Kells – Grennie Post 316 Minutes December 22, 1989 Meeting convened at 8:45 pm Vice Commander Mike Shane Presiding 29 Members Present

Minutes of Meeting held on November 24, 1989 was accepted as read.

Committee

<u>Hospital Visitation</u> – Vinny Zangari said he visited Joe Santangelo. Vinny and Mike Shane visited Ray Mason is now in Clove Lake Nursing Home. Al Gianetta is in Staten Island Hospital.

<u>Membership</u> – Dick Hughes introduced new member Phil Cusimano. Membership dues received as of tonight are \$148.00. Dick also said that Tony Mosca transferred out.

<u>Old Business</u> – Ferdi Salvatore reported on the Post's Christmas Party. He thanked Carol Procopio for preparing the spaghetti with garlic & oil, Sal Fucinelli for the franks and beans. Ferdi prepared the sausages, potatoes and kielbasa and sauerkraut. The Post paid out \$113 for the food. This amount did not include the money spent for liquor and beer.

<u>Correspondence</u> – No action needed.

New Business - No action needed.

Good of the Legion – Dick Hughes reported Lt. Steve Esposito will attend our next meeting to speak about awards that are available to New York State Veterans. Marty Rosenberg informed the members that tonight was the first night of Chanukah and would appreciate the members allowing him to light the first candle on the menorah and say the customary prayer in Yiddish. After saying the prayer Martin informed the members of the significance of Chanukah, known as the Festival of Lights. The Post members thanked Teddy Ventura who donated a beautiful tray of Christmas cookies for the members at the meeting.

Before the meeting closed a moment of silence for the servicemen who lost their lives in Panama.

Meeting adjourned at 9:16 pm

Respectfully Submitted Ferdi Salvatore Adjutant