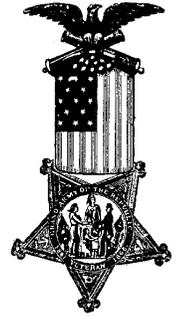




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SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
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Camp Patriotic Instructors and Commanders
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Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War

Dear Brothers:

As your newly appointed Department Patriotic Instructor let me begin by thanking our Commander, Robert Pollock, for his confidence in appointing me to serve in this important role. It is my goal to assist you and your Camp in promoting the tenets of our Order by fostering patriotism within our ranks and the general public. To that end I will be sharing with you ideas to stimulate loyalty and allegiance to our Country all the while encouraging interest in the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

For those who are serving as Camp Patriotic Instructor for the first time feel free to contact me to help answer any questions you may have in fulfilling the obligations of your position. To our long-standing Patriotic Instructor "veterans" I hope to draw on your expertise and guidance to assist in this effort and enhance the standing of our Department at the National level. In the meantime please do not hesitate to communicate any thoughts or suggestions as to how I may serve your Camp and our Order better. While email is the preferred means of contact I can also be reached at 443-876-2039 days, evenings and weekends.

Thank you for your commitment to our Order and I look forward to a very patriotic year!

In Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty,

/s/

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