

SCV Camp 47

Meeting Minutes October 2011

October 3, 2011

1900 Meeting Called To Order

Invocation delivered by Lt Cdr Jim Thomas

Color Sgts Scott led pledges

Cdr Griffin read The Charge & welcomed guests.

New Business:

Lt Cdr Thomas introduced the guest speaker for the evening: Jim Jordan. Mr. Jordan spoke on "Shermans March to the Sea", and his arrival, and non-burning of Savannah. He gave an outstanding presentation on the summary of the role of Savannah during the war, and the life of General Sherman.

Treasurer Report delivered, and renewal status reported by Adjutant McElveen.

Compatriot Claude Dinkins was awarded his "10 Year Membership Pin"

New member James Ferrior was inducted into the Camp.

Compatriot Jack Mayer gave an update on the Iron Cross program. He requested that the Camp consider supporting the purchase of flag holders for placement in cemeteries at an estimate of \$100.00. A motion was proposed to fund the program - seconded, & passed.

Commander Griffin thanked all who participated in the Tri-Centennial parade. Compatriot Wayne Couser addressed the Camp, expressing special thanks to Compatriot Joe Harden for his assistance.

The Camp was reminded of the dates for the annual Lee-Jackson Banquet to be held again in January at the Dataw Island Club.

Past Commander Jody Henson reminded the Camp of the annual Beaufort Heritage Society BBQ Event on Oct 6th at the "Islands of Beaufort."

Also, the Camp was reminded of the ceremonies for the "Battle of Port Royal" - scheduled for Sat Nov 5th on Hilton Head Island.

It was announced that an Iron Cross ceremony was being held on Sat Oct 22nd, at Grimes Cemetery for the ancestor of Compatriot Ollie Langford.

"Forward The Colors" was presented to newly inducted member James Ferrior.

Benediction delivered by Lt Cdr Jim Thomas.

Dixie was sang. Meeting Adjourned at approx 2045.

Approx number in attendance: 40

Minutes Recorded by Camp Adjutant Claude McElveen