

MEETINGS

Shelburne, Vt. 9 July 1946

A get together meeting of the Veterans of this territory was called at the Town Hall on the above date to which nearly 30 responded. Don Moulton called the meeting to order and after explaining the purpose of the get together introduced Dr. H. I. Slocum of Middlebury. He told briefly of the History & benefits of the American Legion. A paper was passed and enough names were placed thereon to warrant the organizing of a post in this community. With the assistance of Dr. Slocum 7 Don Moulton a temporary organization was set up until the evening of July 16th when a permanent organization would be instituted. The officers of this temporary organization are Temp. Commander-Harold Adams; Temp. Adjutant-Leo Irish. A committee consisting of R. E. Marsett, Earl Burns & John O'Brien were elected to draw up a constitution & by-laws and suggest a name. This committee to report at the meeting on evening of July 16th. Voted to adjourn after which refreshments were served by several of our good ladies.

Shelburne, Vt. 16 July 1946

A meeting of Shelburne-Charlotte post A. L. was held on the above date with Temp. Commander Harold Adams presiding, Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Report of Com. on by-laws, constitution and name was given for Com. by Don Moulton. It was voted that 2/3 of ~~MEM~~ number present at meeting would be ~~MEMBER~~ necessary to reject an applicant for membership. Voted to have 1 vice commander, voted that Executive Com. consist of the regular officers & 4 additional members, voted to give each member 7 days notice before amending the constitution, voted that on petition of 3 members of this post, Commander must call a meeting of Executive Com., voted that 5 members shall constitute a quorum of Ex. Com., voted that the regular meeting date of this post be the first Tuesday of every month, voted that upon written request of 7 members the Commander must call a special meeting of this post, voted that 7 members at any meeting of this post shall constitute a quorum to do business, voted that a notice be posted 7 days prior to amending the by-laws of this post, voted that a member of this post hold more than one office, voted that vacancies in office shall be filled by vote of this post voted to adapt by-laws & Constitution as set up. Voted to discharge Committee on by-laws, constitution and name of this post.

Shelburne, Vt. 5 August 1946

A regular meeting of Shelburne-Charlotte Post was held on above date at Shelburne Town Hall. Officers elected were:

Commander-Ralph Cox
Vice-Commander-Leo Irish
Adjutant-Parke Kent
Finance Officer-Harold Adams
Chaplain-Alfred Ockert
Historian-Ruth Irish
Sergeant-at-arms-Jerold Thomas
Service Officer-May Eldred

Executive Committee:

John O'Brien
Harold Edwards
Edmunds Busier
Paul Moulton

Membership committee:

Rufus Morrow
Keenis Patterson
Jerold Thomas

Publicity Officer-Rufus Morrow

Ass't- Don Moulton

It was voted that dues be \$3.00 per year.

Members volunteering to serve on entertainment committee are:

Jerold Thomas
Ruth Irish
May Eldred
Rufus Morrow
Ralph Cox

It was voted to have a special meeting in 2 weeks (20 August)