

DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI  
DAUGHTER OF UNION VETERANS  
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Dear Sisters,

Brr!!! Hope your weather is better than it is in Northeast Missouri.

Do wish that all had a wonderful Holiday season and are now getting ready for the Department Convention meeting which will be held at the Comfort Inn in Macon on June 2<sup>nd</sup>. It is time for reports to be sent to the correct committee chairmen. Please continue your good work.

Would like for the Tents to continue to bring themed small baskets and other items for the silent auction. They are for the President's Project. This year's project is an easel for the Missouri Banner.

Remember, Tent Presidents who have new members to be initiated at the Convention need to bring a small flag for each initiate.

Tent Treasurers, please don't forget when you send in your dues also send in your \$1000 Club money to MO Department Treasurer Elna Williams for the bracelet and/or charm stating whether you want gold or silver.

The Josephine Garlock Morrow Tent will be selling T-shirts in many different colors with the DUV Logo.

An order blank will be in the GO# 3.

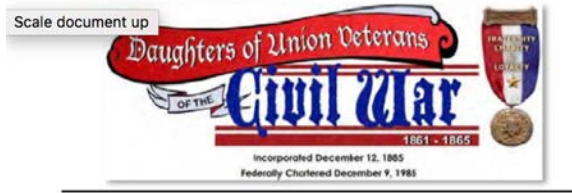
Note your official convention invitation.

The registration form will be in the GO #3.

In Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Mettie Davis  
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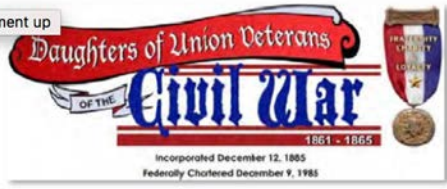
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### Appointed Missouri Department Officers 2017-2018

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#2 Cheyenne Long #16  
#3 Sierra Long #16  
#4 Emily Buehrig #16  
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Join the  
**\$1,000.00**  
Club



Your membership helps our

Missouri Department Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, 1861-1865

support projects and events!!! This is not part of the president project

**CLUB Membership**

**\$1.00** a month or **\$12.00** For the year

You receive a great charm and bracelet in



SILVER

or GOLD



upon full payment. There will be a different charm to represent each year.

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*\*THEY WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT DEPARTMENT CONVENTION\**

Everyone come join the club.....

Send your \$\$ with your yearly dues

Sponsored by your Council Members #1, #2, and #3.

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## Tent #16

### 2018-2019 Tent #16 Officers

President: Joan Koechig  
Sr. Vice Pres: Sharon Michael  
Jr. Vice Pres: Kathy Heincker  
Treasurer: Diane Sheffing  
Secretary: Patti Diceherber  
Registrar: Sharon Michel  
Patriotic Instructor:  
Carol Hertensteiner

## Tent #21

Tent #21 members filled out their annual reports and elected their new officer slate after they enjoyed a carry in luncheon at the Cunningham barn Christmas party room.





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R>L: President Maryellen McVicker, Treasurer; Debbie Fain, PTP; Secretary: Nancy Thomas PDP and Patriotic Instructor Ann Strecker.

**2018-2020 Tent #21 Officers**

President: Maryellen McVicker  
 Treasurer: Debbie Fain  
 Secretary: Nancy Thomas  
 Registrar: Mila Cunningham  
 Chaplain: Carol Norman  
 Patriotic Instructor: Ann Strecker

**Tent #22**

**2018 Tent 22 Elected Officers**

President Kitty Crider  
 Sr. VP Sharon Brown  
 Jr. VP Pat Haas  
 Chaplain Dee Dosch  
 Patriotic Instructor Fran Black  
 Treasurer Linda Charles  
 Council #1 Carmen Boyd  
 Council #2 Pat Dickens  
 Council #3 Marla Hufford  
 Counselor Sally Bueno  
 Secretary Donna Gann

**2018 Tent 22 Appointed Officers**

Recording Secretary	Donna Gann
Registrar	Micki Dischinger
Press Correspondent	Modena Hostetler
Guide	Sharon Williams
Guard	Maulene Sperko
Assistant Guard	Latesa Holder
Historian	Judy Peace



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Color Bearers	Lili Bogner
	Abi Phillips
	Julia Crider
duvs chair	Carmen Boyd
State Veterans Home/VAVS Chair	Fran Black
Hospitality Chair	Rose Jones
Photographers	Judy Peace
	Modena Hostetler
Archivist:	Fran Black
Counselor	Sally Buen

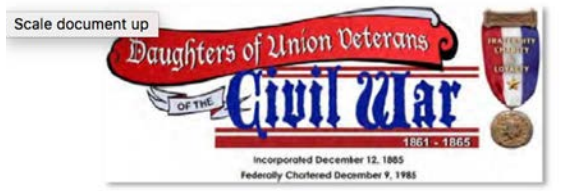
## Tent #23

### 2018-19 Tent #23 Officers

President: Laurel Seeley  
 Sr. Vice Pres: Mary Kitchen  
 Jr. Vice Pres: Ann Freeman  
 Secretary: Sharon Hutchinson  
 Treasurer: Marilyn Freeman  
 Registrar: Elna Williams  
 Patriotic Instructor: Linda Haley

Kathy Winkleman, from the Mexico Veterans' home, receiving the donated Christmas items from Josephine Garlock Morrow Tent #23 with Linda and Mike Haley, who delivered the gifts.





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Wilma Jobson and Linda Haley at the Wreaths Across America at Jacksonville Veterans Cemetery for the Ceremony on December 16, 2017.

## **Dedication Ceremony of the Military Tombstone for Captain Alonzo Newton**

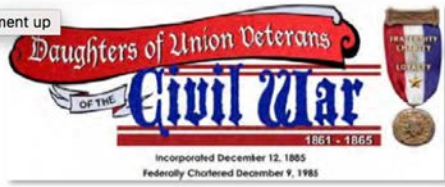
The Dedication Ceremony of the military tombstone for Captain Alonzo Newton was October 1, 2017, at 2 p.m., at Oakwood Cemetery, Macon, MO. Descendants of Captain Alonzo Newton, American Legion Post 57 Bucklin MO Color Guard, Tent 23 sisters, and guests attended the Dedication Ceremony of this Civil War soldier who died 100 years ago.

The dedication ceremony opened with the song, "America", sung by the Nelson Family, who are the great-great-great-grandchildren of Alonzo Newton.

The draped tombstone was uncovered by Alonzo's great-granddaughter and Tent 23 sister, Marianne Nelson; and great-great-grandsons, Mark, Greg & Chris Nelson. Great-granddaughter, Marianne Nelson, read a tribute honoring Alonzo Newton. Alonzo was a Captain in Company H, 107<sup>th</sup> Illinois Infantry. He had formed a glee club which performed at the Lincoln-Douglas debates. Alonzo soon became a close personal friend of Abraham Lincoln. A second patriotic song, "God Bless the USA", was sung by the Nelson Family.

The ceremony was concluded by the Bucklin American Legion VFW Post 57 giving 3 volleys with a firing team of 7, immediately following was the playing of taps in the far distance.

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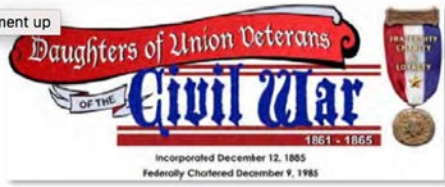
DUVCW members in picture from left: Sandy Swadley, Gail Shoush, Joanne Gaine, Marilyn Freeman, Marianne Nelson, Mary Kitchen, Linda Haley Merlyn Amedei, Mary Ann Wilson, and Ruth Masten.



Alonzo Newton's descendants - great granddaughter--Marianne Nelson with her children and grandchildren. Great-great-great Nelson family grandchildren of Alonzo Newton sang. It was a beautiful ceremony---Great turnout---American Legion did super. Alonzo would have been as proud of his family as they are of him !!!!



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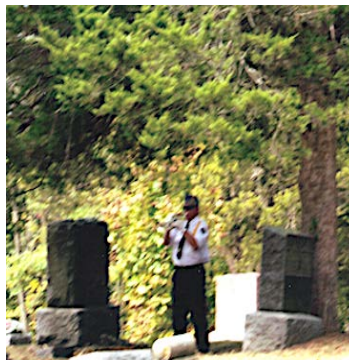


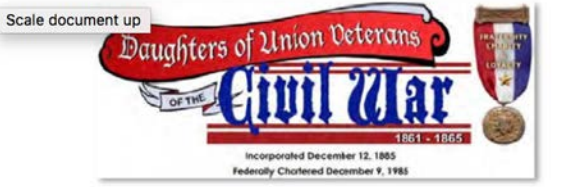
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Bucklin American Legion VFW Post #57  
\*Several of the American Legion are spouses of Tent #23 sisters.



Harold Carothers played the TAPS.





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## Tent #24

### 2018-2019 Louisa Volker Macklind Tent #24 Officers:

President: Cheryl Farris  
Sr. Vice President: Dee Wolfe  
Jr. Vice President: Karen Hillson  
Secretary: Lavone Anglen  
Treasurer: Patricia Kelmel  
Registrar: Linda Widau  
Chaplain: Billie Jean King

The Louisa Volker Macklind, Tent #24, elected new officers for 2018 & 2019. Outgoing President Dee Wolfe pinned Cheryl Farris as President. Other officers are Dee Wolfe, Sr. Vice President; Karen Hillson, Jr. Vice President; Lavone Anglen, Secretary; Patricia Kelmel, Treasurer; Billie Jean King, Chaplin; Linda Widau, Registrar.



We also welcomed new members: Eadie Flickinger, Ferra Kinnison, Karen Meredith & Karen Hillson.