The Civil War Round Table

PUGET SOUND CIVIL WAR ROUND TABLE  "The purpose of this organization shall be to promote and to further stimulate interest in all aspects and phases of the Civil War period; to further the serious discussion and study of the War Between the States."

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OCTOBER 29, 1987 -- Next Meeting November 12, 1987

NOVEMBER 12 MEETING - We meet as usual at 6:00 pm for discussion and refreshments. Dinner at 7:00 pm at Naval Station Puget Sound. Menu will include: Whole Cornish Game Hen or Sea Scallops (baked).

BOARD OF DIRECTORS - Our PSCWRT By-Laws provide for a Board of Directors. Please indicate on the return postcard whether you might be interested in a Board seat. It's time we establish a Board to provide guidance. Does this all mean that we are maturing as a Round Table?

OCTOBER 8 - Our sincere thanks to Dr. Harold Alfred for "A Cavalry Skirmish at Obion Creek." We not only learned a bit of history but also were brought closer to the man who did the fighting. We so often think in broad terms in Civil War history and fail to remember the agony of each and every individual involved. Thank you, Hal.

This last meeting we had the best yet in door prizes and it looks like another winner this coming meeting - November 12.

ERROR - Dr. Maclyn Burg is kind to me. He has not said a word about my error in misspelling Sultana in the bulletin of September 27. We will be hearing from him later in the season about that historical event.

NOVEMBER 12 MEETING - Our own member, Dr. Tom Pressly, will discuss "The Relationship Between the Civilian and the Military" during the Civil War. For our newcomers, Dr. Pressly is Professor of History at the University of Washington, and gave one of our outstanding programs this past year. This next meeting will again be a highlight of the season. This is a good time to show off our Round Table to a friend.

DECEMBER 10 - Remember, the program will be a special presentation(s) by our own membership. Topics will be announced in the next bulletin. There is a tremendous store of knowledge tucked away in our group. We still have three slots to fill. By this time, we should have more volunteers than we can use.

REMINDERS - Dues for 1987-88 are in order - $10.00. Be sure to mail in your reservation card with number of persons, names, and your menu selection. Also, if you wish to on the PSCWRT Board. Gate list needed for each meeting - identify at the guard gate.


TRAVELS - The leaves were beautiful at Gettysburg and throughout the entire area. Driving from Baltimore to Gettysburg by the back roads provides the best in the beauty of the season.