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DEPARTMENT ORDER #4

"Wanting to work is so rare a merit that it should be encouraged."

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Dear Sisters.

I am pleased to announce the appointment of PDP Betsy Matthews to the office of Department Secretary. Sister Betsy brings a wealth of experience and expertise to this position and has been a diligent and loyal member of this department. She is very dedicated to our mission of keeping green the memory of the Boys in Blue.

Until further notice continue to send all of your per capita reports and dues to our Treasurer, PNP Faye Carlisle as previously directed. Additionally, continue to send your installation reports to me until directed to do otherwise.

Sister Betsy will be working on our Encampment proceedings and will be putting together our new roster.

Please send your nominations for the Marie Tepe Recognition Award to Sister Betsy. The criteria and rules for this award can be found in my Order #4 from May 2018.

I hope to see you at the Department Lincoln Luncheon, 2/09/19 at Williams Family Restaurant in Easton.

Brother Dane Difebo, an educator at the National Civil War Museum in Harrisburg will be speaking about Lincoln.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please send cards to PNP Margaret Atkinson who broke her hip on Christmas Eve. She is in rehab and her address is: Paul's Run, # 246, 9896 Bustleton Ave. Philadelphia, PA 19115.

In Fraternity, Loyalty, and Charity,

Susan Mertz, DP