



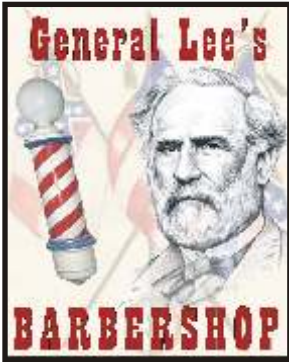
The Gen. Gordon Dispatch

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Commander's Comments



Several of our Compatriots are business owners. I know most of our members would rather do business with a Compatriot if that Compatriot offers a service or goods that they need. I would like to feature at least one business a month, that is owned by a member, in our newsletter. If you would like for your business to be

featured, please contact Cmdr. Medcalf at tsm773@aol.com and furnish name of business, business address and goods or services offered. Since 1st Lt. Cmdr. Wilkins publishes the newsletter, I am asking him to feature his business first.

Gen. Lee's Barbershop
205 East Lee Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
(706) 601-5814

Across the Street from the R.E. Lee Auditorium

Tuesday-Friday 9:00-12:30 & 1:30-4:30

Saturday 8:00-2:00

Appointments may be made before and after hours by phone.

Camp Officers

At the December meeting, Camp Officers were elected for 2011. Officers are as follows:

Commander Al Medcalf
1st Lt. Cmdr. Jonathan Wilkins
2nd Lt. Cmdr. Sam Franklin
Adjutant Hugh Shepard
Chaplain Eddie Rainey
Colour Sargent Ed Cunningham

Upcoming Events

Regular Meeting

Date: Tuesday, January 25th

Where: Thomaston Archives

Time: 7:00 pm

Program: Cmdr. Al Medcalf will speak on Pvt. John Hamilton Chastain Denton

Georgia Secession Re-enactment January 22, 2011 in Milledgeville, GA



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The program will be the reenactment of the speeches by 5 of the main speakers at the 1861 Convention-- Alexander .S Stephens, Robert Toombs, Thomas Cobb, Eugenius Nisbett, and Hershel Johnson--and focuses on the issues each representative brought to the debate. The performance will last 30-40 minutes and will end with a very dramatic conclusion.

For those who are able, we will congregate at the old Governor's Mansion at the corner of W. Hancock Street and Clark Street between 10 A.M. and 10:40 A.M. At exactly 10:45 A.M. we will march down W. Hancock Street (basically Milledgeville's main street) to Jefferson Street and the entrance to the old Capitol building. Everyone is invited to march. Period uniforms and flags are encouraged.