



SCV
Turner Ashby Camp # 1567
Winchester, Virginia
Minutes for
May 7, 2013

Opening:

The meeting was called to order by Commander Clarke. Chaplain Williams lead us in the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and the Salute to the Confederate Flag. The SCV Charge was read by Commander Clarke.

Introduction of Guests:

Commander Clarke introduced our guests, new member Andy Fletcher & his wife, Tiffany. Guest speaker, Ed Trexler, Jr and son Ed III & Grandson Ed IV. Late arrivals, Larry Yates, John Flynn & Katy Pitcock.

Acceptance of New Members:

Andrew Eugene Fletcher was inducted into the camp. Welcome aboard Andy.

Presentation by VIPs:

The meeting was turned over to Ed Trexler, Jr., who presented, *The Commonwealth of Virginia during the period 1850-1861 when the Union of States came apart.*

Minutes of the Last Meeting:

April minutes were read and approved.

Officers Report:

Committee Reports:

After some discussion the camp voted not to proceed with the smoothbore musket sale.

Commander Clarke reported the annual camp picnic will be Saturday June 8, 2013, starting at 2PM and eating at 4 PM. There will be one tour of the Pritchard House and one battlefield tour. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish of vegetables or dessert and the camp will supply everything else. We need a head count by Thursday June 6, 2013. The camp will donate \$100.00 to KBF for the use of their facilities.

Compatriot Bobby Zydalis reported the UDC scheduled placement of battle flags for 8 AM Tuesday June 4th. Flags will have to be picked up at the cold storage by Monday. We need to pick up 50-60 chairs and Commander Clarke volunteered to organize this. Flags will come down on June 7th.

Adjutant's Report:

Past Adjutant Claycomb reported 60 members & 1 Friend of the SCV.

All dues will be due on August 1, 2013. MRS forms will be coming sometime in July. Read and follow all instruction on the rear of the form. Check and correct all contact information. The camp need to appoint a membership person for this event.

An outstanding educational CD entitled "***A Southern View of History, The War for Southern Independence- the Other Side of the Coin***" has been purchased from the McNeil Camp, Georgia Division.

Commander Clarke was acknowledged for being awarded "**The Meritorious Service Award**" at the recent state convention.

The camp is still looking for someone to fill in as adjutant.

Members Sick or Distressed:

Old Business:

New Business:

After some discussion it was decided not to participate in the ***Law Enforcement Award*** this year due to time constraints.

Salute to Our Troops was explained to the camp and after some discussion, no action was taken.

A new 4-H Club, dedicated to the War Between the States is being started in Frederick County and Commander Clarke is looking into the possibility of camp participation.

Announcements:

Adjournment by the Chaplain:

Being no further business, Chaplain Williams closed with the Benediction and Commander Clarke adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

James A. Claycomb, Jr., Past Adjutant