

**The Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States**  
**New York Commandery**  
**Annual Meeting – 3 May 2010**

The Annual Meeting of the New York Commandery of The Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States was called to order by Commander Gerald F. Fisher at 8:00 PM in the Library of the 3 West Club in New York City. Mr. Fisher thanked those in attendance who included Messrs. Harrison, Schneider, Parry, Post, Weaver, Weddle, Bowman, Jones, Tedeschi, Sedacca, and Donald Twiss. After an excellent dinner, reports were made for the Recorder, Register, Treasurer, Senior Vice Commander and Commander which were received. COL Schneider reported on the Princeton ROTC award. The report of the Nominating Committee, chaired by Mr. Parry, was presented to the meeting. The slate of officers so presented which was unanimously elected, follows:

<b>Commander</b>	<b>Mr. Gerald F. Fisher</b>
<b>Sr. Vice Commander</b>	<b>COL Paul A. Schneider</b>
<b>Jr. Vice Commanders</b>	<b>Mr. John D. Bowman</b> <b>Mr. Thomas L. Tedeschi</b>
<b>Recorder</b>	<b>LTC Donald L. Twiss</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>COL Paul A. Schneider</b>
<b>Chancellor</b>	<b>Mr. Craig H. Weaver</b>
<b>Register</b>	<b>Mr. Waldron K. Post</b>
<b>Judge Advocate</b>	<b>Mr. William Parry</b>
<b>Signals Officer</b>	<b>Mr. Raymond W. LeMay III</b>
<b>Council</b>	<b>LTC Robert J. Bateman</b> <b>Mr. Russell W. Twiss</b>
<b>Historian</b>	<b>Mr. Peter S. Wells</b>
<b>Physician</b>	<b>COL Ernesto Ego-Aguirre, M.D.</b>

Commander Fisher then congratulated those elected and noted that those elected also were officers of the Loyal Legion Foundation. Commander Fisher then noted that our monthly meetings held at the 3 West Club had been generally well attended with many administrative items being dealt with at those meetings. Commander Fisher also commented on the death of our former Commander and long time active member, COL David L. Dalva, on the Commandery's new website prepared by Signals Officer Le May, on the Commandery's support of Grant Monument Association and the Commandery-in-Chief which was greatly appreciated. The Commander-in-Chief Keith Harrison led a discussion of the activities of the Commandery-in-Chief and relations between the Commandery-in-Chief and the individual commanderys and their activities and the activities of other patriotic and historical societies. In the course of this discussion Commander Fisher appointed a committee composed of Messrs. Bowman, Sedacca, and Tedeschi to explore ways in which the New York Commandery could work with other organizations to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the Civil War. The members were enthusiastic in their participation in the discussion and very much appreciated Mr. Harrison's visit. There being no further business, upon motion of Mr. Tedeschi and seconded by Mr. Bowman, the Annual Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 P.M.

Donald L. Twiss, Recorder