Kells – Grennie Post 316 Minutes October 13, 1988Meeting convened at 9:20 pm Commander Richard Reichart Presiding 29 Members present

The meeting started late due to members conducting services for departed member Joseph McKenna at the Hanley Funeral Home.

Committee Repots

<u>Treasurer</u> – Joe Miller said expenditures of month were given. The largest expenditure was for the Post Installation and the Cocktail reception for County Commander Phil Frazzetto. The on hand balance is \$807.27

Membership – Dick Hughes said the paid membership is at 116, and our quota is 162.

<u>Hospital Visitation</u> – Vinny Zangari visited Joe Santangelo. Joe is at home but requires constant care. George Grumo seems to be recovering very well. Joe Miller said that George Kerchhoffie is in hospital in Manhattan to undergo abdominal surgery.

<u>Old Business</u> – Ferdi Salvatore reported that monies for Commander Frazzetto cocktail party were \$167.40. Frank Faloutico reported that all tickets were sold out for the Italian night. Setting the Hall for Saturday will be at 1pm. Tony Mosca gave a report on the New Year's Eve Party, the price for members is \$50 per couple, and \$60 per couple for non-members. Ticket to be sold to members only until the 2nd meeting night in November. After that date, tickets will be open to non-members, on a 1st come 1st serve basis.

Good of the Legion – County Commander Phil Frazzetto thanked the Post members for the cocktail party reception in his honor. Hel also thanked those members who attended the Area Conference at the Cichon Post.

Andy Procopio said members should try to get additional advertisement for the K-G News, minimum ad is \$45 per year for 12 copies of the newspaper. Joe Miller advised members that if they have claims against the V.A. should contact State Veterans Counselor who are very knowledgeable in processing claims. Lawyers' fees are set by the government for processing claims against the government. Fees are so low that lawyers are reluctant to handle such cases.

Meeting adjourned at 9:55 pm with a moment of silence for Joseph McKenna

Submitted by Ferdi Salvatire Adjutant