DECEMBER 1, 1987

DECEMBER 10, 1987 - NEXT MEETING - We meet as usual at 6:00 pm for discussion and refreshments. Dinner at 7:00 pm at Officers Mess, Naval Station Puget Sound. Menu will include: Petite Filet or Broiled Filet of Sole (stuffed with shrimp). Be sure to indicate choice on your reservation card.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS - The following three members are suggested for the Board in addition to the three officers of the Round Table: Ken Bertrand, Jeff Rombauer and Pat Brady. Further nominations may be made from the floor at the December meeting. The Board should include a total of six members.

THANKS - PROFESSOR PRESLY - A hearty thank you to Professor Tom Pressly on "The Relationship between the Civilian and the Military during the Civil War." We again gained greater understandings in our Civil War studies.

DECEMBER 10 MEETING PROGRAM - A highlight of our season is ten minute presentations made by several of our members. Topics for this December meeting will include:

- Ken Bertrand ........ A Visit to Gettysburg
- Richard Hom ........ History of the USS Hartford
- Jack Lancaster...... C.W. Field Artillery
- Dr. James Morgan.... The Showalter Party
- Richard Pogue ...... C.W. Muskets and Related Equipment
- Thomas Kesler....... My Two Confederates

MORE TRAVELS - Following the trip to Gettysburg, Dio Richardson and your editor traveled to Memphis, Tennessee and included in a tour from Corinth, Mississippi (Shiloh). With two full days at Vicksburg, we traveled with two busloads to various battle sites on the Mississippi with the tour ending in New Orleans. Dr. Ed Bearrs, with his usual fine commentary, used radio to talk to both buses at once. It worked beautifully!

JANUARY 14 - Our speaker for the first meeting of the new year will be Col. Charles Kirk, the Battle of Franklin.

REMINDERS - Our dues of $10.00! Reservation cards for the December 10 meeting should include choice of menu, number of persons, names.

DATES TO REMEMBER - December 10, 1987; January 14; 1988, February 11, 1988; March 10, 1988; April 14, 1988 and May 12, 1988