

# FOOT CAVALRY DISPATCH

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To the Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will submit 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 he loved and 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.

*Honoring our Confederate Veterans rightful place in American History*

## Commander's Comments

I hope this finds all in good health and spirits in our New Year.

This month is our **Lee– Jackson Banquet** on the 28th. Please plan on attending with your wives or significant other.

Our speaker will be MR John L Rowe Jr. from Portsmouth, VA. Also, the installation of our 2012 officers will be sword in by our 1st Brigade Commander, Kenny Harris.

Please come to support our speaker and the honoring of our beloved Generalø Lee & Jackson.

I would like to thank all my compatriots in the camp for their support these last 3 years as commander and hope that I served you satisfactory. I will continue to be with the camp as the News Editor and invite all to provide input to better our publication.

Please continue to recruit for new SCV members and also for the Friends of the SCV as this is our strength as a camp.

I would like to pass along a January Happy Birthday to compatriots Steven Jenkins & Gyerall May.

2012 Virginia Division convention committee is asking for donations of items for a silent auction to be held at the convention on March 30-31, 2012

With warmest southern regards,  
James Bowes

**'Commander'**

**James M. Bowes**

**'1st LT. Commander'**

**John A. Sharrett III**

**'2nd LT. Commander'**

**Matt Durant**

**'Adjutant's/Treasurer'**

**Thomas H. Goodrich**

**'Chaplain'**

**A.J. Earnhardt**

**'Quarter Master'**

**Owen C. Rose**

**'Colour Sergeant'**

**Roger Capps**

**'Judge Advocate'**

**Donald G. Edwards**

**'Historian'**

**B.W. Baker**

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## Adjutants Minutes

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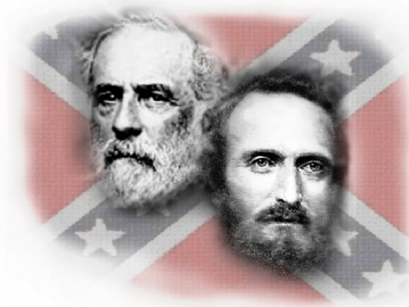
- Meeting held at *Lillian's*, ; 24 attendees
- Welcome given by CDR James Bowes
- Invocation given by Chaplain Earnhardt
- Memorial Candle - *Tribute to PVT John Newton Taylor & PVT Aperson Proctor Co F, 40<sup>th</sup> NC INF* by CMP Brian Taylor
- US pledge by CDR Bowes, VA salute by CDR Bowes, CS salute by CDR Bowes
- *The Charge* by CDR Bowes
- Minutes approved as published in *Stonewall Gazette*
- Treasurer's Report approved
- Committee Reports:
  - \* Virginia Division Convention at Virginia Beach Resort Center - CE Sharrett
    - + March 30 - April 1, 2012
    - + *Silent Auction* at Banquet - need items
    - + Luncheon Speaker - John Quarstein on *Ironclads*
    - + Banquet Speaker - Pat Fausi on *Gen. A.P. Hill*
  - \* Lee-Jackson Banquet - CDR Bowes
    - + Need Speaker - CE Sharrett to check contacts
    - + considering nominees for Stonewall Jackson Achievement Award
- Old Business:
  - \* Cedar Grove Cemetery- CE Sharrett
    - + Flag replaced
    - + Plaques for CE Morris and CMP Eastwood memorials in works
    - + 10 trees planted; 4 Italian Cypress in Sisters of Mercy, 6 Cedar
    - + First of War of 1812 veterans stones set (George Weaver)
- New Business:
  - \* Genealogist Vickie Odom - J/A Edwards
    - + Available to document Family Heritage
    - + Possible Speaker at future meeting
- Program: *Confederate Soldier's Home* by CDR-Elect Fred Chiesa; won Best Educational Award at Richmond Relic Show - 2 years strait! Great photography and little-known facts.
- *Guests*: Fred Ingram, Bob Shirley
- New Members: None
- Next Meeting: No DEC Meeting; Lee-Jackson Banquet JAN 28, 2012, *Lillian's* @ 6:30 P.M.
- Benediction given by Chaplain Earnhardt
- Adjourned at 9:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Thomas H. Goodrich, Adjutant/Treasurer





**The Stonewall Camp 380**  
**First Brigade, Virginia Division,**  
**Sons of Confederate Veterans,**  
**welcomes you to our**  
**Thirty-fourth annual**  
**Lee~Jackson Banquet**



**Welcome**

James M. Bowes  
Commander, SCV, Stonewall Camp 380

**Invocation**

Allen J. Earnhardt  
Chaplain, SCV, Stonewall Camp 380

**Presentation of Colors,  
Salutes and Pledge**

**Dinner**

**Introduction of guest speaker**  
John A. Sharrett III

**Guest speaker**  
John Rowe, Jr.

**Stonewall Jackson Achievement Award**

**Installation of 2012 officers**

**Dixie**

**Benediction**  
Clayton M. Robertson  
Chaplain, SCV, Stonewall Camp 380





**John L. Rowe, Jr.**  
Guest Speaker

**The Stonewall Camp 380**

**First Brigade, Virginia Division,**

**Sons of Confederate Veterans,  
Thirty-fourth annual**

**Lee~Jackson Banquet**

**Saturday, January 28, 2012**

**6:00 P.M.**





## John L. Rowe, Jr.



John L. Rowe, Jr. was born in Washington, North Carolina and grew up in Portsmouth, Virginia. He is a Distinguished Military Graduate of Virginia Military Institute, Class of 1966. Upon his graduation, John received a Regular Army Commission in the Infantry Branch of the United States Army. He is a graduate of the Army's Infantry School and the Army's Airborne School at Fort Benning, Georgia; the John F. Kennedy Special Warfare School at Fort Bragg, North Carolina; and the Defense Language Institute at Fort Bliss, Texas. He also did his graduate work in Public Administration at Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

His first assignment was serving as a rifle company Platoon Leader in Company C of the First Battalion of the 39th Infantry Regiment of the 8th Infantry Division in Germany. While with the 1/39th Infantry, he also served as Company C's Weapons Platoon Leader and Executive Officer, and he finished his tour of duty with the 1/39th as the Commanding Officer of Company C. In Vietnam, he was assigned to Team 75 of the Military Assistance Command Vietnam (MACV). In this capacity, he served as the Battalion Advisor to the 2nd Battalion of the 10th Regiment of the 7th Infantry Division of the Army of the Republic of Vietnam in the Mekong Delta; his counterpart was the Vietnamese battalion commander. He then served as Regimental Staff Advisor to an Infantry Regiment of the Army of the Republic of Vietnam, and his Vietnamese counterpart was a major who commanded two infantry battalions. In this position, he supervised and coordinated two United States Army Battalion Advisory Teams.

While on active duty, John served as Assistant Professor of Military Science, Army ROTC, Middle Tennessee State University, teaching American Military History, map reading, military tactics, leadership, and management. John's military decorations include the Bronze Star, the Air Medal with First Oak Leaf Cluster, the Army Commendation Medal with First Oak Leaf Cluster and %+Device, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Silver Star, the Vietnamese Forces Honor Medal (First Class), the Combat Infantryman Badge, and the Parachutist Badge.

In his civic career, John served as the Business Executive (Vice President for Finance & Administration) for Virginia Military Institute in the 1990s, the City Manager of Suffolk in the 1980s, and he worked for the Norfolk City Manager upon leaving the United States Army. He has served as the City Manager of the Cities of Poquoson, Clifton Forge, and Emporia, and the Deputy City Manager of the City of Portsmouth.

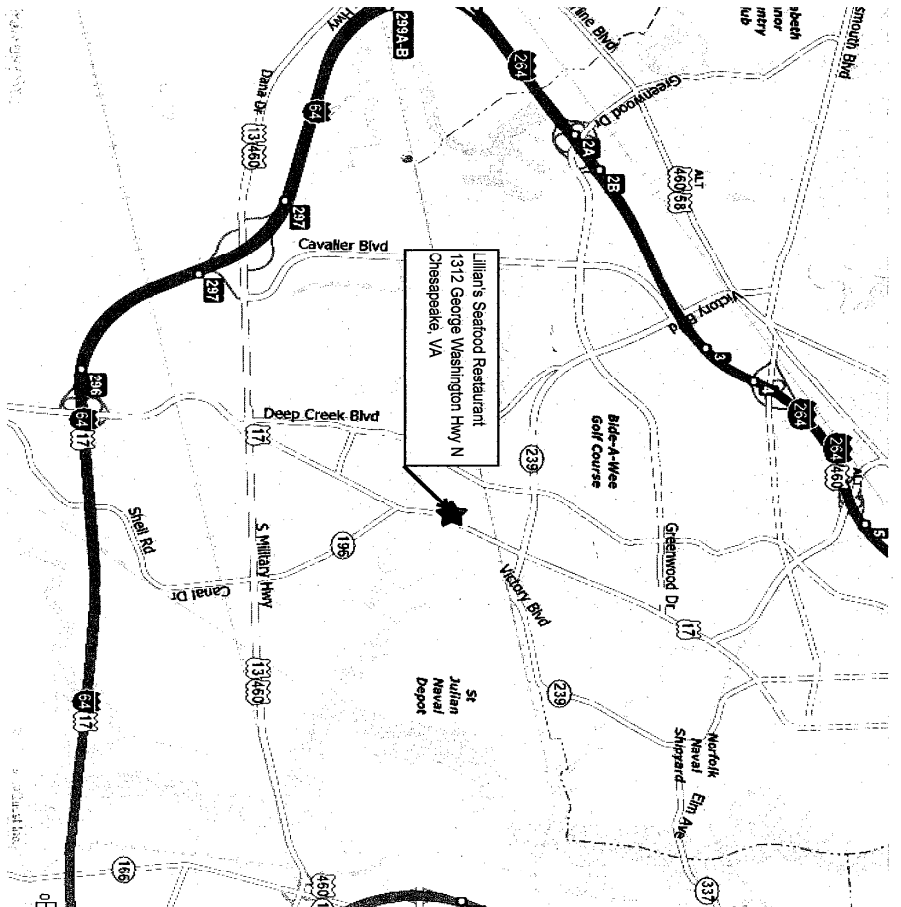
He serves on the Board of Directors of four nonprofit organizations in the Hampton Roads area - the Board of Directors of the Portsmouth Volunteers for the Homeless, Inc (the board's president), the Board of Directors of the Future of Hampton Roads, the Board of Directors of the Hampton Roads Center for Civic Engagement (the board's treasurer), and the Board of Directors of Emily Green Shores Assisted Living facility (the board's treasurer).

He is retired, and he and his wife Carol live in the Churchland area of Portsmouth.

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FIRST CLASS



Lee - Jackson Banquet

Saturday, January 28th at 6:00

*Lillian's Seafood Restaurant*

1312 Geo Washington Hwy N

Chesapeake, Va. 23323

COME AND BRING A FRIEND