

The Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels, Missouri Chapter Meeting Minutes January 21, 2023

Attendees: Col. Robert Amsler, Esq., Col. Walter Busch, Sandy Walther*, Col. Sumner Hunnewell, Sylvia Hunnewell, Col. Will Johnson, Col. Tom Krahenbuhl, Col. Howard Miedler, Col. DJ Talbot, Col. Diane Halsey, Col. Richard Watts, Col. Sean Prewitt.

After our fried chicken dinner, the Meeting was called to order at 6:32 p.m. by President Col. Krahenbuhl at the Kemper Military School and College Museum in Boonville, Missouri.

Treasurer Col. Johnson stated that we had \$2,073 in our bank account.

Col. Krahenbuhl said that we should determine when our next meeting should be held. We decided that it would coincide with the Kentucky Derby on May 6. Col. Teresa "Diane" Halsey suggested that she might be able to get a room block at the Casino for the evening.

Col. Johnson said that it is important that we build our membership. He brought two commissions to be presented to two new members (Marcie Davenport and Daniel Clapp) whom he nominated. Unfortunately, they were not able to attend the meeting.

Col. Busch made a motion that we hold our next meeting on May 6. It was seconded and passed.

He then suggested that we create nametags (pocket or magnetic) for our chapter and (perhaps) offer it to other colonels outside of our chapter. The cost would be \$13, and we could sell it for \$20. We would need permission from HQ. He made the motion that we pursue the creation of nametags and that they would be provided without cost to life members of the chapter, which was seconded and passed.

Discussion returned to May 6. It was agreed that it would be a fundraiser. We would charge \$50 pp. A tour to see the Clydesdales (if it can be arranged) would be an additional cost. We will have it at the Museum, which has a capacity of 75.

Col. Busch reminded everything that we have a website, but it is not linked from the HQ website.

It was noted that the time to be a charter member ended that evening. Charter members will have a C before their membership number.

Col. Johnson mentioned that it will cost \$75 to file our tax and other forms with the state.

The silent auction closed soon after. \$65.00 was raised.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Signed: Sumner G. Hunnewell, Secretary