



The Gen. Gordon Dispatch

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Thank You for Your Help!

On October 18th and 19th our Camp operated booths at The Concord Country Jubilee and The Thomaston Fall Festival. We sold a lot of merchandise and got contact information from many potential members. The following members helped: Cmdr. Al Medcalf, 1st Lt. Cmdr. Mark Dix, 2nd Lt. Cmdr. Felton Lewis, Compatriots Bob Berkey, David Britt, Grady Coker, George Crawford, Ed Cunningham, Jack Grubb, Ricky Keadle, Norman Lawrence, Wade Little, Jimmy Spradley, Donald Stagg, Jonathan Wilkins and Milo Wimberly. (Note: I tried to make sure I got everyone's name that helped work the booths. If you were left out, I apologize and assure you it was unintentional).



Turkey Shoot

On November 8th, the Camp held a Turkey Shoot. 2nd Lt. Cmdr. Felton Lewis, Chaplain Eddie Rainey, Compatriots Ed Cunningham and Milo Wimberly did most of the work on the event.

The Charge

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

Dates to Remember

Tuesday, November 25th
Regular Monthly Meeting

Time: 7:00 PM
Place: Thomaston Upson Archives
Speaker: Compatriot Ray McBerry

Saturday, January 17th
Lee-Jackson Dinner

Time: 6:00 PM
Place: Savannah Square
Speaker: Donnie Kennedy
Cost: \$16.00 per person
Dress: Period Attire or Coat & Tie



ELECTIONS

Camp Officers for 2009 will be elected at our December Meeting. If you wish to run for an office please let us know before the meeting. If there are any contested races, the vote will be done by secret ballot. A list of current officers is as follows:

Commander	<i>Al Medcalf</i>
1st Lt. Commander	<i>Mark Dix</i>
2 nd Lt. Commander	<i>Felton Lewis</i>
Adjutant	<i>Hugh Shepard</i>
Chaplain	<i>Eddie Rainey</i>
Color Sargent	<i>Bob Berkey</i>