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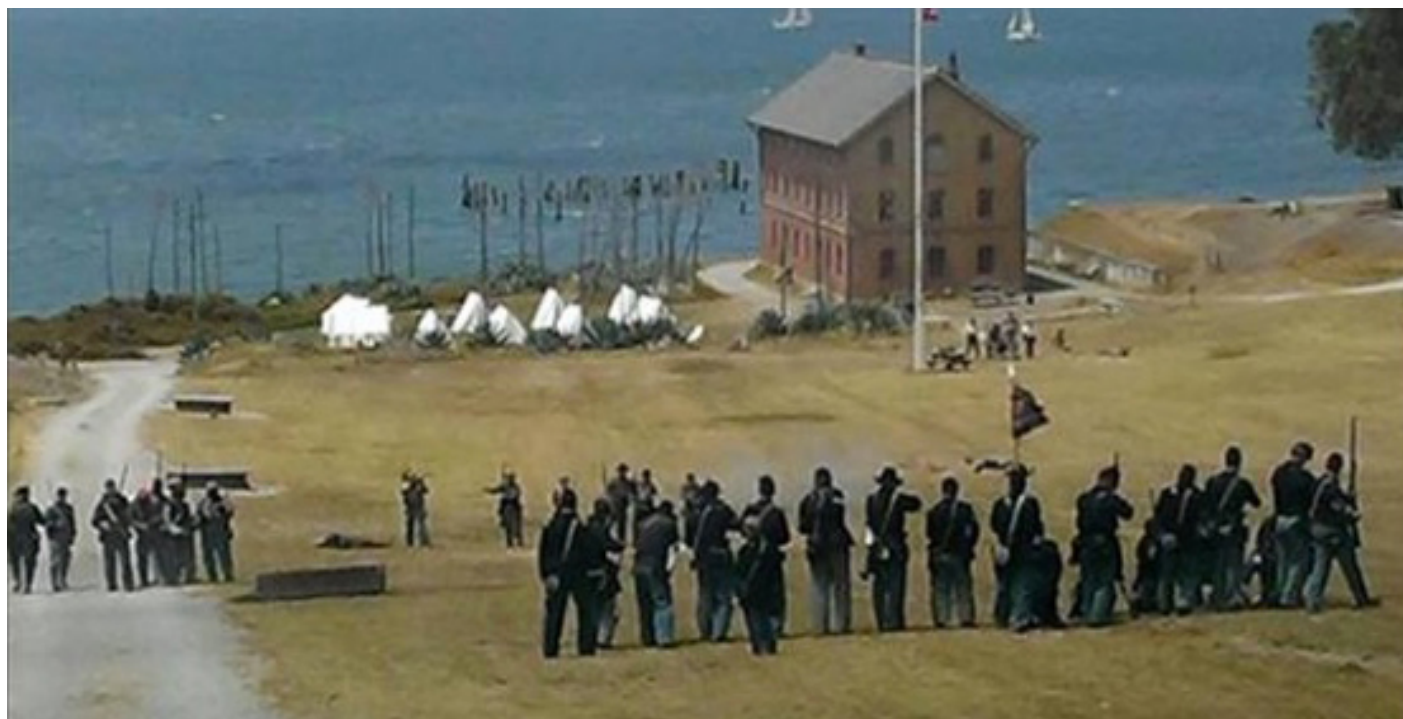
NEXT COMBINED BOARD MEETING:

Saturday, July 13, 2019, 11:00 a.m.

Round Table Pizza, 878 Southampton Road, Benicia, CA 94510

ANGEL ISLAND AWAITS!

JUNE 22, 23, 2019



Once again, Confederates invade and try to take over Camp Reynolds on Angel Island! This year, our battles for control of San Francisco Bay will be taking place on June 22 and 23. We will again be camping in the Quartermaster Building (contact Jane Beckman at carrowlea-ncwa@yahoo.com or at 408-497-3523 to reserve a space), or in tents (some tent space is available in Park tents; again contact Jane). There is limited space available in the Bakehouse as well. Our President, Jon Nickerson-Tremayne, will again be cooking for us, and has sign-ups and the menu for the weekend available in the newsletter.

As usual, the ferry from Tiburon will take us out to the Island, and shuttles will be available to take us to Camp Reynolds from the 8:30 a.m. Park boat and the 10:00 a.m. ferry on Saturday. The ferry from Tiburon is free to those participating in the reenactment. (While there are other ferries to Angel Island, they are not free.) Unload at the ferry landing in Tiburon, and then go park (info below). When you board, let them know you are a volunteer with the reenactment. As always, weapons must be checked at the wheelhouse on the upper deck, and you must sign in on the volunteer roster in the wheelhouse

FERRY TIMES:

If you are coming on Friday, the Tiburon Ferry departs from Tiburon at 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. If enough people are arriving on Friday, shuttles may be available, as the Park usually has someone available to transport us. On Saturday and Sunday, the ferry departs hourly from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. It also departs the island hourly, at 20 minutes after the hour, from 10:20 a.m. to 5:20 p.m.

The State Park staff boat, the *Ayala*, is also available for early arrival. It leaves promptly at 8:30 a.m. daily. If you take this boat, please wear soft shoes, not brogans, so as not to wear down the deck. The *Ayala* also departs Tiburon at 5:30 p.m. daily.

Parking in Tiburon is in the usual lots: Behind Bank of America (Tiburon Blvd. and Beach Drive) or between Chase Bank and Town Hall (Tiburon Blvd. before Beach Drive). The price for reenactors is \$5.00 per 24 hour day, and you can pay for the entire weekend at the time you park.

As always, if you have larger gear than will fit on the ferry, there is a limited amount of space available in the cannon trailer, on the *Clam* run on Friday. However, you or your unit are responsible for getting it to the embarkation point on Friday and retrieving it later (the return trip is on Monday). Talk to Jane and she can give you time and location, as it varies right up until a few days before.

Generally, battle times are 12:30 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Saturday and 12:30 p.m. on Sunday. The Barracks in the Quartermaster Building, as well as Quarters 10 at the top of the hill, are open to us all day.

Questions? Call Jane Beckman at 408-497-3523.

And check out the link on Facebook!

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2405991046291205/>

Sgt, Jane Beckman
Norfolk Light Artillery Blues



MEALS AT ANGEL ISLAND

JUNE 22-23, 2019

Meals at Angel Island will once again be provided by NCWA President and Chef Extraordinaire Jon Nickerson-Tremayne. To purchase a meal plan for the weekend, you must do one of the following:

A) Send a check for \$10.00 for each person who will be eating to Jon Nickerson at 629 Maple Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404.

B) Make a reservation with Jon Nickerson by email to tremor1863@yahoo and pay \$15.00 per person.

C) Wait until you are on the island and pay \$20.00 per person.

The cost for Saturday only will be \$12.00.

All prepaids and reservations must reach Jon by the Wednesday before the event.

Menu for Angel Island Subject to Change Without Notice

Friday Night:

White Bean and Chicken Chili
Bread and Salad

Saturday Breakfast:

Biscuits and Gravy
Sausage and Baked Eggs
Oatmeal

Saturday Lunch:

Road Rations—Bread, Nuts, Fresh
Fruit

Saturday Supper

Beef Osobuco on Mashed Potatoes
Vegetables
Split Pea Soup

Sunday Breakfast:

Quiche
Potatoes
Oatmeal

Sunday Lunch:

Road Rations—Bread, Nuts, Fresh
Fruit



FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK

Well, as many of you may have heard, due to my vehicle committing suicide en route to Jackson I did not make the event. From the reports and photos, it looks like we have another great new event site! Hopefully next year, the Civilian Corps will be able to participate in greater numbers. (And if anyone knows of a cargo van for sale, please let me know!)

Our next event is unique—Angel Island. We have the privilege of using some period buildings at a period site—a real treat! We can stay at the Quartermaster Building, in the Bake House, in Quarters 10 (a restored period officer's home) or in tents provided by the State Park. No hauling most of our gear!! For the Civilians, bring clothing for the weekend and some type of handwork or small project to share with the Public. We usually have some ladies sewing in the Parlor and making Button Spinners with our younger visitors, as well as period handwriting in the Bake House. Pack a suitcase, come on out and join us!

For those of you who have not contacted Jane Beckman regarding accommodations on Angel Island, please do so now. If you are unable to reach Jane give me a call at (408) 267-3118 and I will forward your info to Jane ASAP.

We will be announcing our new Town name in July. If you haven't gotten your suggestions in yet, please do so quickly. We are looking for a name that helps define who and where we are, and we welcome any ideas you have. Put your thinking bonnets on and get those ideas to us soon!

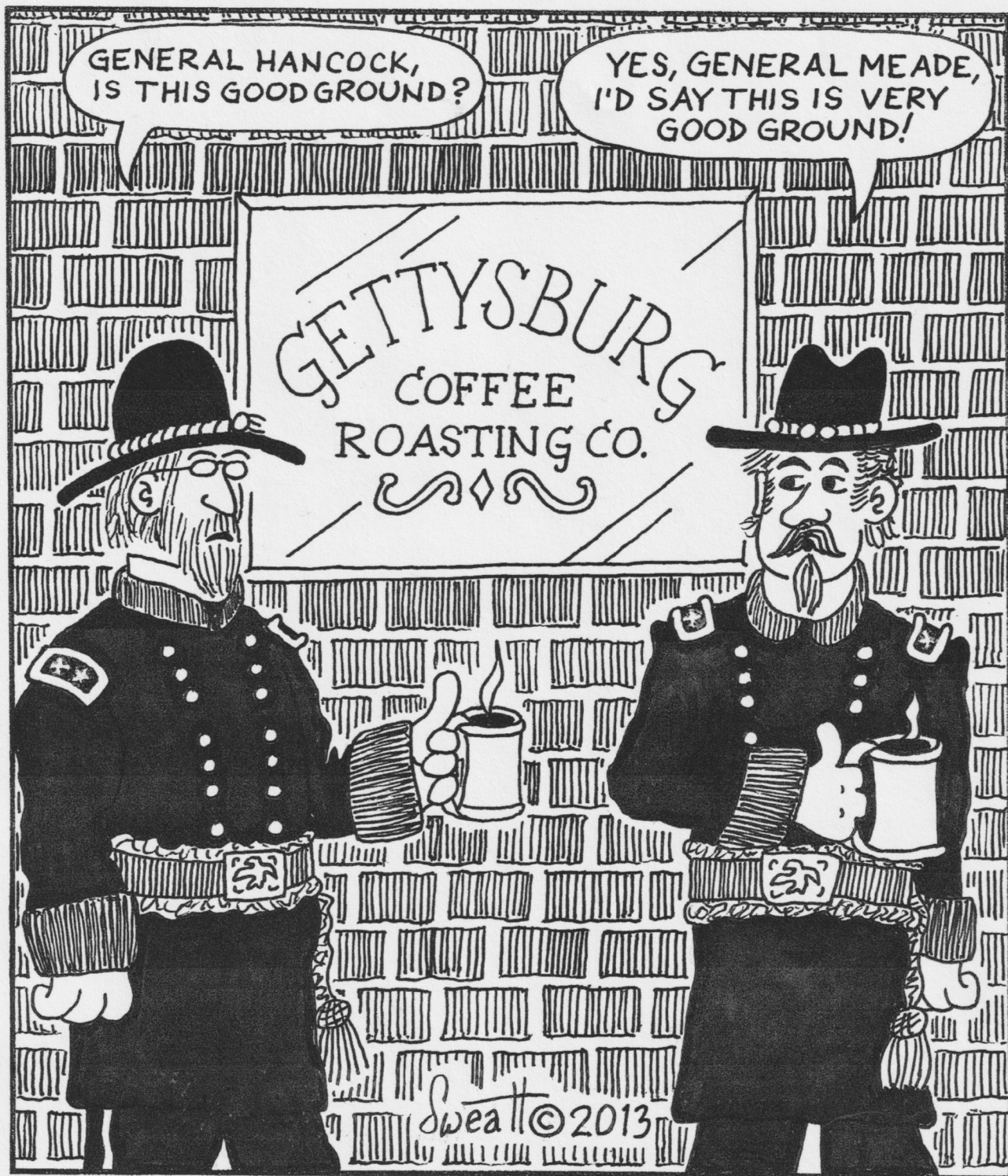
I look forward to seeing all of you out on Angel Island!

Lynne Ashby, Mayor



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