



Chapter 28 Veterans Memorial

Minutes

February 13, 2018

Mt. Vernon Municipal Building West

1900 hours Called to order with opening ceremony by Commander Leneave.

Guest introduced: Don Kalahar invited by Ted Buck (interested in becoming member).

Officer Roll Call with all officers present or accounted for.

Minutes of previous meeting read, motion to approve by J. Tobin, 2nd by G. Tindle and approved.

Treasurer's report by S. Ward: Motion to approve Treasurer's Report by K. Gatewood, 2nd by R. Scott and approved.

Bills: None

Sickness and Distress: McDermott having 2nd knee replacement, Jake Arnett not well, Lonnie Cooper has flu, Tony King has been in and out of hospital, Ted Buck's sister has liver stones, Clarence Grothoff not well.

Applications for new members: Don Kalahar, motion to accept by T. Buck, 2nd and approved.

New members: None.

Communication: H. Leneave read letter announcing DEC Meeting 3/24-3/25 at Ramada Inn in Springfield, IL.

Committee report: S. Rowe and K. Gatewood discussed Shake, Rattle & Roll fundraiser will be held at Roadhouse Harley Davidson this year on September 22.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Discussion on recruiting new and younger veterans. Discussion on VA incompetence and poor service. Veterans Advocate will not return calls.

Good of the Order: Hot Rods & Heroes will hold event at airport in June this year.

Motion to Adjourn by S. Rowe, 2nd by J. Tobin, closing ceremony and adjourned at 1956 hours.