

# MINUTES OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

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**POST NO. 759**

**DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS**

Following the formal opening ceremonies transfer member John Browning was introduced to the membership along with Aaron Shotts who is on leave from the Navy.

The Adjutant and Finance Officer reports were given and approved without addition or correction.

Service Officer Report –

William Achilles and Frank Farley have passed.

Building Committee report –

The walk in cooler is up and running & doing a great job.

Homecoming Committee report –

Things are moving along. The letters for prisoners, police and the village have been sent.

Fish Fry's –

The fish fry on Feb 27 served 280 pounds of fish. County Market is the major sponsor of the fish fry's.

Old Business –

None

New Business –

- John Haines attended the 21<sup>st</sup> Dist meeting & they state the Post is at 88.5% of our goal.
- Chatham Glenwood HS is asking for a donation to their after prom activities. A motion was made by Joe Ori & 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ron Levine to donate \$100. Motion passed with no dissenting votes.
- The American Legion is sponsoring a Youth Police Program. Commander Schad took the information to the HS counselors. They were happy to receive the info and will follow through.
- John Haines was recognized for his 60 years of consecutive membership with a certificate and pin.

Good of the Post –

Thanks to the cooks (Tom Bartolomucci, Boone Londregan, Tom Green, Al Hornby for the corned beef and cabbage dinner.

The 50/50 of \$30.00 was won by Bob Shotts