OHIO DEPARTMENT AUXILIARY TO SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

Peggy Clark Young, Department President 4599 Graham Chapel Road Athens, Ohio 45701

Department Order #2

Greetings:

My year as your Department President is rapidly drawing to a close. I never expected it to go so quickly. I wish to thank the Department for the confidence shown in me by electing me to this position. It has been an honor and privilege to serve the Ohio Department. I wish to thank all my Department Officers for their hard work this year. The Department couldn't exist without the support of the officers and members. Each of you is most important to our Organization. Our Department Encampment will be on June 7, 2014, in Columbus, Ohio at the Franklin County Veteran's Memorial Building, 300 West Broad Street. I look forward to seeing all of you there. Please come so that you can find out for yourself how the Department functions and hear the reports of the Auxiliaries and Sisters. It's a great time to make friends and renew acquaintances. We will also be honored with the attendance of our National President Diane Mellor. Come to meet her, hear her Greetings and listen to what she has to tell us. Enclosed you will find a pre-registration form and luncheon reservation to be sent to Ramona Greenwalt, PDP, our Encampment Chairperson. Please have these in the mail by May 5.

All Sisters are asked to wear or bring white street length dresses (blouses and skirts) and white shoes as well as your Auxiliary badge. You may be asked to fill positions on the floor. Auxiliary members, unlike other Allied Orders, wear one badge, your highest rank, over the heart.

I am making the following Encampment appointments:

Guide-Ramona Greenwalt, PDP (#91)

Assistant Guide-Judy Brown (#10)

Color Guard #1-Judy Morgan, PDP (#108)

Color Guard #2-Ashlea Glaser (#91)

Inside/Outside Guard-Becca Freshly (#142)

Officers Reports and recommendations-Jane Graham, PNP (#91) chair, Sandy Prosak, PDP (#1), Judy Brown (#10)

Greetings to the Sons-Amy Miller, PDP (#108) chair, Diane Mellor, NP, Sue Freshley, PAP (#142)

Response to the Sons-Judy Morgan, PDP (#108)
Response to the Commander-in-Chief-Jane Graham, PNP (#91)
Response to the National President-Nancy Greenwalt Hilton, PNP (#91)
Chairperson of Charitable Deeds-Amy Miller, PDP (#108)

Please remembers the following:

Pre-registration still requires that you have a paid membership card and a credential at the time you sign the Registration Book at Encampment. (If you do not have the white credential cards for your Auxiliary, please contact Department Secretary Nancy Greenwalt Hilton, PNP, who will provide them for you.)

Each Auxiliary President is to have two typed copies of their Auxiliary report. If you are not sending a representative, send the report to the Department Secretary.

Each Department Officer is to have two typed copies of their report for the Department Secretary.

Any Auxiliary that wishes to bring a recommendation to the floor of the Department Encampment should provide two typewritten copies for the Department Secretary and plan to discuss these issues under New Business.

Prior to Department Encampment, each Auxiliary is to forward their completed Charitable Deeds report to Amy Miller, PDP, Chairlady, 1112 Green Meadow Road Lancaster, Ohio 43130, so that she will have time to compile her report for Department.

As soon after Memorial Day as possible, each Auxiliary should forward their reports to the Department Patriotic Instructor Barbara Lynch 5041 Strathaven Drive Dayton, Ohio 45424 and the Department Chaplain Wanda Langdon, AP 930 Locust Lane Cincinnati, Ohio 45245.

FINANCIAL DONATIONS

Do not forget to send your Auxiliary as well as personal donations to the Department and National "money officers". All patriotic endeavors paid for on both levels are from money raised the Patriotic Instructors. The Chief of Staff is responsible for encampment expenses that may arise as well as the operating funds. Each Auxiliary is asked to donate a minimum of \$25 to the Department Chief of Staff and \$15 to the Department Patriotic Instructor. Please make all checks payable to the Ohio Department ASUVCW, but mail contributions to:

Barbara Lynch Department Patriotic Instructor 5041 Strathaven Drive Dayton, Ohio 45424 Sandy Prosak, PDP Department Chief of Staff 5546 Aqua Drive Columbus, Ohio 43229

PER CAPITA TAX

Please be certain that your Auxiliary Per Capita Tax is paid for 2014 and all of the necessary forms have been sent to the Department Secretary Nancy Greenwalt Hilton, PNP 1576 Charl Ann Drive Alliance, Ohio 44601.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT

This year's National Encampment will be held in Marietta, Georgia, August 12-16. You may check the National Website for reservation information, excursions being made available and banquet information.

HOLIDAYS

Please remember to celebrate the following holidays in the appropriate fashion: Mother's Day Memorial Day Flag Day Father's Day July 4th

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

To all those who have experienced illness in their lives or those of their families, you are remembered in my prayers. I ask that God would restore health to all of you and your loved ones. May you feel God's presence in your life and know that He is with each of you.

Condolences to the John S. Townsend Auxiliary #108 on the loss of Sister Wanda Cohen. My sincere sympathy to any who have lost a loved one. I pray that the support of friends and loved ones will help you through your time of grief and may all the good memories of your lost one give you comfort.

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR DEPARTMENT ENCAMPMENT

As the appointed chairperson of the Department Encampment, I have been asked to relay the information about the luncheon at Department Encampment and the registration fee. The Department President has requested that everyone who plans to attend pre-register for the Encampment. The registration fee is \$5.00 and the cost of the luncheon is \$23.00 which includes the service charges. Please send your registration/luncheon form and a check or money order in the amount of \$28.00 made payable to the **Ohio Department ASUVCW**, to me by May 5, 2014.

Ramona Greenwalt, PDP Ohio Department Encampment Chair 993 Glamorgan Street Alliance, Ohio 44601

Yours in Fraternity, Charity, and Loyalty,

Peggy Clark Young Department President

Attest: Nancy Greenwalt Hilton PNP Ohio Department Secretary