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To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the Cause for which we fought. To your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish. Remember, it is your duty to see that the true history of the South is presented to future generations.

Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee, New Orleans, 25 April 1906

Adjutant's Report

The Col. D. H. Lee Martz Camp 10 of the Sons of Confederate Veterans held their August 2016 meeting on the 22nd at the Rockingham County Administration Center.

The Adjutant had taken attendance as members arrived with the following present: Rod Clark, Leonard Derrer, Jerry Giles, David Loker, Roger Miller, William Miller, Lloyd Monger, Wayne Orebaugh, Willard Shirkey, Lloyd Sprinkle, Timothy Turner, Carson Via, Philip Way, Robert Weatherholtz, Walter Wilson and Thomas Yeakle.

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New Member

Mr. Grady Leonard Pittman Jr.
Is welcomed into Camp 10 by
Commander Philip Way



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Also in attendance were guests Tony Cave, Gary Whitmer and David Kipps who was instrumental in the modern re-organization of Camp 10 in 1998.

Commander Philip Way called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m. Chaplain Lloyd Sprinkle gave the invocation. Camp members gave the pledge of allegiance to the American flag and salutes to the Virginia and Confederate flags. Robert Weatherholtz moved and Willard Shirkey seconded to accept the July Adjutant's report as printed in the August newsletter. The motion passed.

Treasurer Lloyd Monger read his August report. William Miller moved and Thomas Yeakle seconded to accept the August Treasurer's report as read. The motion passed.

Officer Reports:

Commanders Communications/Orders:

Commander Way asked that members suggest people for speakers or ideas for programs because the Camp is overdue to schedule a program. He also encouraged members to speak on their ancestors or report a topic they may be researching.

Cmdr. Way read the details of ordering a polo shirt with the SCV logo and Camp name embroidered on it for the members who are interested in purchasing one.

Officers: Lt. Cmdr. Wayne Orebaugh stated that he had finished watching the Lincoln DVD and had it available for any member that wanted to view it.

Committee reports:

Membership Report: Bill Miller stated that he would be available to help the

guests at the meeting complete applications.

Heritage, History and Research: Commander Way urged members to consider joining this committee and working with Casey.

Ashby Monument: Rod Clark reported the grass strips along the entry still must be sprayed and wood chips spread and covered with a load of mulch. William Miller moved and Willard Shirkey seconded that \$105 be spent for a load of mulch for the task. The motion passed.

Coaling: There was no status update available for having the CWPT replace the worn flags.

Headstones, Markers and Monuments: Rod Clark stated that he had not contacted Mike Rinker about the last 12 stones for Woodbine and was letting him work them as his schedule allows. Leonard Derrer reported that Woodbine had removed the large pine in the left front area of the Confederate section and that he had applied *Wet and Forget* to all of the older Confederate stones.

Old Business: Commander Way reminded members that the Camp picnic is September 5, Grand Caverns Park shelter number one. Lunch is at 1 pm, come early.

New Business: Commander Way inducted Mr. Grady Leonard Pittman Jr. into Camp 10 and presented his membership certificate.

Commander Way thanked everyone for making Mr. Ritchie's Thursday night talk a well-attended event to show the museum staff that the area is indeed interested in more Confederate oriented events.

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Mr. Pittman spoke on his journey to the SCV from his mother's membership in the UDC and his own initiation into the Kappa Alpha Order in 1980. Willard Shirkey spoke on a very interesting television show on the Buffalo Gangs in 1865 and recommended watching it.

William Miller moved that the meeting adjourn. Motion seconded by Willard Shirkey and passed. Chaplain Sprinkle gave the benediction and the Commander declared the meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted by
Adjutant Tim Turner.



Woodbine Cemetery Flag Days 2016

*January 15:
Lee-Jackson Day*

*April 17:
Virginia's Secession from the Union*

*April 25:
Confederate Memorial Day*

*May 25:
American Memorial Day*

*June 6:
Death of Turner Ashby*

*November 11:
Veteran's Day*

Camp #10 Calendar

September

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 26TH 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

October

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 26TH 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

November

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 27TH 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

December

NO CAMP MEETING

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

January

LEE-JACKSON-MAURY LUNCHEON WITH UDC

LEE JACKSON DAY LEXINGTON

CAMP MEETING

From The Editor

This is your newsletter. Any item of interest to the members of the Camp will be included. The right to make minor edits, if necessary, is reserved; this will obviously be kept to a minimum and only when absolutely necessary.

The deadline for submissions is ten (10) calendar days before the next monthly meeting.

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