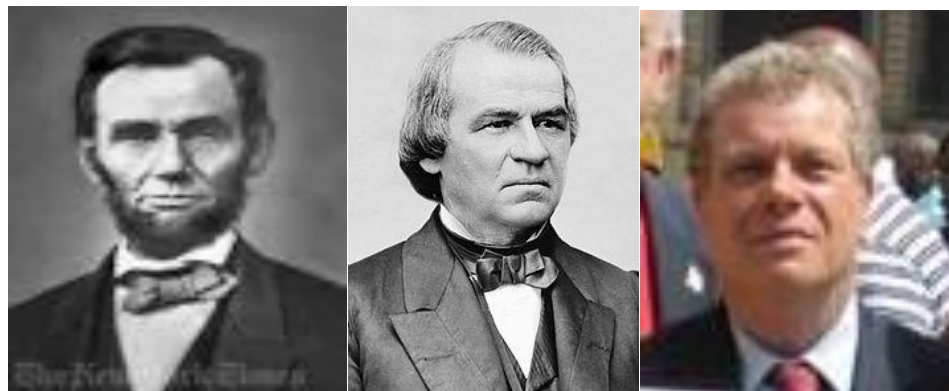




November 2014 – FALL CAMPAIGN 37

**ABOUT OUR NOVEMBER 04, 2014 PROGRAM'S TALK,
In the Gift of the People: Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Johnson & the 1864
National Union Party Convention, Baltimore, Maryland**



Abraham Lincoln ,Andrew Johnson, with Author, Michael Wunsch

Michael Wunsch, born in Brooklyn, NY, is a resident of Philadelphia and a 1981 graduate of La Salle College earning a B.S. in Business Administration, Michael is employed by Gallagher Fluid Seals Co, a distributor of Seals and O-Rings located in King of Prussia, PA.

A Civil War historian, researcher and public speaker, Michael is a student of Abraham Lincoln's life, Civil War politics and home front activities, and Philadelphia's unique role in the war.

Mr. Wunsch has presented at the GAR Museum & Library in Philadelphia, the Union League of Philadelphia, as well as the Delaware Valley CWRT, of which he is a member, and also Round Tables in Hershey, Gettysburg and Hamilton, NJ, about thirty venues in total.

Michael will be presenting on November 4, 'In the Gift of the People: Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Johnson & the 1864 National Union Party Convention, Baltimore, Maryland', his other topics include 'Abraham Lincoln & the Great Central Sanitary Fair, Philadelphia, June, 1864', 'City of Jubilee': Philadelphia & the Surrender of Gen. Robert E. Lee', and also 'Abraham Lincoln: A Life'.

A past Trustee of the GAR Museum & Library, Michael is the Secretary of the General Meade Society of Philadelphia, Inc., a position he has held since 1998, and currently serves as Chairman of the General George Meade Bicentennial Commission, General Meade's 200th birthday is on December 31, 2015, and will be observed on that date at historic Laurel Hill Cemetery, in Philadelphia, General Meade's final resting place.

Michael and wife Annette have one daughter Jessica, who currently resides in, and is employed by the city of Greensboro, NC.



55 members and guests were on hand to welcome David C. Keehn. His interesting and informative talk provide us with a lot of unknown information about the Knights of The Golden Circle.

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November 04, 2014 PROGRAM REGISTRATION DETAILS

All Members and guests of the Lehigh Brigade are ordered to the Days Inn and Suites of Allentown, PA on November 04, 2014. The deadline for accepting dinner reservations is Thursday, October 30, 2014.

For dinner reservations and/or information: Contact any of the following:

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Brigade Call

Civil War Round Table of Eastern, PA, Inc.

Warren Beach

Good evening:

I was recently hospitalized for about a week. During that time the various doctors spent a lot of time doing tests, taking x-rays, mri readings, etc. At the end, they found an infection and proceeded to work to cure it. As of this writing I am fine, if a little weak, from a week in a hospital bed.

As I lay there I began to think of the medical care available to the Civil War soldiers, both North and South. Being shot in the leg was a pretty sure thing for an amputation and a lot of times infection took their life.

Let us take a moment and think of the advancements in the medical field over the last 150 years and be thankful.

Warren Beach

More pictures from our October meeting:

Whether purchasing tickets for the Book Raffle or listening intently to the presenter (L-R) our attendees enjoyed the October 2014 event.



About our Meetings:

Location of all meetings

Days Inn and Suites of Allentown (formerly Four Points Sheraton)

3400 Airport Road, Allentown, PA 18109

Format of all meetings

Sutler's Call **6:00-6:30 pm**

Mess Call **6:30 p.m.**

Program **7:30 pm**

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DO YOU KNOW THE CIVIL WAR?

A Brain- Stretching Quiz About the Historic Struggle Between the Blue and Grey

A brain-stretching quiz about the historic struggle between the blue and gray

1. **On April 14, 1865, four years after Union troops turned Fort Sumter over to the Confederacy, what ceremonial flourish at the fort signaled that the U.S.A. was back?**

2. Name either of the two people who were in the presidential box at Ford's Theatre with the Lincolns the night the president was shot.

Please Remember To Visit Our Website:

Our website is a treasure trove of up to date information about not only our Round Table and it' activities, but links to events of interest, research aids and other organizations of merit.

Please check it often!! www.cwrteasternpa.org



Book Raffle Winners for October 2014



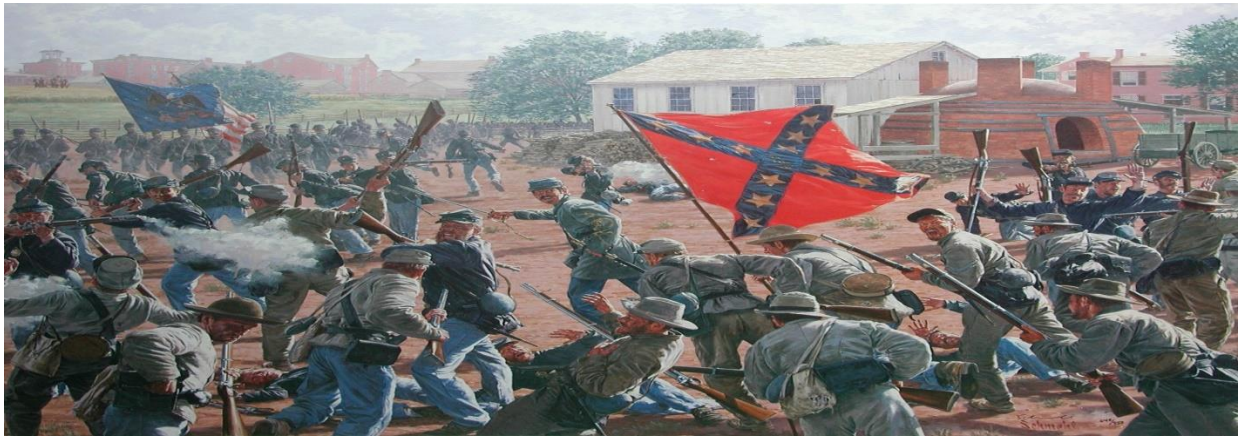
The book raffle winners for the October 2014 meeting were (front) Susan Mertz; (back – left to right) Bill Frankenfield, Jim Duffy, Russell Brewer and Durrell Hollenbach. Congratulations to the winners and thanks to everyone for supporting the preservation cause!

ANSWERS FOR DO YOUR KNOW THE CIVIL WAR?

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1. Major Anderson, who had taken the Stars & Stripes with him after surrendering the fort to General Beauregard, raised the flag again
2. Major Henry Rathbone and his fiancée, Clara Harris

2014-2015 Campaign Print Raffle Prizes



Bedlam in the Brickyard by Bradley Schmehl

The CWRT has a multitude of wonderful prizes that will be raffled off on the June 2015 meeting.

1. Framed Signed Print – *Bedlam in the Brickyard – Gettysburg* by Bradley Schmehl. #381/950.
2. The Official Civil War Centennial Commission Commemorative Medallion 1961 – 1965.
3. Framed Print Image of the Surrender at Appomattox with Surrender U. S. Centennial Postage Stamp.
4. *Arms, Equipment and Atlas of the Civil War* – 3 Volume Boxed Set.
5. *The Colton Letters Civil War Period 1861 – 1865*.
6. *The Civil War: An Illustrated History* by Geoffrey C. Ward with Ric Burns and Ken Burns. REMEMBER, WHEN YOU SUPPORT PRESERVATION, WE ARE ALL WINNERS!!!

REENLISTMENT REPORT

It is re-enlistment time for the 2014-2015 campaign. Again, our numbers have decreased over the past year and the Roundtable can use your help in acquiring some new recruits. If you know of anyone who has an interest in the Civil War, please pass his or her name and address along to me. I will send them a few complimentary newsletters and an introductory letter to the Round Table. Better yet, bring them to a dinner meeting.

The dues are \$25.00 for individuals, \$10.00 for full-time students. To avoid standing in line at the meeting, please fill out the form below and mail it with your check payable to CWRT of Eastern PA, Inc. Thanks for your support. Jeff Gates (610) 966-5773 or jefgates@ptd.net

Name _____ How long have you been a member? _____

Address _____ How did
you hear of this organization? _____

What is your occupation/profession? _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Reenactor? ___ Unit _____

Please give name and unit of ancestor who fought in the Civil War _____

My major interest is: _____

Would you be willing to speak to groups on some aspect of the Civil War? _____

Would you be interested in participating in round table activities? _____

___public functions ___political action ___preservation ___living history

Dues (Please make checks payable to **CWRT of Eastern PA, Inc.**)

___ **Individual (\$25.00)** ___ **Full-Time Student (\$10.00)** ___ **Tax Deductible Donation**

Please fill out the Enlistment Form above for our next Campaign and mail FIRST CLASS to CWRT of Eastern PA, Inc., P.O. Box 333 ALLENTOWN, PA 18105

Dues are payable now!

Old Baldy Civil War Round Table of Philadelphia Recognizes Michael Cavanaugh



Luncheon to recognize and honor Michael Cavanaugh

Round Table Founder, Civil War Scholar,
Book Exchange (Civil War News) Founder

January 17, 2015 @ 11:30-3:30
Adelphia Restaurant
1750 Clements Bridge Road
Deptford, NJ 08096

Presentation by Randall Miller of Saint Joseph University
Buffet Lunch, Door Prizes and Raffle.

Tickets: \$40 or 2 for \$75

Make check payable to: Old Baldy CWRT and send to:

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