



The Martz Missive

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Col. D. H. Lee Martz Camp 10, Harrisonburg VA



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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 November 2016 meeting on the 28th at the Rockingham County Administration Center.

The Adjutant had taken attendance as members arrived with the following present: Todd Biller, David Cash, Donald Caul, Rod Clark, Leonard Derrer, William Fix, Jerry Giles, Loring Hensley, Roger Miller, William Miller, Lloyd Monger, Wayne Orebaugh, Steven Owen, John

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Lee-Jackson-Maury Day

Sponsored by the Turner Ashby
UDC, Saturday, January 7th

12:00 Noon at

The Heritage Museum

382 High Street, Dayton, Va. 22821

Col. Keith Gibson, director of
museum programs at Virginia
Military Institute, will give a
presentation on Little Sorrel.

Catered lunch with tenderloin and
gravy. \$20 / Person

Call Phil Way 540-810-6017 or
Linda Ridder 540-574-2641

to make reservations.

Deadline is Jan 2nd.

Make checks payable to

Tuner Ashby 162

Mail ASAP to

Linda Ridder

2335 Privacy Drive

Mt. Crawford, VA 22841

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Riddle, Robert Pearson, Michael Rhodes, Willard Shirkey, Lloyd Sprinkle, Timothy Turner, Philip Way, Robert Weatherholtz, Gary Whitmer, Walter Wilson and Thomas Yeakle. SCV members with Camp 10 transfers in process, James Haney and Scott Harris were also in attendance.

Commander Philip Way called the meeting to order at 7:00 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.

David Cash moved to accept the September adjutant's report as printed in the November newsletter. Motion was seconded and passed.

Treasurer Lloyd Monger read his report for the month of November. William Miller moved to accept the treasurer's report as read. Motion was seconded and passed.

Officer Reports:

Commanders Communications/Orders:

Commander Way thanked everyone who participated in the Veteran's Day Parade and Willard Shirkey for organizing the Camp's participation. Much positive response was reported. Commander Way will send a thank you card to the folks who supplied the wagon and horses.

Officers: Adjutant Turner thanked everyone for helping to get the renewals resolved quickly. He reported that a October roll call typo correction will be issued. Turner initiated discussion on the Lexington City council attempting to hijack the Lee-Jackson Day celebration

there. Check current event schedule at www.leejacksonday.webs.com

Membership: William Miller reported that two applications are in process.

Heritage, History & Research: No Report.

Ashby Monument: Rod Clark reported the site looks o.k. The wood chips have not been spread yet and will now schedule that task for spring.

Headstones, Marker & Monuments: Rod Clark stated he had not heard from Mike Rinker about the stones they were working on but expected them to be ready in the spring.

Programs & Publicity: Adjutant Turner reported that Casey Billhimer has secured a speaker for the February meeting.

CW Trust/SVBF: No report.

UDC: Cmdr. Way reported on the status of getting the Turner Ashby monument on the National register of historic sites. The first step is having the monument placed on the State register.

Cmdr. Way reviewed the information for the UDC sponsored Lee-Jackson-Maury day celebration: January 7th at 12 noon, at the Dayton Museum, speaker on Little Sorrell, catered lunch, \$20. Call Phil Way 810-6017 or Linda Ridder 574-2641 by Jan 2nd for reservation.

Old Business: Cmdr. Way inquired if anyone had researched information about the Order of the Confederate Rose to respond to a request for Camp 10 to support a local chapter. Gary Whitmer reported that it is a non-descendant Confederate organization. Rod Clark recommended that the prospective organization make a presentation to the

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Camp before any decision is made. Cmdr. Way will proceed with a letter requesting the presentation.

New Business: Walter Wilson researched fundraising options for the Camp and to have a raffle or any game of chance the Camp must have its own tax ID and ensure all finances are documented correctly. This is addressed in the SCV handbook Chapter 13. Auctions that do not involve chance are acceptable.

Cmdr. Way read a thank you card from 5th Brigade Commander Michael Virts for inviting him to speak at Camp 10's meeting and a letter from UDC Chapter 162 President Ms. Linda Ridder who had sent a \$150 check for mulch for the Ashby monument and provided an update on the status of getting the monument on the historic register.

Walter Williams said that Gary Powers Jr. will be speaking Thursday night in Staunton at the Shenandoah Valley Tea

Party meeting speaking about his father and the movie about him. Walter also said he was working on a topic for a meeting and is willing to work on topics of a legal nature if there is interest.

Will Shirkey spoke briefly about the parade saying that he had received high fives along the way. He also read an anonymous letter that he had recently received denouncing the Confederate flag he flew at his house and also containing a veiled threat. He also reported that last issue of The Barnes Review contained an excellent article on the cause of the War Between the States.

Robert Weatherholtz moved that the meeting adjourn. Motion seconded by Will Shirkey and passed. Chaplain Sprinkle gave the benediction and the Commander declared the meeting adjourned at 8:26 pm.

Respectfully submitted by
Adjutant Tim Turner.



Camp 10 Participants
Veterans Day Parade
Harrisonburg, Virginia
Sunday, November 6, 2016



Corrections

The November newsletter Adjutant's Report roll call "Roger, William Miller," should be "Roger Miller, William Miller,"

Ed.

Camp #10 Calendar

January

LEE-JACKSON-MAURY LUNCHEON WITH UDC

THE HERITAGE MUSEUM, DAYTON VA.

JANUARY 7TH, 12 NOON

CATERED LUNCH \$20

GUEST SPEAKE: COL. KEITH GIBSON

LEE JACKSON DAY

FRIDAY 13TH, THROUGH SUNDAY 15TH

LEXINGTON, VA

SPONSOR: SCV STONEWALL BRIGADE CAMP 1269

DUE TO THE LEXINGTON CITY COUNCIL ATTEMPTS TO

HJACK THE WEEKEND AND THWART CITIZEN

CELEBRATION OF LEXINGTON'S MOST FAMOUS

CITIZENS PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE BELOW AS

EVENTS MAY CHANGE.

DETAILS: LEEJACKSONDAY.WEBS.COM

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 23RD - 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

February

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 27TH 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

March

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 27TH 7:00 PM

[ROCKINGHAM COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING](#)

April

CAMP MEETING

MONDAY 24TH 7:00 PM

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Woodbine Cemetery Flag Days 2017

January 13:

Lee-Jackson Day

April 17:

Virginia's Secession from the Union

April 24:

Confederate Memorial Day

May 29:

American Memorial Day

June 6:

Death of Turner Ashby

November 11:

Veteran's Day

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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