

Jan 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015 meeting  
of the Commiskey-Wheat Detachment 1073  
of the Marine Corps League.

1830hrs. Call to order by Commandant Hall. Quarters secured. Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the Marine Corps Hymn led by Cliff Addison, in the absence of our SAA.

Invocation led by W.C. Maples acting Chaplain, and opened the Holy Bible.

Commandant Hall announced the meeting open for business, and thanks went out to Cliff Addison for coming by early enough to turn the heat on to a comfortable level for tonight's meeting.

Cliff Addison nominated W.C. Maples to become the new Chaplain in the projected loss of Jim Reeves, who is moving to Orlando, Fla. Seconded by Bill Perkins and passed.

Sick Bay report: Richard Wills is still receiving chemo-therapy, as well as Danny Simmons. Zelma Howard fell and broke both of her wrists, but still managed to call her daughter for help and is now recovering.

Welcome to Matt Saucier as a possible new member.

Sgt Nash announced that his change of station has been put off until June and changed to California instead of Florida.

Adjutants report: Motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes. Motion made by Cliff Addison and seconded by W.C. Maples and passed.

Paymasters report: Given by Frank Milling , Attached. Motion to accept the report made by Bill Perkins and seconded by Gary Campbell and passed.

5K Committee: Zhanna Nash gave us some ideas for improving the outcome of our 5K event.

Golf Committee: Canebrake is still the low bid for our 2015 tournament.

Scholarship Committee: No report, as Chairman Jim Aust was absent.

Membership and Building: Cliff Addison shared with us how well the Toys for Tots Program went this year and having two large truck loads picked-up from Jackson headquarters for use next year, and the ability to help a tornado affected family in Columbia in the 2014 Christmas season.

Service Officer: Emil Zimmerman is out of town tonight but wanted to remind those rated at 100% disabled they are exempt from any ad-valorium taxes.

Old Business: Thanks goes to Mike Jordan, Dick Hoerner, Roy Royals and W.C. Maples for conducting a flag ceremony for the Veterans home in Collins.

Thank you card from Mark Retcho for our contribution to Veterans Day in the park.

An appreciation card from Zelma Howard for conducting honors at Ron Howard's funeral.

Announcement of the Marine Corps Leagues conference in March from the 26th thru the 29th in Altamont Springs Florida.

Royce Nation wishes to invite all to a come and go affair at the Canebrake Clubhouse on Feb 15th from 1600 to 1900 hrs. , in honor of his 90th birthday. I hope we can all make an appearance.

New Business: Bill Perkins reports the receipt of the ten M-1 30-06 Springfield arms ceremonial rifles we had requested months ago. These rifles have been completely re-conditioned

We are still in need of members willing to participate in ceremonial events around the state. Must have an undressed uniform.

No further business:

Retired colors. Closed Bible, Reported 50/50 winner Gary Campbell.  
Opened Bible, Benediction led by Chaplain W.C. Maples.

Senior Vice Commandant: Mark Retcho performed the duties of his post.

Acting SAA Cliff Addison announced meeting closed until 5 Feb 2015.

Semper Fi

Robert Robertson, Adjutant