



Cadot-Blessing Camp #126 Newsletter



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Since last meeting:

Next Meeting
Sunday
January 29, 2006
2pm

Presentation: Dr. Sam Wilson
Subject: Shell Shock

1. The camp has sold one of the winning tickets and received the
2. prize of \$200. Mike Harbour sold the 2nd prize winning ticket. We made \$250 from ticket sales plus the \$200 for the winning ticket. Good job Mike.

We will have a business meeting at 2pm and install officers and induct new members. The program will begin at 2:30pm. I hope Terry Frost PDC will be here for installation.

DUES

Dues are now due: \$34 for the year. Please send to the Commander ASAP 80 Wayne Lane Thurman, OH 45685

2. We welcome two new members to our

camp: Cody Beaver and David Carter. I just got word that Robert McClain will be transferring his membership from Camp #125 to our camp. Welcome Robert.

3. I need to order supplies: Any member needing SUV membership medals or other items let me know. I will be ordering medals (\$20 each), large membership certificates (\$5 each) along with some other items. You can check the Banner or go to National Web site to see what is available. www.suvcw.org

4. Your commander will be attending the Mid-Winter meeting of Ohio Department SUVCW at Veterans Memorial Auditorium on Saturday January 14. Any member wishing to go is certainly welcome. It is a good experience.

Upcoming Events.

**I recommend the book April 1865,
The month that Saved America by
Jay Winik**

1. Battle of Hurricane March 24,25,26 Good place to meet people and visit Sutlers and purchase supplies and accourtrements. Don't forget our brother Ron McClintock has the Riverside Civil War shop in Athalia 740-886-5194

**2. Federal Homecoming in the Gallipolis City Park. April 28, 29, 30 Sponsored by the 91st OVI & Gallia County Visitors Center
3. Memorial Day parade and ceremony May 29, 2006**

4. Morgan's Raid in Septemper: more on this later. This will be a 4 day event and will be great fun.

Civil War Trivia

1. Which Union General ran against A. Lincoln in the 1864 Presidential election?

2. What was the name of the play being performed at Ford's theater when Lincoln was shot?

3. What were Confederate "Quaker Guns?"

4. Opening the ball meant what?

5. At the onset of the Civil War how many slaves were in the United States.

Did You Know?

Slaves in Virginia could be hired for as much as \$30 a month in 1863-yet the pay for an army private was \$11 per month.

Did you Know?

California saw very limited action in the Civil War because a national draft was never placed in effect. Five hundred Californians did travel east and joined the Second Massachusetts Cavalry and were know as the "California Battalion"

Did you Know

John Gilleland designed in 1862 a double-barreled cannon, the only one of its kind in existence but it was a spectacular failure.

Did you know?

Soldiers who spoke of the Devil often used the moniker, "Old Scratch"

**Hope to see you all on
the 29th of January.**

Trivia Answers

- 1. George
McClelland**
- 2. Our American
Cousin**
- 3. Logs used to
look like more
guns**
- 4. Begin the
battle**
- 5. 4 million**