



## *News Letter*

# THE CIVIL WAR ROUND-TABLE

CLEVELAND, OHIO

1002 Citizens Building  
Cleveland 14, Ohio

January 8, 1960

### LADIES NIGHT

Monday, January 18, is the annual Ladies Night. Colin Montis, a speaker of National reknown, will have as his subject "Little known facts about Ohio in the Civil War" and the program committee is confident it has arranged an evening that will be of interest to all members and their ladies.

The place is the University Club and the time is 6:30 P.M.

### MAKE RESERVATIONS

Because of the attendance of the ladies the problem of providing proper service and accommodations is doubled.

### RETURN YOUR RESERVATION CARD NOW!

Our meeting is the eve of two Civil War anniversaries.

On January 19, 1862, Union forces, including the 9th Ohio, under General George Thomas met and defeated Confederate forces under General Zollocfer at Mill Springs, Kentucky. (Fishing Creek)

Robert E. Lee was born on January 19, 1807.

### FEBRUARY MEETING - BRANDY STATION

Colonel J. Gay Seabourne, a charter member of the C. W. R. T. of the District of Columbia, will address the meeting on February 16. "Brandy Station: Prelude to an Invasion" will be his subject and his talk will be illustrated. Colonel Seabourne is an experienced lecturer and his talks have won commendation from a number of Round Tables before which he has appeared. In addition, he has conducted a number of field trips over the terrain which is to be the subject of his address.

## FEBRUARY 1 DEADLINE FOR DUES

If you haven't done so to date, mail check for your dues at once to Guy DiCarlo, Jr., 11708 Rutland Avenue, Cleveland 8, Ohio. The Executive Committee has no option but must cancel the membership of anyone whose dues are not paid by February 1. There is no provision for suspension and, as there is a long waiting list of prospective members, any present member who is dropped will face a long wait for reinstatement.

## OHIO IN THE WAR

A review of Ezra J. Warner's "Generals In Gray" in the Cleveland News of December 28, 1959, stated that Ohio supplied five General Officers to the Confederacy. Our members do read The News (Howard Preston please note), as evidenced by the fact that a number of inquiries were received as to the identity of the Ohio born Confederates. They are: Charles Clark, Major General, Mississippi Militia, Brigadier C. S. A., later Governor of Mississippi; Bushrod Rust Johnson, USMA 1840, Major General C. S. A.; Daniel H. Reynolds, graduated from Ohio Wesleyan University, Major General C. S. A.; Roswell Sabine Ripley, USMA 1843, Brigadier C. S. A., commanded reconditioned Fort Sumter and Moultrie; and Otho French Strahl, Brigadier C. S. A., killed in action in the battle of Franklin, November 30, 1864.

Ohio also gave another son to the confederacy who fortunately rose to no higher rank than Colonel and who, unfortunately, is more widely known than any of her honorable contributions to the South. William Quantrill was also born in Ohio

## NEWS OF OTHER CWRTs

"The position of horses feet on equestrian statues located in National Battlefields, Parks and Cemeteries indicates the cause of death of the subject. The horse with all four feet on the ground shows that the subject died of natural causes; with one foot raised, death was caused by wounds incurred during battle; with two feet off the ground, the subject was killed during battle". Springfield, Illinois.

"The policy of 'no ladies' at regular meetings has been reaffirmed. One meeting a year is devoted to the ladies. They are also welcomed at special meetings and on battlefield tours". Chicago.