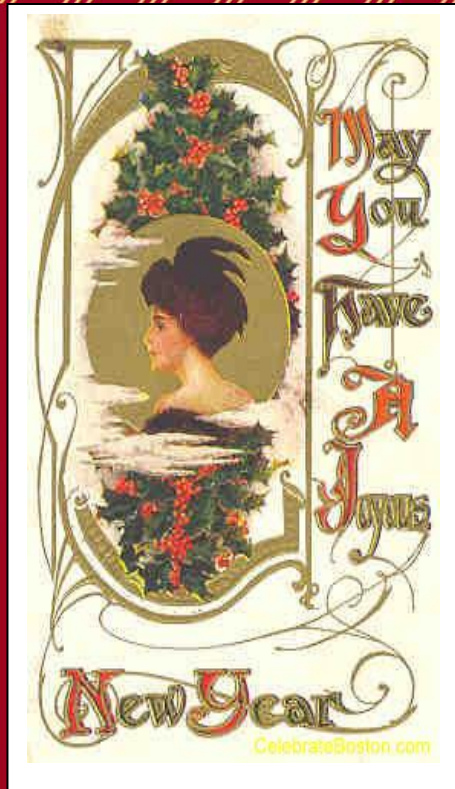


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TO ALL OUR SISTERS  
AND FRIENDS, MAY 2021  
BRING US GOOD  
HEALTH, HAPPINESS  
AND PROSPERITY



THE CLIO

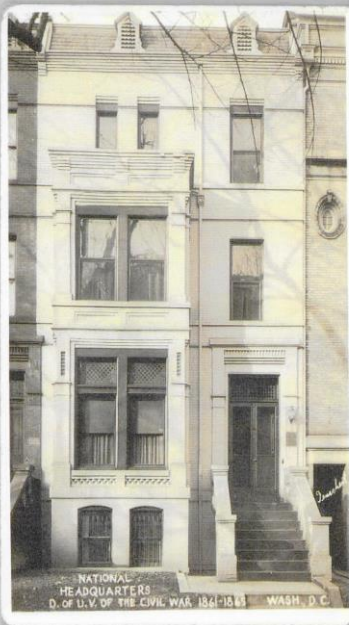
Stuck at home during a raging pandemic and frigid Wisconsin temperatures can have a psychologically debilitating effect. Welcome to THE CLIO! The Clio is an educational website with guides to history and culture. It provides relevant historical information regarding each site that has been entered along with photos and possible walking and driving tours. You can spend hours exploring many different possibilities to gain information, plan trips and visit areas where you may not be able to actually travel to. Start by “googling” “TheClio” and you will arrive at a website that has easy to use tools that will direct you to finding the information you may be seeking. For example: on The Clio website, I typed in Whitewater, WI which brought up a map with numbers and locations in the area. By clicking on the number you are able to access the information that has been entered for that particular site. I also typed in Civil War and came up with several hits to include the 1861 Western Virginia Campaign, The Battle of Antietam in 1862 and the Corinth Civil War Interpretive Center to name a few.

The website provides accurate information that has been vetted by the staff at Clio. Even more exciting, it allows the visitor the opportunity to enter data and photos. I plan to enter the historic information, location and select photos of our Civil War Monument in Spring Grove Cemetery. The possibilities of educational websites like this are endless. It is wonderful to live in an age where accessibility to information can be enjoyed by all!

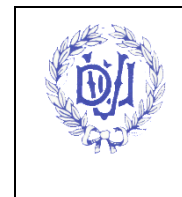
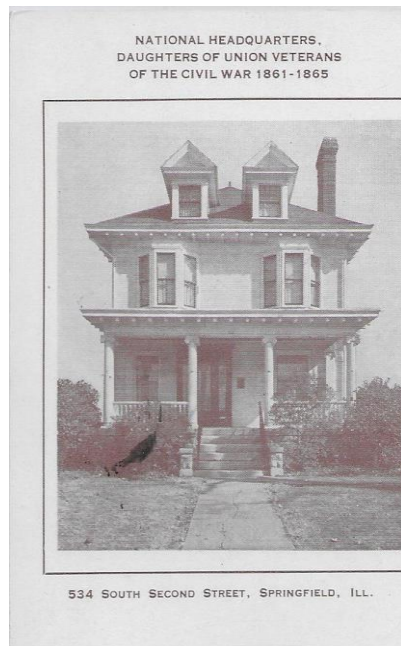
FRATERNITY, CHARITY, LOYALTY

The next meeting of Tent #23 will held at  
The Delavan Community Centre  
To Be Announced

### HISTORY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR, 1861-1865 NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS AND MUSEUM



DUVCW was organized and chartered in Massillon, Ohio in 1885. The first National Headquarters for the DUVCW was established in 1935 in a four story building in Washington, D.C. which is pictured to the left. In 1951 the National Headquarters was moved to Springfield, Illinois into the house which is featured to the right and dedicated in 1952. This house was replaced by the current Museum and Dr. Benjamin Stephenson Library and Research Center which are featured below and located at 503 South Walnut Street in Springfield. These two buildings which are pictured below now serve as our current Museum and National Headquarters.

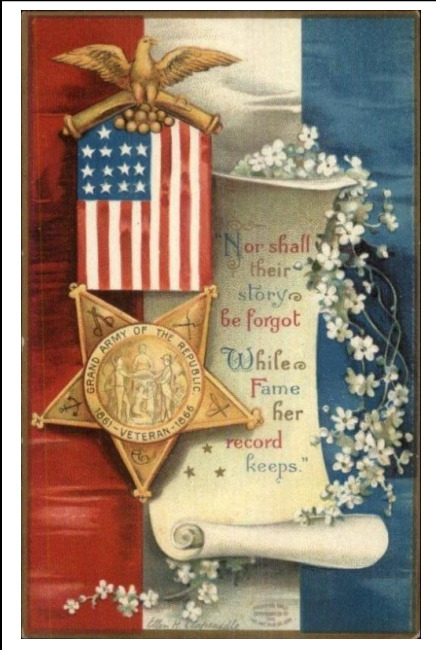


The National Headquarters Office is open from 9:00-4:00, Tuesday – Saturday  
The Museum is open from 9:30-3:30, Tuesday – Saturday  
Due to the Pandemic, the National Headquarters and Museum are closed until further notice

The 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Patriotic Luncheon, Saturday, February 6, 2021 at 1:00 pm.

Will be online!

Dr. Trevor Steinback will be the guest speaker on the topic “The Lincolns – In Sickness and in Health”  
ZOOM will be used to host this event: register, free, online at [www.suvcw-wi.org/patriotic\\_luncheon](http://www.suvcw-wi.org/patriotic_luncheon)



### 2021 IS A TIME TO REVIEW THE 'OBJECTS' OF OUR ORGANIZATION

What we do as the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War:

- A. We built and maintain a museum for Civil War history admission to which is free and open to the public.
- B. We maintain a free public library that contains books, military and biographical records, diaries, letters and genealogical records connected with the Civil War.
- C. We encourage the preservation of monuments, historic sites, documents and artifacts of our Civil War ancestors.
- D. We disseminate and teach American history particularly the history of the Civil War period and have established scholarship programs.
- E. We cherish, maintain and extend the Institutions of American freedom to foster patriotism and a love of country.
- F. We commemorate the deeds of Union Veterans on May 30/or Memorial Day and observe all Patriotic Anniversaries.
- G. We care for veterans of all wars through volunteer programs and provide aid and donations to those who are worthy and needy.
- H. We participate in the spirit of cooperation and reciprocity with other societies devoted to American history, veterans' affairs and community interests.

**\*We were founded as not-for-profit corporation "to perpetuate the memories of our ancestral fathers who served in the Civil War, to honor their loyalty and their unselfish sacrifices to preserve the Union and to keep alive the history of those who participated in that heroic struggle for the maintenance of our free government".**

**Excerpted from the National Constitution and Bylaws, pages 3-4**

Postcards featured to the left  
are from the collection of the newsletter editor

The newsletter editor welcomes the submission of articles for the coming newsletters from our membership. In the event that you wish to submit an article, please do so by emailing it to Pat Blackmer at [blackmerpa@aol.com](mailto:blackmerpa@aol.com)