W. H. Ewing		Corporal	F	26th Ind. Inf	Apr. 8
27	S. D. Lett		Private	H	24th Ind. Inf	Apr. 13
27	H. J. Menson		Private	F	33d Ind. Inf	May 2
27	George W. Johnson		Private	I	152d Ind. Inf	May 3
27	James Crafts		Private	F	136th Ind. Inf	July 30
27	Louis Graff		Private	F	32d Ind. Inf	Aug.
27	Kichard Stephens		Private	E	65th Ind Inf	Aug. 26
27	John Jourdon		Private	A	136th Ind. Inf	Sept. 1
27	Henry Langhorst		Private	В	42d Ill. Inf	Nov. 13
27	William Schnell		Private	E	32d Ind. Inf	Dec.
27	E. P. Elliott		1st Lt., Adj		136th Ind. Inf	Dec. 2
27	A. B. Gilliland	::	Private	G	17th Ky. Inf	Dec.
28		75	Private	H	17th Ind	Jan. 18
28		71	Private	D	91st Ind	Jan. 2
28	W. T. Gray	79	Corporal	E	15th Ind	Sept
28		74	Private	I	42d Ind	Nov. 18
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30	Charles R. Templeton.		Private	E	155th Ind	Feb. 2: Mar.
30	Jonathan B. Ward		Corporal	A	37th Ind	2.2.12.
30	William Alexander		Private	CK	12th Ind. Cav	Mar. 2
:0	John Foster		Private	I	153d Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
30	Henry L. Smith		Private	3.7	130th and. Inf 68th Ind. Inf	Apr. 18 Apr. 20
30	John H. Alcorn Jeremiah McCool	• •	Private	B	118th Ind. Inf	Apr. 20
30		• •	Corporal	B	70th Ind. Inf	
30	John W. Peek		Private	D	39th Ind. Inf	May 3
30	Hugh P. Jones John W. Johnson	٠.	Private	F	155th Ind. Inf	Oct.
30	Nutter R Bowman	• •	Private	В	13th Ind. Lt. A.	Nov.
30	Charles N. Burge	• •	Private	C	21st Ind. H. A.	Nov. 1
30	James M. Strode		Private	B	13th Ind. Inf	Nov. 2

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No. of Post. Company Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Samuel T. Mills 30 Private ... 90th Ind. 5th Cav Nov. 30 30 Patrick J. Maher Private ... H 153d Ind. Inf... Dec. 12 101st Ind. Inf ... 46th Ind. Vol ... Elisha Henry Sergeant .. 30 Dec. 27 Henry S. Lane 67 31 Private ... C Feb. 9th Ind. Vol ... Lewis Merica 31 Private ... Nov. 19 32 Henry C. Cassell Sergeant .. 72d Ind. Inf.... Nov. 8 William Williams 32 Private ... Artillery Oct. 33 John Biddle.... Sept. 15 Theodore Bradfield ... 34 Michael Karker James B. McConnell. 67 Gad W. Gleason 35 130th Private ... Dec. 15 F 36 Sergeant .. 21st Reg. O. Inf. Nov. 13 N. Y. Artillery. Mar. 4 37 Silus Barrup..... Private ... K 37 Charles Vanalstine . . . Private ... 100th Ind Sept. 24 Joseph W. Broderick... 70 Eli H. Thornburg 67 2d Ind. Vol. Inf. 38 Mar. Corporal .. 5 118th Ind. V. I. 69th Ind. V. I.. 38 Corporal .. E May David Murphy. 75 Private ... May 69th Ind. V. I.. May 24 38 Rinaldo B. Castle..... 76 Corporal .. 38 Harry T. Warren 77 84th Ind. V. I.. Fept. 29 1st Lieut .. E 38 Martin Murphy Private ... 17th Ohio V. I . Oct. 20 Timothy Fitzgerald... 39 Mar. 6 Valentine Eighenlan... 39 Thomas Wilson Jan. F. C. Muhlenbruc Private ... C 142d Ind..... Jan. 40 John S. Dusler Private ... I 74th Ohio V. I.. Jan. 25 Orin Thompson...... Private ... Feb Private ... 40 Gothlep Kramer 142d Ind..... Feb. 25 Perry McKinley Private ... 152d Ind..... Apr. 11 Hugh M. Diehl. 141st Pa. V. I .. Private ... C Aug. William F. Bryson.... Captain .. 34th Ind..... Oct. Andrew W. Pierce.... 4th Mass..... Private . G Oct. 20 H. W. Dickman Private ... 4th Ohio Cav ... Nov. 29 Dec. 27 40 Jacob Lazier..... B 11th West Va .. Private ... Granville J. Vaught... 1st Kv. Cav Mar. 4 Lieut 42 86th Ind. John A. Hysong..... Private ... June James Buchanan Private ... 3d Ind. Bat June 10 A 7th Iowa..... William W. Bales July 42 Private ... Samuel H. Reinhart ... 72d Aug. 21

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S. H. Addam 70

George Eadick 68

Jerome Burbanks.....

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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
50	F. M. Morrison 79	Private	D	11th Wis	Nov. 11
51	James W. Mason	Private	D	12th Ind	Jan. 17
51	E. C. Reynolds	Private	C	7th Minn	Feb. 13
51	Samuel Wolff	Private	H	42d Ind	Apr. 13
51	James M. Perkins	Lieut	F	46th Ind	May 14
51	Benjamin F. Baer	Private	G	151st Ind	Aug. 7
51	J. F. Rankin	Private	G	12th Ohio Cav	Oct. —
52	J. D. VanLear				May 31
52	Amos Lower 69	Private	A	88th Ind	June 29
52	F. W. Willis	Sergeant	F	44th Ind. V. I	Mar. —
52	F. C. Waterman 70	Sergeant	A	2d Wis. I	Oct. 7
55	Charles S. Wilson 71	Corporal	A	124th Ind	Jan. 10
55	Joseph Betzold 76	Corporal	I	124th Ind	Feb. 19
55	Isaac Earl 79	Private	D	8th Ind. Inf	Apr. 4
55	William M. Thornburg 68	Private	В	19th Ind. Inf	May 11
55	George Frazee 69	Private	I	54th Ind	June 4
55	James M. Townsend 72 Shipley S. Wilson 82	Private	I	54th Mass	June 17
56	Shipley S. Wilson 82 Benjamin York 77	Captain Private	В	84th Ind	Dec. 1
56	Joseph Wikle74	Private	A	26th Ind	Mar. — Feb. —
57	S. Nordike			20th Thu	June
60	John Pegg 71	Private	C	19th Ind. Inf	Jan. 13
-	Ira Adamson 84	Private	F	140th Ind. Inf.	Mar. 23
	(not a member at time of	death.)		1 110011 1110. 1111	Mai. 20
60	J. L. Bales 86	Private	K	19th Ind. Inf	May 21
60	Alfred Giberson 3	Private	C	19th Ind. Inf	June 8
60	James M Segraves 72	Sergeant	C	69th Ind. Inf	June 7
60	M. M. Auston 73	Private	E	20th-35th O.V.I.	Aug. 25
60	Hamilton Wise 74	Private		Ohio Lt. Art	Oct
61	John P. Canard 69	Private	H	16th	Mar. 13
61	William Tubbs 80	Private			June 14
62	Warren Marsh	Private	В	51st Ind	Mar.
62	Joseph D. Galleher	Sergeant	F	64th Ohio V. I	June 20
62	L. H. Smith	Private	L	1st Md. Cav	Sept. 10
63	Robert N. Andrews 82	Private	K	89th Ind. V. I	Jan.
63	Louis L. Purda 75 Theo. R. Moore 66	Private	C	47th Ind. V. I	Jan. 10
63	01 1 0 1	Private	 К	129th Ohio V. I.	Jan. 29
63		Private	G	89th Ind. V. I	Apr
63	John Steele	Private	H	19th Ohio V. I. 89th Ind. V. I	July
63	Mahlon Balie 73	Private	C	47th Ind. V. I	Aug. 3 Aug. 2
65	Elias Campbell	Private		with thu, v. 1	Nov. 2
65	John Oxenrider	Private	A	47th Ohio	May 1
65	James W. Coulter		Committee of	3d Ind. Cav	

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89	John C. Syms		Captain	E	16th Ind. Inf	Feb. 4
90	Charles E. Thompson .	70	2d Lieut	I	74th Ind. Inf	Jan. 6
90	George J. Jackson	70	Private	A	12th Mich. Inf	Apr. 3
90	William H. Smith	65	Private	C	26th Vol. Inf	Apr. 13
90	Lewis Boyer	70	Private	E	12th Mich Cav	May 11
90	Thomas S. Gibson	73	Private	A	46th Ind. Inf	July 30
90	John H. Violet	83	Private	E	7th Ind Inf	Aug. 13
90	John M. Dorland	69	Private	F	120th Ind. Inf	Sept. 21
90	Asaph S. Prescott	84	Private	I	88th Ind. Inf	Dec. 18
91	James Light				57th Ind	
91	Thompson Jewell				59th Ind	
91	Henry Williams				50th Ind	
92	James Eastes		Private	D	7th Ill. Cav	
92	Isaac Hamton		Fifer	F	28th Col. Reg	Mar. 21
92	George Duncan		Private	G	5th Ind. Cav	Feb. 4
92	Warren R. King		Private	K	69th Ind	Mar. 30
92	William Davis		Private	I	54th Ind	May 12
93	William N. Davis		Private	В	31st Ind. Inf	Apr. 5
94	William Collins	78	Private	D	145th Ind. Inf	Dec. 6
94	Mortimer S. Longwood					
i			Sergeant	C	7th Ind. Inf	Dec. 13
95	James A. McClung	69		A	155th Ind. Inf	Jan. 2
95	Oscar F. Smith	73		A	11th Ill. Inf	July 28
95	Samuel A. Barkdoll	75		A	155th Ind. Inf	Aug. 12
95	John Anderson	69	Private	E	87th Ind. Inf	Sept. 14
95	Michael L. Essick	76	Private		7th Kan. Inf	Sept. 19
101	Samuel Griffith	72	Company of the Compan	A	92d Ohio	Jan. 9
101	Stephen Hughs	78		G	151st Ind	Jan. 24
101	Francis A. Hough	66		G	155th Ind	May 8
101	Homer O. Blackman	78	A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR	H	87th Ind	Sept. 19
102	Jacob H. Shilt	71	Private	G	209th Pa. Inf	Feb. 19
102	John W. Randall	66		H	15th Ky. Inf	Dec. 8
103	James B. Gunn			В	8th Cav	May 9
104	Daniel W. Bower	71	Sergeant	F	152d Ind. V. I	Mar. 10
104	Edward Hinkley	66		K	26th N. Y. Cav	Aug. 21
105	James King		Private		50th Ind.*	Feb. —
105	Simon Norris					Apr. —
106	Thomas Stokes		Private		11th Bat	
		in	Period 1	11/2	1 2d Ind. L. A	Jan. 4
106	Michael Cafflin		Private	A	23d Mich. Inf	Feb. 15
100	Taylor Chester			C	138th Ind	July 3
106			The same of the second of the second			
			Private	A	12th Ind. Inf	July 9
106	Lafayette Massey Freeman Scarborough.	::	Private	A B	12th Ind. Inf 13th Ind. Inf	July 9 Aug. 30

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		Di		00-1-1-1-5	D 11
106	George Culp73		B	99th Ind. Inf	Dec. 11 Apr. 9
114	Isaac Scott.	Commonst	H	12th Ind. Inf	Apr. 9 Jan. 28
114	C. P. Nicely	Sergeant	G	129th Ind	Aug. 26
114	A. F. Eschbaugh	Private	A	74th Ind	Aug. 20
114	Hiram Richcreek	Private	Ê	14th Iowa	Dec 16
114		Private	G	1st Mass	Feb. 19
115 116	Samnel Davis	Private	ĭ	57th Ind. V. I	Dec. 4
119	John H. Mundell 67	Private	Ē	9th Ind Cav	Oct. 5
120	Jefferson Baker 79	Private		65th Ind	Aug 30
120	William Powell 72	Priva e		32d Ky	Dec. 23
123	Hugh Hales68	Private		12th Ky. Cav	Apr. 8
123	David Ruark				Mar. 18
123	A. M. Bayliss 68	Private			July 4
124	Joseph Hanson		A	74th	Sept. 7
125	DeWitt C. Stage 68	Private	C	30th Ind. Inf	Jan. 9
125	William G. Gardner 79	Corporal	F	2d Conn. H. A	Feb. 5
126	Rezin tephens 80	Private	G	5th Ind. Cav	June 31
126	Alvin E. Barrows 71	Private	G	22d N. Y. Inf	July 12
126	Preston Cates 75	Private	G	69th Ind. Inf	Sept. 11
126	John Hamilton 76	Private	K	69th Ind Inf	Oct. 12
127	Thomas J. Turpin 70	Private	I	18th Ind. Inf	Apr. 9
127	John C. Dunn 71	Private	D	19th Ind. Inf	May 31
127	Stephen S. Rose 69	Private	A	10th Ind. Inf	Sept. 19
127	Theodore A. Childs 68	Corporal	K	33d Ohio Inf	Oct. 19
128	Gottlieb Fostbauer	Private	A	7th N. Y. Inf	May 5
128	John M. Reese	Private	K	24th Mich. Inf.	May 6
128	H. D. Kindy	Private	F	4th Reg. U. S. A.	July 4
132	William Rowel 77	Private	E	48th Ind	Sept. 23
132	William C. Thompson. 77	Sergeant	M	2d Ind. Cav	Nov. 21
133	Samuel Bradfield 70	Private		19th Ind. Bat	Mar. 7
133	James H. Smith 72	Private	C	14th Ind	Mar. 10
133	Hiram Hines	2d Lieut	H	57th Ind.	Mar. 18
133	Daniel Weaver 67	Corporal	F	8th Ind. Cav	Apr. 10 Apr. 15
133	Isaac F. Hiatt70	Private	A	101st Ind 5th Ind. Cav	Apr. 15 May 1
133	R. M. Batson	Private	A B	136th Ind	May 2
133	John A. Atkins 70	Private	В	17th Ind	May 2
133	A. R. Tucker 69	Private . }	D	72d Ind	July 12
100	James W. Wheeler70	Private	B	136th Ind	Sept. 27
133		CT - CA - CA - CA - CA - CO - CO CO - CA - CA	LE	6th W. Va. Cav.	Oct. 14
133		Sergeant	D	75th Ind	Dec. 5
133	John S. Lamb	Captain	F	47th Ind. Inf	Mar. 13
137	Jenerson F. Chisser 10	Odpiain		Ti ATT TENTE	

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137	Edward Atwater	87	Sergeant	A	32d N. Y. Inf	Nov. 30
138	Jacob Gushwa	83	Private	F	155th Ind. Inf	
144	~	72	Private			Jan. 21
144		74	C1	H	6th Ind. V. I	Jan. 23 Jan. 29
146			Corporal	В		June 17
146		74 72	Private	E	9th Ind. V. I 27th Ky. V. I	Sept. 14
147		-	Private	E	20th Ind	Jan. 13
147	Jacob Eberly Henry W. Porter	• •	Private	В	138th Ind	May 2
147	T 1 '777 A		Private	K	151st Ind	Oct.
148	John Curry		Private		33d Ind	Feb. 1
148	********		Private	Ι	84th Ind	Mar. 1
148			Private	Ι	69th Ind	June 19
148	W. H. Macy		Sergeant	D	36th Ind	Dec. 31
150	Thomas Moffett	79	Private	A	44th Ind	Sept. 25
150		80	Private	C	14th Ohio	Aug. 31
157	D. B. Jaynes		Captain	D	93d Ind	May 1'
157	William Reed		Private	E	146th Ind	July 13
157	C. D. Jaynes	• •		D	93d Ind	Dec. 30
157	John Moxley			• • • •	3d Cav	Oct.
159		::	Private	A	50th Ind	June
161	William Livingston		Private	A	99th Ind	Mar. 2
161	William D. Jumper		Private	E	46th Ind	Feb. 16
161	David Longnecker		Corporal	G	110th Ohio	June 20
161 163	Hobart Doctor		Private	I K	36th Ill	July 29
164	George W. Greer		Private	C	31st Ind	July 19
167	John M. Keefer	•	Private	B	70th Ind	Apr. —
168	Robert A. Smith	70		A	57th Ind	Dec 1
175	David Eaton		Sergeant	F	68th Ind	Aug. 30
175	Michael Senft		Private	M	3d Ind. Cav	Nov.
179			Private	F	167th Ohio	Feb. 26
180	James Pauley	84	Private	В	140th	June
181		72	Private	G	54th Ohio	Dec. 30
186	August Krebs	78	Private	F	4th Ohio Cav	Oct. 20
189		• •	Private	B	83d Ind	Mar. 12
189	H. J. H. STRONG HTT (FET TIME) 및 H.	• •	Private	F	37th Ind	Feb. 13
189		::	Private	F	37th Ind	Mar. 20
191	Russel P. Finney	75	∫ Major	• • • •	6th Ind. Cav	
101	Compat E D'	00	Musician	• • • •	17th Ind. Inf.	Feb. 24
191	Garrett E. Riggle	69	Private		001 1 1 1 . }	11
191	James Mix	72	2d Lieut. Private	D F	23d Ind. Inf . []	May 6 Oct. 28
4 27 1	CIAN IVIIV					Oct. 28

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221 222 223 223 227 227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 244 244	Joseph C. Richerson Uriah Marrs Fountain Light Nathaniel Cohee John S. Newsom Ezra M. Stahl John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn	75 79 	Corporal Private	K K F B H	34th Ind. V. I 34th Ind. V. I 97th Ind 30th Ind	Feb. 1 Apr. 30
222 223 223 227 227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	Fountain Light Nathaniel Cohee John S. Newsom Ezra M. Stahl John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn	75 79 	Private Private Sergt Major	F B H	97th Ind 30th Ind	
223 227 227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	John S. Newsom Ezra M. Stahl John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn	79 	Private Sergt Major	H		A 110 Q
223 227 227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	John S. Newsom Ezra M. Stahl John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn	79 	Private Sergt Major	10.75	TABLE I. J Tank	
227 227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	Ezra M. Stahl John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn		Sergt Major	D	12th Ind. Inf 67th Ind. Inf	Feb. 6
227 227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	John D. Brewington Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn				84th Ind. Inf	Apr. 10
227 227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	Henry Miller Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn			I	124th Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
227 227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	Thompson N. Bracken James Lucas John H. Gwinn		Private	N	28th Ohio V. I	Apr
227 228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	James Lucas John H. Gwinn	1	Private	A	12th Ind. Inf	Aug. 1
228 229 230 240 240 240 244 244	John H. Gwinn		Private	C	74th Ohio Inf	Dec. 3
229 230 240 240 240 214 244		79	Sergeant	I	18th Ind	Apr. 19
240 240 240 244 244	Fred Tanner	77	Private	D	42d Ill	Dec. 8
240 240 240 244 244	George D. Pent		Private	A	130th Ind. Vol .	Feb. 9
240 244 244	John M. Kane	80	1st Sergent	A	101st Ind. Vol	May 17
244 244	David Sherrick	80	Private	A	101st Ind. Vol	May 17
244	I B. Anderson			. : : .		10
	James Wood		Private	K	53d Ohio	Mar. 18
214	J. B. Swartz	• •	Private	I	48th Ill	May 21
	D. W. Sherrington		Bugler	Н	2d W. Va	June 3
	C. W. Benbow		Adjutant		109th U. S. Col.	July 14
VOTE TO 1 . V	John Umeuselter		Private	CI	37th Ind 7th Ind. Cav	July 29
100	Slaven Graham A. I. Makepeace	1	Private	A	19th Ind. Cav	Aug. 10 Nov. 13
	Lemuel Farrow		Private	H	52d Ind	Dec. 4
244	William J. Carmony	::	Private	G	47th Ind	Dec. 4
10.00	John C. Bible	(8)	Private	E	72d	Apr. 21
Towns of the control of	James Ross	72	Private	E	72d Ind. Inf	Aug. —
The second second	Levi Akers			K	57th Ind. Inf	Mar. 2
1000000	Samuel Nicholson	80	Captain	C	14th Ind. Inf	Jan. 3
247	William F. Mitchell	75	Private	G	31st Ind. Inf	Jan. 7
	Elisha Johnson	78	Private	E	67th Ind. Inf	Mar. 29
	Francis M. Hall	68	Private	I	50th Ind. Inf	Apr. 6
247	Abram Buhrer	73	Private	F	43d Ind. Inf	July 22
247	Daniel F. Byres	68	Private	A	140th Ind. Inf.	July 26
247	Isaac Homes	1000		A	52d Ind. Inf	Oct. 25
247	Francis M. Cook			G	4th Ind. Cav	Nov. 11
(m) 65/m/	G. Wright Pudelph C. Onickel		Private	D	69th Ind	0-4 17
		75 67	Private	C	69th Ind. Inf 14th	Oct. 17
251 252	R. H. Conolty		Private		14	Nov. 1
	John Cogwell		[본 기원으로 스마트 (1942년)			Nov. 3
256	John B. Crane Aaron W. Sutton		Musician		25th Ind	Oct. 29
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of	Name.		Rank.	ub	Regiment.	Death.
No.	,	Age.		Con		
260		76	Corporal		9th Ind	July 4
266	Lawson Buford		D :		1501	
270	James F. Avis	1	Private	K	153d	Nov. 17
$\begin{array}{c c} 271 \\ 271 \end{array}$	Gard Brookfield	1000	Hosp. Stew.	· · · ·	156th Ohio V. I.	Feb.
271	John Goring William R. Durfee	68	Sergeant	K	128th Ind. Vol .	Feb. 25
271	William N. Barden		Private	M	25th Ohio V. I 4th N. Y. H. A.	Apr. 4
271	David B. Anderson		Private	K	154th Ind. V. I.	Apr. 21
271	George Ruch		Private	G	152d Ind. V. I	May 16 Sept. 23
271	Crawford Griswold	1	Sergeant	Ĭ	1st N.Y.M. Rifl's	Oct. 7
271	W. C. Hollopeter		Captain	Ĉ	88th Ind. V. I	Nov
276	William C. Nichols		Private	C	133d Ind. Inf	Dec.
277	Frank M. Robertson	76	Private	D	10th Ind	Jan.
277	Franklin Holmes		Private		150th Ind	Jan. 13
281	W. F. Muncho		Private	E	11th Ind	June 18
284	John S. Nelson		Private	F	3ist Ind	Jan. 29
284	Henry T. Pierson	1.00	Private	H	85th Ind	Oct. 8
284	I. O. Beckwith		Ass't Surg.		99th Ind	Nov. 27
290	I. R. Bascom.	0.12	Private	D	29th Ind. Inf	Dec. 29
290	Alexander Horner		Private		47th Ind. Inf	Mar. 14
291	William R. Hunt				140.1	July -
292 301	J. C. Walker William R. Brown		Private	K	148th	Oct. 29 Feb. 9
301			Sergeant	D	30th Ind. V. I	
301	John Need		Private		Soun ind. v. i	Apr. 8 Feb. 1
301	L. J. Montgomery	72	Private	G	71st Ohio V. I	Mar.
304	Oliver W. Barnard		Private	$\tilde{\mathbf{D}}$	37th Ind	July 24
307	Samuel South	100	Private	B	30th	May
307	John W. Burnett		Private	D	21st	May 1
316	David B. Wilson		Private	K	6th Ind. Cav	Dec. &
316	Daniel Stratton		Private	K	72d Ind	Jan. 28
316	John P. Cheesman		Private	E		Mar. 19
316	William Beemer		Private	K	33d Ind	Mar.
316	Ezra Romine	• •	Private	E	2d Kan	Aug.
316			Private		12th Ohio V. C.	Dec.
316	F. H. Biggs		Private	H	2d New York	
316 322	Calvin Rhoutghen		Private	D	11th Ohio V. I	Man 10
322	Louis Brooks Lary Mehan	• •	Colonel Private	ĸ	80th Ind	Mar. 18 June 13
322	J. K. Summers		Private	B	42d Ind	June 27
322	J. B. Love		Private	F	65th Ind	Aug. 20
322	William H. Myers		Sergeant	Ĉ.	91st Ind	Nov. 2
326	Noah Brown	78	Captain		31st Ind	Oct.
327			Private		149th Vol	

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Name Rank Regiment Rank Regiment Rank Regiment Rank Rank Regiment Rank Rank	Mar. 9 Apr. 23 Dec. 10 Nov. 4 June 13 Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 July 22 Nov. 6
334	Apr. 23 Dec. 10 Nov. 4 June 13 Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 27 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
339 James P. Kelso. 68 Private G 27th Ind. 130th Ind. V 130th Ind	June 13 Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
350 George L. Gigner. Lieut. C 130th Ind. V 359 James Fouch. Private B 24th Ind. G6th Ind. G7th Ind.	June 13 Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
359 James Fouch	June 13 Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
364 Joseph P. Throop. Private B 24th Ind. 364 John W. Woods Private 66th Ind. 366 Jesse Park. 76 Private Ekin Light Art. 369 Elihu Wolf Private G 44th Ohio Inf. 369 John Riley Some Park Private G 44th Ohio Inf. 369 John Bowlby Some Pred Staats Some Pred Staats Some Pred Staats Some Pred Staats Some Philip Augustine Private F 18th Mo Private I 59th Ind. Some Philip Augustine Private I 59th Ind. Some Philip Augustine Private I 16th Ind. V. I. 385 Jack Davis Private H 96th Ohio 385 Joseph Zeek John Whiteberry Private B 87th Ind. 386 Joseph Zeek John Whiteberry Private B 87th Ind. 387th Ind. 387th Ind. 388th	Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
364 John W. Woods	Apr. 15 Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
366	Oct. 15 Dec. 25 Mar. 7 Aug. 27 Aug. 25 Oct. 8 Oct. 8 July 22
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408 Joseph F. Downing Sergeant H 101st	Aug. 27
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409 George Phillips K	Mar. 18
409 William G. Wilson Lieut 101st	May 10
409 George W. Bradford Private D 8th Ind. Cav	June 10
411 Ezra Fergerson 77 Private H 9th Inf	July 21
411 Jacob Lutz	Sept. 27
414 John M. Harrah 76 Lieut B 91st	Apr. 11
414 Isaac Brown 13th Bat. L. A	July 26
415 Isaac V. Cowgill 80 Private C 1st Ind. Cav	Nov. 5
415 John Cale	July —
424 O. L. Osborn Sergeant F 80th Ind. Inf	Mar. 11
435 Isaac J. Howard 69 Corporal I 97th Ind	
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442 E. W. Chaplin 65 Private F 7th Ind. Cav	Aug. 2 June 30

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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
442	J. H. Andrews 68	Private	A	13th Ind. V. I	Feb. 20
444	Sandford Crist 70		B	7th Ind. Cav	June 16
445	George Parker				Jan. 1
447	Alonzo L. Ayer 78	Private	C	42d Ind. Inf	Nov. 27
454	Stephen Trueblood	Private	E	85th	Apr. 1
454	D. S. Hester	Private	F	115th	Sept. 4
454	Harry Wood		H	1st Cav	Nov. 6
461	T. J. Huffman			23d Ind	
470	Isaac Sands		F	81st Ind	Jan. 30
470	Miller Jones		A	81st Ind	Apr. 25
470	George Sapingfield		E	81st Ind	Jan. 21
474	Benjamin F. Magener. 7				Aug. 9
474	Andrew J. Nugent 75				Sept. 30
475	David Shelby	-	E	72d Ind	Feb. 1
475	A. J. Castater		G	20th Ind	June 30
477	Earley Phillips 74		1	85th Ind	Mar. 25
477	John Barrett 70		C	85th Ind	Feb. 14
480 490	Jerry Washington Samuel C. Trueblood		K	52d Ind	Jan. — June 24
491	John C. Woody	Service of the servic	F	25th Ind. Inf	Aug. 19
491	George W. Engler 76		C	48th Ill. Inf	Oct. 27
498	Barney Gossett	Private	Ĭ	7th Ind	Oct. 20
502	George W. Post	Private	1	9th Ind. V. I	June 1
505	F. A. Baker	10	F	129th Ind	oune .
505	T. J. Cox	Private	E	100th Ind	
505	William Guidlesparger		A	142d Ind	
505	Alonzo Latson		C	12th Ind. Cav	
515	Samuel H. Wilson 70		F	145th Ind. Vol	July 1
516	*J. V. Darst	Private	E	Ohio H. A	Dec. 20
516	J. P. Hariff		K	174th Ohio	Nov. 6
520	S. C. Engler	Private	I	143d	Sept. 15
520	J. Heming 85		H	85th	July 14
529	George S. Lorimer 87		C	30th Ind. Inf	Feb. 17
529	Daniel W. Fields 70		G	88th Ind. Inf	Sept. —
531	Samuel Roberts		F	37th Ind. Inf	Jan. 3
552	Samuel Bradley 87		· · · · ·	118th	Nov. 19
552	James H. Welton 70		E	blst Ind	Aug. 20
557	Peter Shirah 81		A	72d Ind	July 25
559	Thomas McNerney 66		п.	149th Ind	Apr. 11
559	Henry B. Wright 72		H	148th Ind	July 9
559 559	George Reagan 68		D	124th Ind	July 26 Aug. 1

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
563	R. M. Johnson		Private	C	155th Ind	Jan. 25
563	T . ~ T		Private	F	3d Ohio Cav	May 2
564	Jacob H. Heck	74	Private	F	115th Ind	Mar. 17
564	Isaiah Hoggatt		Ord. Serg't.	H	85th Ind	July 30
564	Vardiman Jewel	2.131	Private	I	43d Ind	Nov. 12
564		80	Private	. C	lst H. A	Jan. 7
564	William C. Forbes		Private	C	11th Ind.	Jan. 7
569		84	Private	C H	75th Pa. Vol 27th Ind. Vol	Jan. 12
570 570		72 69	Private	D	19th Ind. Vol	Sept. 27 May 3
572	Matthew White	(5)	Private	H	41st Ky	May 3 June 29
579		77	Captain	H	12th Ind. Cav	June 6
579		76	Musician		20th Army C'ps	Aug. 10
580	0 1 7 0 1		Sergeant	В	81st Ind. Inf	Aug. 11
580	D . O II		Private		12th Ind. L. A	Aug. 25
580			Private	E	6th N. Y. Inf	Oct. 27
585	E. C. Gelmore	68	Private	A	143d	June 9
585		64	Private		25th Bat	
586		73	1st Sergt	K	26th Ind. Inf	Jan. 31
589		70	Private	C	10th-58th Ind	Jan. 11
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589	George Sellers		Private	K	116th Ind	Mar. 26
589 589		74 72	Private	$\frac{\mathrm{C}}{\mathrm{I}}$	13th U. S. C. T. 12th Ind	Apr. 18
589	- P. M. S.	73	Private	Ī	12th Ind	Apr. –
589		75	Private	Î	66th Ind	May 16
589		81	Private	K	73d Ind	June 16
589		77	Private	K	20th Ind	June -
589		84	Private	C-D	1st Ohio	A 11 11 1
					(35th Ind	Aug. 14
589	Robert H. Young	70	Private	H	147th Ind	Aug. 31
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589	John R. Skinner	276.50	Private	1	82d Ind	
589	Ludman W. Robinson		Private	M	8th Ky. Cav	Oct. 6
589 589	[1] - [1] -	74	Private	E	100th Pa	Teles
	James H. McKinnie.		Private Corporal	D	6th Ind	July -
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REPORT OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL

Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 1914.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander:

COMMANDER—One year ago we had 332 Posts, with a membership of 11,537. This year we have, as my report shows, 312 Posts, with a membership of 10,526, all in good standing. Of the Posts that surrendered their charters, all were small, and on account of old age and disabilities, the Comrades could not keep them up longer. I urged all to take transfers to other posts and identify themselves with them, and in most cases they promised to do so. I have realized this year, as never before, that old age is telling on us all, for as age increases, their disabilities increase accordingly. This matter has given us much concern this year, and the problem is, what shall we do?

I have considered this matter in all its different phases and can think of nothing that will be better than to urge more strongly the District Meetings. We have been trying to do that, and wherever they have been held it has been helpful to the posts, and by that means, as has been said before, it gives all an opportunity to meet our Department Commander, and to meet and greet your comrades of the district. It will not only be encouraging and helpful to the Department Commander, but it will act as a stimulant to all and no doubt be a great influence in getting in our ranks those who have never been identified with us, as well as to bring back with us those who have dropped out.

In compliance with the Rules and Regulations, I have



the honor to make the following reports, as Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, for the year ending December 31st, 1913:

Total number of members in good standing:	11 507
December 31, 1912 Gained during the year 1913—	11,957
By muster in237	
By transfer 134	
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By reinstatement 279	
By delinquent reports 96-	- 746
T 1	12,283
Loss during the year 1913—	
By death 670	
By honorable discharge 15	
By transfer 83	
By suspension699	
By dishonorable discharge 2	
By delinquent reports 99	
By surrender of charter 189-	- 1,757
Number in good standing December 31, 1913	10,526
Number remaining suspended	
	11,121
Number of Comrades and families relieved during the year	510
Number of others relieved	9
Expended for relief	2,813.97
Ira G. Grover Post, No. 283, Newpoint, was reized in May, 1913.	o rgan-

The following Posts disbanded during 1913:

No. 197, North Liberty.

No. 201, Haney's Corner.

No. 213, Redkey.

No. 235, Grandview.

No. 243, Alexandria.

No. 263, Toronto.

No. 272, Saluda.

No. 275, Scottsburg.

No. 289, Dunkirk.

No. 342, Salem Center.

No. 354, West Fork.



No. 375, Colfax.	
No. 390, Rossville.	
No. 422, Cloverdale.	
No. 453, Jacksonburg.	
No. 480, New Albany.	
No. 538, Buffaloville.	
No. 550, Russelville.	_
No. 560, Markle.	
No. 575, Edwardsport.	
Number of Posts in good standing December 31, 1912	332
Gained during the year 1913	1
Aggregate	333
Loss	21
Number remaining in good standing December 31, 1913_	312

REPORT OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 1914.

RECEIPTS.

Cash balance on hand May 1, 1913	507.53
Per capita tax\$2,137.40	
Transferred from special fund 1,000.00	
Interest from Terre Haute Trust Company 80.00	
Interest Union Nat'l. Savings & Loan Ass'n 30.00	
Refund on S. & S. Orphans' class pins 4.00	
Sale of supplies	3,452.39
	33.959.92
DISBURSEMENTS.	0,000.02
Sentinel Printing Company	\$ 351.28
H. J. Martin, printing rosters	
Postage	
C. D. R. Stowitz, supplies	130.16
C. D. R. Stowitz, per capita tax	376.47
Commander Comstock, expense account	100000000000000000000000000000000000000
J. R. Fesler, salary	732.50
Expense National Encampment, Chattanooga	
Expense Department Encampment, 1913	
A. P. Craft, Badge for Past Department Commander W.	
E. Gorsuch	



A. P. Craft, class pins S. & S. Orphans'	22.00
Local and long distance telephones	43.80
Traveling expenses Commander and A. AG. jointly	18.30
Traveling expenses Ass't AdjGen,	14.25
Maggie Adams, salary as clerk	497.50
Foster & Messick, premium on A. Q. MG. bond	7.50
Express	1.40
Indianapolis Morning Star	5.40
National Tribune	1.00
American Toilet Supply	2.40
Sundries	1.64
Charles Mayer, supplies	3.70
Expenses Auditing Committee, 1913	3.20
Christmas presents janitor, clerk, postman	7.00
Hibben & Hollweg, ribbon for badges	9.37

\$3,510.39

\$1:449.5

ASSETS.

Cash balance on hand May 1, 1914	\$1,149.53
Loan, Terre Haute Trust Company	1,000.00
Loan, Union Nat'l. Savings & Loan Ass'n.	1,000.00
Supplies on hand	68.81
Office furniture and fixtures	550.00

\$3,768.34

The following Posts contributed the amounts set forth to the Christmas fund for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home:

Balance on hand 1912 fund\$
Clara L. Johanning
Post No. 6, Wabash
Post No. 50, Galveston
Post No. 209, Indianapolis
Post No. 281, Indianapolis
Post No. 202, Zionsville
Post No. 11, Greencastle
Post No. 322, Loogootee
Post No. 489, Culver
Post No. 409, Jonesboro
Post No. 51, Monticello
Post No. 52, Waterloo
Post No. 146, Sharpsville
Post No. 221, Dupont

Post	No.	90,	Goshen	5.00
Post	No.	350,	Ridgeville	1.00
			Morgantown	5.20
			Arcadia	1.00
			Rockport	2.00
Post	No.	244,	Anderson	5.00
			Auburn	3.00
Post.	No.	229,	Hebron	2.00
Post	No.	93,	Spencer	1.00
Post	No.	589,	Lafayette	10.74
Post	No.	137,	Huntington	5.0 0
Post	No.	7,	Crawfordsville	5.00
Post	No.	98,	Versailles	1.00
Post	No.	563,	Monterey	1.00
Post	No.	4,	Covington	1.00
Post	No.	291,	LaFontaine	1.00
Post	No.	3,	Lafayette	2.00
Post	No.	39,	National Military Home	5.00
Post	No.	290,	Knox	5.00
Post	No.	407,	Silverwood	3.00
Post	No.	83,	Geneva	1.00
Post	No.	23,	Marion	2.00
Post	No.	64,	Brookville	5.00
Post	No.	42,	Lebanon	5.00
Post	No.	125,	Ligonier	3.00
Post	No.	127,	Franklin	5.00
Post	No.	199,	North Manchester	2.00
Post			Peru	3.00
Post	No.	126,	Connersville	2.00
Post	No.	369,	Indianapolis,	2.00
Post	No.	40,	Fort Wayne	5.00
			Fortville	2.00
			Brazil	3.00
Post	No.	232,	Wakarusa	1.25
			Kokomo	5.00
			Noblesville	3.00
			Jacksonburg	1.00
Post	No.	68,	Huntingburg	1.00
Post	No.	150,	Angola	5.00
			Brookston	1.00
			Cammack	1.00
			Lanesville	1.75
Post	No.	584,	Pittsburg	1.00
Post	No.		Bloomington	5.00
Post	No.	62,	Williamsport	2.00



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Post No. 276, Lowell	
Post No. 247, Bedford	
Post No. 147, Laporte	5.00
Post No. 271, Fort Wayne	
Post No. 516, Salamonia	
Post No. 121, Medaryville	2.35
Post No. 27, Evansville	10.00
Post No. 17, Indianapolis	10.00
Post No. 579, South Bend	2.00
W. E. Gorsuch, Past Department Commander	2.00
Post No. 307, Sullivan	2.35
Post No. 334, West Baden	5.00
Post No. 246, Syracuse	1.00
Post No. 401, Akron	2.00
Post No. 104, Lagrange	1.75
Post No. 55, Richmond	5.00
Post No. 227, Hartford City	5.00
Post No. 470, Laconia	1.50
Post No. 87, Salem	2.00
Post No. 257 Roann	2.00
Post No. 103, Sheridan	2.00
Post No. 63, Decatur	5.00
Post No. 5, Greensburg	2.00
Post No. 419, Albany	2.00
Post No. 33, Bluffton	5.00
Post No. 8, South Bend	5.00
Post No. 327, Merom	1.00
Post No. 148, Newcastle	2.00
Post No. 16, Vincennes	3.00
D. I McCormick, Indianapolis	5.00
Post No. 131, Russiaville	1.00
Post No. 198, Elkhart	3.00
Post No. 207, Cicero	
Post No. 152, Cannelton	1.00
Post No. 520, Oakland City	1.85
Post No. 114, Warsaw	3.00
Post No. 230, Pendleton	1.00
Post No. 220, Dana	2.00
Post No. 564, Farmersburg	2.00
Post No. 167, Roanoke	1.40
	\$283.24
Paid to Mrs. Estella Huffman, President W. R. C	
and to Min Motion Indiana, I tondent II. In Oillian	
Release in fund	¢182 94



Now at the close of the year for which you appointed me as your Assistant Adjuant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, I want to thank you, also all your subordinate officials, for the kindly treatment shown me, and the encouragement you have given me in my efforts for the advancement of our great organization. You have been faithful to all calls made on you during the year from the Department or of a patriotic nature or that would in any way advance the interests of the Grand Army; and to the Post Commanders and their membership I feel very grateful, for to them we owe much, and on them we must depend largely for whatever success comes to our organization.

Sincerely submitted in F. C. & L.
J. R. Fesler,

A. A.-G. and A. Q. M.-G.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 6, 1914.

To the Department Commander and Comrades of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

We, your committee duly appointed to audit the books of Comrade J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General of this Department, have the honor to report that we have made a careful inspection of the same and beg leave to report that we find them correct in every way.

DAN WAUGH, Chairman, HARLAN P. MILLER, LEWIS KING,

Auditing Committee.

REPORT OF JUDGE-ADVOCATE.

LOGANSPORT, IND., May 6, 1914.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR SIR—The undersigned respectfully reports that no ques-



tions have been presented to the office of the Judge-Advocate for consideration or decision during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH M. RABB,

Judge-Advocate Department of Indiana, G. A. R.

REPORT OF PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR.

May 6, 1914.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander:

I have the honor of reporting what has been done along the line of patriotic instruction.

Reports have been received from a number of Grand Army Posts, but there are many that have not made reports. This does not necessarily mean that those making no reports have not been active in the work. To my knowledge many Patriotic Instructors have done their duty (except making reports) and said nothing about it.

It must be borne in mind that the great majority of the Grand Army of the Republic are past the threescore and ten years—that they passed the summit of usefulness many years ago. Were it not for the fact that the armies of sixty-one to sixty-five were composed of men accepted because of more than average physical ability, those remaining would be very few.

However, with the advice and direction of the Grand Army of the Republic, younger generations, composed of their children, grandchildren, yes, and great grandchildren, have taken up the duties and it is gratifying to see and know that the work goes on.

Reports received indicate that the patriotism of the younger generation is much of what is desired, and they have learned that this is the greatest and best government on earth. They have also learned that it is not perfect and it will fall to them to correct its errors.

Where I have had the opportunities of talking to my Comrades, I have endeavored to induce them to continue moving. Those who gave up and laid down—that is, simply existed—are nearly all gone. There are some today who, to all purposes, are dead; but they walk about, eat and grumble.

The do-nothing man is necessarily unhappy. To all old veterans I would say, KEEP GOING. Have an object and work toward it. It is not expected that you will accomplish as much as if you were forty years younger. Remember that great numbers of things in many lines have been accomplished by men past eighty. Read books, make garden, keep your house and lot clean



and attractive. If possible, do something at your former avocation. One of the most beautiful desks I ever saw was made by a veteran past seventy-five. He took his time, but kept at it.

Do not conclude that all there is in life for you is to go to the post room and waste time with useless pieces of pasteboard. However, better do that than do nothing. If you would prolong life, be active, be useful, be of good cheer. From languor and inaction, men have become atrophied, sluggish, morbid and morose. The world is full of good things, which, if you make the effort, you may enjoy.

Work while you enjoy a life of cheerfulness, and when the end comes, die in the harness with a smile.

Let me enjoin you, when talking to children (or to older people, for that matter) to tell incidents, short, trite, truthful stories. They do not want to hear long, prosy, monotonous history. They get too much of that from textbooks. The ordinary talk to children should not exceed fifteen minutes, and if condensed to ten minutes it will be better. Stop while they are interested rather than make them interested to have you stop.

Do not boast of things you did during the war which you would be ashamed to do in private life. When you tell of chicken stealing and sheep killing, in the minds of the young who are moral and innocent, you place yourselves in the category of thieves. When you tell of the looting of private houses, then, in the face of the occupants and in spite of the tears and protests of innocent women and children, set fire to their property, you are placed in the list with marauders and brigands. As they see it, this was worse than burglary, because the burglar carries away only small valuables, but does not destroy homes and cause suffering from want and privation. Because "war is hell" do not let it be said that you were devils.

I knew an old veteran who often boasted of the houses he looted, the property he destroyed, the cotton he burned and the mansions he laid in ashes. In his vicinity these tales of vandalism brought discredit and a bad name to the Grand Army. This is not strange when we call to mind how we regard the treatment of the Armenians in Turkey and the people by the banditti in Mexico. The telling of these things has, in some cases, been the reason for many teachers objecting to the addresses of Grand Army men to the public schools.

In my position as Patriotic Instructor of the Department of Indiana I have taken up the matter of giving the history and evolution of the American flag. No more effective means of cultivating a love of country can be used than the inculcation of a



reverence for the flag. This is true for the middle aged and the old, but it is most effective and most desired by those early in life.

To best accomplish this purpose I have spent much time and money getting a large collection of flags consisting of those used from, and beginning with Christopher Columbus and John Cabot, down to the thirteen stripes and forty-eight stars.

I have in my collection a large number of foreign flags, which are displayed at one side and are of much interest, but the lecture is confined to and about the American flags and their predecessors.

The flags displayed number more than one hundred. Many of them are peculiar and unique and have an interesting history.

It is astonishing and interesting to see an audience composed mostly of pupils of the public schools, from eight to eighteen years, with eyes and ears at close attention for more than an hour, and at the lecture's close crowd around and ask questions. Boys and girls are hungry for this information and these true stories.

Where there is reverence and love for the flag it will be displayed at all proper times. The pupils of each school will see that there is a flag and that it is displayed—not because of the law, but because they revere, love and respect it, and because it is the emblem of a model government which they are soon to control.

At every home in America there should be at least one good American flag.

I served three years in the Civil War and nearly two years in the Spanish and Filipino War. I feel that I have done my duty for my country. But, in face of that, if I can be the means of instilling into the minds of the young a reverence for the flag—hence a love for country—I shall have accomplished more than a lifelong service in any other vocation. The soil is ready and fertile. I hope to sow some of the seed.

THE INDIANA STATE FLAG.

It is not generally known that, leaving out of consideration the new States, Arizona and New Mexico, every State in the Union has its flag except three—Arkansas, Idaho and Indiana. The matter of adopting a State flag is being considered by the Daughters of the American Revolution and some others.

I have a design which I desire to show you.

I will say first that Indiana was admitted to the Union on the 11th of December, 1816, and was the nineteenth State. The colors are red, white and blue. Thirteen stars are in a circle similar to the arrangement on the first American flag. Five stars are outside



the circle and the nineteenth is in the center. To those who live in Indiana it is the most important State in the Union, and since the flag is a Hoosier flag it is proper that the star representing our State should be larger than others and the center of attraction.

It is symmetrical, and, I think, beautiful. A point in its favor is that it is easily made. Should it be adopted, I shall give to those desiring them rules and specific dimensions for its construction.

Whatever design shall be adopted, I shall hurran for the Hoosier flag.

Respectfully submitted,

IRWIN B. ARNOLD, Patriotic Instructor.

REPORT OF VISITING COMMITTEE TO THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, KNIGHTSTOWN.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander, Grand Army Headquarters, Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR SIR AND COMBADE—Your Visiting Committee to the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, Ind., would respectfully submit the following report for 1913:

On the call of the Chairman, T. B. Wilkinson, your Committee, on the morning of October 16 (with the exception of a few absent members), and J. R. Fesler, A. A. G. Department of Indiana G. A. R., also Mrs. Judge McBride, National President of the W. R. C., were met at the gate by the Superintendent, Temple C. Dunn, and Captain Boltz. Led by the boys' gun squad and the Home band, we were escorted up the roadway, which was lined on either side by some four hundred and fifty of the boys and girls of the Home, each bearing a United States flag and dressed in the blue uniform of the Home, to the Administration Building.

A company of girls in a circle around the flag staff gave a pretty drill with small flags. As the flag was slowly raised, from a distance came the sweet strains of "The Star-Spangled Banner." As the flag rose in the breeze a salute was fired; then followed, that beautiful tribute, "Old Glory," by the girls.

At the noon hour the Committee witnessed the children pass into the dining room. When all were in they were quietly seated, and with bowed heads they in unison offered thanks, which was very impressive. The Superintendent then invited the visitors to his dining room, where a most excellent dinner was served.

The afternoon was devoted to inspecting the different departments, as well as the schoolroom. Your committee found everything in the best of order and in good sanitary condition. Only,



four children were sick, and they were on the veranda convalescing. Your committee thought this remarkable in a company of over five hundred children.

We think Superintendent Dunn is the man to fill the position. The committee were all pleased with the cordial welcome which they received from the officers and faculty of the school and home.

T. B. WILKINSON,

ALLEN W. GRAVE, Secretary. President.

REPORT OF COMMANDANT INDIANA STATE SOLDIERS' HOME, LAFAYETTE.

To the Department Commander:	
The Indiana State Soldiers' Home presents the following	re-
port for the year ending April 30, 1914:	
Number men enrolled May 1, 1913	489
Number women enrolled May 1, 1913	874
Total enrollment1	.,363
Number men admitted during the year ending April 30, 1914_ Number women admitted during the year ending April 30,	112
1914	167
Total admissions during the year	279
Number men discharged during the year ending April 30, 1914	79
Number women discharged during the year ending April 30, 1914	105
Total number discharged during the year	184
Number men died during the year ending April 30, 1914 Number women died during the year ending April 30, 1914	38 51
Total number of deaths during the year ending April 30,	89
Number men enrolled April 30, 1914	484
Number women enrolled April 30, 1914	885
Average number of men present during the year ending April 30, 1914	325
Average number of women present during the year ending April 30, 1914	
Total average number of members present-during the year ending April 30, 1914	877



Number of men in hospital April 30, 1914	45
Number of women in hospital April 30, 1914	105
Total number in hospital April 30, 1914	150
Number Mexican War soldiers enrolled April 30, 1914	3
Number of Civil War soldiers enrolled April 30, 1914	475
Number Spanish-American War soldiers enrolled April 30,	
1914	6
Average age of Mexican War soldiers	89
Average age of Civil War soldiers	72
Average age of Spanish-American War soldiers	46

The Home was crowded to its capacity during the winter and many were on the waiting list for months, some dying while waiting and many suffering for the comforts that can be supplied them at the Home. The Hospital has been crowded and many were sick in quarters, unable to be cared for as they should have been because of lack of room in the Hospital. An annex to the Hospital to care for those suffering from temporary mental trouble is badly needed, as there is no place to care for this class except in the general hospital, where they annoy the seriously sick.

One of the serious problems confronting the Home authorities is that of securing the help needed in the various departments. The members have been able to do much of the work in the past, but their days for hard labor are past, and we can not depend upon them for much but light work. Consequently we have had to employ many civilians, and it will be but a short time until all labor will have to be done by outside help. Every civilian that is employed takes the room that has been occupied by a member, hence each year our quarters for the veterans and their wives grow less

Except for the diseases incident to age, the health in the Home has been good for the past year. There have been no epidemics and but few cases of fevers. There were a few cases of pneumonia during the winter, but only two or three resulted fatally.

The members of the Grand Army of the Republic and its auxiliaries are cordially invited to visit the Home at any time.

Respectfully submitted,

D. B. KEHLER, Commandant.

H. R. CANFIELD, Adjutant.



REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 1914.

The Council of Administration met at Department Headquarters at the Denison Hotel at 4 o'clock. Present: Comrades J. R. Fesler, Lewis King, Alexander Hess and Daniel Waugh. The meeting was called to order by J. R. Fesler.

The report of the Auditing Committee was endorsed and the following recommendation made: That \$800 of the balance of the amount transferred from the special fund be put out at interest for six months or a year. Motion made by Comrade Waugh that this be done and seconded by Comrades Hess and King.

The Rules and Order of Business as printed were endorsed. No further business being brought before the Council, the meeting adjourned.

J. R. FESLER, LEWIS KING, DANIEL WAUGH, ALEXANDER HESS.

REPORT ON DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

Your Committee on the Department Commander's Address would respectfully report that we have found the address to be a very concise and comprehensive review of the Grand Army and its auxiliary and associated orders for the past year. The address is to be commended especially for the spirit of loyalty and good will manifested toward all the patriotic orders allied with the Grand Army.

The Commander makes due acknowledgment of the obligations of the Grand Army to its recognized auxiliary, the Woman's Relief Corps, for its increasing usefulness in teaching patriotism and reverence for the flag, and very properly says, concerning the Woman's Relief Corps:

"With its support, the Grand Army of the Republic will live; without its influence and support, the future of the Grand Army is lacking in promise."

The ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans are also given due recognition for their patriotic work. As the Commander says, these orders have the same noble aim as their sister organization, the Woman's Relief Corps, and the organizations are alike in their love for our representative form of government, in their admiration of valor; in devotion to country, and in reverence for the toil and sacrifice of the Union soldier.



Your committee most heartily approves this kindly spirit of friendship and good will manifested in the Commander's address toward all these allied organizations; this spirit that was so happily manifested by the members of these several organizations themselves on the occasion of their joint assembly during this Encampment. The spirit manifested here is very gratifying to the Grand Army. It is an indication that whatever there may have been of strife or jealousy in the past has been put aside and there is now a unity of purpose, harmony in co-operation, a union of hearts and hands, and an increased zeal in patriotic work by these several organizations.

Your committee approves the recommendation of the Commander regarding the consolidation of the Posts of the Grand Army where there are posts composed of a few members and there is a burden of expense on the faithful few in maintaining the organization.

As a recognition of the services of Commander Comstock we respectfully recommend that the usual token of appreciation be procured and presented to him on behalf of the Department of Indiana.

(Signed) GIL R. STORMONT,
SAMUEL M. HENCH,
DANIEL RYAN,
DANIEL WAUGH,
G. W. GRUBBS,

Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS' REPORTS.

COMMANDER AND COMRADES: There has been referred to your Committee on Officers' Reports the following:

Report of the Senior Vice-Department Commander; the report of the Junior Vice-Department Commander; the report of the Medical Director; the report of the Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster General; the report of the Judge-Advocate; the report of the Patriotic Instructor; the report of the Commandant of the State Soldiers' Home; the report of the Visiting Committee of the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home; the report of the Auditing Committee on the books and accounts of the Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, and the annual Financial Report to this Encampment of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Your Committee has gone over all these reports with great care and finds nothing calling for anything but praise and commendation.



The report of the Patriotic Instructor is full of valuable suggestions. That of Commandant D. B. Kehler, of the State Soldiers' Home, has much of pathos and interest in it and gives very positive indication of the very great need and usefulness of that institution. The report from the Woman's Relief Corps shows that that splendid organization has expended in relief work during the past year the cash sum of \$1,653.87; has extended aid other than in money to the amount of \$3,520.73; that it has secured and turned over in cash to the Posts of this Department the additional sum of \$1,102.83 and has expended for patriotic work the amount of \$789.82.

The report of the Council of Administration advises the investment of \$800.00 now in the hands of the Assistant Quartermaster General in some conservative interest bearing security, and your committee recommends the adoption of such recommendation. All of these reports give unmistakable indications of the faithfulness and zeal with which the work of this Department has been carried on during the past year, and they merit the approval of this Encampment.

(Signed) E. R. Brown,
MILTON GARRIGUS,
CHAS. H. MYERHOFF,
W. E. GORSUCH,
DAVID N. FOSTER,

Committee.

The next business was the election of the Delegates and Alternates to the National Encampment. The call of the districts resulted in the announcement that the following comrades had been selected:

DELEGATES.

Morris Ford, Post No. 415, New Harmony.
C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Jas. A. Sprowl, Post No. 28, Princeton.
W. S. Mead, Post No. 93, Spencer.
T. M. Ryan, Post No. 326, Bloomfield.
A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.
J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.
James White, Post No. 26, Madison.
Alonzo Murphy, Post No. 5, Greensburg.
J. M. Brown, Post No. 127, Franklin.
David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.
James S. Neeley, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.



T. L. Haymond, Post No. 18, Waldron.

C. H. Smith, Post No. 126, Connersville.

W. H. Wheeler, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

C. W. Chappel, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

C. W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

E. M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Abijah Green, Post No. 38, Union City.

G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie.

T. R. Caldwell, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

H. M. Sailors, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

N. D. Stanbro, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Geo. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Montmorenci.

I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Joel Yeager, Post No. 589, Lafayette (State Soldiers' Home).

B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.

William Starrett, Post No. 199, North Manchester.

Adam Foust, Post No. 33, Warren.

Albert Preston, Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Samuel M. Hench, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

H. A. Root, Post No. 46, Michigan City.

Elmer E. Crockett, Post No. 579, South Bend.

J. Pickrel, Post No. 132, Argos.

C. W. Scott, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

ALTERNATES.

W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton. John C. Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville. Geo. Newkirk, Post No. 424, Greentown. Michael Shirey, Post No. 385, Shoals. Will Kennedy, Post No. 77, Martinsville. W. J. Hauger, Post No. 87, Salem. J. M. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville. Dan Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour. H. B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. Henry Willmans, Post No. 36, North Vernon. Geo. W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville. Thos. J. Keylon, Post No. 592, Terre Haute. James Wymore, Post No. 126, Connersville. Chas. Lair, Post No. 126, Connersville. John Rheinschild, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Geo. Thormeyer, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Albert J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. L. L. Gilpin, Post No. 154, Portland.

Robert Dorste, Post No. 244, Anderson.



George Coats, Post No. 60, Winchester.

Schuyler LaTourette, Post No. 4. Covington.

B. F. Wise, Post No. 133, Noblesville.

J. M. Little, Post No. 207, Cicero.

Marcellus Rawles, Post No. 475, West Lafayette.

W. H. Langton, Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Henry T. Griggs, Post No. -, Goodland.

T. W. Given, Post No. 563 Monterey.

Albert Boley, Post No. 39, Marion.

John H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier.

John Loth, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

H. T. Kidder, Post No. 90, Goshen.

Chas. Laramore, Post No. 290, Knox.

A. Hunneshagen, Post No. 183, Kewanna.

David Smelzer, Post No. 37, Elkhart.

The following Comrades were named for Council of Administration:

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

W. J. Allen, Post No. 85, Bloomington.

A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.

J. E. Bickel, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

M. M. Lacey, Post No. 420, Fountain City.

W. N. Pickerill, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

I. P. Watts, Post No. 60, Winchester.

Henry M. Caylor, Post No. 133, Noblesville.

Henry A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.

Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Geo. W. Aldrich, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

J. D. Braden, Post No. 37, Elkhart.

The following Comrades were selected for the Committee on Resolutions:

First District-W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton.

Second District-L. L. Dilley, Post No. 322, Loogootee.

Third District-A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Fourth District-C. W. Calloway, Post No. 26, Madison.

Fifth District-W. P. McKinsey, Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Sixth District—S. B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District-A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—L. L. Gilpin, Post No. 154, Portland.

Ninth District-Milton Bell, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Tenth District-I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.



Eleventh District—B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City. Twelfth District—W. A. Kelsey, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. Thirteenth District—John C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.

The following Recruiting Officers were recommended by their respective districts:

First District—John C. Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville.

Second District—S. F. Johnson, Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Third District—Joseph VanMeter, Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

Fourth District—Lewis King. Post No. 13, Columbus.

Fifth District—Joseph Sherfey, Post No. 2. Brazil.

Sixth District—J. F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Seventh District—W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—

Ninth District—N. B. Dewey, Post No. 207, Cicero.

Tenth District—J. B. Shaw. Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—Milton Ewing, Post No. 41, Winamac.

Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Thirteenth District—William Hess, Post No. 260, Plymouth.

The following Comrades were selected to serve as Chairman, First and Second Vice-Chairmen and Tellers from the several districts until the next Encampment:

First District-

Chairman—August Leich, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Tellers—I. L. Smith, Post No. 27, Evansville; M. Ford,
Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Second District-

Chairman-

Tellers—T. M. Ryan, Post No. 326, Bloomfield; S. F. Johnson, Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Third District-

Chairman-J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Fourth District-

Chairman-Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.

Tellers—W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus; Chas. W. Calloway, Post No. 26, Madison.

Fifth District—

Chairman—David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville. Tellers—Oscar Rankin, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District-

Chairman—J. P. Iliff, Post No. 55, Richmond. Tellers—



Seventh District-

Chairman-A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Tellers—W. N. Pickerell, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District-

Chairman-P. J. Albright, Post No. 230, Pendleton.

Tellers—Luther Stewart, Post No. 350, Ridgeville; Wm. J. McAfee, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Ninth District-

Chairman—J. W. Barnes, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Vice-Chairman—Albert Haskett, Post No. 240, Westfield.

Tellers-N. D. Stanbro, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Tenth District-

Chairman-Daniel White, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Vice-Chairman-Henry Snyder, Post No. 51, Monticello.

Tellers—Geo. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Montmorenci; Isaac S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Eleventh District-

Chairman-J. M. Mappin, Post No. 409, Jonesboro.

Tellers—J. M. Cox, Post No. 199, North Manchester; Samuel Dunbar, Post No. 199, North Manchester.

Twelfth District-

Chairman-John H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Vice-Chairman-Fred Barrett, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Tellers—Isaac King, Post No. 125, Ligonier; G. W. Aldrich, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

Thirteenth District-

Chairman-H. A. Root, Post No. 46, Michigan City.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Motion was made by Comrade David G. Stuart of Post No. 26, duly seconded, that the selection of place of holding the Department Encampment next year should be left to the Council of Administration.

Carried.

Nominations for Delegate-at-Large to the National Encampment were called for. Motion was made, properly seconded, that the Comrade receiving the largest number of votes should be elected Delegate-at-Large and the one receiving the next highest should be elected Alternate-at-Large.



Nominations were made as follows: J. W. Ramsey, Second District; W. P. McKinsey, Fifth District; Alex. Hess, Sixth District; David Olive, Seventh District; J. W. Barnes, Ninth District; J. H. Biddle, Tenth District; James M. Bell, Eleventh District; and James S. Dodge, Thirteenth District. As Comrade Dodge is already a member of the National Encampment his name was withdrawn.

After four ballots were taken, Comrade J. H. Biddle, Post No. 74, was declared Delegate-at-Large, having received 269 votes. Comrade J. W. Ramsey, Post No. 72, having received 196 votes, the next largest number, was declared elected Alternate-at-Large.

It was then announced that committees from the auxiliary organizations were waiting at the door and they were admitted to the hall.

Commander Comstock introduced Commander-in-Chief Washington Gardner, who spoke as follows:

COMMANDER, COMRADES, LADIES, SONS OF VETERANS, AND ALL THE REST OF THE GOOD PEOPLE: This is the greatest conglomeration I have seen anywhere in the country. All either members of the Grand Army of the Republic or first cousins, where they are not daughters or sons; all closely related, all having the same objects in view. And now I am going to be like the Irishman who said he wanted to say something before he began to speak.

What I want to say is, we want you to come to Detroit next September. You can all come up on the last day of August if you want to and stay as long as you please if you will pay your own bills, but we want you there the first week in September.

Detroit has appropriated \$50,000 for the entertainment of the Grand Army and affiliated bodies and if you don't come you won't get any part of that money. If you want any of that \$50,000 come to Detroit and get your share. We are expecting a great many from Indiana. Indiana, Ohio, Michigan Illinois, New York and Pennsylvania will compete for supremacy in numbers at the National Encampment in Detroit.



Now I am not an Indiana man. I am a sort of cross between Ohio and Michigan. Born and reared in Ohio; served in the army from Ohio, but living in Michigan. My grandfather and grandmother on my mother's side lived and are buried in Indiana and I have many relatives in Indiana.

You have a man here that I was afraid of last year. I am not near so afraid of him now as I was a year ago at this time. His name is Somers, and he hails from Kokomo. What made me afraid of him was that he fought in the Army of the Cumberland and so did I, and I knew he was a scrapper from away back and a mighty good fellow. I am inclined to think that everybody who knows him likes him.

Now, comrades, I am not going to take your time long. I come to you at the end of an 18,700 mile journey to be the guest of this city. Having met our comrades in the affiliated orders in twenty-five states of the Union I never felt so proud of the Grand Army of the Republic or its personnel as I do at this moment. Whether in New England, along the South Atlantic coast or the Pacific coast, or away out in New Mexico or Utah, where Grand Army men are, there you will see a body of high grade men. They look just like you fellows do here this morning. In any of these states, as a body, I think they have more "high brows" among them than any other body of men I have seen. I have been exceedingly gratified at the work of the affiliated orders. The Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Daughters of Veterans, the Sons of Veterans and the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary; all of the bodies affiliated with the Grand Army of the Republic are made up of respected people.

In the Southern states I have found that the flag and Abraham Lincoln are gaining ground. (Applause.) In Arkansas, the Patriotic Instructor reported in that Encampment that the flag now floats over 6,000 school houses in that state. (Applause.) And they don't propose to cease work, the Grand Army and the Woman's Relief Corps, until it floats over every one. The same in Alabama, the same in Georgia and South Carolina, in Mississippi and Louisiana; in Oklahoma City, a beautiful city—in some respects the finest I have seen on the continent—twenty-five years ago a prairie, now a prosperous city.

Away down in Arkansas and in Louisiana they are commemorating the birth of Abraham Lincoln with appropriate exercises in the public schools and Lincoln is gradually rising to the same collossal proportions in the southland as in the northland.

Another thing I find in the South, and that is, there was not



a single one of the Johnnies said they were glad we licked them, but they said "We are glad we are in the United States and not out of it," and they are proud of this great Union, proud of this government and proud of the fact that they are a part of it. How could they have been in the Union if you had not gone south fifty years ago? How could they have been in the Union if it had not been for the patriotism and heroism of the mighty army of which you were once a part? In the war for the Union, in the war that saved a republican form of government, in the war that preserved this great government a nation of states, we did what we could.

But I will not take up your time longer. There is a great audience here. Reinforcements are here such as we never had in the South in my memory. The Woman's Relief Corps, I think, must be coming in. They are well named, as are the Ladies of the Grand Army and their affiliated bodies.

I thank you.

Commander Comstock: I now introduce to you Comrade Newton McGuire, Past Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans. Commander-in-Chief McGuire from this time will have charge of the meeting.

Mr. McGuire spoke as follows:

Mr. Commander and Members of the Great Patriotic Family of Civil War Organizations: This meeting was called for the purpose of exchanging greetings between the five or six organizations represented here in their state meetings. The object was to prevent the necessity of committees being appointed from each organization to go to the other organizations, and take the time to go backward and forward.

Now some of our friends are a little bit late. This meeting was called for 10:30 and it is now 11:30. We have agreed to limit the time of each speech to fifteen minutes. We have a parade at 2 o'clock and we have a flag lecture that I think you will all enjoy, at 3:30.

Now we have had a few remarks from the Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. We have with us also John E. Saulter, Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans.

Mr. Saulter spoke as follows:

COMMANDER, LADIES OF THE VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS, MEMBERS OF THE SONS OF VETERANS: I realize that this is a difficult hall to speak in and make yourself heard. I had no knowledge that



I was to take part until I reached this hall a few moments ago, and yet I am glad to have an opportunity to say a few words to you.

Commander-in-Chief Gardner referred to the fact that he war born in Ohio and was a soldier from Ohio, lives in Michigan, and has a large number of relatives in Indiana. Now I am from Pennsylvania, and I don't have any relatives in Indiana.

I want to tell a story concerning Commander-in-Chief Gardner, and it is the first time I have ever taken this liberty. I have been with the Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army in six different states and he has succeeded in finding either a wife or a relative in every one of them except the State of New Hampshire, where we were a few weeks ago. (Laughter.)

It is a pleasure to me as the Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans to meet all the bodies in one audience. I hope to have the time and strength tomorrow to meet each in its own session. Now in reference to the audience today I simply want to say this: It is evidence that the same parties are working in harmony—the Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary and the Sons of Veterans are working to one common end—the teaching of patriotism to the younger generation of this country of ours. While each of us have our own particular line of work it seems to me that after all the best is to work together as one body.

Mr. McGuire: Now we will begin our regular program—exchange of greetings between the organizations—and I want to say we are compelled to limit the time to ten minutes. I have a good time-keeper who will roll the drum when the ten minutes is up.

Mrs. Addie M. Wallace, representing the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans, was then introduced, and said in part:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: It seems that this year is the year that we break all precedents. First, the Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary established a precedent when we invited as our honored guests the Grand Army of the Republic and allied organizations. Having established that, the Executive Committee will break another precedent by doing away with the various committees for exchanging greetings, and so we meet here as one great patriotic family. Our fathers, the



glorious Grand Army of the Republic; our mothers, the members of the Woman's Relief Corps; and to our brothers, the Sons of Veterans. we. the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary bring you this morning our greetings and love. To our fathers we can only say that their example has made this great country what it is today.

Some one has said, without the mothers of the country we would have no country; without their faith, no religion; without their patriotism no state. So to our mother organization we bring our love, our greetings and our deep respect. To our sons—they have always had our love and they have it now—we stand by them side by side to help in the duties that they must take up as the Grand Army lays them down. The Grand Army of the Republic has made this the patriotic nation that it is. So many years ago they marched to the front, ready to sacrifice their lives. In these days when the land has been stirred by uprisings and rebellion I thing it is their example that has made it possible for the boys who are now ready, by thousands and thousands, to march to the defense of our flag. We say with Riley when we see Old Glory:

"Seeing you fly, and the boys marching by,
There's a shout in the throat and a blur in the eye,
And an aching to live for you always—or die—
If by dying, we still keep you waving on high."

And so I bring you our greetings this morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, Department President of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, was next introduced:

Mr. Chairman: I had selected a committee to bring greetings to this organization and they have failed me at this moment, so all I have to say is, I am glad to be here to bring greetings from the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic; Sisters of the Woman's Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary, we bring cordial greetings to all and are happy to be your guests.

Mr. McGuire: We won't have to roll the drum if they keep on like this. The next will be a word from the Woman's Relief Corps.

Mrs. Loretta Gorsuch, Past President of the Depart-



ment of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps, spoke briefly as follows:

Boys: I represent the Woman's Relief Corps, your Auxiliary, and I have been given just a few minutes to tell you how much we love you and what we have been doing for you in the past year.

The following short report will show the work done by this organization during the year:

Cash expended for relief	\$1,653.87
Relief other than money	3,520.73
Cash turned over to Posts	1,102.33
Cash expended for Patriotic work	789.82

We wish to plegde anew to you our allegiance for the years to come and we will never grow weary taking care of the old soldier and his dependent ones.

And now, Commander Comstock, with love and kindest greetings, we present to you these flowers from the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps.

We regret that we are unable to give the words of the department commander in accepting the immense cluster of flowers presented by the Woman's Relief Corps. He paid a graceful tribute to the patriotic and charitable work of the W. R. C., eulogized the purity of the character of woman and her great services in the relief of distress in and out of the army during the war, and emphasized the obligations of society to her for advances in refinement, morality and religion.

Dr. Alta M. Boram, Past Department President Woman's Relief Corps, next spoke:

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF LOYAL FATHERS: It is my pleasure to bring to you today, greetings from the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps. Every heart beats with hope for the furtherance of our work. It is my pleasure, Past Department Commander, to present you these in behalf of the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps.

(Presented a beautiful boquet to Mr. McGuire.)

Mr. McGuire: It is fitting at this time that a representative of the Sons of Veterans should reply to this beautiful tribute and the sentiment expressed. I will now call upon Honorable Charles A. Bookwalter.



Mr. Bookwalter:

My public oratory is generally in evidence in meetings of a little different character from this, but as a patriotic American, and the son of a father who fought with you, and the son of a mother who suffered with you, it is with a full heart that I present myself to acknowledge the appreciation of the Sons of Veterans for the compliment paid them and for the tribute offered by their good friends this morning. I also wish on behalf of that organization to extend to the men of the Grand Army of the Republic the love and veneration which their sons feel for them and to express to you their determination to preserve the heritage of liberty which they received in such rich measure because of your sacrifices, your heroism, your bravery, in the days that tried men's souls.

Within the past three weeks I spent one day on the battle-field of Chickamauga, and as I walked down those lines of government markers it seemed to me as though Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana had fought the Civil War. And as I saw the markings of the various regiments, men connected with those regiments seemed to march in review before me. I saw where the Eighty-Eighth stood, and I saw Ferd Boltz and Col. Humphrey. I saw the Forty-Fourth and Samuel Sweet went by. I saw the marker where Lilly's battery stood, and the majestic figure of old Captain Lilly seemed to stand beside those guns again.

But my friends of the Grand Army, all the heroism of the war was not manifested on the field of battle. There was just as much patriotism and heroism manifested by the mothers of the homes where the fathers had marched away, or by the mother in the home who nightly prayed for the safety of one, two, three and possibly four of her own boys. I feel as though our people of the kindred organizations can never do enough for the men and women of this northland who fought that war of the rebellion.

The sons of the men who fought the Civil War are just as willing today to uphold the honor of the American flag as were their fathers. Now my friends, we have but a humble part to play for a few years to come. It is for us to take up this work when you are ready to lay it down. Upon the teaching of patriotism to our youths in the school depends the safety, the security, the life of American institutions, and I believe that the Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary, are ready to pledge to you, their fathers, that the work you so well com-



menced shall never be permitted to stop. In their name I extend to you a warm fraternal greeting.

Mrs. Pauley, Past Department President of the Woman's Relief Corps, spoke next:

I hope I am not too late to bring greetings to the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. Mrs. Finch, the Division President, I come to you with greetings from the mothers and daughters representing the Woman's Relief Corps, Department of Indiana, and the Division of Indiana Sons of Veterans. (Presenting a large bouquet of daisies.)

Mrs. Finch, Division President S. V. A .:

MRS. PAULEY AND MEMBERS OF THE RELIEF CORPS: I am sure that if I were to pull each daisy apart and say "She loves me, she loves me not" the message of these daisies would be "She loves me." We want you to love us—you can't help it. On behalf of the organization, I thank you.

Mrs. Alice Waugh, Past Department President Woman's Relief Corps:

MR. CHAIRMAN, COMRADES, MEMBERS OF THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS, LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY, SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS: I come to speak a few words to you today on behalf of the Woman's Relief Corps. The relation of the Woman's Relief Corps to your organization is so beautiful—it is not like the story we have heard about the old gentleman who was reading his evening paper while his wife sat near. She seemed to be in deep meditation as she watched the cat on one side of the hearth and the dog on the other, both peacefully dozing. Finally, the wife turned to her husband and said, "John, don't you see how nicely Fido and Tabby are resting? Why can't we live that way, John—always quiet and peaceful, never any harsh words or quarrel?"

"Sarah," said the husband, "that is all right with the cat on one side and the dog on the other—everything is sweet and peaceful. But you just tie that cat and dog together and then see what happens."

We have not found the tie that binds us to your organization an irksome one.

I have often thought of that song we sing:

"Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above."



I want to say to you, we fully appreciate this reception and the work the Sons and Daughters have been doing. Afterwhile when people awake, there will begin to burn in the hearts of the younger generation the fires of patriotism and they will take pride in commemorating the deeds of their fathers and mothers of the Civil War. Afterwhile you will have many falling into your ranks.

On behalf of the Woman's Relief Corps I want to thank you for this most wonderful and happy reception.

Mrs. Ida McBride, National President of the Woman's Relief Corps, had left the hall, but was called back, and spoke as follows:

My Own Indiana Friends: I know you are all hungry and I will not stay here to keep you a minute. I wanted to look into your faces, but these men talked so long I could not stay any longer. I say "God speed."

Mrs. Berkwitz, National President Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary, in a brief speech assured the Sons of Veterans that the organization which she represented, was back of their order, trying in every way to help in the work which they were undertaking in common.

The formation of the parade and line of march was next announced, after which the convention adjourned, to meet Friday morning.

FRIDAY, MAY 8.

The Encampment was opened in due form, Rev. P. J. Albright invoking the divine blessing.

Oh God, our Heavenly Father, we have met here in the interests of patriotism, good government and good citizenship and we ask that thy blessings shall be upon us. Bless us in our deliberations; make us wise in our selections of men for the coming year. Bless, we pray thee, those who shall be selected for office this day. Bless the Order that we all love so well.

Bless our country, Oh Lord, we pray Thee, in this time of distress, and bless and guide all those in authority. Grant, if it be thy will, that the hand of war be stayed and that the dove of peace perch upon our flag. Bless our neighbors on the south, the Mexicans, and show them the right way, the good way.



And grant, Oh Lord, that each of us may be preserved in that Grand Army above. Amen.

Comrade A. M. Scott, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, presented the report of that Committee.

The committee reported unfavorably upon the following resolution, offered by Comrade Robert J. McBride, Post No. 17:

In the interest of economy I propose the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, that at all future encampments in this Department the only official badge for delegates shall be a ribbon badge.

The committee reported favorably on the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted by rising vote. (Offered by Comrade McBride.)

Resolved: That the Department of Indiana is unalterably opposed to any change in the design of the flag of our country. We are especially opposed to the proposed change which would substitute for its field of stars a reproduction of that battle flag under which the enemies of the Republic fought to destroy it. This proposed cross between the flag of our Union and the flag of disunion has been fittingly characterized by the National President of the Woman's Relief Corps as a "hybrid glorification of disloyalty." Let Old Glory be unchanged for all time, except as it may be changed by the addition of new stars.

And be it further Resolved, That the Assistant Adjutant-General of this department be instructed to transmit a certified copy of these resolutions to the Adjutant-General, with a request that they be presented to the next National Encampment, at Detroit, and that the National Encampment be asked to endorse the sentiment herein expressed.

Comrade D. N. Foster presented the following resolution, which had the endorsement of the committee and was unanimously adopted by the Encampment:

The Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic in annual Encampment assembled, instructs its representatives in the 48th National Encampment to present the name of Comrade Orlando A. Somers, Past Department Commander of this Department, for Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the



Republic, and to labor with all earnestness and zeal for his election.

This is but repeating the action of this Encampment one year ago, when a similar resolution was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted. On behalf of its candidate at the Chattanooga Encampment, Indiana, assisted by comrades of many other departments, made a fraternal but most earnest campaign for Comrade Somers, and it is not too much to say entirely succeeded in impressing upon the members of that National Encampment a most favorable estimate of his high character, vigorous personality and splendid comradeship. When, however, it became apparent that the encampment was disposed to select the able, eloquent, and forcible comrade from the Department of Michigan, our present honored Commander-in-Chief, Washington Gardner, Comrade Somers took the platform and in an eloquent speech which fairly electrified that great audience, withdrew his name, and it was upon his motion that the rules were suspended and Comrade Washington Gardner was declared to be unanimously chosen.

Indiana, although one of the largest of all the Departments, has never had but one Commander-in-Chief, while each of the other Departments of equal numerical strength have had four. We believe that the claims of the Department for this high office are generally recognized and that the National Encampment at its approaching session will act accordingly and will confer upon our beloved Past Department Commander, Comrade Somers, this highest honor in the gift of the Grand Army and one for which he is in every way so eminently fitted.

The following resolution, presented by Comrade David Strouse, Post No. 9, was not concurred in by the committee but was adopted by the Encampment after some discussion:

WHEREAS, the Council of Administration now consists of only five members and as the Comrades grow older the probabilities of their attendance at the Encampments will lessen, and

WHEREAS, The National Council of Administration is composed of one member from each Department,

Be it Resolved, That it is the sense of this Encampment that the laws be changed so that the Council of Administration shall consist of one member from each District, who shall be nominated at the time of the election of delegates to the National Encampment.



Council of Administration be selected by districts in the same manner and at the same time as before.

Approved.

The following resolution was reported favorably by the committee and adopted by the Encampment.

Whereas, Information has been received that it is possible the National Military Home for disabled soldiers and sailors situated near the city of Marion, in Grant county, state of Indiana, may be closed, and

Whereas, Said Home is situated in a healthful locality; is in a high state of preservation, with most beautiful grounds and easy of access to thousands of veterans, and

Whereas, The state of Indiana furnished over 210,000 soldiers, much above its quota, during the late Civil War, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the State Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, now in session in the city of Indianapolis, that the Senators and members of Congress from said state be, and they are hereby requested to use their every honorable means and efficient services for the maintenance of said Home.

Resolved, That a duly certified copy hereof be furnished to each United States Senator and member of Congress from the State of Indiana.

The following resolution was not concurred in by the committee on resolutions but was adopted by the Encampment:

Whereas, It is the sacred duty of every people to preserve the records of its historic achievements for the benefit of posterity, and

Whereas, The people of Indiana are to vote at the coming November election on the appropriation of \$2,000,000.00 for a Centennial Memorial Building in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the state, and

Whereas, This building, designed for the State Library and State Museum is greatly needed by those institutions on account of their overcrowded condition, there being now no room for the display of the battleflags of the state, for whose preservation adequate provision has at length been made.

Resolved. That this body earnestly indorses the proposed appropriation and pledges the support of its influence to secure the adoption of the same at the November election.



The following resolution was offered by Post No. 290, Knox, Ind.:

Resolved, That all pensions should be paid monthly instead of quarterly, and be it further

Resolved, That we recommend that the State Encampment solicit the National Encampment to use their influence to have a law enacted that will provide for the payment of every Soldier's and Sailor's pension monthly.

Not concurred in by committee. Motion was made to lay on table. Carried.

The following resolution, offered by Comrade W. P. McKinsey, was endorsed by the committee and adopted by the Encampment:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Encampment are due and hereby tendered,

First, to National Commander Washington Gardner, for his official visit to our Department. We have greatly enjoyed his public greeting and addresses and his private and social conversations. We will ever cherish with grateful recollection the cordial spirit of the man and the comrade.

To the Sons of Veterans for the generous invitation to be their guests, the hospitable reception they gave us. We congratulate them on their past achievements and the prophecy of their future patriotic duty well done.

To the Posts and Comrades of our Capital City for their official reception and their personal fraternity.

To the Press of the City for loyal support and the generous manner its columns have been used in our behalf.

To our beloved Commander Comstock; his administration has been eminently successful and satisfactory to his comrades.

To Assistant Adjutant-General Fesler, patient, gentle, efficient and brotherly. May his shadow never grow less.

To the Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans, thanks for your presence and for your great deeds of kindness to the unfortunate comrades everywhere. May the Great Captain, without whom we can do nothing, ever bless the labor of your hands.

To the Governor of our great state, Hon. Samuel M. Ralston, for his kindly official greetings and his magnificent proffer of future generous treatment.



To the Mayor of our capital city, Hon. Joseph E. Bell, for his official welcome and greetings.

To Mrs. James L. Gavin and to the Logansport Quartet for the generous contribution of their splendid gift of song to greatly minister to our pleasure and profit.

But time would fail us to speak of Messrs. McGuire. Armstrong, Shellhouse, Bookwalter, LaRue, Murphy, Hansche, Arnold and Wheat, and also Mesdames Burr, Howard, Huffman and Finch; the bands and orchestra; the Boy Scouts, and to all who in any way helped in making this Encampment a glorious success, all of whom wrought well. Blessings on all and praise be given.

Finally to all our glorious comrades who stood in the day of distress by our side, may grace, mercy and peace be given at all times and for all purposes.

The following was offered by Comrade I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette, and approved by Encampment:

Memorial Day—sacred to the memory of our Comrades who have gone before; Decoration Day—a time to blanket the graves of our honored dead with the choicest flowers of May time. Our day—purchased through the spilling of blood, should not be made a time of irreverence, but rather of deep pathos. Patriotism, Love of Country and Love of God, should prompt the reaper to be still, the merchant to turn the key in his door and the sportsman to stand reverently in the City of the Dead:

Thus believing, we, survivors of the Civil War, summon the best thought of a Christian civilization to demand, through agitation and education, a proper reverence for a day made sacred by the valor and patriotism of the American soldier.

The following, presented by Comrade Robt. H. Mc-Bride, of Geo. H. Thomas Post No. 17:

There was some discussion over this resolution, Comrade G. W. Alexander, Commander Geo. H. Thomas Post, No. 17, contending that, while no one doubted the



ability or the intellect of Col. Ingersoll, yet, on account of his religious views it was difficult to decide where "virtue ends and vice begins."

Comrade S. M. Hench: When we carried the flag in southern climes we carried it because it represented everything that was loyal; we asked no man what his religion was; we said to him "Are you a patriot? Are you a comrade? Do you believe in Old Glory?" And today we all know that no more patriotic man ever lived than Col. Ingersoll. I say to you today, that address of Col. Ingersoll's will live when we are gone. I am in favor of the resolution as presented by Comrade McBride, and hope this convention will not pass it by because it conflicts with some of their religious views.

The resolution was carried by a rising vote.

Motion was made that the change of rules as to the Council of Administration should go into effect at once. Carried.

Past Commander David N. Foster spoke as follows in presenting badge to Commander Comstock:

Combades: There have been two very happy days in my life. One was in 1885 when, by the vote of the Comrades of this Department I was elected Department Commander. The other happy day was just a year from that time when I laid down the burden of having been your Commander. I have it in my mind that Department Commander Comstock has had one of his happy days and that he will have the other after the adjournment of this Encampment. On my way to California in 1886, I said to the Department Commander of Wisconsin, admiring the badge upon his coat, "How much did it cost?" He said it cost the Department of Wisconsin \$150.00, but it cost him \$3,000, for he had neglected his business and his work in behalt of the comrades of that Department. Now that is just about what the badge that this department presents to each of its Past Department Commanders costs the recipient. You have had thirty-eight Commanders. Twenty of those have passed over. We all hope-



that our numbers will not be so rapidly diminished upon the list of your Past Department Commanders as they have been in the years that have gone by.

Now I am going to pin this badge upon Department Commander Comstock's coat as a slight token of the love and respect of the comrades of Indiana and as a small return for his faithful service during the year that is now closing.

Commander Comstock:

COMPADES: While usage makes the bestowal of this beautiful badge at the conclusion of my term an incident to the office of Department Commander, and robs it of such special meaning as attends the presentation of medals or other insignia expressive of honorable deeds in military or civil life, I am nevertheless proud and grateful to receive it, and am deeply moved by the gracious words of Comrade Foster spoken in behalf of the department. Believe me, it will not be lightly prized. It will be cherished not only as a memento of "the big war" in which it was my privilege to take an honorable though humble and obscure part, but long after the Grand Army of the Republic has become a memory it will be held by those of my blood who follow me, as a precious legacy, "a message and a token" of patriotism.

The following communication from the Department of Ohio was read, but inasmuch as Indian also has a candidate for Commander-in-Chief no action was taken:

CINCINNATI, OHIO, May 3, 1914.

Gen. Daniel W. Comstock, Commander Department Indiana G. A. R., Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR COMRADE: We will consider it a very great favor if you will present this communication to your coming State Encampment, as we feel that the widest publicity should be given and the most thorough investigation be made of the merits and ability of the comrades the different Departments may bring out for Commander-in-Chief, and other offices, at the next National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in Detroit, Michigan.

In presenting Ohio's candidate for Commander-in-Chief, Comrade Charles W. Blodgett, we ask the favor of a careful weighing of his merits and ability; feeling confident that if this is done he will receive the overwhelming support of his comrades throughout the United States, for we know him to possess, in an eminent degree, all of the qualifications so essential to the successful management of the executive affairs of the Grand Army



of the Republic. And we assure you that any support that may be given to him by your Department, will not only be highly appreciated by your Ohio comrades, but it will be a fitting recognition of a comrade who has labored indefatigably, energetically and untiringly for more than thirty years to promote the interests of the Grand Army of the Republic.

During his incumbency of the office of the Department Commander of Ohio. 1912-1913, he made a most brilliant record as an executive officer. He attracted nation-wide attention for his careful, economical and thoroughgoing businesslike management of the affairs of the Department. On the rostrum he proved himself to be not only a most pleasing and effective public speaker, but one of the most brilliant orators in our organization, and we know of no man better equipped than he for the successful discharge of the important duties of Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

We are sending to your State Encampment, in your care, folios for your delegates, alternates, and members of your Council of Administration, and kindly ask that you call attention to the same and see that they are distributed. If we are not asking too much, we woulld be pleased to have the contents of the folio read to your Encampment.

Hoping you will have a most successful and harmonious meeting, we remain,

Yours in F., C. & L.,

The Executive Committee,

JOHN FEHRENBATCH,

Chairman.

The following communication was read by Comrade Foster and ordered printed in the official Journal:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 8, 1914.

To the Indiana G. A. R. and the Woman's Relief Corps:

The Woman's Franchise League of Indiana in convention assembled sends sincere and hearty greetings to your noble and patriotic bodies.

May every object for which you have come together be fulfilled, and may the love of country and of the nation's flag have a higher place in the hearts of the people because of your heroic sacrifices.

Very truly yours,
AMELIA R. KELLER, President.
JULIA C. HENDERSON, Secretary.



Nominations for Department Chaplain were called for.

Comrade W. P. McKinsey, Post No. 186, Plainfield, was nominated by Comrade Alexander. There being no other nomination, Comrade McKinsey was declared Department Chaplain by unanimous vote of the Encampment. (Comrade McKinsey has since taken a transfer to Post No. 42, Lebanon.)

For Medical Director, Comrade G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, was nominated by Comrade W. W. Daugherty; Comrade S. I. Brown, Post No. 290, was also nominated.

Comrade Brown stated that inasmuch as he had already been twice honored by the position of Medical Director of the Department he wished to withdraw his name, and on his motion, duly seconded, the election of Comrade Kemper as Medical Director was made unanimous.

Nominations for Junior Vice-Department Commander were called for. Comrades Charles H. Myerhoff, Post No. 27, and John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, were nominated. Comrade Myerhoff received 424 votes and Comrade Kratli 105. On motion of Comrade Kratli the election of Comrade Myerhoff was made unanimous.

Nominations for Senior Vice-Department Commander were next called for. Comrades T. B. Springer, Post No. 435; N. A. Chamberlin, Post No. 277; and Arthur Smith, Post No. ___ were nominated. A ballot was taken which resulted in the election of Comrade T. B. Springer as Senior Vice-Commander of the Department for the ensuing year.

Nominations for Department Commander were next in order. Comrade Thos. B. Buskirk was placed in nomination by Comrade E. W. Menaugh, of the Third Dis-



trict; Comrade A. B. Crampton, by Comrade L. S. Myers, seconded by a part of the First District; Comrade W. W. Daugherty by Comrade L. L. Dilley, seconded by the Second District and a part of the First; and Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, by Comrade A. J. Buchanan.

A ballot was taken which resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes cast	591
Necessary to a choice	296
Comrade Wilson received	41
Comrade Buskirk received	99
Comrade Daugherty received	153
Comrade Crampton received	298

Comrade Daugherty moved that the election of Comrade Crampton be made unanimous, which was done, and Comrade Crampton was declared elected Department Commander for the ensuing year.

Comrade Buskirk spoke as follows:

COMBADES: I had a premonition last evening of what was coming. I have a son living in this city and I invited his family to take supper with me. While we were seated at the table in the dining room downstairs a tall, dignified man with soldierly bearing passed and my young grandson asked his name. He was told that it was Mr. Crampton, one of the men who would make the race for Department Commander against me. He turned around and said, "Well, Grandpa, if size has anything to do with it he's got it on you."

I want to say this to you—in stature I am rather limited, but in breadth and circumference I have considerable space on me and there is not an inch for a sore spot; and I want to say, I am rather relieved that it has gone as it has. I am for Crampton.

Now I want to say a word for myself. I am proud of my service during the War of the Rebellion. I enlisted in June, and the following November I was seventeen years old. I went into the army as a private soldier. I served as Corporal, Sergeant and Orderly Sergeant, and before I was nineteen years old received a commission as First Lieutenant from Governor Oliver P. Morton. I simply speak of this to show you that I certainly did my duty or I would not have received a commission and been in command before I was nineteen years old.

Of another thing I am proud. Go to Washington, D. C., and



search the records, beginning with the Revolutionary War, War of 1812, War with Mexico, Spanish-American War, and you will find the name of the family of which I am an humble member recorded all along the line. My ancestors were revolutionary soldiers. My great-grandfather was a revolutionary soldier and he had a son in the war of 1812. On the pages of this country you will find the names of my ancestors, loyal to the government.

Now I want to say to you—(here the speaker turned to the newly elected Commander)—Mr. Crampton, come up here. (Comrade Crampton stepped to Comrade Buskirk's side.) Now are you surprised at that premonition of mine? Here's the long and the short of it.

Now to the friends who so loyally supported me, I want to thank you from the bottom of a grateful heart. I made no entangling promises—I was going to say I ran on my merits—but—

(Comrade Buskirk took his seat amid laughter and applause.)

Comrade Ryan: Comrades, I want to introduce to you a man you all want to know. (Introduced Comrade Crampton.)

Comrade Crampton:

COMRADES: I can appreciate what was said here a few moments ago about this being one of the happiest days of a man's life. It is surely a happy day in my life, though there are many pleasant things that have occurred since I have been in this city. I have seen things in Indianapolis since I have been here this week that pleased me even more than this honor.

As I went through the streets and saw the Boy Scouts I said to myself, "This country is safe in the hands of the American boy." And I am reminded of the death bed scene of an Emperor who had devoted his whole time and attention to affairs of state. His family, his physician, and his spiritual adviser, all said to him "Pay no attention to the affairs of State. Make your peace with God." But he said, "My country needs my services. My greatest and only concern is for my country."

They brought the soldiers and marched past him and said, "The army will take care of the country." "Yes," he said, "but the soldiers are getting old, too. The soldiers will die." They then brought the militia before him. "Yes," he said, "but they will die."

They then marched the school children before him and he said, "The school children will never die. Now I can die in peace."



Comrades, we can leave this room and this world in the certainty that the flag is safe.

Comrade Ryan: Officer of the Day, you will present for installation the Department Commander-elect.

Past Department Commander Foster then installed into office, Department Commander A. B. Crampton; Senior Vice-Department Commander T. B. Springer; Junior Vice-Department Commander Chas. H. Myerhoff; Medical Director G. W. H. Kemper; Department Chaplain, W. P. McKinsey.

The Department Commander then announced the appointment of Comrade J. R. Fesler as Assistant Adjutant and Assistant Quartermaster-General and he was duly installed.

Comrade Foster:

I have been requested by our beloved Past Department Commander Comstock who has just transferred from his shoulders to the broad shoulders of the new Commander the duties of the Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, to present the Department badge which I hold in my hand. It has been worn by twenty-nine of your Department Commanders successively. Department Commander Crampton will be the thirtieth to wear it. It has been suggested that when the last Department Commander shall be laid away, it shall be preserved in the archives of the State.

I am sure I share the feelings of our comrades here when I say that no star in this badge will be dimmed by any act of our new Department Commander, but that he will add greater luster to it. With your consent I now pin it upon his breast.

Patriotic Instructor Irwin B. Arnold here exhibited a design for a state flag, which he proposed to have adopted by the State of Indiana. No action was taken by the convention in this matter.

The Department Chaplain pronounced the benediction and the Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic was duly closed.



GENERAL ORDERS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. OFFICE ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 3, 1913.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.

1. At the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic, held at Indianapolis, May 21, 22 and 23, 1913, the following Comrades were elected to the offices herein designated:

Department Commander,
Daniel W. Comstock, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Senior Vice-Department Commander,

John H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Junior Vice-Department Commander,

David H. Olive, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Department Chaplain,

E. L. Seaman, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Medical Director.

W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton.

Council of Administration,

August Leich, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.

Daniel Waugh, Post No. 203, Tipton.

J. L. McMasters, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

II. The following staff appointments are announced:

Assistant Adjustant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, John R. Fesler, Post 281, Indianapolis.

Chief of Staff.

M. M. Lacey, Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Judge-Advocate.

Joseph M. Rabb, Post No. 14, Logansport.

Patriotic Instructor,

Irwin B. Arnold, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Department Inspector,

W. J. Allen, Post No. 85, Bloomington.



Chief Mustering Officer.

Charles Kretchmar, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Color Bearer,

Chas. W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Chief Bugler,

James T. B. Hollett, Post No. 242, Brownsburg.

III. The following Comrades were elected Delegates and Alternates to the Forty-seventh National Encampment, to be held in Chattanooga, Tennessee, during the week beginning September 15, 1913:

Delegates.

Samuel M. Hench (at large), Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. George D. Martin, Post No. 15, Petersburg. C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville. James A. Sprowl, Post No. 28, Princeton. John T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington. Chester E. Peck, Post No. 72, Washington. L. L. Dilley, Post No. 322, Loogootee. A. H. McQuiddy, Post No 191, New Albany. E. P. Ervin, Post No 127, Franklin. Smith Redd, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus. David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville. James M. Barlow, Post No. 186, Plainfield. Jesse Robertson, Post No. 1. Terre Haute. W. H. Norris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. W. B. Block, Post No. 148, Newcastle. George W. Hill, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. R. M. Smock, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. John Rheinschild, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Elias M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton. G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie. J. H. Wagner, Post No. 61, Elwood. J. W. Barnes, Post No. 30, Kokomo. A. A. Haskett, Post No. 103, Sheridan. Geo. Newkirk, Post No. 424, Greentown. David Handley, Post No. 65, Frankfort. Joel Yeager, Post No. 589, Lafayette. Daniel White, Post No. 3, Lafayette. Henry A. Miller, Post No. 277, Montmorenci. Adam Foust, Post No. 3, Warren. James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash.



Benj. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.
D. L. Beaber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.
Nicholas Ensley, Post No. 67, Auburn.
M. L. Patterson, Post No. 401, Akron.
John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, Knox.
William Stafford, Post No. 132, Argos.
C. W. Burket, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Alternates.

P. J. Albright (at large), Post No. 230, Pendleton. John Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville. Robert Clark, Post No. 415, New Harmony. Wesley Wilson, Post No. 120, Boonville. W. H. Faris, Post No. 72, Washington. Joe Streeter, Post No. 72, Washington. A. D. Colbert, Post No. 72, Washington. William R. McKnight, Post No. 87, Salem, R. R. No. 2. H. P. Spath, Post No. 82, Aurora. J. F. Hammil, Post No. 26, Madison. D. W. Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour. Joseph C. Sherfey, Post No. 2, Brazil. John W. Whyte, Post No. 164, Danville. John E. Bickel, Post No. 592, Terre Haute. C. T. Morfort, Post No. 92, Greenfield. John C. Hume, Post No. 81, New Salem, R. R. No. 14. Nathan Nicholson, Post No. 148, Newcastle. Henry Nicoli, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. L. M. Chapman, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. G. W. Summers, Post No. 209, Indianapolis. Abijah Green, Post No. 38, Union City. F. M. Van Pelt, Post No. 244, Anderson. Chas. Weymire, Post No. 61, Elwood. R. C. Clark, Post No. 65, Frankfort. James Casey, Post No. 203, Tipton. G. W. Shanklin, Post No. 557, Flora. Jesse Neff, Post No. 42, Lebanon. Henry Snyder, Post No. 51, Monticello. Albert A. Jones, Post No. 3, Battle Ground. Joseph Jackson, Post No. 475, West Lafayette. Joseph Mappin, Post No. 409, Gas City. W. M. Wampler, Post No. 50, Galveston. D. B. McConnell, Post No. 14, Logansport. Albert Preston, Post No. 104, Lagrange. John Kress, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.



Ed Malloy, Post No. 147, Laporte. J. T. Gaines, Post No. 95, Rochester. Samuel Osborn, Post No. 489, Culver. Joseph Turnock, Post No. 579, South Bend.

IV. The following Comrades, on the recommendation of their delegates at the State Encampment, are hereby appointed Recruiting Officers of their respective districts for one year:

Recruiting Officers.

First District—Ephraim Rowe, Post No. 120, Boonville.

Second District—Ben Tolson, Post No. 72, Washington.

Third District—Wm. Veazy, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Fourth District—A. S. Creath, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Fifth District—Thomas C. Williams, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District—

Seventh District—E. W. Bishop, Post No. 78, Muncie.

Ninth District—E. W. Bishop, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Fenth District—Isaac S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—Wm. W. Adams, Post No. 368, Montpelier.

Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Thirteenth District—A. Hunneshagen, Post No. 183, Kewanna.

- V. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Adjutants and Quartermasters are enclosed herewith; also blanks for Post Chaplain's Memorial Day reports. Post officers are urged to see that thee blanks are filled out promptly and correctly and forwarded with per capita tax not later than July 10.
- VI. Post Commanders will appoint and forward the name of one good Comrade for Aide on the staff of the Department Commander. On receipt of his name the Assistant Adjutant-General will forward his commission.
- VII. All official communications should be addressed and all remittances made to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, Room 25, State House, Indianapolis, Indiana. Personal communications to the Department Commander should be addressed to Daniel W. Comstock, Richmond, Indiana.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock.

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,

Assistant Adjutant-General.



HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 1, 1913.

GENERAL ORDER No. 2.

1. The Forty-seventh National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will convene at Chattanooga, Tennessee, September 15 to 20, 1913. National Headquarters will be established at the Hotel Patton. The Headquarters of the Department of Indiana will be established at the Eastern Hotel, Rooms 306 and 307. Railroad rates have not been definitely fixed but we are assured of one cent a mile south of the Ohio river, either via Louisville or Cincinnati. Tickets will be good for thirty days at so reasonable a rate, and the Encampment being held almost in the midst of so many hard contested battlefields we feel assured that the Department of Indiana will be largely represented. Another such opportunity will not come to many of us again. The official route and date of starting will be made known at a later date.

II. The following named Comrades, on the recommendation of their Post Commanders, are appointed Aides-de-Camp upon the staff of the Department Commander. They are expected to assist the Department Commander in his efforts to build up the organization by making it a point to see that every veteran soldier that holds an honorable discharge and sharing the benefits that come to them through the labors of the organization shall enter the ranks of the Grand Army.

James R. Henry, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Rufus H. Hawley, Post No. 260, Plymouth. William Hart, Post No. 589, Lafayette.

Jerome H. Biddle, Post No. 74, Remington. Ransom E. Hawley, Post No. —, Indianapolis. C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Indianapolis. Thos. F. Chaffee, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Nathan A. Perrill, Post No. 42, Lebanon. Henry C. McMaken, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne. Lafayette Larsh, Post No. 55, Richmond. Stephen I. Brown. Post No. 290, Knox. Thomas J. Cofer, Post No. 164, Danville. Stewart Barnes, Post No. 307, Sullivan. William Pauley, Post No. 85, Bloomington. Samuel Martin. Post No. 4, Covington.



D. W. Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour.
William H. Duckworth, Post No. 491, Mt. Vernon.
Leander S. Denius, Post No. 148, Newcastle.
Jacob Snyder, Post No. 152, Cannelton.
T. W. Underwood, Post No. 358, Pennville.
John H. Ladd. Post No. 327, Merom.
C. A. Hutchinson, Post No. 93, Spencer.
William Clowes, Post No. 39, National Military Home.
Andrew J. Wood, Post No. 350, Ridgeville.
Andrew Fite, Post No. 191, New Albany.
William Fertich, Post No. ___.
James L. Stewart, Post No. 520, Oakland City.
J. A. Bramble, Post No. 322, Loogootee.

III. The following comrades are appointed to visit the Soldiers' Home at Lafayette:

John V. Hadley, Post No. 164, Danville. Edwin P. Hammond, Post No. ___, Lafayette. R. W. McBride, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. William H. Calvert, Post No. 369, Indianapolis. Joseph H. Kirby, Post No. 85, Bloomington. W. J. Allen, Post No. 85, Bloomington. Byron Russell, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville. T. E. Howard, Post No. 8, South Bend. T. C. Grooms, Post No. 11, Greencastle. Wm. H. Armstrong, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. W. B. McMaken, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. John W. Barnes, Post No. 30, Kokomo. William Warren, Post No. 27, Evansville. Jesse Neff, Post No. 42, Lebanon. Harlan P. Miller, Post No. 369, Indianapolis. Lycurgus Powell, Post No. 148, Newcastle.

IV. To visit the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown:

John Kress, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

T. B. Wilkinson, Post No. 168, Knightstown.
Lemuel A. Denius, Post No. 148, Newcastle.
Garrett H. Shover, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
John A. Markley, Post No. 55, Richmond.
John G. Holt, Post No. —, Spiceland.
John Dynes, Post No. 210, Centerville.
A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
John R. Owens, Post No. 127, Franklin.
Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.



J. W. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton.
S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.
Ben I. McFarlan, Post No. 81, Rushville.
Allen W. Grave, Post No. 55, Richmond.
James B. Black, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

V. Blanks were mailed to the Quartermaster and Adjutant of each Post in the Department for their semi-annual reports for the term closing June 30th, and we urge upon them the necessity of promptness in making them out and forwarding them to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, at Room 25, State House, that he may make his Consolidated Reports to the Adjutant-General not later than July 20th. The Quartermaster is especially requested to report the amount of relief given by Post during each term. Please be prompt.

VI. The name of the delegate to National Encampment from Post No. 148, Newcastle, should read "W. B. Bock" instead of "W. B. Block" as shown in General Order No. 1.

VII. General Order No. 6 from National Headquarters is enclosed herewith and Post Commanders will see that they are read at Post meetings.

By command of
DANIEL W. COMSTOCK,
Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

. Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 23, 1913.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 3.

1. The Headquarters train to the National Encampment to be held in Chattanooga, Tennessee, September 15th to 20th, will be over the Pennsylvania road to Louisville, and the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railway from Louisville, all joining the headquarters train at Louisville. The Headquarters train will leave Indianapolis at 7 P. M. Sunday, September 14th, arriving at Louisville at 10 P. M., and leave at 10:10 P. M., arriving at Chattanooga at 6:30 A. M. the 15th. The railroad fare for the

round trip will be \$11.35, and corresponding low rates from other parts of the state. Arrangements are made for through standard and tourist sleepers from Indianapolis to Chattanooga. The cost of lower berth from Indianapolis will be \$2.50; upper \$2.00; drawing room, \$9.00; lower berth in tourist, \$1.25 and upper \$1.00. Two persons can occupy a lower berth. In addition to the sleepers, high back seats, upholstered coaches will be operated on the train.

In order to meet the requirements of the eastern side of the state, special standard and tourist sleepers with high back seats and upholstered coaches will be operated from Richmond, Indiana, via Pennsylvania lines, leaving Richmond at 3:50 P. M., Sunday, September 14th, arriving at Cincinnati at 5:55 P. M., leaving Cincinnati via Louisville & Nashville Railway at 6 P. M., arriving at Louisville at 9:20 P. M. These sleepers and coaches will be attached to the Department train that leaves Louisville at 10:10 P. M. and arriving at Chattanooga at 6:30 A. M.

Those taking the special train from Indianapolis or en route will write or wire Mr. F. A. Bauchens, A. G. P. A. Pennsylvania lines, Indianapolis, for space in through sleepers, and those leaving from Richmond will write or wire Mr. C. W. Elmer, Ticket Agent Pennsylvania lines, Richmond, Indiana.

This is going to be a great Encampment, being in the midst of many of the hardest contested battle fields of the war, and it is hoped that the Department will be well represented. At the reduced rates, Comrades and their families and friends can afford to make this trip and visit many of the great battle fields of the War. Reduced rates will be made from Chattanooga to Atlanta and return, with privilege of stopovers at the different battle fields on the way. Railway tickets are good returning to September 28th and by paying fifty cents additional will be good until October 17th, with the privilege of stopovers where desired. If you desire information from any of the committees, address Chattanooga Encampment Committee, Chattanooga, Tenn.

The train leaves Chattanooga at 5 o'clock in the morning for those who may desire a daylight ride on the return trip. This would land you in Louisville at 6:55 P. M. in ample time to make connection with the Pennsylvania train leaving that city at 7:30, arriving in Indianapolis 10:35 p. m.

II. Delegates, alternates, and all members of the Encampment will meet at headquarters, Rooms 306 and 307, Eastern Hotel, on September 15th at 3 o'clock P. M. for the transaction of such business as may be presented for their action. The



Woman's Relief Corps will establish headquarters at the same hotel, Rooms 322 and 323.

Delegates who can not attend the Encampment will notify J. R. Fesler, A. A. G., that he may notify the alternates. We want a full set of our delegates in this Encampment.

III. The following additional comrades have been appointed as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

John Heffelfinger, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

James Owens, Post No. 247, Bedford.

N. T. Peek, Post No. 559, Indianapolis.

Albert H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

John D. Bloomfield, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

John F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond.

The name of Marcellus B. Walker, Post No. 228, Fortville, has been added to the Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown.

IV. Correction. In Order No. 2 the residence of Comrade C. C. Schreeder, Aide on the staff of the Department Commander from Post No. 27, was given as Indianapolis. Comrade Schreeder resides in Evansville.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA.
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., September 4, 1913.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 4.

I. As stated in General Order No. 3, the Headquarter's train of the Grand Army of the Republic will start from Indianapolis on the 14th inst., at 7 P. M., arriving at Louisville at 10 P. M.; leaving Louisville at 10:10 P. M., arriving at Chattanooga at 6:30 on the morning of the 15th. The Department Commander will leave Richmond at 3:50 P. M. on the 14th going via Cincinnati, arriving at Louisville at 9:20, where he and his friends will join the Headquarter's train that leaves Louisville at 10:10 P. M.



This will be a great Encampment, being in the midst of many of the hardest contested battles of the war, and since so large a part of the Indiana soldiers participated in them, no doubt many more Indiana soldiers and their friends will attend this Encampment than at any former Encampments. The railroad fares are low and it will no doubt be the last opportunity for many of us to visit the old battle fields around Chattanooga, and all who can, with their families, should take advantage of this opportunity.

II. The parade will take place on Wednesday morning, the 17th, at 10 A. M., and will not be more than one mile in length. Indiana wants to make a good showing in the line and your Commander desires that all who can will "touch elbows" again with your comrades and march to the music of the fife and drum as you did back in the sixties. We had in the grand parade last year at Los Angeles about 200. This year we ought to have at least 300 in line at Chattanooga. The Comrades from Indiana will be formed for the parade under charge of M. M. Lacey, Chief-of-Staff to the Department Commander. Notice of the place for each Department to form and take its place in the parade will be made at a later date.

Past Department Commanders, Delegates and Alternates, will meet at Headquarters, Rooms 306 and 307, at the Eastern Hotel, on Monday, the 15th, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be presented for their action.

III. The following additional Comrades have been appointed as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander and will be respected accordingly:

I. M. Anderson, Post No. 126, Connersville.

John W. Mitchell, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Jasper M. Cannam, Post No. 132, Argos.

W. A. Tomey, Post No. 532, Plainville.

A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis,

Eber W. Farris, Post No. 203, Tipton.

Additional Comrades named on the Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home:

Wallace Foster, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

A. R. Walter, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

W. T. Murray, Post No. 126, Connersville.

IV. Department Headquarters will be closed from Monday, September 15th, to Monday, September 22d.

V. General Orders Nos. 7, 8 and 9, issued by the Commander-



in-Chief, are herewith enclosed and should be read at your regular Post meetings.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25. STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 15, 1913.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 5.

I. The Forty-seventh National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, held at Chattanooga, Tennessee, September 15 to 20, 1913, was largely attended. The regularly elected delegates from the Department of Indiana were practically all there, as well as nearly all their alternates, and a larger attendance of Past Post Commanders and Past Department Commanders than at any former encampment for many years. Your Department Commander was particularly pleased at the number we had in the parade on the 18th—over 600, which was a larger number than any other department, possibly with one exception. The officials in charge at Chattanooga, as well as their citizens generally, deserve great credit and the thanks of all comrades for the royal reception given them.

Indiana was again honored by the re-election of Comrade William H. Armstrong of Geo. H. Thomas Post No. 17 as a member of the Council of Administration and also as a member of the Executive Committee.

II. The annual election of the post officers and representatives to the Department Encampment will take place at the first regular meeting in December. Let me advise again that in their election you secure those of your post who can and will attend your meetings and will take an interest in adding to your membership. Each post will elect one delegate for every fifty members and one for a fraction more than one-half of that number, based on the membership reported in good standing on the 30th of June, 1913, and a like number of alternates. Posts having less than fifty members are entitled to one delegate and one



alternate. All Past Post Commanders in good standing are members of the Department Encampment and for that reason should not be elected delegates or alternates.

III. As soon as post officers are elected the Adjutant will fill out the enclosed Certificate of Election, forward one copy to the Department Headquarters and retain the other for reference. Please be careful that all names are plainly written and correctly spelled. Posts failing to make their reports or pay their per capita tax when due are not entitled to representation in the department or national encampments.

It is also the duty of the Post Adjutant to make out the Mortuary Report. This should include the name in full of all members in good standing in the Post who died during the year 1913, giving if possible the age, rank, company, regiment and date of death. Blank for this report will be found enclosed herewith.

IV. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Adjutant and Quartermaster for the six months ending December 31st, 1913, are also enclosed. These reports and the per capita tax are due on the first day of January, 1914, and post offices will see that they are made out and forwarded promptly to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, Room 25, State House. These reports may be made out immediately after your last meeting in December. The greater number of our Posts have been prompt in these matters, but some have not, and have caused trouble at these Headquarters, as we are supposed to have our Consolidated Report in the hands of the Adjutant-General not later than January 20th. Post Commanders will please see that their Posts are prompt in this matter.

V. The Forty-fifth National Encampment determined that the reports from Post Patriotic Instructors should be made annually in December. Post Commanders are therefore requested to urge their Patriotic Instructors to make out these reports, for which blanks are enclosed herewith, and forward to Irwin B. Arnold, Department Patriotic Instructor, Post No. 55, Richmond, Indiana, by the 31st of December, if possible.

VI. The installation of Post officers will occur at the first regular meeting in January, 1914, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, and your Commander recommends that all patriotic organizations be invited to attend these installations.

VII. Post Commanders desiring additional names for appoint-



ment as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander or the Commander-in-Chief will send names of those recommended to these Headquarters.

VIII. General Order No. 2 from National Headquarters is enclosed with this order.

Summary of Enclosures.

Certificates of Election (in duplicate).

Forms A and B for reports of Post Adjutant and Post Quartermaster (in duplicate).

Blank for Mortuary Reports.

Blank for report of Patriotic Instructor.

General Orders No. 5 (Department).

General Orders No. 2 (National).

Report of Visiting Committee S. and S. O. Home, 1912.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER.

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25. STATE HOUSE.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1913.

The following report of the Visiting Committee from the Grand Army of the Republic to the Indiana State Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, Ind., for the year 1912 was, by an oversight, omitted from the Proceedings of May, 1913.

Anderson, Ind., January 10, 1913.

COMMANDER:

Pursuant to a call of the chairman, Garrett Shover, the committee from the Grand Army of the Republic appointed to visit the I. S. & S. O. Home at Knightstown met at the institution on October 9, 1912, and proceeded to investigate the conditions and needs in the different departments of the Home.

Basing its conclusions upon the reports of the sub-committees after visiting their respective departments, the general committee agreed unanimously upon the following report, to-wit:

We found in the Home at the date of our visit, October 9, 1912, 465 children, about 11 per cent. of whom were grandchildren



of the veterans of the civil war, and approximately 10 per cent. of the number are children of the soldiers of the Spanish-American war. Quite a number of these, however, would be eligible in either class. While an investigation of this kind must be, to a great degree, superficial, yet the systematic manner in which it was conducted warrants the committee in saying that the general management of the Home under the supervision of Colonel Daniel Ryan and his corps of efficient helpers is all that could be expected or desired, except perhaps the garden, which was not up to that high standard of excellence that prevailed in the other departments, owing, we feel sure, to the fact that the change of management occurred on the first of May, instead of the first of the year. After carefully considering the question as to the needs of the Home we feel free to make the following recommendations and most earnestly urge favorable consideration at the hands of our next Legislature, to-wit:

Regular Appropriation.

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Maintenance, annually	\$100,000.00
Repairs, annually	
Library, annually	
Agent's fund, annually	1,000.00
Officers' salaries, annually	
Insurance, annually	400.00
Specific Appropria	tions.
Cleaning and walling lake reservoir_	\$2,000.00
Steam pump for laundry	200.00
House furnishings	2,500.00
New electric generator	4,000.00
Tiling for farm drainage	500.00
Cement walks in rear of boys' dormitor	ries 500.00
Job printing press	370.00
Girls' gymnasium	
Addition to hospital	950.00
We find in addition to the above rec	commendations, which are
urgently needed, the following needs th	at should be looked after
at the earliest date consistent with th	e condition of the public
treasury, to-wit:	
Dry tumbler for laundry	\$500.00
Hog house and cement feeding floor	1,000.00
Cement conduit (125 yards)	625.00
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Cement floors in front of boys' cottages (verandas)__

The appropriations requested for tiling, cleaning and walling



lake, new steam pump for laundry, cement walks and addition to hospital should be made available April 1, 1913.

All of the above expenditures should be carefully looked after under the supervision of the Board of Trustees, in whom we have confidence both as to ability and integrity.

Evidences of good work in the schools, from the kindergarten to the 9th grade, in their respective rooms, was especially gratifying to the committee, and the entertainment at the chapel in the afternoon would have done credit to any high school in the State.

When we reflect that a large per cent. of the children brought to this institution came here badly handicapped by former environments, not up to the standard of the average child, we can but congratulate ourselves on the great work that is being done at this Home, and go back to our respective homes feeling a greater pride in being a citizen of the great commonwealth of Indiana.

As the furnishing of good citizenship for the future is the great object of this institution, the problem is not, therefore, how *cheaply* it can be done, but how *well* it can be done with the appropriations made for that purpose.

Very respectfully submitted,

(Signed) GARRETT H. SHOVER,

(Signed)

Chairman.

F. M. VAN PELT.

Secretary of Committee.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., December 5, 1913.

CIRCULAR LETTER
No. 1.

The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps have made their purchases of Christmas presents for the children of the Knightstown Orphans' Home (more than 500) and will expect the Department of the Grand Army to assist in the payment as we have always done in former years. Our contributions last year were smaller than of any former year and had it not been for \$83.35 we had on hand from the year before we would have been compelled to draw on our general fund to pay the bill. Our collections last year were only \$97.75. This year we have but thirty-



five cents to start with, and your Commander hopes this year that every Post will contribute something to the fund, even though it be a small amount. Make your remittance to J. R. Fesler, A. A.-G., who will receipt you for the same and report it in our Proceedings at the close of the year. Remember these children at the Home are the children and grandchildren of our Comrades who touched elbows with us from 1861 to 1865.

Daniel W. Comstock, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., January 24, 1914.

GENERAL ORDER No. 6.

- I. The Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic will convene in the City of Indianapolis. in the month of May, 1914 (day and date not yet determined). The date will be announced later.
- II. The invitation was extended by the Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary, and they will have full charge of all arrangements for the occasion. This is a new departure of our sons and daughters and they are determined to make it a grand success by giving the Department the most enjoyable welcome they have ever had.
- III. The Commanders of Posts, and the Adjutants and Quartermasters have generally been very prompt in making their reports for the term closing December 31, 1913, for which they have our thanks. Still there are a few out yet that hold us back in making our Consolidated Report. Commanders will please see that their reports are made out and sent in at once, that we may get our report out.
- IV. The following additional names have been recommended for appointment as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander:

John Kress, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Henry B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun.



Wm. Redding, Post No. 589, Lafayette.
J. C. Peyton, Post No. 16, Vincennes.
Eugene B. Smith, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.
H. N. Troutman, Post No. 183, Kewanna.

V. General Order No. 3 from National Headquarters will accompany this order.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 8, 1914.

GENERAL ORDER No. 7.

- I. The Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, will convene in the city of Indianapolis on May 6, 7 and 8 for the transaction of the business of the Department. The headquarters will be established at the New Denison Hotel, on the corner of Pennsylvania and Ohio streets, which hotel will also be the headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the Grand Army. The business meetings of the Grand Army will be in Tomlinson Hall.
- II. In former years it has been the custom of the Woman's Relief Corps to present to the high school of the city entertaining the Department a silk flag, but this year instead of the flag they will present a Lincoln memorial tablet in bronze, to be placed in a prominent place in our magnificent State House. This presentation will take place at 2 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, the 6th when apporpriate services will be held. Commander-in-Chief Washington Gardner will be with us and will no doubt take part in the exercises.
- III. The opening meeting of the Encampment will be held at Tomlinson Hall at 8 o'clock p. m. of the 6th, when the Department of the Grand Army and its auxiliaries will receive their



welcome to the city, the Hon. Charles Bookwalter presiding. Addresses of welcome will be made as follows:

"Welcome to Honored Guests," by Commander Martin, Commander Ben Harrison Camp No. 356, Sons of Veterans.

"Welcome to Our City," Mayor Joseph E. Bell. -

"Greeting," Governor Samuel M. Ralston.

Responses will be made by Judge D. W. Comstock, Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic; Mrs. Estella I. Huffman, Department President Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. Elizabeth S. Howard; Department President Ladies of the Grand Army; Mrs. Emma S. Finch, Division President Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, and William M. Hansche, Division Commander Sons of Veterans.

IV. On Thursday, May 7, the opening business session will be held at Tomlinson Hall at 9 a. m., and at 10 a. m. all organizations will assemble there to exchange greetings rather than go from one organization to another as has formerly been done. It is believed that the change will be an improvement on the former arrangement. The parade will take place at 2 p. m. and will be in charge of Col. Frank Shellhouse, who assures us that it shall not exceed one mile in length. Col. Shellhouse being in charge is a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be lacking for the grandest parade our city has ever witnessed.

After the parade a trolley ride will be given the visitors attending the Encampment. At 5 o'cloop p. m., May 7, a reception will be given by the Indiana Division of the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary at the Severin Hotel to national and division officers and visitors and all members of allied patriotic organizations.

At 8 o'clock p. m. a campfire will be held at Tomlinson Hall with Department Commander Comstock presiding, and at the same hour there will be a campfire at the First Baptist church, presided over by Col. Newton J. McGuire.

On Friday, the 8th, the delegates of the Encampment will meet at 9 o'clock a.m. for the election of their officers for the ensuing year. The Committee on Credentials will be in session at Room 12, State House, where they will issue badges to all delegates, which includes all Post Commanders and Past Post Commanders.

V. We are to be the guests of our Sons and Daughters, who are giving this entertainment and reception. The matter is entirely in their hands, their organization is complete and the work is progressing nicely. They have planned to make it the banner Encampment of the Department, and from present indications and



the enthusiasm that is manifested by them, they will not be disappointed.

VI. The Council of Administration will meet at Department Headquarters, Denison Hotel, at 3 o'clock p. m., May 6, for the transaction of such business as may be brought before them. This committee includes all Department officers.

VII. With the large number of hotels, rooming houses and restaurants that we have in our city there will be no difficulty in securing accommodations at reasonable rates. Rooms with running water and bath can be secured at the New Denison from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per day. Rooms can also be secured at the Severin Hotel, running water and bath, at \$1.50 per day; \$1.00 extra for each additional person occupying the room.

For any further information in regard to hotel accommodations write Alexander Chambers, Chairman Committee on Information, Transportation and Hotels, 149 East Market street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

VIII. Enclosed herewith find General Order No. 4 from National Headquarters.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 30, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 8.

I. As announced in General Orders No. 7, the Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana will convene in Indianapolis May 6th, 7th and 8th. The Headquarters of the Department will be on the second floor of the Denison Hotel, parlors "B" and "C," where all comrades and their friends will be welcome. The rules and order of business will be in keeping with those recommended by the Council of Administration and approved by this Department, a copy of which will be placed in the hands of each district chairman on the assembling of the delegates in Tomlinson Hall, May 7th, at 8 a. m.



II. The Committee on Credentials will consist of J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General; Harlan P. Miller, Post No. 369; George W. Summers, Post No. 209; J. T. Eller, Post No. 85: A. A. Jones, Post No. 3, and M. D. Griffith, Post No. 103. They will report to Harlan P. Miller at Room 12, State House, at 10 o'clock a. m., May 6th, where the rolls of the delegates will be kept and where the badges will be issued to all delegates. No badges will be given out except to Delegates, Post Commanders and Past Post Commanders (who are delegates by virtue of their office) and to Alternates in case the delegates do not call for them. There will also be a book in charge of this committee in which all comrades may register.

III. Comrade Charles W. Wheat has been appointed Office of the Day and requested to select the Officer of the Guard and Sentinels, all to report in uniform to Assistant Adjutant-General Fesler at Department Headquarters, Denison Hotel, May 7th, at 8 o'clock a.m. for orders.

By command of

Daniel W. Comstock,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General.

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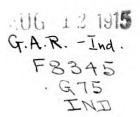
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UNOFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

The Thirty-Sixth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, and auxiliary organizations, was opened in a public meeting held at Civic Hall, Marion, Indiana, at 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 26, 1915.

The meeting was called to order by Comrade J. L. McCulloch, who presided. A welcome, on behalf of the Sons of Veterans, was extended by Frank Sherwin, Commander of the local camp Sons of Veterans, and on behalf of the Marion National Military Home, by the retiring governor of the Home, Comrade George W. Steele. The city's welcome was extended by James O. Batchelor, mayor of Marion.

Comrade Isaac N. Sherwood, of Toledo, O., spoke briefly, taking the place of Commander-in-Chief David J. Palmer, who did not arrive in time to fill his place on the program. Comrade Sherwood spoke on pension legisla-



tion, for which, as a member of congress, he has been particularly active in behalf of the civil war veterans. He was warmly received.

An ovation was given the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home Band, of Knightstown, when it arrived in the hall and struck up "Shouting the Battle Cry of Freedom." The veterans rose to their feet and cheered, finally joining in the familiar song.

Comrade Fred J. Close, of New York city, president of the board of managers of National Military Homes, dwelt at length on the fact that Marion had voted out saloons and declared that when it came to closing up national soldiers' homes those near which liquor was sold would go first. The veterans cheered wildly when Comrade Close exclaimed, "Glory, glory, hallelujah! Marion has gone dry!" Comrade Close objected to the term "inmates," as applied to the men in the soldiers' homes, insisting that they were "members" and lived in the homes provided by the government they had saved. He expressed the belief that our country does not desire war and said the way to avoid war was not to hunt for it.

Brief responses to the welcome addresses were given by the following: A. B. Crampton, Department Commander Grand Army of the Republic; Frank Shellhouse, Division Commander Sons of Veterans; Mrs. Flora Millspaugh, Department President Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. Elizabeth Howard, Division President Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic; Miss Lydia Bornholt, Division President Sons of Veterans Auxiliary; Miss Bessie B. Bowser, National President S. V. A.

Several musical numbers were given. The Logansport G. A. R. Quartet, organized thirty years ago, sang



"The Good Old Hoosier State;" Mrs. Laura Burr, of Anderson, sang "The Red, White and Blue," and Mrs. Crisler Deiwert, of Greensburg, gave a solo.

THURSDAY, MAY 27.

At 2 p. m. the parade was formed. Chief-of-Staff Daniel F. Mustard being assisted by Comrade George W. Gunder, Officer of the Day, and Comrade John D. Green, Officer of the Guard. The parade, which was headed by Governor Samuel M. Ralston and his party in automobiles, was one of the largest in the history of the department, being an hour in passing the reviewing stand.

The posts were formed according to their numbers, with the exception of Col. Asbury Steele Post, of the Marion National Military Home, and the Jasper Packard Post, of the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette, which were given the right of the column at the head of the parade. Numerous bands and fife and drum corps, Sons of Veterans and other fraternal organizations, Boy Scouts, and civic orders helped to swell the line. Conspicuous among the bands were: Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home Band, and the Muncie Boys' Band.

At the Campfire, held in Civic Hall, Thursday evening, Mrs. Isabel Worrell Ball, of Washington, D. C., associate editor of the National Tribune, presented to the State of Indiana two battle flags which belonged to the Tenth Indiana regiment. They were accepted by Governor Ralston and turned over to David I. McCormick, Secretary of the Indiana Battleflag Commission, to be reinforced and cased with other Indiana battleflags, and placed among the archives of the State House. The flags were accepted in behalf of the Tenth regiment by Captain James B. Shaw, of Lafayette. As many sur-



vivors of the regiment as could be gathered together were given places on the platform.

Governor Ralston, in his address, praised the zeal and interest of Mrs. Ball in procuring these flags and turning them over to the state of Indiana to be preserved. He further said that he would attempt to procure a permanent appropriation of \$1,000 annually for the aid of the annual G. A. R. encampments, which he declared inculcated patriotism.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

The Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic convened in Civic Hall at Marion, Indiana, at 8:30 a. m., Thursday, May 27, 1915.

Department Chaplain W. P. McKenzie delivered the invocation:

Oh, our Father, we thank Thee that Thou art our Father, and we thank Thee that our Father has cared for us so well and so wisely during the past year. We thank Thee that Thou hast been gracious and merciful and hast not dealt with us according to our sins. Oh, God, we are grateful that we are here and grateful that we are as well as we are, and that our comrades here and other places have done so well during the past year. God be merciful to us still and give us that wisdom that cometh down from above to help us in the duties of this day. Give us patience and brotherly kindness and other qualifications that will help us to acquit ourselves like men and brothers and com-We pray for the whole Department of Indiana; for every post and every individual comrade of every post; for our wives and our children and grandchildren. God bless us every one. We pray for our comrades everywhere in all the departments. We pray for our country and thank God that we have a country, and thank God that we are at peace with the world in this time of awful stress of war. God help us; help the President of the United States; help him guide the Ship of State that we may be kept at peace.

Bless the governor of our state and the governors of all the states of this Union. Bless all the judiciary officers and all the municipalities of our nation. God grant Thy blessing upon this great nation of ours. Help us, and bless us, and direct us, in the deliberations of this day and tomorrow. Be with us and guide us by Thy counsel.

(The members of the Encampment repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison.)

Commander Crampton: I now ask Comrade Strouse to read the Order of Business.



Comrade Strouse read the report of the Committee on Credentials, which follows:

MARION, IND., May 26, 1915.

To the Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

The Committee on Credentials would respectfully report that they have carefully examined the certificates of election as forwarded by the several Posts of the Department, and find the following to be a correct and complete roll of the Department.

C. W. SCOTT,

V. V. WILLIAMS,

W. E. GORSUCH.

W. F. KENDALL,

T. B. WILKINSON,

Committee on Credentials.

It was moved and seconded that the calling of the roll be dispensed with. Carried.

DEPARTMENT OFFICERS.

*Department Comma	nder	A. B. CRAMPTON.	
*Senior-Vice Departs			
*Junior-Vice Departs	nent Commander	CHAS. H. MYERHOFF.	
*Medical Director		G. W. H. KEMPER.	
*Department Chaplai	n	W. P. McKinsey.	
*Assistant Adjutant-G	leneral and ermaster-General	J. R. Fesler.	
Inspector			
Patriotic Instructor			
		TIMOTHY E. HOWARD.	
*Chief Mustering Offi			
	CIL OF ADMINIST		
*C. C. SCHREEDER.	J. E. BICKEL.	H. M. CAYLOR.	
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	J. D. BRADEN.		
	NATIONAL OFFICE	ERS.	
Council of Administ	ration	*ORLANDO A. SOMERS.	
PAS	T NATIONAL OFF	ICERS.	
†Commander-in-Chief		IVAN N. WALKER.	
†Senior-Vice Commander-in-ChiefIRVIN ROBBINS.			
†Senior-Vice Comman	ider-in-Chief	WM. H. ARMSTRONG.	
†National Council of	$Administration___$	WM. H. ARMSTRONG.	
†Junior-Vice Comman	ider-in-Chief	ROBERT S. FOSTER.	
†Chaplain-in-Chief		DANIEL R. LUCAS.	
†Surgeon-General		WARREN R. KING.	
*Chaplain-in-Chief .			
*Judge Advocate Ge	neral	WM. A. KETCHAM.	
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PAST DEPARTMENT COMMANDERS.

†Robert S. Foster.	†Charles M. Travis.	†Benjamin Starr.
†Nathan Kimball.	Gil R. Stormont.	George W. Grubbs.
†Oliver M. Wilson.	†Ivan N. Walker.	†Daniel R. Lucas.
†Louis Humphrey.	†Joseph B. Cheadle.	†Marine D. Tackett.
†Jonathan B. Hager.	†James T. Johnston.	*Edmund R. Brown.
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†William W. Dudley.	†Harvey B. Shively.	John D. Alexander.
†James R. Carnahan.	Henry M. Caylor.	*Orlando A. Somers.
Edwin Nicar.	James S. Dodge.	A. P. Asbury.
David N. Foster.	*Daniel Ryan.	Daniel Waugh.
†Thos. W. Bennett.	†William L. Dunlap.	†Frank Swigart.
†Ira J .Chase.	David E. Beem.	*Wilber E. Gorsuch.
*Argus D. Vanosdol.	*Milton Garrigus.	*D. W. Comstock.

*Present +Deceased.



Morton Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Com.-*Anderson A. Dinkins.

P. C.—James F. Murphy, Lawrence Burget, Carl Kreitenstein, Nicholas Fillbeck, Jesse Robinson, James S. Neeley, David Denny, *Nelson Evans, James F. Mosler, Hiram Steele, *S. H. Jaggers, *Oscar Rankin, Thos. C. Williams, John R. Coffin, James H. Crabb, Hamilton Elliott, Edward O'Neil, Zalmon Ruddell, Nobel C. Rogers, David Jarvis, Quincy A. Hunt, Wm. A. McClure.

Del.—*John T. Merry, *Oscar Hammond, *Alex, T. Knight, *John T. Slavins.

Alt.—John G. Dobbs, *Austin Murphy, *James Hogan, *John A. McClellan.

General Canby Post No. 2, Brazil.

Com.-*Solomon Condor.

P. C.—*S. C. Bishop, *B. V. Rector, G. W. Geren, W. W. Decker, *J. E. Sherfey, Benj. F. Hedges, Mel V. McClure.

Del.—*J. A. Decker, *W. W. Lathrop.

ALT.—David Vanbiber, W. H. Lucas.

John A. Logan Post No. 3, Lafayette.

Com.—James H. Jones.

P. C.—*Andrew Jackson, I. S. Wade, B. K. Kramer, Jno. W. Graves, D. H. Flynn, E. G. Black, *Jas. H. Mitchell, Jas. W. Mitchell, E. P. Hammond, *Daniel White, *Samuel Walker, *H. A. Miller.

Del.—Thos. McDowell, *Willard Harrington.

Alt.-*D. W. Henderson, Henry Itskin.

John C. Fremont Post No. 4, Covington.

Com.—Burton Vanhook.

P. C.—W. W. Evans, Jonathan McCoy, *Oliver Boord, W. M. Remster, Samuel Martin, Peter Harman, Oliver Blakeley, Chas. W. Bowman, James T. Bell, J. D. Martin.

Del.—S. La Tourette.

Alt.—Oliver Blakeley.

Com.—Commander.

DEL.-Delegate.

P. C.-Past Commander.

ALT.-Alternate.



Pap Thomas Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Com.-Joseph Drake.

P. C.—J. F. Childs, A. Murphy, A. S. Creath, O. C. Elder, Jap Cobb, G. S. Dickey, Thos. Havens, W. W. Dixon, W. M. Bruner, D. Lyons, Jake Theis, Chas. Schue, J. Shaw, *S. F. Ridenour, B. F. McCoy, H. B. Sherman, *J. N. Annis, *H. C. Snell.

Del.—I. D. Waits, *Wat Bostic, *H. G. Short, *Brum Turner. Alt.—Sam Stewart, John Growler. B. F. Ketchem, J. W. Burney.

James H. Emmett Post No. 6, Wabash.

Com .- *A. F. Baker.

P. C.—W. M. Henley, A. F. Spaulding, *W. W. Woods, *Alex. Hess, *J. W. Depuy, S. J. Payne, *Daniel Jackson, Naamon McNamee, *Alvah Taylor, *B. F. Williams, Wm. Green, *W. F. Lines, W. H. Bent, *R. F. Blount, *E. G. Burgett, *T. C. McClure, Samuel Sholty, *J. P. Ross, *T. R. Brady, A. H. Plummer, *J. P. Noftzger, A. H. Baker, H. H. Wheeler.

Del.—*John Coe, *John Lafferd, *John Young, *Robt. Suttin. Alt.—

McPherson Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

Com.—Anderson McMains.

P. C.—Edward C. Snyder, Byron R. Russell, *Harvey R. Tinsley, Samuel L. Ensminger, Henry H. Talbot, Martin V. Wert, *Benj. F. Crabbs, *Eleazer Cole, Geo. F. Myers, Hiram L. Burroughs, *James A. McClelland, John W. Clemson, Samuel W. Fraley, Thos. T. Munhall, *Chas. M. Crawford, Joseph R. Linn, *Patrick H. Lalley, Albert T. Hornbaker, William Rider. Thos. J. Griffith, E. H. Morgan, David C. Smith, *Edward H. Cowan.

Del.-A. C. Austin, Loren G. Patterson.

ALT.—Chas. Butcher, Robert Hopkins.

Auten Post No. 8, South Bend.

Com.-E. B. Rowe.

P. C.—Edwin Nicar, J. P. Creed, Cyrus C. Trump, John S. Steele, J. A. M. LaPierre, T. E. Howard, *R. W. Donmoyer, M. L. Webster, *Horace Martin, John Yant, Jno. VanArsdal, W. A. Liggett, Geo. A. Betcher, W. H. H. Ritter, Chas. J. Taylor.

Del.-*L. D. White.

ALT.—



Steele Post No. 9, Rockville.

Com.—Jesse B. Connelly.

P. C.—*M. W. Marshall, J. B. Connelly, Elwood Hunt, *David Strouse, Clinton Murphy, James O'Haver, Wm. H. Hargrave, Rufus Dooly, Isaac A. Picard, J. N. McCampbell, Joseph O'haver, Samuel Coble, Daniel Strange, Ezekiel D. Hamilton, *Elias Kemper.

Del.-John Artis.

ALT .- D. S. Howard.

Captain Floyd Post No. 10, Annapolis.

Com.-John R. Tucker.

P. C.—J. C. Vickory, J. M. Ephlin, G. C. Maris, R. G. Atcheson, S. P. Bannon, J. R. Tucker.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Greencastle Post No. 11, Greencastle.

Com.-*John A. Keller.

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Del.-Simpson O'Hair, Col. Dorsett.

Alt.—H. C. Reeves, Robt. Allen.

Isham Keith Post No. 13, Columbus.

Com.—George Clutch.

P. C.—B. M. Hutchins, *W. F. Kendall, *Geo. Clutch, M. V. Jewell, S. M. Glick, Calvin Adams, *L. C. Moore, *G. A. Miller, Henry Strassner, *Wm. Polen, *C. E. Potter, John Newton, *T. A. Moore, A. C. Flanigan, *Wm. Henderson, John L. Jones, *J. A. Robinson, Evan McMahon, *R. L. Foster.

Del.-*Wm. Trotter, *Jonathan Baker.

ALT.-Jas. S. Cochran, Wick Larue.

Logansport Post No. 14, Logansport.

Com.—*A. C. Walters.

P. C.—*Dyer B. McConnell, *I. N. Watkins, Lemuel Brown, J. E. Crain, James Grow, *James McMillen, C. D. Miller, A. C. Walters, *C. E. Herlock.

Del.—*W. H. H. Ward, Geo. R. Jackson, *J. J. Berath, *C. H. Barrow, *Henry Tucker.

Alt.—Henry Murdock, W. S. Stalnaker, *Robt. H. Barnett, John Horner, *Robt. M. Miller.



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Morgan Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Com.-*George D. Martin.

P. C.—S. H. Stucky, Fred Smith, I. C. Higgins, A. M. Jones, Geo. Goodrich, *Geo. D. Martin, A. T. Lett, *E. J. Harris, Gabriel Adkerson, Wm. Ficklin, Charles Schafer, John M. White, G. G. Heuring.

Del.-J. N. Kinman.

ALT.-W. W. Jackson.

Jeff C. Davis Post No. 16, Vincennes.

Com.-James A. Keith.

P. C.—*D. F. Spees, George Pennington, I. E. Townsley, A. P. DeBruler, Abe S. Reel, John T. Simpson, James A. Keith, Joseph Roseman.

Del.—Felix Gremore, Frank Boone.

ALT.—John C. Watts, Jere Hershey.

George H. Thomas Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Ashford Lingenfelter.

P. C.—Chas. L. Smith, Jos. E. Haskell, James B. Black, Henry C. Allen, John M. Paver, *R. M. Smock, James E. Twiname, *Daniel L. Brown, *Wm. N. Pickerill, *James H. Porter, Harvey B. Stout, W. W. Daugherty, Rollin C. Irwin, *B. A. Richardson, *Albert J. Ball, *Charles W. Oakes, *Geo. W. Alexander (by transfer), *Peter Franzman, R. W. McBride, B. F. Osborne, O. J. Pursell, F. J. Hauhn, Amos H. Haines, W. L. Reasoner, S. E. Collins, A. E. Rogers, William Shearer, *O. S. Kuhn, *E. H. Hows, J. C. Hamilton, A. M. Scott, G. M. Walrod, F. M. Marsh, *R. B. Armstrong, D. N. Huey, A. D. Shaw, *B. W. Sullivan, O. N. Wilmington, *J. A. McHaffy, Oran Perry, A. J. Brake, W. G. Sale, C. L. Wilson, J. B. Wirt, C. J. Murphy, *J. N. Lambert, *I. S. Wagner, *E. J. Saverage, John P. Cast, *W. C. Clapp, David D. Negley, *J. R. Henry, *Geo. H. Peet.

Del.—*John Rheinchild, *Geo. Thormyer, *Henry Nicolai, Vinson Carter, *J. W. Frederick, *I. N. Julian, Taylor O'Bannon, Abraham Shumaker, *T. L. Scott, *Mahlon T. Butler, James T. Layman, John B. Elam.

ALT.—D. L. Medsker, J. J. Traub, Wm. C. Phipps, C. Reitmier, O. W. Sears, Joseph Bristow, S. M. Compton, A. S. Cass, W. H. Bransome, F. Erdlemyer, R. H. Gould, Theo Kruse.

Dumont Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Com.—Thos. F. Chaffee.

P. C.—*Elisha Weakley, S. S. Carson, *C. J. Limpus, *J. B. Wilson, A. M. Weed, *T. K. Alexander, *T. L.



Haymond, *S. B. Morris, *J. B. Randall, J. W. Neaves, *A. J. Ensminger, *J. K. Bowers, R. W. Wood, *W. H. Norris, Geo. M. Wright, T. F. Chafee, *D. Ryan.

Del.—*Elijah Vanasdall, *Chas. W. Archey, *Pollard McKinney, Geo. W. Hill, D. W. Aplas.

Alt.—Thos. Conger, *Jas. Kindall, Wm. Collins, *Thos. Wilson, Geo. W. Peters.

Ellsworth Post No. 20, Seymour.

Com.-E. C. Wetzel.

P. C.—J. W. Weaver, J. H. Brake, Chas. Murphy, *L. W. Jones, *Dan Wilson, John Fox, Lawry Foster, Linley Ruddick, W. J. Rumbley, John Hunterman.

Del.-*A. C. Kennard.

ALT .-

General Shunk Post No. 23, Marion.

Com.-Woodson S. Marshall.

P. C.—*Jacob M. Barnard, *Samuel Woods, *John N. Case, David E. Myers, Woodson S. Marshall, *Francis M. Smith, *Augustin Kern, *Joseph Clouse, *Robert A. Love, *Daniel T. Price, *S. W. Turner, *John A. Howard, *John H. Miller, *W. H. Mershon, *A. J. Host.

Del.-*John D. Green.

ALT .- J. C. Work.

Benton Post No. 25, Fowler.

Com.-T. J. McConnaughay.

P. C.—Chas. Vanauker, Chas. E. Hampton, Lem Stevenson, Ed Westman, Ben Barker, T. J. McConnaughay.

Del.-James Woodburn.

ALT .- J. M. Rodman.

Alois O. Bachman Post No. 26, Madison.

Cом.—John W. Bishop.

P. C.—John F. Hammel, *A. D. Vanosdol, C. P. Richardson, James White, Charles W. Stanley, David G. Stuart, W. B. Ray, *Wm. Watlington, John Chapman, Chas. W. Calloway, Louis E. Beckman, John W. Bishop.

Del.-William Deitz.

ALT.—John Walters.

Farragut Post No. 27, Evansville.

Com.—Chas. Kretchmar.

P. C.—*C. H. Myerhoff, A. C. Rosecranz, Jac W. Messick, H. A.



Mattison, August Leich, Wm. Nelson, C. C. Schreeder, J. D. Carmody, Stephen Biederman, L. N. Wheeler, Chas. Kretchmar.

Del.—*William Warren, Fred Harman, *Gustav Ritt, D. W. Brown, I. L. Smith, C. H. Wesseler, Jacob Bippus, Wm. A. Fritsch, Wm. Wilson.

ALT.—Anton Winstroth, A. D. Walden, Henry Withus, J. Lunenburgh, Byron Parsons, D. B. Norcross, Fred Guth, August Sauer.

Archer Post No. 28, Princeton.

Com .- Jas. Kilmartin.

P. C.—*Gil R. Stormont, Hugh Hanna, Jas. A. Sprowe, Jos. K. McGary, F. M. Grigsby, H. T. Carlisle, W. M. Duncan, John M. Stormont, W. J. Lowe, J. W. Lewis, G. W. Shopbell.

Del.—*W. W. Blair, C. W. Wheeler, J. W. Angle, R. M. Mimford.

Alt.-W. C. Hudelson, Albert Mills, H. H. Balzell, Jos. Phar.

Aaron Hobson Post No. 29, Marshall.

Com.—Stephen Beeson.

P. C.—E. R. Teague, C. E. McDaniel, Stephen Beeson, B. W. Dooley, E. D. Litsey, W. A. Elam.

Del.-Eli Wendel.

ALT.—Thos. C. Hawker.

Thos. J. Harrison Post No. 30, Kokomo.

COM.-*D. A. Smith.

P. C.—*Milton Garrigus, Orlando A. Somers, D. S. Shafer, O. L. Moulder, Milton Bell, *J. B. Butcher, Sol A. Pennington, W. H. Sumption, *H. M. Sailors, *Wm. H. Sellers, *H. B. Stewart, *Joshua Cragun, *N. D. Stambro, John H. Stone, *John S. Trees, *John T. Lett, *Wm. H. Fisher, *John W. Barnes, *Jasper E. McDaniel, *J. H. Kellar.

Del.—John Jones, Edward Truax, *F. C. Garr, *A. E. Curlee, John Mitchell, *Solomon Burkett, Alfred Mote.

ALT.—*V. D. Ellis, *Ross Ellis, J. W. Cragan, *Thos. Collins, *J. W. Dewees, *Wm. England, *Wallace R. Hull.

Boothroyd Post No. 31, Delphi.

Com.—*Stephen L. Woodruff.

P. C.—*James A. Neff, Norton Jones, *A. B. Crampton, Jacob B. Fisher, Jos. W. Hanna, Isaac N. Cochran, *Samuel W. Barnett, John S. Case, *Stephen L. Woodruff.

Del.-J. W. F. Liston.

ALT.-A. L. Akers.



Garfield Post No. 32, Boswell.

Com.—B. F. Dimmick.

P. C.—*B. F. Booth, B. F. Dimmick, S. P. Smith, G. W. Nichols.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Lew Dailey Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Com.—*Benjamin F. Plessinger.

P. C.-*E. Y. Sturgis, J. K. Oman, H. Stejkemper, *J. L. Myers, *L. L. Martz, *W. J. McAfee, M. Marquort, *M. M. Justus, C. Warner, W. W. Angell, W. H. Stephenson, *J. V. Kenagy, *John Wisner, Jr., *H. C. Melick, *J. C. Fulton, E. M. Rinear, B. F. Plessinger, Adam Foust, *H. Stukemper, *J. H. Vore.

Del.-*John W. Rinear, Peter Weisbroat, A. F. Cotton, *Stanley Lockwood, *Henry Miller.

ALT.-John Oliver, Frank Dougherty, Fred Effinger, Jno. Kleinknight, A. J. Johnson.

General Lyon Post No. 34, Otwell.

Com.-Joseph Twyer.

P. C.-James Scandlin, R. E. Chappel, Albert Pride.

DEL.-

ALT.-

R. J. Templeton Post No. 35, Oxford.

Com.—Wm. H. McConnell.

P. C.—*Andrew Titsworth, A. P. Carnahan, W. H. McConnell.

DEL.

ALT.-

McKeehan Post No. 36, North Vernon.

Com.—D. B. Reeder.

P. C.-J. C. Cope, D. B. Reeder, G. W. Shaffer, A. McKand, H. Willman, H. Knoll, E. Langneck.

DEL.

ALT.-

Elmer Post No. 37, Elkhart.

Com.-*David Smeltzer.

P. C.-W. H. Trump, *J. D. Braden, J. S. Dodge, John Larue, John Walker, Wm. H. Merrett, C. G. Conn, William Maby, Geo. A. Coby, Wm. Marker, Orvil T. Chamberlain, David Smeltzer.

Del.—*G. Manning, —— Sheckels. Alt.— —— Marr, —— Vandorn.



Sedgwick Post No. 38, Union City.

Com .- A. J. Harris.

P. C.—James Patchell, J. B. Ross, E. P. Gallion, J. W. Hoke, E. L. Anderson, *R. Lester, *Milton Cooper, D. W. Bickel, *A. H. Swain, A. J. Harris, O. C. Gordon.

Del.-*Abijah Green.

Alt.-*H. A. Harrison.

Col. Asbury Steele Post No. 39 (Nat. Mil. Home), Marion.

Com.-*Darwin P. Artman.

P. C.—*James H. Stone, *M. W. Rock, *Jesse A. Scott, Harvey Davis, *John L. Blackburn.

Del.-*Timothy Kelley.

ALT.-*George W. Raines.

Sion S. Bass Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Com.—Luther Bireley.

P. C.—*F. F. Boltz, *J. E. Graham, James Liggett, *Alf Daugherty, *Jasper Edsall, *Theodore Geller, *John Kress, Isaac D'Isay, John Hess, Wm. Donnell, *Wm. Engle, *S. M. Hench, *John Shuler, *Joseph Kikley, M. T. Connett, *Joseph Corlett, S. M. Curtis, *G. Y. Johnston, F. C. Bassett, *Wm. Kinerk.

Del.—*Wm. Daffern, *John Cook, *Wm. Schoonover.

ALT.-*Jacob Gable, Peter Mallott, B. F. Bundy.

Veteran Post No. 41, Winamac.

Com.-O. S. Kelso.

P. C.-J. N. Brown, Fred Haschal, Milton Ewing.

DEL.-Alf Cooper.

ALT.-Jas. Lidgeard.

Rich Mountain Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Com.-Wm. M. Hawkins.

P. C.—Jesse Neff, Thos. M. Small, *Nick Bennett, John R. Sanders, *N. A. Perrill, *J. Y. Storms, W. H. H. Evans, *I. N. Caster,, Robt. E. Burns, *Jas. A. Powell Jas. S. Woods, *Joseph Reese, *Chas. T. Warren, *W. E. Whittinghill, W. H. Wiley, *T. R. Caldwell, *Wm. P. McKinsey (transferred from Post No. 186), *S. R. Caster, J. Webster Johnson, *A. S. Campbell, R. W. Barns. Del.—*R. Flinn, J. S. Cobb, *J. C. Caldwell.

ALT.-Wallace Hill, Robt. Stephenson, Wm. H. Pollard.



Meade Post No. 44, Butler.

. Сом.—Jeremiah McClintock.

P. C.—J. M. Young, E. B. Rose, J. McClintock, W. A. Craun, A. C. Huffman, W. L Yates, Henry Wickard, Chas Culberson.

Del.-Draton Lomas.

ALT.—Henry Wickard.

Geo. V. Rawson Post No. 46, Michigan City.

Com.—H. A. Root.

P. C.—Wm. H. Davis, H. J. Willits, A. B. Barron, H. A. Root, J. C. Haddock, M. L. Bramhall.

DEL.

ALT.

Dan Pratt Post No. 50, Galveston.

Com.-*A. C. Garrett.

P. C.—*J. M. Bell, J. Q. Symons, A. C. Garrett, *Wm. M. Wampler, *J. C. Patton, *A. J. Haynes.

Del.-*G. Waden.

ALT.—*Tom Fording.

Tippecanoe Post No. 51, Monticello.

'Coм.—*Р. А. Holladay.

P. C.—*J. E. Longhrey, Jas. M. McBeth, E. Malone, *Hugh H. Steele, Wm. H. Hutton, *Jas. B. Roach, S. Z. Todd, Henry Snyder, *G. B. Ward, *William E. Fox, Patrick Hays, Wm. M. Mc-Corkle, Phillip A. Holladay.

Del.-Moses A. McConahay, J. D. Foster, George Hart.

Alt.—Thos. Green, Alex. Bramble, E. R. Mason.

Waterloo Post No. 52, Waterloo.

Com.—Levi W. Treech.

P. C.—J. P. McCague, Phillip Plum, Frank N. Beidler, Robert Patterson, S. P. Rickel, J. M. Chapel, John Shuman, Prentiss Gill, A. W. Wherley, *C. R. Reed, J. J. Lightner, Isaac Speer.

Del.—Austin Wing.

ALT.—Daniel Shurman.

Sol Meredith Post No. 55, Richmond.

Com.—*John Elliott.

P. C.—*Jos. P. Iliff, *John F. Davenport, *Lafayette Larsh, *W. K. Young, Noah H. Hutton, *L. M. White, *Elijah Lawton, *John A. Markley, Geo. L. Weist, *B. B. Duke, *Allen W. Grave, James A. Taylor, Martin A. Bailey, Martin L. Grose, James H.



Vanzant, Henry C. Fox, John Ward, D. W. Comstock, Samuel Huddleston, T. P. Smith, William Mitchell, Wm. Schunaman, Fred Bartel, Jacob McConley, Philip Lefeber, *I. B. Arnold, John A. Griffy, Wm. H. Baughman, John Deets.

Del.—*John P. Lancaster, *Isaac Newby, *Rufus Newman, Ralph Weller, Amos Henning, Gus Meyer, C. B. Hunt, James Bryant.

ALT.—John M. Albertson, Alonzo Marshall, George Fetta, Jacob Ryan, Geo. Bymaster, *Timothy Hart, Julius Katte, Henry Eikenberry.

William B. Reyburn Post No. 56, Peru.

Com.-*Clark Latta.

P. C.—L. B. Fulwiler, W. F. Daily, *W. H. H. Spaulding, *James H. Hausman, *Wm. F. Gibbons, *J. V. Wilhelm, Guy Handington, J. D. Emhiser, *Clark Latta, P. M. Crumes, *Abraham Whistler, *P. H. McGloin, Thos. Ream, *Wm. Leffel, Cornelius Bell, *W. I. Liffel.

Del.—Geo. Weckler, Columbus Baltimire.

ALT.—Calvin Orr, John A. McEllee.

Nelson Trusler Post No. 60, Winchester.

Com.—Nathaniel Curtis.

P. C.—Isaiah P. Watts, Luther G. Puckett, Richard Bosworth, *George Coats, B. F. Wilmore, John Flight, N. C. Simmons, A. M. Best, Ed Ashwill, J. E. Huston, John C. Grim, Nimrod Brooks. Del.—*Geo. R. Kennedy, Gilbert Mucky.

ALT.—T. Jeff Bush, W. Y. Puckett.

Elwood Post No. 61, Elwood.

Com.-*M. E. Baylor.

P. C.—*John P. Rounds, *John Lewis, John F. Brown, S. W. Edwins, *J. H. Wagner, Lafayette Ferguson, M. E. Baylor, *Chas. Waymer, J. W. Davis.

Del.-S. Bowers.

ALT.

Bryant Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Com.-*Samuel Lewis.

P. C.—Jas. Anderson, Jacob Sheffer, *Wm. H. Langton, Elisha Little, B. F. Booth.

Del.—*Jas. Bennett, M. Stufflebeem.

ALT.—Lewis Rend, H. L. Stockard.



Samuel Henry Post No. 63, Decatur.

Coм.-*W. H. Myers.

P. C.—W. H. Myers, *D. K. Shockley, J. R. Parish, J. D. Hale, *M. J. Wertzherger, T. W. Mallonee, F. F. Frech, R. D. Patterson, B. W. Sholty.

Del.—J. R. Turnbleson, *S. B. Fordyce, *Nathan Ehrman. Alt.—Daniel Kitson, Samuel Chronister, G. B. Cline.

Hackleman Post No. 64, Brookville.

Com .- *George W. Golden.

P. C.—Geo. F. O'Byrne, J. H. Updike, John Ferris, M. A. Jacob, T. B. Thackery, L. G. Scheisz, J. L. Cowan, Milton Curry.

Del.—Samuel Thomas.

ALT.—C. W. Higgs.

Stone River Post No. 65, Frankfort.

Com.-*John Atkinson.

P. C.—Wm. H. Hart, Oliver Gard, David A. Coulter, *James A. Price, *Q. A. Kennedy, C. H. Doctor, *N. W. Cosner, Jos. H. Reagan, *Cy Clark, *Robt. W. Seagars, *Henry C. Jackson, *Richard C. Clark, *J. H. Mills, *David Handley, *Geo. Blystone, *W. M. Spencer.

Del.—Geo. P. Gaddis, *Jonathan Bear.

Alt.-Jos. H. H. Lovett, David S. Brant.

DeLong Post No. 67, Auburn.

Сом.—J. O. Davidson.

P. C.—N. S. Emsley, *Philip Noel, John Otto, Joseph Rainer, J. O. Davidson, Robert Simpson, S. J. Farney, O. H. Widney.

Del.-Isaac Dittmar, Amos Hilkey.

ALT.—Thos. Hallam, *Jas. · W. May.

Shively Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Com.—James Gurney.

P. C.—J. S. Bradmeyer, F. H. Poetker, H. Landgrebe, J. N. Morris, John Appell, *Jas. M. Gardner, Christ Siebe, F. M. Beck.

Del.-Gerhard Koch.

Alt.-Edwin B. Fish.

Martin R. Delaney Post No. 70, Indianapolis.

Com.—Henderson Brown.

P. C.—*Henry Johnson, Carter Temple, Cruz Duncan, Frank Mahan, Henderson Brown,

Del.-H. Price, George Goodall.

ALT.—Patrick Larken, John Hubert.



U. S. Grant Post No. 72, Washington.

Com.-John Davis.

P. C.—Wm. P. Ellis, R. E. Hawley, J. W. Ramsey, J. M. Bass, Ed Canaday, I. F. Hendron, Zac. Jones, Wm. Gary, W. H. Springer, Phil Hart, J. W. Kellams, John Berry, J. W. Streeter, Franklin Wise, George Snyder, John Sullivan, W. S. Waller, Jos. Bogner, Henry Bell, W. M. Wirts, *C. M. Peek.

Del.—*Joshua Shaw, Joseph Allison.

ALT.—Thos. Greenwood, Wm. H. Faris, *Ben Folson.

Remington Post No. 74, Remington.

Com.-J. H. Biddle.

P. C.—H. H. Walker, J. R. Wilson, I. D. Luckey, Ez Bowman, J. H. Green, J. P. Shelmon, *J. H. Biddle.

DEL.-J. A. May.

ALT .- J. T. Turner.

Henry S. Lane Post No. 76, Francesville.

Cом.—Stephen Eldridge.

P. C.-Stephen Eldridge.

Del.—*W. A. Geer.

ALT.-T. M. Spence.

Blankenship Post No. 77, Martinsville.

Com.-*John E. Walker.

P. C.—Geo. W. Grubbs, D. P. Kennedy, *J. M. Neely, F. M. McNair, *H. H. Woods, W. W. Kennedy, Thos. Minton, Calvin Stanley, Thos. D. Evans, John E. Walker.

Del.-Henry Harryman.

ALT .- James Lemons.

Williams Post No. 78, Muncie.

Com.-*Clay Whitley.

P. C.—*R. J. Patterson, *G. W. H. Kemper, *E. W. Bishop, *L. O. Leach, *George A. Carpenter, *Web S. Richey, Oliver Carmichael, J. E. Dare. Clay Whiteley, *L. H. Karns, D. W. Slouiker, *Jos. Younce, *John Buetner, *John W. Davis, *J. H. Yaryon.

Del.—*Joe S. Herrick, F. A. Robinson, *L. E. Hanna.

ALT.—Dan Huffer, F. A. Templin, John M. Clevenger.



Joel Wolfe Post No. 81, Rushville.

Com.—Jabez Smith.

P. C.—Ed Wolfe, B. L. Smith, B. L. McFarlan, *J. M. Stevens, J. C. Humes, Ed Young, I. L. Clifford, F. M. Redman, J. K. Mattox, C. O. Nixon, J. K. Gowdy, Dan McKinney, Jabez Smith.

Del.-Geo. D. Pearsey.

ALT.-J. G. Boyd.

John A. Platter Post No. 82, Aurora.

Com.-Elijah Stewart.

P. C.—Clark Canfield, Henry Niebaum, Fred H. Rusher, Thomas Tanner, F. W. Rassebaum, John R. Beach, Elijah Stewart, Edmund Jamison, John Peters, Wm. Doerr, *H. P. Spaeth. Del.—*Geo. W. Sawdon, Henry P. Spaeth.

John P. Porter Post No. 83, Geneva.

Com.-J. L. Juday.

P. C.—J. M. Holloway, Will H. Fought, J. P. Scheer, *S. W. Hale, Wm. Fields, A. Burris, I. N. Veley, J. L. Juday, J. G. Breuner, S. Cook, *Wm. Drew; Eli Krous and *H. Kirby transferred from Post at Bryant, Ind.

Del.-*A. J. Idlewine, D. Polm.

ALT.-*George W. Ford, Alex. Swank.

Rensselaer Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

Cом.—*D. H. Yeoman.

P. C.—D. H. Yeoman, Timothy Conner, *Henry Grow.

DEL.-*W. H. Wood.

ALT.—Henry Amsler.

Paul E. Slocum Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Com.—W. J. Allen.

P. C.—W. J. Allen, W. A. Fulwider, W. F. Hepley, Moses St-Clair, *John T. Eller, Newton H. Fee, Joseph Lindsay, J. H. Eaton, Thos. Kirkpatrick, John Millis, W. W. Pauley, Isaac N. May, Wm. Whaley, Nathan R. Matson, Thos. C. Whisenand, L. W. Shields.

Del.—James Ransom, Jacob Vandyke, *Wm. Shaw, Isaac P. Eller, Isaac P. Hopewell.

Alt.—Geo. W. Thornton, Isaac Mitchell, Jos. H. Rush, Joseph Treadway, H. M. Dillman.



Jessersonville Post No. 86, Jessersonville.

Com.—R. B. Mason.

P. C.—Wm. Facett, *E. B. Youmans, J. J. Waggoner, Silas Baldwin, R. B. Mason, Geo. F. McCullough, *J. S. Miller, Christian Russ, J. M. Vanmeter, J. M. Kiselmark, Chas. Lampher.

Del.-J. M. Kiselmark.

ALT.—J. M. Vanmeter.

Samuel Reid Post No. 87, Salem.

Com.-*W. J. Hauger.

P. C.—Eli W. Menaugh, Fred L. Prow, Josiah Emery, William Overman, Ed N. Conner, W. E. Johnson, W. M. Linocott, W. J. Hauger.

DEL.-Wm. R. McKnight, W. E. Gordon.

Alt.-J. A. Bressie, G. H Faulkner.

Robert Huff Post No. 89, Lawrenceburg.

Com.—James E. Larimer.

P. C.—Sanford Tuthill, Jacob Rief, John Rork, S. E. Harryman, John McKee, G. A. Taylor, J. G. Schmeltzer.

Del.-*John Probst.

Alt.—Dewry Northern.

Charles W. Howell Post No. 90, Goshen.

Com.—D. B. Hutchinson.

P. C.—S. F. Poorman, W. P. Hafer, F. A. Gilmore, J. W. Cornell, *H. F. Kidder, J. F. Andrews, E. Egner, W. S. Bitner, *C. W. James, J. M. Garnett, W. H. Miller, S. S. Whisler.

Del.—*John W. Simmons, Jacob VanArsdale.

Alt.—Reuben Lutz, W. A. Markel.

Worthington Post No. 91, Worthington.

Com.—Ephraim Harrell.

P. C.—Ephraim Harrell, J. W. Jackson, Daniel Soliday, G. W. Hamilton, Jas. W. Defore, Jas. Spainhour, David Fulk.

Del.-*Wm. Brewer.

ALT.—Zion Brewer.

Samuel H. Dunbar Post No. 92, Greenfield.

Com .- George W. Reed.

P. C.—Henry Snow, Lafayette Slifer, J. K. Henby, Taylor Morford, John A. Barr, Wm. Hutton, Thos. Coffee, Jacob H. Pavey,



James W. Loder, Stephen D. Jackson, D. C. Jamison, Adam P. Hogle.

Del.-J. E. Hart, Wm. H. Payne, *Wm. P. Denny.

ALT.—James M. Laramore, James Shelton.

Gettysburg Post No. 93, Spencer.

Com.-Wm. S. Mead.

P. C.—David E. Beem, Thos. C. Boswell, Wm. Fender, C. A. Hutchinson, B. Jacobs, J. H. Murphy, S. A. Parish, J. S. Johnson, Theodore Laberten, *Wm. S. Mead.

DEL. Geo. W. Mayfield.

ALT .- A. O. Patrick.

Ben North Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

Com.—S. E. Scott.

P. C.—S. E. Scott, W. H. Clark, James Harris, *H. B. Sparks, *George W. Sweazy, Charles Fisher, B. F. Miller, P. P. Stultz, G. A. Dugle.

DEL.-

ALT.

McClung Post No. 95, Rochester.

Com.-John H. Shelton.

P. C.—John R. Stallard, I. R. New, A. G. Sinks, J. T. Gaines, S. H Hoffman, *W. S. Bolles, John B. Apt, H. E. Butler, Frank Dillen, John H. Shelton.

Del.-*George Martindale.

Alt.—Wesley Alexander.

C. C. Wheeler Post No. 98, Versailles.

Com.-*T. E. Willson.

P. C.—*T. G. Day, *F. M. Hancock, *D. E. Marsh, *Henry Osborn, *A. H. Wooley, *Philip Seelinger, *Benjamin Winsor, T. E. Willson, B. F. Preble, J. P. Lynch.

Del.—George Buchanan.

ALT.—Lytle Shook.

Girard Post No. 101, Monon.

Com.—Robert Adams.

P. C.—Robert Adams, Jas. M. Devault, *Geo. C. Catlin.

Del.—W. C. Lutes, C M. Honer.

Alt.—Wm. Albright, Philip Sain.



McHolland Post No. 102, Kentland.

Com.—John Higgins.

P. C.—Isaac Smart, T. C. Moore, Jira Skinner, John Lowe, John Higgins.

Del.-T. M. Bush.

ALT.-J. D. Conklin.

William Smith Post No. 103, Sheridan.

Com.-John S. Kercheval.

P. C.—*J. S. Kercheval, *J. P. Bradfield, J. M. Abbott, J. M. Haughey, A. Steffey, J. H. Cox, W. M. Evans, *L. S. Kercheval, J. W. Dungan, T. J. Lindley, *A. A. Haskett, O. S. Newton, Isaac Jones, *R. M. Stephenson, W. L. Scott, Geo. Hamilton, *E. R. Worley.

Del.-*Jos. W. Cropper.

ALT.—Mike Blessing, *A. C. Scott.

J. H. Danseur Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Com.—Geo. W. Minnick.

P. C.—*Albert Preston, John J. Gillett, *Ransom J. Willard, Frank L. Church, Geo. W. Hissong, Elmer R. Steel, John H. Caton.

DEL.-

ALT.

Van Buren Post No. 105, Pike's Peak.

Com.—Cornelius Hurley.

P. C.—F. A. Hendrix, R. A. Wilson, A. Hancher, John Foreman, *C. Hurley.

DEL.

ALT.

Chaplain Brown Post No. 106, Valparaiso.

Com.—T. B. Louderback.

P. C.—Nelson J. Bozarth, Aaron W. Lytle, Edward M. Burns, John R. Mills, Jasper N. Finney, L. D. Wolf, *David D. Rose, Frank P. Thompson, James Bell.

Del.-William Wood, Hiram W. Miller.

Alt.-Joseph Zea, Louis LaDauer.

Charles W. Heath Post No. 109, East Enterprise.

Com.—H. D. Tinker.

P. C.-H. J. Works, George W. Land, H. D Tinker

DEL.-

ALT.



Hathaway Post No. 110, Rolling Prairie.

Com.-W. H. Hecker.

P. C.-W. H. Hecker, H. B. Worden, C. H. Freese, G. A. Shead.

DEL.-

ALT.

Morocco Post No. 111, Morocco.

Com .- Henry C. Harris.

P. C.—B. F. Roadruck, George Clark, Samuel Thomas, James Shafer, John Grant.

DEL.

ALT.-

Kosciusko Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Сом.-А. J. Carey.

P. C.—J. N. Runyon, W. H. Bennett, *John Niswander, J. S. Neely, N. A. McComb, *C. W. Scott, J. W. Sellers, *C. W. Burkett, David Kintzel, *S. D. Hathaway, *E. L. Semans, N. Rebbit, N. E. Miller, *J. G. Jeffries, *Q. N. Sharp, *J. Tinky.

Del.- Henry Walters, J. H. Koontz.

ALT.—C. C. Stoner, Samuel Funk.

Deacon Post No. 115, New Carlisle.

Com.—Isaac N. Vail.

P. C.—*Geo. W. Doughty, Isaac N. Vail, Oren Tippy, H. H. Wethered.

Del.-John F. Smith.

Alt.—William Barker.

Andrews Post No. 116, Andrews.

Сом.—*М. Woodbeck.

P. C.-M. Woodbeck, M. Swartz, Wm. McMahan, *John Kahl.

Del.-John Patterson.

ALT.-Wm. H. Moore.

George W. Rader Post No. 119, Middletown.

Com.—John J. Noftsinger.

P. C.—*J. A. Young, Jonathan Brattain, Isaac H. Miller, *Lafe Bell, E. M. Hanby, Andrew J. Fleming, S. P. Ledgerwood, *Wm. M. Moore.

Del.—Daniel Rent.

Alt.-Wm. R. Fleming.



Masters Post No. 120, Boonville.

Com,-W. H. Allen.

P. C.—Wm. H. Allen, *John C. Shaffer, *Ephraim Rowe, *Wm. H. Hudson, F. J. Lamar.

Del.—*W. Wilsen.

ALT.

C. L. Guild Post No. 121, Medaryville.

Сом.-

P. C.—M. Robinson, *W. H. H. Tilton, *Fred Maibauer, R. L. P. Massey, *Henry L. White.

Del.—E. C. Hansell.

Alt.-*John Mannan.

James C. Veatch Post No. 123, Rockport.

Com.—Henry Brand.

P. C.-W. S. Wright, John Himmelhaber, Geo. Bettis, Bart Inco.

DEL.-

ALT.-

John Murray Post No. 124, Pierceton.

Com.—J. A. Clemons.

P. C.—M. R. Bishop, *S. Kile, H. Finton, J. A. Clemons, *T. A. Hoover, *G W Wolf, A. Adams.

Del.-*A. Moore.

Alt.—D. Vanness.

Stansbury Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Com.-J. H. Hoffman.

P. C.—J. H. Hoffman, J. L. Dunning, C. R. Graves.

Del.—S. Blackman.

ALT .- Job Sharp.

Connersville Post No. 126, Connersville.

Com.-*Samuel N. Hamilton.

P. C.—Thos. M. Little, Samuel E. Perin, John W. Hannah, Geo. F. Stewart, *Wm. N. Young, Wm. T. Murray, *Chas. H. Smith, L. L. Cooley, I. M. Anderson, James Wymore, *J. K. Proctor, *Maj. Ross.

Del.-John Payne, *Charles Lair.

Alt.—*Stephen Crandel.



Wadsworth Post No. 127, Franklin.

Com.-William H. Fisher.

P. C.—*Joseph M. Storey, William S. Young, Jno. H. Wooley, Louis D. Rothbaust, *Alvin F. Curtis, *Wm. H. McClanahan, *Jno. R. Owens, *James M. Brown, *Phil W. Brown, *Edmon P. Erwin, *Thos. B. Wood, Richard V. Ditmars, Will W. Long, Daniel D. Waldron, William Thomas, *Luther Short, Lewis King, *John W. Dill.

Del.—Richard M. Lee, John Carson, Thos. Flinn.

Alt.-Rodman Coons, Andrew Johnson, Wm. M. Province.

Houghton Post No. 128, Mishawaka.

Com.—Ezra Master.

P. C.—Ed A. Jernegan, J. H. Gaines, J. W. Boyd, R. E. Perkins, M. M. Fisher, John Borough, E. R. Huntsinger.

Del.-*Eli O. Newman. Henry Payne.

ALT.-J. W. Hutchinson, F. R. Eberhart.

Henry C. Coulter Post No. 131, Russiaville.

Com.—Luke Thomas.

P. C.—J. F. Miller, *Luke Thomas, *A. C. Merrick, J. H. Hawkins, George Dunlap.

Del.-J. H. Hawkins.

Alt.-*O. L. Evans.

Lafayette Gordon Post No. 132, Argos.

Com.—Charles Behn.

P. C.—*John C. Gordon, *Jonathan Pickerd, *W. H. J. Flagg, William Stafford, *John W. Price, *J. S. .Hussey, *William White, *John A. Lowery, *Charles Behn, *James D. Townsend, *I. Hess.

Del.-*James M. Davis.

ALT.-John W. Harris.

Lookout Post No. 133, Noblesville.

Com.—Philip Rhoades.

P. C.—H. M. Caylor, A. J. Fryberger, Wm. H. Stern, W. H. Scovill, Jesse Venable, Philip Rhoades, W. E. Craig Eli C. Lutz.

Del.—*Wm. H. Cook, *Ben F. Wise, Nathan Kiste.

Alt.-Wm. Barker, *Chas. N. Scott, John Tindall.



James R. Slack Post No. 137, Huntington.

Com.-*Benj. F. Sprinkle.

P. C.—Chas. W. Watkins, David D. Holm, Bud M. Cobb, *N. H. Kuhlman, *Israel H. Heaston, *Robert Fulton, *Frank Gerard, David Prussel, Chas. H. Newell, *John S. Gill, *Wm. F. Swaim, Alfred Steuver, *W. H. H. Brown, Wm. P. Moffet, *A. H. Shaffer, Alois Scheiber, D. C. Anderson, *John S. Glenn, John Minnick, *John Carey, E. Pippenbrink.

Del.—Benj. F. Sprinkle, *Isaiah Souers, H. S. Finkenbiner.

ALT.—A. A. Bowen, John M. Smith, Wm. F. Redding.

S. C. Aldrich Post No. 138, Hudson.

Com.-W. A. Greenamyer.

P. C.—W. A. Greenamyer, J. C. Whysong, P. Snowberger, G. Frederick.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Lookout Mountain Post No. 140, Gaston.

Сом.—*Henry Miller.

P. C.—*Henry Trout, *Wm. Hoffman, *J. W. McCrary, Geo. Lisby, *J. W. Slain.

Del.—David Vernalta.

ALT .- Lewis Bond.

John C. Carnes Post No. 144, St. Joe Station.

Com.—Geo. W. Trostel.

P. C.—Mahlon Baker, E. Inhafe, Chas. W. Freeburn, J. Y. Davis, Ben Hamilton, Jos. Koch, J. A. Provines, C. A. Rhoades G. Horn, Geo. Nostel, Walter Mabel.

DEL.

ALT.

Put Evans Post No. 146, Sharpsville.

Com.-Louis Hoffman.

P. C.—*J. K. Baxter, *William Bennett, J. T. Grayson, L. H. Doty, *P. A. Bailey, *Louis Hoffman.

Del.-*E. W. Ulrich.

ALT.-*F. M. Mills.

Patton Post No. 147, Laporte.

Сом.-Wm. C. Weir.

P. C.—Ed L. Ephlin, E. C. Daniels, E. R. Hart, Peter Fisher, L. J. Bryant, W. C. Weir.

Del.-A. C. Shepherd, Thomas Marr.

ALT.-Frank A. Boyd, Albert C. Finley.



George W. Lennard Post No. 148, New Castle.

Com.-Mahlon D. Harvey.

P. C.—G. H. Cain, W. M. Pence, L. M. Moore, L. S. Denius, T. W. Gronendyke, *Thad Coffin, H. C. Elliott, *W. B. Bock, I. W. Ellis, J. Thornburg, A. W. Saint, *H. Henderson, Thos Gray, Lea M. James, Joel Harvey, *J. C. Livesey, David Luellen, Clark Gordon, Geo. P. Beach, Allen Koon, R. H. Tyner.

Del.—Lea M. James.

ALT.-L. S. Denius.

B. J. Crosswait Post No. 150, Angola.

Com.-*Isaac Beil.

P. C.—Solomon Cox, Andrew Somerlott, Orville Carver, Lafe Burkett, John Carson, Lawrence Gates, Joseph Hirst, T. K. Miller, Jesse Y. Johnson, S. J. Stowe, Nelson Letts, Curtis Castel, N. B. Jeffries, D. K. Swift.

Del.-*Andrew Hart, Andrew Somerlott.

ALT .- *A. J. Snyder, J. H. Hirst.

Dela Hunt Post No. 152, Cannelton.

Com.—John Zimmerman.

P. C.—Theodore Kiefer, Jacob Snyder, John Zimmerman.

Del.-John D. Krausch.

Alt.-James M. Summers.

Stephen J. Bailey Post No. 154, Portland.

Com.—Joseph E. Clark.

P. C.—Levi L. Gilpin, Louis J. Bruner, Jesse J. M. LaFollette, John W. Headington, Nimrod Headington, Thos. J. Stanley, Wesley D. Sebring, Samuel F. Hiatt, Tunis W. Thorp, Jacob W. Burk, Jos. E. Clark.

DEL.

ALT.

Major Patton Post No. 157, Vevay.

Сом.—В. F. Heady.

P. C.—John Moxby, John Shaw, Edmond Raschig, J. C. Kirk-patrick, John Pavey, J. C. Long, Fred Thiebaud.

DEL.

ALT.—



Gordon Tanner Post No. 159, Brownstown.

Com.-E. W. Miller.

P. C.-E. M. Wells, E. W. Miller, D. B. Vance, J. C. Gossman.

Wm. T. Hancock, Daniel Empson

Del.-*James P. Tidwell.

ALT.—Elisha Hurley.

John Wheeler Post No. 161, Crown Point.

Com.-Wm. Krimbill.

P. C.—Wm. Krimbill, H. W. Wise, E. F. Caswell, O. G. Wheeler, J. E. Arthur.

Del.-*Hiram Barton.

Alt.—*O. G. Wheeler.

Antietam Post No. 162, Jamestown.

Com.—John F. Proctor.

P. C.—S. M. Best, *Thompson Henry, John C. Ferree, Thos. Day, John F. Proctor, John Yelton.

DEL.-

ALT.

Jacob Hoops Post No. 163, West Terre Haute.

Com.—Chester R. Church.

P. C.—Chester R. Church, M. Broadhurst, Thos. Underwood, Wesley Harvey.

Del.-Wiley O. Black.

Alt.-Valentine Swalls.

Jesse S. Ogden Post No. 164, Danville.

Com.—Henry Kirk.

P. C.—John V. Hadley, *George W. Scearce, Thos. J. Cofer, F. H. Huron, J. S. Marshall, *Chas. Sacre, A. M. Dooley, *John Whyte, *Chas. A. White, H. N. Vannice, H. B. Little, Harvey Henry, Henry Curtis, *George Wood, Henry Kirk.

Del.-W. H. Coats.

ALT .- *A. W. Carter.

Jerry B. Mason Post No. 168, Knightstown

Com.—Robert Gilbreath.

P. C.—*T. B. Wilkinson, John E. Keys, W. B. McGovern, White Heaton, *Wm. P. Foulke, M. A. Pickering, *R. W. Gillineth.

Del.-*John McNurney.

ALT .- *Henry A. Jenkins.



William Swain Post No. 169, Ossian.

Cом.—*М. N. Newman.

P. C.-*M. N. Newman, *J. A. D. Taylor, *V. W. Clark.

Del.-*Ransom Allen.

ALT.-Abe Hoopengardner.

Champion Hills Post No. 171, Brookston.

Сом.-John Hartman.

P. C.—O. S. Reney, *J. E. Carson, J. H. Giles, *Robt. Irwin,

A. H. Melts, Thos. Bostick.

Del.-John Hartman.

ALT.—O. S. Ramey.

August Willich Post No. 175, Batesville.

Com.-John Schultz.

P. C.—C. S. Ward, John Schultz, John Bohland, Dr. June-Abbott, Peter Schreiner.

Del.-Selector Thackery.

Alt.-John Meister.

James M. Waggener Post No. 177, Greenwood.

Com.-*James M. Kelley.

P. C.—J. F. Meinon, Wm. Bass, S. V. Alexander, Geo. White-neck, J. M. Kelley.

DEL.

ALT.

Lynnville Post No. 178, Lynnville.

Com.—L. B. Ridens.

P. C.-L. B. Ridens, M. W. Rice.

DEL.

ALT.

Cambridge City Post No. 179, Cambridge City.

Com.—David Wright.

P. C.—Abraham Runnel, *W. F. Medsker, I. F. Sweney, *Gilbert-Crosley, Jacob McConley, David Wright.

Del.—John N. Conklin.

Alt.—W. B. Overhiser.

Minor Padgett Post No. 180, Bennington.

Com.-J. W. Gardner.

P. C.-F. W. Cole, W. N. Seymour, M. Harmon,

DEL.

ALT.



George W. Stough Post No. 181, Columbia City.

Com.-*Adam Keiser.

P. C.—J. M. Maine, *J. M. Carver, Frank Smith, H. H. Lawrence, Isaac Keller, W. W. Allen, *P. V. Gruesbeck.

Del.-Robert B. Boid.

ALT .- *George North.

Bennett Post No. 183, Kewanna.

Com.-*John A. Barnett.

P. C.—*John A. Barnett, *A. Hunneshagen, *J. C. Cannon, H. N. Troutman, *J. J. Kumler.

Del.-John Smith.

ALT.-

Virgil H. Lyons Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Com.—David Douglass.

P. C. John L. Gunn, J. Q. A. Mattern, W. R. Snipes, J. S. Moore, Davis Douglass, Taylor Reagan, J. M. Barlow, John Tucker

DEL.-J. S. Moore.

ALT.—A. J. Tharp.

Stephen Mead Post No. 187, Fort Branch.

Com.—T. A. Walters.

P. C.—Thos. A. Walters, John A. Ervin, Aug. Rodeman, Benj. F. Stewart.

DEL.

ALT.

Duvall Post No. 188, Liberty.

Com.—Erastus Winters.

P. C.—John W. Short, E. H. Yaryan, John Yaryan, *Rufus L. Brown, Thos. Casey, Wm. Duvall, Albert Parvis, J. C. Gillmore, W. H. H. Clark, J. A. Bertch, Jonathan Harlan.

DEL.

ALT.

William Speer Post No. 189, Dillsboro.

Com.-F. M. Johnson.

P. C.—*Wm. Rowland, Jas. H. Abbott, D. C. Misner, Henry Peiper, Jos. C. Vandolah, H. B. Tonnemacher, Lee Roberts, H. C. Wheeler, Jas H. Shutts, Wm. Handley, Jos. I. Barnhart, Stephen Jones, John H. Leasure, Wm. E. Johnson.

Del.-Wm. E. Johnson.

ALT .- F. M. Johnson.



W. L. Sanderson Post No. 191, New Albany.

Com.-John W. Sullivan.

P. C.—Andrew Fite, Louis Bir, W. R. Atkins, J. W. Edmondson, Jno. W. Durbin, W. H. Padgett, O. P. Anderson, Robt. Ralston, *Albert H. McQuiddy, Albert L. Brasher, Edmond Caye, D. M. Hammond, Geo. Merritt, S. Hubler, *W. J. Noyes, *John H. Scott. Del.—Curtis, Roby, John F. Cartwright, W. F. Rolen.

ALT .- A. H. McQuiddy, W. H. McKay, Wiley Hazzard.

Col. Nathan Kimball Post No. 192, Linton.

Com.-W. S. Potter.

P. C.-Jas. Brookshire.

DEL.-

ALT.

William Cuppy Post No. 195, South Whitley.

Com.—B. F. Bates.

P. C.—W. D. Cook, B. F. Bates, Raymond William, Allen Pence, Frank Drake, Will Hengy, J. Keel.

DEL.

ALT.

Shiloh Field Post No. 198, Elkhart.

Com.-J. L. Wright.

P. C.—Cyrus Seiler, John C. Stuck, E. B. Myers, R. S. Chamberlin, L. M. Smalley, J. A. Bigelow, *F. E. Tousley, A. C. Brown, M. E. Huston, *Wm. H. Watson, J. L. Miller, John S. Lloyd, A. C. Rogers, H. W. Godfrey, D. E. Long, Thos. F. Garvin, Wilson M. Tobias, W. J. Hazel.

Del.-*F. E. Tousley, Chas. Gulinger.

ALT.

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Gen. John A. Logan Post No. 199, N. Manchester.

Com.—B. F. Goodman.

P. C.—*J. D. Spurgeon, J. B. Schuler, Emanuel Egner, *Sam Hamilton, *R. A. Schoolcraft, *B. F. Shilts, *H. H. Smith, Allen Coty, *Chas. Kosher, *J. A. Clevenger, *Sam Dunbar, J. M. Cox, G. W. Ridgley, *Joe Cowgill, *John Elwood, Reuben Moyer.

Del.-Uriah Shock, F. M. McCutcheon.

ALT.-R. D. Hite, Jacob Kintz.



Boone Post No. 202, Zionsville.

Com.-W. D. Silverthorn.

P. C.—*J. M. Byers, *D. R. Fouts, *C. Newby, *I. T. Huckelberry, Rinelder Lee, *J. W. Rooker, R. F. Jacks, *Leonard Burton, *M. D. Miller, J. S. Bussell, *Jos. L. Hopkins.

DEL.-*John Eberts.

ALT.—*Burgin.

James Price Post No. 203, Tipton.

Com.-Marion Potter.

P. C.—Thomas Paul, Solomon Bacey, John A. Swoveland, *Maslon Teter, *Wm. Watson, *Sam Watson, Newton Campbell, Isaac Booth, *D. W. Hilligoss, *Joseph Gross, J. R. Robison, Wm. McBride, Dan Waugh, Alonzo Richardson, H. C. Burton, S. G. Downing, *J. R. Bartholomew, *James A. Lankford, *Wm. Smith, *S. J. Keever, *Alonzo Merritt, *J. H. Van Valkenburg.

DEL.-*David Stage.

ALT.-*J. W. Kitzmiller.

Reed Post No. 206, Fulton.

Com.-R. B. Reed.

P. C.—R. B. Reed, J. U. Reed, *Jas. H. Baird, W. J. Walters, N. A. Londerback, J. V. Pownall.

DEL.

ALT.

Cicero Post No. 207, Cicero.

Сом.—Т. Н. С. Beall.

P. C.—*N. W. Webster, S. T. Dunham, John Foster, Jas H. Glaze, N. B. Dewey, *Michael Kreag, T. H. C. Beall, Thos. J. Brown, O. H. Cottingham, *James Little, Andrew Berg. S. C. Gilkey, John Leaming, Allen Turner.

DEL.—

ALT.

A. B. Wade Post No. 208, Chesterton.

Coм.—R. S. Greer.

P. C.—Martin Young, A. J. Anderson, H. H. Williams, R. S. Greer (fifth term).

Del.-Nathan Demas.

ALT .- Jos. Rand.



Geo. H. Chapman Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Hesekiah Trueblood.

P. C.—James Dunn, *Chas. Wheat, A. R. Seward, *John D. Bloomfield, W. H. Fullenwider, M. E. Monrean, *L. Bowlen, *James Leggett, Alonzo Baxter, Chas. Miner, A. J. Stephens, *T. J. Allen, Thos. Martin, Jas. Hartley, Jas. Spilker, Andrew Sowers, *David Rourk, P. A. Hackleman, *Geo. W. Summers. Del.—Eli Smith, John Henninger, *Joshua Humbler, John S. Woodard, H. H. Egelman, John Burns.

Alt.—Lucian Gray, Wm. Willis, Jacob Baker, *David S. Bell, L. P. Fout, Webster Higgins.

Frank Beitzell Post No. 210, Centerville.

Com.—Ennias Kitterman.

P. C.—*Ennias Kitterman, Nimrod Parrott, *Wm. Matthew, A. D. Zehring, John F. Dynes.

DEL.

ALT.

Alexander Trimble Post No. 213, Red Key.

Com.-Theo. A. Baker, Adjt.

P. C.—Isaac N. Goe, Silas Glover, M. V. B. Coons, John W. Hill, *Theo. A. Baker.

DEL.

ALT.

William F. Davis Post No. 214, Patriot.

Com.-William Gockel.

P. C.—Rosman I. White, Henry W. Starker, Francis A. Jackson, Wm. Gockel.

DEL.

ALT.

Martin Post No. 216, Westville.

Сом.—Wm. H. Kimball.

P. C.—E. S. Smith, J. A. Hilton, T. F. McGuigan, E. M. Bryson, A. Lawrence, J. M. McGinnis, John Hilton, John Herold, Harvey Holmes

DEL.

ALT.-

R. M. Kelly Post No. 217, Edinburg.

Com.—I. N. Foster.

P. C.-J. C. Freese, A. W. Winterberg, John Williams.

Del.—Gaston Fulps.

Alt.—Dote Drybread.



H. D. Washburn Post No. 220, Dana.

Com.—A. P. Adams.

P. C.—J. B. Fillinger, W. B. Hood, G. H. Fisher, J F. Burnett, *B. S. Fisher, *Albert Martin, H. H. Aye, John W. Park. Del.—Tom Adams.

ALT.-D. Ryland.

Harrison McAllister Post No. 221. Dupont.

Com.—B. F. Hedrick.

P. C.—B. F. Hedrick, Geo. W. Nichols, Jesse H. Collicott.

Del.-John Johnson.

Alt.—Richard Bowman.

Freedom Post No. 222, Freedom.

Com.-L. D. Marley.

P. C.—L. D. Marley, Wash Light, W. F. Williams, W. W. Scott, W. J. Suffall, W. McHenry.

DEL.—

ALT.

James Moffatt Post No. 223, Elizabethtown.

Com.—James A. Petree.

P. C.—John B. Anderson, T. G. Hammond, W. H. Jackson, James G. Orem, Jos. F. George, John Dunn, *W. H. O'Neal.

Del.-Wm. H. Anderson.

ALT.—Jos. F. George.

Samuel Simonson Post No. 226, Charlestown.

Com.—Wyatt E. Willey.

P. C.-Wyatt E. Willey.

ALT.-

DEL.

Jacob Stahl Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Com.—Elisha Pierce.

P. C.—Hiram P. Sinclair, Benj. G. Shinn, Elisha Pierce, Clark Stewart, James Marshall, Jacob M. Cox, *Joshua T. Kelley *John W. Stiles, *Lewis Reeves, Robert C. Voss.

Del.-*Wm. L. Ervin, Lewis Twibell.

Alt.—Theodore Fuqua, Jesse Bugh.



Sol. D. Kempton Post No. 228, Fortville.

Com.—Robert S. Irwin.

P. C.—C. V. Hardin, Thos. W. Clark, *G. W. Conger, *M. B. Walker, Robt. S. Irwin, *Elijah Asbury, Valentine Apple, Jos. R. Eakes, J. J. Sims, *J. C. Jordan.

Del.-J. F. Wiggins.

ALT.-*J. H. Hines.

Walters Post No. 229, Hebron.

Com.-John Morrow.

P. C.*G. C. Gregg, John Morrow, *Martin Nichols, *J. A. Hodgins, *J. P. Downs.

Del.-H. P. Wood.

Alt.—*Wm. Addams.

Major Henry Post No. 230, Pendleton.

Com.-J. R. Wene.

P. C.—Geo. W. Parker, *T. M. Hardy, *J. W. Zeubiln, Ziba Darlington, *E. W. Collis, B. B. Tillson, A. W. Oldham, J. R. Wene, *W. W. H. Benefiel, Chas. B. Caddy, Wm. I. Jones, P. J. Albright.

Del.-Wm. T. Smith.

ALT.-Wm. R. Teague.

Hammond Post No. 231, Marengo.

Com.-Edward Harrison.

P. C.—J. M. Weathers, Jr., J. W. Tower, W. V. Weathers, Thos. Hiestand, E. Tower, E. Harrison.

DEL.

ALT.-

Custer Post No. 232, Wakarusa.

Com.-Jerome Martin.

P. C.—Cornelius Morris, Jerome Martin.

DEL.—

ALT.

John Layton Post No. 237, Coatesville.

Com .- J. B. Gambold.

P. C.—W. N. Lakin, J. B. Gambold, Wm. Greenlee, D. W. Campbell, S. Maddison.

DEL.

ALT.—



Fairfax Post No. 240, Westfield.

Com.-B. F. Hershey.

P. C.—James A. Owen, O. F. Brown, W. H. Conklin, *Calvin Keister, B. F. Hershey.

Del.—James A. Williams.

ALT.-W. H. Emery.

R. S. Thomas Post No. 241, Mt. Etna.

Com.-J. W. Giltner.

P. C.-Wm. L. Pritchett, J. W. Giltner, James Gallagher.

DEL.-

ALT .-

John A. Hollett Post No. 242, Brownsburg.

Com.-Grand Eaton.

P. C.—I. W. Gray, Chas. Harmon, John Button, John Henson, Grand Eaton, Jas. A. Hollet.

DEL.-

ALT.

Major May Post No. 244, Anderson.

Com.—Chas. C. Johnson.

P. C.—John Baker, Edmond Johnson, *Chas. Stewart, *Robt. Dorste, *J. J. Musser, *W. W. Clifford, E. W. Clifford, *H. C. Durbin, F. M. Van Pelt, *L.D. Crawley, I. S. Wood, H. H. Durbin, C. P. G. Austin, *Jno. F. Thompson, S. G. Bevelhimer, Chas. S. Lawson, *Robt. B. Mason, *Joseph Brown, Wm. A. Kindle, *Stephen Metcalf, F. H. Stilson, *J. C. Besom.

Del.-John Turner, J. F. Wilson, Geo. Nichol.

ALT.-*S. D. Van Pelt, *J. A. Studebaker, *John W. Lovett.

Lakeview Post No. 246, Syracuse.

Сом.—Fred Butt.

P. C.—Eli Bushong, C. V. Smith, H. W. Pence, John Wilard, Wm. Colville.

DEL.—

ALT.

E. C. Newland Post No. 247, Bedford.

Com.-V. V. Williams.

P. C.—Isaac Crim, T. M. Glover, John Acon, E. M. Murphy, Wm. H. Helton, John M. Ganey, H. C. Malott, Lee Potter, C. R. Emery, J. D. Alexander, *V. V. Williams, *James Owens, Samuel Simpson, C. A. Knight.

Del.-Samuel Littel, *L. L. Lenard.

Alt.-J. H. Brooking, J. B. Malott.



Frank Jones Post No. 249, Huntsville.

Com.—James Adamson.

P. C.-James Adamson, F. W. Gaddis.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Bowman Post No. 250, Hagerstown.

Com.-J. L. Dixon.

P. C.—J. H. Benbow, *J. M. Hartley, J. L. Dixon, A. Woolard, J. B. Williams, F. Stoltz, B. F. Jewett.

Del.—A. J. Simpson, Thos. Benbow.

ALT.—Albert Fritz, F. Stoltz.

Spicely Post No. 252, Orleans.

Com.—Thos. J. Brengle.

P. C.—T. J. Brengle, W. F. Sears, J. A. Jenkins, S. J. Habert, Jervel Leonard, L. C. Wright, W. C. Hollowell, L. P. Motsinger, Del.—

ALT.

Adams Post No. 254, Moores Hill.

Com.-John W. Dashiell.

P. C.—H. D. Moore, J. F. Spencer, J. W. Lambertson, R. P. Wilson, T. A. Jennings, F. Slater, J. W. Dashiell.

Del.-Geo. P. Wright.

ALT.—Oscar Davis.

Harter Post No. 256, Newtonville.

Com.—John C. Gorman.

P. C .- John C. Gorman, James F. Carey.

Del.-Richard A. Stevens.

ALT.—Bartlett Whitehouse.

Roann Post No. 257, Roann.

Com.—*L. M. Spotts.

P. C.—*J. B. Taylor, T. B. Atwood, J. L. Richardson, L. M. Spotts, *Al Parker, John Fuller, M. H. King, E. P. Morehouse.

DEL.—

ALT.

Miles H. Tibbotts Post No. 260, Plymouth.

Сом.-С. С. Капаат.

P. C.—*L. Tanner, *Wm. B. Hess, *Wm. E. Bailey, F. M. Burket, George Baxter, G. W. Knoblock, *E. Price.

Del.-*Madison Stoop.

ALT.—Henry Ranick.



Moses Herron Post No. 261, Farmland.

Com.-W. J. Cevenger.

P. C.—Henry Deselmo, W. T. Davis, W. J. Cevenger, E. B. McIntire, Caleb Trees, B. F. Sunday, Ellis L. McNees, W. F. Mullin, Curtis B. Small, Nelson Pegg.

DEL.-

ALT.

Warrick Post No. 262, Newburg.

Com.—John Lawhead.

P. C.—*James L. Matthews, Hiram L. Roberts, John Law-head.

DEL.

ALT.

E. R. Hawn Post No. 266, Bird's Eye.

Cом.—John Koch.

P. C.—John Koch.

DEL.-

ALT.

Hambright Post No. 270, Arcadia.

Com.-W. H. Hartley.

P. C.—A. Guy, T. J. Bishop, W. H. Hartley, Joseph Correll.

Del.—*James A. Frazer.

ALT.

Lawton-Wayne Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

Com.—D. L. Beaber.

P. C.—S. S. Kelker, *W. A. Kelsey, A. S. Walters, *Cornelius Gearin, *D. L. Beaber, *Mason Mellott, *H. C. McMaken, Wm. McMaken, B. W. Skelton, Oliver Blystone, *G. W. Aldrich, D. N. Foster, *Jno. J. Ogle, A. W. Kintz, H. B. Otto, L. W. Johnson, Jno. W. Hayden, Enos H. White, Theodore Bley Eugene B. Smith, I. W. Medsker.

DEL.—Walter Olas, Amhurst Miller, John Loth.

ALT.—Steven Chase, Erastus Shuman, Smith Corbett.

Bruce Post No. 273, Ladoga.

Com.-Mason Summers.

P. C.—T. C. Lawrence, C. A. Clark, Fred Southers, John Harden, Mason Summers,

Del.—

ALT.-



Burnham Post No. 276, Lowell.

Com.-C. C. Pattee.

P. C.—H. H. Ragon, Y. C. Vosburg, G. W. Davis, P. A. McNay, T. D. Dickinson, Thos. Cushman, W. E. Zartman, B. W. Laybourn, C. C. Pattee.

Del.-J. W. Chitwood.

ALT.-T. D. Dickinson.

Otterbein Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Com.-J. J. Roster.

P. C.—A. B. Rowen, F. M. Maddox, J. J. Foster, *J. W. Smith, *G. W. Bringham, *N. A. Chamberlain.

Del.-J. D. Timmons.

ALT.-Monson Master.

S. K. Harryman Post No. 278, Mooresville.

Com.-B. F. Jones.

P. C.—B. F. Jones, H. B. Taylor, David Fields, J. H. Rusie, J. H. Mills, W. F. White, *A. H. Horton, J. P. Calvert, S. B. Stanley, David Stephens.

Del-G. W. Bass.

ALT.-

Joseph R. Gordon Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

COM.-*A. S. Crimans.

P. C.—Austin Daugherty, William I. Taylor, *David H. Olive, *William D. Wilson, Robert M. Dunlap, *John R. Fesler, Jos. B. Stimson, Louis I. Chapman, *Andrew J. Buchanan, John R. Lowe, James Keller, *Lyman M. Bennett, *John W. Kirk, *Henry L. Bruce, Benjamin B. Potts, Henry C. Smith, Henry C. Grooms, *Thomas L. Stout.

Del.-*J. R. Hayes, *W. R. Heimes, *George Goth.

ALT .- M. S. Randolph, Fred Sturm.

General Cruft Post No. 284, Lewis.

Com.-J. N. Woods.

P. C.—J. N. Woods, Gilbert Liston, J. K. P. Stephens, C. C. Givens, R. H. Cochran, Maston Boston.

Del.—M. S. Gosnell.

ALT.-Maston Boston.



Benjamin Shield Post No. 289, Dunkirk.

Com.-B. B. Jenkins.

P. C.-*J. B. Mendenhall, R. Bloom, B. B. Jenkins.

Del.—*I. W. Shelds.

ALT.-

William Landon Post No. 290, Knox.

Сом.—*John G. Kratli.

P. C.—John G. Kratli, Chas. Laramore, O. A. Hays, S. I. Brown.

Del.-Leonard C. Cutshall.

ALT.—A. J. Laramore.

W. A. Garrison Post No. 291, Lafontaine.

Com.-*D. R. Melick.

P. C.—*J. B. Bruner, F. M. Calfee, *J. W. Harper, *S. D. Harris, *J. A. Gardner, *T. P. McNiel, *T. H. Miller, D. R. Melick.

Del.-*M. B. Pearson.

ALT.-Chas. Young.

B. A. Reid Post No. 292, Clayton.

COM.-C. G. Bare.

P. C.-J. H. Hall, E. J. Smith, Chas. G. Bare.

DEL.-

ALT.

Acton Post No. 294, Acton.

Com.-John N. Clark.

P. C.—D. M. Smock, W. C. Hutchinson, W. R. Lowes, John Hamlyn, J. N. Clark, O. W. Brenton, F. M. Gordon, J. J. Lowes, A. H. Plymate, Fernando Sleeth, Isaac Shaffer, R. E. Hawley.

Del.-J. H. Morgan.

ALT.-Wm. H. Halfacre.

Joe Cook Post No. 296, Lynn.

Com.—Thomas P. White.

P. C.—J. M. Hamilton, Squire C. Bowen, Benj. P. Green, T. M. Nichols, Wm. W. Kinsey, Ezra Nye, *T. P. White, G. M. Bascom, Martin Eckerle, Henry Hawkins, H. M. Benson.

Del.-*Henry Hawkins.

ALT.—Geo. M. Bascom.



William H. Link Post No. 301, Monroeville.

Com.—D. W. Miller.

P. C.—Isaac Jones, *J. D. Friedline, J. W. Meeks, John Pillers, Morris Rose, E. Friedline, G. W. Mumma, C. Nill, John Gailey, John Barkley, Henry Smith.

Del.-Morris Rose.

Alt.—Sam Ball.

Thomas G. Hall Post No. 304, Andersonville.

Com.-Madison G. James.

P. C. Wm. S. Kaler, John W. Cramer, Theodore Walker, Madison G. James.

DEL.-Atwell Morgan.

ALT.—Chas. H. Kelso.

Frank Neff Post No. 307, Sullivan.

Com.-W. W. Boatwright.

P. C.—W. P. Maxwell, M. F. Willis, U. Coulson, O. H. Crowder, W. H. Crowder, J. P. Wilkey, Vardaman Boles, David Chastain, Wm. Lawson, Robert Knotts, Josiah Asdell, George Buff, W. B. Ridgway, R. K. Houpt.

Del.-*Taylor Jewel.

ALT.

John Stewart Post No. 310, Cammack.

Com.-J. C. Darbyshire.

P. C.—R. M. Snodgrass, J. C. Darbyshire, *D. M. Tuttle, *R. N. Miller, Joshua Jester.

DEL.—

ALT.

W. B. Fleming Post No. 316, West Lebanon.

Com.-P. Beer.

P. C.—Joseph Swisher, F. C. Fleming, Green Wallace, L. W. Smith, P. W. Fleming, Peter Beer.

DEL.—

ALT.

Pickett Post No. 321, Hazelton.

Com.-N. F. Knight.

P. C.-N. F. Knight.

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ALT.



Thomas J. Brooks Post No. 322, Loogootee.

Com.-A. J. Best.

P. C.—J. A. Bramble, *L. L. Dilley, Wm. Houghton, J. A. Padgett, A. J. Best.

Del.-John Crook.

ALT.-M. F. Halbert.

Lovell H. Rosseau Post No. 326, Bloomfield.

Com.—Franklin Ramsey.

P. C.—Thomas M. Ryan, Levi. J. Fawcett, James Harrell.

Del.-Wm. G. Sargent.

ALT.—David R. Spainhower.

Joe Kearns Post No. 327, Merom.

Com.-John Creager.

P. C.—A. P. Coyner, G. W. Pleasant, James Hunt, Orren-Stoddard, John Creager, F. J. H. Ladd, H. H. Shideler, Ed Maple.

Del.-John Daniels.

ALT.—Perry Smith.

P. R. Owens Post No. 329, Clinton.

Com.—Joseph W. Reeder.

P. C.—Milburn J. Ruby, David McBeth, Levi Wright, James M. Robertson, Thomas A. Kibby, Joseph W. Reeder, *Martin H. Stokesberry, Vincent Seward.

Del.-*Jas M. Youmans.

ALT.-John R. Vaught.

William C. Jackson Post No. 332, Dale.

Com.—D. S. Thompson.

P. C.-J. Weller, John Schaff, A. H. Mills.

Del.-John Schaff.

ALT.

Winchester Post No. 333, Gosport.

Com.-John S. Snodgrass.

P. C.—Hiram Murphy, T. S. Stierwalt, N. S. Crissman, W. T. Hatfield, John S. Snodgrass.

Del.-W. S. Ware.

ALT.—Chas. McClung.



Basil B. Decker Post No. 334, West Baden.

Com.—Thos. J. Underwood.

P. C.—Henry Henson, Ira Breedlove, J. P. Rominger, Thos. J. Cave, Geo. W. Kellmans, Thos. J. Underwood, A. R. Anderson, J. F. Quinn, Geo. W. Pruett.

DEL.—Peter Pope.

ALT.—Bedford Stanfield.

E. T. Wood Post No. 350, Ridgeville.

Com.—Thomas O. Flood.

P. C.—David C. Edwards, *Thos. O. Flood, John Harris, *Geo. W. Hollowell, James Karnes, A. Morrical, James Mendenhall, Thomas W. Odle, Luther Stewart, *A. T. Wood.

Del.-*Wm. H. Winship.

ALT.—James Karnes.

Frederick Penny Post No. 351, Jeffersonville.

Com.-John Mitchell.

P. C.—William Brooker, James A. Jeffries, Ben Morrison, Stephen Hayden, John Mitchell.

DEL.-

ALT.

Robert Cromwell Post No. 355, Winslow.

Com.—S. Fettinger.

P. C.-G. P. Burch, S. Fettinger, J. A. Stephens.

Del.—Spencer Gamble.

ALT.-J. M. Barnett.

Addleman Post No. 357, White Water.

Com.-John Van Zant.

P. C.—Wm. G. White, John Hunt, J. W. Garrett, Jerome Jordan, J. M. Benson, J. M. Bennett, M. Morine, John Van Zant. Del.—

ALT.

Jas. B. Cartwright Post No. 358, Pennville.

Com.—T. W. Underwood.

P. C.—T. J. Cartwright, *A. T. Place, *J. D. Smith, *F. C. Andrews, *W. H. Hickman, *T. W. Underwood.

Del.-*Wm. Eberly.

ALT.-T. J. Jones.



George Miller Post No. 359, Windfall.

Com.-*W. O. Dean.

P. C.—B. F. Legg, W. O. Dean, Ira Cue, Jacob Barrow, *Ira Wright.

DEL.

ALT.-

Williamson Post No. 364, Paoli.

Com.-W. T. Kimbrel.

P. C.—W. T. Kimbrel, J. R. Moore, Geo. Manis, Patrick Holaday, Z. T. Lambdin.

DEL.

ALT.

Hiram G. Fisher Post No. 366, Lapel.

Com.-E. G. Huffman.

P. C.—Harvey Gwin, *C. C. Studley, Jasper Huffman, *J. A. Sears, Addison Fisher, J. H. Farrer, E. G. Huffman.

DEL.

ALT.

Johnson Post No. 368, Montpelier.

Com.-Warren G. Gray.

P. C.—Eli Arnold, Daniel Arnold, W. W. Adams, W. G. Gray, John Rhine.

DEL.

ALT.

Maj. Rob't. Anderson Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

Com.-Harvey W. Pease.

P. C.—John C. Myers, Newton Taylor, Ed G. Boaz, *Zack T. Landers, Adam Miller, Wm. H. Calvert, *Jonathan Murphy, J. L. Ketcham, James Robbins, Jacob Hollenbeck, *C. W. Snider, W. F. Clark, *Robert Gordon, *Harlan P. Miller, *Ed L. Jones, *Peyton Walters, Wm. H. Hinckley, *Daniel Burk, *H. W. Pease, *R. H. Keller.

DEL.—Wm. M. Cochran, *J. J. Sincebaugh, John H. Masters. Alt.—Cyrus Noble, L. B. Nelson, Ed L. Clark.

Major Arn Post No. 370, Hillsdale.

Com.-John B. Davis.

P. C.—Wm. Pearman, A. B. Casebeer, Jos. Carter, R. G. Ingerton.

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ALT.-



Jas. B. McPherson Post No. 371, Koleen.

Com.-J. E. Walton.

P. C.-J. E. Walton (28 terms).

Del.—Christopher Horn.

Alt.—Eli S. Combs.

Jesse Coppock Post No. 378, Walkerton.

Com.—Silas Baker.

P. C.—H. A. Adle, Silas Baker, B. F. Rinehart, D. R. Neville.

Del.-John Wolfram.

ALT .- H. Woodard.

John Secrist Post No. 384, Laurel.

Com.-Joseph Stevens.

P. C.-Jos. Stevens, S. M. Potts, James H. De Armond.

Del.-T. P. Rockafellow.

ALT.

M. D. Manson Post No. 385, Shoals.

Com.-Michael Shirley.

P. C.—Michael Shirey, James B. Freeman, Wm. B. Clifton, James L. Passel, A. J. Daugherty.

DEL.

ALT.-

Beeson Post No. 386, Fairmount.

Com.—Hugh Weston.

P. C.—Mathias Friend, Hugh Weston, Judge Smithson, Chas. F. Beick, *Eph Bartholomew, Frank Jones, Byron Love, Aexander Little, Roland Smith.

DEL.

ALT.

Leamon Griffith Post No. 387, Hamilton.

Com.-L. W. Griffith.

P. C.—Hiram Sweet, G. H. Casper, R. R. Dirim, L. W. Griffith, B. F. Griffith, R. G. Renner, Chas. Wright, Thomas Crane, J. B. Lemon, Jacob Runnel, Wm. Houlton, Hiram Merchant, Henry Foutz, M. A. Howard.

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ALT.-



Huckleberry Post No. 391, Butlerville.

Com.-J. N. Callicott.

P. C.—F. W. Huer, J. R. Davis, J. R. Pool, Paul F. Strickland, Lemuel Engle.

DEL.-

ALT.

Carroll Post No. 393, Stockwell.

Com.—Henry L. Davison.

P. C.—Warrick Stalnaker, W. R. Lindsay, W. W. Campbell, S. P. Crawford, Robt. Bull, W. F. Pierce, H. L. Davison.

DEL.

ALT.

Blinn Post No. 394, Prairieton.

Com.-John T. Reynolds.

P. C.-John T. Reynolds, W. O. Burgatt. (1914 Journal.)

DEL.

ALT.

Fahler Post No. 397, Star City.

Com.-R. B. Minton.

P. C.-W. P. Noel, R. B. Minton.

Del.-R. Jump.

ALT.

Simon Miller Post No. 401, Akron.

Com.-*John W. Clifton.

P. C.—Tilman H. Brock, *Edmund R. Brown, *Augustus Case, Joseph H. Day, Albert Grove, Joseph H. Hoover, James H. Love, *Martin L. Patterson, Thomas Steel, Joseph H. Waite, Francis M. Weaver.

DEL.-*Jacob Stahl.

ALT.—A. C. Emahiser.

Berlin Post No. 402, Nappanee.

Com.-Daniel Culp.

P. C.—Daniel Culp, B. Uline, F. M. Carns, E. R. Tobias, *John Reed.

Del.-Jonathan Yarian.

ALT.—



John Ruess Post No. 406, Upland.

Com.-Wm. Graves.

P. C.—*Wm. T. Smith, *Milton Marshall, *Linus Marshall, *Henry J. Kline, *F. A. Fleming, *Donald McIntosh, *Fred Wilhelm, Wm. Graves, *Olin Deeren.

Del.-*John Jones.

ALT.-Wm. T. Smith.

Altoona Post No. 407, Waterman.

Com.—George W. Knauer.

P. C.—Robert G. Paschal, George W. Knauer.

Del.—Daniel C. Williams.

ALT.—Isaac B. Dowdell.

Edwin Lennox Post No. 408, Swayzee.

Com.-W. F. Knote.

P. C.-W. F. Knote, J. B. Myer, James Mullin, *A. J. Hart.

Del.-*J. R. Lee

ALT.—Clancy Nolton.

Magnolia Post No. 409, Jonesboro.

Com.—A. H. Cline.

P. C.—*A. H. Cline. *A. J. Miller, *W. R. Coomler, Jos. M. Mappin, *G. Nicodemus, George G. Clark, J. H. Coppock.

Del.—*Albert Lucas.

Alt.-J. N. Hughes.

J. B. Hager Post No. 414, Switz City.

Com.—Marion Bennett.

P. C.—*Marion Bennett, Joseph Turpin, John J. Mitchell, Riley R. Roark, Moses J. Bland.

Del.-Marion Bennett.

ALT.—John Rodendeck.

John K. Highman Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Com.-Morris Ford.

P. C.-Jonathan Jackson, Robert Clarke, Morris Ford.

Del.-William Hartman.

ALT.-William Ford.

John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany.

Com.—Lafayette Sult.

P. C.—*D. M. Bell, *M. Vincent, *J. R. Stafford, *J. J. Hook, Geo. H. Current, John Haisten, *Lafayette Sult.

DEL.-*James H. Jones.

ALT .- J. S. Krohn.



Fountain City Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Com.-J. B. Chenoweth.

P. C.—J. B. Chenoweth, R. M. Cark, M. M. Lacey. (1914 Journal.)

DEL.

ALT.

Garland Post No. 423, Waveland.

Com.-W. S. Goslin.

P. C.-Milton Carrington, W. S. Goslin. (1914 Journal.)

Del.—

ALT.-

Hugh H. Willits Post No. 424, Greentown.

Com.-*George Newkirk.

P. C.—*A. A. Covalt, T. L. Osborn, *J. A. Stapleton, *Joseph Clevenger, J. G. Brown, *T. L. Hines, F. M. Lawrence, Cornelius Powell, T. T. Patterson, *W. M. Voris, *Stephen Jarvis.

Del.-John Osborn. *S. J. F. Brannen, P. C.

Alt.—Robt. Smeltzer.

Reuben Masten Post No. 431, Amo.

Com.—Enoch Harlan.

P. C.—G. W. Tincher, Syl Mabe, John Rudd, I. B. Hodson, Wm. Beeson, I. B. Garrison, Wm. Hunt, Amos Kersey.

DEL.—

ALT.

Silvers Post No. 435, New Lebanon.

Com.-J. W. Canary.

P. C.—T. B. Springer, R. K. Houpt, Geo. C. Youngman, J. W. Canary.

DEL.—

ALT.

R. C. Kise Post No. 437, Darlington.

Com.-E. P. McClaskey.

P. C.—*E. P. McClaskey, Sam S. Martin, E. H. Russell, W. H. Custer.

Del.-John Brown.

Del.-Jerome B. Martz.



B. R. Dunn Post No. 440, Matthews.

Com.-*Samuel Reed.

P. C.—*John Sanders, *Warren Fergus, *John F. Wright, *William Simons, John B. Reason, *T. J. Miller, *D. W. Wills, *Thomas F. Scott, *H. A. Greenleaf, *Joseph Clark, *Esla Stephenson.

Del.—Henry Garrison.

ALT.—Hugh Deeren.

Henry Chipman Post No. 442, Warsaw.

Com .- H. W. Graham.

P. C.—A. G. Wood, *J. A. Peterson, H. W. Graham, J. J. Bab-cock, Alvin Robinson, J. E. Stephenson, N. N. Boydston, H. P. Comstock, *J. W. Armstrong, *B. Q. Morris, Dr. J. S. Smith.

Del.-Frank Dillon.

ALT.-Marcus Phillipston, Jno. Beagle.

Mich. Campbell Post No. 444, Spartanburg.

Com.—Henry Wise.

P. C.—Henry Wise, Augustin Moran, John F. Middleton, James-Knox, John Hawkins.

Del.—Henry Wise.

ALT.-Augustin Moran.

G. W. Rotramel Post No. 445, Carlisle.

Com.—Daniel Hines.

P. C.—Joseph Whalen, W. E. Cowle, Bailey McConnel, Daniel Hines.

Del.—Geo. Watson.

Alt.—James Miller.

W. W. Millines Post No. 447, Chrisney.

Coм.—J. P. Baker.

P. C.—J. P. Baker, Henry Bender, W. H. H. Taylor, W. D. Henderson.

DEL.—

ALT.—

Guckus Wellman Post No. 448, Jasper.

Com.—Conrad Eckert.

P. C.-John Betz, W. S. Hunter, Conrad Eckert.

DEL.

ALT.—



Jonathan J. Burge Post No. 454, Prairie Creek.

Com.-Arthur Bowen.

P. C .- *Miller Ward, N. H. Ring, E. S. Kester, Arthur Bowen.

Del.-*Lem Hoopengarner.

ALT.-Leman McGrew.

W. T. Sherman Post No. 455, Bridgeport.

Com .- D. L. Crone.

P. C.-D. L. Crone, Benjamin Saunders.

DEL.—

ALT.-

F. F. Swain Post No. 456, Milroy.

Com.-Edward Fisher.

P. C.—Samuel B. Jones, Edward Fisher, Clement C. Thomas, William A. Smith.

Del.-John W. Tompkins.

ALT.—Isaac Seright.

Henryville Post No. 461, Henryville.

Com.—Samuel H. Williams.

P. C.—Ed L. Pexrine, Jas. A. Clegg, W. H. Bolton, Peter Francis, I. P. Wells, Jas. R. Ferguson, S. H. Williams, Jacob Hartman, Jas. P. Maupin.

DEL.

ALT.

Hiram Williamson Post No. 465, Florence.

Com.—John Love.

P. C.—John Love, Anthony Tielle, Jos. Bonnelle, Ferdinand Came, John Evett, John Scott.

DEL.

ALT.

Charles Porter Post No. 469, Hope.

Com.-W. H. Aikin.

P. C.-W. H. Aikin, John T. Hitchcock.

Del.-Joseph Burney.

ALT.—Levi Helmick.

Ulrich Dahlgren Post No. 470, Laconia.

Com.—Sylvnus Steepleton.

P. C.-C. C. H. Kerns, Sylvanus Steepleton, Noah Elbert, Wm.

J. Shaw, J. W. Rhodes.

DEL.

ALT.-



J. W. Thornburg Post No. 474, Odon.

Com.-*James P. Taylor.

P. C .- Aaron Hattery, J. P. Taylor.

DEL.-

ALT.

Marsh B. Taylor Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Com.-*Lemuel S. Ross.

P. C.—*S. M. Aiken, *Solomon Penrod, A. S. Young, *J. B. Shaw, Chas. Pook, Louis Frischmeyer, Job S. Sims, Chas. Hasty, James Davidson, A. V. Eaton, Elijah Sparks, Samuel Jackson, Lemuel Ross, James Glenn.

Del.-David N. Reed, *John Hurt.

A_9.—John Hutchinson, *John Bell.

Henry T. McClung Post No. 476, Pleasantville.

Com.-J. S. Anderson.

P. C.—Thos. N. McClung, J. S. Anderson, B. F. Shepherd, Casper H. Moody, D. S. Hunter.

DEL.

ALT .-

Cory Post No. 477, Cory.

Com.—Silas Foulke.

P. C.—Wm. Hixon, Nathaniel Donham, Aker B. Haney, Hugh Robertson, E. W. Hester, Silas Foulke.

Del.—Benj. F. Kester.

ALT.—John Foby.

Elberfeld Post No. 484, Elberfeld.

Com.-W. H. H. Kifer.

P. C.—John Barnes, David Korte, Fred Garvis, Jasper Greer, W. H. H. Kifer, J. T. Morris, Frederick Schultz, Geo. A. Smith, P. F. Smith, John T. Taylor, Wm. Meach.

DEL.

ALT.

Albert J. Guthridge Post No. 488, Rensselaer.

Com.—Thos. A. Crockett.

P. C.—J. F. Irwin, N. S. Bates, Geo. (). Pumphrey, Erastus Peacock, M. H. Hemphill.

DEL.—

ALT.—



Henry Speyer Post No. 489, Culver.

Com.—Samuel Osborn.

P. C.—Ezra Blanchard, Samuel Osborn, *Jacob E. Myers, Wm. Walker.

Del.-*William Cook.

ALT.-Leonard Wilson.

Frank White Post No. 490, Huron.

Com.-Josephus King.

P. C.—Milburn Terrell, Josephus King.

DEL.

ALT.

Harrow Post No. 491, Mt. Vernon.

Com.-U. S. Marrs.

P. C.—L. W. Jones, G. W. Kimball, Alonzo Erwin, Sylvester Kirk, Robert Magill, James Mills, R. M. Stinnett, V. M. Cartwright, U. S. Marrs.

Del.-Wm. H. Duckworth, Asmus Reecken,

ALT.-Jno. T. Gill, Wm. Acuff.

Ashbaugh Post No. 497, Stinesville.

Com .- W. H. Brown.

P. C.—W. H. Brown, W. H. York, I. S. Williams, D. C. Pugh, B. F. Davis, Theodore Buskirk, Thomas Wible, Allen Skelton, Sam Skelton.

Del.-D. C. Pugh.

ALT .- W. H. York.

George A. Kendall Post No. 499, Lizton.

Com.-J. S. Tharp.

P. C.—J. Q. Adams, H. B. Leak, Jas. M. Leak, Walter Schermerhorn, H. T. Storms, Jacob Kendall, John S. Tharp, John Montgomery, A. Overstreet.

DEL.

ALT.

W. H. Calkins Post No. 502, Hammond.

Com.—George B. Streeter.

P. C.-E. C. Weeks, Ephraim Mathis.

DEL-F. M. Elliott.

ALT.-

C. C. Browand Post No. 505, Kendallville.

Com.-John R. Smith.

P. C.—J. W. Miller, Wm. C. Lane, Mortimer Broughton, Eli Miller.

Del.-*W. W. Riddle.

ALT.—*A. J. Rimmel.

General Russell Post No. 506, Princeton.

Com.—Cyrus Tucker.

P .C.—James Cox, Cyrus Tucker.

DEL.-Abraham Evens.

ALT.—Cato Powell.

Wm. McLaughlin Post No. 508, Milford.

Com.-James Orn.

P. C.—*Edw. Bicknell, Isaac Clossor, *J. C. McLaughlin, J. K. Kinley.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Jackson Woods Post No. 512, Schooner.

Com.—James M. Yoder.

P. C.-Jas. M. Yoder, Elihu Wheeler.

DEL.-

ALT.-

John Coshow Post No. 513, Parkersburg.

·Com.—J. T. McMurtry.

P. C.-J. T. McMurtry.

DEL.-

ALT.

Melville Thomas Post No. 515, Paris Croosing.

Com.—C. W. Allen.

P. C.—John M. Dixon, D. A. Roberts, Harmon Dixon, T. H. Hudson, G. W. Dodd, C. W. Allen.

Del.—Silas A. Lambert. ·

ALT.—S. A. Cline.

Henry McLaughlin Post No. 516, Salamonia.

Com.-John McLaughlin.

P. C.-L. W. Lamaster, B. F. Harter, R. B. Whitacre.

Del.-W. A. Caster.

Alt.—B. Arthur.



Noah Ring Post No. 518, Hymera.

Com.—C. J. McAnally.

P. C.-John F. Scherb, C. J. McAnally.

DEL.-

ALT.-

A. H. Cockrum Post No. 520, Oakland City.

Com.-Z. M. McCleary.

P. C.—James M. Reeevs, L. O. Emerson, E. Harper, J. L. Stewart, James Gillum, D. J. King.

Del.-William Caskey.

ALT.-Abraham Gruble.

Advance Post No. 524, Advance.

Com.—George Canada.

P. C.-J. W. Roark, A. N. Lewis, Geo. Canada, Thos. Mulson.

DEL.-

ALT.

John T. Benson Post No. 527, Lanesville.

Com.—John W. Blume.

P. C.—George W. Pfrimmer, John W. Gresham, James A. Harbeson, John W. Blume, Thos. Lyskowinski, George G. Schafer.

Del.-J. J. Bulleit.

ALT.—Wm. Hanger.

Kerr Post No. 529, Rome City.

Сом.—G. H. Northam.

P. C.—Jacob Pfaff, Levi Crume, J. M. Schermerhorn, Joseph-Grim.

Del.-W. H. Moore.

ALT.—Allen Barr.

Fred Small Post No. 531, Westport.

Сом.—*Richard Т. Stott.

P. C.—William Hause, I. W. Williamson, I. P. Burroughs, W. I. Richardson, R. T. Stott, *Louis Smawley.

DEL.-

ALT.

Plainville Post No. 532, Plainville.

Com.-Wm. Harper.

P. C.—Allen Dougherty, David H. Dyer, D. V. Ellis, Wm. A. Harper.

Del.-Wm. A. Tomey.

ALT.—Thorn Bennington.



Col. Joseph Lane Post No. 540, Heltonville.

Coм.-W. W. Giger.

P. C.—W. W. Giger.

Del.-Lloyd Hickman.

ALT .- J. W. Hall.

Patten Post No. 552, Bicknell.

Com.—Samuel A. Bunting.

P. C.—Ellis House, D. K. Smith, J. G. Hart, H. P. Pieper, G. W. Donaldson, Samuel A. Bunting.

DEL.-

ALT.

Samuel Stewart Post No. 557, Flora.

Com.-*R. C. Menaugh.

P. C.—*T. A. Howes, *L. S. Myer, *J. B. Clark, J. M. Whorton, *G. W. Shanklin, James Kenrick, M. C. Menaugh, *A. B. Ledman, *Hes Robertson, *R. R. Bright.

DEL .- *Wm. McCrary.

ALT .- * Fred Landis.

Alvin P. Hovey Post No. 559, West Indianapolis.

Com.-John D. Hardesty.

P. C.—Wm. L. Mitchell, Wm. F. Mattox, John A. Abbott, A. B. Wood, J. W. Keithley, John D. Hardesty, Stephen Sutton, John N. Hawk, Wm. Newkirk, Albert Byrkit, Henry Holliday, James Tyner.

Del.—Henry Miller.

ALT.—Samuel Hodge.

John Keitzer Post No. 563, Monterey.

Cом.—*Wm. Buehrle.

P. C.-Jacob Beck, Wm. Buehrle.

Del.-*T. W. Gwin.

Alt.-Wilson Brugh.

Gaskins Post No. 564, Farmersburg.

Com.—E. K. Asbury.

P. C.—M. S. Jennings, S. C. Smock, E. K. Asbury, A. P. Asbury, John Wisener.

Del.—Byron Dolson.

ALT.—D. H. Jones.



Notre Dame Post No. 569, Notre Dame.

Com.-Mark A. Wills.

P. C.-Mark Wills.

DEL.

ALT.

Col. Snodgrass Post No. 570, Crothersville.

Com.—Jas. S. Campbell.

P. C.—J. S. Campbell, G. W. Bard, D. W. Sage, *J. E. Gillispie, John W. Hamacker.

DEL.-*Elias White.

ALT .-

Marion Kelly Post No. 572, Bridgeton.

Сом.—James Knight.

P. C.-James Knight, J. H. Kerr, J. M. Miller.

DEL.-C. W. Rouck.

ALT.

Norman Eddy Post No. 579, South Bend.

Com.—Elmer Crockett.

P. C.—*W. E. Gorsuch, W. E. Brown, W. P. Harmon, Elmer-Crockett, E. P. Stanfield, J. H. Loughman, E. P. Chapin, O. W. Williams, J. N. Calvert, Christian King, J. M. Canfield, A. Anderson, J. T. Kelly, Charles Steele, Elmer Crockett.

Del.-W. M. Matthews.

ALT.—J. J. Mayer.

Joel R. Spahr Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Com.—Charles Strauch.

P. C.—*Geo. W. Coward, Joseph L. Leach, *Joseph Veasey, Reuben B. Reynolds, Joseph G. Snider, Wm. H. H. Clegg, Hugh Mitchell, George J. Beninger, Levi W. Robinson, James W. Stanforth.

Del.—Joseph L. Leach.

ALT.—James W. Stanforth.

Fort Wagner Post No. 581, Evansville.

Com.-Moses Slaughter.

P. C.—Moses Slaughter, Robert Moss, Enoch Moss, W. H. Anderson.

DEL.-

ALT.



Martin Rutter Post No. 584, Pittsburg.

Com.—Geo. N. Vanostin.

P. C.—*Wm. Myers, J. J. Jones, *J. W. Foster J. N. Davidson, Geo. N. Vanostin, B. S. Hendrixson, J. K. Myers

DEL.—David Culver.

ALT.—Chas. Thayer.

George G. Reilly Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Com.—S. F. Johnson.

P. C.—S. F. Johnson, B. L. Walker.

DEL.-

ALT.

Benj. F. Spooner Post No. 586, Yorkville.

Com.—Nicholas Zimmer.

P. C.-Nicholas Zimmer, *George Schite.

Del.-Frederick J. Meyer, Sr.

ALT.-

Brook Post No. 588, Brook.

Com.—M. A. Jones.

P. C.—M. A. Jones, J. B. Lyons, Thorpe Bagley, *A. F. Merchant, J. W. S. Ulrey.

DEL.-

ALT.

Jasper Packard Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home, Lafayette.

Com.-*John H. Tyson.

P. C.—*John H. Beeber, George Poineer, R. J. Powell, J. H. Sawyer, Peter Slauter, D. B. Kehler, Joel Yeager, *F. M. Cones.

Del.—*Samuel O. Beeber, *John N. Hicks, *James N. Tuttle, *O. R. Sisson.

Alt.—James A. Steece, Jacob Jones, Alexander Kennedy, Patrick Tremmill.

John P. Baird Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

Com.—George F. Long.

P. C.—*John E. Bickle, Martin Beal, James H. Colescott, Hiram E. Dysort, Benj. F. Boring, Thos. J. Keylon, Wm. K. Burnett, Lafayette Roberts.

Del.-John F. Nichols.

ALT.—David Rood.



The following Rules and Order of Business was adopted for the Encampment:

RULES AND ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Marion, May 26, 1915.

. The Council of Administration recommends that the order of business for the government of Encampment be as follows:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1. Opening of the Encampment.
- 2. Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 3. Calling Roll of Department Officers and Posts.
- 4. Commander's Address.
- 5. Appointment of Committees on Reports of Officers and other Committees.
- Reception and Reference of Resolutions and Communications.
- 7. Reports of Officers.
- 8. Reports of Committees.
- Miscellaneous Business, including meeting place of next Encampment.
- Election of Delegates and Alternates to National Encampment.
- 11. Election of Department Officers as follows:
 - (a) Council of Administration.
 - (b) Chaplain.
 - (c) Medical Director.
 - (d) Junior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (e) Senior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (f) Commander.
- 12. Installation of Officers.

The business of the Encampment shall be conducted under the "Rules of Order" of the National Encampment so far as they are applicable.

All speeches shall be limited to five minutes, except by unanimous consent.

All resolutions offered shall be referred to the Committee on



Resolutions without reading and without debate, on the first day of the Encampment. And no resolution shall be considered that has not been presented to the Encampment on the first day and signed by the party presenting it, except by two-thirds vote.

In nominations for Department Officers the roll will be called by Congressional Districts, and only the name, location and Post of the Comrade shall be given.

The Comrades from each Congressional District will assemble in district meeting on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock in the hall and organize by selecting a chairman, first and second vice-chairmen and two tellers, who shall serve until the next Encampment or until their successors are elected. These names shall be reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General at once. They shall at the same time select delegates and alternates to the National Encampment and shall also name one Comrade to be placed on the ticket for Council of Administration. A member of the Committee on Resolutions will also be named and reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General. They shall at the same time recommend for appointment by the Department Commander the name of one suitable Comrade for District Recruiting Officer.

In balloting for Department Officers in the Encampment, the same Tellers shall collect the ballots of their respective Districts, count the same, and when the Districts are called, the Chairman of such District will announce the result of such ballot for each candidate, and send the same in writing to the Assistant Adjutant-General, signed by the Chairman and Tellers. The Assistant Adjutant-General shall then tabulate the vote and announce the result for each candidate.

If there be any controversy in any District over the result of any ballot before it is announced, the Commander shall, upon the request of two Comrades, order the roll of said District called for verification.

Representatives and Alternates to the National Encampment shall be elected in the same manner as Department Officers, and apportioned to each Congressional District according to the numerical strength of the District; one Representative and one Alternate for each three hundred Comrades in good standing, and one additional Representative and Alternate for a major fraction of more than one-half of that number, apportioned as follows:

One Representative and one Alternate-at-large. First District—Two Representatives and two Alternates. Second District—Two Representatives and two Alternates. Third District—Two Representatives and two Alternates. Fourth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates. Fifth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.



Sixth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Seventh District—Two Representatives and Two Alternates.

Eighth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Ninth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Tenth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Eleventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

Twelfth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Thirteenth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

In balloting no proxies will be allowed, and no votes will be counted unless cast by Comrades present in the hall at the time the vote is taken, either by Districts or in open Encampment. After the second ballot for any office, the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes shall be dropped on each successive ballot.

First District—Gibson, Vanderburg, Warrick, Spencer, Pike and Posey.

Second District—Daviess, Green, Knox, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Owen, Sullivan.

Third District—Dubois, Perry, Crawford, Harrison, Floyd, Clark, Scott, Washington, Orange, Lawrence.

Fourth District—Bartholomew, Brown, Dearborn, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Ohio, Ripley, Switzerland, Decatur. Fifth District—Hendricks, Putnam, Clay, Parke, Vermilion, Vigo.

Sixth District—Fayette, Franklin, Hancock, Henry, Rush, Shelby, Union, Wayne.

Seventh District-Marion.

Eighth District—Adams, Wells, Jay, Randolph, Delaware, Madison.

Ninth District—Fountain, Montgomery, Boone, Clinton, Carroll, Tipton, Hamilton, Howard.

Tenth District—Benton, Jasper, Lake, Newton, Porter, Tippecanoe, Warren, White.

Eleventh District—Blackford, Cass, Grant, Huntington, Miami, Pulaski, Wabash.

Twelfth District—Allen, DeKalb, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Whitley.

Thirteenth District—Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Laporte, Marshall, Starke, St. Joseph.

Captain Ketcham: It is easy for an error to be carried forward when it is once made. The Loyal Legion adopted a resolution which I had the honor to present, which started with the sentiment that "Partisan politics



ends with the three-mile line." The Recorder of the Loyal Legion wanted some copies made. The stenographer was not familiar with the word "partisan" and she wrote it "parties and politics," and the recorder supposed it would not come to him in any except the correct form, and so it went into the newspapers, and I don't want the Department of Indiana to send out a resolution of that kind. I have here a corrected copy which reads "partisan politics," not "parties and politics." This is the first opportunity I have had to make correction.

Comrade Scott: Commander, as Recorder of the Loyal Legion, I requested a copy of that resolution. I took it to the telegraph office just as it was sent to me. I am not guilty. Captain Ketcham is a lawyer and he ought to have prepared his paper the way he wanted it sent out.

Comrade Ketcham: I wrote the copy that was to have gone to the President in my own hand and it was signed by the Commander of the Loyal Legion that evening and was at once sent out, and was sent out "partisan politics."

Comrade Strouse: Commander, permit me to say that I have already made the correction.

The Department Commander called Senior Vice-Commander Springer to the chair and read the

DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

Marion, Ind., May 27, 1915.

COMRADES: This is my second appearance before your as Commander of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic—the first time, a year ago—to thank you for the great honor you had conferred upon me and now craving your endorsement of my course in



the performance of the duties of the position you gave me and the trust you honored me with.

Then, I was the proud and happy recipient of your preferment and today I am no less happy to be here and in your presence to as cheerfully surrender the badge of authority to my successor with the same fraternal spirit that was a year ago manifested by my illustrious predecessor.

The cordial greeting accorded us by the good citizens of Marion is gratifying beyond measure. It is evidence of a patriotic appreciation of our service to our country by a people whose gratitude cannot be measured by words but by acts prompted by love of comrades whom, by close association and personal acquaintance, at the Home nearby, they have learned to honor and respect.

In this connection permit me to digress sufficiently to say that I have during the past year attended Soldiers' gatherings from the eastern to the western and from the northern to the southern limits of the state and during my association with comrades in large numbers I have never heard an irreligious expression or a profane word, and neither have I met with one of the old boys under the influence of liquor. This experience and observation has prompted me to say, and now I repeat, that man for man, the surviving comrades of the war of the rebellion are, to say the least, the equal in sobriety, honesty, industry, morality and christianity to any like number of our fellow citizens.

That we are welcome in the beautiful and enterprising city of Marion, goes without saying. We feel and realize that it comes from the hearts of its good people. In a large sense it is a family reunion as well as a state encampment, since without a doubt a large per cent. of its



inhabitants are by the ties of kinship directly or indirectly connected with some soldier, living or dead.

Yes, we know that we are welcome. Our reception as we came singly and in squads, spoke welcome. The courtesies extended by the citizens of Marion as we met, the warm handclasp, the fraternal greeting from the fullness of loving hearts, could have no other meaning but welcome. The open doors of its houses dedicated to the Creator and Redeemer of Mankind speaks welcome. The old flag, your flag, our flag, looks through its starry eyes a welcome.

I desire to commend the able, conscientious and efficient management of the assistant adjutant general's office by that prince among Grand Army men and gallant soldier, Col. J. R. Fesler, and his able and untiring assistant, Mrs. Maggie Adams. If my administration has been a success, to them is largely due the credit. If it has been a failure it is through no fault of theirs.

To the members of my staff I am truly grateful for their ready assistance and uniform courtesies during the past year, and especially commend Corporal Bob Patterson for the production of that splendid poem, "Appomattox," which I recommend should be read to this assemblage either by himself or some one to be selected for that purpose.

It is gratifying to know that the fires of patriotism are not on the wane and that monuments have been erected in commemoration of noble deeds which resulted in lasting peace and reunion of states.

During the past year monuments have been dedicated at Vincennes, Elwood and South Bend. These monuments were not erected to exhibit the generosity of citizen contributors nor to be pointed to particularly as attractions, or to add to the beauty of those cities, but to com-



memorate the sacrifices made by the men and women of '61-'65; so that if future generations in time to come shall ask what means these monuments, they can be told the story of the flag, the only flag in the world that never went down in defeat, although it has been engaged in 18 wars in the 138 years of its existence.

The close proximity of Detroit enabled a large number of our comrades to attend the National Encampment. The magnificent arrangements made by the city of Detroit, the courteous treatment and generous welcome by its citizens made the occasion one long to be remembered with pleasure by all who were fortunate enough to attend.

At the annual meeting of the Indiana Commandery of the Loyal Legion, on the 14th of this month, Past Department Commander William A. Ketcham introduced the following, which was unanimously adopted:

"Partisan politics ends with the three-mile line. In dealing with questions abroad this country recognizes that it acts through its president; therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Indiana Commandery of the Loyal Legion, That we have every confidence in the prudence, sagacity and patriotism of President Wilson in dealing with the complicated conditions now existing as the result of the war in Europe.

"That we, as Americans, one and all, with no tinge of hesitation, unreservedly uphold the president, and call upon all good citizens to rally to his support without question, and extend to him our sincere appreciation of his patriotic efforts.

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be properly certified and transmitted to the president by the officers of this commandery."

I recommend that that resolution, or one of similar import, be adopted by this department and forwarded to the president of the United States.



Decoration Day, May thirtieth, is recognized by all thoughtful patriots as "the Nation's holy day." And by the survivors of the Grand Army and their broken families as "a day of memory and a day of tears." But the thoughtless and indifferent, together with the sporting class, have made this day a holiday, a day of desecration, a day of exciting games, a day of recklessness and gambling ventures, till the object and spirit of the day are not only lost sight of, but the day has become a day of abuse, of accident and death. If it proves to be impossible to prevent the desecration of the day, I would recommend that the Department of Indiana of the Grand Army of the Republic petition the National Grand Army to fix, or cause to be fixed, the last Sunday in May of each succeeding year as our legal Memorial day, and that we ask the pulpit and the press, our educators in National assembly, together with all brotherhoods, orders and organizations with our good citizens generally, to unite with us in supporting this day as a patriotic Memorial day, as originally designed.

I want to express my personal appreciation of those women who constitute the "Women's Relief Corps." All these years they have maintained the same spirit and loyalty they gave us as sweethearts, sisters, wives and mothers when we marched to the south or stood in battle line, or languished in hospital or prison. Their spirit and their deeds make up one of the most illustrious chapters in American patriotism.

In the same spirit of appreciation, I would hail and congratulate the "Sons of Veterans," "The Ladies of the Grand Army" and the "Sons of Veterans Auxiliary." All these have come into organized existence to parallel and emulate that other noble organization, "Daughters of the American Revolution," and I know of no greater honor

that could be conferred upon a member of the present or future generation than an established kinship, no difference how remote, with a soldier for the preservation of the union.

We men who gave so much of our lives for the life of the nation, are not only proud of our sons and daughters, who maintain such intelligent devotion to the fundamental principles upon which our democracy stands, but we can go to our records at the great roll call of the dead with peace of mind, being assured that the noble womanhood and manhood represented in all of these organizations will maintain and perpetuate the principles of our republic which have cost us so much.

I want to express my appreciation of what Indiana has done for its soldiers and sailors at the Orphans' Home at Knightstown. This institution is not only a home, but a school to teach those domestic principles and habits which underlie successful citizenship. I visited this home on graduation day and saw fine specimens of men and women, children of veterans who have been trained there and were back visiting the institution with their children with them.

I want to express my appreciation of the State Soldiers' Home near Lafayette. This institution, so beautiful in location, so well equipped to make the veterans and their wives homes for companionship and comfort, is the product of the State of Indiana and we are all proud of it and its able and conscientious management.

This institution will be more appreciated if we but remember that the veterans and their wives and widows, who are maintained there in home-like conditions, would be in our alms houses or scattered among the dependents, fed by charity, if it were not for this home.



I want to express my personal appreciation also for the recommendation by Governor Ralston and the appropriation of \$1,000 by the last legislature for the benefit of the Grand Army of Indiana—\$500 of this to be placed at the disposal of the committee where the Grand Army holds its annual encampment and \$500 for the Grand Army expenses at headquarters. By a mistake this appropriation was for one year only, whereas it was intended to be perpetual. I would recommend therefore that we petition the next legislature and Governor Ralston to correct this error and that all the gift may go from year to year to the Grand Army itself for its annual expenses.

At the close of this encampment my term of office as commander of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic will end. I shall return to the ranks a private soldier, so far as my official relationship with the Department is concerned. My companionship was found among the private soldiers from '61 to '65. My chief joy was there.

I esteem as the greatest honor of my life the honors you conferred upon me one year ago when you made me Department Commander of Indiana. I have made your cause my cause. I have served you to the best of my ability. I have visited a number of posts and always went at the call of duty when it was possible.

I can not express my appreciation of the comradeship I have met everywhere, with the tender brotherly love—that only a soldier knows toward a soldier—a friendship unlike all others, as it was made under circumstances peculiar to itself. This friendship will outlast the reunions, the accidental meetings, the memories of camp and field and prison and hospital. This friendship is immortal and will outlast the stars of heaven. I personally cherish



this friendship as one of the greatest gifts of Providence—to me and to mine.

It is decreed by the immutable laws of nature that we shall not all meet again in this life. Many of our comrades in Indiana crossed the Great Divide between time and eternity since the last encampment at Indianapolis. A greater number than that may cross before we meet again; but my earnest wish and prayer to that God whose providence has spared our lives to this day—that God of our country, "our father's God"—is that you may be given a cloudless sky when the evening comes on, and a sweet good bye to comrades and friends, with "a good morning" and glorious greeting from comrades and friends, when you cross the threshold of "that city not made by hands, eternal in the heavens."

Very obediently your servant and comrade,

A. B. CRAMPTON.

Comrade Strouse: I move that so much of the Commander's address as refers to resolutions be referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

This motion was seconded and carried.

APPOMATTOX.

Dedicated to A. B. Crampton, Commander, Department of Indiana, G. A. R.

On that great April day when the weak lines of gray Were confronted by blue in battle array; When the heart of the nation was throbbing with pain For its dead and its dying, and the blood of its slain Was flowing in crimson to the home and the hearth, And vigils were kept by the nations of earth, Could sages then see what the future would be When the great Grant and Lee met in shade of the tree If Grant had surrendered to Robert E. Lee?



So steadfast and true when these strong lines of blue Stood in solid phalanx and resplendent review Confronting the gray, and in matchless might Was forcing the struggle for freedom and right; When the hope of the nation in the balance lay And hearts beat fast 'neath the blue and the gray; Could prophets then see what the future would be As these leaders strove the master to be If Grant had surrendered to Robert E. Lee?

In that hour sublime could we know of the time When slavery would blacken the brightest clime? Could we tell of the flow of the nation's blood. In the oncoming rush of secession's red flood—Of our own country unknown and unworthy to own By subject or serf or monarch on throne? Could philosophers see what the future would be For the flag of the free on the land and the sea If Grant had surrendered to Robert E. Lee?

O, the evils entailed had that moment failed And the flag of the union at Appointation trailed! If the shafts of chivalry had shattered the shield Of the great union chief on this hallowed field And that proud southern son had there made the terms To emplant the union with soul-eating germs. God could only then see what the future would be For the land of the brave and the home of the free If Grant had surrendered to Robert E. Lee?

But the victory then sealed on that hallowed field And the halo of glory that moment revealed As the flag of the bold was seen to unfold With the plaudits of nations in the gaze of the world; Be it in shelter of house or shade of a tree; The sages, prophets and philosophers could see The guards of the Nation were there in avant When angels in chorus all joined in the chant While Robert E. Lee made surrender to Grant.

"CORPORAL" BOB PATTERSON,

Poet Laureate, Department of Indiana, G. A. R. Past Senior Vice-Commander of same in 1895-96.



The following committees were announced by Comrade Strouse:

Committee on Commander's Address—Comrades A. D. Vanosdol, Daniel Ryan and Daniel Waugh.

Committee on Officers' Reports—Comrades Wm. A. Ketcham, S. M. Hench and W. E. Gorsuch.

Committee to carry greetings to Woman's Relief Corps—Comrades W. H. Hickman, Milton Garrigus and W. E. Gorsuch.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—Comrades C. H. Myerhoff, W. S. Mead and J. D. Braden.

Sons of Veterans Auxiliary—Comrades David Strouse, A. J. Buchanan and J. T. Eller.

Sons of Veterans—Comrades E. R. Brown, Alex Hess and George W. Scearce

Comrade Strouse: I want to suggest here, if the Commander will permit me, as one of the high privates in the rear rank; after the parade we will all be tired and want to sit down and we can come up here and get our business over so we can go out tomorrow if we want to by noon.

Commander: Next in order will be the reception of resolutions and communications. Are there any communications?

Comrade Strouse: The chairman of the Committee on Resolutions will come forward.

Comrade Ketcham (Chairman of Committee on Resolutions): The Committee on Resolutions will meet at Department Headquarters immediately after adjournment this afternoon.

Comrade McKesey: I move that the reports be given to the Committee on Reports without reading.

Motion seconded and carried.

Comrade Ketcham: I move that the place and time of meeting of next Encampment be left to the Council



of Administration and the officers of the next administration, if there is no application for place of meeting.

Motion seconded and carried.

Comrade Ketcham: I think it would be entirely proper, as suggested by the comrade, if before proceeding to elect the delegate-at-large, the names of the delegates from the respective districts shall be announced from the platform.

The Department Commander read names of delegates to National Encampment, as follows:

DELEGATES.

First District-

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

W. Wilson, Post No. 120, Newburg.

Second District-

C. E. Peek, Post No. 72, Washington.

Wm. S. Mead, Post No. 93, Spencer.

Third District-

J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

W. J. Hauger, Post No. 87, Salem.

Fourth District—

Thos. G. Day, Post No. 98, Versailles.

Dan Empson, Post No. 159, Brownstown.

James M. Brown, Post No. 127, Franklin.

Fifth District-

B. V. Rector, Post No. 2, Brazil.

Charles J. Ferguson, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District-

John W. Ross, Post No. 126, Connersville.

C. J. Limpus, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District-

Albert J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

William D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District-

A. Green, Post No. 38, Union City.

Clay Whiteley, Post No. 78, Muncie.

S. B. Fordyce, Post No. 63, Decatur.



Ninth District-

Harvey R. Tinsley, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

E. P. McClaskey, Post No. 437, Darlington.

N. A. Perrill, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District-

Harry Canfield, Post No. 3, State Soldiers Home, Lafayette. Isaac S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.

James A. Hodgins, Post No. 229, Hebron.

Eleventh District-

James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Jacob M. Bernard, Post No. 23, Marion.

Lewis Reeves, Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Twelfth District-

Samuel M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

R. J. Willard, Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Thirteenth District-

John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, Knox.

Jacob E. Myers, Post No. 489, Culver.

John A. Mock, Post No. 124, Pierceton.

ALTERNATES.

First District-

W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton.

George D. Martin, Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Second District-

- T. B. Springer, Post No. 435, Sullivan.
- J. T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Third District-

- J. M. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.
- J. H. Scott, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Fourth District-

Dan Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour.

J. M. Annis, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Henry Osborn, Post No. 98, Milan.

Fifth District-

George W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville. Albert Martin, Post No. 220, Dana.

Sixth District-

W. T. Murray, Post No. 126, Connersville.

W. H. Norris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District-

Ashford Lingenfelter, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.



Eighth District-

E. Y. Sturgis, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Sedgwick Cooper, Post No. 38, Union City.

D. F. Mustard, Post No. 244, Anderson.

Ninth District-

George Newkirk, Post No. 424, Greentown.

Albert Haskett, Post No. 103, Westfield.

T. R. Caldwell, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District-

- J. E. Loughry, Post No. 51, Monticello.
- J. H. Biddle, Post No. 74, Remington.
- H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.

Eleventh District-

Isaac R. Lee, Post No. 408, Swayzee.

B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.

W. H. H. Ward, Post No. 14, Logansport.

Twelfth District-

Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

J. R. Corlett, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Thirteenth District-

David Smeltzer, Post No. 37, Elkhart. Horace Martin, Post No. 8, South Bend. Charles Behn, Post No. 132, Argos.

For Delegate-at-Large, Comrade A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis, was unanimously elected. Comrade D. D. Rose, Post No. 106, Valparaiso, was elected Alternate-at-Large, by unanimous vote.

The following Comrades were named for Council of Administration:

- C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.
- H. H. Woods, Post No. 77, Martinsville.
- A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Thos. E. Willson, Post No. 98, Versailles.

David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.

- M. M. Lacy, Post No. 420, Fountain City.
- A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.
- W. H. Hickman, Post No. 358, Pennville.

Lewis Thomas, Post No. 131, Russiaville.

- H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.
- B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.
- D. L. Beeber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

John C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.



The following Comrades were selected for the Committee on Resolutions:

First District—Wm. Warren, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Second District—T. B. Springer, Post No. 435, Sullivan.

Third District—John T. Wiley.

Fourth District—A. D. Vanosdol, Post No. 26, Madison.

Fifth District—Oscar Rankin, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District—G. S. Golden, Post No. 64, Brookville.

Seventh District—W. A. Ketcham, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—Stephen Metcalf, Post No. 244, Anderson.

Ninth District—D. H. Oliver, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District—N. A. Chamberlain, Post No. 277, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—Albert Boley, Post No. 23, Marion.

Twelfth District—Philip Noel, Post No. 67, Auburn.

Thirteenth District—Nelson E. Miller, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Thefollowing Recruiting Officers were recommended by their respective districts:

First District—Charles Kretchmar, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Second District—Alexander Asbury, Post No. 564, Farmersburg.

Third District—J. N. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.

Fourth District—Luther Short, Post No. 127, Franklin.

Fifth District—Thos. J. Keylon, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

Sixth District—S. B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District—A. S. Crimans, Post No. 281, Indianapois.

Eighth District—L. Sults, Post No. 419, Albany.

Ninth District—David H. Yeoman, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District—David H. Yeoman, Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

Eleventh District—Alex. Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Twelfth District—R. J. Willard, Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Thirteenth District—Charles W. Scott, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

The following Comrades were selected as Chairman, First and Second Vice-Chairman, and Tellers from the several districts to serve until the next Encampment.

First District-

Chairman—W. Wilson, Post No. 120, Newburg.Tellers—I. I. Smith, Post No. 27, Evansville; J. Schafer, Post No. 120, P. O. Boonville.

Second District-

Chairman—Wm. S. Mead, Post No. 93, Spencer. Tellers—Ben Tolson, Post No. 72, Washington; Josh Shaw, Post No. 72, Washington.



Third District-

Chairman-J. T. Wiley.

Teller-J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Fourth District-

Chairman-A. D. Vanosdol, Post No. 26, Madison.

Vice-Chairman-Henry C. Snell, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

Tellers—Wm. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus; Francis M. Hancock, Post No. 98, Versailles.

Fifth District-

Chairman-David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.

Tellers—S. H. Jaggers, Post No. 1, Terre Haute; S. C. Bishop, Post No. 2, Brazil.

Sixth District-

Chairman-D. Ryan, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Tellers—S. B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville; A. Y. Neff, Post No. 126, Connersville.

Seventh District-

Chairman-A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

First Vice-Chairman—B. W. Sullivan, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Second Vice-Chairman—Jerry Unger, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Tellers—I. N. Julian, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District-

Chairman-W. H. Hickman, Post No. 358, Pennville.

Teller-R. M. Lester, Post No. 38, Union City.

Ninth District-

Chairman-Oliver Gard, Post No. 65, Frankfort.

Tellers—A. J. McClellan, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville; O. A. Somers, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Tenth District-

Chairman-Geo. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Tellers—I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette; Lemuel C. Ross, Post No. 475, West Lafayette.

Eleventh District-

Chairman-Jacob M. Barnard, Post No. 23, Marion .

Teller-James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Twelfth District-

Chairman-D. L. Beaber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

Tellers—J. R. Corlett, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne; Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Thirteenth District-

Chairman—James D. Braden, Post No. 37, Elkhart. Tellers—Geo. W. Wall, Post No. ——; Eli A. Newman.

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Commander Crampton: Next in order will be the election of the Department Officers.

Comrade Ketcham: It has never been in order to elect Department Officers until the reports of the committees have come in. I move, therefore, that this Encampment take a recess until after the parade this afternoon so that matters may come up in an orderly and proper manner.

Motion was seconded by Comrade Strouse.

Commander Crampton: You hear the motion.

Comrade Somers: Commander, the ladies will be here at 11 o'clock to bring greetings.

Comrade Ketcham: I move that the regular order of business be suspended until tomorrow and that in the meantime we take a recess until the ladies have an opportunity to make their addresses.

Commander: It is moved that we take a recess until tomorrow at 8 o'clock.

Comrade Somers: It has been announced in the program and through the papers that we meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Commander: The motion before the house is 8 o'clock. Are you ready?

A vote was taken and 8 o'clock was the time set for meeting on Friday morning.

A group of ladies from the S. V. A. entered.

Commander Crampton: Comrades, we have with us representatives from the various organizations that are auxiliary to our order of the Grand Army of the Republe, and I request you to present arms.

Comrade Somers: Commander, we have with us the ladies of the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. Mrs. Wal-



lace, Past Division President of that organization, will act as spokesman, or spokeswoman, for their order.

Commander Crampton presented Mrs. Wallace to the Encampment.

Miss Wallace: Comrades, you know it is dreadfully embarassing—I always have to make that correction. I always have to do it. I suppose it is because I always look so well fed and good natured, for I am not a disappointed old maid. I am a happy old maid. I bring you greetings from the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary.

At this point there was some confusion in the back of the hall, some of the Comrades leaving under the impression that the meeting had been adjourned until after the parade.

Comrade Brown: "We should have order during the delivery of these addresses. Order is heaven's first law."

As the Comrades continued to leave the hall, the suggestion was made that the doors be closed until order could be restored and the members of the Encampment could be made to understand that the adjournment had been for the reception of the auxiliary organizations.

Commander Crampton: Comrades, you are laboring under a misapprehension. My understanding is that these organizations are invited to come here and talk to us, and they can not do it if the doors are closed.

Comrade McKinsey: The Chaplain has not had a thing to eat or drink today. What in the world are we waiting on?

Commander Crampton: For the information of the Chaplain I will say that this is now a dry town.

The main body of the auxiliary organizations now entered the hall.

Commander Crampton: Comrades, we are receiving visits now from the auxiliaries of the Grand Army of the Republic; the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. Present arms. Ladies, this is a meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic of the State of Indiana, and we are assembled here in a friendly meeting; we will be glad to hear from you now. Comrades, it gives me great pleasure to present to you Mrs. Millspaugh, Department President of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Mrs. Millspaugh: Members of the Grand Army of the Republic and allied organizations. I am not here to extend greetings this morning, but a representative of the Woman's Relief Corps will extend greetings of this, our order, to the allied organizations. Mrs. Caylor, Past Department President and Past National President of our order.

Mrs. Caylor: I can assure you that it is a great pleasure and honor to represent the Woman's Relief Corps. It was through you men that this government has been preserved. proud of all you have done; proud of the government that you preserved. You men who fought the battles of 1861 to '65 are the men whom we honor. You have preserved to us a nation of peace, plenty and prosperity. And we trust that as our banner floats across the sea other nations may gather the inspiration and do likewise. The Woman's Relief Corps was born under the same cloud of war as the Grand Army of the Republic but we do not claim any part of your organization though we are bound by the closest ties. To our organization we have added the loyal workers who joined the ranks under the smoke of battle. Those who believe it is better to give than to receive and who are willing today to work without pay, not expecting to receive anything but are willing to pay to be permitted to work for the soldier and preach the principles for which you fought. If we interest the mothers aright the spirit is visited upon the children. This nation will be preserved if we gather the children and patriotic women into our ranks.

We are happy and proud to be recognized as your auxiliary. Since our organization we have spent thousands of dollars in relief and patriotic work.



Comrades, today we are standing in the shadows of the past, but we do not forget how the brave boys in blue in the early strength of manhood went out to battle, and to us you never grow old. You are just as young to us as you were fifty years ago and we love you just the same, and we are here this morning to pledge our allegiance to you for the rest of our days.

And now, Commander, in behalf of the Department of Indiana, Woman's Relief Corps, allow me to present to you these flowers, representing our loyalty and devotion to the Grand Army of the Republic.

Commander: I take it that those kind words and these beautiful flowers were given to me as a representative of the Grand Army of the Republic, and as such, for you, my Comrades, I receive them and thank the donors. I now present to you Mrs. Kate Scott, who brings greetings to the Sons of Veterans.

Mrs. Kate Scott:

Commander of the Sons of Veterans: It is with pleasure that I, in the name of the Woman's Relief Corps, thank you and extend to you greetings of our Department. And, boys, it is to you we look for support and strength to protect our flag, Old Glory. The flag for which your fathers fought and the flag for which so many lives were sacrificed, and we feel that we will not be disappointed in this, and now that you will protect it, if necessary, with your lives. And now, Commander of the Sons of Veterans, I present to you these flowers, and wish that you may have a successful convention and may the coming year be a successful one.

Mr. Sherwin, Commander Sons of Veterans, Edwin Lenox Camp, Marion:

In behalf of the Sons of Veterans of Marion I accept these flowers. My father was a soldier and gave his life for his country. I have the greatest reverence for the Grand Army of the Republic. We in Marion are trying to do what we can to keep in memory this grand organization. I was not expected to receive this token. Our Division Commander should have been here to receive it, but I accept it as it was offered and thank you.

Mrs. Edna Pauley, in conveying greetings of the



Woman's Relief Corps to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, spoke as follows:

Friends, I am always glad to have an opportunity to say a word, to place a link in the chain of friendship that joins these sister organizations. I bring the greetings of the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps to the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Division of Indiana. We are organized for one aim and one purpose—that of rendering loving service to the Grand Army of the Republic. We extend to you with this message our love and best wishes and hope for you a successful convention and that your pathway through life as individuals and as an organization may be always strewn with roses just as beautiful.

Mrs. Howard, President Ladies of the G. A. R.:

My Sisters and Friends: I accept these flowers in the same spirit that they were given. I thank you.

Mrs. Hoster, to the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary: I am glad to come from the Woman's Relief Corps with greetings to the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. We all belong to the same family and are working for the same cause—to help that grand organization, the Grand Army of the Republic. Each blossom carries with it a message of love one hundred fold. As the Woman's Relief Corps is supposed to be the mother organization, I take pleasure in presenting this to you, our daughters.

Mrs. Emma S. Finch, National Secretary S. V. A.: In behalf of Indiana Division, Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary, we thank you, our mothers.

Mrs. Howard:

MR. CHAIRIMAN: Last year when we met in Tomlinson Hall in Indianapolis to exchange greetings as we have here today, I was very much dismayed when I found that our committee which I had appointed had failed, and so this year I have kept my committee under my wing, as it were, and we are all here to redeem ourselves. Now in behalf of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic I want to present to Mr. Sherwin, Commander of our Sons of Veterans, this little token of flowers. May you receive it as I give it.

Mr. Sherwin: Thank you.



Mrs. Mindwell Crampton Wilson:

It gives me great pleasure today to bring to the Grand Army of the Republic, greetings from the Ladies of the G. A. R. Veteran friends, to us the Grand Army of the Republic is the American Order of Nobility. It is a unique organization in that no child can be born into it; no university can issue a diploma authorizing its owner admission into it; the wealth of a Vanderbilt cannot purchase membership into your noble organization. Its doors swing open only upon presentation of a bit of paper, torn, worn, begrimed it may be, which certifies to an honorable discharge from the armies or navies of the nation during the war of the rebellion, and unlike any other association, no "new blood" can come in; there are no growing ranks from which recruits can be drawn into the Grand Army of the Republic. With the consummation of peace through victory its rolls were closed forever.

Its lines are steadily and swiftly growing thinner, and the ceaseless tramp of its columns is with ever lessening tread; the gaps in the picket line grow wider; day by day details are made from the reserve, summoned into the shadow regions to return to touch elbows no more; until by-and-by, only a solitary sentinel shall stand guard, waiting till the bugle call from beyond shall muster out the last comrade of the Grand Army of the Republic.

And then, do you ask, who will carry on your work? True it is, that nearly all the mothers of '61-'65 now lie with folded hands and hearts stilled—their labors ended, their rest attained. The wives, many of whom were the light and inspiration of war time days, are nearing the road that leads "down into the valley."

But there remain the daughters, and the daughters' daughters, and the daughters' daughters' daughters. These will continue the work in the lines you have laid out today. Spurred on by the stories of sacrifice and endurance of their mothers, thrilled and made strong to do through the impulse given by the blood of their hero fathers, they will prove true to their trust.

History will give pages to records of big deeds, but it will be the daughters who will keep alive the story of the weary march, the songs of campfire, the longings for home, the sentry's midnight musing, the birth of comradeship midst shot and shell and gore and pain, the drink from the same canteen and the death watch beside a wounded foe.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. under the power of such influence will rise to higher ideals of womanhood, to a keener sense of wifehood, to a grander realization of motherhood, and while



dirges are sung and eulogies read, and flowers planted above the graves of these sleeping heroes, the best work given by them will be the teaching and training of their sons, that our nation may continue to hold a race of men who will stand true in peace or war, as you have; who, revering the veterans of '61 to '65 will, like you, prove to be brave soldiers, magnanimous victors, clean statesmen and honorable citizens.

This is the future work of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.

May we this day receive your blessing and may God prosper our efforts. (Presenting bouquet to the Department Commander.) From the Ladies of the G. A. R. to the Grand Army of the Republic.

Commander: I have been handling the Englsh language all my life. I am a newspaper man—have been setting it up in letters, syllables and sentences, but I know no language to return my thanks in your behalf to the Ladies of the G. A. R.

Mrs. Daily to ladies of the W. R. C.:

Commander and Comrades, Ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps: Greetings from the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. We bring you roses. Our love will remain with you when the roses are gone. It is told and retold in countries where the flag waves and the life history of our Union is told. In the words of the poem of our own James Whitcomb Riley, "Let something good be said." There have been so many good things said today. The love of country—to instill it into the hearts of the coming generations when the comrades are here no longer. It must be done—let it be the story that never grows old. I am glad and honored to present these flowers. Accept them with all our hearts.

Mrs. Millspaugh:

I thank the representative of the Ladies of the G. A. R. Each organization has a member to respond to all greetings. Our Senior National President, Mrs. Hitt, will speak for our organization.

Mrs. Hitt:

So many beautiful things have been said that it seems to me that nothing has been left for me to say. I wish, however, in



the name of the grand organization the Woman's Relief Corps, who not only represent the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters, but also the loyal women for whom you fought who have come to us unselfishly to do for you what your mothers, wives, sisters, and daughters are also doing. They have come to our ranks, knowing that you fought for the whole country and not simply a part of it. I extend greetings to all to whom they are due from the Woman's Relief Corps, meaning as I understand it, our Department Sons of Veterans, the Grand Army of the Republic, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary. I thank you, President of Ladies of the G. A. R., for these beautiful roses. I hope that they represent harmony between the two organizations and that the gift represents the true love of these women for each other, who are working for a grand and noble purpose. I thank you.

Mrs. Fouts: It is with pleasure that I bring greetings from the Ladies of the G. A. R. to the Sons of Veterans. We feel in our hearts a more kindly response than our lips can convey. We assure you that the bond between the Ladies of the G. A. R. and the Sons of Veterans is very close, and I am very sure that I voice the sentiments of every one of our organization. I thank you for the noble work of caring for the veteran in his declining years. As a daughter and granddaughter of an Indiana veteran, I realize that to us sons and daughters of illustrious sires is handed down a heritage of honor of which we are justly proud and we feel sure that the future welfare of our country may be safely entrusted to you as its defenders. In behalf of the Ladies of the G. A. R. now assembled in this hall I present to you these beautiful flowers, with best wishes for success in all the noble undertakings of your order. May our different organizations unite as one in caring for the comrade and perpetuating his memory, and in these times of distress and unrest among other nations let us pray that the Father of all mankind will save our beloved country from the horrors of war.

Mr. Sherwin: It is with a feeling of the greatest appreciation that I receive this token. I thank you, Ladies of the G. A. R.

Mrs. Miller, to the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary: In behalf of the Ladies of the G. A. R. it gives me great pleasure to present these flowers. The meanest flower that grows can give thoughts too deep for utterance. May all the world be won to loyalty to the boys in blue.



Mrs. Bowser, to the Ladies of the G. A. R.: In behalf of the Auxiliary we thank you.

Miss Wallace continues her talk which was interrupted some time before.

Miss Addie Wallace: You know I have been doing mental gymnastics ever since I came upon this platform. They were going to start the ball rolling with me. But I suggested that I had better stop, and so I have part of the speech on the records and part that never will be spoken. I don't know whether I am going or coming.

We used to always be in a terrible fix because we seemed somehow to feel like we had two mothers, but we have just discovered that we are older than the Ladies of the G. A. R.

We bring to the Grand Army of the Republic our undying loyalty. It is unnecessary for us to say to the men of the Grand Army of the Republic, whose daughters we are, that they have our love now and always.

To the Woman's Relief Corps, our mothers, we bring the love and greetings of the daughters. We have tried to follow in their footsteps and if we do accomplish things it is because we have been led forward by them.

To the Ladies of the G. A. R. we also bring our love and assure you always of our loyalty.

Then to our boys—what can I say to our boys, the Sons of Veterans of Indiana? We have said it so many times we know by this time you really believe that you have our love. We have traveled side by side so long—you know, boys, we are twenty-five years old.

I bring these flowers to the comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic from their daughters, the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary.

Commander Crampton: On behalf of the Grand Army of the Republic I receive them and thank you and the order you represent.

Miss Wallace, presenting flowers to Mrs. Millspaugh, President of the W. R. C.: It is awful to have to do the work of four women and all these pretty girls who sit back here and don't do a thing. (Presented flowers to Ladies of the G. A. R. and to Sons of Veterans.) Last but not least to our boys. We have had many Comrades of Indiana Division, Sons of Veterans, but to him who held that position in the past year will always be given our love and best wishes.



Commander Shellhouse: I wish to say that we Sons of Veterans of Indiana feel that we could not get along without the love and affection and the encouragement of these sisters of ours. We thank you very much for this token of your esteem.

Miss Wallace then recited the following verses:

THE BOY AND THE FLAG.

"I want my boy to love his home,
His mother, yes, and me;
I want him wheresoe'r he'll roam,
With us in thought to be.
I want him to love what is fine,
Nor let his standards drag;
But oh, I want that boy of mine,
To love his country's flag.

"I want him when he older grows,
To love all things of earth;
And oh, I want him, when he knows,
To choose the things of worth.
I want him to the heights to climb,
Nor let ambition lag;
But oh, I want him, all the time,
To love his country's flag.

"I want my boy to know the best,
 I want him to be great;
 I want him in life's distant west,
 Prepared for any fate.
 I want him to be simple, too,
 Though clever, ne'er to brag;
 But oh, I want him, through and through,
 To love his country's flag.

"I want my boy to be a man,
And yet in distant years,
I pray that he'll have eyes that can
Not quite keep back the tears,
When coming from some foreign shore,
And alien scenes that fag.
Borne on its native breeze once more,
He sees his country's flag.



Commander Crampton: Comrades, I want our boys to see next year when we meet, that this lady can not come before this audience and say she is a single woman; or if she is, that it will be her fault and not our boys' fault.

Encampment gave Chautauqua salute as ladies left the hall.

Adjourned to meet Friday, May 28, at 8 o'clock.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

Friday, May 28, 1915.

Department Commander Crampton called the Encampment to order at 8:30. Encampment joined Department Chaplain McKinsey in repeating the Lord's prayer.

Commander Crampton: The first thing in order will be the Report of the Committee on Resolutions.

Comrade Ketcham (Chairman of Committee): If you will give me your attention (for my voice is feeble as you all know) we will try to expedite matters.

The first resolution, which was presented by Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, follows:

Whereas, The railroads located south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi river have made a rate based on one cent per mile from all points located in that territory to the Confederate veterans who wish to attend the annual meeting of the U. C. V., which meets in Richmond, Virginia, June 1, 2 and 3. This would make the round trip from Cincinnati \$14.35; Nashville, Tenn., \$14.35; Lebanon, Tenn., \$13.15; Clarksville, Tenn., \$14.70; Hopkinsville, Ky., \$15.70 and many others, while the railroads north of the Ohio river refuse to make any reduction to the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, who wish to attend the Annual Encampment of the Grand Army at Wash-



ington, D. C., the last of September, 1915, regardless of the fact that the southern roads are naming a rate based on one cent per mile

Be it Resolved, That the members of this Department look on the action of the northern railroads as one of non-appreciation of the services of the Old Soldiers for the services they rendered this government from 1861 to 1865, and that a committee of three be appointed by the Commander of this Department to formulate a resolution on the matter and the same be sent to the Committee on Transportation at Washington, asking that the same be laid before the Inter-state Commerce Commission, complaining of the action of the unwarranted discrimination of the railroads north of the Ohio river against the northern soldiers.

The committee recommends that the above Preamble and Resolution be referred to the Commander-in-Chief, with the request that such action be taken as will avoid any unjust discrimination and will secure to the Union and Confederate veterans a uniform rate of railroad fare to and from the National Encampments and Confederate Conventions and thereby contribute to strengthen the ties of friendship existing and that are growing stronger as the years roll by, and terminate in moulding a national unity, one and inseparable.

The above was adopted by rising vote.

Comrade Ketcham introduced the following resolution:

Having entire confidence in the ability, integrity and patriotism of our Comrade, Orlando A. Somers, the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, presents his name to the ensuing National Encampment as a fit and worthy candidate for the high place of Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Adopted unanimously by rising vote.

Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, offered the following:

Whereas, It has been suggested that the annual meeting of



the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, be located permanently at some place centrally located, as it has become a burden for the smaller cities and towns to entertain them,

Be it Resolved, That the next Encampment of the Department of Indiana be held in the city of Indianapolis, and that all future meetings of this Department be held in that city.

The above was amended to read, "If no other city wants it." The committee made no report on this resolution, as the Encampment had already disposed of it by leaving it to the incoming administration.

The next resolution, from Geo. H. Thomas Post No. 17, recommending that John L. Clem be retired with rank of Brigadier-General had been received at the office of the Assistant Adjutant-General some months ago. It was learned that since that time Comrade Clem has been retired with the above rank, and the committee recommended that the Encampment express its appreciation of this action, which motion was seconded and approved.

A resolution offered by Geo. W. Leonard Post No. 148 recommended that Grand Army Posts throughout the Department appoint committees to look after all matters pertaining to pensions, and more especially by concerted action to secure the repeal of the act of 1890 in regard to widows' pensions; also to assist in clearing up the record of soldiers who might have a pensionable status, etc. This was indefinitely postponed.

The following was presented by Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post 281:

Whereas, It has been suggested that the National Encampment be permanently located in the City of Washington, D. C.,

Be it Resolved, That the Department of Indiana is opposed to the proposed permanent location of the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in the city of Washington, D. C., for the reason that the city of Washington is too far east and that the National Department should be more centrally located.

Be it Resolved, That this Department would suggest some city in the central west. Chicago, Toledo, Cleveland or Indianapolis,



either, would be centrally located and easily reached from all parts of the country.

Indefinitely postponed.

The following was presented by the Committee on Resolutions:

Be it Resolved by this Encampment, that we are deeply indebted to the citizens of Marion for the grand, generous and magnificent arrangements made by them for our entertainment and care during the Encampment.

And with patriotic hearts we sincerely thank them from the fullness of our hearts, and thank Governor Ralston for his interest in the Grand Army of the Republic.

(Signed)

W. A. KETCHAM,

Chairman.

D. H. OLIVE, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE SENIOR VICE-COMMANDER.

To the Commander and Comrades of the Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment, Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

I have the honor to submit herewith my report as Senior Vice-Department Commander for the year now closing:

It being the duty of the Senior Vice-Commander to assist the Commander when called upon, I have held myself in readiness to aid in any way possible, but as our very capable Commander has responded to all calls made on him and has labored most faithfully for the upbuilding of the Department, there has been no opportunity for any special work on my part.

During the past year I had the pleasure of attending the National Encampment at Detroit, Mich., and several meetings of the soldiers and Woman's Relief Corps, where interesting programs were carried out and everything possible done to promote the general welfare of the Grand Army.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the comrades for the high honor conferred on me by electing me to the office of Senior Vice-Commander of the Department. My relations with the other department officials and with my comrades have been very pleasant.

Respectfully submitted in F. C. and L.,

T. B. SPRINGER.

Senior Vice-Department Commander.



REPORT OF JUNIOR VICE-DEPARTMENT COMMANDER.

EVANSVILLE, IND. April 19, 1915.

To the Department Commander and Comrades of the Thirty-sixth Department Encampment of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

It seems superfluous for me to make a report. Department Commander A. B. Crampton, and Adjutant-General J. R. Fesler ("Old Reliable") have responded to all the calls from Post or District and so pleased the Comrades that no invitation was sent to the Junior Vice-Commander to visit them. * Nevertheless, I thank my Comrades for the honor conferred. I am pleased to say, I feel honored to have served with them.

Glad we should be to have Comrades that have the time and means and are physically able to respond to all calls. Some are not so well provided for, but all are faithful and true.

Like Old Dog Tray-

"The morn of life is past,

The evening has come at last;"

that our Comrades over there are calling on us to cross the river. And we are singing in large numbers.

"I'm coming, I'm coming,
My head is bending low;
We hear the gentle voices calling
Old Comrade Joe."

Sincerely yours in F. C. and L.,

CHARLES H. MYERHOFF, Junior Vice-Commander, Dept. of Indiana.

REPORT OF MEDICAL DIRECTOR.

A. B. Crampton, Department Commander:

I appreciate very highly the honor of my appointment as Medical Director of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic. Have had the pleasure of attending the Encampments of the year and other gatherings of my Comrades, but in them all have had no calls made on me for medical care.

With thanks for the honor conferred, I am

Yours in F. C. and L.,

G. W. H. KEMPER,

Medical Director.



10.01	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
1	Benjamin F. Havens 75	1st Lieut	F	89th Ind. Inf	Jan. 28
1	James A. Miller 78		Ù.	S. Navy	Feb. 10
î	Nathan Abbott 81	Private	A	35th Ia. Inf	Feb. 16
i	Charles Vickery77	Private	K	1st Ind. Cav	Apr. 26
i	Alexander Fitzpatrick 69	Private	F	18th Mo. Col.Inf	July 16
1	Isaac N. Pierce 85	Private	D	133d Ind. Inf	Aug. 11
2	Samuel S. Harmon	Private	E	124th Ind	Mar. 31
2	Isaac M. Simonson	Private	Ī	1st Ind. H. A	Jan. 1
2	T. M. Robertson 80	Captain	D	6th Ind. Cav	Nov. 8
3	A. L. Stoney	1st Lieut.	B	12th Ind	Oct. 10
3	H. C. P. Jennings	1st Lieut	B	47th Ind	Nov. 15
4	Vanburen Armor 75	Private	E	35th Ill	Feb. 16
4	James A. Barnes 70	Private	H	86th Ind	June 21
4	George W. Boughner 73	Private	E	63d Ind	Dec. 1
5	J. W. Taylor	Private	H	68th Inf	Mar 7
5	Albert Tower	Captain	A	5th Ind	July 18
5	David Sewright	Private	B	7th Ind	Mar. 17
5	John F. Wostman	Private	Ĩ	174th O. V. I	Oct.
5	Mervin McNew	Private	K	83d Inf	Mar. 2
5	W. H. Smith	Private	G	52d Ind	Oct.
5	T. D. Martin	Private	A	51st Inf	Apr. 28
5	Orlando Hood	Colonel	A	28th U. S. C	Nov. 2
5	Eph. McWilliams	Private	G	7th Inf	May '
5	Dan W. Sweeny	Private	č	19th Ind	Oct. 2
5	John J. Foley	Private		26th Battery	May 2
5	B. F. McCoy	Private	В	16th-76th Ind	Oct. 2
5	James M. Meredith	Private	Ī	17th Ind	Dec. 1
5	Harmon Myer	Private	M	5th O. V	June
5	John T. Rankin	Lieut	G	U. S. Colored	Dec. 2
6	C. E. Cowgill	2d Lieut	G	138th Vol	May
6	John Weber				
6	John B. Tyre	1st Lieut		14th Ind. Bat	Mar.
6	W. H. Depuy				
6	Ben Abernathy	-	I	47th Vol	Apr. 28
7	W. C. Grimes	Private	I	115th Ind	Sept.
7	Robert G. Larsh 68	Private	H	135th Ind	Jan. 19
7	Lemuel B. McClemrock 74		E	72d Ind	Mar. 3
8	August Conrad				Feb
8	J. A. M. Lapierre				Feb
8	J. B. Green				Mar
8	Oscar Hewitt				Apr
8	George Ridanoer				Apr
8	George W. Roeder				July 2
8	John Kleindech			21st Ind. Bat	Aug.

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
8	George Betcher					
8	R. E. Tutt			H	138th Ind. Inf	
8	Jamas Odonal			В	138th Ind. Inf	July
7	Hugh Morrison					
8	John Ollinger					4
9	Ared F. White		Private	G	133d Ind	Jan. 1
9	Albert Fisher		Private	A	14th Ind	Feb. 1
9	Irvin Thomas		Private	E	78th Ind	Aug. Feb.
11	Elisha Cowgill		Private	A	78th Ind 21st Mo. Cav. or	Feb.
11	Jesse Richardson '	10	Private	• • • •	Merrill's Horse.	Mar.
11	Joseph B. Sellers	71	Sergeant	I	27th Ind. Vol	Apr. 1
11	George H. Davidson	66	Private	Ď	14th Ind. Vol	May
11	George E. Blake		Private	č	105th Ind Vol.	July
11	Albert Allen		Private	Ã	78th-133d Ind	Oct.
11	John H. King		Private	C	6th Ind. Cav	Oct. 2
11	Smith Parker		Private	В	43d Ind. Vol	Nov.
13	William H. Robertson	68	Private	A	120th Ind	Feb. 1
13	A. M. Rhoades	69	Sergeant	E	93d Ind	Mar.
13	Joseph A. Warner	72	Private	K	13th Ind	Apr. 2
13	Andrew J. Hilger	94	Captain		Ky. Legion	July 1
14	James Wilkinson		Private	Ι	9th Ind. Inf	Sept. 1
14	George T. Lamboen [8		Private		57th Ind. Inf	Sept. 1
14	John Vernon	• •	Not in Des	crip	tive Book	Oct.
14	Morris Sellers		Not in Des		tive Book	Nov.
14	W. R. Wones		Private	G	8th Ohio Cav	Dec. 1
15	W. W. Colvin		Private	I	42d Ind	Aug. 2
15 15	George R. Howard	N. 1	Private	D E	24th Ind	Oct. 2 Nov.
16	Jasper J. Dawson		Private	Ğ	1st Tenn. Inf	Jan. 1
17	Isaac N. Fosnette		Private	H	77th Pa. Vols	Aug. 1
17	Wharton R. Clinton 8		Captain	H	13th Ind	Feb.
17		76	Private	K	11th and 36th	2.73
			Escher 1		Ohio Vol	Feb. 1
17	Charles J. McGinnis	70	Captain	В	63d Ohio Vol	Feb. 2
17		70	Corporal	K	51st Ind. Vol	Mar.
17	Moses G. McLain		Private	G	70th Ind. Vol	Mar. 1
17	Henry H. Harvey		Private	A	5th Ind. Cav	Mar. 1
17		70	Private	B	2d Ind. Cav	Apr.
17		70	Musician	E	63d Ind. Vol	May
17		72	Captain	H	79th Ohio	May
17		71	Private	H-E		May 2
17	Garrett H. Shover 7	10	Private	D	8th Ind. Vol	June !

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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
17	Samuel Green 80		E	35th N. Y	July 5
17	John W. Smith 76		K	84th Ohio Vol	July 22
17	George W. Lancaster . 71		K	43d Ind. Vol	July 25
17	Charles W. Lefler 72	The result of the second	C	43d Pa. Vol	July 26
17	Samuel P. Herrington. 74		D	8th Ind	Aug. 15
17 17	William H. Armstrong 71		B K	8th U. S. C. H. A	Sept. 28
17	Thomas Thatcher 72 Charles J. Many 73		C	22d Ind. Vol	Oct. 5
17	Omer B. Boardman 70		H	79th Ind. Vol	Nov. 5 Nov. 6
17	Jason M. Wheeler71	Private	F	2d Ind. Cav 29th Ind. Vol	Nov. 6 Nov. 28
17	John S. Duncan 68		D	136th Ind. Vol	Nov. 28
17	Marcus L. Brown 73		C	148th Ind. Vol.	Nov. 29
17	Wallace E. Dickson	Lieut	H	7th Kan. Vol	Nov. 31
18	John McCain 81	2d Lieut	A	76th Ind. Vol	Apr. 27
18	John J. Pile 74		G	54th Ky	May 3
18	John M. Byers 69	Private	E	63d O. V. I	Sept. 11
18	George W. Newton 72	Private	A	16th I. V. I	Dec. 28
18	C. W. Lewis	No descript	ive	list.	
20	Jacob Klein	Private	A	32d I. V. I	Jan. 3
20	James Prothers	Private	F	145th I. V. I	Aug. 8
20	John Fox	Private	В	82d I. V. I	Feb. 22
23	Ephraim W. Creviston	Corporal	F	34th Ind. Inf	July 23
23	G. P. Riley	Captain		50th Ohio Inf	Oct. 14
23	Samuel P. Brundage		K	114th Ohio Inf .	Nov. 9
23	Edwin Martien	Corporal	H	19th Pa. Cav	Nov. 18
23	Nathan Lowder	Private	C	13th Ind. Inf	Dec. 3
26	Ephraim Brown 77		A	54th Ind. V. I	Nov. 24
26 26	Henry C. King 71		A G	82d Ind. V. I	Feb. 12
26	John Stephens 73 Gamaliel S. Taylor 80		E	82d Ind. V. I 3d Ind. Vol. Cav	May 16 June 8
27	C. W. Barenfanger 75	The second of th	K	11th Ind. Inf	Jan. 2
27	George J. Sennent 71		F	80th Ind. Inf	Jan. 15
27	George Knotts 78		A	17th Ohio Inf	Jan. 18
27	J. H. Huston74	_ 0	B	94th Ohio Inf	Jan. 22
27	Peter Truckey 79		A	42d Ind. Inf	Jan. 30
27	Nicholas Keil 70		E	1st La. Cav	Feb. 9
27	F. M. Ewing 77			5th U. S. C. T	Feb. 110
27	Jacob Wagner 78		K	¿2d Ind. Inf	Feb. 19
27	H. F. Miller 75	[H. 77] 교통 (프라스트 - 140000)	F	38th Ind. Inf	Mar. 7
27	Jacob Mann 77			1st Ind. L. A	Mar. 11
27	Philip Zahn			1st Ind. L. A	Mar. 11
27	Philip Klein 80			25th Ind. Inf	Apr. 16
27	George Frank	Corporal		1st Ind. L. A	Apr. 18

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No. of Fost.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date o Death
27	J. R. Elderfield	70	Private	F	60th Ind. Inf	Aug.
27	William G. Ralston	95	Surgeon		81st Ind. Inf	Aug. 1
27	William P. Graham		Private	F	24th Ind. Inf	Aug. I
2	E. F. Kinnaird	81	Major		11th Ky. Inf	Aug
2:	Gottfrid Stocker		Corporal	K	2d Ky. Inf	Sept.
28	Edward Rapp		Corporal	G	9th Ohio Inf	Sept. 2
27	Reinhard Strassweg	76	Sergeant	H	17th Ind. Inf	Sept. 3
27	Casper Hubert		Sergeant	В	10th Ind. Cav	Dec. 1
27	Samuel Neuman	76	Private	A	66th N. Y. Inf	Dec. 2
28				K	24th Ind	Jan. 1
28	Joseph C. Hartin		Private	A	80th Ind	June
28 30	Hugh Malone	73	Private	В	65th Ind	Sept.
30	Harrison Finch		Private	I	135th Ind	Mar.
30	Edwin A. Moon	• •	Private	A	137th Ind	June
30	George H. Smith Hans Eck	• •	Private		23d Ohio	Apr.
30	J. H. Douglass	• •	Private	E	13th Ind	Apr.
30	Peter Y. Blair		Private	K	34th Ohio	Apr. 1
30	Albert Kelly.	• •	Private	D K	7th Ind	June 2
30	Hiram Sewell	53	Private		130th Ind 135th Ind	July 2
30	George W. Record		Private		143d Ind	Aug. 1
30	James T. Young		Private		8th Ohio Cav	Aug. 1 Oct.
30	John M. Leach			M	11th Ind. Cav	Oct. 1
30	Lucien Coffman		Private	H	153d Ind	Oct. 1
30	Thomas A. Pierce		Lieut	C	22d Ind	Oct. 2
30	James M. Smith		Private	C	33d Ind	Oct. 2
30	John A. Pierce		Private	E	11th Ind. Cav	Nov. 1
31	Michael Jakes		Private	D	10th Ind. Vol	June 1
31	Frederick Dittmer	80	Sergeant	В	86th Ind. Vol	Mar. 3
31		69	Private	K	174th Ohio Vol.	May 1
31		76	Private	C	46th Ind. Vol	June 1
32		77	Private	В	46th Ill. Inf	Sept
32	George S. Wells	78	Sergeant	L	6th Mo. Cav	Oct
33	Edward Bartlemy		Private	• • • •	101st Ind	Jan.
33	Harrison Craig	• •	Musician	• • • •	47th Ind	Feb. 2
33 33		• •	•••••	• • • •	3d W. Va. Cav.	June
33	William Wagner James M. Wooster	•	Sargant	· · · ·	52d Ind	June
33			Sergeant	I B	22d Ind	June 2
33				В	101st Ind	Aug.
33	-		the second secon	ь	101st Ind 53d Ind	Aug. 2
33	Harvey Risley					Oct. 1
33				Н	153d Ind	Oct. 1 Oct. 3

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
36	J. Marlatt		Private	В	6th Ind	Apr: 2
37	Jacob Gordon		Private	Ď	93d Pa	June 3
37	Joseph Replogie		Private	G	74th Ind	Mar. 18
37	B. F. Kahler		Private	В	1st Ind. Cav	Apr. 1
37	Henry Hoagland		lst Lieut	I	44th I. V. I	Apr. 29
37	Charles Andikirk		Private	A	152d Ind	Apr. 2
37	Thomas Brown					200
38	William W. Whiting .	72	Private	H	124th I V. I	Mar. 30
38	Thomas J. McMullen .	74	Musician	C	148th I. V. I	July 10
38		71	Private	G	54th I. V. I	Oct. 19
38	[] . [[[[[[[[[[[[[[[[[76	Private	F	94th O. V. I	Dec 2
40	John Jones		Sergeant	C	88th Ind. Vol	Jan. 28
40	F. J. Potter	• •	Private	I	34th Ind. Vol	Apr. 13
40	Mathias Nushood		Private		16th Ind Bat	Aug.
42	George W. White	• •	Private	G	135th Ind	July 19
42	Orar maumum		Captain	B	72d Ind	June
44		73	Private	D	2d I. V. I	Mar. 1
46	A. J. Kinnell	-:	Private	В	133d Ohio	Apr. 1
51		77	Private	G	46th Ind	Mar. 2
51 51	Thomas E. Donnelly	10	Sergeant	K D-I	48th Ind	Apr. 13
51	Marshall Lewis George H. Mitchell	78	Private	B	75th-153d Ind 142d Ind	May 16 Nov. 30
52		71	Corporal	A	88th I. V. I	Feb. 16
52	H EE A. B. FLANK ST. E. TOTTEN TO THE STREET AND THE STREET	69	Private	E	2d Ohio H. A	July 28
55		76	Private	F	127th Pa	Jan. 31
55	Jonathan W. Newman		Private	F	69th Ind	Jan. O
00	Johathan W. Newman	. 0	lst Lt.Q-M.		147th Ind	Feb. 2
55	Charles A. C. Howren.	67	Private	Α	84th Ind	Apr. 15
55	[] [[] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [77	Private	Ï	84th Ind	Apr. 1
55		73	Private	H	116th U. S. C. T.	May S
55	Hezekiah R. Marlatt	76	Private	G	68th Ind	May 28
55	Benjamin F. Hayden .	78	Private	D	2d Ind. Cav	June 4
55	Frank J. Brown	75	Private	A	133d Ind	July (
55	John A. Ross	71	Private	D	54th O. V. I	Oct. 28
55	Christian Vossler	73	Private	M	4th U. S. A	Dec. 2
56			Private	K	142d Ind	Jan
56	Jonas Foss		Private		51st Ind	Jan
56			Private	В	8th Ind. Cav	Jan. 27
56	[[전다] [[전기 전기 전기 전기 전기 다른 사람들이 되었다. [[전기 시간		Private	I	152d Ind	Feb. 22
56		٠.	Private	C	87th Ind	Jan. 16
56		• •	Private	D	151st Ind	June 28
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56		• •	Private	A	52d Ind	Oct. 22
56	Samuel S. Clear	٠.١	Private	F	151st Ind	Dec. 22

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Name. Rank. Age. Š. C William Demuth Sergeant .. Robert Eugh Private ... 60 Abram Sheely David H. Rhoades Private ... 60 60 Charles Loughton John R. Philips Captain ... 60 Seth Consoe Henry S. Coble Private ... Francis M. Whitzel ... 60 John Knots 61 Ben Isenhour 61 Isaac Havens 61 Wesley Chalfant..... 61 Ward L. Roach Scott Sturgeon Seph Tyler Jacob Fink Private ... I 62 62 John D. Chambers.... Private ... Jerry Russell 63 L. M. Grandstaff Lorenzo Cherryholmes Emanuel Woods.. ... John Elzey S. E. Rose Private ... H 64 H. H. Miller Private ... H 64 F. M. Clark Private .. G William Murphy 68 67 Unassigned William Wilson 72 Private ... K Benjamin Young. 74 70 Charles Hunter 68 Drummer . Riley Wood..... 72 Private ... 72 William Lunsford.... Private ... 72 G 72 Joseph Miller..... Private ... Thomas Fitzpatrick ... 85 Sergeant .. F 76 Corporal ... D Private ... K Lieut J. W. Drake Private . : 73 Calvin Haines...... 75 Private ... I Christian Broger 82 Corporal ... K Thomas Kinner 72 Private ... F Hiram Messersmith... 72 Private E John Plough. Private 68th Ind. (99)

ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED. of Post. Company Date of Regiment. Death. 87th Ind. Dec. Apr. 17 Sept. 9 June 14 Oct. 3 June 25 Oct. 10 June 26 Dec. 24 142d Ind..... Aug. 15 Nov. 28 Aug. 24 Mar 21 Sept. 3 June 4 Dec. 24 134th Ind May 3 68th Ind. May 10 72d Aug. 5 Sept. 22 Mar. 25 25th Ind. 109th..... May 25 28th Ill. Sept. 26 14th Ind. Mar. 1 Dec. 25 43d Ind..... Apr. 14 17th Ind. June 3 128th Ind. Mar. 15 20th Ind. Mar. 25 37th Ind. Nov. -19th Ind. Sept. 21 39th Ind. Sept. 29 79th Ohio.... Oct. 8 7th New York. Nov. 8 Dec. 14 12th Ind. Cav ... 16th Ind. Inf... Dec. 22 Mar. 10

ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED. No. of Post. Company Date of Regiment Name. Rank. Death. Age. Private . C 3d Ind. Cav Feb. 20 May 23 120th O. V. I... 82 Corporal .. Oliver C. Gatch 89th O. V. I.... Captain ... G Aug. 22 82 Robert Block 7th Ind. Inf.... Nov. 10 Private ... A 47th I. V. I 83 William Ralston 75 Feb. Private ... 5th Ind. Cav ... 83 Charles G. Potter..... 74 B Dec. 15 Private ... Jan. 23 Joseph S. Dinsmore . . . | 77 82d Ind..... Sergeant .. 14th Ind. 85 William G. Hughes... 74 Private ... K Mar. 22 85 James Sexton 81 H 82d Ind..... May 12 Private ... May 14 Charles Day 62 85 Private ... I 4th Ohio. John Bryant Private ... 37th Ky June 21 Private ... H 85 David Wampler..... 80 13th Ind. Cav ... Aug. 18 Andrew T. Massy 69 Private ... H 14th Ind. Aug. 21 85 William L. Adams.... 84 Private ... I 117th Ind. Sept. 9 86 F W. F. Broy Private ... 55th Ind. Inf. .. Nov. 28 John Bentell 86 L 3d Ind. Cav Private ... Dec. 29 87 William H. Kremer Private ... 12th Ind. Bat .. Jan. William Birth..... 93d Ind..... 87 87 Private ... Mar. 11 James B. Berkey Sergeant .. 53d Ind..... May 20 87 Ephraim B. Fletcher. . . . Private ... 7th Ind. Bat ... May 25 87 Hiram A. Depew..... Private ... 9th Pa. Cav Nov. 25 13th Mich. Inf.. Henry Vredenbaugh.. 78 Private ... May 7 90 Eli M. Albright 72 Machinist . 29th Ind. Inf... Apr. 10 90 B. F. Whitmer 76 Surgeon. .. 32d Engineers... Nov. 22 90 John T. Marlin..... Private ... 5th Ind. Cav ... Aug. 23 124th U. S. Cav. Wellman Stockdale. Private ... E Sept. 6 92 James Thomas Private ... 59th Ind. Inf... Mar. 7 92 F John Duncan Private ... Jan. 92 William E. Crane 5th Ind. Cav ... Nov. 20 Andrew J. Hancock ... 70 Private ... D 59th Ind. Inf... Jan. 6 93 G William R. Phillips Private ... 29th Ind. Inf... Sept. 17 93 John M. Kerr Private ... B 21st Ind. Inf ... Apr. 7 James K. Blackburn... C 94 Private ... 3d Ind Cav..... Mar. George Bailey Oct. 11 94 Private ... E-C 50th and 52d Ind Jonas Myers 84 95 2d Lieut ... H 87th..... May 17 John Beecher: Private ... 151st 95 Aug. Isaac Alexander...... Mar. D 142d 95 Private ... 147th. David Hower D Mar. 17 Sergeant ... 110th Ohio. 101 Aaron Standfield Private ... G Feb. 24 Apr. 25 Richard Sparrow Private ... B 93d Ind..... James Tull Nov. 11 101 George M. Bridgeman. 66 Private ... 128th Ind..... Jan. 29 Abram Heilman | 73 | Private ... 102 D 4th Ill. Cav Feb. 19 Florence Anstett...... |83| Private 58th Ind. Feb. 22

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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
103	William Singleton 73		A	86th Ind. Inf	July 2
103	Aud J. Dean 76	Private	D	7th Ind Cav	Nov. 2
104	John A. Arnold				Apr.
104	Albert Tuttle61	Private	G	30th Ind	Apr.
04	Warren L. Lowell 88	Private	K	7th Minnesota	Nov. 2
04	Samuel Shepardson 73	Private	G	30th Ind	Dec. 1
05	Samuel Randy 75	Private	F	129th Ohio	Nov. 1
06	John B. Swoop	Private	F	199th Pa	Mar.
06	John Fitzwilliams	2d Lieut	E	128th Ind. Vol.	July 1
06	Joshua Gunder	1 at Tiens	D	17th ind	Mar. 1
06	George Baldwin	1st Lieut	C	48th I. V. I	July -
06	John W. Forney	Private	Ι	2d Ohio	Mar. 2 Oct.
106	John W. Forney		İ	5th Ind. Cav	Get.
1.0	John S. Louderback	Captain	1	90th Ind. Vol	Dec.
10	Emanuel Thomas	Private	C	29th Ind	Mar. 2
14	Jerome Kerns 73	Private	B	164th Ohio	
14	George Thomas 73	Private	I	95th Ill	
16	A. C. Pettingill	Private	H	15th	Sept.
16	Riley Aldridge	Sergeant	Î	138th Ind	Aug. 1
16	Henry Hammons	Private	H	100th Ind	Nov.
16	John Vernon	Private	H	75th Ind	Dec.
19	Andrew J. Minnick 72	Corporal	Ĥ	69th Ind. Inf	Aug. 2
19	David M Painter 70	Private	E	9th Ind. Cav	Oct. 2
123	Frank Hench				Oct. 2
123	Lafayette Tharp				Sept
124	David H. Connell 76	Private	E	126th Ohio	June
124	John L. Pouglass 81	Private	В	44th Ind	Mar. 1
24	Lewis Hoffner70	Private	E	30th Ohio	Sept.
24	John Campbell 77	l'rivate	A	23d Ohio	Dec :
25	Jacob Groom	Private	H	17th Ohio	Mar
25	James Ryan	Private	E	30th Ind. Vol	Aug. 2
25	Jasper N. Ohlwine	Sergeant	E	30th I. V. I	Sept. 1
26	George Oldham 73	Sergeant	A	124th Ind	Jan. 1
26	Alfred Johnson 77	Private	K	18th Ind	Feb. 1
28	Jacob Ward 80	Private	H	138th Ind	Feb. 2
28	Philip Welker70	Private	C	4th Ind. Cav	June 3
28	Ed C. Fitzgerald 77	Corporal	C	30th Ind Inf	June 1
28	John Borough 71	Private	· · · ·	U. S. S. C	Dec. 3
31	Hudson Middleton John B. Sims	Private	G H	57th	Sept. 1
131	J. W. Adair	Private	of		Dec. 1 Nov. 2
• • •	B. F. Alter	Not member Not member	of	Post. Post.	Dec.
	D. F. Alter	rior member	OL	1 050.	Trec.

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No. of Post. Company Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Age. 75 Private .. C Ezra Finney 48th..... May 22 133 George McMahan Private ... I 153d Ind..... Mar. 11 5th Ind. Cav ... Isaiah Roberts..... Private ... 'A Sept. 3 133 L. G. Metsker D 75th Ind. Private ... Mar. 12 17th Ind. Bat ... Isaac J. Davton Sergeant .. Oct. 25 133 Jefferson Hurlock Corporal .. 106th Ind D Apr. 30 Sergeant ... 2d Lieut ... 133 James H. Harris F 10th Ind 117th Ind. May 18 J. H. Kirkendall Private ... 155th Ind. May 26 Christian Hendricks 137 Oct. 137 Israel Eschbeck May 24 137 Samuel Kilander Dec. 137 Josiah H. First..... Jan. Charles Leon Nov. 23 136 137 Henry Stetzel May 11 John M. Conner 72 Private ... B 140 84th Ind. Nov. 2 William Minton |82 Private ... 84th Ind. Nov. 30 32d Ind Henry Kaber B 147 Private ... Feb. 3 147 John Black Private ... G 15th Ind. May 25 L. T. Logan Private ... 4th Iowa..... Mar. 9 147 H 147 Curtis Travis....... Private ... \mathbf{E} 20th Ind. Nov. 8 Edward Malloy K 87th Ind. Mar. 18 147 1st Lieut.. 147 C. J. Brown Private ... C 128th Ind. Apr. 22 W. B. Biddle 147 I 87th Ind. Apr. 28 Lieut William H. Dakins. F 148 Private ... Apr. 16 9th Ind. Cav ... 148 Miles E. Anderson Eergeant .. E Mar. 25 Matthew T. Abbott 35th Ia. Inf 148 Private ... Feb. 16 Henry L. Powell 148 Private ... 8th Ind..... June 2 C. C. Weaver....... В 148 Captain ... 18th Ill. June 28 H. L. Mullen 148 Captain ... 36th Ind. July 23 Philander Lowery 57th Ind. Nov. 27 148 Private ... H W. H. Elliott 148 Lieut U. S. Navy Dec. 10 150 129th Private .. July 22 H 44th..... 150 Private ... Jan. 28 150 Private ... H 74th..... Sept. -12th Ky V. Cav 50th Ind. Arad Leaf 71 Nov. 6 152 Private ... A-B Pierson Waskom 159 Nov. David Trowbridge 159 Apr. 24 G. W. Wirt 16th Ind. 159 Dec. 5th Ind. Cav ... William Cockran 68 Private ... Apr. Peter Klassen 69 D 161 Private ... 8th Ill. Cav ... Jan. 161 Band 21st Ind. Vol. .. Aug. 21 Private ... I David M. Arthur.... 57th Ind. 163 . . Mar. 28 M. T. Goodman 68 Private ... H 133d I. V. I.... Sept. 22

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ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED.

No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
164	Eldridge C Wills	71	Corporal	В	148th I. V. I	Apr. 29
164		71	Private	C	70th I. V. I	Nov. 28
168	Samuel M. Overman		Private	B	42d Ind. Vol	Mar. 9
171		87				Feb. 9
175	Henry Klosterman		Private	K	83d Ind	Feb. 17
178	W. T. Raibourn				7th Ill	Mar. 16
179	Henry Shafer					Oct. 28
180	William Petitt	77	Private			Aug. 17
181		68		E	17th Ind	Feb. —
-	Rev D. W. Sanders		Not member	of	Post.	
	Rev. John P. Koester .		Not member	of	Post.	
18	George Geiser		Private		10th Ind. Bat	
187		70	Private	H	65th Ind. Inf	Mar. 23
187	William Johnson	72	Private	F	80th Ind. Inf	Apr. 6
187		70	Private	F	33d Ind. Inf	Apr. 10
189	John F. Pieper	70	Private	D	35th Ind. Vol	Apr. 8
189	Woodson M. Long	70	Private	C	37th Ind. Vol	May 3
191	Henry E. Koetter	68	Private	G	91st Ind. Inf	Jan. 29
191	A. C. Stelle	76	Private	A	31st Wis. Inf	Mar. 27
191	William H. Saddler	76	Private	G	23d Ind. Inf	June 7
191	Frank Granger	79	Private	D.	144th Ind	June 8
191	Andrew F. O'Neill	73	Corporal	A	144th Ind. Inf	June 10
191	George H. Beers	78	Captain	E	53d Ind. Inf	June 25
191	John Denny	73	Drummer .	C	49th Ind. Inf	July 9
198	Samuel Sneath	78	Private	D	4th Delaware	Jan. 3
198		72		A	27th U.S. C. T	Jan. 10
198		82	Private	G	74th Ind. Vol	Nov. 30
199	David T. Krisher	٠.	Sergeant	E	46th Ind	May —
199	Ed Freshour		Private	В	47th Ind	May —
202		75	Private	A	29th Ind	Mar. 27
209	Joseph H. McCain	74	Sergeant	I	11th O. V. I	Jan. 12
209	Jacob Niemyer	77	Private	N	23d Ky. Inf	Feb. 16
209	Samuel M. Cochran	78	The state of the s	C	55th I. V. I	Feb. 19
20 9	John M. Kilev	74	Private	D	1st U.S. Cav	Feb. 23
209		79		D	12th I. V. I	Mar. 15
209	[18] '프레스' (18] ' [18]	72		E	29th I. V. I	Mar. 18
209		60		E	141st Ill	Apr. 29
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209	Amos Everline	12.0		F	148th I. V. I	May 11
209		69	A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR	A	10.1 T 77 7	May 11
209	Lewis Bishop			H	12th I. V. I	July 23
209	Albert Cook	2000		B	54th I. V. I	July 25
209	Jacob Bowser	1000		H	4th O. V. I	July 31
209	Andrew J. Fahron	'71	Private	A	16th Ky	Aug. 6

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ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED. No. of Post. Company Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Age. William G. McVey ... 62 Private ... 70th I. V. I Aug. 18 209 34th I. V. I 71st I. V. I Sept. 3 Thomas Roberts 71 Private ... K 209 William Rittenhouse... K Sept. 29 86 Private ... 21st I. V. 1.... 209 Christian Fahron..... 82 Private ... F Sept. 31 89th O. V. I ... 209 William J. Drake 75 Dec. 8 216 Mar. 27 A. W. Ballou Private ... O. R. Johnson 217 Private ... 27th Ind D. G. Mitchell 217 Private ... 21st Ind 220 J. H. Dugger.... 137th Ind. 221 William T. McCaslin. . 72 Corporal .. E Aug. 22 221 Thomas H. Hyatt..... 82 Private ... 82d Ind..... Nov. 12 William Amanns..... 223 Aug. 5 226 Elijah Skimerhorn.... 76 Ind. Vol. Feb. 17 228 Samuel Steel. 80 Private ... C 79th..... June 12 229 Lewis Stoddard..... Captain ... 73d Ind..... Jan. 229 E. Williamson Captain ... 73d Ind..... June 6 230 John Mittank....... 86 32d Ind. Vol. . . July 3 Private ... 232 100th..... Private ... 78 231 J. W. Seaman 232 Henry Fox 244 William L. Jones.... Private ... B 2d Ind. Cav.... June 16 244 William Ehrman. Private ... E 139th Ohio. July 30 . . Benjamin Cable 13th Ind 246 Private ... A 246 Oliver Cromwell Private ... 48th Ind. 247 William Clark 72 Private ... G 54th Ind. Inf... Jan. 22 247 Mar. 25 Henry Reath..... 80 Private ... 120th Ind. Inf.. 247 Apr. 28 A. T. Hamerly 81 Private ... 49th Ind. Int. .. K 247 George Dodd..... 68 Private ... D 117th Ind. Inf. June 20 Thomas J. Box...... Alison G. Woody..... 247 D 27th Ind. Inf. .. Dec. 18 Captain ... 250 25th Ind. Private ... G Dec. 21 250 George L. Williamson 85 Corporal ... 1st Ind. Cav Dec. 4 261 Thomas W. Botkin 70 Corporal ... D 69th Ind. Inf. .. Nov. 17 39th Ind. 22d New York... 270 Abraham Eshelman... Private ... 271 H Jan. 13 271 W. J. Kirkham..... 80 Private ... 3d Ohio Vol.... May 9 271 Aug. 21 E. H. Rogers. 271 Conrad Bricker 75 Sergeant ... 11th Ind. Bat ... Oct. 16 271 54th Ind. Private ... Samuel Clark Nov. 10 Private ... J. W. Sale 67th Ind. Aug. -73d Ind..... G. S. Clark Lieut Joseph Walsh..... 83 Sergeant ... 40th Ind. Apr. 16 Adam Guebler 281 Feb. 2 . Samuel Downey Private ... D 11th Ill.... Aug. 8 281 L 8th Ind. Cav Oct. 16

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ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED. of Post. Company Date of Regiment. Name Rank. Death. No. Private ... 61st Ind Dec. 13 B. W. Jameson 3d Iowa Samuel M. Quick 75 Private ... G 290 July 5 William Shell 72 Private ... G 147th Ohio Inf 296 Dec. 53d O. V. I Dec. 22 301 John Casselman 75 Private ... C Joseph Lewis..... Jan. 22 301 59th Ind. J. T. Richardson 80 Jan. 26 307 Private ... 307 Stewart Barnes 78 Lieut. 17th Ind. Inf... June 21 85th Ind William L. Crawford. . 76 Captain . . . H 307 Oct. 15 307 Dionezi Chranicki 85 Private ... Ind..... Dec 30 K 33d Ind..... 316 Walter H. Crow Private ... Mar. 21 321 A. H. B. Peppers..... Private ... 2d Ky. Cav..... May 21 59th Ind. 322 Henry H. Brown July 26 Private ... 326 Private ... D 59th Ind. Sept. 27 May 4 329 Elisha Pierce.......... 76 Lieut. D 85th Ind..... 329 Rufus H. Washburn .. 71 Private ... 71st Ind Feb. 18 31st Ind 329 John J. Smith...... 70 Private ... June 3 *William H. Robison . . | 74 329 Sergeant ... 123d Ind. Jan 8th Ky. Inf..... 53d Ind...... 331 Anthony Chance Private ... George W. McGarland ... K Mar. 7 334 2d Lieut... James M. Ellis 49th Ind. Mar. 29 334 Seceant ... G 14th Ind. Vol... T. N. Lownsdale 341 June 15 80th Inf. 355 Jesse Briant Frivate ... H H 355 Dec. 19 357 Private ... 124th Nov. 4 K 11th Ind. 369 John S. White..... Jan. -369 Joseph B. Richardson . В 115th Ind..... Warren Cazott 99th Ind K 369 Lewis Roland K 147th Ind. 369 F 11th Ind 369 Louis C. Pause 369 Anslem H bbs. B 11th Ind 369 William H. Bussell ... B 150th Ind John Ruth..... 84 Apr. 21 371 Private ... E 59th Ind. Lemuel Albert Phelps. 66 16th Wisc. 371 Private ... I Aug. 29 371 John Wesley Long.... 70 Private ... H 31st Ind..... Nov. 4 384 Frederick Ott A 16th Ind. Vol. .. Mar. 19 387 Isaac Firestone Mar. 4 93d Ind...... 46th I. V. I. 391 Amasa Edwards 71 Private ... I June 5 393 David C. Murphy..... 73 Sergeant .. Dec. Aug. 24 Private ... K Sylvester Bacon 77 20th Ind. 397 406 Robert Sanborn 83 Private ... 163d Ind. June 15 Hardin Pope. 54th Ind. 409 Corporal .. H Jan. 14 John H. Rook 409 Private ... В 65th Ohio..... Dec. *Died in 1913.

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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
415	Richard P. Robson	74	Q-M. S	C	1st Ind. Cav	July 9
423	H. A. Pratt	::			00.1 7 1	+
424	Charles W. Billingsly.	75	Private	D	69th Ind	June 11
442	E. H. Inlow	80 72	Private	M	8th Ind. Cav	Aug. 14
447	James Lindsey	75	Private	C	41st Ind. Cav 42d Ind	Dec
447	A. D. Gwaltney	73	Private	Ď	65th Ind	Apr. July
469	William Komsher		111va.e			Apr
470	Harrison W. Roby		Sergeant	В	38th Ind	Dec.
474	James H. Garten	77	Lieut	C	91st Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
474	Samuel T. Cole		Private	G	123d Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
475	Marcellus Rawles	1	Private	C	72d Ind	June 2
475	Eli Quaintance	68	Private	F	135th-116th Ind.	Feb. 1
475	Alexander Fultz		Private	C	72d Ind	Dec.
475	Thomas Williamson	75	Private	C	4th Ind. Cav	Dec. 1
475	Frederick Eckles	1.20	Private		1st Ohio Bat	Jan.
477	John E. Holden		Private		1st U. S	Dec.
489	Wilson Hunt		Private	L	11th Ind. Cav	Jan. 2
489	Michael Baker			• • • •		May
489	John F. Nutt		Private	A	90th Ind. Inf	Aug. 2
489	Nathaniel Gandy		Private	F	33d Ind. Inf	Dec.
502	J. Stinehagen Peter F. Camus	::	Dringto	I	8th Mich. Inf	Apr. Jan.
502	John M. Krause		Private Private	E	9th Ind. V. C	Jan.
502			Tilvate	A	10th O. V. C	Apr. 3
002	oteven baughman	1		"(Penn. Inf	mpi. o
502	Frank N. Christ			$\cdot \cdot \Big\{$	122d Penn. Inf. 3d Penn. Bat	Sept. 2
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505	Noah Bowman		Private	G	88th Ind	Mar. 1
505	William P. Myers		D		00:1 T 1	July 1
505	George Hill		Private	C	29th Ind	May 1
505	J. H. Fisher	1000	Private	A	30th Ind	June Don 2
506 508	John W. Stevenson Lewis Butt	100.00	Private	Ϊ	74th Ind	Dec. 2 July 1
515	George W. Martin	150.00	Private	E	23d Ind	Apr. 1
520	U. C. May	1	Tilvate		Bat'ship Montgy	Jan.
529	William J. Houston		Private	A	1st H. A	Dec. 2
540		100	Private	F	43d	Mar.
552	L. B. Staley				79th Ill	Jan. 2
557	J. W. Sharp	1				Oct. 2
559	Nathaniel Peek			_	2d Ind. Cav41st	Feb. 1
559	John H. Brown				2d Ind. Bat	Mar.
563	William W. Duff		Private	H	23d Ind	Mar. 1

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No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
564 569 570 571 571 581 585 589 589 589 589 589 589 589 589 589		Corporal Private Private Private Corporal Private QM. S Sergeant Musician Private	D E F	115th	Oct. 6 Jan. 13 Oct. 16 July 11 May 13 Aug. 23 Feb. 17 Jan. 14 Mar. 6 Apr. 28 May 1 May — May 20 July 18 July 4 July 26 Oct. 22 Nov. 21 De . 26

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REPORT OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL

Indianapolis, Ind., May 1, 1915.

Comrade A. B. Crampton, Department Commander:

In keeping with the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, I submit the following report for the fiscal year closing April 30, 1915:

Total number of members in good standing December 31	
Gained during the year 1914—	
By muster-in 133	
By transfer 78	3
By re-instatement 244	
By delinquent reports 81	536
	11,062
Loss during the year 1914—	
By death626	5
By honorable discharge 20	
By delinquent reports 141	
By transfer 60	
By surrender of charter 99)
By suspension 387	
	1.333
Number in good standing December 31, 1914	9,729
Number remaining suspended	
Total number on rolls	10,127
Number of comrades and families relieved during the year	68
Number of others relieved	. 15
Expended for relief\$2	,601.04

Post No. 213, Redkey, was reinstated during the year 1914. The following posts disbanded during the year:

Post	No.	24,	Mace.	Post No. 400, Bremen.
Post	No.	47,	Independence.	Post No. 411, Hobart.
Post	No.	117,	Bristol.	Post No. 463, Bainbridge.
Post	No.	167,	Roanoke.	Post No. 485, Camden.
Post	No.	190,	Williamsburg.	Post No. 498, Avon.
Post	No.	245,	Wingate.	Post No. 535, New Goshen.



Post No. 251, Alfordsville. Post No. 537, Eln	iora.	
Post No. 266, Birdseye (since Post No. 562, Car	ıaan.	
reinstated). Post No. 582, Cer	iter Po	int.
Post No. 341, St. Bernice.		
Number of Posts in good standing December 31,	1913	312
Gained during the year		
Aggregate		
Loss, disbanded		18
Number remaining in good standing December 3	1, 1914	295
REPORT OF ASSISTANT QUARTE	ERMA	STER-
GENERAL.		
GENTER IE.		
RECEIPTS.		
Cash Balance on hand May 1, 1914		\$1,149.53
Per Capita Tax\$1	,983.00	
Interest from Terre Haute Trust Co	50.00	
Interest from Union National Savings and Loan		
Association	60.00	-
Farmers Trust Co. (on note of \$800)	300.00	
Sale of supplies	158.08	
For Christmas Fund S. & S. O. Home	121.00	2,672.08
Total	8	\$3,821.61
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Sentinel Printing Co\$	360.35	
Citizens Printing Co	27.45	
H. J. Martin, Printing 1914 Rosters	18.00	
C. D. R. Stowitz, per capita tax	347.19	
C. D. R. Stowitz, supplies	89.66	
Chas. Mayer & Co., supplies	4.15	
Hug Cushion Roller Typewriter Co	5.00	
Expense National Encampment, Detroit	168.20	
Expense Department Encampment, 1914	24.85	
Loaned to Farmers Trust Co	800.00	
Mrs. Flora Millspaugh, Pres. W. R. C., for		
Christmas presents S. & S. O. Home	164.24	
Commander Crampton, expense account	150.00	
Joint expenses Department Commander and Asst.		
Adjutant-General	4.45	

A. A. G., traveling expenses_____



A. P. Craft, badge for Past Department Commander D. W. Comstock	\$100.00	
A. P. Craft, class pins graduates S. & S. Orphans'	\$100.00	
Home	19.00	
Postage	108.66	
Express	1.34	
J. R. Fesler, salary A. AG. and A. QMG	720.00	
Indianapolis Morning Star and other newspapers	6.65	
Local and long distance telephones	45.35	
Maggie Adams, salary as clerk and stenographer Floral tribute Capt. Wm. H. Armstrong, mem-	510.00	
ber National Council of Adm.	5.00	
Floral tribute Mrs. F. F. Boltz	4.00	
Foster & Messick, premium A. A. G. bond	7.50	
Telegrams	1.18	
Office sundries	.80	
Remington Typewriter Co., for repairs	.50	
Returned excess on P. C. tax	.10	
Expense auditing committee 1914	2.65	
American Toilet Supply Co.	2.40	3,721.43
Cash Balance on hand May 1, 1915		\$100.18
ASSETS.		
Cash Balance on hand May 1, 1915		\$100.18
Loan Terre Haute Trust Co		1,000.00
Loan Union National Savings and Loan Associat		1,000.00
Loan Farmers Trust Co		500.00
Supplies on hand		75.19
Office furniture and fixtures		550.00
Total		\$3,225.37
The following posts contributed the amount	ounts se	et forth
for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Ho		
fund:		
Post No. 127, Franklin		_\$ 5.00
Mrs. Clara Johannon		
Post No. 369, Indianapolis		3.00
Post No. 33, Bluffton		_ 5.00
Post No. 202, Zionsville		
Post No. 95, Rochester		_ 5.00



Post	No.	55,	Richmond	\$
Post	No.	146,	Sharpsville	1
Post	No.	26,	Madison	
Post	No.	40,	Fort Wayne	
Post	No.	589,	Lafayette	:
Mem	bers	and	others, Soldiers' Home	10
Post	No.	30,	Kokomo	
Post	No.	247,	Bedford	
Post	No.	244,	Anderson	
Post	No.	148,	Newcastle	
Post	No.	60,	Winchester	
Post	No.	131,	Russiaville	
Post	No.	27,	Evansville	1
Post	No.	191,	New Albany	
Post	No.	17,	Indianapolis	1
Post	No.	401,	Akron	
Post	No.	150,	Angela	1
Post	No.	64,	Brookville	
Post	No.	103,	Sheridan	
Post	No.	1,	Terre Haute	
Post	No.	290,	Knox	:
Post	No.	199,	North Manchester	3
Post	No.	281,	Indianapolis	
Post	No.	18,	Shelbyville	

This report does not measure up to my expectations of one year ago, when the Department elected you as its Commander, but is no fault of yours, as I know that there has not been a call made on you but you have responded, unless by possibly one or two exceptions, where the dates conflicted with previous engagements; and from all places where calls were made on you, good results have followed.

Of late years there has seemingly been a gradual waning of interest in the attendance at Post meetings, until quite a number only meet on the call of the Post Commander, and many others are kept up by a few of the faithful that always attend if not sick. I have been trying for the past three or four years to impress on the minds of our Comrades the importance of establishing the *District Meetings*, but they have been neglected in most of the districts. The Fourth District is the exception. They have been holding them for four years past, and today there is not a district in the Department of Indiana in which all the Posts of the district are as much alive as in the Fourth.

Now that your term of office has closed I want to thank you for the honor-conferred on me by my appointment as your Asisstant Adjutant General and Assistant Quartermaster General. I also want to extend my sincere thanks to all your subordinate officials, and the membership of the Department who have contributed in any way in sustaining the great principles for which it was organized.

Most sincerely in F. C. & L., J. R. Fesler, A. A.-G. and A. Q.-M. G.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 1, 1915.

The Auditing Committee have examined	the book	s of	the
Assistant Quartermaster-General and find as fol	lows:		
Balance on hand May 1, 1914		\$1,14	9.53
Received per capita tax	31,983.00		
Interest from Terre Haute Trust Co	50.00		
Interest from Union National Savings & Loan			
Association	60.00		
Farmers Trust Co. (On note of \$800)	300.00		
Sale of supplies	158.08		
For Christmas Fund, S. & S. O. Home	121.00	\$2,67	2.08
		\$3,82	1.61



Disbursements as per vouchers	\$3,721.43
Cash balance	100.18
Loan, Terre Haute Trust Co	1,000.00
Loan, U. N. S. & L. Association	1,000.00
Loan, Farmers Trust Co.	500.00
Supplies on hand	75.19
Office furniture and fixtures	550.00
	\$3,225.37

Respectfully submitted in F. C. and L.,
W. N. PICKERILL,
HARLAN P. MILLER,

REPORT OF JUDGE-ADVOCATE.

SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, May 26, 1915.

Commander A. B. Crampton, Department of Indiana, G. A. R.:

DEAR SIR AND COMBADE—As Judge-Advocate of the Department for the year ending May 26th, 1915, two cases only have been submitted to me for decision.

The first of these cases was from Waterloo Post No. 52. The decision in this case was that on the surrender or forfeiture of a Post Charter, the Department property to be turned over to the Assistant Quartermaster General of the Department would consist of books of Record, Post Papers, Rituals, Service Books, Badges, Buttons and other strictly Grand Army property, but would not include purely Post property, as chairs, desks, pictures, money, or real estate, which should be disposed of by the Post before disbanding.

The other case was from James R. Slack Post No. 137. The decision in the case was that on application for discharge or withdrawal, made at a regular Post meeting by a Comrade in good standing, an honorable discharge from the Post and from the G. A. R. should be granted at some subsequent meeting of the Post, but not at the same meeting at which the application is presented.

Respectfully submitted in F. C. and L.,

TIMOTHY E. HOWARD,

Judge-Advocate Department of Indiana G. A. R.



REPORT OF PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR.

May 28, 1915.

Commander A. B. Crampton,

Department of Indiana, G. A. R.:

As the years go by we learn that our capacity for both physical and mental accomplishment decreases, and after three score and ten years this retrograde is more rapid and more in evidence. Those of us who have no serious ailment except advancing years, and whose ambition has not declined with ability, are prone to undertake that which, when younger we easily accomplished; but when the effort is made we are chagrined to find ourselves unequal to the task. On this account many have given up, and, because not equal to former years, "lain down" and waited for the end. This had the effect of hastening departure.

It is evident to all observers that those who continue to do, but not to overdo, thereby increase their years.

With the foregoing in mind, the duties which were formerly performed by the Grand Army of the Republic have been largely taken up by the Sons of Veterans and the Women's Relief Corps and Ladies of the G. A. R.

I have not been as active in the year 1914-15 as during the previous year, but I have learned, that in many places, the Sons of Veterans are more active than formerly, and that in recent years, patriotic observance has increased. I have received reports from more than fifty Past Patriotic Instructors, some of whose Posts seldom meet in regular session, but keep up with enthusiasm the observance of National and State patriotic anniversaries and duties. It is gratifying to see the spirit of the Sons of Veterans and the Women's Relief Corps. I must say that where there is no Women's Relief Corps and no camp of the Sons of Veterans, the Grand Army is seriously handicapped.

The use and reverence for the flag is as great as ever. However I have not been able to make as much use of my large collection as I had hoped. I have one hundred and twenty different flags, including the flags of discoverers, colonial, revolutionary, National, State and foreign. My lecture on the History and Evolution of the American Flag, illustrated by those from John Cabot and Christopher Columbus, and others used in America, to the thirteen stripes and forty-eight stars have wakened interest wherever I have been. I only regret my inability to have done more.

I believe there is no more effective way of instilling patriotism than giving the history of the flag—showing its predecessors what it stands for—what it cost, and the development which has



brought forth the most expressive, the most beautiful, the most inspiring flag in all the world—OLD GLORY.

Every boy and girl should know all about it. I recommend that every Post, or some member thereof, get a copy of History of the American Flag by Colonel Nicholas Smith. It is the best and most authentic. It does not go back as far as I do in my lecture, but it gives the complete history of OLD GLORY. Other histories have been written but some seem to have been produced for the purpose of lauding a few who are not deserving. You can make no mistake in getting Smith's.

The reading of this book in each Grand Army Post, when there is time, a few pages at each meeting, will be both entertaining and instructive. Let the reading be short, not more than twenty minutes, sometimes less, and it will awaken an interest. Every Grand Army man, and every man who has a spark of patriotism in his bosom, will be glad to hear the story of old glory. It would be beneficial if this could be sometimes read in the public schools. Any information I have regarding this matter, I shall be glad to render.

I recommend that American flags be profusely used on all suitble occasions. It is quite common for churches to have flags for use when needed, and many churches *make* a need for them often. Every church should have at least one—better to have enough for decoration on special occasions.

In closing let me most earnestly inculcate the pursuance of the arts of peace. We have seen enough of the horrors of war. Let us mind our own business, and engage in war only when we must in self-defense or to maintain national honor. If an enemy smites us on one cheek, let us turn the other also. If he smites that, let us give him deserved chastisement so summarily as will deter its repetition. Let our children's children be inspired with the spirit of their grandfathers.

Respectfully submitted,

I. B. Arnold,

Patriotic Instructor.

REPORT OF VISITING COMMITTEE SOLDIERS' AND SAIL-ORS' ORPHANS' HOME, KNIGHTSTOWN.

ANDERSON, IND., May 24, 1915.

Col. J. R. Fesler,

A. A.-Gen. G. A. R.:

DEAR SIR—The committee, designated by the Commander of the Department of Indiana G. A. R. to visit the Soldiers' and Sail-



ors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, beg leave to submit the following report:

Pursuant to a call of the Chairman O. A. Somers, of Kokomo, the committee met at the Home on November 18, 1914, and proceeded to acquaint themselves with the conditions and needs of the Home.

It was very gratifying to have such a general attendance by the committee as almost every member was present and manifested great interest in the Home and the work assigned them, yet to those of us who had been on this committee in the years that have gone, there was a degree of sadness and disappointment in not seeing the genial and earnest countenance of our old friend and co-worker, Garrett Shover, who had been called to his reward since our last meeting, and who was in life the fosterfather of more inmates of the Home than perhaps any man who ever visited the Institution and whose character was such as to be an inspiration, and well worthy of emulation by every child of the Home.

The forenoon was spent in visiting the schools from the Kindergarten to the 9th grade, and the exercises in all of them gave evidence of great care and earnest study by teacher and pupils. At high noon dinner was announced, and on repairing to the Administration Building we found that a continuous table had been arranged, taking up the entire length of the hall at which the children, over 500 in number, teachers, governesses, officers and visitors were seated for dinner. The innovation was so great on the usual custom of the Home that it was very greatly enjoyed by all parties participating. It was so arranged that the children from the different localities or counties were grouped together and especially so from the places that were represented by members of the committee.

After a good substantial dinner, fully up to the standard of a first class hotel, followed by story telling, songs and a general good time, the committee visited the dormitories of the boys, the tailoring department, the printing office, the laundry, bakery, the carpenter shop, where the boys make everything in the way of woodwork, from square pieces of work to a roll top desk. Thence to the paint shop, green house, store rooms, one for dry goods and clothing and one for meats and groceries. All of them gave evidence of careful management. Early in the afternoom we were all called to "Lincoln Hall," where we were highly entertained by the children in an exercise that would have done credit to any of the best graded schools of the State. Responses were made by quite a number of the comrades, all of the com-



mittees having been called to the platform by the Superintendent, Col. Temple H. Dunn. We were greatly impressed with the fact that met us at every turn we made, that the grade teachers and the governesses, are the character builders of the Institution, and whatever successes in the future that may cluster around the pathway of the graduate of the Home will be largely due to that source.

The population of the Institution at the time of our visit was approximately 525, and over 50 per cent. were the grandchildren of Civil war veterans. The per cent. of the veterans' children is very rapidly decreasing, while those of the grandchildren and children of Spanish-American soldiers is increasing. On the 247 acres of the Home farm the following crop was raised and cared for:

Corn put in silo, tons	230
Hay, tons	
Wheat, bushels	850
Straw, baled, tons	181/2
Oats, not thrashed, tons	
Potatoes, bushels1	,300

At an estimated value of two thousand six hundred forty-four dollars (\$2,644.00) on hand after having used approximately five hundred twenty-five dollars (\$525.00) worth.

The garden had produced vegetables amounting to over one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00), over five hundred dollars (\$500.00) worth of which was still on hand. Many substantial improvements have been made within the past year, among which were the walling of the lake with a cement wall on the top of which is a cement walk encircling the entire lake, on the inside of it having a protecting rail to prevent the children from falling in.

A large addition was built to the hospital within the past year. The committee noticed with regret that proper sewerage has not yet been provided for the boys' toilets in the rear of their dormitories.

In conclusion your committee feels that it is a fact almost past understanding that so little concern is manifested by the people of the State as to the great work that is being done at this Institution in the way of furnishing good citizenship for the future. We most earnestly hope that the taxpayers of the State will lend the approval of their presence and thereby encourage the good work that most certainly deserves their approval. Many things could and should be said of the Home that can not be embodied in a report of this kind, and for this

reason we urge the friends of this worthy work to go and see for themselves and they will come away prouder of the spirit that fosters and sustains an Institution of such character. Respectfully,

> F. M. VAN PELT, Secretary of Committee.

REPORT OF THE INDIANA STATE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Colonel J. R. Fesler, Asst. Adjutant-General, Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR SIR AND COMRADE—I have the honor of submitting herewith report of the membership of the Indiana State Soldiers' Home for the year ending April 30, 1915:

MEN

MEN.	
Present April 30, 1914	311
Absent April 30, 1914	173
Total present and absent April 30, 1915	484
Number men admitted during year	100
Number men discharged during the year	42
Number men died during the year	38
Present April 30, 1915	317
Absent April 30, 1915	187
Total present and absent April 30, 1915	504
WOMEN.	
Present April 30, 1914	
Absent April 30, 1914	333
Total present and absent April 30, 1914	885
Number women admitted during the year	158
Number women discharged during the year	58
Number women died during the year	57
Present April 30, 1915	568
Absent April 30, 1915	360
Total present and absent April 30, 1915	928
Number men in Hospital April 30, 1915	
Number women in Hospital April 30, 1915	112
Number wives present April 30, 1915	215
Number widows present April 30, 1915	
Number deserted wives present April 30, 1915	7



The health of the Home for the year just passed has been good, considering the advanced age of the members. Each year all become less able to care for themselves and our hospital is crowded at all times. During the winter months we had a large hospital waiting list as well as the camp waiting list. These hospital patients were ordered admitted in their turn until the list was cleared up. This plan was followed up in the camp and at the present writing we have neither hospital or camp waiting list, all having been ordered to come in.

Each year sees the members less able to carry on the work at the Home and the greater part of the work is being done by civilian help. Many are willing to do the work, but their strength will not permit.

The management of the Home has tried during the winter months to provide amusements in the way of various kinds of entertainments. These are given in the Assembly Hall on the Home grounds and have been well attended by those who are able to get out. They have been a source of much pleasure to the members.

The Home is open to visitors at all times and a cordial invitation is extended to all who wish to visit and inspect the Home. Fraternally yours,

H. R. CANFIELD,

Adjutant.

REPORT OF VISITING COMMITTEE STATE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME, LAFAYETTE.

STATE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME, LAFAYETTE, IND., Nov. 11, 1914.

The Visiting Committee appointed by the Department Commander of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic met at the Home November 11, 1914, with the following comrades in attendance:

W. W. Daugherty, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

E. M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

J. M. Meek, Post No. 93 (residing in Indianapolis.)

D. B. McConnell, Post No. 14, Logansport.

Daniel Waugh Post, No. 203, Tipton.

John S. Kercheval, Post No. 103, Sheridan.

N. A. Perrill, Post No. 42, Lebanon.



- L. S. Myer, Post No. 557, Flora.
- S. A. Vaughn, Post No. 14, Logansport.
- S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.
- J. E. Loughery, Post No. 51, Monticello.

Comrade Daugherty, Chairman of Committee; N. A. Perrill, Secretary.

Upon motion of Comrade Vaughn, the chairman of the committee, was directed to prepare the report of the committee, and that he be authorized to use the most complimentary terms in commendation of the management of the State Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

N. A. Perrill moved that the committee, both collectively and individually, urge upon the members of the State Legislature that they make a liberal appropriation for the erection of an annex to the hospital at the Home, as the committee unanimously believe there is imperative need of the improvement to care for the invalided comrades of the State. Motion carried.

Comrade Rinear moved that the committee most heartily approve the following specific appropriations requested of the State by the Trustees of the Home. The motion carried.

Shelter house, custodial building or annex to the Home	
Hospital	25,000.00
Reappropriation of a former lapsed appropriation for	
tiling and improving cemetery	500.00
Rebuilding steam heating lines	2,000.00
Building in which to care for Morton carriage	300.00
Rebuilding of roads on Home grounds	3,500.00
Remodeling and repairing basement of Assembly Hall	1,000.00
Ash conveyor	4,000.00

Total \$36,300,00

The whole committee were very cordial in their approval of the whole management of the Home and on motion of Comrade McConnell the thanks of the committee were extended to Col. Kehler, Commandant of the Home, and his estimable lady, for the kind and cordial reception, entertainment and good dinner given us, which motion was adopted unanimously.

Upon motion the committee then adjourned to meet at the call of the Chairman at Indianapolis.

N. A. PERRILL, Secretary.



REPORT OF WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

May 21, 1915.

REPORT TO ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,

U. A. II.	
Number of corps	126
Number of members	7,024
Died the past year	108
Expended for relief (cash)\$1,	574.96
Expended for relief other than money (estimated value) 2	
Turned over to Posts for other than relief	617.81
Total number of persons assisted, including soldiers,	
families and members	1,673
Expended for Christmas presents for I. S. & S. O. Home	
(1914)	343.21
(Amount of different donations I have not at hand; re-	corded
in Treasurer's report.)	

Flora Millspaugh,
Department President W. R. C.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE WHICH CARRIED GREETINGS TO THE SONS OF VETERANS' AUXILIARY.

This report was sent in after the Encampment adjourned.

May 29, 1915.

Col. John R. Fesler, Indianapolis, Ind.:

My Dear Comrade—I wish to advise you that after the adjournment of the State Encampment yesterday, Comrade Ellers and I went to the First Presbyterian Church in Marion, where the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans were in session, and extended to them the greetings of the Indiana Department of the Grand Army of the Republic. Our reception was a most cordial one. We found a good number in attendance. The regular form of reception was beautifuly given and similar to that used by the Woman's Relief Corps. The response to the greetings which Comrade Ellers and I delivered was most hearty and sincere. I was unable, after several efforts, to locate Comrade Buchanan, the other member of the committee, which I very much regret, as I know he would have been glad to be with us. Accept this as a formal report of the committee.

Yours in F., C. and L.,
DAVID STROUSE,
Chairman.



REPORT OF COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION.

The Department Council of Administration met at Department Headquarters in the Spencer Hotel, Marion, Indiana, Wednesday, May 26, 1915, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—T. B. Springer, Senior Vice-Department Commander; C. H. Myerhoff, Junior Vice-Department Commander; J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General; and Comrades A. H. McQuiddy, C. C. Schreeder, Lewis King, W. N. Pickerill, J. E. Bickel and J. D. Braden, of the Council of Administration.

Motion was made that the same Order of Business be recommended for this Encampment, with the exception of the following paragraph, which was struck out:

"The names selected for the Council of Administration by each district shall be printed and distributed to the various districts and the five receiving the highest vote shall be declared elected. Ballots having less or more than five names shall not be counted."

No further business being brought before the Council, the meeting adjourned.

J. R. FESLER, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OFFICER'S REPORTS.

The following reports have been referred to your Committee on Officers' Reports:

The report of the Junior Vice-Commander, the report of the Medical Director, the report of the Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, the report of the Judge-Advocate, the report of the Patriotic Instructor, the report of the Commandant of the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette, the report of the Visiting Committee to the State Soldiers' Home, the report of the Visiting Committee to the State Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, the report of the auditing Committee on the books of the A. A.-G. and A. Q.-M.-G., the report of the Patriotic Instructor.

Your Committee has gone over these reports carefully and finds much for commendation. We approve the recommendations of the secretary of the Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, and recommend the adoption of the report. The report of the Medical Director is also approved and we are requested to ask the Chaplain to thank God that the Medical Director did not have anything to-do.



The report of the Auditing Committee has everything that ought to be said and nothing that ought not to be said. We commend it for its brevity and recommend its approval.

All of these reports give evidence of fidelity to the organization and we recommend that the reports, as an entirety, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted in F., C. and L.,

WM. A. KETCHAM,
W. E. GORSUCH,
SAMUEL M. HENCH,
Committee.

Comrade Vanosdol: It appears to me that the Report of the Committee on the Commander's Address should have come in ahead of the Committee on Officers' Reports.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMANDERS' ADDRESS.

Comrades—Your committee to whom was referred the Department Commander's Address respectfully report:

That the Encampment has already disposed of all that portion of the address relating to certain resolutions by referring the same to the Committee on Resolutions.

We most cheerfully approve the generous, patriotic and loyal sentiment that pervades and animates the address, and that the same be approved by the Encampment.

> A. D. VANOSOL, DANIEL RYAN, DAN WAUGH,

> > Committee.

Adopted by the Encampment.

Commander Crampton: Comrades, I desire to thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Comrade Strouse: We have here a telegram from one of the Grand Army faithful of the past—Elias M. Rinear, State Senator from Wells.



TELEGRAM.

BLUFFTON, IND., May 27, 1915.

Col. A. B. Crampton, Grand Army Encampment, Marion, Ind.:

Dear Commander—Say to the boys that I am compelled to be away from the Encampment, which gives me grief. Though racked with pain I send you greetings.

ELIAS M. RINEAR.

Comrade Ryan: I make a motion that by rising vote we send this Comrade greetings. Comrade Rinear has been one of our most faithful workers and from his bed of affliction sends us greetings.

Comrade Hench: I second the motion of Past Commander Ryan. Senator Rinear represented Wells county in the last legislature. When the question came up that the old boys were getting too old to serve as trustees on the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument, the State Soldiers' Home and the Orphans' Home at Knightstown, Senator Rinear held that for more than ten years yet old soldiers would be competent to act in that capacity, and he fought to the bitter end that they might remain. Applause.

Commander: All in favor of the motion make it manifest by rising to their feet.

The motion was carried unanimously and the following answer sent to Comrade Rinear's telegram:

MARION, IND., May 28, 1915.

Hon. E. M. Rinear, Bluffton, Ind.:

We have been instructed by the G. A. R. Encampment now in session in this city to answer your greetings to said Encampment. We regret to learn of your serious illness and hope that you will soon recover your wonted health, and we pray that your life may be prolonged and that you will be able to attend the future meetings of our patriotic order for many years to come.

In F. C. and L.,
DANIEL RYAN,
WILLIAM A. KETCHAM,
SAMUEL M. HENCH,
Committee.



Comrade Daugherty: "The action taken by this Encampment last year, in changing the number of the Council of Administration from five members to thirteen, was not regular. Comrades, don't do a thing that if taken to the National Encampment would be overruled."

After some discussion it was decided that the resolution adopted at the previous Encampment of 1914, allowing one Comrade from each district to serve on the Council of Administration, should be allowed to stand.

Commander Crampton: Nominations for Department Chaplain are now in order.

Comrade W. P. McKinsey nominated Comrade N. A. Chamberlain, Post No. 277, Otterbein. The nomination was seconded by Comrade William A. Ketcham, and Comrade Chamberlain, receiving the unanimous vote of the Encampment, was declared Department Champlain for the ensuing year.

For Medical Director, Comrade John J. Ogle, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne, and Comrade C. W. Burkett, Post No. 114, Warsaw, were nominated. A ballot was taken and Comrade Burkett, receiving the largest number of votes, was declared elected. On motion of Comrade Ogle, his election was made unanimous.

For Junior Vice-Commander, Comrade John J. Ogle, Post No. 271, was nominated and, there being no other nominations, the Assistant Adjutant-General was instructed to cast the unanimous ballot of the Encampment for Comrade Ogle for Junior Vice-Commander, and he was declared elected.

For Senior Vice-Commander, Comrade John H. Cass,



Post No. 23, was nominated and he was unanimously declared elected.

For Department Commander, the name of Comrade Lewis King was placed in nomination by the First District, seconded by Comrade J. T. Eller, of the Second District; Comrade W. W. Daugherty was placed in nomination by Comrade Warren, of the First District, seconded by the Sixth and Seventh Districts; and Comrade D. L. Brown, by the Fifth District.

A ballot was taken, with the following result:

Whole number of votes cast	464
Necessary to a choice	232
Comrade Brown received	52
Comrade Daugherty received	171
Comrade King received	241

Comrade Brown moved that the election of Comrade King be made unanimous, which was done, and Comrade King was declared elected Department Commander for the ensuing year.

Comrade Ketcham: If the Comrades will be in order and will lend me their ears for a few moments on a matter of importance—I hold in my hand a badge and trophy, and an emblem of honor. I see a blue field; I see a white cartridge box; I see forty rounds of ammunition, and I know that that speaks the story of Ulysses S. Grant; of William Tecumseh Sherman; of General Mc-Pherson and of John A. Logan. (Applause.) It tells of the glory of Fort Donelson, of Shiloh and Vicksburg, and the March to the Sea.

We have had for the last year as a presiding officer of this most magnificent organization a man that is privileged to carry the stars on his bosom. To wear the white cartridge box, with its forty rounds of ammunition in



the field that is taken from the sky, and it is my pleasure and privilege, Commander, as a representative of your Comrades, to hand to you this token of their confidence and their affection; this revival of the memory of a century that is dead and buried, and its glory and achievements. The badge was well earned by the Department Commander. May you and yours always cherish this token of affection and esteem.

Past Commander Crampton—Comrades, I thank you, and I thank the Comrade who has made these remarks. I don't know how to express my thanks to you. You took me from the ranks and made me your Commander. I thank you for it. I have done the best I could. I now ask you, comrades, to make room for me again back in the ranks where I may do duty in this Department.

Calls for Commander King.

Past Commander Crampton: Comrades, I present to you now your new Commander.

Commander King:

Comrades—I can not express to you my emotions on this occasion. I hesitated and remonstrated against being brought out as a candidate for this great honor. I have always esteemed it an honor even to hold the most lowly office in any Post of any Department in the Grand Army of the Republic. Years ago, after a few years' connection with this Department, it honored me with the office of Department Chaplain, and then I thought I had reached the very highest point that I might ever reach as an honored officer in this department, but by force of circumstances, by the urgent request of those who knew me best, trying to make me think that I was capable of filling this great office filled by so many honorable comrades who had preceded me, I am here, the result of your vote. I can not express to you my emotion, as I said, on this occasion. These candidates that opposed me for this office are men of ability, probably of greater ability than I, but there is only one thing that I do not allow any man to surpass me in and that is in my genuine comradeship for any man and every man who wore the blue. (Applause). I thank you, comrades, for this great honor, and I can only promise -I came very nearly saying-(you know I have been a Methodist preacher)—I came very near saying by the grace of God, and I will let it go at that—I hope to fill your expectations and to disappoint none of my comrades who have stood by me so loyally in this contest. I want you to feel that no matter how much stress had been laid upon the matter of this candidacy, there is not a member of this Department but what I want to take by the hand and feel that no matter how much you approved of the other candidate, I want to be your commander. While I feel that in my heart I could have rejoiced in the election of either of the other candidates, I was human enough to be just a little more interested in Comrade King (laughter) and I promise you if I am spared that I will do the very best I can tomeet your expectations and to leave at the end of the year a record of which you need not be ashamed. I thank you.

The business of the Encampment having been concluded, Past Department Commander Vanosdol acted as Installing Officer, and Comrade David Strouse as Officer of the Day, and the newly elected officers were installed.

Department Chaplain N. A. Chamberlain pronounced the benediction and the Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment was duly closed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 23, 1914.

CIRCULAR LETTER No. 1.

My Dear Comrades-Your Commander finds in his first ten days' administration that if he succeeds in what he hopes to accomplish by the close of his term of office, viz.: an increased membership, that he will have to arrange some plan by which he can have a heart to heart talk with every member of the Department, or at least with a representative of each Post. There are more than 300 Posts in the Department, so you can see it is not possible to visit all the Posts, neither is there that inspiration in meeting with so small a number as there is in larger gatherings and it is the inspiration we want now, for there is no other class of people living today that has greater cause to rejoice over what has been accomplished for our country than the small remnant of that Grand Army of '61 to '65. And after considering all the plans that have been suggested there are none that meet his approval as do the "District Meetings" in charge of our recruiting officers who were recommended by your district delegates and who have been indorsed in General Orders No. 1. As evidence of the good work accomplished by these district meetings it has been demonstrated in the few districts that have held them the past two or three years. In the Fourth district, where they have held them, all Posts in the district represented, have held their membership better, reclaimed more "dropped" members and taken in more that never were members before than any district in the Department. Other districts can do the same with proper effort. Every Post in your district should take an interest in these meetings. Once you get them properly established you will look forward with pleasure to them as you now do to your Department Encampment, and instead of one or two a year you will want them quarterly. Your families will become equally interested in them and it will become as great a source of pleasure to them as to yourselves.

Let each district give this plan one good trial.

We are enclosing herewith blanks for semi-annual reports of Post Adjutants and Post Quartermasters; also blanks for Report



of Post Chaplain. These should be made out promptly after the last meeting in the month. Don't fail in this, comrades, as it is important that we get our Consolidated Report off promptly.

A. B. CRAMPTON, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., December 7, 1914.

CIRCULAR LETTER, No. 2.

Soon after my installation into office a Circular Letter was issued setting forth what it was thought the membership of this Department should do to insure a successful year for our organization, and what the result will be, we will know within the next thirty or forty days. The term closing December 31st will be the one on which my administration will be judged, as my term will be closed before reports are in for the term closing June 30, 1915.

I have been putting forth my very best efforts for the best interests of our organization up to this time, and I realize more fully now than at any time before what increasing age, with increasing disabilities, means to our Comrades and our organization, and the great importance of a more zealous effort on our part than ever before. It will require a greater sacrifice on our part to attend our Post meetings than it did when we were younger than we are now, and we can do that when we remember that the government we saved is doing more for us and for ours than when we were younger and less in need of help. Let us not forget the increased pension and the increased facilities of late years for the benefit of our Comrades, that were brought about through our organization. And now with that thought in mind, let us all go to work to bring back to our ranks those of our Comrades who have become lukewarm and dropped out of our Post, also those who have shared in all the benefits of our labors and never been identified with us only in the sharing of pensions and the benefits of our Soldiers' Home at Lafayette and Orphans' Home at Knightstown. These two institutions are not second to any within the bounds of the National Department, and no other State does so much for its orphans.



Let us not forget our more than five hundred orphans at the Knightstown Home, and see that they are remembered as in the past. Any contributions that Posts desire to make, if sent through this office, will be receipted for by J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, as in the past, and placed with the funds for that purpose.

A. B. CRAMPTON, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General,

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 15, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1.

I. Having been elected and installed Commander of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, I hereby assume command and have appointed John R. Fesler, Post No. 281, Indianapolis, as Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General. All communications for the Department will be addressed to him at Room 25, State House, Indianapolis. Personal communications to the Commander will be addressed to Delphi, Ind.

II. At the Thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Department, held at Indianapolis, Ind., May 6, 7 and 8, 1914, the following Comrades were elected to the offices hereinafter designated.

Department Commander,
A. B. Crampton, Post No. 31, Delphi.
Senior Vice-Department Commander,
T. B. Springer, Post No. 435, New Lebanon.
Junior Vice-Department Commander,
Chas. H. Myerhoff, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Medical Director,
G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie.
Department Chaplain,

W. P. McKinsey, Post No. 42, Lebanon.



Council of Administration,

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

W. J. Allen, Post No. 85, Bloomington.

A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Lewis King, Post No. 13, Columbus.

J. E. Bickel, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

M. M. Lacey, Post No. 420, Fountain City.

W. N. Pickerell, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

I. P. Watts, Post No. 60, Winchester.

H. M. Caylor, Post No. 133, Noblesville.

Henry A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.

Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Geo. W. Aldrich, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

J. D. Braden, Post No. 37, Elkhart.

III. The following staff appointments are announced:

Department Inspector, .

C. G. Conn. Post No. 37, Elkhart.

Judge Advocate,

Timothy Howard, Post No. 8, South Bend.

Chief Mustering Officer,

W. H. Hickman, Post No. 358, Pennville.

Patriotic Instructor,

I. B. Arnold, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Chief-of-Staff,

D. F. Mustard, Post No. 244, Anderson.

Color Bearer,

Chas. W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Banner Bearer,

H. B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

Chief Bugler,

A. A. Jones, Post No. 3, Battle Ground.

IV. The following Comrades were elected Delegates and Alternates to the Forty-eighth National Encampment, to be held in Detroit, Michigan, during the week beginning August 31, 1914.

Delegates.

J. H. Biddle (at large), Post No. 74, Remington.

1st & 9th (jointly), Jas. A. Sprowl, Post No. 28, Princeton.

1st Dist. Morris Ford, Post No. 415, New Harmony.

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

2d Dist. W. S. Mead, Post No. 93, Spencer.

T. M. Ryan, Post No. 326, Bloomfield,



- 3d Dist. A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany. J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.
- 4th Dist. James White, Post No. 26, Madison.
 Alonzo Murphy, Post No. 5, Greensburg.
 J. M. Brown, Post 127, Franklin.
- 5th Dist. David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.

 James S. Neeley, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.
- 6th Dist. T. L. Haymond, Post No. 18, Waldron, C. H. Smith, Post No. 126, Connersville.
- 7th Dist. W. H. Wheeler, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
 C. W. Chappel, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.
 C. W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.
- 8th Dist. E. M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton. Abijah Green, Post No. 38, Union City. G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie.
- 9th Dist. T. R. Caldwell, Post No. 42, Lebanon. H. M. Sailors, Post No. 30, Kokomo. N. D. Stanbro, Post No. 30, Kokomo.
- 10th Dist. Geo. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Montmorenci.
 I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette.
 Joel Yeager, Post No. 589, Lafayette (State Soldiers' Home).
- 11th Dist. B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.
 William Starrett, Post No. 199, North Manchester.
 Adam Foust, Post No. —.
- 12th Dist. Albert Preston, Post No. 104, Lagrange. Samuel M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.
- 13th Dist. H. A. Root. Post No. 46, Michigan City.
 Elmer E. Crockett, Post No. 579, South Bend.
 J. Pickrell, Post No. 132, Argos.
 C. W. Scott, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Alternates.

- J. W. Ramsey (Alternate at large), Post No. 72, Washington.
- 1st & 9th (jointly), Geo. Newkirk, Post 424, Greentown.
- 1st Dist. W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton. John C. Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville.
- 2d Dist. Michael Shirey, Post No. 385, Shoals. Will Kennedy, Post No. 77, Martinsville.
- 3d Dist. W. J. Hauger, Post No. 87, Salem. J. M. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville.
- 4th Dist. Dan Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour. H. B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. Henry Willman, Post No. 36, North Vernon.



- 5th Dist. George W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville. Thos. J. Keylon, Post No. 592, Terre Haute.
- 6th Dist. James Wymore, Post No. 126, Connersville. Chas. Lair, Post No. 126, Connersville.
- 7th Dist. John Rheinschild, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Geo. Thormeyer, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Albert J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
- 8th Dist. L. L. Gilpin, Post No. 154, Portland. Robert Dorste, Post No. 244, Anderson. George Coats, Post No. 60, Winchester.
- 9th Dist. Schuyler LaTourette, Post No. 4, Covington. B. F. Wise, Post No. 133, Noblesville. J. M. Little, Post No. 207, Cicero.
- 10th Dist. Marcellus Rawles, Post No. 475, West Lafayette.
 W. H. Langton, Post No. 62, Williamsport.
 Henry T. Griggs, Post No. —, Goodland.
- 11th Dist. T. W. Given, Post No. 563, Monterey. Albert Boley, Post No. 39, Marion.
- 12th Dist. John H. Hoffman, Post No. 125, Ligonier. John Loth, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.
- 13th Dist. H. T. Kidder, Post No. 90, Goshen.
 Chas. Laramore, Post No. 290, Knox.
 A. Hunneshagen, Post No. 183, Kewanna.
 David Smelzer, Post No. 37, Elkhart.
- V. The following Comrades, on the recommendation of their delegates to the State Encampment, are hereby appointed Recruiting Officers of their respective Congressional Districts for one year; it is their duty to arrange for at least one meeting in their district during the year, that the Comrades may meet and promote good fellowship. The Department Commander will try to attend each District meeting and would like to meet as many of the Comrades as possible on these occasions:

RECRUITING OFFICERS.

First District—John C. Shafer, Post No. 120, Boonville.

Second District—S. F. Johnson, Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Third District—Joseph VanMeter; Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

Fourth District—Lewis King. Post No. 13, Columbus.

Fifth District—Joseph Sherfey, Post No. 2, Brazil.

Sixth District—J. F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Seventh District—W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—N. B. Dewey, Post No. 207, Cicero.

Tenth District—J. B. Shaw, Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—Milt Ewing, Post No. 41, Winamac.



Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Thirteenth District—William Hess, Post No. 260, Plymouth.

VI. Post Commanders will appoint and forward the name of one Comrade for Aide upon the staff of the Department Commander. Let this be a Comrade who takes an active interest in the affairs of the Post and in the building up of our organization. On receipt of his name the Assistant Adjutant-General will forward his commission.

VII. General Orders No. 5 from National Headquarters, and Lincoln's Gettysburg Address are enclosed herewith.

Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Post Adjutant and Quartermaster, together with blanks for the Memorial Day report of the Post Chaplain will be sent out within a few days.

MEMORIAL DAY.

In accordance with the Rules and Regulations of our organization, and in compliance with General Orders No. 5 from National Headquarters, Saturday, May 30, will be observed by the Posts of this Department as Decoration Day. We have observed this day ever since it was instituted in 1868; this year for the fortysixth time we shall observe this custom, which strengthens the holy memories of the past and teaches a lesson of patriotism that shall sink deep into the hearts of the rising generation.

Post Commanders will have their Posts attend divine services on Sunday, May 24, in a body, and invite their Women's Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans and Auxiliary of Sons of Veterans, and all other patriotic organizations, also their schools, to attend with them.

By command of

A. B. CRAMPTON, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 25, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 2.

I. The Forty-Eighth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will assemble at Detroit, Michigan, August 31



to September 5, 1914, for the transaction of the business of the organization. The headquarters of the Department of Indiana will be established at the Pontchartrain Hotel, in rooms 200 and 202, on the same floor and near the rooms of the National headquarters.

II. Headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps will be at the same hotel, same floor, Rooms 204 and 206. The Sons of Veterans and their Auxiliary and the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic will establish their headquarters at the Cadillac Hotel. Detroit is said to be one of the most beautiful cities in the country and its citizens will spare no expense in making this Epcampment the most enjoyable one the old veterans have held. Detroit is well supplied with hotels, at rates from \$1.00 to \$5.00, European plan, rooming houses and private homes from fifty cents to \$2.00. Comrades who desire to secure accommodations either at hotels or boarding houses will make their wants known to Edward T. Fitzgerald, Secretary, City Hall, Detroit, Michigan, giving the number you wish accommodations for and about the price you want to pay.

III. Post Commanders will please ascertain the number of comrades that will probably attend the Encampment and notify J. R. Fesler, the Assistant Adjutant-General, at your earliest convenience—not later than August 12th, so that he can notify Oscar A. Janes, Adjutant-General, at Detroit. Inasmuch as the Department of Indiana has a candidate for Commander-in-Chief this year in the person of our worthy and honored Past Department Commander, Orlando A. Somers, our department should be well represented. Comrade Somers' name was presented last year for the high honor, but the honor went to our worthy and beloved Gardner, of Michigan. Indiana feels that in all justice she is entitled to it this year, and we believe other departments, seeing the fairness of our claim, will give Comrade Somers their support.

IV. The following rates to Detroit have been secured over the New York Central lines. Tickets will be on sale August 28th, 29th and 30th. Final return limit to reach starting point not later than midnight September 15, 1914. Tickets will not require validation at Detroit for return passage. Stopover of 10 days may be had at Toledo on application to conductor and by depositing ticket with agent Terminal Line on arrival. Stopover not to exceed final return limit of ticket.



Round Trip Rates.

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Danville	\$11.50	Decatur	\$6.70
Delphi	9.20	Elwood	9.30
Evansville	16.00	Ft. Wayne	5.85
Fowler	11.00	Frankfort	9.90
Franklin	11.50	Greencastle	12.30
Greenfield	10.45	Greensburg	10.95
Hartford City	8.10	Indianapolis	10.70
Jeffersonville	14.75	Knightstown	9.90
Lebanon	10.70	Logansport	8.40
Madison	12.95	Marion	8.10
Martinsville	11.90	Mitchell	14.20
Monticello	9.25	Muncie	8.50
New Albany	14.75	New Castle	9.25
Noblesville	10.20	Pendleton	9.60
Peru	8.00	Richmond	8.80
Rensselaer	10.75	Seymour	12.60
Shelbyville	11.00	Sheridan	10.70
South Bend	7.40	Spencer	12.30
Sullivan	14.05	Terre Haute	13.10
Thorntown	10.30	Union City	7.80
Veedersburg	11.40	Vincennes	15.40
Wabash	7.50	Warsaw	7.00
Zionsville	10.70	Princeton	16.00
Kokomo	8.90	Lafayette	9.90
Alexandria	8.95	Anderson	9.25
Aurora	11.60	Bedford	13:90
Bloomington	12.90	Bluffton	6.90
Brazil	13.00	Cambridge City 4	9.40
Crawfordsville	10.95		

These rates apply via the direct routes. If any one desires to remain longer than September 30th would suggest that they request the round trip summer tourist rate, which applies from various points and limit is October 31st.

Headquarters train will leave Indianapolis at 9 p. m., Sunday, August 30th, arriving at Detroit 7:45 a. m., Monday. Lower berth rate, Indianapolis to Detroit, standard sleeper, is \$2.00; upper, \$1.60. We will be pleased to have the Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Sons of Veterans and their auxiliary, and as many others as can, accompany the Headquarters' train.

V. The following Comrades have been appointed as Aides-de-Camp on the staff of Department Commander Crampton and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:



Samuel S. Kelker, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. H. L. Bruce, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. Geo., B. Coleman, Post No. 37, Elkhart. Erastus Winters, Post No. 188, Liberty. John D. Hardesty, Post No. 559, Indianapolis. Theodore Brough, Post No. 31, Delphi. Henry P. Dorset, Post No. 11, Greencastle. W. F. Giffe, Post No. 14, Logansport. J. E. Crain, Post No. 14, Logansport. I. W. Watkins, Post No. 14, Logansport. H. C. Cushman, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. I. S. Wade, Post No. 3, Lafayette. W. T. Kimbrel, Post No. 364, Paoli. Daniel B. Norcross, Post No. 27, Evansville. John T. Hitchcock, Post No. 469, Hope. R. B. Minton, Post No. 427, Star City. James A. Runkle, Post No. 31, Delphi. A. H. Swain, Post No. 38, Union City. George W. Sawdon, Post No. 82, Aurora. John W. Graves, Post No. 3, Lafayette. J. L. Dunning, Post No. 125, Ligonier. Stephen L. Woodruff, Post No. 31, Delphi. Lew Nicoli, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. J. E. Loughery, Post No. 51, Monticello. V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford. David Chamness, Post No. 116, Andrews. Daniel Empson, Post No. 159, Brownstown. Peter Harmon, Post No. 4, Covington. Simeon B. Fordyce. Post No. 63, Decatur. Julius Oppenheimer, Post No. 3, Lafayette. Chas, E. Scholl, Post No. 31, Delphi. L. S. Myers, Post No. 557, Flora. John Lathrop, Post No. 31, Delphi. O. J. Lamborn, Post No. 183, Kewanna. Jacob Sheffer, Post No. 62, Williamsport. John S. Kercheval, Post No. 103, Sheridan. Seth D. Coats, Post No. 60, Winchester. William H. Farris, Post No. 72, Washington. W. W. Lathrop, Post No. 2, Brazil. James Stone, Post No. 39, National Military Home. Edward P. Stanfield, Post No. 579, South Bend. Stephen M. Aiken, Post No. 475, Lafayette. David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville. James D. Braden, Post No. 37, Elkhart.



John A. Markley, Post No. 55, Richmond.

William Hart, Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home.

Henry Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

VI. All delegates who cannot attend the Encampment at Detroit will please notify J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, at once, so that he may notify their Alternates.

VII. There are a few posts that have not made out their reports nor sent in their per capita tax for the term closing June 30, 1914. Post Commanders will please see that this is attended to at once.

VIII. Enclosed herewith you will find General Orders No. 6 from National Headquarters. Post Commanders see they are read at your Post meeting.

By command of

A. B. CRAMPTON, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., August 24, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS
No. 3.

- I. As announced in General Orders No. 2, the Forty-eighth National Encampment will convene at Detroit, Michigan, August 31st. The Headquarters of this Department will be in Rooms 200 and 202, Hotel Pontchartrain, and all soldiers of Indiana are requested to call there and register on their arrival, or as soon thereafter as possible that their friends may know where to find them. All Aides-de-Camp to the Department Commander who are in attendance will report to Comrade D. F. Mustard, Chief of Staff, on their arrival, that they may receive his instructions, and the Aides-de-Camp to the Commander-in-Chief will report to Frank R. Chase, Chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief.
- II. On Monday, the 31st, at 2 o'clock p. m., the Delegates, the Alternates and the members of the Council of Administration are requested to meet at Department Headquarters promptly, as matters that are of vital interest to the department will be discussed at that meeting.



As announced in General Orders No. 2, the Headquarters train will start from the Union Station, Indianapolis, at 9 o'clock p. m., Sunday, the 30th, and arrive at Detroit Monday morning at 7:45. The President and Secretary of the Woman's Relief Corps and of the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary will accompany us on that train. We will be glad for all who can to accompany us on the same train.

- III. The Department Headquarters at Room 25 State House will be closed from August 29th to September 6th.
- IV. The following named Comrades have been appointed as additional aides on the staff of the Department Commander and will be recognized accordingly:

D. W. Soliday, Post No. 91, Worthington.
Clayborn Clements, Post No. 322, Loogooteee.
Conrad Reichart, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Oscar Rankin, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.
Levi G. Wilgus, Post No. 520, Oakland City.
John R. McClure, Post No. 16, Vincennes.
George W. Sparrow, Post No. 16, Vincennes.
Jesse S. Harrold, Post No. 284, Lewis.
George C. Massey, Post No. 93, Spencer.
S. B. Sansom, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Sheldon Swope, Post No. —, Terre Haute.
Nathaniel D. Cox, Post No. 93, Spencer.
Francis Kimberlin, Post No. 435, West Lebanon.
Robert I. Patterson, Post No. 78, Muncie, Aide-de-Camp and Poet Laureate.

By command of

A. B. Crampton, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., October 19, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 4.

I. The Forty-eighth National Encampment, held in Detroit, Michigan, the week beginning August 31st, was well represented



by all Departments, our own Department having almost all their delegates, who remained until the close of the session. In the line of march we had about 300 Comrades.

Indiana was again honored by the re-election of Comrade William H. Armstrong as a member of the Council of Administration.

II. The Thirty-sixth Department Encampment will convene in the city of Marion in the month of May, 1915, the day and date not yet decided on, but probably the last part of the month. The wishes of the city entertaining will be consulted as to dates.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' National Home is located at Marion and is one of the most beautiful homes and the best managed of any in the United States, and it will be a great satisfaction to many of our Comrades to visit the Comrades there. Col. Asbury Steele Post No. 39 is located on the home grounds and General Shunk Post No. 23 in the city, both of which are numbered with our best Posts in the Department. The invitation to the Department to hold the next meeting in Marion was extended by the Hon. James O. Batchelor, Mayor of the city, with his assurance that the young business men as well as the patriotic citizens generally would join to make it the grandest reception the Department has ever enjoyed, and I am sure the two Grand Army Posts will do their part in the matter.

III. The following Comrades have been named to visit the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown on the call of the Chairman:

O. A. Somers, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Harlan P. Miller, Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

A. J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

E. R. Worley, Post No. 103, Sheridan.

Isaac N. Caster, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Wallace Foster, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

F. M. VanPelt, Post No. 244, Anderson.

W. A. Kelsey, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

T. L. Stout, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

John F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond.

E. H. Wolfe, Post No. 81, Rushville.

R. V. Ditmers, Post No. 127, Fr nklin.

James E. Bowers, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

G. W. H. Kemper, Post No. 78, Muncie.

IV. The following Comrades have been named on the Visiting Committee to the State Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Lafayette:

W. W. Daugherty, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

E. M. Rinear, Post No. 33, Bluffton.



J. M. Meek, Post No. 93 (resides in Indianapolis).

D. B. McConnell, Post No. 14, Logansport.

Daniel Waugh, Post No. 203, Tipton.

John S. Kercheval, Post No. 103, Sheridan.

Nathan Perrill, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

E. D. Hamilton, Post No. 9. Rockville.

L. S. Myer, Post No. 557, Flora.

S. A. Vaughn, Post No. 14, Logansport.

George W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville.

Benjamin F. Crabb, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

H. M. Caylor, Post No. 133, Noblesville.

S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

W. A. McClure, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

J. E. Loughery, Post No. 51, Monticello.

V. Post Commanders will send to these Headquarters names of Comrades for Aides-de-Camp to the Commander-in-Chief, that they may be forwarded to National Headquarters.

VI. The following additional Aides have been appointed on the staff of the Department Commander, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

J. B. Henninger, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

C. C. Givens, Post No. 284, Lewis.

T. C. McClure, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Ezra Bowman, Post No. 74, Remington.

VII. General Orders No. 2 from National Headquarters will be found enclosed with this order. See that they are read at the Post meetings.

IN MEMORIAM.

It is with sincere sorrow that we give notice of the death of Comrade William H. Armstrong, who was born May 14th, 1844, at Wigton, Cumberland county, England. With his parents he came to America and settled in Knox county, Illinois.

He enlisted as a private in Company K, Eighty-third Illinois Volunteers, in 1863, and on the 4th of July, 1864, was commissioned by the President as Second Lieutenant and assigned to the Eighth United States Heavy Artillery, in which he served until the close of the war.

Comrade Armstrong was married in 1869, and located at Terre Haute, Indiana, where he was engaged in the drug business. He was closely identified with the business interests of that city and served them two years as Mayor. He was a charter member of



Morton Post No. 1, Department of Indiana, and one of its most active members until he moved to Indianapolis in 1889, when he united with the George H. Thomas Post No. 17, and has been one of its most active members up to the time of his death. September 28th, 1914.

Comrade Armstrong was honored by the National Department of the Grand Army of the Republic in 1906 as Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief, and at the time of his death was a member of the National Council of Administration.

The family of Comrade Armstrong has the sincere sympathy of this Department.

By command of

A. B. CRAMPTON, Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General,

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., November 20, 1914.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 5.

I. The annual election of the Post Officers and representatives to the Department Encampment will take place at the first regular meeting in December. Let me advise again that in their election you secure those of your post who can and will attend your meetings and will take an interest in adding to your membership. Each post will elect one delegate for every twenty-five members and one for a fraction more than one-half of that number based on the membership reported in good standing on the 30th of June, 1914, and a like number of alternates. Posts having less than twenty-five members are entitled to one delegate and one alternate. All Past Post Commanders in good standing are members of the Department Encampment, and for that reason should not be elected delegates or alternates.

II. As soon as Post Officers are elected the Adjutant will fill out the enclosed Certificate of Election, forward one copy to the Department Headquarters and retain the other for reference. Please be careful that all names are plainly written and correctly spelled. Posts failing to make their reports or pay their



per capita tax when due are not entitled to representation in the department or national encampments.

It is also the duty of the Post Adjutant to make out the Mortuary Report. This should include the name in full of all members in good standing in the Post who died during the year 1914, giving if possible, the age, rank, company, regiment and date of death. Blank for this report will be found enclosed herewith.

- III. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Adjutant and Quartermaster for the six months ending December 31, 1914, are also enclosed. These reports and the per capita tax are due on the first day of January, 1915, and Post Officers will see that they are properly made out and forwarded promptly to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General, Room 25, State House. These reports may be made out immediately after the last meeting in December. The greater number of our Posts have been prompt in these matters, but some have not, and have caused trouble at these headquarters. There is no good reason why these reports should not be in by January 3. Post Commanders will please see that their Posts are prompt in this matter.
- IV. The Forty-fifth National Encampment determined that the reports from Post Patriotic Instructors should be made annually in December. Post Commanders are therefore requested to urge their Patriotic Instructors to make out these reports, for which blanks are enclosed herewith, and forward to Irwin B. Arnold, Department Patriotic Instructor, Post No. 55, Richmond, Indiana, by the 31st of December, if possible.
- V. The installation of Post Officers will occur at the first regular meeting in January, 1915, or at a special meeting called for that purpose, and your Commander recommends that all patriotic organizations be invited to attend these installations.
- VI. Post Commanders desiring the appointment of Comrades as Aides on the staff of the Department Commander or the Commander-in-Chief will send names of those recommended to these headquarters.
- VII. Comrades, there are more than ten per cent. of our comrades who are on the suspended list, and it does seem that they might be brought back again if seen and reminded of the great help the organization has been to them, and that we need their help now more than ever before on account of the increasing percentage of death losses by the infirmities of old age.



VIII. Past Department Commander Orlando A. Somers, of Post No. 30, Kokomo, has been appointed a member of the National Council of Administration by Commander-in-Chief David J. Palmer to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Comrade W. H. Armstrong.

SUMMARY OF ENCLOSURES.

Certificates of Election (in duplicate).

Forms A and B for reports of Post Adjutant and Post Quarter-master (in duplicate).

Blank for Mortuary Report.

Blank for report of Patriotic Instructor.

General Orders No. 5 (Department).

By command of

A. B. CRAMPTON,

Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER.

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 6, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 6.

I. The Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana Grand Army of the Republic will meet in Marion on Thursday, May 27, at 10 o'clock a.m., and continue in session during the 28th.

Headquarters of the Department and places where the Woman's Relief Corps, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary will hold their sessions will be announced at a later date. The citizens of Marion have started in now to arrange for the Encampment and to make it one that the citizens of Marion will be proud of and that will be remembered by those in attendance with pleasure by the cordiality of the reception given them, so it is up to the Department now to do their part and it is the desire of your Department Commander that all Post Commanders see to it that all delegates are in attendance on time and interest themselves in all matters that come before the Encampment. In the past, many of the delegates lost all in-



terest in the work as soon as the badges were given out. Do not allow this to occur at this meeting. We expect our Commander-in-Chief and Adjutant-General to be with us on both days of the Encampment.

II. The following additional Aides have been appointed on the staff of the Department Commander, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Frank A. Evans, Post No. 72, Washington.

Henry Snow, Post No. 92, Greenfield.

Uriah H. Whitmore, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Homer Wells, Post No. 161, Crown Point.

E. H. Cowan, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

J. B. Clemson, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

R. M. Smock, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

M. H. Frank, Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Samuel W. Turner, Post No. 23, Marion.

David H. Yeoman, Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

C. A. Hutchinson, Post No. 93, Spencer.

III. Enclosed with this order you will find General Orders Nos. 3 and 4 from National Headquarters. Commanders will see that they are read at the regular Post meetings.

By command of

A. B. CRAMPTON,

Department Commander.

ATTEST:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 6, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 7.

- I. As announced in General Orders No. 6, the Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, will assemble in the City of Marion on May 26, 27 and 28, 1915. Headquarters of the Department will be at the Spencer Hotel.
- II. The Committee on Credentials and for the distribution of delegates' badges will meet at 2 o'clock p. m. on May 26. The place



of meeting will be made known after our arrival there. The members of the committee will be: V. V. Williams, Post No. 247; William F. Kendall, Post No. 13; J. M. Neely, Post No. 77; C. W. Scott, Post No. 114; L. D. Crawley, Post No. 244; B. W. Skelton, Post No. 271; W. E. Gorsuch, Post No. 579, and T. B. Wilkinson, Post No. 168.

III. The Council of Administration, which includes all Department Officers, who will meet at Headquarters at 3 o'clock p. m., May 26, for the transaction of business that may be brought before them.

IV. All Department officers and District Recruiting Officers will prepare written reports to submit to the encampment and mail them to the Assistant Adjutant-General at Room 25, State House, or hand them to him on the first day of the Encampment.

V. On Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, there will be an open meeting at Civic Hall, where welcome addresses will be given by Hon. J. O. Batchelor, mayor of the city of Marion, and by Col. George Steele, governor of the National Soldiers' Home at that place. Responses will be made by A. B. Crampton, Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, and by the heads of the other organizations. This meeting will be presided over by Hon. Frank Sherwin, Commander of the Sons of Veterans Camp at Marion, and chairman of the Executive Committee.

VI. The first session of the Encampment will be held at 9 o'clock a. m., Thursday, May 27, in Civic Hall. The annual parade will take place at 2 o'clock p. m., under the direction of Chief-of-Staff Daniel F. Mustard. The posts will form according to their numbers, excepting Colonel Asbury Steel Post No. 39, National Military Home, and Jasper Packard Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home. They will be given the right of the column.

On Thursday evening there will be two camp fires, one in Civic Hall, presided over by Department Commander A. B. Crampton, and the other at one of the large churches of the city, presided over by Newton J. McGuire, Past Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans. Commander-in-Chief David J. Palmer, and Governor Samuel M. Ralston will address both meetings, as will other prominent speakers and past officials.

On Friday, May 28, at 9 a. m., the reports of the several committees will be submitted to the encampment and the election of officers will take place.

VII. Comrade George W. Gunder has been appointed officer of



the day and Comrade George W. Raines, officer of the guard. He will appoint his assistants and all will report to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant General, at 1 o'clock p. m., May 26.

VIII. Comrade David N. Reed, Post No. 475, Lafayette, has been appointed aide-de-camp on the staff of the department commander, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

IX. With this order will be found the following enclosures:

Blanks for Memorial Day reports.

Department Roster for 1915.

General Logan's Memorial Day Order, and

President Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

Poem, "Appomattax," by Department Poet Laureate R.

I. Patterson.

MEMORIAL DAY.

In keeping with the rules and regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic, May 30 has been set apart as Memorial Day. This year it will be observed on May 31. The 30th being on Sunday, our governor has set apart the 31st in his proclamation as Memorial Day. To the remnant of the old soldiers who are still living it means much, and your department commander directs that in some fitting manner, every post in the department will hold Memorial services. Invite the ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps and the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the Sons of Veterans and their auxiliary, all school children and citizens generally to observe the day with you. And in keeping with the long established custom, every post and relief corps should attend divine services on Sunday, May 23d.

By command of

A. B. Crampton,
Department Commander.

OFFICIAL:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.



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Grand Army of the Republic

UNOFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

The Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana, and allied organizations, met at Evansville, Indiana, May 9, 10 and 11, 1916.

The ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the Vanderburgh County Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Coliseum was opened at 4 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, by patriotic music by Warren's band, after which Mayor Bosse called the assemblage to order, and prayer was offered by Department Chaplain of the G. A. R., N. A. Chamberlain. Addresses were made by Mayor Bosse, Col. E. R. Monfort, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army, Governor Samuel M. Ralston, Col. J. D. Carmody and Charles E. Harmon. The address of Governor Ralston is given below:

A soldiers' memorial is always pregnant with meaning. When erected in a republic it has a higher meaning than in a monarchy or an empire. When erected to soldiers who fought to free a people from a foreign yoke it means much. When builded to



soldiers who fought to free a people from a yoke imposed by themselves, as the lesser of two evils, it means more. But when raised aloft fifty years after such a struggle, after passions have cooled and prejudices have been neutralized by time; when thus reared and dedicated by the people in the calm light of history and with approval of reason, then indeed it has a meaning and a value all its own.

And this is the kind of a memorial the people of Vanderburg county are proposing to build in this beautiful and progressive city of Evansville. This memorial will represent the verdict of history upon that great struggle to preserve the union and to give the name of liberty a truer meaning; and as such the verdict will have a higher, broader and deeper significance than if it had been erected when sectionalism dominated and party spirit ran high. It will represent more than this. It will be an expression of a free people's appreciation of the service of all those soldiers for the uplift of humanity in whatsoever war rendered.

The part Indiana's soldiers took in the war to save the Union is a most brilliant page in the history of our state; and imperfect indeed would be any review of their record that did not recognize this fact. Yes, the record of the soldiers of Indiana is a glorious one! It links the world in obligation to them. When President Lincoln, on April 15, 1861, asked fewer than 5,000 of them to come to the front, more than 12,000 sprang forward, ready to offer their lives upon the sacrificial altar. And when the second and third calls were made by the president they were the first to shout in the language of old Isaiah: "Here I am, send me." Patriotic and courageous, Indiana's soldiers were always found in the thickest of the fight. No wonder, therefore, that Indiana's per cent. of the loss of those sent to the front was greater than that of any other state. They fought over an exceptionally wide stretch of territory, thereby making their services all the more hazardous; they fought in the first battle of the war; they were the first over the walls of Fort Wagner; they were the first to ascend Missionary Ridge; they were the first to march in the streets of New Orleans; and quoting, "They were the last to bivouac on the field of battle in the great war."

All hail to the matchless record of Indiana's citizen-soldiery! Their fortitude and endurance, their courage and patriotism! When the artist sketches it upon his canvas, his brush will not trace in it a single stain. His picture will be a work of art, indeed true to history, calculated to kindle sentiments of grati-



tude in the world heart, and inspire patriotism in uniform generations.

Standing fifty years this side of the great conflict and confronted as we are with the marvelous achievements made in the industrial, intellectual and institutional life of our nation, we should not have to inquire why American soldiers were called upon to endure the hardships and make the sacrifices they did. The answer should be familiar to this generation; but I suggest the question because this and subsequent generations must not forget they went to war to maintain the government national in its conceptions; founded upon the consent of the governed and bequeathed to the on-sweeping centuries through the blood of our fathers. They went to the front that the "government of the people, by the people and for the people might not perish from the earth." What they did in that great work is more enduring than the memorial that is proposed to be builded.

This government, my friends, has cost too much not to be now strengthened and made better by your and my citizenship. This is a most fitting time for you and me to follow the example of the immortal Lincoln to register in heaven an oath to do what we can to make our government stronger and better and possible to endure as long as man loves liberty.

We boast that we are pre-eminently a peaceful people, and this is true. We laud our devotion and endurance and christian ideals, and this is proper. We talk and write about our inventive genius and commercial tact and most people conclude "all is well" with the republic. But the truth is, my friends, we encounter danger from peace as well as from war, and the former is frequently more serious than the latter. We have long been at peace with the world, thank God: But I think you will agree with me that it has taken great wisdom, calmness and courage to keep us at peace with some of the other nations of the earth during the last few months. We have been surrounded during the last year by the elements that go to make up the very hell of war; and we have been sorely tempted to lose our temper and to plunge out upon the way that leads to war, but thank God we did not lose our balance. We have, up to date, possessed the calmness of soul and the clearness of vision that has enabled us to cling fast to those national ideals that make it impossible for us to go to war except to protect our national rights and our national honor.

And just here let me say that the men who fought from '61 to '65, knowing of the horrors of war, have been a most potent influence in keeping this nation, during the trying ordeals through



which it has recently passed, wedded to the ways of peace. During this ordeal they have absolutely refused to be limited in their action and their sentiments by partisan lines. As they fought to maintain the will of Lincoln, they have with like patriotism insisted that it is the duty of the people of this country to support President Woodrow Wilson in the crisis he is facing. The thing that has made it possible for this republic to give assurance of its endurance has been the disposition of the people to lay aside party preferences and party prejudices in obedience to a public necessity. When the people of this country come to understand that the institutions of their country are in any way threatened by outside powers they all face in one direction and act in perfect accord; and as long as they continue to do this, this republic will endure.

In paying tribute on this occasion to those to whom honor is due for the part they have had in the final triumph of the union forces. I am quite certain Vanderburg county has not forgotten and will not forget the women. The memorial whose cornerstone you this day lay to the soldiers of Vanderburg county, living and dead, will speak eloquently of a generous people's appreciation, not only of the soldiers but of the women who were back at home during the awful conflict. Woman's part in that historic struggle was as hard to bear as was that of the husband, brother and sweetheart on tented field. The heroism of endurance—of waiting—of suspense and of sacrifice—is not that equal in the eyes of God and man to the heroism of active service, on the march, in the camp and even in the charge of battle?

And in conclusion, I know that you will all join me in proclaiming all honor to the unselfish and patriotic taxpayers of Vanderburg county for the memorial they are proposing her to build in the name of love, justice and peace to the soldiers this county sent forth to establish the legal equality of all men and give a wider meaning the world around to the flag of this republic.

At 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, all organizations met at Evans hall. The meeting was presided over by S. Wallace Cook, general chairman of the committee on arrangements, who said that the blessings enjoyed by the people of Indiana today are due to the heroic sacrifices made by the men who served in the Union army. Chairman Cook introduced Mayor Bosse, who made the address of welcome.



Governor Ralston said at this meeting that since he had been Governor of the state he had attended all the State Encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic. He said it had been an attendance of love. "I have no designs on you," he said, "as I do not expect to be a candidate. I have made a good many speeches in my life and have an experience once in a while of an audience going to sleep on me. I find at such times that I can always awaken the sleepers with the remark that I never expect to seek public office again. This always brings applause."

Governor Ralston spoke of the fine work that is being done by the orphans of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, and said that the greatest reception ever accorded him had been at this Home. He said, also, that the state of Indiana ought to defray the expenses of the annual Grand Army State Encampments and that in his next message to the legislature he would advise that an appropriation be made annually for that purpose.

Governor Ralston said he was for the preparedness of the nation that would lead to peace. "Of course we must have some preparedness," said the Governor, "but we stand for peace and we do not want war. I pray God we may never have to fight and I believe the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic feel the same way about it, but of course we do not propose to let any nation step on our toes. In regard to the Mexican situation, I would not give the life of one American boy for all the greasers south of the Rio Grande."

Commander-in-Chief Elias R. Monfort thanked the Governor for the compliment paid the veterans, explaining that the good traits of the old soldiers was due main-



ly to the assistance they have and are receiving from the women of the country. He told of their service and loyalty while the men were at the front and the aid they have since given and the cheer they have instilled. He declared himself in strong terms in favor of equal suffrage.

Mrs. Laura A. Burr, of Anderson, sang "The Red, White and Blue."

Other addresses were made by Lewis King, Department Commander G. A. R.; Paul Comstock, Division Commander Spanish-American War Veterans; A. W. McDaniels, Department Commander Sons of Veterans.

Mrs. E. E. Hoskinson sang "Tenting Tonight," and for an encore "The Flag of the Free."

Wednesday, May 10, at 2 p. m., the annual parade of all organizations formed at River avenue, moved out on Main street and continued to Bosse Field. Governor Ralston, Commander-in-Chief Monfort, Mayor Bosse and others dropped out at the reviewing stand and the Comrades of the Grand Army at Eighth street, occupying seats that had been reserved for them.

After the passing of the military organizations came the centennial parade, in which were a large number of quaint and beautiful floats depicting pioneer life in Indiana and the march of progress up to the present time.

At 8 p. m. a moonlight excursion on the Ohio river, for all wearing the delegate badges of the different organizations.

On Thursday survivors of the various regimental organizations held their annual reunions, and at 8 p. m. there was a grand Centennial Pageant at Bosse Field, to which all wearing the delegate badges were admitted free of charge.



OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

The Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, convened in Evans hall, at Evansville, Indiana, at 9 a. m. Wednesday, May 10, 1916.

The Encampment was called to order by Department Commander Lewis King and opened by the song "New America," after which Department Chaplain N. A. Chamberlain delivered the following invocation:

Oh God, our help for ages past, our hope for years to come, we praise Thee that Thou hast been our Friend. We thank Thee that Thou hast enabled us to gather here this morning, years after the war closed, and in the measures of health we enjoy. Many are carrying empty sleeves and scars, yet we bless God that we are alive and able to be present here this morning. Wilt Thou bless us as we think of Thee as our closest and best friend. We thank Thee for the opportunity we have had to contribute something to this great war. We thank Thee especially for this higher honor most of us have received of being of service in doing the duties and making the sacrifices necessary in doing this work while others died unhonored and unsung. We thank Thee for the good women; for the four years' prayer meeting that went on in this country-that some one was praying all the time; mothers, wives, sweethearts, praying in the night. Now we pray Thy blessing upon us as we gather here. May Thy blessing rest upon him who commands us. May we make it easy for him to do the work. Bless our honored assistant Adjutant-General; may his declining days, the sunset, be as glorious as the moments when he led the immortal Twenty-seventh to victory. Bless our President and his advisers-bless all who have anything to do in this regard. Let Thy blessings rest upon our United States as she is passing into the crucible. Let all things work together for her good. We pray Thy blessing upon bleeding Europe. We believe that God's hand will be in that stricken country and that something will come out of this war. Hear us as we thus pray; bless us as we assemble from time to time; grant us that we may so live that we may be united in another world. Amen.



Department Commander King: I declare this Encampment opened in due form and ask that Comrade Strouse read the report of the Committee on Credentials:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

EVANSVILLE, IND., May 9, 1916.

To the Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic:

The Committee on Credentials would respectfully report that they have examined the Roll Call as prepared in the office of the Assistant Adjutant-General and find the following to be a complete and correct roll of the Department.

> W. E. GORSUCH, LAFAYETTE LARSH.

It was moved and seconded that the calling of the roll be dispensed with. Carried.

Here follows the roll call of the Encampment:



DEPARTMENT OFFICERS.

*Department Comma		
†Senior Vice-Departm	ent Commander '	JOHN H. CASE.
*Senior, Vice-Departm		
Junior Vice-Departm	ent Commander	-JOSEPH CLOUSE.
Medical Director		_C. W. BURKETT.
*Department Chaplain		N. A. CHAMBERLAIN.
*Assistant Adjutant-G	eneral and	
Assistant Quarter	master-General	_J. R. Fesler.
Department Inspecto		
*Patriotic Instructor		MILTON GARRIGUS.
Judge-Advocate		A. D. VANOSDOL.
Chief Mustering Of	icer	JAMES L. MILLER.
Chief Mustering Off *Chief-of-Staff		_V., V. WILLIAMS.
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*Banner Bearer		
*Chief Bugler		_A. A. Jones.
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*DAVID STROUSE.	LUKE THOMAS.	
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Council of Administra		

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Nati	ional Ex	ecutive	Committee	ORLANDO	A.	SOMERS.
*Judge	Advocate	Genera	l	WILLIAM	A.	KETCHAM.

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†Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief.	
†Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief-	WM. H. ARMSTRONG.
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†Chaplain-in-Chief	DANIEL R. LUCAS.
†Surgeon General	WARREN R. KING.
Chaplain-in-Chief	DANIEL RYAN.
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†William W. Dudley.
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Edwin Nicar.
*David N. Foster.
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Argus D. Vanosdol.
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James S. Dodge.

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†Benjamin Starr.

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†Daniel R. Lucas.
†Marine D. Tackett.
*Edmund R. Brown.
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Orlando A. Somers.
*Alex. P. Asbury.
*Daniel Waugh.
†Frank Swigart.
*Wilber E. Gorsuch.
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†Deceased. *Present.

Morton Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Com.-*Thomas J. Cottom.

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Del.—James F. Slade, *Oscar Hammond, C. F. Davis, Moses H. Waters.

Alt.—Alexander Knight, John T. Merry, James Hogan, Geo. E. Farrington.

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Del.-Jesse Decker, David Conant, Wesley Green.

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Del.—James Ritchey.

Alt.—Isaac Herbert.

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Del.—Orlando Powell, Henry Tucker, Alexander Reid, W. H. H. Ward, *E. M. Howard.

Alt.—John B. Shover, John J. Beroth, Henry Murdock, *John C. Nelson.



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George H. Thomas Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Coм.—*John W. Frederick.

P. C.—Charles L. Smith, Joseph E. Haskell, James B. Black, Henry C. Allen, John M. Paver, R. M. Smock, James E. Twiname, Daniel L. Brown, *Wm. N. Pickerill, *James M. Porter, Harvey L. Stout, Wm. W. Daugherty, *Rollin C. Irwin, *Benj. A. Richardson, *Albert J. Ball, Chas. W. Oaks, Geo. W. Alexander, Ashford Lingenfelter, *William A. Ketcham, Peter Franzman, *Robt. W. McBride, B. F. Osborn, O. J. Pursell, Frank J. Hauhn, Amos H. Haines, W. L. Reasoner, S. E. Collins, William Shearer, O. T. Kuhns, *E. H. Hows, J. C. Hamilton, A. M. Scott, R. B. Armstrong, D. N. Huey, A. D. Shaw, B. W. Sullivan, O. N. Wilmington, J. A. McHaffy, Oran S. Perry, A. J. Brake, Willis G. Sales, C. L. Wilson, *John B. Wirt, C. J. Murphy, J. N. Lambert, Irby S. Wagner, E. J. Saverage, John P. Cost, *T. C. Clapp, J. R. Henry.

Del.—John Rheinschild, *Henry Nicolai, *Maholn D. Butler, Taylor O'Bannon, *Geo. Thormeyer, *T. D. Scott, Wilbur F. Hitt, Isaac N. Julian, Wm. H. Wheeler, Vinson Carter.

Alt.—James T. Layman, Samuel L. Hauser, Frank Erdelmeyer, Lucius B. Swift, W. H. Davis, W. H. Branson, J. J. Traub, Joseph Bristow, August Bruner, Theo. Kruse.

Dumont Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Com.—*Andrew J. Ensminger.

P. C.—Elisha Weakley, *Samuel S. Carson, *C. J. Limpus, *Jas. B. Wilson, *A. M. Weed, *S. B. Morris, J. B. Randall, *T. L. Haymond, T. K. Alexander, Jas. K. Bowers, A. J. Ensminger.



Robt. W. Wood, Geo. M. Wright, Thos. F. Chaffee, *William Norris, Thos. B. Carey.

Del.—*George Peters, Pollard McKinney, Perry Booher, Jas. Nail, Wm. Guess.

Alt.—Geo. Hill, Wm. Collins, C. W. Archey, E. Vanasdall, Marion Dean.

Ellsworth Post No. 20, Seymour.

Com.-John Hunterman.

P. C.—John Weaver, John Goodale, Wm. Elesner, J. H. Boake, Chas. Murphy, E. C. Wetzell, Lowrey Foster, Q. W. Jones, D. W. Wilson, John Hunterman.

DEL.-Wm. Marshall, T. C. Smith.

ALT.-D. C. Kennard, John McClintock.

General Shunk Post No. 23, Marion.

Com.-Albert Boley.

P. C.—David E. Myers, Jacob M. Bernard, Samuel Hood, John N. Case, Francis M. Smith, Augustin Kern, Joseph Clouse, R. A. Love, Daniel T. Price, W. S. Turner, John A. Howard.

Del.—S. S. Custer, Josiah Furgason, A. C. Thomas.

ALT.-J. K. Darby, James C. Hosk, W. H. Harrold.

Benton Post No. 25, Fowler.

Com.—T. J. McConnaughay.

P. C.—Chas. Van Auken, Chas. Hampton, Benj. Barker, E. Westman, J. M. Rodman, T. J. McConnaughay.

Del.—Benj. Davidson.

ALT.-C. S. Martin.

Alois O. Bachman Post No. 26, Madison.

Com.-John W. Bishop.

P. C.—John F. Moore, John F. Hammell, Argus D. Vanosdol, Chas. P. Richardson, James White, Chas, W. Stanley, James S. Girard, David G. Stuart, Webster B. Ray, Wm. Watlington, Wm. Smith, John Chapman, Chas. W. Calloway, Lewis E. Beckman, John W. Bishop.

Del.—Edward G. Phillips, William H. Smith.

ALT.—James White, Wm. H. Shipman.

Farragut Post No. 27, Evansville.

Com.-*D. B. Norcross.

P. C.—*C. H. Myerhoff, *A. C. Rosencranz, *H. A. Mattison, *August Leich, *C. C. Schreeder, *J. D. Carmody, *Stephen Biederman, *L. N. Wheeler, *Chas. Kretchmar.



Del.—*I. L. Smith, *Wm. Warren, *Gustav Ritts, *Wm. A. Fritsch, *D. W. Brown, *C. H. Wesseler, *Jac. Bippus, *Fred Herrman, *Byron Parsons.

Alt.—*John Decker, *S. B. Sansom, *A. Winstroth, *S. Petitjean, *J. W. Criswell, *E. J. Hudson, *Aug. Pfingston, *J. W. Spain, *Herman Menke.

Archer Post No. 28, Princeton.

Com.-*Samuel F. Braselton.

P. C.—*G. R. Stormont, *F. M. Grigsby, *H. T. Carlisle, W. M. Duncan, Hugh Hanna, Jas. A. Sprowl, *John M. Stormont, Jas. K. M'Gary, W. J. Lowe, Jas. W. Lewis, A. P. Twineham, G. W. Shopbell, *Jas. Kilmartin.

Del.—J. H. Miller, Albert Mills, *Chas, W. Wheeler, *Joseph Moore.

Alt.—J. W. Angle, E. S. Hopkins, W. C. Lawrence, *S. A. Rollins.

Aaron Hobson Post No. 29, Marshall.

Сом.—Barton W. Dooley.

P. C.—Clark E. McDaniel, E. R. Teague, B. W. Dooley, S. Beeson, E. D. Litsey.

Del.-Eli Wendell.

ALT.-T. C. Hocker.

Thos. J. Harrison Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Com.—O. A. Somers.

P. C.—*Milton Garrigus, O. A. Somers, A. N. Grant, D. S. Shafer, Milton Bell, J. B. Butcher, Sol. A. Pennington, W. H. Sumption, *H. M. Sailors, Wm. H. Sellers, H. B. Stewart, Jonathan Cragun, John H. Stone, John S. Trees, W. D. Ward, John T. Lett, *Wm. H. Fisher, John W. Barnes, J. E. McDaniels, Dan A. Smith.

Del.—Ed Truax, John Mitchell, Eli Quaintance, Ezra Jackson, William Busby, John Coomler.

Alt.—A. E. Curlee, Joseph Dalman, John A. Jones, N. A. Hope, William Sampson, *J. W. Perry.

Boothroyd Post No. 31, Delphi.

Com.—Napoleon B. Rockwell.

P. C.—*James A. Neff, *Norton Jones, *Jacob B. Fisher, *A. B. Crampton, *Joseph W. Hanna, *Stephen L. Woodruff.

Del.-James A. Runkle.

ALT.



Garfield Post No. 32, Boswell.

Сом.—В. F. Dimmick.

P. C.—B. F. Booth, B. F. Dimmick, S. P. Smith, G. W. Nichols.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Lew Dailey Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Сом.-

P. C.—E. F. Effinger, *Adam Forest, E. Y. Sturgis, J. K. Oman, H. Stejkamper, J. L. Myers, L. L. Martz, W. J. McAfee, M. Marquort, M. M. Justus, C. Warner, W. W. Angell, W. H. Stephenson, J. V. Kenagy, John Wisner, Jr., H. C. Melick, J. C. Fulton, B. F. Plessinger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, L. W. Birger, *Beter Wisskadt, Mehlen Berger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, L. W. Birger, *Beter Wisskadt, Mehlen Berger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, L. W. Birger, *Beter Wisskadt, Mehlen Berger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, L. W. Birger, *Beter Wisskadt, Mehlen Berger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, L. W. Birger, *Beter, Wisskadt, Mehlen Berger, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, Adam Foust, H. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, J. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, R. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper, R. Stukemper, R. Stukemper, J. H. Vore, R. Stukemper,
Del.—J. W. Rinear, *Peter Wisebrodt, Mahlon Paxson, Aaron Cotton, *Aug. Chapter.

Alt.—Ben Nash, John Ulmer, Frank Dougherty, Worthy De-Witt, John Stephens.

General Lyon Post No. 34, Otwell.

Сом.-

P. C.-James Scandlin, R. E. Chappell, Albert Pride.

DEL.

ALT.

R. J. Templeton Post No. 35, Oxford.

Com.-W. H. McConnell,

P. C.-Andrew Titsworth, A. P. Carnahan, W. H. McConnell.

Del.—B. F. Smith.

ALT.-A. P. Carnahan.

McKeehan Post No. 36, North Vernon.

Com.—D. B. Reeder.

P. C.—J. C. Cope, D. B. Reeder, G. W. Shaffer, A. McCand, H. Willman, H. Knoll, *E. Langneck.

Del.-Joseph Ewan.

ALT.

Elmer Post No. 37, Elkhart.

Com.-L. D. Vandorn.

Del.—James S. Dodge, James D. Braden, Wm. Merrett, C. G. Conn, Geo. A. Coley, Henry Trump, John Larue, Wm. Marker, David Smeltzer.



Sedgwick Post No. 38, Union City.

Com.-*Abijah Green.

P. C.—James Patchell, James B. Ross, E. P. Gallion, John W. Hoke, E. L. Anderson, Robert Lester, O. C. Gordon, Milton Cooper, D. W. Bickel, *A. H. Swain, A. J. Harris.

Del.—*Robert Lester.

ALT.-Wm. Harriman.

Col. Asbury Steele Post No. 39 (Nat. Mil. Home), Marion.

Com.-*Wm. McHenry.

P. C.—*James Stone, *Maloy W. Rock, *John L. Blackburn, *Geo. W. Smith.

Del.-*Timothy Kelley, *Joel M. Minerly.

ALT.—*Theo. R. Huston, *John Gowdy.

Sion S. Bass Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Com.—*Charles Fairfield.

P. C.—John Kress, James E. Graham, Wm. Engle, Jasper Edsall, John Shuler, John Hess, Wm. Kennerk, *Joseph E. Corlett, F. C. Bassett, *Joseph Kickley, Wm. Donnell, Theodore Geller, M. T. Connett, Isaac D'Isay, *Samuel M. Hench, W. S. Curtis, G. W. Johnston, Luther Birely.

DEL.-Wm. Schoonover, J. H. Cook, Jacob Gable,

Alt.-L. Zollinger, A. S. Cook, Z. Herring.

Veteran Post No. 41, Winamac.

Сом.—Ad Nye.

P. C.-J. N. Brown, Fred Haschael, Milton Ewing, O. S. Kelso.

Del.—Mattix Nelson.

ALT.—Daniel Diltz.

Rich Mountain Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Com.—Robert Stephenson.

P. C.—Jesse Neff, T. M. Small, Nick Bennett, J. R. Saunders, N. A. Perrill, J. Y. Storm, W. H. H. Evans, I. N. Caster, R. E. Burns, J. A. Powell, J. S. Wood, Joseph Reese, C. T. Warren, S. R. Carter, J. C. Jaques, C. W. Johnson, J. S. Miller, W. R. Marks, W. E. Whittinghill, T. R. Caldwell, W. P. McKinsey, Wm. M. Hawkins.

Del.—J. G. Wilcox, James Richey, James W. Slagle, Jeremiah C. Caldwell, David M. Parish.

Alt.—Chas. A. Bratton, Willis R. Gosnell, John M. Conyers, Edgar A. Mills, Dora C. Neal.



Meade Post No. 44, Butler.

Com.-D. D. Diehl.

P. C.—J. McClintock, J. M. Young, E. B. Rose, W. A. Craun, A. C. Huffman, W. L. Yates, Henry Wickard, Chas. Culberson. Del.—D. Lomas.

ALT.-

Geo. V. Rawson Post No. 46, Michigan City.

Com.-*H. A. Root.

P. C.—Wm. H. Davis, H. J. Willits, A. B. Baron, *H. A. Root, J. C. Haddock, M. L. Bramhall,

DEL.-

ALT.

Shiloh Post No. 49, Newport.

Com.-R. H. Nixon.

P. C .- R. H. Nixon.

DEL.

ALT.

Dan Pratt Post No. 50, Galveston.

Com.-A. C. Garrett.

P. C.—J. M. Bell, J. Q. Symons, Wm. Wample, A. C. Garrett, J. C. Patton, A. J. Haynes.

Del.-Thos. Fording.

ALT.-G. Waden.

Tippecanoe Post No. 51, Monticello.

Com.—Samuel Z. Todd.

P. C.—J. E. Loughry, Wm. H. Hutton, Samuel Z. Todd, *P. A. Holladay, Wm. M. McCorkle, Patrick Hays, James M. McBeth, Chas. E. Harlacher, F. D. Carson, E. Malone, Jas. B. Roach, G. B. Ward, Hugh H. Steele, *W. E. Fox.

Del.-J. D. Foster, John P. Shafer, F. D. Carson.

Alt.-Elijah Watts, Martin McNett, John M. Baker.

Waterloo Post No. 52, Waterloo.

Com.—Phillip Plum.

—P. C.—J. P. McCague, Prentiss Gill, Frank N. Beidler, Robert Patterson, A. W. Wherley, John Sherman, Phillip Plum, C. R. Reed, James H. Chappell, Isaac Speer, L. W. Treech.

Del.—*Daniel Sherman.

ALT.—*Noah Miller, *B. F. Turley.



Sol Meredith Post No. 55, Richmond.

Com.-Ralph Weller.

P. C.—*Joseph P. Iliff, *John F. Davenport, *Lafayette Larsh, *William K. Young, Noah H. Hutton, L. M. White, Elijah Lawton, *John A. Markley, George L. Weist, Benjamin B. Duke, James A. Taylor, Martin L. Grose, James H. Vanzant, Henry C. Fox, John Ward, *D. W. Comstock, Samuel Huddleston, Thos. P. Smith, Wm. Mitchell, John A. Griffy, Wm. Schunaman, Philip Lefeber, Irvin B. Arnold, Jacob McConley, Fred Bartel, Wm. H. Baughman, John Deets, John Elliott.

Del.—John P. Lancaster, Argus C. Ogborn, Thos. S. Fagan, Wm. S. Bolander, Joseph Rowlett, Joseph E. Potts, Clayton B. Hunt.

Alt.—Julius Katte, Wm. Hollopeter, James E. Bryant, Amos Henning, Michael Griffin, Timothy Hart, George Bymaster.

William B. Reyburn Post No. 56, Peru.

Com.-A. J. Parks.

P. C.—L. B. Fulwiler, W. F. Daily, W. H. H. Spaulding, James H. Hausman, Wm. F. Gibbons, J. V. Wilhelm, Guy Haughington, J. D. Empheiser, P. M. Crume, *Clark Latta, Abraham Whistler, P. H. McGloin, *Thomas Ream, Wm. Leffell, Cornelius Bell, A. J. Parks, James Neres, Thomas Powell.

Del.—George Wickler, *Calvin Orr.

ALT.—James Ogle, Edward Berry.

Nelson Trusler Post No. 60, Winchester.

Com.-N. A. Curtis.

P. C.—I. P. Watts, George Coats, B. F. Wilmore, John Flight, N. C. Simmons, A. M. Best, Ed Ashwill, J. E. Huston, Nimrod Brooks.

DEL.

ALT.

Elwood Post No. 61, Elwood.

Com,-J. M. Tracy.

P. C.—J. H. Wagoner, Lafe Ferguson, Charles Waymire, John Rounds, John Lewis, John Brown, M. E. Baylor.

DEL.

ALT.

Bryant Post No. 62, Williamsport.

Com.—Isaiah Smith.

P. C.—James Anderson, Jacob Sheffer, Wm. H. Langton, Elisha Little, B. F. Booth, Samuel Lewis.

DEL.

ALT.—



Samuel Henry Post No. 63, Decatur.

Com.-W. H. Myers.

P. C.—W. H. Myers, B. W. Sholty, J. R. Parrish, F. F. Frech, D. K. Shockley, T. W. Mallonee, M. J. Wertzberger.

Del.-S. B. Fordyce, *Nathan Ehrman, Jonas Cline.

Alt.-W. A. Witter, J. R. Boyd, R. A. Drummond.

Hackleman Post No. 64, Brookville.

Сом.-М. А. Јасов.

P. C.—L. G. Scheisz, *M. A. Jacobs, John H. Updike, John Ferris, John Cowen, T. B. Thackery, Geo. F. Obyrne, *Geo. S. Golden.

Del.—O. G. Templeton.

ALT.—Samuel Thomas.

Stone River Post No. 65, Frankfort.

Cом.-*Wm. Kemp.

P. C.—*W. H. Hart, Oliver Gard, David A. Coulter, James A. Price, *Quincy A. Kennedy, Charles H. Doctor, N. W. Cosner, Joseph H. Reagan, Cy Clark, R. W. Seagars, Henry C. Jackson, Richard C. Clark, J. H. Mills, David Handley, George Blystone, W. M. Spencer, John Atkinson, *S. D. Kerver.

Del.-John Maxwell, *James A. McQuinn.

ALT.—Wm. Zumwalt, I. D. Reed.

DeLong Post No. 67, Auburn.

Com.—Moses B. Willis.

P. C.—Robert Simpson, John Otto, Joseph Rainer, Philip Noel, S. J. Farney, J. O. Davidson, O. H. Widney.

Del.-Wm. Fain, James Provise.

Alt.—Jacob Miller, Wm. Stafford.

Shively Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Com.—*Edwin B. Fish.

P. C.—*John S. Brademeyer, *Fred H. Poetker, *H. Land-grebe, *John Appell, *J. N. Morris, *Christ Siebe, *James Murray. Del.—*Gerhard Koch.

ALT.—*H. W. Chewing.

Martin R. Delaney Post No. 70, Indianapolis.

Com.-Frank Mahan.

P. C.—Carter Temple, Henderson Brown.

DEL.

ALT.



U. S. Grant Post No. 72, Washington.

Com.-W. F. Wirts.

P. C.—James Ramsey, Wm. P. Ellis, *Wm. Waller, John Berry. Phil Hart, *Jos. Streeter, *John Sullivan, Geo. Snyder, Henry Bell, *C. E. Peek, John H. Davis, *W. F. Wirts, Henry Wood.

Del.-*J. Jacksan, Wm. Waller.

ALT.—Henry Bell, C. E. Peek.

Remington Post No. 74, Remington.

Com.-J. H. Biddle.

P. C.—H. H. Walker, J. R. Wilson, Ezra Bowman, J. P. Shelmon, J. H. Biddle.

. Del.-Robert Erwin.

ALT.—Joseph Lacost

Blankenship Post No. 77, Martinsville.

Com.-W. W. Kennedy.

P. C.—G. W. Grubbs, D. P. Kennedy, J. M. Neely, H. H. Woods, *W. W. Kennedy, Thos. Minton, Calvin Stanley, T. D. Evans, John E. Walker, *D. C. Gardner.

Del.-Jas. Lemons.

Alt.-John W. Doidson.

Williams Post No. 78, Muncie.

Com.-*Joseph S. Herrick.

P. C.—G. W. H. Kemper, L. O. Leach, Geo. Carpenter, Frank McGrath, Oliver Carmichael, John Buettner, *John Yaryan, John W. Davis, Clay Whiteley, W. S. Ritchie, *Samuel B. Garrett, James E. Dare, E. W. Bishop.

Del.-Lyman E. Hanna, John W. Skiff.

Alt.—C. M. Kimbrough, John Templin.

Joel Wolfe Post No. 81, Rushville.

Com.—Jabez Smith.

P. C.—Ed Wolfe, B. L. Smith, B. L. McFarlan, J. M. Stevens, J. C. Humes, I. L. Clifford, F. M. Redman, J. K. Mattox, C. O. Nixon, J. K. Gowdy, Daniel McKinney, Jabez Smith.

DEL.

ALT.

John A. Platter Post No. 82, Aurora.

Cом.—John Peters.

P. C.—Clark Canfield, H. P. Spaeth, E. H. Niebaum, F. H. Rusher, F. W. Kassebaum, Elijah Stewart, Edwin Jameson.

Del.—George W. Sowdon, Henry P. Spaeth.

Alt.—Orison Cannon, George W. Johnson.



John P. Porter Post No. 83, Geneva.

Сом.-J. L. Juday.

P. C.—J. M. Holloway, W. H. Fought, J. P. Scheer, S. W. Hale, Wm. Fields, A. Burris, J. L. Juday, J. G. Breuner, S. Cook, Wm. Drew, Eli-Krous (by transfer), Henry Kirby.

Del.—A. J. Idlewine, D. Poln.

ALT.-Geo. W. Ford, Alex. Swank.

Rensselaer Post No. 84, Rensselaer.

Com.-D. H. Yeoman.

P. C .- *D. H. Yeoman, Timothy Conner, Henry Grow.

Del.—*Nathan Eldridge.

ALT.

Paul E. Slocum Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Com.—Thomas C. Whisenand.

P. C.—W. A. Fulwider, W. F. Hepley, Moses St. Clair, Newton H. Fee, Joel H. Eaton, John Millis, T. C. Whisenand, *L. W. Shields, Joseph Lindsay, Thomas Kilpatrick, Isaac N. May, Wm. Whaley, Nathan R. Matson Henry Springer.

Del.—Isaac Mitchell, Wm. M. Shaw, Jacob Vandyke, Benj. F. Cooter.

ALT.—John H. Back, James Davis, Wm. H. Stevenson, Joseph Tredway.

Jeffersonville Post No. 86, Jeffersonville.

Com.—B. F. Howell.

P. C.—William Facett, E. B. Youmans, Geo. F. McCullough, *J. J. Wagoner, J. L. Miller, Christian Russ, *R. B. Mason, J. M. Vanmeter, J. M. Riselmark.

Del.—*Christian Cupp, *B. F. Howell.

ALT.-Jacob Eberts, W. R. Norman.

Samuel Reid Post No. 87, Salem.

Com.-*W. J. Hauger.

P. C.—Eli W. Menaugh, Fred L. Prow, Josiah Emery, Wm. Overman, Ed N. Conner, Wm. M. Linscott, Wm. J. Hauger.

Del.-W. R. McKnight, L. D. Martin.

ALT.-W. E. Gordon, G. H. Faulkner.

Robert Huff Post No. 89, Lawrenceburg.

Com.—James E. Larimer.

P. C.—J. Rief, S. Tuthill, John Rork, John McKee, S. E. Harryman, G. Taylor, G. Schmeltzer, J. E. Larimer.

Del.-*C. Demaree.

ALT.—G. O'Toole.



Charles W. Howell Post No. 90, Goshen.

Com.—David B. Hutchinson.

P. C.—Samuel F. Poorman, John W. Cornell, Frank M. Kidder, William S. Bitner, Chas. W. James, David B. Hutchinson, Samuel Whisler, Jos. F. Andrews, Emanuel Egner, W. C. Hafer.

Del.—David Barringer, Reuben Lutz, Henry Bechtel.

ALT.-John C. Darnell, William Stover, Mort E. Jackson.

Worthington Post No. 91, Worthington.

Com.-Ephraim Harrell.

P. C.—Ephriam Harrell, David Fulk, James Spainhover, G. W. Hamilton, James Defore, J. W. Jackson.

Del.-*Zion Brewer.

ALT.—Wm. Brewer.

Samuel H. Dunbar Post No. 92, Greenfield.

Com.—Geo. W. Reed.

P. C.—Henry Snow, *Lafayette Slifer, J. K. Henvy, Taylor Morford, John A. Barr, Wm. Hutton, Thos. Coffee, Jacob H. Pavey, James W. Loder, Stephen D. Jackson, D. C. Jamison, Adam P. Hogle.

Del.-*W. P. Denney, *Jas. M. Elliott.

ALT.

Gettysburg Post No. 93, Spencer.

Com.-W. S. Mead.

P. C.—T. H. Boswell, *D. E. Beem, Alfred Bryant, G. W. Edwards, Wm. Fender, C. A. Hutchison, B. Jacobs, *W. S. Mead, J. S. Meek, James Crofferd, J. H. Murphy, Doad Laverture, James McClure, Geo. Robertson.

Del.—*G. W. Dean.

ALT .- John N. Thomas, Thomas Franklin.

Ben North Post No. 94, Rising Sun.

Com.—S. E. Scott.

P. C.—Wm. H. Clark, Geo. A. Dugle, Geo. W. Sweaney, Charles Fisher, *H. B. Sparks, P. P. Stultz, B. F. Miller, James Harris. S. E. Scott.

DEL.

ALT.—



McClung Post No. 95, Rochester.

Com.-J. H. Shelton.

P. C.—John R. Stallard, I. R. New, J. T. Gaines, S. H. Hoffman, W. S. Bolles, John B. Apt, H. E. Butler, Frank Diller, John H. Shelton.

DEL.-

ALT.

C. C. Wheeler Post No. 98, Versailles.

Com.-T. E. Willson.

P. C.—T. G. Day, *F. M. Hancock, D. K. Marsh, A. M. Wooley, *W. H. Osborn, Ben Windsor, Thos. E. Willson, Philip Seelinger, *B. T. Preble.

Del.-W. R. Beall.

Alt.-John Battman.

Girard Post No. 101, Monon.

Com.—Robert Adams.

P. C .- James Devault, George L. Catlin, Robert Adams.

DEL.-C. M. Horner.

ALT.—Phil Lain.

McHolland Post No. 102, Kentland.

Com.-John Higgins.

P. C.—Isaac Smart, T. C. Moore, Jira Skinner, John Lowe, John Higgins.

DEL.—

ALT.

William Smith Post No. 103, Sheridan.

Com.—George Hamilton.

P. C.—J. S. Kercheval, J. P. Bradfield, J. M. Abbott, J. M. Haughey, A. Steffey, J. H. Cox, W. M. Evans, L. S. Kercheval, J. W. Dungan, A. A. Haskett, R. M. Stephenson, Wm. L. Scott, Geo. Hamilton, E. R. Worley.

Del.—M. Blessing, H. O. Bragg.

Alt.-J. W. Cropper, R. M. Stephenson.

J. H. Danseur Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Com.—John J. Gillette.

P. C.—John J. Gilette, Geo. W. Hissong, *Albert Preston, Ransom J. Willard, Elmer R. Steele, H. M. Bastian, G. W. Minnick.

Del.-Wm. H. Free.

Alt.-*O. A. Kimball.



Van Buren Post No. 105, Pikes Peak.

Com.—Cornelius Hurley.

P. C.—F. A. Hendrix, *R. A. Wilson, A. Hancher, John Foreman, *C. Hurley.

DEL.

ALT.

Chaplain Brown Post No. 106, Valparaiso.

Com.—Jacob Fisher.

P. C.—Nelson J. Bozarth, Aaron W. Lytle, Edward M. Burns, John R. Mills, Jasper N. Finney, D. D. Rose, Frank P. Thompson, James Bell, Tipton B. Louderback.

Del.-Horace B. Miller, John Ritter, Joseph Glover.

Alt.—Louis La Douett, B. E. Reading, William L. Wood.

Charles W. Heath Post No. 109, East Enterprise,

Com.-H. D. Tinker.

P. C.-A. J. Works, Geo. W. Land, H. D. Tinker.

DEL.-

ALT.

Hathaway Post No. 110, Rolling Prairie.

Com.—William Lambson.

P. C.-C. H. Freese, Gilbert Shead, B. R. Worden.

Del.-John Mires.

ALT.-

Morocco Post No. 111, Morocco.

Com.—Henry C. Harris.

P. C.—B. F. Roadruck, George Clark, Samuel Thomas, James Shafer, John Grant.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Kosciusko Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Com.—N. E. Miller.

P. C.—J. N. Runyon, W. H. Bennett, John Niswander, J. S. Neely, N. A. McComb, C. W. Scott, J. W. Sellers, N. Rabbit, C. W. Burket, David Hintzel, I. W. Sharp, S. D. Hathaway, E. L. Seamans, Andrew J. Carey, *J. Tinky.

Del.-J. H. Koontz.

ALT .- John Pinkerton.



Deacon Post No. 115, New Carlisle.

Сом.—Isaac N. Vail.

P. C.—Geo. W. Doughty, Isaac N. Vail, H. H. Wethered, Oren Tippy, Uriah Shorts, L. A. Mandlin.

Del.—Samuel Ernsperger.

ALT.-Frank Smith.

Andrews Post No. 116, Andrews.

Сом.-М. Woodbeck.

P. C.-M. Woodbeck, Wm. McMahon, John Kahl.

Del.-A. J. Rosebaugh.

Alt.-Medoria Brinaman.

George W. Rader Post No. 119, Middletown.

Com.—Imla W. Cooper.

P. C.—J. A. Young, Jonathan Brattain, Lafe Bell, Isaac H. Miller, E. M. Hanby, A. J. Fleming, S. P. Ledgerwood, Wm. M. Moore, John J. Noftsinger.

Del.-Wm. Gossett.

ALT.—Daniel Rent.

Masters Post No. 120, Boonville.

Cом.—*Ephraim Rowe.

P. C.—Wm. H. Allen, *John C. Shaffer, Ephraim Rowe, Wm. H. Hudson, F. J. Lamar.

Del.-Edward Meece.

ALT.

C. L. Guild Post No. 121, Medaryville.

Com.-*Fred Maibauer.

P. C.—*M. Robinson, *W. H. H. Tilton, Fred Maibauer, R. L. P. Massey, Henry L. White.

Del.-*John Manan.

ALT .- Jerry Alred.

James C. Veatch Post No. 123, Rockport.

Com.—*J. K. Baldison.

P. C.—*Bart Inco, Geo. Bettis, *J. S. Wright, Jos. McAdams, *John Heinhaber, *Henry Brand, *John R. Hoffman, *Ed Roberts.—Del.—George Bordenhouse, C. Vogle.

Alt.—B. M. Cotton, Baley Hamilton.



John Murray Post No. 124, Pierceton.

Com.—John A. Clemons.

P. C.—Hiram Finton, John A. Clemons, Alex Adams, George Wolf, John A. Mock, T. A. Hoover, Samuel Kyle, M. R. Bishop.

DEL.-Albert Moor.

ALT.—Daniel Vanness.

Stansbury Post No. 125, Ligonier.

Com.-J. H. Hoffman.

P. C.-J. H. Hoffman, J. L. Dunning, C. R. Graves.

Del.-S. Blackman.

ALT .- J. A. Taylor.

Connersville Post No. 126, Connersville.

Com.—Benj. F. Murphy.

P. C.—William N. Young, Samuel Perrin, William T. Murray, Lycurgus L. Cooley, Justin K. Proctor, Charles H. Smith, Geo. F. Stewart, Thomas M. Little, James Wymore, B. F. Murphy.

Del.-Elbert DeHaven, Charles Lair.

ALT.—John W. Ross, James Ludlow.

Wadsworth Post No. 127, Franklin.

Com.-William D. Voris.

P. C.—Jos. M. Storey, Wm. S. Young, John* H. Wooley, Lewis D. Rothbaust, Wm. H. McClanahan, Jno. R. Owens, James M. Brown, Phil W. Brown, Ed P. Ervin, Thos. B. Wood, Richard V. Ditmars, Wm. W. Long, Dan D. Waldron, Wm. Thomas, Luther Short, Jno. W. Dill, *Lewis King, Wm. H. Fisher, Lewis C. Moore.

Del.—Mylas Y. Hendricks, Andrew J. Johnson, *Christ C. Gourley

, Alt.—Thos. Flinn, Wm. M. Province, Rodman Coons.

Houghton Post No. 128, Mishawaka.

Com.-Manuel M. Fisher.

P. C.—Ed. A. Jernegan, J. H. Gaines, J. W. Boyd, R. E. Perkins, M. M. Fisher, John Borough, E. R. Huntsinger, Ezra Masters. Del.—Eli O. Newman, J. W. Hutchinson.

Alt.—Frank R. Eberhart, Jacob B. Bowens.

Henry C. Coulter Post No. 131, Russiaville.

Com,-J. H. Hawkins.

P. C.—J. F. Miller, Luke Thomas, A. C. Merrick, J. H. Hawkins, George Dunlap.

Del.—Luke Thomas.

Alt.—A. C. Merrick.



Stephen J. Bailey Post No. 154, Portland.

Com.—Jos. E. Clark.

P. C.—Levi L. Gilpin, Louis J. Bruner, J. J. M. LaFollette, John W. Headington, Nimrod Headington, Thos. J. Conley, Wesley D. Sebring, Samuel F. Hiatt, Tunis W. Thorp, Jacob W. Burk.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Major Patton Post No. 157, Vevay.

Com.—Fred Binder.

P. C.—John Moxby, John Shaw, Edmond Raschig, J. C. Kirkpatrick, John Pavey, J. C. Long, Fred Thiebaud.

DEL.

ALT.-

Gordon Tanner Post No. 159, Brownstown.

Com.—E. W. Miller.

P. C.—E. M. Wells, J. C. Gosman, D. B. Vance, Frank Crockett, *Dan Empson, W. T. Hancock, James Bosley, E. W. Miller.

Del.—A. M. Vanover.

Alt.—Elisha Herlay.

John Wheeler Post No. 161, Crown Point.

Com.—Wm. Krimbill.

P. C.—Wm. Krimbill, H. W. Wise, E. F. Caswell, O. G. Wheeler, J. E. Arthur.

DEL.

ALT.

Antietam Post No. 162, Jamestown.

Com.—John F. Proctor.

P. C.—S. M. Best, Thompson Henry, John C. Ferree, Thos. Day, John Yelton, John F. Proctor.

DEL.

ALT.

Jacob Hoops Post No. 163, West Terre Haute.

Com.—Wiley O. Black.

P. C.—C. R. Church, T. R. Underwood, Wesley Harvey.

Del.-Wm. Garrison.

Alt.—Huston Page.



Jesse S. Ogden Post No. 164, Danville.

Com.-W. L. Coates.

P. C.—*Geo. W. Searce, T. J. Cofer, F. H. Huron, J. S. Marshall, Chas. Sacre, A. M. Dooley, John Whyte, *Chas. White, H. N. Vannice, H. B. Little, Harvey Henry, H. T. Kirk, *J. E. Humston.

Del.-William M. Hess.

Alt.—J. T. Ayers.

Jerry B. Mason Post No. 168, Knightstown.

Com.—Robt. Gilbreath.

P. C.—T. B. Wilkinson, John E. Keys, White Heaton, W. B. McGovern, Wm. H. Edwards, Wm. P. Foulke, Robt. Gilbreath.

Del.-Fernandez Rose.

Alt.—J. W. Reeves.

William Swain Post No. 169, Ossian.

Com.-*M. N. Newman.

P. C.-M. N. Newman, J. A. D. Taylor, V. W. Clark.

Del.-*John Koons.

ALT.—Ransom Allen.

Champion Hills Post No. 171, Brockston.

Com.-*John Hartman.

P. C.—O. S. Ramey, *J. E. Carson, J. H. Giles, Robt, Irwin, A. H. Melts, Thos. Bostick.

DEL.

ALT.

August Willich Post No. 175, Batesville.

Com.—John Schultz.

P. C.—C. S. Ward, John Schultz, Peter Schreiner, John Bohland, June Abbott.

Del.—Herman Borkes.

ALT.—Selector Thackerey.

James M. Waggener Post No. 177, Greenwood.

Com.-J. W. Henderson.

P. C.—W. H. Bass. James H. Kelly, G. M. Whitenack, D. S. Whitenack,

DEL.

ALT.



Lynnville Post No. 178, Lynnville.

Com.-L. B. Ridens,

P. C.-L. B. Ridens, M. W. Rice.

DEL.

ALT.

Cambridge City Post No. 179, Cambridge City.

Com.—David Wright.

P. C.—Abram Rummel, W. F. Medsker, I. F. Sweney, John Marplas, David Wright.

Del.-W. B. Overhiser.

ALT.-W. F. Medsker.

George W. Stough Post No. 181, Columbia City.

Com.-J. M. Carver.

P. C.—J. M. Carver, J. N. Keller, W. W. Allen, P. V. Gruesbeck, J. M. Maine, Frank Smith, Adam Keiser.

Del.-Robert B. Boid.

Alt.-Jacob Garber.

Bennett Post No. 183, Kewanna.

Com.—O. J. Lamborn (acting Com.).

P. C.-*J. J. Kumler, A. Hunneshagen.

DEL,-

ALT.

Virgil H. Lyons Post No. 186, Plainfield.

Com.—David Douglass.

P. C.—David Douglass, Taylor Reagan, J. M. Barlow, J. S. Moore, I. A. Johnson, John Tucker.

Del.—Jesse B. Carter.

Alt.-David Holderman.

Stephen Mead Post No. 187, Fort Branch.

Com.—Thos. A. Walters.

P. C.—*Thos. A. Walters, *John A. Ervin, *Aug. Rodeman, Benj. Stewart.

Del.—I. W. Yeager.

ALT.

Duvall Post No. 188, Liberty.

Com.—Clinton Gardner.

P. C.—John Yaryan, Rufus L. Brown, Thos. Casey, Wm. Duvall, J. C. Gillmore, W. H. H. Clark, Jonathan Harlan, Erastus Winters.

DEL.

ALT.



William Speer Post No. 189, Dillsboro.

Com.—Enoch Headley.

P. C.—*Wm. Rowland, James H. Abbott, H. B. Tonnemacher, Lee Roberts, D. C. Misner, Henry Pieper, J. C. Vandolah, Stephen Jones, J. H. Leasure, J. H. Shutts, J. I. Barnhart, W. E. Johnson, H. C. Wheeler, Wm. Handley, F. M. Johnson.

Del.—Enoch Headley.

Alt.—Phil Helms.

W. L. Sanderson Post No. 191, New Albany.

Com.-T. S. Payton.

P. C.—Andrew Fite, Louis Bir, Wm. R. Atkins, Jno. W. Edmonson, Jno. W. Durbin, *Wm. H. Padgett, O. P. Anderson, Robt. Ralston, *A. H. McQuiddy, A. L. Brashear, Edmond Caye, W. H. Merritt, Sylvester Hubler, Wm. J. Noyes, Jno. H. Scott, Jno. W. Sullivan.

Del.—Miley Hazzard, Robt. Ralston, Geo. W. Collins. Alt.—Louis Bir, Michael Shine, Wm. R. Atkins,

Col. Nathan Kimball Post No. 192, Linton.

Com.-W. S. Potter.

P. C.-Jas. Brookshire.

DEL.

ALT.

William Cuppy Post No. 195, South Whitley.

Сом.—В. F. Bates.

P. C.—W. D. Cook, B. F. Bates, Allen Pence, Frank Drake, Will Hengy, J. Keel.

DEL.-

ALT.

Shiloh Field Post No. 198, Elkhart.

Com.—Robt. M. Brininger.

P. C.—Cyrus Seiler, John C. Stuck, E. B. Myers, R. S. Chamberlin, L. M. Smalley, J. A. Bigelow, F. E. Tousley, A. C. Brown, M. E. Huston, Wm. H. Watson, J. L. Miller, Jno. L. Lloyd, A. C. Rogers, D. E. Long, Thos. F. Garvin, W. M. Tobias, W. J. Hazel, J. L. Wright.

Del.—Chas. S. Tousley.

ALT.-W. H. Watson.



Gen. John A. Logan Post No. 199, N. Manchester.

Com.-*F. M. McCutchen.

P. C.—J. D. Spurgeon, Samuel Hamilton, *J. A. Clevenger, B. F. Shilt, Jacob N. Warner, Allen Caty, Henry Smith, John Elwood, John Cox, Chas. Kosher, B. F. Goodwin, Samuel Dunbar, Joe Cowgill, Reuben Moyer.

Del.-H. B. Hidy, John A. Nixon.

Alt.-Jonathan B. Ridgely, Geo. Steller.

Boone Post No. 202, Zionsville.

Com.-Enoch Metzker.

P. C.—J. M. Byers, D. R. Fouts, *C. Newby, *I. T. Huckleberry, J. W. Rooker, Isam Myers, *J. L. Hopkins, *Leonard Burton, R. F. Jacks, Mark D. Miller, Rinelder Lee, J. S. Bussell, W. D. Silverthorn.

Del.—Simpson Burgin.

Alt.-O. P. Hollingsworth.

James Price Post No. 203, Tipton.

Com.-*D. W. Hilligoss.

P. C.—S. G. Downing, Isaac Booth, H. C. Burton, Alonzo Richardson, *Dan Waugh, R. M. Robison, Joseph Gross, D. W. Hilligoss, *Newton Campbell, *Sam Watson, *Wm. Watson, Mahlon Teter, John Λ. Swoveland, Thomas Paul, Solomon Bacey, J. R. Bartholomew, *Alonzo Merritt, Marion Potter, *H. H. Brunnock, *P. C. Goldsmith.

Del.-*David Stage, John Stockdale.

ALT.

Reed Post No. 206, Fulton.

Com.-R. B. Reed.

P. C.—R. B. Reed, J. U. Reed, Jas. H. Baird, W. J. Walters, N. A. Louderback, J. V. Pownall.

DEL.

ALT.

Cicero Post No. 207, Cicero.

Com.—T. H. C. Beall,

P. C.—N. W. Webster, S. T. Dunham, John Foster, Jas. H. Glaze, N. B. Dewey, Michael Kreag, T. H. C. Beall. *Thos. J. Brown, O. H. Cottingham, James Little, Andrew Berg, John Leaming, Allen Turner.

Del.—John Learning, Samuel Dale.

ALT.—



A. B. Wade Post No. 208, Chesterton.

Com.—R. S. Greer.

P. C.-H. H. Williams, A. J. Anderson, R. S. Greer.

Del.-M. McMathan, Jos. Rand.

Alt.-N. DeMass, Joel Hunter.

Geo. H. Chapman Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Com.-Joshua Humbles.

P. C.—James Dunn, Chas. Wheat, A. R. Seward, Jas. Heartley, J. D. Bloomfield, Alonzo Baxter, Jonas Dressler, M. C. Monrean, Geo. W. Summers, W. H. Fullenwider, Leonidas Bowlen, A. J. Stephens, Jas. Leggett, H. L. Trueblood.

Del.—*Andrew J. Helm, Alonzo Baxter, H. H. Eagleman, J. A. Victor, James Perry, Geo. Gilchrist, *John Burns.

Alt.—Lucian Gray, Eli F. Smith, D. A. Robinson, Samuel Baker, David Bell, *W. W. Higgins.

Frank Beitzell Post No. 210, Centerville.

Сом.—Ennias Kitterman.

P. C.—Ennias Kitterman, Nimrod Parrott, *Wm. Matthew, A. D. Zehring, John F. Dynes.

DEL.-

ALT .-

Alexander Trimble Post No. 213, Red Key.

Com.—I. N. Goe.

P. C.—I. N. Goe, Silas Glover, M. V. B. Coons, John W. Hill, Theo. A. Baker.

DEL.

ALT.

William F. Davis Post No. 214, Patriot.

Com.—William Gockel.

P. C.—Rosman I. White, Calvin R. Poston, Francis A. Jackson.

DEL.

ALT.-

Martin Post No. 216, Westville.

Com.—Wm. Kimball.

P. C.—E. S. Smith, J. A. Hilton, T. F. McGuigan, E. M. Bryson, A. Lawrence, J. M. McGinnis, John Hilton, John Herold.

DEL.

ALT.



R. M. Kelly Post No. 217, Edinburg.

Com.-J. D. Fee.

P. C.—J. C. Freese, Joseph Watson, A. W. Winterburg, John Williams, I. N. Foster.

Del.—Gaston Fulps.

ALT.-J. C. Freese.

H. D. Washburn Post No. 220, Dana.

Com.-B. S. Fisher.

P. C.—*Albert Martin, A. P. Adams, John W. Park, James F. Barnett, B. S. Fisher.

Del.-Thomas Adams.

ALT.—Samuel Pearman.

Harrison McAllister Post No. 221. Dupont.

Сом.—В. F. Hedrick.

P. C. Geo. W. Nichols, Jesse H. Collicott, B. F. Hedrick.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Freedom Post No. 222, Freedom.

Com.-L. D. Marley.

P. C.—L. D. Marley, Washington Light, Wm. J. Suffall, Wm. McHenry, Wm. W. Scott, Wm. F. Williams.

DEL.

ALT.

James Moffatt Post No. 223, Elizabethtown.

Com.—James A. Petree.

P. C.—J. B. Anderson, T. G. Hammond, Wm. H. Jackson, James G. Orem, W. H. O'Neal, John Dunn, James A. Petree,

Del.—A. J. Kendall.

Alt.—Joseph F. George.

Samuel Simonson Post No. 226, Charlestown.

Com.—Wyatt E. Willey.

P. C.—Wyatt E. Willey.

DEL.-

ALT.

Jacob Stahl Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Com.—Isaac Jones.

P. C.—Hiram P. Sinclair, Benj. G. Shinn, Elisha Pierce, Clark Stewart, James Marshall, Jacob M. Cox, Joshu» T. Kelly, John W. Stiles, Lewis Reeves, Robt. C. Voss.

DEL.-

ALT.



Sol. D. Kempton Post No. 228, Fortville.

Com.—Robt. S. Irwin.

P. C.—Chas. V. Hardin, Thos. W. Clark, J. C. Jordan, G. W. Conger, M. B. Walker, J. J. Sims, Jos. R. Eakes, Elijah Asbury, Valentine Apple, Robert S. Irwin.

Del.-Isaiah Sharrets.

ALT.-James H. Hines.

Walters Post No. 229, Hebron.

Cом.—John Morrow.

P. C.—G. C. Gregg, John Morrow, Mart Nichols, J. A. Hodgins, J. P. Downs.

DEL.-H. P. Wood.

ALT.—Wm. Addams.

Major Henry Post No. 230, Pendleton.

Com.-Wm. T. Smith.

P. C.—Geo. W. Parker, J. W. Zeublin, Zeba Darlington, *E. W. Collis, B. B. Tillson, A. W. Oldham, J. R. Wene, W. H. H. Benefiel, Chas. B. Cuddy, Wm. I. Jones,

Del.-J. H. Pring.

Alt.-F. V. Pence.

Hammond Post No. 231, Marengo.

Com.—Edward Harrison.

P. C.—J. W. Tower, W. V. Weathers, E. Tower, J. M. Weathers, Jr., E. Harrison.

DEL.

ALT.

Custer Post No. 232, Wakarusa.

Com.—Jerome Martin.

P. C.—Cornelius Morris, Jerome Martin.

Del.—David Harrington.

ALT.-

John Layton Post No. 237, Coatesville.

Com.—J. B. Gambold.

P. C.-J. B. Gambold.

Del.—

ALT.—



Fairfax Post No. 240, Westfield.

Com.—B. F. Hershey.

P. C.—James A. Owen, Calvin Keister, O. F. Brown, B. F. Hershev.

Del.-J. A. Williams.

Alt.-Wm. H. Emery.

R. S. Thomas Post No. 241, Mt. Etna.

Com.-J. W. Giltner.

P. C.-James Gallagher, J. W. Giltner.

DEL.

ALT.

John A. Hollett Post No. 242, Brownsburg.

Сом.—Grand Eaton.

P. C.—I. W. Gray, John Button, John Henson, Grand Eaton, Jas. A. Hollett.

DEL.-

ALT.

Major May Post No. 244, Anderson.

Com.-*D. F. Mustard.

P. S.—John Baker, Edmond Johnson, Chas. R. Stewart, J. J. Musser, H. C. Durbin, W. W. Clifford, F. M. VanPelt, L. D. Crawley, John F. Thompson, Joseph Brown, I. S. Wood, S. G. Bevelheimer, R. B. Mason, W. A. Kindle, Stephen Metcalf, John C. Beesom, C. C. Johnson, H. H. Durbin, Jas. G. Jeffers, Robert Dorste, F. H. Stilson.

Del.—*George Lawson, H. J. Stein, Jesse Forkner, L. J. Burr, W. H. H. Quick.

Alt.—D. B. Davis, Noah H. Randall, John Said, J. W. Lovett, James Ginn.

Lakeview Post No. 246, Syracuse.

Com.-John Willard.

P. C.—C. V. Smith, H. W. Pence, John Willard, Wm. Colville.

DEL.—

ALT.

E. C. Newland Post No. 247, Bedford.

Com.—John B. Malott.

P. C.—*Isaac H. Crim, T. J. Glover, L. E. Payne, *Ed R. Murphy, J. G. Emery, John D. Ganey, *Charles Dunnihue, *Leander Potter, *H. C. Malott, *V. V. Williams, Wm. H. Hilton, *L. P. Lenard, *J. D. Alexander, *James Owens, *C. H. Knight.

Del.-*Samuel Littel, *J. B. Malott, Howard Anderson.

Alt.-John Williams, W. R. Charles, Clay Kerns.



Frank Jones Post No. 249, Huntsville.

Com.-James Adamson.

P. C.-James Adamson, F. W. Gaddis.

DEL.-

ALT.—

Bowman Post No. 250, Hagerstown.

Com.-John L. Dixon.

P. C.—J. L. Dixon, Aaron Woolard, B. F. Jewett, J. M. Hartley, Jos. Benbow, A. J. Simpson, J. B. Williams, J. H. Leavel, Fred Stoltz.

Del.—A. J. Simpson.

ALT.—Aaron Woolard.

Spicely Post No. 252, Orleans.

Com.—James A. Jenkins.

P. C.—Thos. J. Brengle, W. F. Sears, S. J. Habert, Jervel Leonard, L. C. Wright, W. C. Hollowell, L. P. Motsinger.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Roselawn Post No. 253, Roselawn.

Com.-C. R. Ball.

P. C.—

DEL.—

ALT.

Adams Post No. 254, Moores Hill.

Сом.—

P. C.—H. D. Moore, J. F. Spencer, J. W. Lambertson, R. P. Wilson, T. A. Jennings, F. Slater.

DEL.

ALT.

Harter Post No. 256, Newtonville.

Com.—John C. Gorman.

P. C .- John C. Gorman.

Del.-Richard A. Stevens.

ALT.—Thomas J. Lamar.

Roann Post No. 257, Roann.

Com.—L. M. Spotts.

P. C.—J. B. Taylor, T. B. Atwood, J. L. Richardson, L. M. Spotts, Al. Parker, John Fuller, M. H. King, E. P. Morehouse.

DEL.

ALT.



Miles H. Tibbotts Post No. 260, Plymouth.

Сом.-W. E. Bailey.

P. C.—D. L. Dickinson, Wm. B. Hess, G. W. Knoblock, E. Price, J. L. Mosher, L. Tanner, W. E. Bailey.

Del.—Christian Fisher, Joseph White.

ALT.-W. F. Craig, Erastus Mathison,

Moses Herron Post No. 261, Farmland.

Com.-Wm. F. Mullin.

P. C.—Wm. H. Harrison, Henry Deselmo, W. T. Davis, W. J. Clevenger, E. B. McIntire, Caleb Trees, B. F. Sunday, Ellis L. McNees, W. F. Mullin, Curtis B. Small, Nelson Pegg.

Del.-W. T. Davis.

ALT.-B. F. Sunday.

Warrick Post No. 262, Newburg.

Com.—John A. Lawhead.

P. C.—James L. Matthews, Hiram L. Robertson, D. F. Williams, John A. Lawhead.

Del.-*Geo. H. Vanada.

ALT.

Hambright Post No. 270, Arcadia.

Com.-W. H. Hartley.

P. C.-A. Guy, T. J. Bishop, W. H. Hartley.

Del.-*Jas. Frazer.

ALT.-

Lawton-Wayne Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne.

Com.—D. L. Beaber.

P. C.—Geo. D. Adams, Geo. W. Aldrich, Oliver Blystone, *D. N. Foster, John W. Hayden, Edward S. Johns, *W. A. Kelsey, *John J. Ogle, Amos R. Walter, William E. Wood, Charles Ehrman, Cornelius Gearin, L. W. Johnson, A. W. Kintz, I. N. Medsker, Mason Mellott, *H. C. McMaken, William McMaken, H. B. Otto, B. W. Skelton, Eugene B. Smith, Enos White, Frank Gibson, S. Kelker, *D. L. Beaber.

Del.—Stephen W. Chase, R. M. Cloud, *Smith Corbett, Jacob Kayser.

Alt.—W. J. Bright, *Noah Knepper, William Leeper, Asa Turner.



Bruce Post No. 273, Ladoga.

Com.-Mason Summers.

P. C.-Fred Southers, Mason W. Summers, John Hardin.

DEL.-

ALT.

Burnham Post No. 276, Lowell.

Сом.—С. С. Pattee.

P. C.—H. H. Ragon, Yates C. Vosberg, G. W. Davis, R. C. Wood, P. A. McNay, T. D. Dickinson, C. C. Pattee, Thos. Cushman, Wm. E. Zartman, B. W. Labourn.

Del.-O. V. Servis.

Alt.-J. W. Chitwood.

Otterbein Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Com.—J. J. Foster.

P. C.—J. J. Foster, *F. M. Maddox, A. B. Rowen, R. J. Williamson, *G. W. Bringham, *N. A. Chamberlain, J. W. Smith.

Del.-J. D. Timmons.

ALT.

S. K. Harryman Post No. 278, Mooresville.

Com.—B. F. Jones.

P. C.—J. H. Mills, David Fields, S. B. Stanley, W. F. White, H. B. Taylor, J. P. Calvert, J. H. Rusie, B. F. Jones.

Del,-G. W. Bass.

ALT.-J. L. Matthews.

Joseph R. Gordon Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Com.—John S. Morford.

P. C.—Austin Dougherty, David H. Olive, *Wm. D. Wilson, *Robert M. Dunlap, *John R. Fesler, *Louis I. Chapman, *Andrew J. Buckanan, John R. Lowe, James Keller, *Lyman M. Bennett, John W. Kirk, Henry L. Bruce, Benjamin B. Potts, Henry C. Smith, Henry C. Grooms, *Thomas R. Stout, *A. S. Crimans, Henry E. Love.

Del.—*C. W. Chappel, *George Cullen, *Joseph R. Hayes, *Henry P. Wilcox, Henry Canter.

Alt.—Henry Lane, Joseph G. Gerrard, John Reno, G. M. Overhiser, John Stilwell.

Ira G. Grover Post No. 283, Newpoint.

Com.-John L. Hilliard.

P. C.-John L. Hilliard.

DEL.—

ALT.—



General Cruft Post No. 284, Lewis.

Com.-J. N. Woods.

P. C.—*J. N. Woods, Gilbert Liston, C. C. Givens, J. K. P. Stephens, R. H. Cochran.

Del.-T. J. Barnes.

ALT.-M. S. Gosnell.

Benjamin Shield Post No. 289, Dunkirk.

Com.—B. B. Jenkins.

P. C.-J. B. Mendenhall, R. Bloom, B. B. Jenkins.

DEL.-

ALT.-

William Landon Post No. 290, Knox.

Сом.—John G. Kratli.

P. C.—John G. Kratli, O. A. Hays, Chas. Laramore, F. B. Hart, W. H. Replogle, Walter Lightcap, M. Hogan, A. M. Smith, H. H. Englert.

Del.-G. C. Carr.

ALT.—A. J. Laramore.

W. A. Garrison Post No. 291, Lafontaine.

Com,-D. R. Melick.

P. C.—S. D. Harris, T. H. Miller, J. B. Bruner, J. W. Harper, T. P. McNeil, D. R. Melick, J. A. Gardner, F. M. Calfee.

Del.-M. B. Pearson.

ALT.-W. A. Crow.

Acton Post No. 294, Acton.

Com.-J. N. Clark.

P. C.—D. M. Smock, W. C. Hutchinson, W. R. Lowes, J. N. Clark, O. W. Brenton, F. M. Gordon, J. J. Lowes, A. H. Plymate, Fernando Sleeth, Isaac Schaffer, R. E. Hawley.

DEL.

ALT.-

Joe Cook Post No. 296, Lynn.

Com.—Thos. P. White.

P. C.—J. M. Hamilton, Squire C. Bowers, Benj. B. Green, T. M. Nichols, Wm. W. Kinsey, Ezra Nye, T. P. White, G. M. Bascom, Martin Eckerle, Henry Hawkins, H. M. Benson.

Del.-Henry Hawkins.

Alt.—Geo. M. Bascon.



William H. Link Post No. 301, Monroeville.

Com.-D. W. Miller.

P. C.—Isaac Jones, Emanuel Friedline, J. D. Friedline, John Gailey, Morris Rose, J. W. Meeks, John E. Pillers, Charles A. Nill, G. W. Muma, N. R. Spaulding, D. W. Miller.

Del.-J. W. Meeks.

ALT.—Emanuel Friedline.

Thomas G. Hall Post No. 304, Andersonville.

Com.-*Madison G. James.

P. C.-William S. Kaler, John W. Kramer, Theodore Walker,

Del.—Charles H. Kelso.

ALT.—Geo. W. Phillips.

Frank Neff Post No. 307, Sullivan.

Com.—Robert Houpt.

P. C.—*W. P. Maxwell, *M. F. Willis, U. Coulson, O. H. Crowder, W. H. Crowder, J. P. Wilkey, *Vardaman Boles, David Chastain, Wm. Lawson, Robert Knotts, Josiah Asdell, George Buff, W. B. Ridgeway, R. K. Houpt.

DEL.

ALT.-

John Stewart Post No. 310, Cammack.

Com.-J. C. Darbyshire.

P. C.—R. M. Snodgrass, J. C. Darbyshire, D. M. Tuttle, R. N. Miller, Joshua Jester.

DEL.

ALT.

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Com.—*A. J. Best.

P. C.—*Wm. Houghton, *J. A. Bramble, A. J. Best, *L. L. Dilley, *J. A. Padgett.

Del.-*M. F. Halbert, *G. W. Nolan.

Alt.—Felix Mullen.

Lovell H. Rosseau Post No. 326, Bloomfield.

Com.—Franklin Ramsey.

P. C.—Thomas M. Ryan, Levi J. Fawcett, James Harrell.

DEL.

ALT.—



Joe Kearns Post No. 327, Merom.

Com.-G. W. Pleasant.

P. C.—Wm. E. Maple, G. W. Pleasant, James Hunt, A. P. Coyner, John Creager, J. H. Ladd, H. H. Shideler.

Del.—Perry Smith.

ALT.—John Daniels.

P. R. Owens Post No. 329, Clinton.

Com.—Jos. W. Reeder.

P. C.—Milburn J. Ruby, David McBeth, *Levi Wright, Thomas A. Kibby, James M. Robertson, *Martin H. Stokesberry, *Jos. W. Reeder.

Del.-James M. Youmans.

ALT.—Geo. W. Stultze.

William C. Jackson Post No. 332, Dale.

Com.—D. S. Thompson.

P. C.—Jacob Miller, A. Mills, John Schaaf, D. S. Thompson.

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ALT.-

Winchester Post No. 333, Gosport.

Com.-John S. Snodgrass.

P. C.—Hiram Murphy, N. S. Crissman, W. T. Hatfield, John Snodgrass.

DEL.

ALT.

Basil B. Decker Post No. 334, West Baden.

Com.-Thos. J. Underwood.

P. C.—H. T. Henson, Ira Breedlove, J. P. Rominger, *T. J. Cave, G. W. Kellams, *A. R. Anderson, G. W. Pruett, *Thos. J. Underwood.

Del.—Bedford Standfield.

Alt.-*G. W. Pruett.

William H. Hamilton Post No. 339, Morgantown.

Cом.—Peter Kemp.

P. C.—Peter Kemp.

Del.—Peter Kemp.

ALT.—Benton Lang.



Frederick Penny Post No. 351, Jeffersonville.

Com.-John Mitchell.

P. C.—William Booker, Ben Morrison, Stephen Hayden, J. A. Jeffries.

DEL.-

ALT.

Robert Cromwell Post No. 355, Winslow.

Com.—S. Fettinger.

P. S.-S. Fettinger, *G. P. Burch, J. A. Stephens.

DEL.-

ALT.

Addleman Post No. 357, White Water.

Com.—John Van Zant.

P. S.—Wm. G. White, John Hunt, J. W. Garrett, Jerome Jordan, John Van Zant.

DEL.-

ALT.

Jas. B. Cartwright Post No. 358, Pennville.

Com.—T. W. Underwood.

P. C.—W. H. Hickman, F. C. Andrews, J. D. Smith, A. T. Place, T. J. Cartwright, *T. W. Underwood.

Del.-Wm. Eberly.

ALT.—*T. J. Jones.

Williamson Post No. 364, Paoli.

Com.—Sam Toliver.

P. S.—J. R. Moore, Wm. Kimbrel, Sam Toliver, Zeb Lambdin, Pat Holiday.

DEL.

ALT.

Hiram G. Fisher Post No. 366, Lapel.

Com.—E. G. Huffman.

P. C.—Harvey Gwinn, C. C. Studley, Addison Fisher, Jasper Huffman, J. P. Garett, J. A. Sears, J. H. Farrer.

DEL.-

ALT.

Johnson Post No. 368, Montpelier.

Com .- W. W. Adams.

P. C.—Eli Arnold, Daniel Arnold, W. W. Adams, Warren G. Gray.

DEL.-

ALT.-



Maj. Rob't. Anderson Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

Com.-*Harlan P. Miller.

P. C.—N. M. Taylor, *Z. T. Landers, J. A. C. F. Myers, J. A. Murphy, James M. Robbins, Robert Gordon, Wm. F. Clark, Ed. L. Jones, Joseph Burk, *Adam Miller, Harlan P. Miller, Wm. C. Hinckley, Wm. H. Calvert, Peyton Walters, Robert Keller, John L. Ketchum, Wm. Ohaver, Wm. W. Robbins, Chas. W. Snyder, Harvey W. Pease, Ed. G. Booz, Isom Griffin.

Del.—J. J. Sincebaugh, Wm. M. Cochran, Cyrus Noble. Alt.—Jesse Buddinger, Thomas C. Moore, Ralph Tull.

Major Arn Post No. 370, Hillsdale.

Com.—J. B. Davis,
P. C.—Wm. Pearman, R. Ingerton,
Del.—
Alt.—

Jas. B. McPherson Post No. 371, Koleen.

Com.—J. E. Walton, P. C.—J. E. Walton, DEL.—Eli S. Combs. Alt.—Henry Jackson.

Jesse Coppock Post No. 378, Walkerton.

Com.—Silas Baker.
P. C.—B. F. Rinehart, R. Neville.
DEL.—John Wolfram.
ALT.—Anthony Turner.

John Secrist Post No. 384, Laurel.

Com.—Joseph Stevens.
P. C.—Jos. Stevens, S. M. Potts, J. H. DeArmond.
Del.—
Alt.—

Beeson Post No. 386, Fairmount.

Com.-Jason Smith.

P. C.—Mathias Friend, Judge Smithson, Chas. F. Beick, Ephraim Bartholomew, Frank Jones, Byron Love, Alexander Little, Roland Smith.

Del.—



Leamon Griffith Post No. 387, Hamilton.

Com.-L. W. Griffith.

P. C.—Hiram Sweet, G. H. Casper, R. R. Dirim, L. W. Griffith, B. F. Griffith, R. G. Renner, Chas. Wright, Thomas Crane, J. R. Lemon, Jacob Runnel, Wm. Houlton, Hiram Merchant, Henry Foutz, M. A. Howard.

DEL.-

ALT.

Huckleberry Post No. 391, Butlerville.

Com.—Jasper N. Callicott.

P. C.—*J. N. Callicott, F. W. Huer, J. R. Davis, J. R. Pool, Paul F. Strickland, Lemuel Engle.

Del.—

ALT.—

Carroll Post No. 393, Stockwell.

Com.—Henry Davidson.

P. C.-W. M. Ward, Henry Davidson.

DEL.

ALT.

Blinn Post No. 394, Prairieton.

Com.—John T. Reynolds.

P. C.-W. O. Burgett, E. H. McPheeters, R. L. Smith.

Del.-Wm. W. Harmon.

ALT.—Levi Applegate.

Simon Miller Post No. 401, Akron.

Com.—Augustus Case.

P. C.—*Edmund R. Brown, James H. Love, Tillman H. Brook, Joseph H. Day, Albert G. Grove, Joseph Hoover, Thomas Steel, Frank M. Weaver, Joseph H. Waite, Augustus Case, Martin L. Patterson, John W. Clifton.

Del.—Lewis Sippey.

Alt.—Nathan L. Perry.

Berlin Post No. 402, Nappanee.

Com.—Daniel Culp.

P. C.—Daniel Culp, B. Uline, F. M. Carns, E. R. Tobias, John Reed.

Del.-Jonathan Yarian.



John Ruess Post No. 406, Upland.

Com.-Fred Wilhelm.

P. C.—Thomas Gourley, Fred Wilhelm, R. Waterman, Milton Marshall, Linus Marshall, Henry J. Kline, F. A. Fleming, Donald McIntosh, Wm. Graves, Olin Deeren, Wm. T. Smith.

Del.-John Jones.

ALT.

Altoona Post No. 407, Waterman.

Com.—George W. Knauer.

P. C.—Robert G. Paschal, *George W. Knauer.

Del.—Daniel C. Williams.

ALT.—Isaac B. Dowdell.

Edwin Lennox Post No. 408, Swayzee.

Com.—Chauncy Knowlton.

P. C.—James Mullins, John B. Myer, William F. Knote, Isaac Lee.

Del.—Burgess Pray.

ALT.-William King.

Magnolia Post No. 409, Jonesboro.

Com.—A. H. Cline.

P. C.—A. H. Cline, A. J. Miller, W. R. Coomler, I. Nicodemus, George G. Clark, J. H. Coppock.

Del.-John N. Coovert.

ALT.—J. C. Adams.

J. B. Hager Post No. 414, Switz City.

Com.

P. C.-*Marion Bennett.

DEL.

ALT.

John K. Highman Post No. 415, New Harmony.

Com .- *Morris Ford.

P. C.-J. P. Jackson, Robert Clarke, Morris Ford.

Del.-*William Hartman.

ALT.—William Ford.

John H. Wilson Post No. 419, Albany.

Com.—Lafayette Sult.

P. C.—D. M. Bell, M. Vincent, J. R. Stafford, J. J. Hook, Geo. H. Current, John Haisten, Lafayette Sult.

Del.-*John S. Krohn.

ALT.-



Fountain City Post No. 420, Fountain City.

Com.-*J. B. Chenoweth.

P. C.-J. B. Chenoweth, R. M. Clark, M. M. Lacey.

DEL.-Edward Price.

ALT.-J. T. Bloom.

Garland Post No. 423, Waveland.

Com.-W. S. Goslin.

P. C.-W. S. Goslin, Milton Carrington.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Hugh H. Willits Post No. 424, Greentown.

Com.—Chas. E. Disbro.

P. C.—A. A. Covalt, T. L. Osborn, Stephen Jarvis, Cornelius Powell, T. L. Himes, Wilson J. Hiatt, Joseph Clevenger, George Newkirk, *W. M. Voorhis.

Del.-William Sater.

ALT.

Reuben Masten Post No. 431, Amo.

Com.—I. B. Hodson.

P. C.—Nathan Masten, Wm. Beason, Syl Mabe, Amos Kersey, Wm. Hunt, I. B. Garrison.

Del.—Aaron Reitzel.

ALT.—Syl Mabe.

Silvers Post No. 435, New Lebanon.

Com.—John W. Carney.

P. C.-*T. B. Springer, R. K. Houpt, J. W. Canary.

DEL.

ALT.

R. C. Kise Post No. 437, Darlington.

Com.—E. P. McCloskey.

P. C.—E. P. McCloskey, W. H. Custer, E. H. Russell, S. S. Martin.

Del.-W. L. Harland.

Alt.-J. B. Martz.



B. R. Dunn Post No. 440, Matthews.

Com.—Samuel Reed.

P. C.—John Sanders, Warren Fergus, John F. Wright, William Simons, John B. Reason, T. J. Miller, D. W. Wills, Thomas Scott, H. A. Greenleaf, Joseph Clark, Esla Stephenson, Samuel Reed.

Del.—Henry Garrison.

ALT.—Hugh Deeren.

Henry Chipman Post No. 442, Warsaw.

Com.-B. Q. Morris.

P. C.—B. Q. Morris, H. P. Comstock, H. W. Graham, J. S. Smith, A. G. Wood, W. N. Boydston, Alvin Robinson, J. E. Stephenson, J. J. Babcock, J. A. Peterson, J. W. Armstrong, Frank Dillon.

Del.-John P. Kehler.

Alt.-M. Phillipson.

Mich. Campbell Post No. 444, Spartanburg.

Сом.-

P. C.—Henry Wise, Augustin Moran, John F. Middleton, James Knox, John Hawkins.

DEL.-

ALT.

George W. Rotramel Post No. 445, Carlisle.

Com.—Daniel Hines.

P. C.—W. E. Cowle, Bailey McConnell, Joseph Whalen, Daniel Hines.

Del.-George Watson.

ALT.—James Miller.

W. W. Millines Post No. 447, Chrisney.

Com.-J. P. Baker.

P. C.—J. P. Baker, W. D. Henderson, D. J. Smith, Henry Bender, W. H. H. Taylor.

Del.-*Joseph Cissna.

Alt.-W. R. Egnew.

Guckus Wellman Post No. 448, Jasper.

Com.-Conrad Eckert.

P. C.-John Betz, *W. S. Hunter, Conrad Eckert.

DEL.-



Jonathan J. Burge Post No. 454, Prairie Creek.

Com.-*Arthur Bowen.

P. C.-E. S. Kester, Arthur Bowen, N. H. Ring.

DEL.

ALT.

W. T. Sherman Post No. 455, Bridgeport.

Com.—D. L. Crone.

P. C.-D. L. Crone, Benj. Saunders.

DEL.

ALT.-

F. F. Swain Post No. 456, Milroy.

Com.—Edward Fisher.

P. C.—Samuel B. Jones, Solomon Smith, Edward Fisher, William A. Smith.

Del.—Isaac Seright.

ALT.—Andrew J. Pulliam.

Henryville Post No. 461, Henryville.

Com.—Samuel H. Williams.

P. C.—Ed L. Perrine, I. P. Wells, Joseph Smallwood, James A. Clegg, Peter Francis, William Holton, Jake Hartman, James Ferguson, Samuel H. Williams.

Del.-Thomas Whittinghill.

Alt.—Hez. Cleaveland.

Hiram Williamson Post No. 465, Florence.

Com.—John Love.

P. C.—John Love, Jos. Bonnelle, Ferdinand Came, John Evett, John Scott.

DEL.

ALT.

Charles Porter Post No. 469, Hope.

Com.-W. H. Aikin.

P. C.-W. H. Aikin.

Del.-*Benj. Maze.

ALT.—B. F. Miller.

Ulrich Dahlgren Post No. 470, Laconia.

Com.—Sylvanus Steepleton.

P. C.—C. C. H. Kerns, Sylvanus Steepleton, Noah Elbert, Wm. J. Shaw, J. W. Rhodes.

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Com.-*James P. Taylor.

P. C .- J. P. Taylor.

Del.-J. B. Myers.

ALT.-H. N. Correll.

Marsh B. Taylor Post No. 475, Lafayette.

Com.-John Mitchell.

P. C.—*Stephen M. Aiken, *Solomon Penrod, A. S. Young, J. B. Shaw, Chas. Poock, Louis Frischmyer, Job S. Sims, Charles Hasty, James Davidson, Amos V. Eaton, Elijah Sparks, Samuel Jackson, James Glenn, Lemuel S. Ross.

Del.-John Bell, John Hutchinson.

Alt.-John Gault, Joseph Jackson.

Henry T. McClung Post No. 476, Pleasantville.

Com.-J. S. Anderson.

P. C.—Thos. N. McClurg, J. S. Anderson, B. F. Shepherd, Casper H. Moody, D. S. Hunter.

DEL.-

ALT.

Cory Post No. 477, Cory.

Com.-*Silas Foulke.

P. C.—*Wm. Hixon, Nathaniel Donham, Aker B. Haney, Hugh Robertson, E. W. Hester, Silas Foulke.

DEL.

ALT.—

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Com.-W. H. H. Kifer.

P. C.—John Barnes, David Korte, Fred Garvis, Jasper Greer, W. H. H. Kifer, J. T. Morris, Frederick Schultz, Geo. A. Smith, P. F. Smith, John T. Taylor, Wm. Meach.

DEL.

ALT.

Albert J. Guthridge Post No. 488, Rensselaer.

Com.—Thos. A. Crockett.

P. C.—J. F. Irwin, N. S. Bates, Geo. O. Pumphrey, Erastus Peacock, M. H. Hemphill.

DEL.-



Henry Speyer Post No. 489, Culver.

Com.—Samuel Osborn.

P. C.—Ezra Blanchard, Samuel Osborn, Jacob E. Myers, William Walker.

DEL.-

ALT.

Frank White Post No. 490, Huron.

Com.—Josephus King.

P. C.—*Josephús King, Wilburn Terrell, Wm. A. Toliver, Wm. L. West, John Terrell.

Del.-William L. West.

ALT.—Jesse Bex.

Harrow Post No. 491, Mt. Vernon.

Com.-U. S. Marrs.

P. C.—*L. W. Jones, *G. W. Kimball, Alonzo Erwin, *Slyvester Kirk, Robert Magill, Jas. Mills, R. M. Stinnett, V. M. Cartwright, U. S. Marrs.

Del.-Henry Baldwin, Wm. F. Dixon.

ALT.-Jno. G. Layer, Mathias Moore.

Ashbaugh Post No. 497, Stinesville.

Com.-W. H. Brown.

P. C.—W. H. Brown, Thomas Wible, D. C. Pugh, I. S. Williams, W. H. York.

Del.—D. C. Pugh.

ALT .- W. H. York.

George A. Kendall Post No. 499, Lizton.

Com.-J. S. Tharp.

P. C.—J. I. Adams, H. B. Leak, Jas. M. Leak, Walter Schermerhorn, H. T. Storms, Jacob Kendall, John S. Tharp, John Montgomery, A. Overstreet.

DEL.-

ALT.

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Com.—Fred Lash.

P. C.—John W. Dyer, Patrick Reilley, J. M. Krause, Geo. E. Jaqua, E. C. Weeks, Geo. R. Streeter.

DEL.

ALT.—



C. C. Browand Post No. 505, Kendallville.

Com.-W. C. Lane.

P. C.-W. C. Lane, M. Broughton, Eli Miller, John R. Smith.

Del.—*W. W. Riddle.

Alt.—A. J. Rimmel.

General Russell Post No. 506, Princeton.

Com.—Benjamin May.

P. C.-James Cox, Benjamin May.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Wm. McLaughlin Post No. 508, Milford.

Com.—James Orn.

P. C.—Edward Bicknell, Isaac Closser, J. C. McLaughlin, J. K. Kinley.

DEL.—

ALT.—

Jackson Woods Post No. 512, Schooner.

Com.—James M. Yoder.

P. C.-James M. Yoder.

Del.—Benj. Sibert.

Alt.-James Bond.

John Coshow Post No. 513, Parkersburg.

Com .- J. T. McMurtry.

P. C.-J. T. McMurty.

DEL.-

ALT.

Melville Thomas Post No. 515, Paris Crossing.

Com.—T. H. Hudson.

P. C.—J. M. Dixon, T. H. Hudson, Harmon Dixon, G. W. Dodd, W. Muster, G. W. Smith, C. W. Allen.

Del.-James C. Whitsitt.

ALT.—Henry T. Sturatt.

Henry McLaughlin Post No. 516, Salamonia.

Com.—John McLaughlin.

P. C.—L. W. Lamasters, R. B. Whitacre, B. F. Harter, John McLaughlin.

Del.—W. A. Caster.

Alt.-F. M. Bickel.



Noah Ring Post No. 518, Hymera.

Com.—Cary J. McAnally.

P. C.-C. J. McAnally, John F. Scherb.

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ALT.

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Com.-*Z. M. McCleary.

P. C.—*L. Emerson, *James Reeves, *James Gillum, *A. Harper, Z. M. McCleary.

Del.-*William Caskey.

ALT.—Abraham Grubb.

Advance Post No. 524, Advance.

Com.-George Canada.

P. C.-J. W. Roark, A. N. Lewis, Geo. Canada, Thos. Mulson.

Del.—

ALT.

John T. Benson Post No. 527, Lanesville.

Com.—John W. Blume.

P. C.—George W. Pfrimmer, James A. Harbison, Thos. Lyskowinski, George G. Schafer, John W. Blume.

Del.—*John J. Bulleit.

ALT.—Adam Stoker.

Kerr Post No. 529, Rome City.

Com.—Allen Barr.

P. C.—Jacob Pfaff, Joseph Grim, G. H. Northam, Levi Crume, Allen Barr.

DEL.-W. H. Moore.

ALT.—Samuel A. Shanower.

Fred Small Post No. 531, Westport.

COM.—R. T. Stott

P. C.—William House, J. W. Williamson, I. P. Burroughs, W.

J. Richardson, B. W. Jamison, Patrick Manion, R. T. Stott.

Del.-John Shaw.

ALT.—Lewis Smalley.

Col. Joseph Lane Post No. 540, Heltonville.

Com.—W. W. Giger.

P. C.—W. W. Giger.

DEL.



Patten Post No. 552, Bicknell.

Com.—B. F. Lansford.

P. C.—B. F. Lansford, Samuel A. Bunting, Ellis House, H. F. Pieper.

Del.-J. G. Hart, G. W. Donaldson.

ALT.

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Com.-J. B. Clark.

P. C.—T. A. Howes, J. M. Whorton, L. S. Myer, J. B. Clark, A. B. Ledman, G. W. Shanklin, Hes Roberson, R. R. Bright, W. A. Pruitt, R. C. Menaugh,

Del.-Fred Landis.

ALT.-Wm. Jordan.

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Com.-Wm. Newkirk.

P. C.—*Wm. L. Mitchell, Wm. F. Mattox, A. B. Wood, John A. Abbott, Stephen Sutton, Henry Holliday, James Tyner, Albert Byrkit, Geo. W. Garrettson, John A. Hawk, Henry Garrett, Wm. Newkirk, John D. Hardesty, Samuel Hodge.

Del.-Joseph Williams.

ALT.—Henry Miller.

John Keitzer Post No. 563, Monterey.

Com.—Wm. Buehrle.

P. C.—Wm. Buehrle.

Del.-T. W. Ginn.

Alt.—Wilson Brugh.

Gaskins Post No. 564, Farmersburg.

Com.—A. P. Asbury.

P. C.—M. A. Jennings, *A. P. Asbury, *E. K. Asbury, John Wisener, *Byron Dolson, S. C. Smock.

Del.—Daniel Fisher, Daniel Jones.

Alt.-Edd Young, Jerry Weaver.

Notre Dame Post No. 569, Notre Dame.

Com.-Mark A. Wills.

P. C.-Mark A. Wills.

Del.—



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Com.—David W. Sage.

P. C.—James E. Gillespie, D. W. Sage, John W. Hamacher, J. S. Campbell.

Del.—D. W. Sage.

ALT.—Elias White.

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Com.—James Knight.

P. C.-James Knight, J. H. Kerr.

DEL.

ALT.-

Norman Eddy Post No. 579, South Bend.

Com.—Elmer Crockett.

P. C.—*W. E. Gorsuch, Elmer Crockett, *J. H. Loughman, E. P. Stansfield, O. W. Williams, E. P. Chapin, A. Anderson, J. N. Calvert, J. T. Kelly, C. King, J. M. Caulfield, W. P. Harmon, Chas. Steele.

Del.-*W. M. Matthews.

ALT.-J. J. Mayer.

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Com.—Chas. Strauch.

P. C.—Geo. W. Coward, Joseph L. Leach, Joseph Veasey, Reuben B. Reynolds, Wm. H. H. Clegg, Hugh Mitchell, Geo. J. Beninger, Levi W. Robinson, James W. Stanforth.

DEL.

ALT.

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Com.—Enoch Moss.

P. C.—W. H. Anderson, Robert Moss, Moses Slaughter.

Del.-Louis Walker.

ALT.—James Wagner.



Martin Rutter Post No. 584, Pittsburg.

Com,—Geo. N. Vanostin.

P. C.—Wm. Myers, J. J. Jones, J. W. Foster, J. N. Davidson, B. S. Hendrixson, J. K. Myers, Geo. N. Vanostin.

Del.-Chas. Thayer.

Alt.—E. J. Lester.

George G. Reilly Post No. 585, Vincennes.

Com.—S. F. Johnson.

P. C.—S. F. Johnson, B. L. Walker.

DEL.-

ALT.-

Benj. F. Spooner Post No. 586, Yorkville.

Cом.—*N. Zimmer.

P. C.-N. Zimmer, *George Schite.

Del.-*John J. Carter.

ALT.

Brook Post No. 588, Brook.

Com.-M. A. Jones.

P. C.—M. A. Jones, J. B. Lyons, Thorpe Bagley, A. F. Merchant, J. W. S. Ulrey.

DEL.

ALT.

Jasper Packard Post No. 589, State Soldiers' Home, Lafayette.

Com.—D. C. Lauck's.

P. C.—Geo. Poineer, R. J. Powell, J. H. Sawyer, Peter Slanter, D. B. Kehler, F. M. Cones, *John H. Tyson.

DEL.

ALT.—

John P. Baird Post No. 592, Terre Haute.

Com.—A. M. Collins.

P. C.—John E. Bickel, Martin Beal, James H. Colescott, T. J. Keylon, B. F. Boring, W. K. Burnett, Lafayette Roberts, A. M. Collins.

Del.—M. V. Whetzell, J. C. Smith.

Alt.—John F. Nichols, David Royer.



The following Rules and Order of Business was adopted by the Encampment:

The Council of Administration recommends that the rder of business for the government of Encampment be as follows:

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1. Opening of the Encampment.
- 2. Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 3. Calling Roll of Department Officers and Posts.
- 4. Commander's Address.
- Appointment of Committees on Reports of Officers and other Committees.
- 6. Reception and Reference of Resolutions and Communications.
- 7. Reports of Officers.
- 8. Reports of Committees.
- 9. Miscellaneous Business, including meeting place of next Encampment.
- Election of Delegates and Alternates to National Encampment.
- 11. Election of Department Officers as follows:
 - (a) Council of Administration.
 - (b) Chaplain.
 - (c) Medical Director.
 - (d) Junior Vice-Department Commander.
 - (e) Senior Vice-Department. Commander.
 - (f) Commander.
- 12. Installation of Officers.

The business of the Encampment shall be conducted under the "Rules of Order" of the National Encampment so far as they are applicable.

All speeches shall be limited to five minutes, except by unanimous consent.

All resolutions offered shall be referred to the Committee on Resolutions without reading and without debate, on the first day of the Encampment. And no resolution shall be considered that has not been presented to the Encampment on the first day and signed by the party presenting it, except by two-thirds vote.

In nominations for Department Officers the roll will be called by Congressional Districts, and only the name, location and Post of the Comrade shall be given.

The Comrades from each Congressional District will assemble



in district meeting on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock in the hall and organize by selecting a chairman, first and second vice-chairmen and two tellers, who shall serve until the next Encampment or until their successors are elected. These names shall be reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General at once. They shall at the same time select delegates and alternates to the National Encampment and shall also name one Comrade to be placed on the ticket for Council of Administration. A member of the Committee on Resolutions will also be named and reported to the Assistant Adjutant-General. They shall at the same time recommend for appointment by the Department Commander the name of one suitable Comrade for District Recruiting Officer.

In balloting for Department Officers in the Encampment, the same Tellers shall collect the ballots of their respective Districts, count the same, and when the Districts are called, the Chairman of such District will announce the result of such ballot for each candidate, and send the same in writing to the Assistant Adjutant-General, signed by the Chairman and Tellers. The Assistant Adjutant-General shall then tabulate the vote and announce the result for each candidate.

If there be any controversy in any District over the result of any ballot before it is announced, the Commander shall, upon the request of two Comrades, order the roll of said District called for verification.

Representatives and Alternates to the National Encampment shall be elected in the same manner as Department Officers, and apportioned to each Congressional District according to the numerical strength of the District; one Representative and one Alternate for each three hundred Comrades in good standing, and one additional Representative and Alternate for a major fraction of more than one-half of that number, apportioned as follows.

One Representative and one Alternate-at-large.
First District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Second District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Third District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Fourth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Fifth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Sixth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Seventh District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Eighth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.
Ninth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.
Tenth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.
Eleventh District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.



Twelfth District—Two Representatives and two Alternates.

Thirteenth District—Three Representatives and three Alternates.

In balloting no proxies will be allowed, and no votes will be counted unless cast by Comrades present in the hall at the time the vote is taken, either by Districts or in open Encampment. After the second ballot for any office, the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes shall be dropped on each successive ballot.

First District—Gibson, Vanderburg, Warrick, Spencer, Pike and Posey.

Second District—Daviess, Green, Knox, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Owen, Sullivan.

Third District—Dubois, Perry, Crawford, Harrison, Floyd, Clark, Scott, Washington, Orange, Lawrence.

Fourth District—Bartholomew, Brown, Dearborn, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Ohio, Ripley, Switzerland, Decatur.

Fifth District—Hendricks, Putnam, Clay, Parke, Vermilion, Vigo.

Sixth District—Fayette, Franklin, Hancock, Henry, Rush, Shelby, Union, Wayne.

Seventh District-Marion.

Eighth District—Adams, Wells, Jay, Randolph, Delaware, Madison.

Ninth District—Fountain, Montgomery, Boone, Clinton, Carroll, Tipton, Hamilton, Howard.

Tenth District—Benton, Jasper, Lake, Newton, Porter, Tippecanoe, Warren, White.

Eleventh District—Blackford, Cass, Grant, Huntington, Miami, Pulaski, Wabash.

Twelfth District—Allen, DeKalb, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Whitley.

Thirteenth District—Elkhart, Fulton, Kosciusko, Laporte, Marshall, Starke, St. Joseph.

Senior Vice-Commander John J. Ogle, not being present, Past Commander A. B. Crampton was called to the chair while the Department Commander delivered his address.



DEPARTMENT COMMANDER'S ADDRESS.

EVANSVILLE, IND., MAY 10, 1916.

COMRADES: One year ago I stood before the Department Encampment as its newly-elected Commander, very greatly appreciating the high honor that had come to me through your good will, and yet anxiously wondering if I could creditably meet the responsibilities of that high office.

Now, the months have slipped quickly by—the year closes—the record is made; and while I have no great achievements of which to boast, yet I trust you will not adjudge the work of the year a total failure.

To me, personally, the year has brought much of real joy. I have enjoyed the privilege of a broader acquaintance with those grand old men, who not only stood by their colors during those crucial days from '61 to '65, but who, for more than a half century, have faithfully served their country in the Grand Army of the Republic.

As I have looked upon the forms and faces of these "color guards of the Nation's patriotism" my heart has been strangely warmed, and I have felt that such as I need have no higher ambition or seek for any greater joy than to be recognized as "Comrade" by such men as these.

During the year I have responded to every call save one; and if financial conditions and other circumstances had been favorable, would gladly have visited every post in the Department, even though it had taken every working day in the year in doing so.

But with the present conditions—the Commander working without salary, and with a limited expense account—it is a matter of impossibility for him to reach even the majority of the Comrades in their post meet-





ings. I am satisfied by seven years experience on that line that the best and easiest way to get Commander and Comrades together is for each district to select its best man as District Commander and then join heartily with him in rallying the comrades at some convenient point in the district at least once during the year.

THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

One of the truths that has come home to me with more force than ever before is the fact that our welfare during the few years that remain to us, also the perpetuation of our good name, and the continuation of our work of teaching patriotism, must depend more and more upon our allies.

Every old soldier, be he a member of the Grand Army or not, ought to say from the depths of his heart: "Thank God for the Woman's Relief Corps!"

We realize as the years go by that we must depend upon the members of this order more and more to help us care for our needy and destitute comrades and their dependent widows and orphans. Judging the future by the past, we are assured that they will not fail us in our time of need.

LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

What is here said of the good work of the Woman's Relief Corps may also be truthfully said of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. This organization, like the Woman's Relief Corps, has for its cardinal virtue, "Loyalty"—loyalty to the flag, and loyalty to every interest of the men who fought for the flag. May heaven's richest blessings rest upon both these noble organizations of noble women!



SONS OF VETERANS AND THEIR AUXILIARY.

When we come to contemplate the future—not so much the future of our order, but the perpetuation of the principles it teaches—Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty—and also the perpetuation of the honor due to the memory of those whose lives were laid on their country's altar, we look with intense interest to the Sons of Veteran's Auxiliary.

These are noble allies; but their power to aid us and to perpetuate our work would be greatly increased if even the majority of those eligible could be induced to join in the work. However, our hope and trust is that as the members in our order decrease, theirs will increase in a ten-fold ratio.

STATE AND NATIONAL SOLDIERS' HOMES.

I had previously known of the magnificent provisions secured through the influence of the G. A. R. and provided by our state and nation for our afflicted, dependent comrades and their widows and orphans; but my vision has been broadened and my heart has been made more sincerely grateful as I have had opportunity to officially visit and become acquainted with the working of our institutions.

Those of us who do not now, and may not in the future, feel the need of help on that line, ought to rejoice in the fact that any comrade who for lack of funds to care for himself, or lack of friends who are able and willing to care for him, or who, for any other reason finds himself in need of a home, can find a refuge at the Government Soldiers' Home at Marion, where every necessary want is supplied—where he is not only comfortably lodged and fed, but nursed and doctored when



sick, and laid away decently to rest in a beautiful cemetery when he dies.

Our State Home at Lafayette does all this for the Comrade who finds a home there, but it goes a step further—it provides for his companion or his widow, also. Each of these is not simply a refuge, but a haven where the members thereof may rest in peace and safety, with no anxious care for the future, unless it be the future which lies beyond the river.

It is a satisfaction to know that each of these institutions is under the leadership of a G. A. R. comrade, tried and true—Comrade Crampton at Marion, and Comrade Kehler at Lafayette, and also to know that every department of these homes is well officered and well equipped. We are warranted in claiming these as our homes—secured through the influence of the G. A. R., not simply for the members of our order, but for any ex-soldier or his companion, or his widow, who may need their sheltering, fostering care.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME.

But these are not all. Our Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans Home at Knightstown is an institution of which every ex-soldier in the state, and especially every G. A. R. member, ought to be proud.

Perhaps no man who has held the office of Department Commander—in fact, no man who has ever been a visitor to that Home—is better prepared to appreciate the work done there than the author of this address.

Left an orphan at two years of age—a bound boy from five until fifteen—fifteen days schooling in the ten years —ragged and belittled, kicked and cuffed, half starved and half clothed. At the age of fifteen—with degraded



mind and bitter heart—turned loose to face the world loaded down with this fearful handicap.

With such an experience of my own, is it any wonder that the condition of these orphans should claim my most earnest attention?

Is it any wonder that at every visit to this home I am more and more impressed with the importance of the work done there, and that I have devoutly thanked God that such an institution exists?

If I could be assured that I could have such genial, kindly guardians as Superintendent Dunn and wife, a Captain Boltz to look after the commissary, a Mrs. Cumback to look after my drill and education, and some one of those kindly cottage matrons to mother me, I could, if it were possible, be easily induced to become a two-year-old orphan again, and risk my chances of making something out of life.

This institution, as well as the others named, is entitled to the heartiest support of every comrade in the Department.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial Day, with its sacred memories and associations, will soon be here again. We are still laying claim to it as our "Holy-day." We believe there is a stronger sentiment than ever before in favor of our claim; but there is still plenty of room for more growth, and plenty of call for the G. A. R. and all its allied organizations to help in that growth.

THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT.

Our National Encampment at Washington was, of course, a great event. Great in the numbers attending—great in the provision made for our entertainment—great,



chiefly, in its leading feature or attraction—the march down Pennsylvania avenue.

While the numbers, as well as the military dignity of the marching fell far below the great review of fifty years before, yet to the thoughtful onlooker the scene was full of pathetic interest.

Indiana was there in the sessions of the Encampment in full force; and in the parade some 400 strong; keeping step to the time beat by one lone, but plucky, veteran drummer. He did splendidly, but there was not enough of him to lend dignity to such an occasion.

After it was over an Indiana comrade offered to pledge a personal subscription of \$25.00 toward taking the Knightstown Orphans' Home Band to Kansas City to lead Indiana's part of the parade there this year.

There was a persistent rumor afloat at Washington that this would be our last National Encampment; but in spite of this rumor, Kansas City was selected as the place at which another would be held. Now the rumor is already afloat that this will be the last one held. I know not the origin of those rumors; but it makes me tired and homesick even to hear them talked.

When the National Encampment dies the Department Encampment will die also, and when these die, soldiers' reunions will almost be a thing of the past; and when we cease to touch elbows in reunions we will surrender to our common enemy faster than ever before. Our work, as an order, is not done yet, and we are not ready to die.

Lengthy as you may deem this address, I can not close without expressing my appreciation of any and all who have helped to make the work of the year pleasant and who have in any way contributed to give success to that work.



To Colonel Fesler and his faithful assistant, Mrs. Adams, the whole Department, as well as myself, is indebted for the successful business management of the Department; but, personally, I can not tell how much I am indebted for their fidelity and zeal in helping on my part of the work as well as theirs.

When I tell you that for three years Colonel Fesler served as my lieutenant-colonel; that I saw him tested and tried in the camp, on the march and on the battle-field; and during all these years since then, I have been identified with him in the work of the G. A. R. and have there found him the personification of the three cardinal principles of our order, Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty, need I tell you that I have for him the veneration due a father, as well as the love for a tried and true comrade.

I wish also to express my appreciation of the genuine interest manifested by Governor Ralston in our organization and its members, gratitude and thanks are due him for his words of cheer and for his successful efforts in securing material aid, by assisting our Legislative Committee to secure favorable legislation for an appropriation to aid our order.

Comrades, my official relation to you will soon close. Again I thank you for the honor conferred. As I retire to the ranks I hope to prove myself worthy of a place by your side as comrade, while life lasts, and then, with you, join "that fraternity above, which on earth and in heaven remains unbroken."

Lewis King,
Department Commander.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: "In view of the touching reference in the prayer of our Department Chaplain, and the reference in the address of the Department Com-



mander, I move you that as a tribute to our Assistant Adjutant-General, this Encampment be called to their feet and stand for a moment in honor of Colonel Fesler.

Comrade Crampton: Comrades, you have heard the motion. All in favor of this, rise to their feet.

The members of the Encampment rose to their feet and stood for a moment, as suggested by Comrade Ketcham.

Past Commander Crampton: Comrade Parsons, who has charge of the parade, wishes to make a few remarks.

Comrade Byron Parsons: Comrades, for one brief hour it will be my privilege to be in command of the veterans of the Civil War of the great commonwealth of Indiana, and as I told you last evening, I want to make this a creditable parade. I want it to be one of the best we ever had, though I am sure it will not be one of the largest, and every man can help make a good showing.

I want to explain a little to you. We will form by congressional districts.

FORMATION OF PARADE.

The parade which will march at 2 p. m. Wednesday will be formed on Riverside avenue. It will be formed in five divisions made up of Congressional Districts, Spanish War Veterans and Sons of Veterans as follows:

The First Division will be made up of Posts from the 13th, 12th, 11th, 10th and 9th districts, and will form in order named with right resting at lower curb of Walnut street.

The Second Division will consist of Posts from the 8th, 7th, 6th and 5th districts, and will form in order named, right resting on lower curb line of Cherry street.

The Third Division will consist of Posts from the 4th, 3d, 2d and 1st districts, and will form in order named, right resting on lower curb line of Mulberry street. Farragut Post on extreme left.

The Fourth Division consisting of all camps in the state of



United Spanish War Veterans will form with right resting on lower curb line of Linden street.

The Fifth Division will consist of all camps in the state of Sons of Veterans, and they will form with right resting on lower curb line of Adams avenue.

The formation will be in sections of eight abreast, touching elbows, with guide left. Interval between sections, four paces. Interval between divisions, thirty paces. Banners marked Div. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 will designate right of divisions.

Banners with district numbers will designate the right of formation for the Posts in such numbered districts. The Post banners will be carried on the right and left of district banners.

A band will precede the second and fourth divisions and a drum corps the third division.

The Post commander, whose Post forms the right of each district, will act as commander of that district and will march abreast of and on the right of the district and Post banners three paces in front of first section. They will receive their orders from division commanders. Other Post commanders will act as aides to the district commander, receiving orders from him. They will march on the left flank of the column detached one pace.

The division commanders will be mounted and march at the head of division. They will be designated as Assistant Marshals. They will receive orders from the Marshal. They may have a mounted aide of their own appointment.

At 1:10 p. m. all G. A. R. Posts will assemble on Locust street in the following order:

The Posts from the 1st. 2d, 3d and 4th districts in order named, left to right, between 3d and 2d streets. Farragut Post on the left resting on 2d street.

Posts from the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th districts in order named between 3d and 4th streets, left to right, left resting on 3d street.

Posts from 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th districts between 4th and 5th streets, in order named, left to right, left resting on 4th street.

Sons of Veterans will assemble at same time on Walnut street between 1st and 2d streets, left resting on 1st street.

United Spanish War Veterans with their colors will assemble on Walnut street, between 2d and 3d streets. Major James F. Fee Camp on left, resting on 2d street.

All columns will move left in front at 1:15 prompt. The Sons of Veterans down Walnut to Riverside, followed by the Spanish War Veterans. Up Riverside until right of division column is abreast of division column markers, when they will break ranks



and quickly form in sections of eight, facing down stream, right resting on division markers.

Flags to each man in ranks will quickly be distributed by Boy Scouts from wagons opposite divisions.

Division commanders will superintend the assembling of their divisions and lead them to the point on Riverside avenue, where they will re-form with right in front, facing down stream.

The column must be ready to move at the sound of the bugle at 2:00 o'clock.

Line of march will be down Riverside to Main street, out Main to 8th street.

The citizens of Indiana will look at you through the eyes of our Governor. I want you to do your duty.

Comrade David Strouse read the following list of committees:

Committee on Commander's Address—Comrades W. A. Ketcham, Milton Garrigus, W. E. Gorusch and D. N. Foster.

Committee on Officers' Reports—J. D. Alexander, Gil R. Stormont, E. R. Brown.

Committee to Carry Greetings to Woman's Relief Corps— Daniel Waugh, A. P. Asbury and W. S. Mead.

Committee to Carry Greetings to Ladics of the G. A. R.—A. B. Crampton, W. N. Pickerell and H. B. Sparks.

Committee to Carry Greetings to United Spanish War Veterans—R. W. McBride and W. P. Herron.

Committee to Carry Greetings to United Spanish War Veterans' Auxiliary—Wm. Houghton, G. W. Scearce and Lafayette Larsh.

Committee to Carry Greetings to Sons of Veterans—Comrades D. F. Mustard, H. A. Root and David E. Beem.

Committee to Carry Greetings to Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary—Comrades S. M. Hench, Oscar Rankin and J. C. Gordon.

Legislative Committee—W. N. Pickerell, S. M. Hench, C. C. Schreeder, A. B. Crampton, Daniel Waugh and Luther Short.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: Commander, undoubtedly everything that is being done from the platform is done just exactly right, but there are a lot of us who would like to *know* that this is so. I have not heard a word of the reading that was done. I want whatever is done to be made known, and I don't believe I am the only one.



Department Commander King: Comrades, it is just as easy for us to attend to *business* as it is to mix our own little affairs in the affairs of the Department.

Comrade E. R. Brown: Commander, five or six men in the Seventh District are standing up and talking aloud. We can't hear anything. I want to be courteous. I want to be a true Comrade. I don't believe any man should come here and stand up and talk aloud in this convention.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham, from Seventh District: If the Seventh District can't keep quiet I trust the Commander will see that they do keep quiet.

Department Commander King: I will ask the Officer of the Day to look after this matter.

At this point there was an intermission to allow the districts to organize, select their delegates to the National Encampment and attend to other business.

A committee of ladies from the United Spanish War Veterans' Auxiliary was announced, and introduced to the Encampment by Department Commander King.

Mrs. Alice Stutz: Comrades, in behalf of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Major James Fee Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, we bring you greetings. (Presented flowers to the Department Commander.)

Three cheers were given by the Encampment as the ladies left the hall.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: Commander, your committee appointed to go to the hotel and escort the Commander-in-Chief to this hall where he belongs, found upon inquiry that he was out joy riding with the ubiquitous, hospitable and persuasive mayor of this city.



We have sentinels on guard with instructions to send us word and we would go back and bring him here. We will get him somehow if you will continue the committee.

Moved, seconded and carried that the committee be continued.

Comrade David Strouse read the names of delegates and alternates to the National Encampment, as follows:

Representatives.

Geo. D. Martin, Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Morris Ford, Post No. 415, New Harmony.

A. D. Calvert, Post No. 72, Washington.

W. W. Kennedy, Post No 77, Martinsville.

Edwin B. Fish, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

A. H. McQuidy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

W. H. Osborn, Post No. 98, Milan, R. R. No. 2.

C. C. Gourley, Post No. 127, Franklin.

J. E. Sherfey, Post No. 2, Brazil.

Thos. C. Williams, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Cameron J. Limpus, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

John A. Markley, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Albert J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

C. W. Chappell, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Nathan Ehrman, Post No. 63, Decatur.

A. Green, Post No. 38, Union City.

G. W. Lawson, Post No. 244, Anderson.

William Kemp, Post No. 65, Frankfort.

David Stage, Post No. 203, Tipton.

H. M. Sailors, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

R. J. Williamson, Post No. 277, W. Lafayette.

J. B. Lyons, Post No. 588, Brook.

J. A. Clevenger, Post No. 199, North Manchester.

W. M. Reed, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Adam Foust, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

W. A. Kelsey, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

O. A. Kimball, Post No. 104, Howe.

A. Hunneshagen, Post No. 183, Kewanna.

B. E. Bear, Post No. 147, Mill Creek.

John C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.



Alternates.

G. H. Vanada, Post No. 262, Newburg. James G. Martin, Post No. -. Charles E. Peek, Post No. 72, Washington. John T. Simpson, Post No. 16, Vincennes. John H. Rodemeyer, Post No. 68, Huntingburg. W. J. Hauger, Post No. 87, Salem. F. M. Hancock, Post No. 98, Milan. Cornelius Hurley, Post No. 105, Columbus. Albert Martin, Post No. 220, Dana. Rufus Dooley, Post No. 9, Rockville. Amos J. Kern, Post No. 148, Newcastle. Lafayette Slifer, Post No. 92, Greenfield. H. P. Wilcox, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. M. M. Lawson, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. S. B. Garrett, Post No. 78. Muncie. J. Krohn, Post No. 419, Albany. Peter Weisbrodt, Post No. 33, Bluffton. B. F. Wise, Post No. 133, Noblesville. Newton Campbell, Post No. 203, Tipton. S. D. Watson, Post No. 203, Tipton. G. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Lafayette. J. H. Tyson, Post No. 589, Lafayette. A. F. Ebbinghouse, Post No. 6, Wabash. John Mannan, Post No. 121, Medaryille. W. H. H. Tilton, Post No. 121, Medaryville. Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Albert Preston, Post No. 104, LaGrange. A. Case, Post No. 401, Akron. Cyrus Seiler, Post No. 198, Elkhart.

The following Comrades were named for the Council of Administration:

I. L. Smith, Post No. 27, Evansville.
Geo. D. Abraham, Post No. 474, Indianapolis.
A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.
Jasper N. Callicott, Post No. 391, North Vernon.
David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.
Edw. Wolf, Post No. 81, Rushville.
A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.
J. H. Yaryan, Post No. 402, Nappanee.
O. A. Somers, Post No. 30, Kokomo.
H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.



- A. B. Crampton, Post No. 31, National Military Home.
- D. L. Beaber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.
- E. R. Brown, Post No. 401, Akron.

The question of the legality of thirteen members on the Department Council of Administration was discussed at some length. Comrade David Strouse said: Comrades, I am well aware that the Council of Administration ought to consist of five members, but we found a few years ago that we had gotten to the point where we could not get five members. We adopted this rule and took our chances and the result is that we don't get more than five. Five members do the work.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: Commander, I happen to be now the Judge Advocate-General of the National Department. As such, I happen to know that the action is not in accordance with the Rules and Regulations. As I happen to know that, I simply voted "No" in order that it might be understood how I stood when the Department of Indiana undertakes to override the rules of the National Encampment. I simply make this explanation of why I voted "No."

After some discussion it was decided to leave the number at thirteen, as has been done for the past two years in this Department.

Committee on Resolutions.

First District—Wm. Cockrum, Post No. 520, Oakland City. Second District—T. B. Springer, Post No. 435, New Lebanon, R. R. 7.

Third District—James Murray, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.
Fourth District—A. C. Flanigan, Post No. 13, Columbus.
Fifth District—H. C. Dorsett, Post No. 11, Greencastle.
Sixth District—Lafayette Larsh, Post No. 55, Richmond.
Seventh District—Wm. A. Ketcham, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
Eighth District—T. W. Underwood, Post No. 358, Pennville.
Ninth District—Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo.



Tenth District—N. A. Chamberlain, Post No. 277, Lafayette.

Eleventh District—Adam Foust, Post No. 33, Bluffton.

Twelfth District—S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Thirteenth District—Elmer Crockett, Post No. 579, South Bend.

Below we give the names of Comrades who were recommended for Recruiting Officers by their respective districts:

Recruiting Officers.

First District—Fred Herrmann, Post No. 27. Evansville, Second District—John R. McClure, Post No. 16, Vincennes, Thrid District—James L. Miller, Post No. 86, Jeffersonville, Fourth District—John Johnson, Post No. 221, Dupont, Fifth District—Solomon Conder, Post No. 2, Brazil, Sixth District—Sylvan B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville, Seventh District—T. C. Clapp, Post No. 17, Indianapolis, Eighth District—Levi Shultz, Post No. 419, Albany, Ninth District—Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo, Tenth District—J. B. Shaw, Post No. 475, Lafayette, Eleventh District—Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash, Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne, Thirtcenth District—W. H. H. Ritter, Post No. 8, South Bend.

The following Comrades were selected as Chairmen, First and Second Vice-Chairmen and Tellers from the several districts to serve until the next Encampment:

First District-

Chairman-Wm. Warren, Post No. 27, Evansville.

Tellers-E. Harris, Thos. Smith.

Secretary-W. Wilson, Post No. 262, Newburg.

Second District-

Chairman—David E. Beem, Post No. 93, Spencer.

Tellers—Marion Willis, Post No. 307, Sullivan; Finley Knotts, Post No. 307, Sullivan.

Third District-

Chairman-A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Teller—John Rodemeyer, Post No. 68, Huntingburg.

Fourth District-

Chairman-W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus.

Tellers—W. P. Polen. Post No. 13, Columbus; J. L. Ewan, Post No. 36, North Vernon,



Fifth District-

Chairman-Oscar Rankin, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Vice-Chairman—John A. McClellan, Post No. 1, Terre Haute. Tellers—T. C. Williams, Post No. 1, Terre Haute; Silas

Sixth District-

Foulke, Post No. 477, Cory.

Chairman-D. W. Comstock, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Tellers—Geo. S. Golden, Post No. 64, Brookville; George Peters, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District-

Chairman—Robt. W. McBride, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.
Tellers—W. N. Pickerill, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; Henry Nicolai, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Eighth District-

Chairman-Jos. S. Herrick, Post No. 78, Muncie.

Teller-T. W. Underwood, Post No. 358, Pennville.

Ninth District-

Chairman-M. Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

Vice-Chairman—Dan Waugh, Post No. 203, Tipton.

Tenth District-

Chairman—G. W. Bringham, Post No. 277, Lafayette, R. R. No. 1.

Tellers—J. H. Tyson, Post No. 589, Lafayette; H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.

Eleventh District-

Chairman—A. B. Crampton, Governor National Military Home, Marion, Ind.

Vice-Chairman-A. F. Ebbinghouse, Post No. 6, Wabash.

Tellers—W. M. Reed, Post No. 199, North Manchester; John Mannan, Post No. 121, Medaryville.

Twelfth District-

Chairman-S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Tellers—John J. Ogle, Post No. 271, Ft. Wayne, Chas. W. Fairfield, Post No. 40, Ft. Wayne.

Thirteenth District-

Chairman—W. E. Gorsuch, Post No. 579, South Bend. Teller—B. E. Baer, Post No. 147, Laporte.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: Commander, the Committee on the Address of the Department Commander begs leave to submit the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ADDRESS OF DEPARTMENT COMMANDER.

The Committee on the Address of the Department Commander would respectfully report:

- 1. That we heartily commend its recommendations and the lofty tone of patriotism that it breathes.
- 2. We recommend the appointment of a committee of three to present a badge to the retiring Department Commander.

Respectfully submitted.

W. A. KETCHAM, DAVID N. FOSTER, MILTON GARRIGUS, W. E. GORSUCH.

Committee.

REPORT OF SENIOR VICE-COMMANDER.

FORT WAYNE, IND., May 9, 1916.

To Comrade Lewis King Department Commander Indiana G. A. R., and Comrades of the 37th Encampment Assembled:

Your Senior Vice-Commander begs to make this report.

At the 36th Encampment G. A. R. held in Marion, you honored me with the office of Junior Vice-Commander. By the death of our Senior Vice-Commander John H. Case I succeeded to that office. Being in Florida at the time of Comrade Case's death I was unable to be present at his burial. I did send, through our A. A. General, words of sympathy and condolence to the bereaved family.

Once during the year I was invited by an outside Post to contribute to making the occasion one of interest to the G. A. R. That gathering was held in Huntington. The boys in that Post, seconded by the Huntington citizens, made our stay pleasant. The weather was such as to interfere with the carrying out of the program as was arranged.

I have been in Florida the past four months. I met a goodly number of the G. A. R. boys outside of St. Cloud and Zephyr hills—two soldier colonies visited. There is a timidity upon the part of the G. A. R. comrades about wearing the button regularly. I am glad to report to you not a day during my four months' traveling over four thousand miles in Florida did I leave off wearing the bronze button.

Comrades, I haven't anything more to report. I am here



to help make this Encampment one of our best in the history of Indiana Comradeship.

Respectfully submitted in F. C. & L.,

JOHN J. OGLE,

Senior Vice-Commander Department of Indiana G. A. R.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT CHAPLAIN.

OFFICE OF DEPARTMENT CHAPLAIN, LAFAYETTE, IND., May 1, 1916.

> N. A. CHAMBERLAIN, Department Chaplain.

To Comrade Lewis King, Commander Department of Indiana, G. A. R.:

U. A.	A ,
Dea	r Comrade—I have the honor to submit the follow
as Depa	rtment Chaplain:
Number	of Posts in Department
Number	of Posts reporting Memorial Services
	MEMORIAL SABBATH SERVICES.
Number	of Posts attending services
Number	of sermons preached to Posts
Number	of sermons preached by Veterans
	of sermons preached by Sons of Veterans.
Number	of Comrades present at such services 3
	of Women's Relief Corps participating with Posts
	such services
	of members of Women's Relief Corps attending such
serv	ices
	MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES.
Number	of Posts observing Memorial Day Services
	of Comrades participating in Memorial Day Serv-
	of cemeteries in which graves were decorated
	of graves decorated1
	of graves unmarked by headstones1
Number	of public schools engaging in Memorial Day Serv-
	of pupils participating17
Number	of other organizations participating
	of addresses delivered to Posts on Memorial Day
	of addresses delivered by Veterans
Number	of addresses delivered by Sons of Veterans
	of Posts having Burial Plots
	Respectfully submitted in F C and L



No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
1	William Loveze	80	Private	F	11th Ind. Vol	Apr. 20
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1	Moses Pierson	72	Corporal	C	85th Ind. Vol	June 2
1	[하고 맛이 가게 하다 되는 하다 모든 것으로 그렇게 하고 하고 하고 하고 있다.	71	Private	G	85th Ind. Vol	July 30
1	Robert Joice	78	Sergeant	A	25th Ill	Aug. 21
1	J. T. Scovil	73		K	150th U. S. N. G.	May 8
1	Geo. J. Hammerstein .	71	Corporal	H	2d Ohio H. Art.	Oct. 13
1	Lawrence Burget	75	Lieut	C	85th Ind. Vol	Nov. 30
2	Robert Hale	80	Private	D	22d Ky	
2	George W. Goodhue	77	Private	H	80th Ohio	
3	John Stewart		Private		10th Ind. Vol	Jan
3	John Wesley Graves			F	150th Ind. Vol .	Jan. 19
3	Cyrus E. Phillips		Private	В	117th Ind	June -
3	Henry Hallman		Private	C	10th Ind	Aug
3	Albert Stair		Private	C	10th Ind. Vol	Nov. 11
4	Joseph O. Bone	80	Private	G	150th Ind	May 6
4		80	Private		22d Ind. Bat	Apr. 5
4		69	Private	В	120th Ind	Feb. 6
4	George K. Phebus	69	Private	H	150th Ind	June 28
5	John Growler	78	Private	В		July 17
5	B. F. Ketchem	73	Private	A		Sept. 4
5	William Bruner	68	Private	A		Aug
6	J. A. Grover					Jan. 9
6	H. F. Wood					Feb. 1
6	T. E. Whiteside					Feb. 8
6	E. G. Burgett					Feb. 28
6	William Green					Mar. 16
6	James E. Boardman					Dec. 24
7	Ebenezer H. Morgan	78	1st Lieut	G	10th Ind. Vol	Feb. 2
7		77	Private	A	70th O. V. I	Feb. 6
7	Jacob Swank	73	Private	В	10th Ind. Inf	Feb. 12
7	William H. Fertich	67	Private	G	9th Ind. Cav	Apr. 21
7		75	Private	K	14th Ind. Inf	May 13
7		78	Private	A	37th Ind. Inf	June 1
7	Theodore A. Miller	69	Private	\mathbf{E}	116th Ind. Inf	June 22
7	Henry Campbell	68	1st Lieut	Н	101st U.S.C.T. 18th Ind. Bat	Inly 99
7	John Johnson	79	Private		Signal Service	July 22 Oct. 10
8	George W. Orvis	600	Trivate		21st Ind. Bat	Jan. 18
8	Henry E. Hain			F	29th Ind. Inf	Jan. 30
8		77		Ī	9th Ind. Inf	Mar. 14
8				E	48th Ind. Inf	Mar. 14
8	John W Teele			C	73d Ind. Inf	Mar. 14
8	Joseph H. Lysinger	71			U. S. Navy	Apr. 1

ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED. No. of Post. Company Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Age. James Lavelle..... 26th Mich.... Apr. 9 Melvin G. Huey 80 Apr. 23 15th Ind. Inf... B Philip DuComb 76 29th Ind. Inf... May 19 47th Ill. Inf.... G. W. Souders...... 83 B May 24 Christian H. Runkle... 71 36th Ind. Inf ... July 13 33d Ind. Inf.... K Sept. 3 Samuel T. Whiteman . 83 K 29th Ind. Inf.. Oct. 12th Mich. Inf . Levi Harner 1 Oct. 12 John N. Berkshire 81st Ind. Inf.... Nov. A. Van Swearinger Apr. 4 George W. Lallis Oct. 16 Lucius P. Chapin 83 4th Ind. Cav ... 11 Sergeant .. M Mar. Charles M. Short 72 Private ... 3d Ind. Cav 11 H Apr. Ben H. Smith |76 | Private ... 115th Ind. Vol.. July 20 11 A Elijah E. Edwards |84| 11 Chaplain .. 7th Minn Nov. 11 6th Ind. Cav ... 10th Ind. Cav ... 11 Lieut. Col. Sept. 4 May 22 13 John Gysia Private ... H 33d Ind. Inf.... Apr. 22 13 Samuel Hodler Private ... 13 93d Ind. Inf... William Gearhart Private ... Nov. 11 14 Cornelius J. McGreevy 14 Samuel Dalrymple Wesley Penney J. J. Whithead 74 Private ... G 58th Ind. Inf.. 15 May 29 Private ... 15 G 65th Ind. Inf... July 21 Private ... 1st Ind. Cav.... Jan. 1 15 W. H. Snider 16 Aug. 18 16th Ind. Vol . . 16th Ind. Vol . . 11th Ind. Vol . . George B. Gaines 78 17 Private ... K Sept. 13 17 Charles Bullard 71 Private ... Sept. 22 17 Abraham Shewmaker . |72| Private ... D Feb. 11 17 Henry C. Hume 72 Private ... 19th Ind. Vol .. Feb. 14 70th Ind. Vol . . 17th Ind. Vol . . . 12th Vt. Vol . . . 17 Lot S. Bray 70 Private ... C Feb. 20 Wilbur F. Havens ... 70 Guy A. Stone 75 17 1st Lieut ... D Mar. 19 17 Corporal ... A Apr. 21 1st-49th Mo.... 17 Joseph A. Humphreys [75] Captain ... May 19 John C. Newton 78 Joseph K. Howard 76 17 Captain ... A-B 16th-70th I. V.. June 25 17 Private ... 7th Ind. Vol ... July 25 Thomas C. Shepherd ... 75 68th Ind. Vol .. 17 Aug. 3 Charles R. Hanes | 82 | Lieut | 23d Iowa Vol ... Aug. 26 17 Dwight Frazer 72 Captain ... 128th Ind. Vol... C Sept. 2 17 Private ... 13th Ind. Cav ... Nov. John Kensler 81 16th Ind. Vol .. 17 1st Lieut ... Nov. 20 77 125th Ohio Vol. 17 David H. Moore Lt. Colonel Nov. 23 152d Pa. Vol... 29th Ind. Vol... Alexander Welsh..... 70 Private ... Dec. Alonzo B. Craig 69 Private ... D Dec.





of Post. Company. Date of Name. Rank. Regiment. Death. Age. No. John W. Hosman 81 Corporal ... 17 74th Ind. Vol. Dec. 12 William F. Keay 70 Private ... 17th Ind. Vol .. 17 Dec. 14 Peter Lackey 79 Private ... K 42d Vol 18 Feb. 4 John D. Pugh 75 137th Ohio Vol. 18 Private ... Jan. 30 Joseph Lansing 79 16th Ind. Vol .. 18 Private ... G Feb. 26 July 25 Norman H. Strong.... 69 44th Ind. Vol .. Private ... H Jacob Falles 81 18 Private ... 53d Ind Vol... Sept. 5 18 Benj. Simpson 73 51st Ind. Vol... 33d Ind. Vol... Private ... Sept. 21 Ithamar Spurlin 76 18 Private ... July 20 A. W. Floyd 85 Private . . D 33d Ind. Vol ... Feb. 1 20 J. H. Matlock 68 120th H Private ... Oct. 17 23 Woodson S. Marshall . 76 Captain ... 46th Ind. Inf. . . Apr. 16 George W. Daniels.... 67 23 B 123d Ind. Inf... Musician.. Oct. 15 25 Theodore F. Hinton ... 70 Private ... M 7th Ind Nov. -25 William Phillips May — 26 Henry Francisco 80 Private ... D 146th Ind. Inf.. 26 Thomas W. Ennis |82 1st Lieut .. 22d Ind. Inf A 26 Private ... 2d Mich. Cav... 26 * John W. Stevens 75 H 158th Pa. Inf ... Private ... Mar. 18 27 Baldwin Reilley |89 Sergeant .. 137th Ind Jan. 2 27 Robert Day Private ... 24th Ind. Jan. 27 A. M. Connett | 82 F Captain ... 24th Ind. Jan. 23 81st Ind 27 Solomon Beckworth ... 76 Private ... E Jan. 15 27 K 144th Ind Corporal ... Jan. 31 27 Private ... D 81st Ind Jan. 31 27 John C. Euler....... 72 Private ... G 143d Ind..... Feb. 10 27 Marion Wright 68 F Mar. 7 Private ... 25th Ind. 27 K Mar. 22 Peter Heberer........ 75 11th Ind. Private ... 136th Ind..... James LaRue 80 Mar. 25 Private ... K 27 John W. Gebing...... 71 Private ... A 136th Ind..... May 8 27 Henry Krohnsagen ... 81 Private ... 6th Ind. Art.... May 11 27 K 58th Ind. Private ... June 17 William Wilson 75 27 Private ... 33d Ind..... June 21 27 F 2d U. S. Inf.... Corporal ... July 8 William Day 74 Jacob Salat 73 27 136th Ind Private ... K July 26 27 Private ... 19th U.S. Inf .. Aug. 9 93d Ind..... Sept. 3 Corporal ... 27 Philo Huffine.......... 78 27th Ky Private ... B Sept. 13 25th Ind. Private ... B Sept. 15 Conrad Burgdorf [73] 32d Ind..... Oct. Private ... K Henry Withus...... 75 Private ... 60th Ind.

ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED.

^{*} The name of Comrade John W. Stevens appears in the Roll of Honor for 1914; his company and regiment were given as Co. G. 22d Ind. This was a mistake; his correct record is given above; died March 18, 1914.

No. of Post.

ROLL OF HONOR-CONTINUED.

No. of Po	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Сотрапу	Regiment.	Date of Death.
27	Jacob W. Messick	85	Captain	A	42d Ind	Nov. 5
27	Jacob M. Gaiser		Private	Ĥ	53d Ky. Mtd. In	Nov. 19
27	Fred Koehne	76	Corporal	D	32d Ind	Nov. 24
27	John Heilman	71	Private	K	136th Ind	Nov. 24
28	William J. Wise	70	Private	D	91st Ind	Jan. 2
28	Samuel Woodburn	89	Private	D	58th Ind	Jan. 28
28	William Duncan	78	Private	A	80th Ind	Feb. 15
28	John J. Hollis	77	Private	В	58th Ind	June 12
28	James Carithers	81	Private	A	80th Ind	Sept. 2
2.	John W. Braselton		Private	D	58th Ind	Sept. 18
28	Frederick Bahne		Private	В	65th Ind	Sept. 18
30	Ed. W. Davis		Private	A	130th Ind	Mar. 11
30	Wallace A. Hull		Private	K	123d Ind	Mar. 30
30	J. W. Salmons		Private	G	147th Ind	Apr. 4
30	David Stewart		Private	H	101st Ind	Apr. 24
30	John W. Orem		Private	A	11th Ind.	June 10
30	David Jenkins				U. S. Navy	Oct. 1
30	William Ellis	71	Private	В	28th U. S. Col	Oct. 26
30	John W. Horn		Private	D	135th Ind	Nov. 16
31	William Collins	1000	1st Lieut	F	16th U.S.C.T	Jan. 5
31	John S. Case		Sergeant	Ĉ	46th Ind	Jan. 25
31	Richard Gano		Private	Ğ	89th Ind	Feb. 9
31	Samuel W. Barnett		Private	Č	135th Ind	May 59
33	Lewis Shady					Mar. 28
33	Amos McCue					Apr. 7
33	Bunyan J. Wells					Apr. 12
33	David Warner					May 4
33	E. M. Rinear	::				June 6
33	W. J. McBride		Private	В	80th Ohio	Aug. 20
33	Dr. L. Mason		Surgeon	Ī	34th Ind	Oct. 5
33	W. S. Bricker		Private	A	38th Ohio	Oct. 23
33	W. J. Reslar		Private	A	10th Cav	Oct. 26
33	John Hupp		Private	G	23d Ind. Inf	Dec. 15
34	Silas Funk		Private	č	66th Ind. Inf	Jan. 20
35	Jacob S. Albaugh	NO.	Private	K	147th Ind	Dec. 30
36	Valentine Hess	10	Private	A	9th Ind. Legion	Dec. 50
30	valentine Hess		Tilvate		39th	Feb. 16
37	Ag. Whorly		Privata	F		reb. 10
37	William Ulrich	• •	Private	E	129th	Aug 19
37	Henry J. Reuess	• •		1 2 2 1	73d Ind	Aug 18
37	William H. Dunington	• •	Private	E	4th Ind. Cav	Nov. 21
38	Lewis H. Coblentz		Private	L		
38			Private		8th I. V. I	Jan. 13
38	Wm. W. Livingood George W. Evans		Private	D	152d O. V. I 116th O. V. I	Mar. 10 June 15
00]	George W. Evans		Private	D	1 110th O. V. 1	June 19



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No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
55	George O. Williams	71	Private	Е	15th Mass	Dec. 22
56	Joseph A. Norris		Corporal	L	12th Ind. Cav	Jan. 8
56	George Marshall		Private	Ĺ	12th Ind. Cav	Jan. 28
56	Julius Serbolt		Corporal	H	148th New York	Mar. 25
56	Samuel Kyle		Private	H	203d Pa Vol	Apr. 5
56	James B. Richards		Private		14th Ind. Bat	May 31
56	Jacob V. Sutton		Private . :	K	17th Ind. Inf	Aug. 3
56:	Columbus Balimore		Corporal	C	151st Ind. Inf	Aug. 21
56	William H. Johnson		Private	F	101st Ind. Inf	Oct. 15
56	Lewis A. Gillam		Private	C	142d Ind. Inf	Dec. 18
60	S. D. Fox		Private	H	3d Pa. H. A	Jan. 3
60	John C. Grimm		Private	K	90th O. V. I	Mar. 15
60	Elza Peacock		Private	A	147th O. V. I	Mar. 7
60	Richard Bosworth		Surgeon		36th Ind	Aug. 31
60	Dennis Carter		Private	В	7th Ind. Cav	Sept. 6
60	Luther G. Pucket		Sergeant	G	84th Ind. Inf	Nov. 10
61	Anthy Leakey	72		A	8th I. V. I	June 20
61	William Cramer	71	Private	C-K	30th I. V. I	Aug. 15
61	Charles East	74	Private	G	17th I. V. I	Sept. 12
62	Samuel Bittinger		Private		116th Ind. Inf	Mar. 28
62	Thomas M. Browning.			D	116th Ind. Inf	June —
62	John H. Misner	• •	Lieut		135-150th Ind. I.	May 25
62	Harvey B. Walters		Private	В	72d Ind. Inf	June 20
62	William Moores	• • •			11th Ohio Cav	Sept. 5
63	John Elzey	72	Private	K	75th Ind. Vol	Jan. 10
63	R. D. Patterson		Captain	H	89th Ind. Vol	Jan. 16
63		71	Private	C	47th Ind. Vol	Jan. 26
63		82	Private	C	47th Ind. Vol	May 30
63			Private	C	11th Ind. Cav	July 15
64	0	79	Q. M. S	B	4th Ind. Cav	Nov. 4
65		81	Private	C	10th Ind. Vol	Feb. 13
65		75	Private	K	72d Ind. Vol	Feb. 25
65	W. J. Coull	76	Private	· · · ·	Ohio Vol	Apr. 9
65		76	Private	I	100th Ind	Apr. 26
65	Robert S. Dunn	71	Sergeant	H	135th Ind. Vol	June 30 July 7
65	Joseph H. H. Lovett		Sergeant		1 5th Ind	100
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65	J. S. Hedgcock	67	Private	I	74th Ind	Mar. 11
67		71	Private Private	C	190th Pa	Mar. 18
67	Joseph D. Williamson Nicholas Ensley			F	44th Ind	Aug. 3
67 67		75	Captain Private	A	74th Ind	Aug. 9
68	S. J. Farney Christian Garber		Private	A	6th-10th Ind	Oct. 21
68	Karl Kruger		Private	A	6th Ind. Bat	Feb. 13





No. of Post.	Name.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
68	F. M. Beck	Private	D	65th Ind	Feb. 1
68	Anthony Engert 71	Private	E	143d Ind	May 1
70	Martin Lyons 68		\mathbf{E}	100th	Nov. 19
72	Thad Bell	Private	D	186th Ohio	Jan.
72	W. H. Springer	Captain	E	38th Ind	May 1
72	Jake Winesour	Private	E	24th	Sept. 2
72	Zack Jones	Private	H	58th	Nov. 2
72	Nelson Purcell	Private	E	27th	Dec.
77	Samuel Seider	Private	E	158th Pa	Apr
77	Francis M. McPike	Private	A	24th Ind	Apr. 2
77	J. R. Nash	Captain	F	19th Ind	Oct. 2
78	William H. Murry	Private	K	19th Ind. Inf	Mar. 1
78	J. A. Miller	2d Lieut	E	Independent Inf.	Mar.1
78	Ezra Searls	Private	I	57th Ind. Inf	Mar 2
78	Plate E. Mott	Private	H	154th Ohio	May 2
78	Robert E. Johnson	Private			June 2
78	Michael Quill	Private	A	99th Ind. Vol	June 3
78	John Russ	2d Lieut	E	19th Ind	Aug.
78	John H. Cashdollar 76	Private	В	13th Pa. Vol	Aug. 1
78	William C. George	Private	C	39th Ind. Inf	Sept. 13
78	Samuel Hamilton	Private		62d Pa. Vol	Sept. 2
78	William Green	Sergeaut	C	39th Ind. Inf	Dec.
78	Southern J. Deming	Private	A	111th Pa	Dec. 2
78	William Russell	Private	В	147th Ind	Dec. 2
81	Edward Young	Lieut	F	18th Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
81	George D. Pearcy	Private	C	16th Ind. Inf	Apr. 2
82	C. K. Emrie	Serg't Maj.		16th Ind. Inf	
		1		4th Ind. Cav	Apr. 2
83	John DePew	Private	В	71st O. V. I	Apr.
83	Henry Barlow 80	rivate	В	1st Wis. H. A	July 1
83	T. P. Hollingsworth 75	1st Lieut	C	69th Ind. V. I	Nov. 1
83	David Wheeler 72				Dec.
84	Larkin Potts	Sergeant	B	99th Ind	Jan. 2
84	William Webb	Private	E	149th Ohio	May 2
85	T. J. Peterson	Private	H	50th Ind	Jan. 2
85	C. N. S. Neeld	Private	\mathbf{E}	145th Ind	Jan. 2
85	W. J. Allen	1st Lieut	· · · ·	20th Ind	May 2
85	J. W. Shoemaker	Sergeant	\mathbf{E}	Hancock C	June 2
85	Theodore McPheeters		• • • •		Nov.
85	William R. Chandler		• • • •		Aug. 3
85	Joseph H. Rush		• • • •		July 3
85	T. L. Fowler				Oct. 1
85 85	William C. Smith				Sept. 2



No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Сотрапу.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
86	John Swallier		Captain	J	81st	Feb. 26
86	Silas Baldwin		Private		1st W. Va. L. A.	
86	John Butell		Private	L	32d Ind. Cav	62355
87	W. M. Stanley	• •	Private	E	5th Ind. Cav	Jan. 2
87	W. H. Stanley		Private	E	5th Ind. Cav	Mar
87	W. E. Johnson	• •	Private		7th Ind. Bat	Mar
87	H. F. McPheeters	• •	Private	 D	54 M: C	Mar
87	James W. Foster	• •	Private	B	5th Minn. Cav	July
87	Hiram F. Mitchell		Private	E	5th Ind. Cav	Nov.
89	John Lecking	::	Private Private	G	18th Ohio 83d Ind	Jan. Mav
89	Charles Hallowell Thomas Godfrey		Private	K	7th Inf	May Dec. 1
90	E. L. Barlow		Sergeant	E	12th Ind. Inf	Jan. 1
90	Willian H. Miller	100	Sergeant	K	136th Ind. Inf.	Apr.
90	Joseph Fugu		Private	G	15th Mich. Inf	May 1
90	Thomas A. Gilmore		Private	C	140th Ind. Inf	Apr. 2
90	John Trainor	Ten 1	Private	D	12th Ind. Cav	Apr. 1
90	James P. Strickler	68	Private	L	3d Ind. Cav	Mar. 1
90	John W. Simmons	76	Corporal	K	57th Ind. Inf	Sept. 2
90	Philip Cornelius		Private	I	47th Ill. Inf	Sept
92	John Cline		Corporal	G	79th Ind. Inf	Mar. 1
92	Thomas Holland			В	99th Ind. Inf	Apr. 1
92	Noah W. Carr	• •		A	53d Ind Inf	Apr
92	J. C. Meek			G I	5th Ind. Cav	May 1
93 93	H. A. Jacobs N. D. Cox			K	59th Ind	Feb. 1 Oct. 2
93	Benjamin F. Fell		Charles Commenced and American	A	85th Ohio	Oct. 2 July 2
93	Andrew Wellman			A	33d Ind	May 1
93	Erastus B. Marshal				22d Ind	Nov. 2
93	George W. Mayfield			F	6th Cav	May 1
94	John Anderson		Private	E	11th Ky	
94	Martin Mitchell		Private	A	18th Ind	121-10-1
95	George Hayward	• •	Private	G	129th Ind	Feb. 2
95	Augustin G. Sinks		Private	K	46th Ind	June !
95	Robert Owen		Private	B	13th Ind	June 1
95	John Van Meter		Private	K	14th Ohio	Oct. 3
98	J. P. Lynch George Buchanan	74	1st Lieut	G A	123d Ind	June 1
102	Phillip Duttethauer	70	Private Private	L	37th Ind	July 2 June 3
103	Orin S. Newton		Musician		14th Ind	
103	Porter Pickard			G	86th Ind	Feb.
103	Isaac Jones			H	57th Ind	
103	T. Jeff. Mitchell			H	66th Ind	
103	Thomas J. Lindley			H	57th Ind	Sept. 2



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No. of		Age.	Hauk.	Company	ivegiment.	Death.
104		68	Private	A	2d Pa. H. A	Jan. 15
104		77	Captain	F	152d Ind. Inf	Jan. 22
104		74	Corporal	G	88th Ind. Inf	Apr. 14
04		78	Private	G	88th Ind. Inf	June 23
04		96	Private	H	15th N. Y. E. C.	Aug. 2
04	[1] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4] [4	73	Private	G	88th Ind. Inf	Sept. 3
104		72	Private	В	12th Ind. Inf	Sept. 27
04		73	Private	H	23d Ohio Inf	Nov. 11
0.5	[[] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [33	Private	F	43d Ohio	Oct.
05		75	Private	F	129th Ohio	Nov. 19
05		72	Private	F	52d Ohio	Feb.
06	John Meeker		Private	A	48th Ind	Jan. 28 Jan. 33
06	A. J. Smith		Private	E	Mich.(unassig'd) 138th Ind	Jan. 31 Jan. 22
06	C) YYY 1111 1		Private	E	73d Ind	May 2
06			Private	H	87th Ind	Aug. 21
06	William Johnston		Private	H	9th Ind	Oct. 3
06			Private	255 500	15th-17th Ind	Oct.
09	그는 그래 그런 나는 사람들이 가지면 하기를 잃으라면서 하는데 하지만 하게 되는데 그 모네다.	32		D	10th Ind. Cav	Feb. 2
09		76	Corporal	Ü	93d Ind. Vol	Mar. 18
10		33	Private	C	87th Ind	Sept. 14
10		76	Sergeant	В	12th Ill. Ca▼	Mar. 3
11	Two lost by death, nam	es	not given			
14		79	Private	F	12th Ind. Inf	June :
16	Robert Jones	70	Private	E	47th Ind. Vol	July 1
16	Mathias Swartz		Sergeant	A	118th O. V. I	June 1
19		• •	Private	G	1st (). H. I	Apr. 18
19		::	Private	H	69th Ind. Inf	July 17
20		5	Private	E	42d	Feb. 2
20		4	Private	D	42d	Oct. 1
20	0	88	Private	D	120th	Feb.
$\frac{20}{21}$		70	Private	E G	9th Ind. Vol. Inf.	Nov. 18 May 19
21		90	Private	I	101st Ind.V. Inf.	July 20
21	0.01111	72	Private	Ī	20th Ind. V. Inf.	Oct. 16
21		6	Private	K	60th Ind. Vol	Oct. 20
21		9	Private	G	9th Ind. Vol	Dec. 20
23						Feb. 2
23		75	1st Lieut.	G	1st Ind. H. A	Mar. 30
23	그 그림의 경기 위에 가는 가장 그래요? 그리고 있는 것이 없는 것이 없는 것이 없다.	30	Corporal	D	25th Ind	June (
23			Private	D	42d Ind	Oct. 2
24			Private	F	144th Ohio	
24	W. A. Babcock	'	Private	В	38th Ohio	

Not member at time of death.



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124	S. Rider		Private	F	29th Ind	
125	Samuel Patton		Private	G	66th Ohio Inf	Dec. 5
126	William N. Fletcher	72	Private	Ι	102d Ohio	Apr. 18
126		73	Private	В	5th Ind. Cav	Apr. 25
126	John Lewis	78	Sergeant	H	139th Ind	Aug. 1
126		72	Private	K	69th Ind	Aug. 30
126	William O. Kerr		Private	K	69th Ind	Aug. 23
126	James M. Morgan	73	Private	В	37th Ind	
					4th U. S. Cav	July S
126	Alvin Ford	72	Private	A	16th Ind	Sept. 2
126	Alonzo Runyan	100 -004	Corporal	В	35th Ohio	Oct. 2
126	Samuel N. Hamilton	69	Private	Ī	3d Ind. Cav	Nov. 18
127	Josiah W. Drake	• •	Private	I	70th Ind. Inf	Feb. 6
127	Lewis W. Cole	• •	Private	H	5th Ind. Cav	Mar. 2
127	George R. Earlywine	٠.	Private	Ď	17th Ind. Inf	July 30
127	[- 프라마 아이트로 18 12] 이 12 TO HOLE (19 HOLE 19	::	1st Lieut	I	18th Ind. Inf	Aug. 2
128	Ira Hathaway		Private	F	3d Ind. Cav	Mar. 2
128	Martin Muller	0.00	Private	B	88th Ind	July (
128		73	Private	F	48th Ind	July 3
128	Arthur Housholder		Private	D	72d Obio	Aug.
128	Edgar L. Chidsey		Private	R	7th Conn	Dec.
131	Robert O. Richards		Private	F	39th Ind	Oct. 3
132		٠.	Private	_	12th Ind. Cav	May
132	1 1 1 2 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	70	Private	G A	42d Ohio	Dec. 1
133 133	John W. H. Alden		Private Private	B	3d Ind. Cav 89th Ind. Inf	May 26
133		-1.0	Private	I	142d Ind. Inf	Sept.
133	W. H. H. Whitesell		Private	A	132d Ind. Inf	Sept. 10 Dec. 23
133	Dr. Wm. B. Graham		Surgeon	.1	101st Ind. Inf	Dec. 28
137	Henry Bridge		Private	I	142d Ind	Feb. 18
137	Alois Scheiber		Private	Ĺ	1st Ind. Cav	Feb.
137	Aaron Smith		Private	H	75th Ind	Mar. 29
137			Private	F	18th Ind	June 2
137	T 1 117 T1 1		Private	Î	152d Ohio	ct.
138		82	Private	H	30th Ind	Aug. 2
140	J. A. Provines					
147		72	1st Lieut	C	72d Ill	Apr. 3
147	T 1 TYT .		Sergeant	1	87th Ind	May 10
147	William Kutz		Musician	I	55th Ill	Sept. 1
147	THE TO TY		1st Lieut	H	11th Vt	Oct. 13
148	Harvey B. Chew	72	Private	D	36th Ind	Apr. 29
148	Isaac W. Ellis		Private	В	8th Ind	Sept.
148	Nathan Foster	68	Private	I	84th	Dec. 25
150	John Ryan	75	Private	A	44th Ind	Mar. 23



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	92.4	5	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
199 202	Alex McClure	. Se	rivate rgeant iarterm'i	D F	33d Ind 11th Ind. Inf 47th Ind. Inf	Jan. 7
202	Martin A. Lewis		ivate	A	29th Ind. Inf	Jan. 24
203	Edward L. Wheatley. 7		ivate	I	68th	Mar. 26
203	Justice Gunkle 7		ivate	C	26th Ind	May 8
203	Samuel Morris 7		ivate	E	11th Ind	May 11
203	Eber Phares		ivate	F	11th Ind	May 24
203	William Nash 8		ivate	F	3d Ind. Cav	Sept. 16
203	William Smith		ivate	D	101st Ind	Nov.
203	William McBride 7	E 1	ivate	F	70th Ind	Nov. 16
203	James Harper7		ivate	A	73d Ind	Nov. 26
206	Henry Fissel					1.01. 2.
206	John C. Dill					Dec.
207	James W. Havens	. Pr	ivate	i	3d Ind. Cav	Sept. 18
207	Samuel C. Gilkey		ivate	G	147th Ind	Nov. 27
208	Martin Young 7	3		E	73d Ind. V. I	Jan. 13
209	James McCoy 7	9 Pr	ivate	I	22d I. V. I	Jan.
209	Thomas McLaughlin 7	9 Pr	ivate	I	26th I. V. I	Feb.
209	Joseph Jamison 6	9 Pr	ivate	В	44th O. V. I	Feb. 10
209	Henry Westling 7	4 Pr	ivate	A	70th I. V. I	Not kn'v
209	George Rigler7		ivate	В	4th O. V. I	Mar. 16
209	Charles Sheckendorf 6		ivate	G	124th I. V. I	Apr.
209	Addison Lettwich 7		ivate	В	7th I. V. I	Apr. 2
209	Josiah Dorn		ptain	D	3d I. V. Cav	May 1
209	David K. Carver 7		ivate	D	34th I. V. I	May 1
209	James Broughard 7	100 100 100 100	ivate	F	148th I. V. I	0.4 0
209	John O'Donell 7	1	ivate	В	56th I. V. I	Oct. 2
209	Peter Lieber		ivate	K	40th I. V. I	Aug. 1
$\frac{209}{216}$	James Griffin 7 Harvey Holmes 7	10 10 10 10 10	rivate	C	29th Ind. Inf	Dec. May 1
216	John Schlundt 8		ivate	G	17th Ind. Inf	Dec.
220		5		D	149th Ind	May 2
220		1000				may 2
221	Richard S. Bowman	100000	ivate	F	145th Ind	Mar. 1
225	Louis M. Smith 7				Ind. Vol	Apr. 1
227						June
227		V. C. C.				Nov. 2
228	George H. Jackson 7	3 P1	rivate	C	79th Ind	Feb. 1
228	Jacob Gibbons 7	6 C.	& S'gt	G	79th Ind	Mar. 3
228	John Brantlinger 8				12th Ind	Apr. 1
229	Joshua Essex				5th Ind. Cav	June
229 229	Benjamin F. Gossett Lawrence King			I E	5th Ind. Cav 151st Ind	Aug. June 1



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271	Henry W. Artman	70	Private	K	106th Ohio	May 12
271	W. S. Gearhart		Private	G	158th Pa	
271	William Killen		Captain	D	18th Ind	Sept. 4
271		72	Private	K	75th Ohio	Aug. 28
271		72	Private	F	5th New York	Sept. 25
276	Perry J. Nichols	68	Private	C	138th Ind	
001	0 00 11		Corporal	E	lölst Ind.	May -
281	George C. Smith		Private	E	111th Penn Inf.	Jan. 15
281	[- C.C. C. C. C. C. C. C.	• •	Private	I I	70th Ind. Inf	Jan. 29
281			Private	I	4th Cavalry	Jan. 31 Feb. 2
281 281	01) 7	• •	Private Sergeant	L	132d Ind. Inf 1st Ohio Cav	Feb. 2 Mar. 7
281	0 11 TT M	::	Private	E	54th Ind. Inf	Mar. 17
281			Private	I	51st Ind. Inf	Mar. 26
281			Private	Û	81st Ohio	Apr. 4
281			Private	č	79th Ind. Inf	June 18
281	B. F. Craybill		Private	F	25th Ohio V. I	July 8
281	T 1 (1 1 1.		Private	H	65th N. Y.V. Inf	July 2
281	TT I O I		Private	E	11th Ky. V. I	Aug. 18
283	L. W. D. Jerman		Private		13th	0
283			Private		82d	
283	Daniel Higdon		Private		7th	
283	J. Freeland		Private		134th	
290		75	Private		123d Ind. Inf	Aug. 7
290	James V. Moore	0.249	Private	A	11th Ind. Cav	Nov 18
291	[77	Captain	I	8th	Feb. 7
291	Michael Myers	1	Corporal		101st	May 1
294	John Hamlyn		Private	G	37th Ind. Vol	Oct. 23
294	John A. Stewart		Corporal		52d Ind. Vol	Feb. 13
294	James W. Walker		Private	K	26th Ind. Vol	Apr. 4
301 307	Mr. W. Boatwright	76	Private Major		11th Mo	Mar. 13 May 23
307	TTTTILL OF TO 11		Sergeant		31st	Mar. 21
307	John McConnell		Private			Aug. 11
307			Private			Sept. 2
307	V. D. Cummins	100	Private			Nov
322	James B. Crane		Private	K	22d Ind	Dec. 31
322	James R. Kelley	72	Private	A	44th Ind	Aug. 24
326	John Shurtz		Private		97th Ind	June 19
327	Dr. James O. Stoddard	72	Private	K	72d Ind. Vol	
			Corporal	D	135th Ind. Vol	Oct. 1
329 329	‡Edward Boyce ‡Denvers Boyce		Private	D	85th Ind	Jan. 2





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Miller Ward	No. of Post.	Name.	Age.	Rank.	Company.	Regiment.	Date of Death.
516 Isaac Premer Private I 26th Ind Ma 520 Daniel King Lieut C 12th Ky Nov 520 George Heg I 143d Nov 527 John W. Gresham 71 Private A 9th Ky Cav 59th Ind Ma 529 M. E. Hardendorf Private K 81st N. Y. Inf Ap Ap Ap 83th Ind Inf Ap Ap </td <td>444 454 465 469 470 474 477 477 477 490 491 491 502 505 505 506</td> <td>Miller Ward</td> <td>74 81 72 72 72 72 72 73 76 75 70</td> <td>Private Private Corporal Sergeent Private /td> <td>I D C I B M E C I G E I A F B E F</td> <td>11th Ind. Cav 3d Ind. Cav 24th Ind. Inf 38th Ind 3d Ind. Cav 125th Ohio Vol 150th 85th Ind 12th Ohio Cav 85th Ind 13th Ind 13th Ind 15th Ind 10th Ind 100th Ind 1st Ill. Cav 118th</td> <td>Nov. 8 Nov. 3 Mar. 22 Pec. 31 July 6 Sept. 26 Aug. 5 June 29 June 27 Sept. 22 Jan. 20 Nov. 25 Feb. 13 Feb. 13 Feb. 22 Apr. 20 Apr. 15 Sept. 17</td>	444 454 465 469 470 474 477 477 477 490 491 491 502 505 505 506	Miller Ward	74 81 72 72 72 72 72 73 76 75 70	Private Private Corporal Sergeent Private	I D C I B M E C I G E I A F B E F	11th Ind. Cav 3d Ind. Cav 24th Ind. Inf 38th Ind 3d Ind. Cav 125th Ohio Vol 150th 85th Ind 12th Ohio Cav 85th Ind 13th Ind 13th Ind 15th Ind 10th Ind 100th Ind 1st Ill. Cav 118th	Nov. 8 Nov. 3 Mar. 22 Pec. 31 July 6 Sept. 26 Aug. 5 June 29 June 27 Sept. 22 Jan. 20 Nov. 25 Feb. 13 Feb. 13 Feb. 22 Apr. 20 Apr. 15 Sept. 17
552 H. H. Ballou Private K 117th Ind Aprivate 557 William H. McCrarry Private C 150th Jur 557 James Kenridk Private A 138th Ind Dec 559 Jesse W. Keithley 72 Private G 24th Ind Jul 579 Will Emery Brown 74 Lieut I 20th I. V. I Dec 579 Henry Crocker 70 Private H 12th Ind Cav Dec	516 520 520 527 529 529 531 531	Isaac Premer Daniel King George Heg John W. Gresham M. E. Hardendorf J. M. Schermerhorn William Lockridge	83 71 71	Private Private Private Private Private	I C I A K G A	26th Ind	Mar. 31 Apr. 5 Apr. 11 Nov. 24 Dec. 5
581 Charles Dunkin Private B 119th Ma 581 George Murfer Private C 6th Ma 589 Thomas Norris Private Jam 589 James B. Hinton Private Feb	552 557 557 559 579 579 580 581 581 589 589	H. H. Ballou William H. McCrarry. James Kenridk Jesse W. Keithley Will Emery Brown Henry Crocker Joseph G. Snider Charles Dunkin George Murfer Thomas Norris James B. Hinton	72 74 70 	Private	K C A G I H B C	117th Ind 150th 138th Ind 24th Ind 20th I. V. I 12th Ind. Cav 6th Ky. Cav 119th 6th	Apr. 17 June 13 Dec. 19 July 4 Dec. 1 Dec. 21 Jan. 16 Mar. 17 Mar. 19 Jan. 1 Feb. 2 May 12



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589 589 589 589 589 589 589 589 589 589	Oliver P. Kain Thomas J. Burns F. M. Helm John L. Jones George W. Jackson John Toler John H. Beeber Joel Yeager James F. Creekmore Daniel Thomas Francis M Carn George G. Smith Thomas Cahill Jacob Herder H. E. Dysart	78	Private	 B E C	35th Ind. V. I 93d N. Y. V. I 59th I. V. I	Apr. 6 Apr. 25 May 1 June 13 June 21 July 19 Aug. 7 Oct. 16 Oct. 15 Dec. 9 Dec. 12 Dec. 23 Mar. 25 Jan. 10 Nov. 29
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REPORT OF ASSISTANT ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

Headquarters Dept. of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Room 25, State House.

Indianapolis, May 9, 1916.

Comrade Lewis King, Department Commander:

In keeping with the Rules and Regulations of our organization I have the honor to submit the following report as Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General:

You will see that our membership is not only falling off, but our assets also. It is not altogether on account of our Comrades losing interest in the organization, but from the fact of increasing disabilities and larger per cent. of death loss, and in proportion to our loss in membership we must expect a corresponding loss in our finances. Many departments are increasing their per capita tax, but we hope not to have to do that.

Below I give amounts paid to several of the Departments by their states for the running expenses of the departments exclusively:

New York, state appropriation	\$3,000.00
Iowa, state appropriation	773.88
Oregon, state appropriation	280.00
Massachusetts, state appropriation	1,000.00
Massachusetts, from Dept. W. R. C	500.00
Ohio, state appropriation	2 500 00

REPORT.

Total number of members in good standing December 31,

1914		9,729
Gained during the year 1915—		
By muster in	161	
By transfer	82	
By reinstatement	239	
By delinquent reports	127	609

10,338



Loss during year 1915—	
By death 714	
By honorable discharge 12	
By transfer 42	
By suspension431	
By delinquent reports149	
By surrender of charter33	1,381
Number in good standing December 31, 1915 Number remaining suspended	8,957 501
Total number on rolls	9,458
Number of Comrades and families relieved during the year Number of others relieved	124 8
Expended for relief\$	805.73
The following posts were reinstated during the	year:
Post No. 253, Rose Lawn. Post No. 266, Bird's Eye.	
These two posts have had a hard struggle the past	few
years, each having been dropped and reinstated se	verai
times.	
The following posts disbanded during the year I	915:
Post No. 76, Francesville. Post No. 359, Windfall.	50.11.50
Post No. 180, Bennington. Post No. 385, Shoals.	
Post No. 183, Kewanna (since Post No. 397, Star City.	
reinstated). Post No. 455, Bridgeport (since
Post No. 253, Rose Lawn. reinstated).	
Post No. 266, Bird's Eye. Post No. 532, Plainville.	
Post No. 292, Clayton. Post No. 571, North Judson	ı.
Post No. 350, Ridgeville.	
Number of posts in good standing December 31, 1914 Gained during the year 1915	
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Aggregate	297
Loss—disbanded	
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Number remaining in good standing Dec 31, 1915	284
Respectfully submitted,	
J. R. Fesler,	



A. A.-G.

REPORT OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

RECEIPTS.

Cash subject to check May 1, 1915	\$	100.18
Per Capita Tax\$1,840		
Appropriation, State Legislature 1915 1,000	0.00	
Farmers Trust Co., balance on note50	0.00	
Principal from Terre Haute Trust Co 1,00	0.00	
Interest from Terre Haute Trust Co 5	9.58	
Interest from Farmers Trust Co 1	6.48	
Interest from U. N. S. & L. Ass'n60	0.00	
From disbanded Post at Brooksburg 5	0.00	
Sale of supplies 13	7.87 \$	4,664.13
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DISBURSEMENTS.

To Frank Sherwin, Chm. Enc. Com., 1915\$	500.00
Farmers Trust Co., loan	500.00
Sentinel Printing Co.	334.55
H. J. Martin, printing roster 1915	18.00
Citizens Printing Co., Delphi	.75
C. D. R. Stowits, P. C. tax	321.46
C. D. R. Stowits, supplies	97.40
Charles Mayer, supplies	.80
Clark Typewriter Co., supplies	.50
Pettibone Bros. Mfg. Co., supplies	3.20
Expenses National Enc. at Washington	162.35
Expenses Dept. Enc. at Marion, Ind., 1915	39.80
By deposit Farmers Trust	121.00
Expense Acct. Dept. Commander King	200.00
Traveling expenses A. A. G.	10.87
A. P. Craft, Past Commander Crampton's badge	100.00
A. P. Craft, pins I. S. S. O. Home graduates	21.00
Postage	115.62
J. R. Fesler, salary A. A. G.—A. Q. M. G	720.00
Maggie Adams, salary as stenographer	510.00
Telephone, local and long distance	43.95
Foster & Messick, A. Q. M. G. bond	7.50
Indianapolis Star and other papers	6.05
Floral emblem S. V. C. John H. Case	5.00
Christmas presents, janitor, and mail man	2.70



Fund for janitor wedding present	.50	
National Map Co., wall map	1.95	
Red Cross seals	.50	
Telegram	.26	
American Toilet Supply	2.40	
Express on flags and staff, Washington, D. C.		
to Indianapolis	.86	
Returned excess on supplies	1.95	
Office sundries	.50	
Auditing Committee, May, 1915	1.75	\$3,853.17
Balance		\$ 911.14
ASSETTS.		
Cash balance on hand May 1, 1916		_\$ 911.14
Loan Union National Savings & Loan Ass'n		_ 1,000.00
Loan Farmers Trust		_ 500.00
Supplies on hand		_ 74.90
Office furniture and fixtures		
		\$3,036.04

The following posts contributed the amounts set forth for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home Christmas fund:

Post No. 27, Evansville	_\$ 10.00
Post No. 228, Ladoga	2.00
Post No. 146, Sharpsville	1.00
Post No. 55, Richmond	5.00
Post No. 584, Pittsburg	
Post No. 202, Zionsville	2.00
Post No. 17, Indianapolis	_ 10.00
Post No. 281, Indianapolis	3.00
Post No. 247, Bedford	5.00
Post No. 127, Franklin	5.00
Post No. 516, Salamonia	1.04
Post No. 30, Kokomo	
Post No. 209, Indianapolis	3.00
Post No. 33, Bluffton	
Post No. 103, Sheridan	
Post No. 1, Terre Haute	3.00
Post No. 85, Bloomington	
Post No. 401, Akron	2.00
Maj. D. I. McCormick, Indianapolis	5.00



The following posts sent their donations to Prof. Dunn, Superintendent of the I. S. S. O. Home, who turned them over to the G. A. R. through the treasurer of the W. R. C.:

Post	No.	271,	Fort W	ayne	\$ 5.00
Post	No.	26,	Madison		 5.00
Post	No.	150,	Angola		 5.00

The following amounts were sent by Prof. Dunn direct to the A. A. G.:

Post 1	No.	39,	National	Military	Home\$	4.00
Post 1	No.	95,	Rochester			5.00
Post 1	No.	23,	Marion			2.00

Total ______\$101.04 January 1, 1916, Paid to Dr. Mabel Teague, Treasurer Department of Indiana W. R. C. _____\$101.04

> Respectfully submitted in F. C. and L., J. R. Fesler, A. A.-G.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 3, 1916.

The Auditing Committee, having examined the books of the Assistant Quartermaster-General, find as follows:

Balance on hand May 1, 1915		\$100.18
Received per capita tax	\$1,840.20	
App. State Legislature 1915	1,000.00	
Farmers Trust Co. on note	500.00	
Principal from Terre Haute Trust Co	1,000.00	
Interest Terre Haute Trust Co	59.58	
Interest from Farmers Trust Co	16.48	
Interest from U. N. S. and L. Association	60.00	
From disbanded Post at Brooksburg	50.00	
Sale of supplies	137.87	
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\$4,664.13

\$4,764.31



Disbursements as per vouchers	3,853.17
Cash balance	
Loan, Union National Savings and Loan Association	1,000.00
Loan, Farmers Trust Co	500.00
Supplies on hand	74.90
Office furniture and fixtures	550.00

\$3,036.04

Respectfully submitted in F. C. and L.,
W. H. Pickerill,
H. P. Miller,
A. J. Buchanan,
Auditing Committee.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR.

Col. J. R. Fesler, A. A.-G. Department of Indiana G. A. R.:

Dear Comrade—The mission of the Grand Army of the Republic and its auxiliaries is not yet ended. The teaching of patriotism to all our people, especially to the children in the public schools, is the most important duty resting upon us except, perhaps, the Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty which bind us together as comrades, and adjures all to honor the flag as the emblem of our nation, the Constitution of our Fathers, and to venerate the loyal men who on land and sea, at home and abroad, in war and in peace, have made and preserved us as a Nation. If willing, capable and enthusiastic, our band of Patriotic Instructors would be a splendid instrumentality to carry forward such a useful and glorious work.

The obligation of each Patriotic Instructor requires him to make a report to the Department Patriotic Instructor within thirty days after receiving notice from the Department Commander, and forward it through the Post Commander to the Department Patriotic Instructor. These reports should include the year ending in April before each Department Encampment. I have received only forty-nine reports; most of them answered but few of the questions on the blank, and covered less than half of the past year. The list of questions is easy to answer. Posts and comrades should visit all public schools while in session. The children rejoice to have such visits on national holidays. They and the teachers and school authorities will see that rooms are decorated, flags displayed, and a patriotic program prepared. The lessons thus taught will never be forgotten. Such exercises will enliven the spirits of the comrades



also. In no other way can we do so much good. The rank and file in our armies did not fight for themselves alone, but for every man, woman and child who shall ever dwell in our great country. Therefore, everybody should feel under obligations to our heroes, take off their hats to the colors, and exhibit an interest in our efforts to teach a live, active patriotism, what it cost in blood and treasure to give us a country of prosperity, of liberty regulated by law, and peaceful, happy homes under the protection of the flag, that glorious flag, our national emblem, whose defense is the lesson of patriotism, and treason to whose cause is an unpardonable sin. Let it float—display it everywhere. Oh, place it where all may see. It is an object lesson.

An exhibition of a play entitled "The Birth of a Nation," written by a prejudiced Southerner, is traveling about the country teaching false history and excusing and justifying the horrid acts of the "Ku-Klux" and anarchistic night-riders in the South during the period of reconstruction. It poisons the minds of the people, especially the children. It was prohibited in Ohio and Kansas, but was tolerated in Indiana. All who want to know the truth about the Ku-Klux Klan should read an interesting book entitled "A Fool's Errand," "by one of the Fools," which was written by a Union soldier who resided in the South when all that cussedness was carried on. It tells the whole truth and would tend to counteract the false teachings in the play alluded to.

We owe a tribute of thanks to the school teachers for their efforts to teach patriotism and true history to the rising generation. They heartily co-operate with us in the observance of national holidays, as do also our loyal women, and the ministers of the various churches.

We should encourage the military training of the youth of the land in our public schools. They take to it with eagerness and zest as naturally as a duck takes to water. Training camps should be instituted for men. The warring nations of Europe and the murderers, robbers and bandits of Mexico have no love and little respect for our government. Our country is in real danger. We should have an adequate army and navy, well equipped, and be in every way prepared to successfully defend our country and its homes and institutions against all enemies, and to preserve and transmit to our posterity the precious heritage so gallantly won and worthy of the emulation of the civilized world.

In all this we, remnants of the Grand Army, have an intense interest, and we urge it now, lest we forget!

We are proud of our country, of its flag, of its constitution



and institutions. We lead the procession of the nations in all progress, and we are determined to perpetuate the same in every practicable way while we live. We have no room for anarchists in our domain. If found here, deport them at once with a firm hand. We need a strong government with backbone to protect the rights of American citizens wherever our flag floats, as ancient Rome did theirs. Our people have fallen into a condition of lethargy and forgotten that the tree of liberty was watered with the blood of our ancestors in a seven years' war with British Hessians, tories and murderous savages, and that in a four years' bloody struggle we redeemed it from secession and destruction, at an immense sacrifice. When Rome relapsed from her simple life and military glory into luxury and effeminacy, the hordes of Tamerlane and Genghis Khan overran and conquered her, and we should heed the lesson. A storm clarifies the atmosphere and we need an awakening as a Nation. Wealth alone is not the chief object to be attained. The character of a people is molded by what it admires and praises. Anything that stirs us up and arouses enthusiasm and stirs the red blood is beneficial.

Let us select a chosen band of Patriotic Instructors who will arouse and enthuse our comrades and thoroughly inform themselves, and answer next year every question on the blank, that we may, like a physician, diagnose the condition of our people and the G. A. R.

Do not forget the loyal dead. Every honorably discharged soldier's grave should be marked by a government headstone. The War Department furnishes them free on application, and pays the freight. Then you can find their resting place and should see that every one should be decorated. The good, loyal women always willingly and cheerfully do their full share in all patriotic teaching and work, and they deserve all the encomiums that we can shower upon them. Their virtue, intelligence and patriotism entitles them to all the rights and privileges of American citizenship.

In the words of Lincoln the Immortal, let us "with malice toward none, with charity for all," live on to finish the work we are in, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right.

And so shall our beloved land be the home and heritage of a Nation of freemen under the benison of one glorious flag, honored, envied and respected by all the earth as the best government in the world. A model republic, inhabited by the best, freest, most civilized and Christian people, a government by the



people, for the people, like a city set on a hill, the admiration of all the enlightened inhabitants of earth. May Providence continue to lead and guide us until our reunion above.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON GARRIGUS,

Department Patriotic Instructor.

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT JUDGE-ADVOCATE.

MADISON, IND., May 9, 1916.

Colonel J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General Department of Indiana G. A. R.:

As Judge-Advocate of the Department of Indiana G. A. R. for the year ending may 9, 1916, I respectfully submit the following report:

I have endeavored to promptly answer all correspondence and questions submitted to me, some of which required informal answers only.

The following decisions have been rendered by me:

- 1. An honorably discharged soldier of the United States Regular Army, who did not serve therein at any time between April 12, 1861, and April 5, 1865, in the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion, is not eligible to membership in the G. A. R. (See Article 4, Chapter 1, Rules and Regulations of the G. A. R.)
- 2. The action of a G. A. R. Post is void if such proceedings conflict with the existing valid by-laws of such Post in force at the time.
- 3. A duly qualified comrade of a Post is entitled to a seat in the Department Encampment.
- 4. All Past Post Commanders who have served a full term of one year, or until the consolidation of their Post with another, or who, having been elected to fill a vacancy of Post Commander, and have served to the end of their term, so long as they remain in good standing in their respective Posts, are entitled to a seat in the Department Encampment. (Chapter 3, Article 2, Rules and Regulations of the G. A. R.)

The above includes all decisions rendered by me of sufficient importance to demand the attention of the Encampment and space in report of the proceedings thereof.

> A. D. Vanosdol, Judge-Advocate.



REPORT OF RECRUITING OFFICER SEVENTH DISTRICT.

May 6, 1916.

Colonel J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General:

Dear Comrade—Herewith please find Recruiting Officer's report of the work for the Seventh Congressional District.

I have made special effort since my election to this office in Marion last year, among old soldiers, to add their names to some Post roll, but as yet have not succeeded to more than promises. I find it a difficult matter at this late day to get them interested. All kinds of excuses are offered. Below you will find reports of the different Posts as follows:

George H. Thomas Post No. 17-Accessions, 11.

George H. Chapman Post No. 209-Accessions, 11.

Joseph R. Gordon Post No. 281-Accessions, 9.

Major Robert Anderson Post No. 369-Accessions, 3.

Alvin P. Hovey Post No. 559-Accessions, none.

Martin R. Delaney Post No. 70—Accessions, none.

Acton Post No. 294-Accessions, none.

W. T. Sherman Post No. 455—Accessions, none. (Do not meet.)

I have not shown gains, losses and net gains, as the regular joint report of the various Posts furnishes you this information.

Yours in F., C. and L.,

A. S. CRIMANS,

Recruiting Officer Seventh Congressional District.

REPORT OF VISITING COMMITTEE STATE SOLDIERS' HOME.

LAFAYETTE, IND., December 2, 1915.

Colonel J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General Department of Indiana, G. A. R.:

DEAR COMRADE—The Visiting Committee called to visit the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette met at 2 o'clock p. m. and proceeded to their duties by calling Department Commander King to the chair, President ex-officio, and I. T. Huckleberry as Secretary, by a unanimous vote.

Total _____ 978



Present and Absent—	
Men	501
Women	947
Total members	1.448

We find good, wholesome food, well cooked and plenty of it. Cleanliness everywhere, members clean and mannerly, bright and well satisfied. While we find some very sick people in the hospital, we find them cleanly and well provided for. The grounds are policed and in good condition. Religious services every Sabbath, Sabbath School in the chapel, which is a delightful building. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. On Friday night, entertainment, picture show, etc. One hundred and sixty-eight in the hospital.

Colonel Kehler and his estimable wife showed us all the courtesy any one could. Also Mrs. L. Ingersoll, the matron, and all those in authority under her. There are 200 members in the G. A. R. Post and over 100 in the Woman's Relief Corps. Some repairs are needed near the stairway in the old men's building.

The following members of the committee were present:

A. W. Lockridge, W. F. Kendall, J. T. Eller, J. W. Kitzmiller,
R. V. Ditmers,

Respectfully submitted,

I. T. Huckleberry, Secretary.

REPORT OF VISITING COMMITTEE TO THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, KNIGHTSTOWN, IND.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 4, 1915.

Lewis King, Esq., Department Commander, Department Indiana:

Comrade—As per your instructions, the Committee appointed by you to visit the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, Indiana, met at the Home on Wednesday, December 1, 1915, and was called to order in the Trustees' office at 10:30 o'clock by the chairman, W. D. Wilson, with the following members present, viz.: H. Trueblood, Post No. 209, Indianapolis; W. N. Pickerill, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; J. F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond; V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford; J. S. Meeks, Post No. 93, Spencer; Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo; W. F. Medsker, Post No. 179, Cambridge City; G. Miller,



Post No. 13, Columbus; W. D. Wilson, chairman, Post No. 281, Indianapolis, making nine of the regular committee present, and as Comrade W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus, was with us, your chairman substituted him as one to fill out.

The chairman then divided the general committee into sub-committees as follows:

On Dining Room and Kitchen—Comrades Trueblood and Meeks.

- On Dormitories-Comrade Pickerill.
- On Water and Garden-Comrades Garrigus and Davenport,
- On Milk Supply-Comrade Kendall.
- On Tailor and Shoe Shops-Comrade Medsker.
- On Schools-Comrade V. V. Williams.
- On Printing and Laundry-Comrade Gustavius Miller.

After this was completed the committee started on their tour of inspection, led by Comrade Luther Short, chairman Board of Trustees. Our first visit was through the different grades of the School Department. We were met by Mrs. L. A. Cumback, principal, who went with us, and we were delighted to find such a beautiful and well organized school—no better in any city in the state—and we wish to say right here that every old soldier and citizen of this great State of Indiana should be proud of the most excellent work that is being done in this school, and the Trustees and Grand Army are to be congratulated on having such a good and noble woman at the head of the educational department of this institution.

We were joined here by Mrs. Iona L. Dunn, the genial wife of Superintendent Dunn, who conducted us through the different cottages, or homes of the children, and at each place were met by the governess and shown through the different departments of each cottage, including the dormitory, bathrooms and toilets attached, and found them in a most excellent condition. The iron beds with their clean white covers and downy pillows, all spotlessly clean, and the bright and happy smiles of those happy children showed to your committee the good work that was being done in this department.

Our next place to visit was the Girls' Sewing Room. Here we found the girls busy making and mending clothes, some using the machines, others the needles, the head of the room cutting out garments to be made; everyone busy and happy.

We dropped into the Band Room next and found Mr. J.R. Green, the teacher and leader, busy with a class of small boys who were being taught for places in the band. We were also told how the efficiency of the work was kept up. It is not nec-



essary for me to tell you of that for the mere announcement that the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home Band was to furnish the music that would be all that would be necessary, for their praise is known far and wide.

We were then taken to the Printing Department, where we were met by Mr. J. H. Rounds, who has been in charge of this important place in this school for many years, and he was glad to show us some of the beautiful samples of printing that was being done by some of the boys of this institution. All the blanks, books and other printed matter used in the school are done in this department. Here we find boys setting and taking down type, others fixing forms ready for the press and others running the matter through the press. The whole place had an air of business and showed that these boys were being fitted for the time when they will be sent from the Home into the outer world to take their places among the great army of working men from which must come the future men of the Nation.

We were next shown into the Tailor Shop, where all the boys' clothes are made and repaired. We found here Mr. J. H. Kochman in charge. He gave us a full description of the way the work was carried out under him, and as we saw the beautiful dress suits with their big bright brass buttons shining like gold, and the every day fatigue suit, we were convinced that the Trustees had the right man in the right place. Every boy is furnished with two new suits and allowed to take his old clothes with him when he leaves the Home, so he goes out with a good education, a good trade, and is prepared and ready to start in life full-handed. How glad we are to know this.

The Shoe Shop has not been fitted up as yet, but your committee were informed by the chairman of the Board of Trustees, Comrade Short, that the money appropriated by the last Legislature had just been received and the machinery ordered, so that in a short time they would be ready to have some of the boys in this department learning to repair and mend shoes, which is getting to be a very important trade now.

Comrade Short then conducted us to the Laundry, and what a busy place we found this! Boys at the washtubs and dryers, girls putting the big sheets and tablecloths through the large mangle, where they come through clean, white and smooth and are picked up, folded and placed on the pile ready for the linen closet. Others were using the electric irons, smoothing out the kinks in the smaller garments which could not be finished in the mangle.

From there we visited the Bakery, and here we saw the



large, long rows of warm, fresh bread, just out of the oven, piled on the tables ready for the dining room. Here we found a half dozen boys with their white suits and caps who are learning the bakery business, and I said, "What an inspiration it puts in a man to see these boys here preparing themselves for their future welfare and prosperity!" We were informed by Mr. White, who has charge of this department, that they make 250 loaves of bread each day, besides all the pies and cakes used in the institution. The present oven is in bad shape and will soon be replaced by a new, up-to-date and latest pattern oven, when it will be possible to do more and better work, but to the eyes of your committee it would be very hard to improve on the product just shown them.

At this time we were informed that it was time for the children to go to dinner, and as the committee wished to see them go into the dining room, we were taken to that place and given a good place where we could see them come in. At the tap of the bell the doors at each end of the large dining room were opened and the children came marching in in groups of about twenty, the smallest in front, the tallest in the rear. They went to their respective tables and places and stood at their stools until the bell tapped. Then they sat down, and with bowed heads asked a blessing, and another tap and they commenced eating. Superintendent Dunn here informed us that dinner was awaiting us in another part of the building and we were compelled to leave.

We were escorted to the place where we were to dine and found that our company had been increased by the arrival of Comrade David Strouse and his wife; also Mrs. Ida S. McBride. Both Comrade Strouse and Mrs. McBride are members of the Board of Trustees. We were served with an excellent dinner—everything gotten up in the very best taste and style and served in a royal way. While partaking of the same we were entertained by the Orphans' Home Band, and it is not necessary for me to go into details regarding the kind of music this band furnishes, for every old soldier in this state has been more than once entertained by them. Beautiful flowers were given each one at the table, and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all who had the pleasure of being around that festive board.

After the dinner was over, your chairman made a trip to the Power House and Engineering Department, where he wished to make some inquiry as to the work of the different plants. Mr. Coy is a very busy man. He looks after the plumbing, electric and water, with the assistance of several boys who are learning the different trades.



After my return to the office I asked Comrade Dunn, the Superitendent, to take me through some of the dormitories in that building, and as his wife, Mrs. Dunn, came up just then, he turned me over to her and I had another very pleasant trip through some of those beautiful sleeping rooms, also looking in where the children rest.

The time had now come for the committee to repair to the spacious auditorium, where we were to be entertained by the children of the school, and allow me to say that the acting, drilling and singing could not be surpassed by any set of actors, no matter where they came from.

Your committee was highly pleased at having Department Commander Lewis King as a member of the party and sharing the pleasure of the trip with us. We were highly entertained throughout the entire day, and desire to thank the Board of Trustees, Superintendent Dunn and wife, and all who had in any way helped to make the day one of great pleasure and enjoyment. To those dear children may God grant His choicest blessings, watch over them and make them to grow up good and honorable men and women and make good citizens in every place they may live.

In the day's inspection of your committee we found but one place where we wish to put in a protest, and that is in the miserable old shacks that are used to carry visitors to and from the station. This Home is entitled to better accommodations, and this matter should be placed in the hands of some one in the next Legislature that will see to it that a large motor truck is furnished this Home that will take care of that great need. In every other department we are glad to find everything in first-class shape, and say that the management is in the hands of good and faithful men and women, and we are free to say that we are perfectly satisfied with what we have had the pleasure of seeing and wish to them all the success that can possibly come to them.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. WILSON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE INDIANA STATE SOLDIERS' HOME.

LAFAYETTE, IND., May 1, 1916.

To the Commander:

The Indiana State Soldiers' Home begs to submit the following report for the year ending April 30, 1916:

Its total population on May 1, 1915, was 1,431, 504 men and 927 women. During the year 100 men and 150 women were ad-



mitted. There was a loss of 283 in the same time, 140 men and 143 women. The deaths during the year numbered 155, the greatest death rate in the history of the Home. Seventy-five of the dead were men and eighty women. The total population on April 30, 1916, was 1,398; 464 men and 934 women, a loss of thirty-three during the year. An epidemic of Pneumonia and LaGrippe raged in the Home during the winter months, carrying away many members, age and infirmities rendering them unable to resist the attacks of these diseases.

No changes in the official roster of the Home were made during the year.

The Home laundry was burned on the night of February 8, 1916, causing a loss of approximately \$22,000, upon which there was an insurance of \$12,000. The insurance is sufficient to build a building that will supply the present needs of the institution and partially equip it.

The experience of former years was repeated during the fall and winter months, in the lack of room to accommodate the many applicants for admission. A waiting list was opened in September, 1915, reaching its maximum in January, 1916, when 200 names were on the list.

Part of the Visiting Committee appointed at the 1915 Encampment visited and inspected the Home on December 2, 1915. Their report of conditions at the Home has no doubt been filed for the consideration of the present Encampment.

Respectfully submitted,

D. B. KEHLER, Commandant.

H. R. CANFIELD, Adjutant.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS' REPORTS.

Comrade Lewis King, Department Commander:

The Committee on the Reports of Officers are pleased to commend the fidelity of these comrades. All of them seem to have been conscientiously faithful in the discharge of duty. We note that all have obeyed the order calling for written reports.

A good number of the Committee on the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home at Knightstown, at their own expense, visited and inspected these institutions. Your committee would favor the adoption, in spirit if not in letter, of all the recommendations of all these reports.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. ALEXANDER,

E. R. Brown.

Committee.



REPORT OF THE COUNCIL OF ADMINISTRATION.

The Department Council of Administration met in Room 101 Vendome Hotel, Evansville, Wednesday, May 10, 1916, at 8 a.m.

Present—Lewis King, Department Commander; J. R. Fesler, A. A.-G., and C. C. Schreeder, A. J. Buchanan, David Strouse, H. A. Miller and D. L. Beaber, of the Council of Administration.

On motion of Comrade J. R. Fesler, the same Order of Business as was used at the Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment was recommended for this Encampment.

On motion of Comrade Fesler, duly seconded, a resolution was prepared to present to the Committee on Resolutions, recommending that future State Encampments be held at Indianapolis.

The question was raised as to the legality of electing thirteen members to the Department Council of Administration instead of five, as designated in the Blue Book. It was decided to bring this question before the Encampment.

The Council prepared a resolution of thanks to Governor Ralston for the friendly interest he has taken in Grand Army matters and for his recommendation to the State Legislature for an appropriation to aid the organization.

There being no further business, the Council adjourned.

The Department Commander: Who will you have for Delegate at Large?

Comrade W. A. Kelsey placed in nomination Comrade S. M. Hench, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne. Comrade W. A. Ketcham presented the name of Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis, who, he stated, had been "exceedingly active in the fruitless and thankless task of trying to get the railroads to treat us right."

A committee bearing greetings from the Ladies of the G. A. R. was escorted to the platform and introduced by the Department Commander.

Mrs. Florence Newlin, representative of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, spoke as follows:

Comrades, Members of the Grand Army of the Republic:

I have the pleasant duty of bringing greetings to you from the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.



"Grace be unto you, and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

"We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers.

"Remembering without ceasing your work of faith, labor and love and patience of hope in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

I bring greeting to you, Saviors of our Country, who considered your lives not as important as the cause for which you laid them upon the altar—who fought, endured and bled that this nation might live, who left us this noble inheritance which we now enjoy.

No tribute, however great, is too large for you, who sacrificed your all that our beautiful Star-spangled Banner might wave forever as a symbol of liberty, justice and equality.

You were the heart and bone and sinew upon whom the fate of the nation depended. You went to almost certain death without a murmur. Every battlefield of the Civil War is a reminder of the bravery of you who participated in that terrible struggle.

This nation *owes* you a *debt* that we can never pay, an honor greater than that of a king. Abraham Lincoln said "Gold is good in its place, but living brave and patriotic men are better than gold."

You men of battles and campaigns of the Civil War may say but little about the part you individually played upon the mighty stage of human tragedies, but the world knows and it should never forget that by the valor of those who perished where heroism saluted death, in the name of liberty and humanity, and by virtue of you who survived the storms, this benign republic was redeemed to become the brightest day star in the firmament of nations. We have the most wonderful country on the face of the globe; we have the most wealth; the most perfect free school system, that was ever put in practice. Millions of dollars in grand and beautiful church buildings; freedom of speech, freedom of the press, and greatest of all, freedom and equality of the human soul, made possible by your sacrifices and heroism; and no heroic effort is ever lost. The characters of men are molded and inspired by what their fathers have done. Treasured up in American souls are all the unconscious influences of the great deeds of the Anglo-Saxon race. The spirit of your sacrifices will live forever and inspire all our nation's future.

What a comparison we have between our Civil War, that was fought for the betterment, for the uplift of humanity, and the war that is being waged 'at the present time, with no higher



motive than selfish gratification, ambition, greed and graft. The conditions that existed which caused our Civil War will remain a black blot upon our nation forever, but what comfort, gratification and relief to know that you men rose in one mighty body, a solid phalanx as it were, to set aright and make recompense for that terrible evil when, at the close of the war in Europe, the leaders, if still alive, will hang their heads in mortification, disgrace and shame. Right must win, for right is might.

The worthy consideration and proper respect for this Convention or Encampment, is a duty that ever lover of home and country owes to lofty patriotism and heroic valor. We need these conventions to guide and direct us aright. As guideposts along the decades and centuries they are anniversaries that are divinely established. Mankind has held in sacred memory the flight of the people of God from the Land of Egypt; the great Day of Atonement; the Resurrection; the Revolution and the Civil War, with its matchless sacrifices and heroism. The principles that were maintained in your victory are guideposts divinely established for our safe piloting through this life, and it is as important that we keep fresh in our memory that wonderful event by such gatherings as these as it was that the Children of Israel call to remembrance the miraculous deliverance of their fathers from the Egyptian bondage for their safe conduct to the throne of God.

I wish at this time, at this great Convention, that every organization that is represented here—the Grand Army of the Republic, the Woman's Relief Corps, the Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary, the sons of Veterans, and the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, and all other organizations that I fail to mention, would put on their records, also send a copy to the governor of our state, to all our state officers and statesmen, to our ministers to read to their congregations, and to our school teachers for their pupils, renewed resolutions protesting against this infamous, heathenish practice of desecrating our sacred Memorial Day.

To you, fathers, I bring greetings from your wives, sisters and daughters, who are organized to perpetuate and keep forever alive the principles for which you fought; to teach loyalty and patriotism to our children, to our country and to our country's flag (for which you gave your very life blood. We realize that the need of patriotic teaching was never greater than at the present time, because of a great organization, an insidious foe, that is scheming and conniving to undermine our founda-



tion system, of a great, un-American principle and force that is silently and cunningly battering away to throw down the very walls of our republic. And we only honor you, our heroic, patriotic fathers, in proportion as we are true American citizens, by standing firmly and building upon the principles you maintained. It is one of the proudest things of my life that I am the daughter of a soldier of the Civil War. It is one of the most sacred treasures of my heart that the blood of a patriotic hero flows through my veins. To me the story of the camp and march, of the battles and the fights, and of all the incidents that go to make up a soldier's life, will never grow old, and what a wonderful story it is!

My heart is made sad when I realize that soon no living witness will survive to tell the story of that terrible conflict.

When we see you men who fought and bled in the days of '61-'65 lined up before us fifty-one years after your heroic endeavors on the field of battle, stooped shoulders, white hair and faltering step, our hearts throb, our eyes are filled with tears and our brains overwhelmed with sad memories, and we are inspired to life our eyes to God and renew our allegiance to Him, the author and finisher of our faith, who set up in the new land as an example for all the world a government of, by and for the people.

At the close of her address, Mrs. Newlin presented a bouquet to the Department Commander of the G. A. R.

Department Commander King: I wish to say to this Encampment that these flowers are *your* flowers, and I thank the ladies in your behalf.

A vote was taken for Delegate-at-Large to the National Encampment. Comrade W. D. Wilson was elected. Delegate-at-Large and Comrade S. M. Hench was elected Alternate-at-Large.

The Department Commander introduced Commander-in-Chief Elias R. Monfort, who spoke as follows:

Comrades, I know how inconvenient it is to have the business interrupted, so I will be very brief.

I am satisfied after traveling 10,000 miles and visiting most of the departments that the Grand Army looks the same wherever we may meet them, and it is no reflection on our comrades who have passed away when we say that those who are left are a survival of the fittest. The Grand Army is the sur-



vival of the fittest of the world's nations today. I congratulate you that you are able to be here and hope that you will be able to meet for many days to come and exercise those principles which have made our nation the greatest in the world. As an object lesson to the world today there is no organization like the Grand Army of the Republic.

It would not be wise for me, after the eloquent address you have just heard, to extend my remarks. I thank you.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: At the request of the Department Commander I wish to ask all Comrades having resolutions, to present them to the Assistant Adjutant-General, to be presented by him to the Committee on Resolutions when they meet.

A visiting committee from the United Spanish War Veterans was announced, and Comrade Osborn, spokesman for that organization, was introduced to the Encampment.

Comrade Osborne: Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, I esteem it quite an honor to have been delegated to come to the Grand Army of the Republic meeting this morning to extend to you the greetings and best wishes of the United Spanish War Veterans, Department of Indiana. It always does me lots of good to get around members of the Grand Army. There is no body of men in the United States that I have more respect for than the Grand Army of the Republic. It makes me feel that when a man is a soldier and puts in his time in the service it makes a man out of him and he lives longer. It is a great favor to me to extend to you greetings of the United Spanish War Veterans of Indiana. I thank you.

The Department Commander: It was my pleasure, Comrades, to visit the United Spanish War Veterans, Department of Indiana, a few months ago and it did me good. I felt like taking each by the hand and saying "God bless you, Comrade. You did not wear the blue, but you wore the uniform of our country." You bear with you our best wishes for the future of your order.



Comrade Strouse read a telegram from Past Department Commander A. D. Vanosdol, expressing regret that he was physically unable to attend the Encampment and extending loving greetings to his Comrades. On motion of Comrade W. A. Ketcham, duly seconded, the Assistant Adjutant-General was directed to acknowledge the receipt of this telegram and to extend to Past Commander Vanosdol the esteem and sympathy of his Comrades in encampment assembled, and the hope that he might meet with them in some future encampment when the Lord should have given him health and strength to come.

On motion of Comrade Milton Garrigus, the Assistant Adjutant-General was also instructed to send a message of sympathy to Past Commander O. A. Somers, who had been prevented from attending the Encampment by illness.

OFFICE OF JUNIOR VICE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, BEREA, KY., May 4, 1916.

To the Indiana Comrades, in Encampment Assembled:

DEAR COMRADES—I wish I could be with you at your Encampment. I expect to attend two or three; and at one time I had a vague hope that Indiana might be included. My thought was to take a contemplated trip to Louisville so near the time your meeting at Evansville that it would not seem too wasteful of time and money to continue the trip. Circumstances led to the trip mentioned occurring in February. Other duties preclude my being with you at the time which you have selected.

I take this occasion to send my most cordial greetings to the comrades who represented you at the Washington Encampment, several of whom I call to mind with vivid recollection, as well as hearty appreciation. There are other Indiana men, members of previous Encampments though not our last one, whom I have had the privilege of meeting personally. May I not through those whom I know have the privilege of extending my greeting to the others assembled in what I hope will be your very best Encampment? I am planning to be at the Ohio Encampment, as it is almost exactly on the route which Mrs. Dodge and I take in making a long planned visit at about that time,



in the region of my nativity, Ashtabula County, Ohio. These gatherings of old soldiers grow in interest as our years multiply. I fancy that the twin elements of soldierly regard and of devotion to the cause of patriotism are taking more and more of our time and thought from year to year. That was markedly the case with us in Kentucky this year. I hope such will prove the case with you, and may Good bless you, every one. Fraternally yours, in F., C. and L.,

LEVANT DODGE,

Junior-Vice Commander-in-Chief, G. A. R.

LEBANON, IND., May 9, 1916.

My Dear Colonel Fesler and All the Comrades, Greeting:

Owing to the feeble health of Mrs. McKinsey, I have concluded this morning not to go to Evansville. I will think of you all many times during the next two days and—

Breathe upon you the blessing of God, And pray the prayer of peace.

With love to everyone,

Very cordially,

W. P. McKinsey.

At the Forty-ninth National Encampment held at Washington, D. C., September, 1916, Comrade David Strouse withdrew the name of Comrade Orlando A. Somers as candidate for Commander-in-Chief, in the following words:

"In order to correct a misapprehension in regard to the candidacy of our beloved Comrade Somers for Commander-in-Chief I wish to say that at our Department Encampment last May Comrade Somers was unanimously endorsed for Commander-in-Chief against his wishes. He is now at home ill, and I therefore take the liberty of saying that his name will not be presented at this Encampment."

DES MOINES, IOWA.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Council of Administration of the Grand Army of the Republic, held in the Oak Room of the Hotel Raleigh, Washington, D. C., on Monday, September 27, 1915, the following resolution was adopted by unanimous rising vote:

Whereas, Captain William H. Armstrong, Past Senior Vice



Commander-in-Chief, for twenty-two years a member of the National Council of Administration, for twenty years a member of the National Executive Committee, having pitched his tent on the Eternal Camping Grounds on the plains of light since our last Encampment;

Resolved, That his gallant services as a soldier and an officer of the Civil War, his conspicuous discharge of the obligations of civil life, his long and singular official connection with our great Order, his gentleness of spirit, his amiability of character and his devotion to all public duty, highly recommend themselves to the emulation of his surviving comrades;

Resolved. That these resolutions be made a part of the Journal of the Forty-ninth National Encampment, and a copy of the same be forwarded by the Adjutant-General to his family at Indianapolis, Ind.

> (Signed) DAVID J. PALMER,

Attest:

Commander-in-Chief.

GEORGE A. NEWMAN, Adjutant-General.

Washington, D. C., September 27, 1916.

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

THURSDAY, May 11, 1916.

Department Commander King called the Encampment to order at 9 a. m. and all joined in repeating the Lord's prayer.

A short intermission was given that the Comrades might go outside the hall, at the request of a photographer, to pose in a body for a picture. Immediately on their return to the hall the Department Commander called for the report of the Committee on Resolutions.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: I am directed by the Committee on Resolutions to make the following report:

Resolution No. 1, presented by Comrade A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, is recommended for passage with amendment.



The amended resolution follows:

Resolved, That the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, in Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment assembled, at Evansville, Indiana, May 9, 10 and 11, requests the officials of the Crown Hill Cemetery of Indianapolis, and all other cemeteries in the State of Indiana, to so modify their rules as to require the placing of regulation government markers on all soldiers' graves, in conformity with the rules of the War Department.

Adopted by the Encampment.

The next resolution comes from the Council of Administration, and your committee recommends that it be referred to the incoming administration.

Whereas, A majority of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic of Indiana can not of necessity travel a long distance to attend the Annual Encampments, the Council of Administration is of the opinion that future Encampments should be held at the capital city;

Therefore, The Council of Administration recommends to this Encampment that the session of 1917 be held at the city of Indianapolis.

Recommendation of the committee concurred in.

The following was recommended for passage as amended; given below in amended form:

Whereas, By virtue of a recommendation of Governor Ralston in his message to the General Assembly of 1915, an appropriation of \$1.000 was made towards paying the expenses of the Indiana Department, Grand Army of the Republic, but through an unintentional error it was not made permanent and did not apply to this Encampment, as it was intended; therefore,

Be It Resolved, That this Encampment tender our governor its thanks and that he be requested to renew his recommendation, and that this Encampment earnestly urges the next General Assembly to provide by law for a continuing annual appropriation for such expenses.

Adopted.

George H. Thomas Post No. 17 presented a resolution asking that the date of the National Encampment



be changed, inasmuch as at the time set (August 28-September 2) the temperature in Kansas City, where the Encampment is to be held, will be intensely hot, which might cause great suffering and numerous fatalities.

Your committee decided that this matter has been settled by the Commander-in-Chief and the citizens of Kansas City and recommend that it be postponed indefinitely.

Recommendation carried.

A resolution in regard to the Dixie Bee Line did not reach the committee until after they had held their meeting, and a substitute resolution was prepared, as follows, by the committee:

We protest against the proposed Dixie Bee Line Marker:

There is room in this country for but one flag—the flag of our fathers—the flag under which we fought—the Stars and Stripes. We want no hyphenated flag; no divided allegiance; no suggestion that there ever was or ever will be a place from which or a time when eyes in one direction would look up to one and in another direction to another one; but from all directions one flag alone shall float to the breeze and coming generations keep it in their heart of hearts.

I am directed by the committee to move a substitution of the last resolution for the one first presented, and that a copy be transmitted to the Commander-in-Chief with a request that he transmit it, with his approval, to all Departments through which the Bee Line is proposed to pass. I move the adoption of this resolution.

Unanimously adopted.

Comrade Ketcham: For the gracious manner in which we have been treated by the good citizens of Evansville I will ask the Department Chaplain to read the report of the committee on that subject.



Department Chaplain N. A. Chamberlain read the following report of the Committee on Resolutions:

Resolved, That we heartily thank all citizens of Evansville who have contributed to our comfort and welfare so satisfactorily, and to the splendid decorations of the city, and the hearty welcome they have extended to us.

We congratulate the county in the erection of the splendid memorial building to commemorate the immortal deeds of their soldiers and sailors.

This resolution was adopted by a rising vote of the Encampment.

Comrade Ketcham: The Committee on Resolutions has finished its work and it is now turned over to the Encampment.

Department Commander King: Some thanks are due somewhere from all hearts for the splendid weather that has favored this Encampment.

We will now proceed with the regular order of business—the election of officers.

Nominations were called for Department Chaplain.

Comrade Ketcham: Believing that when a man has served so faithfully that this Encampment might well say "Well done, good and faithful servant," I have the honor to place before you the name of Nathan A. Chamberlain for Department Chaplain.

Seconded by Comrade David Strouse.

Comrade Ketcham: I move you that the rules be suspended and a unanimous vote of the Encampment cast for Comrade Chamberlain.

This was done, and Comrade Chamberlain, Post No. 277, was declared re-elected Department Chaplain.

For Medical Director, Dr. William A. Fritsch, Post



No. 27, Evansville, was nominated, and on motion of Comrade Robert W. McBride the unanimous vote of the Encampment was cast for Comrade Fritsch for Department Medical Director.

For Junior Vice-Commander, Comrade A. J. Buchanan, of Post No. 281, was nominated by Comrade W. D. Wilson, Post No. 281. Comrade W. A. Kelsey, Post No. 271, was nominated by Comrade R. W. McBride. The nomination of Comrade Kelsey was seconded by Comrade W. E. Gorsuch and by Comrade John J. Ogle. The name of Comrade Buchanan being withdrawn by Comrade Wilson, the Assistant Adjutant-General was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the Encampment for Comrade Kelsey, which was done, and Comrade Kelsey declared elected Junior Vice-Commander unanimously.

For Senior Vice-Department Commander, Comrade C. C. Schreeder, of Post No. 27, Evansville, was nominated by Comrade E. R. Brown, with the motion that the rules be suspended and the unanimous vote of the Encampment cast for Comrade Schreeder. This motion was seconded by Comrade S. M. Hench.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: I don't want to be too much of a disturber, and especially I do not wish to protest against the election of so fine a man as is presented from the first district, but in view of the fact that I believe the practice of the Department and the National Encampments of limiting the election of the Senior Vice-Commander, whether "in Chief" or Department, to the locality in which the Encampment is held, and because it is settling into a custom which we dare not break for fear we will hurt somebody's feelings—not because it is

Comrade Schreeder, but because it is a vicious system, I protest. There will be one who will vote "no."

Department Commander King: Will you pardon me if I say a word? I have heard this argument against this custom. Don't break it in this instance because of the fact that the last Encampment did not amend the rules. You can present a motion and make the change if you wish.

Comrade Charles H. Myerhoff: If there is anybody I dislike to oppose it is my Comrade, William A. Ketcham. I like to stand by him in everything; but, Comrades, I want to say to you that Comrade Schreeder has done more work for Farragut Post than any man who was ever in it.

Department Commander: Comrade Myerhoff, the discussion is out of order. There is no opposition to Comrade Schreeder.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham: I will willingly-

Comrade David Strouse: I rise to a point of order—

Comrade Ketcham: Sit down. You are out of order yourself. You are always out of order. Let us take a rising vote and I will with pleasure vote "aye." But I oppose the suggestion that we suspend the rules.

A vote was taken and Comrade C. C. Schreeder was declared the unanimous choice of the Encampment for Senior Vice-Commander.

Department Commander King: A committee from the Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans is in waiting. We will receive them immediately.

The Encampment rose to their feet as the committee entered the hall.



Department Commander King: It gives me great pleasure to introduce to you this committee. We knew this lady as Miss Emma Stuart.

The Department Commander also introduced Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Powers from the S. V. A., and a committee from the Sons of Veterans.

Mrs. Emma Stuart Finch: Mr. Commander and Comrades of the Grand Army. It gives me great pleasure to bring you greetings from the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, to bring you these roses. We love each and every one of you. We stand ready to help you at any time we can, and all you need to do if you want anything is to call on us. We wish you God-speed and hope to meet you all next year at Indianapolis.

Department Commander King: I am very sure that it gives every member of this Department great pleasure to look into the face of one with whom you were so familiar and whose work in the past was so closely associated with our organization; to know that she is in sympathy with the boys who may possibly need assistance; we congratulate these Sons of Veterans on their Auxiliary, and we are glad in our hearts that they stand by us as well as the younger men. These flowers, token of their affection, will be cherished as an emblem of their undying loyalty.

Comrade Newton J. McGuire, representing the Sons of Veterans, spoke as follows:

Comrades of the Grand Army, we Sons of Veterans feel very close to you. Just twenty-three years ago this month, being a boy of twenty-four, I had the pleasure of extending greetings to your Encampment in this city—I think in this very hall. I may be wrong about that, but it was in this city. It was not a meeting like this. There were a great many more of them. But I want to say to you today that while it has been twenty-three years ago and the Sons of Veterans have not been a very large organization in numbers, there are a few of the faithful ones qualifying themselves by the rich experiences of the meetings they have



attended with you, and learning to carry forward the patriotic work of the future. So many of our young men and women have failed to get the rich experiences of these meetings by attending and getting from you first-hand the things they will never have a chance to get again. Oh, if I could only call to your meetings—your Encampments, your District and Post meetings in every locality, the young manhood and womanhood of the state to participate in these meetings and get first-hand from you the patriotic spirit, there would not be the necessity of all this talk of preparedness. I want to say to you that the Sons of Veterans today in their work are undertaking to teach patriotism from the grade schools and colleges. What we need is more patriotism in the homes, graded schools and colleges. My son is in the senior class of one of the largest schools in Indiana and recently participated in a discussion of the reforms needed in the way of state governmental conditions in the year 1916, the centennial year. How many do you suppose were present to hear that discussion? Just five. Two of them were contestants, two from the sophomore class and one reporter. The two judges were not there. Was not that one grand audience?

So I say we are trying, with your help, to get the schools interested, and we hope you will give us all the inspiration that you possibly can, and when we are backed with your moral support we are sure of success.

The Department Commander: Comrades, I want to say to this delegation from the Sons of Veterans that they have the hearty co-operation of every one in this audience and all over the Department. In my address I said, in referring to the aid given us by these two organizations, the only trouble is there are so few ready to join in and help on the work. But we must remember they are chips out of the old block and we know something about what trouble we had to get some of our Comrades into the Grand Army. As I have said, as the members in our order decrease we hope yours will increase in ten-fold ratio. We thank you for your greetings.

The Encampment rose and cheered as the representatives of the two organizations left the hall.



The question of changing the rules in regard to the election of Senior Vice-Commander was brought up and discussed at some length. With reference to this question, Comrade Ketcham said:

I move that this be referred to the National Encampment with the recommendation that it be adopted. We can not make rules and regulations here, and my information is that at the National Encampment at Kansas City the Rules and Regulations will be amended so as to provide for this contingency, not only in the National but in the Department Encampment.

Comrade David E. Beem: Commander, I rise to a point of order. My point of order is this. There is always an open field for candidates for the position of Senior Vice-Commander, and this resolution would not change that to any extent. Notwithstanding, there has been a custom to elect some one from the locality in which the Encampment is held, there is still an opportunity for any one who wishes to have his name presented.

Commander-in-Chief Montfort: There has been a great deal of discussion over this from time to time. The easiest way to settle this question would be for the city in which the Encampment is meeting to withhold a name, and yet you can't compel them to withhold a name, for the Senior Vice-Commander may be elected from any city in the Department, no matter whether it is the place where they are meeting or not. You can't take away the right of any city or location to nominate—it belongs as a right to every district to nominate.

Comrade S. M. Hench: I agree with Comrade Ketcham that we have no authority to change the rules in relation to the election of the Junior or Senior Vice-



Commander. You recollect that about twenty-three or four years ago this question came up and Col. Ivan Walker took considerable interest in it. It was the same when the Encampment came to Ft. Wayne in 1892—the first one that was held outside the city of Indianapolis. But the question is, how did we arrive at this custom? There is no rule in the matter, and I think Comrade Ketcham is correct in saying that we have no power to change the laws.

Comrade Ketcham: Just one word, Commander. In 1899 the Encampment met in Philadelphia, and Pennsylvania decided not to present a candidate according to the custom of the Grand Army. In 1906 we met in Minneapolis, and Minnesota following the example of Pennsylvania, presented no name, and Comrade Armstrong, from this Department, was elected Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief. It is not a rule, it is simply a custom, and to my mind it is a custom that would be more honored in the breach than in the observance. If it stands as it stands now it will always go to the Department in which the Encampment is held and the city in which the Department Encampment is held. We are no longer young—every once in a while a Department Commander dies in office. Every once in a while a Commander-in-Chief dies in office, and in order that there may be no question I think the wisest plan would be to pass this up to the Commander-in-Chief with the recommendation from this Department that it be considered by the Committee on Rules and Regulations. We can not make a rule to deprive a city of the customary right.

After some more discussion of this subject the motion was made that it be referred to the National Encampment at Kansas City. Motion carried.



The Department Commander: We are now ready for nominations for Department Commander.

Comrade David Strouse called the roll of the districts. Comrade Charles H. Myerhoff, of the First District, placed in nomination Comrade V. V. Williams, of the Third District. This nomination was seconded by Comrade Alex P. Asbury, of the Second District, and by Comrade J. D. Alexander, of the Third District. Comrade Strouse continued calling the roll of the districts and the nomination of Comrade Williams was seconded by the Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Districts in succession.

A committee carrying greetings from the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps entered the hall.

The Department Commander: Comrades, I have the pleasure of introducing to you these ladies from the Woman's Relief Corps. Mrs. Scott is president, and this is her committee. We will now hear from the president of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Mrs. Kate Scott, President Department of Indiana W. R. C., spoke as follows:

Commander and Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana: I have but a moment to be with you but I come to you with a little present from your sweethearts, the Woman's Relief Corps of Indiana. We give it as an expression of our appreciation of your loyalty. I have here a check for \$100.00 which we present to you as a gift.

The Department Commander: We take great pleasure in receiving this splendid token of their appreciation and heartily thank the Woman's Relief Corps. We are glad they are with us and hope they will come again.

(Mrs. Scott has the honor of being the first Depart-



ment President of the Woman's Relief Corps to make a cash gift to the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Indiana.)

Mrs. Scott: I will have to leave. My committee will extend to you greetings and give you the report of the work done during the year.

Mrs. Hess: Commander King and you who are Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic: It seems to me that of all the pleasure that ever came to me in my life, none did I appreciate more than the privilege of coming to your meeting this morning to extend the greetings of the Woman's Relief Corps, and I promise you right now that my remarks will possess one merit at least—they will be brief. In the report of the Department President of the Woman's Relief Corps she says:

REPORT OF WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA.

"To Assistant Adjutant-General, Department of Indiana G. A. R.:
Number of Corps 128
Number of members 6785
Loss by death during year 156
Expended for relief (cash)\$3,998.72
Relief other than money\$3.633.72
Turned over to Posts for other than relief 519.38
Total number of persons assisted, including veterans,
veteran's families and members 1843
Expended for Christmas presents for I. S. & S. O. Home\$ 354.17
Respectfully

KATE SCOTT,

Department President, W. R. C."

It was my pleasure about twenty-five years ago to visit the Department of the G. A. R. in session in Indianapolis and I am so glad that we have memories. Some things are so distressing that we wish we might forget them, but I am so glad we have the memory of the soldiers who went to the Civil War, and as I started to say, twenty-five years ago you marched with quick step and I told the Comrades on that occasion they were a fine, good looking body of men.

I want to say to you this morning that you are still looking very good to me. To the Commander who has served this De-



partment during the past year, it is my pleasure to present to you these beautiful flowers in behalf of the Woman's Relief Corps. Comrades, I wish I had one of these flowers to present to each of you, but instead I want to extend to you the love and sympathy and best wishes of the more than 6,000 women in the Department of Indiana Woman's Relief Corps, and don't you know that is better than flowers. These good wishes will last as long as there is one surviving veteran of the great Civil War. The time will come when there will be but one left of the great Civil War and he will be the most advertised man in our land, and the Woman's Relief Corps will stand by you, assist you and aid you, and labor to promote the cause of patriotism for which you fought.

Comrades, I want to say "Good-bye" but not forever.

Department Commander King: Mrs. Hess was pleased to say in presenting these flowers that it was to the Department Commander, and yet I know it is the sentiment of the Woman's Relief Corps that they are presented to you. They are as much yours as mine. I want to say to the lady who presented them that we endorse the sentiments she expressed and there is gratification in the thought that the last soldier will be cared for by the Woman's Relief Corps. I do not know whether I would want to be that man or not—it would spoil me. We thank you.

Mrs. Ida S. McBride: Commander, Comrades of the G. A. R., I think I need no introduction. Your Commander says you are in the midst of your election, but I want to say to you, Comrades, there is no place I would rather go when I go to the convention city than to the Encampment of the Grand Army. I bring you sincere greetings and highest esteem and I say God bless you; God keep you—and as long as you are here, enjoy life. Be happy in what you have done and we of the Relief Corps will teach the youth of the land to always remember the Grand Army of the Republic, the greatest organization on the face of the earth.

Mrs. Sims: Comrades, I can add nothing. I can only say I am delighted to be with you.

Mrs. Myerhoff: Comrades, I am not going to make you a speech for two reasons. First, you will want to take up your work



again, and second, I could not make a speech if I would. You have all heard of the wise old owl:

"There was an owl sat on an oak,
The more he heard the less he spoke.
The less he spoke the more he heard,
I shall be like that wise old bird."

Mrs. Hess: Before I go I want to ask you to promise something. Will you help to bring about the passage of the widows' pension bill? If you will, raise your hands.

Many hands were raised and the Encampment rose to their feet and sang "Marching Through Georgia" as the committee left the hall.

Comrade Strouse proceeded with the calling of the roll of districts for nomination for Department Commander. The nomination of Comrade V. V. Williams was seconded by the Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth districts.

Department Commander: Colonel V. V. Williams is the candidate.

Comrade A. P. Asbury: Commander, I move you the rules be suspended and this Encampment be instructed to cast its unanimous vote for Williams.

This was done, and Comrade V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford, was declared the unanimous choice of the Encampment for Department Commander.

Calls for "Williams."

Department Commander King: I take great pleasure in introducing to you Colonel V. V. Williams, your newly elected Department Commander.

Comrade V. V. Williams: Comrades, I could not make a speech if I wanted to. Our time is brief. Those who live in the northern part of the state want to get away. I can not express my appreciation of the compliment you have passed upon me. It is not only an honor, but a *great* honor, to be elected by the De-



partment of Indiana as its Commander; to be associated with 9,000 as loyal and patriotic men as ever trod the face of the earth—as ever followed the flag. To be associated with them is a great honor. But you must remember—keep it in your mind—the Commander of the Department of Indiana is almost powerless without your assistance. There is today not to exceed forty per cent of the soldiers of the State of Indiana that belong to the Grand Army. That is not right. That should not be the case. I believe with a heroic effort we can increase our membership. I, of course, expect to see you Comrades face to face. I think I have some ideas that may increase our membership. To say that I feel and appreciate this honor from the bottom of my heart does not express it. It goes to my very soul.

The train leaves for the northern part of the state at 12:10 and many of you want to catch that train. Comrades, I thank you.

Department Commander King: This completes the regular order of business. Is there any other business? If not, we will proceed with the installation of officers.

Comrade W. A. Ketcham presented the badge to Department Commander King, with these words:

Comrades, I will detain you but for a moment. I have here the five-pointed star of the Grand Army; the two diamond tipped five-pointed stars that are indicative of worthy service in this department, and beneath them the five pointed star that tells of an earlier service in the Twelfth and Twentieth Army Corps; and as I look at that second star my mind goes back through the vista of fifty-odd years when the Twenty-seventh Indiana, sometimes in defeat but always in glory; sometimes in humiliation but always with credit; at Antietam, at Chancellorsville, at Gettysburg, and on the March to Atlanta; it tells us of a nation redeemed and reborn.

Commander, it has been my privilege many a time to deliver such a badge as this to one who was facile princeps, but this is the first opportunity I have ever had to present a badge to a man who is a true born "King" of men and it gives me delight from my heart to present to you this badge that you can wear with the supreme satisfaction of knowing that it comes from the hearts of all your comrades.

Department Commander King: Commander, Committee and Comrades: The hour for making speeches



is past and yet I can not refrain from saying just one word in regard to my appreciation of the situation. Some one has said that after the ambition had been gratified to fill the Department Commander's place, many of our Comrades forgot they had any obligation to the Grand Army. I had no ambition in this line. I stand today as retiring Commander of this Department and I need not assure those that have known me that I will be the same man, the same Comrade, in the future that I have been in the past. I can only say from the depths of my heart, I thank this Comrade for his words and I thank you for your loyal support during my administration.

Now, Comrades, give your attention to the installation of officers.

Comrade David Strouse acted as Officer of the Day and presented the newly elected officers to Comrade E. R. Brown, who installed them.

Department Commander Williams appointed Comrade J. R. Fesler, Post No. 281, as Assistant Adjutant-General for the ensuing year, and he was duly installed.

Past Commander King pinned the Commander's badge upon the breast of Comrade Williams; Department Chaplain N. A. Chamberlain pronounced the benediction, and the Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment was duly closed.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Headquarters Department of Indiana,
Grand Army of the Republic,
Office of the Assistant Adjutant-General,
Room 25, State House,
Indianapolis, Ind., June 3, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 1.

- I. Having been elected and installed Commander of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, at the Thirty-sixth Annual Encampment, held at Marion, Indiana, May 26, 27 and 28, 1915, I hereby assume command and earnestly ask the support of every Comrade in the Department.
- II. The following Comrades were duly elected to the offices hereinafter designated:

Department Commander—Lewis King, Post No. 127, Franklin. Senior Vice Department Commander—John H. Case, Post No. 23, Marion.

Junior Vice Department Commander—John J. Ogle, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

Medical Director-C. W. Burkett, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

Department Chaplain—N. A. Chamberlain, Post No. 277, Otterbein.

Council of Administration-

C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville.

H. H. Woods, Post No. 77, Martinsville.

A. H. McQuiddy, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Thomas E. Willson, Post No. 98, Versailles.

David Strouse, Post No. 9, Rockville.

M. M. Lacey, Post No. 420, Fountain City.

A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis,

W. H. Hickman, Post No. 358, Pennville.

Lewis Thomas, Post No. 11, Russiaville.

H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorencie.

B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City.

D. L. Beeber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.

John C. Gordon, Post No. 132, Argos.

III. The following staff appointments are announced:

Assistant Adjutant-General and Assistant Quartermaster-General—J. R. Fesler, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Department Inspector-Oliver Gard, Post No. 65, Frankfort.



Judge Advocate—A. D. Vanosdol, Post No. 26, Madison. Chief Mustering Officer—James L. Miller, Post No. 86, Jefferson-ville.

Patriotic Instructor—Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo. Chief of Staff—V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford. Color Bearer—Charles W. Wheat, Post No. 209, Indianapolis. Banner Bearer—Henry B. Sparks, Post No. 94, Rising Sun. Chief Bugler—A. A. Jones, Post No. 3, Battle Ground.

IV. The following Comrades were elected Delegates and Alternates to the Forty-ninth National Encampment to be held in Washington, D. C., during the week beginning September 27, 1915:

Delegates.

Delegate-at-Large—A. M. Scott, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. First District—C. C. Schreeder, Post No. 27, Evansville; W. Wilson, Post No. 120, Newburg.

Second District—C. E. Peek, Post No. 72, Washington; William S. Mead, Post No. 93, Spencer.

Third District—J. A. Gardner, Post No. 68, Huntingburg; W. J. Hauger, Post No. 87, Salem.

Fourth District—Thomas G. Day, Post No. 98, Versailles; Daniel Empson, Post No. 159, Brownstown; James M. Brown, Post No. 127, Franklin.

Fifth District—B. V. Rector, Post No. 2, Brazil; Charles J. Ferguson, Post No. 1, Terre Haute.

Sixth District—John W. Ross, Post No. 126, Connersville; C. J. Limpus, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District—Albert J. Ball, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; William D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—A. Green, Post No. 38, Union City; Clay Whiteley, Post No. 78, Muncie; S. B. Fordyce, Post No. 63, Decatur.

Ninth District—H. R. Tinsley, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville; E. P. McClaskey, Post No. 437, Darlington; N. A. Perrill, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District—Harry Canfield, Post No. 3, Lafayette; Isaac S. Wade, Post No. 3. Lafayette; James A. Hodgins, Post No. 229, Hebron.

Eleventh District—James P. Ross, Post No. 6, Wabash; Jacob M. Bernard, Post No. 23, Marion; Lewis Reeves, Post No. 227, Hartford City.

Twelfth District—Samuel M. Hench, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne; R. J. Willard, Post No. 104, Lagrange.

Thirteenth District—John G. Kratli, Post No. 290, Knox; Jacob



E. Myers, Post No. 489, Culver; John A. Mock, Post No. 124, Pierceton.

Alternates.

Alternate-at-Large-D. D. Rose, Post No. 106, Valparaiso.

First District—W. W. Blair, Post No. 28, Princeton; George D. Martin, Post No. 15, Petersburg.

Second District—T. B. Springer, Post No. 435, Sullivan; J. T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington.

Third District—J. M. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville; J. H. Scott, Post No. 191, New Albany.

Fourth District—Daniel Wilson, Post No. 20, Seymour; J. M. Annia, Post No. 5, Greensburg; Henry Osborn, Post No. 98, Milan. Fifth District—George W. Scearce, Post No. 164, Danville; Albert Martin, Post No. 220, Dana.

Sixth District—W. T. Murray, Post No. 126, Connersville; W. H. Norris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville.

Seventh District—Ashford Lingenfelter, Post No. 17, Indianapolis; A. J. Buchanan, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Eighth District—E. Y. Sturgis, Post No. 33, Bluffton; Sedgwick Cooper, Post No. 38, Union City; D. F. Mustard, Post No. 244, Anderson.

Ninth District—George Newkirk, Post No. 424, Greentown; Albert Haskett, Post No. 103, Westfield; T. R. Caldwell, Post No. 42, Lebanon.

Tenth District—J. E. Loughry, Post No. 51, Monticello; J. H. Biddle, Post No. 74, Remington; H. A. Miller, Post No. 3, Montmorenci.

Eleventh District—Isaac R. Lee, Post No. 408, Swayzee; B. G. Shinn, Post No. 227, Hartford City; W. H. Ward, Post No. 14. Logansport.

Twelfth District—Joseph Kickley, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne; J. R. Corlett, Post No. 40, Fort Wayne.

Thirteenth District—David Smeltzer, Post No. 37, Elkhart; Horace Martin, Post No. 8, South Bend; Charles Behn, Post No. 132, Argos.

V. The following Comrades, on the recommendation of their delegates to the State Encampment, are hereby appointed Recruiting officers for their respective Congressional Districts for one year; it is their duty to arrange for at least one meeting in their district during the year. The Department Commander will try to attend each District Meeting, and would like to meet as many of the Comrades as possible on these occasions.



Recruiting Officers.

First District—Charles Kretchmar, Post No. 27, Evansville. Second District—Alexander Asbury, Post No. 564, Farmersburg. Third District—J. N. Vesey, Post No. 580, Jeffersonville. Fourth District—Luther Short, Post No. 127, Franklin. Fifth District—Thomas J. Keylon, Post No. 592, Terre Haute. Sixth District—S. B. Morris, Post No. 18, Shelbyville. Seventh District—A. S. Crimans, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. Eighth District—L. Sults, Post No. 419, Albany. Ninth District—District—David H. Yeoman, Post No. 42, Lebanon. Tenth District—David H. Yeoman, Post No. 84, Rensselaer. Eleventh District—Alexander Hess, Post No. 6, Wabash. Twelfth District—R. J. Willard, Post No. 104, Lagrange. Thirteenth District—Charles W. Scott, Post No. 114, Warsaw.

VI. Each Post Commander will appoint and forward the name of one Comrade for aid upon the staff of the Department Commander. Let this be a Comrade who takes an active part in the affairs of the Post. Upon receipt of his name the Assistant Adjutant-General will forward his commission.

VII. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of Post Adjutants and Post Quartermasters will be found enclosed with this order, and we urge Post Commanders to see that they are sent in, with per capita tax, as soon as possible after the last post meeting in the month. Many posts have but one or two meetings in the month, and it is not necessary to wait until the last of the month before forwarding your reports. Your promptness in attending to this will enable the Assistant Adjutant-General to make out and forward his Consolidated Reports to National Headquarters without unnecessary delay.

VIII. All official communications should be addressed to the Assistant Adjutant-General at Room 25, State House, Indianapolis. All *personal* communications to the Department Commander should be addressed to him at 158 Herriott street, Franklin, Indiana.

FLAG DAY.

The 14th day of June will be the 138th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the flag of our country. All posts of the department are requested to hold meetings in commemoration of this event.

By command of

LEWIS KING.

Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

 $Assistant \ Adjutant - General.$



HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., August 7, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 2.

I. The 49th National Encampment, Grand Army of the Republic, will assemble at Washington, D. C., Monday, September 27 to October 2, 1915. The headquarters of the Department of Indiana will be established at the Raleigh Hotel, corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and Twelfth Street, during the Encampment, as also will the headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. The National Headquarters will be established at the same hotel. Comrades and others who expect to attend the Encampment and desire information in the matter of hotels and boarding houses can address Thomas Grant, Secretary Citizens' Committee, Washington, D. C., who will see that the communications are placed in the hands of the proper committees.

II. In the matter of transportation, Comrade W. W. Daugherty, of George H. Thomas Post No. 17, who had charge of and secured the rates we had to the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg, has been appointed as Chairman of the Committee on Transportation by your Commander. Up to this time he has not been able to get a better rate than \$25.85 from Indianapolis and return, and similar reductions from other parts of the Department, but he is still working for a lower rate, and for that reason the route or line that will be taken has not been decided on, but will be soon, and as soon as it is, notice will be given all Posts of the Department, with the date of departure of the headquarters train and of its arrival at Washington, D. C.

III. There are a small number of Posts that have failed to send in their reports and per capita tax for the term closing June 30. Post Commanders will see that they are sent in at once.

IV. The following additional Aides-de-camp have been appointed on the staff of the Department Commander on the recommendation of your Post Commanders and they are expected to assist him in every way possible to add to our membership:

Oliver Blakely, Post No. 4, Covington. H. H. Ritter, Post No. 8, South Bend. Walter J. Ashton, Post No. 11, Greencastle. Edward J. Harris, Post No. 15, Petersburg.



Rollin C. Irwin, Post No. 17, Indianapolis. Nelson D. Stanbro, Post No. 30, Kokomo. J. N. Brown, Post No. 41, Winamac. Phillip Plum, Post No. 52, Waterloo. J. B. Jones, Post No. 63, Decatur. Edwin B. Fish, Post No. 68, Huntingburg. Samuel Harryman, Post No. 89, Lawrenceburg. Thomas A. Hoover, Post No. 124, Pierceton. Oliver L. Evans, Post No. 131, Russiaville. Isaiah Hess, Post No. 132, Argos. G. A. Resler, Post No. 137, Huntington. Jacob Snyder, Post No. 152, Cannelton. John C. Stuck, Post No. 198, Elkhart. George W. Summers, Post No. 209, Indianapolis. Samuel S. Kelker, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne. Jacob Stahl, Post No. 401, Akron. J. P. Maupin, Post No. 461, Sellersburg. L. S. Myer, Post No. 557, Flora. Henry Garrett, Post No. 559, Indianapolis. Lyman M. Bennett, Post No. 281, Indianapolis. Frank Mahan, Post No. 70, Indianapolis. Jonathan Murphy, Post No. 369, Indianapolis. Nelson G. Hunter, Post No. 6, Wabash.

V. General Orders No. 5, from National Headquarters are enclosed herewith, and Post Commanders will see that they are read at Post meetings, as they contain much that will be of interest to your membership.

By command of

LEWIS KING,

Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. Fesler,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., September 13, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 3.

I. As announced in General Orders No. 2, the 49th National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic, will assemble at Washington, D. C., September 27, 1915. The Headquarters of the De-



partment of Indiana will be at Room 610, Raleigh Hotel, corner Pennsylvania Avenue and Twelfth Street, as also will the headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps and Ladies of the G. A. R. National Headquarters will also be established at the Raleigh Hotel.

For any information in the way of hotel accommodations and boarding houses, address Thomas M. Grant, Secretary Citizens' Committee, Washington, D. C., who will give it his prompt attention.

The Department Headquarters train will go over the Big Four route (New York Central) to Cincinnati, and from Cincinnati to Washington over the Baltimore & Ohio, leaving Indianapolis on Sunday, September 26, at 2:55 P. M., arriving at Cincinnati at 6 P. M., and leaving Cincinnati for Washington over the B. & O. at 6:35 P. M., arriving in Washington on Monday, the 27th, at 12:35, noon. Tickets good to return until October 15th, with stop over going or returning for those who desire it.

The best rate we have been able to secure from Indianapolis is \$25.85 for the round trip and a corresponding rate from other points in the State. This same train will carry Tourist sleepers—\$2.00 for lower berths, \$1.60 for upper berths.

- II. The Council of Administration and the delegates to the Encampment will meet at our Headquarters, Room 610 Raleigh Hotel, on Tuesday, the 28th, at 10 A. M., for consultation and the consideration of such matters as may call for our attention. It is very much desired that all delegates that can not attend the Encampment notify J. R. Fesler, Assistant Adjutant-General, that he may notify the alternates.
- III. General Orders No. 6, from National Headquarters, 1s enclosed herewith, giving full information of every detail of the Encampment and Post Commanders will see that the same is read at Post meetings, and it would be well if your county papers would publish the same.
- IV. These Headquarters will be closed from September 25th to October 5th.

 By command of

LEWIS KING,

Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General,



Headquarters Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, Room 25, State House, Indianapolis, Ind., November 22, 1915.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 4.

I. The Forty-ninth National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, held at Washington, D. C., September 27 to October 5, was royally entertained by the citizens of Washington. Most of the Departments were well represented. Our own delegates were almost all present and your Department Commander was well pleased with the showing we made in the parade.

Indiana was honored by the appointment of Comrade W. A. Ketcham as Judge Advocate-General, this being the second time that Comrade Ketcham has filled that high position. Comrade O. A. Somers was also re-appointed as a member of the National Council of Administration.

II. The annual election of Post Officers and representatives to the Department Encampment will take place at the first regular meeting in December. The ratio of representation is as follows: One representative and one alternate for every twenty-five members reported in good standing June 30, 1915, with one additional representative and alternate for the fraction of more than one-half that number, every Post being entitled to at least one representative and one alternate. Please remember that all Past Post Commanders in good standing are members of the Department Encampment and should not be elected to represent their posts.

III. As soon as Post Officers are elected the Adjutant will fill out the enclosed Certificate of Election, send one copy to Department Headquarters and retain the other for reference.

It is also the duty of the Adjutant to make out the Mortuary Report, giving in full the names of all members in good standing who have died during the year 1915. Please do not fail to make this record as complete as possible, giving rank, company, regiment, age and date of death.

· IV. Blanks for the semi-annual reports of the Post Adjutant and Post Quartermaster are also enclosed herewith. Post Commanders are urged to see that these reports are made out and mailed to Department Headquarters, together with ten cents per capita tax for each member in good standing, as soon as possible after the last meeting in the year. With the exception of a few, the Posts have been very prompt in this matter the past year and this willingness to aid us in getting our reports



in to the National Department on time is very much appreciated by these Headquarters.

- V. A blank for report of Post Patriotic Instructor is also enclosed herewith. The 45th National Encampment determined that these reports should be made annually in *December*, therefore Post Commanders are requested to see that they are made out by the 31st of December and mailed to Comrade Milton Garrigus, Department Patriotic Instructor, Kokomo, Ind.
- VI. By vote of the Council of Administration and the Department officials the city of Evansville has been selected as the place for holding the Department Encampment in 1916. The wishes of the Comrades and citizens of Evansville will be consulted in regard to the date, which will probably be early in May.
- VII. The following Comrades have been named on the Visiting Committee to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home:

William D. Wilson, Post No. 281, Indianapolis.

Hezekiah Trueblood, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

- J. S. Meek, Post No. 93, Spencer.
- S. I. Brown, Post No. 290, Knox.
- D. L. Beaber, Post No. 271, Fort Wayne.
- W. N. Pickerill, Post No. 17, Indianapolis.

Milton Garrigus, Post No. 30, Kokomo.

J. F. Davenport, Post No. 55, Richmond.

Ed Wolfe, Post No. 81, Rushville.

- E. P. Erwin, Post No. 127, Franklin.
- W. F. Medsker, Post No. 179, Cambridge City.
- C. G. Conn, Post No. 37, Elkhart.
- H. H. Durbin, Post No. 244, Anderson.
- V. V. Williams, Post No. 247, Bedford.

Jonathan Murphy, Post No. 369, Indianapolis.

Gustavus Miller, Post No. 13, Columbus.

- VIII. The following Comrades have been named to visit the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette:
 - J. N. Callicott, Post No. 391, Butlerville.
 - A. W. Lockridge, Post No. 11, Greencastle.
 - W. F. Kendall, Post No. 13, Columbus.

David Handley, Post No. 65, Frankfort.

- M. D. Griffiths, Post No. 103, Sheridan.
- J. T. Eller, Post No. 85, Bloomington,
- J. D. Bloomfield, Post No. 209, Indianapolis.

Byron Russell, Post No. 7, Crawfordsville.

Alonzo Murphy, Post No. 5, Greensburg.

I. T. Huckleberry, Post No. 202, Zionsville.



- J. W. Kitzmiller, Post No. 203, Tipton.
- R. V. Ditmers, Post No. 127, Franklin.

Dates for the meeting of the above committees will be fixed within a few days and the Comrades named will be notified from Department Headquarters.

IX. The following additional Aids-de-Camp have been appointed on the staff of the Department Commander and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Isaac W. Hallock, Post No. 23, Marion. James Stone, Post No. 39, Marion.

- X. Posts desiring to contribute to the "Chilstmas Fund" should send their remittances to J. R. Fesler, Assistant Quarter-master-General, who will receipt for the same.
- XI. A few Posts have not sent in their reports for the term closing June 30th. The Commanders of these Posts have been notified and we ask that they please attend to this matter without further delay.
- XII. General Orders No. 2 from National Headquarters will be found enclosed with this order. Post Commanders will see that these orders are read at post meetings.

Enclosures.

Certificates of Election (in duplicate).

Forms A and B for reports of Post Adjutant and Post Quarter-master (in duplicate).

Blank for Mortuary Report.

Blank for report of Post Patriotic Instructor.

General Orders No. 2 (National).

By command of Lewis King, Department Commander.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 10, 1916.

GENERAL ORDERS

No. 5.

I. The Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet in Evans-



ville on Tuesday, May 9, and continue in session during the 10th and 11th.

II. Headquarters of the Department will be at the New Vendome Hotel. The Headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the G. A. R. will also be established at this hotel. The halls where the different organizations will hold their sessions will be given in an order which will be issued in April.

The officer of the day and officer of the guard for the occasion will be selected from Farragut Post and their names will be published in a later order.

- III. The citizens of Evansville promise the comrades a warm welcome and believe that the manner in which they entertained the encampment in 1892 is a sufficient guarantee of what may be expected of them this year. We have the promise of Honorable Samuel Ralston, governor of our state, that he will be with us one day of the encampment; our Commander-in-Chief and his adjutant-general will also be with us at least one day.
- IV. Comrade John H. Case, senior vice-commander of the Department of Indiana, died at his home at Marion, Indiana, on January 30, 1916. The necessary information for a full obituary notice has not yet been received, although we have written for the same. This will be published in our next order.

On February 22, Junior Vice-Commander John J. Ogle was installed as Senior Vice-Commander of the Department of Indiana by Comrade J. D. Cummings, Assistant Adjutant-General of the Department of Florida, where Comrade Ogle has been for several months. Comrade Joseph Clouse, Post No. 23, Marion, Indiana, has been recommended by the members of his post for Junior Vice-Department Commander and his recommendation approved by the Council of Administration. He will be installed at an early date.

V. Enclosed with this order you will find General Orders No. 3 from National Headquarters. Post commanders will please see that these orders are read at the regular post meetings.

By command of

LEWIS KING,

Department Communder.

Official:

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.



HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF INDIANA, GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, ROOM 25, STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, April 19, 1916.

GENERAL ORDER No. 6.

- I. All arrangements are now about completed for the Thirty-seventh Annual Encampment of the Department of Indiana G. A. R., to be held in Evansville on May 9th, 10th and 11th. The citizens of Evansville generally have taken an active part in these preparations and now it is hoped by your Department Commander that the membership of the Department will show their appreciation by their attendance.
- II. We have not been able to get any reduction in railroad rates. Fare from Indianapolis, round trip, will be \$6.80, tickets good for thirty days, returning over any road. The Vandalia Railroad will furnish a special train which will run on the following schedule, Tuesday, May 9th:

Leave Indianapolis 9:30 a. m. Arrive Terre Haute 11:15 a. m. Leave Terre Haute 11:30 a. m. Arrive Evansville 2:30 p. m.

This will give ample time for securing hotel accommodations before night.

- III. The Committee on Credentials and distribution of badges to delegates will consist of Comrades D. G. Stuart, Chairman, Madison; W. E. Gorsuch, South Bend; W. D. Wilson, Indianapolis; W. F. Kendall, Columbus; Albert Boley, Marion; H. C. Durbin, Anderson; J. H. Sawyer, Lafayette; C. W. Scott, Warsaw; Lafayette Larsh, Richmond. They will report at Department Headquarters at the Vendome Hotel as soon as possible after the arrival of the Headquarters train.
- IV. The Council of Administration, which includes all Department officers, will meet at Department Headquarters on Tuesday, May 9th, at 3:30 p. m., for the transaction of all business that may come before them.
- V. All Department officers and District recruiting officers should prepare written reports to submit to the Encampment. These should be handed to the Assistant Adjutant-General not later than May 9th.
- VI. At 7:30 p. m., Tuesday all organizations will meet at Evans Hall, Fifth and Locust streets, when addresses of welcome will be delivered, responses being made by representatives of the different organizations. Goernor Samuel M. Ralston and Com-



mander-in-Chief Monfort will address this meeting, and will remain for the parade on the following afternoon.

VII. The parade will take place at 2 p. m. Wednesday and will be in charge of Captain Byron Parsons, Chief Marshal for the occasion. Comrade V. V. Williams, Chief-of-Staff, and Comrade A. A. Jones, Chief Bugler, will report to the Chief Marshal for duty in connection with the formation of the parade. For further details concerning the parade see General Order No. 1, issued by the Chief Marshal.

VIII. Comrade J. W. Spain, of Farragut Post No. 27, has been appointed Officer of the Day, and Comrade J. C. McAlpin, of the same post, Officer of the Guard during the sessions of the Encampment. They will report to the Assistant Adjutant-General for instructions on Tuesday, May 9th, at 3 p. m.

IX. Information concerning headquarters of the various organizations, time and place of business and other meetings, etc., will be found in the enclosed copy of the Encampment Program.

By command of

LEWIS KING,

Official:

Department Commander.

J. R. FESLER,

Assistant Adjutant-General.

IN MEMORIAM.

Comrade John H. Case, Senior Vice-Commander of the Department of Indiana G. A. R., died at his home at Marion, Indiana, on January 30, 1916. We have no record of his military service. Gen. Shunk, Post No. 23, to which he belonged, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, that in the death of Comrade Case we suffer the loss of a personal friend and valuable member of the Post; the community a worthy, respected and highly esteemed citizen; his family a loss that time alone can soften, as the bereavement gradually fades in the future state where sorrow never enters."

INFORMATION WANTED.

Comrade L. Carrico, Box 217A, R. F. D. No. 3, Fort Smith, Arkansas, desires information concerning Thomas (or John) McClure, who enlisted during the Civil War, from Sullivan County, Indiana.

Comrade Joseph S. Peak, Commander Post No. 89, G. A. R., Flora, Illinois, wishes to locate Comrade George W. Durham, a blind soldier who was supposed to be living in Indianapolis.



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