

Kells – Grennie Post 316  
Minutes  
February 12, 1988  
Meeting Convened at 8:35 pm  
Commander: Tony Lo Bargo  
28 Members Present

Minutes of past meeting was read and accepted without correction

**Committee Reports**

**Americanism** – Marty Rosenberg prepared and read a letter he proposed to be sent to the Parks Department seeking permission to add a Vietnam Memorial Plaque to the Egbertville monument. After reading he made a motion that the letter he wrote be sent. Motion was seconded and passed.

Marty also read a letter of proposal to be sent to various neighborhood schools seeking their cooperation concerning the distribution of the Americanism medals. After reading the letter he made a motion that the letter be sent out as written. The motion seconded and passed.

**Hospital Visitation** – Vinny Zangari said that he and Mike Shane visited Ray Mason. Ray was presented with a gift of Robert Burns Cigars from the Post.

**Membership** – Dick Hughes said that 148 members have to date. New Members – Pete Antioco, Anthony Liotola, and Kenneth Scholl transferred from Brooklyn.

**Service and Welfare** – Joseph Lawless made a veterans bulletin advisory & new law granting veteran status to Merchant Marines who served during WW II up thru August, 1945. It is important that any person who may qualify file a claim as soon as possible. Joe is available for assistance. It is still not decided if these men will be accepted into the Legion. Joe stated that Aldo Benedetto is very ill.

**Saint Patricks Day Parade Dance** – Dick Hughes reported that the membership should pay for the reservation by the next meeting. After that date reservations will be open to non-members.

New Business – Sal Abicocco made motion to have Kells – Grennie Post seek to have Richmond County spearhead a drive by Veterans Organizations to prohibit N.Y. City from raising real estate taxes, motion seconded and passed.

Ferdi Salvatore made a motion for the Post to endorse Philip Frazzetto for the office of County Commander, motion seconded and passed

Richard Burdge made a motion for the Post to hold a Children's Christmas Post Party for members children & grandchildren, motion seconded and passed.

**Good of the Legion** – Sal Abbaccoco has information & material for members to obtain handicapped parking certificate. A doctor's note is required for this.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:30 pm

Ferdi Salvatore