

Commanders Report

Wow, it's hard to believe were already into March. This year is flying by and were just getting into the "busy season". In the next month there are going to be plenty of opportunities to participate in Confederate activities and I hope to see many of you at theses events. The first being on March 23rd up in Sherman the SCV will be hosting a recruiting table at the 3rd Annual Celtic Games. On April 6th the R. E. Lee Camp will host their 9th Annual Lee-Jackson Heritage Banquet, I have attended 4 out of the previous 8 and always had a good time with them.

For those of you who did not hear me yelling and cussing on March 4th the Dallas Landmark Commission Supported the Dallas City Councils' decision to remove the Dallas Confederate War Memorial. I want to thank all those that attended and spoke. I also want to thank Allen Hearrean for meeting me over there the week before and helping to educate the people there to see the memorial on February 24th. Rest assured an appeal will be filed and this is not over yet.

Now for some good news, on March 9th, Kyle Sims and I were up before dawn and headed to the DEC meeting in Oscar Texas (outside Temple). We were there to pitch our bid for hosting the 2020 Texas Division Reunion in Grapevine. By a unanimous vote we were approved! After the DEC meeting ended, we went into Temple and caught the end of the OCR meeting. Speaking of the OCR do forget that OCR dues need to be paid at this next meeting.

I wanted to say thanks to Kyle Sims, Billy & Jennifer Goar, Allen Hearrean, Arnold Huskins for attending the Tarrant County Tea Party event with Texas Lt Gov. Dan Patrick. Hopefully you got his attention!

This month were excited to have as our guest speaker Dr. Richard Montgomery. He always puts on a good program, so I hope to see y'all at Bone Daddy's on the 19 and Happy Saint Patrick's Day!

Confederately yours, Craig (Hoss) Stone Commander

2nd Lt Commanders Report

Dear Members and friends, we have had a busy month and things are getting busier. With spring weather upon us, we have participated in several events and look forward to having a few more.

I want to thank Commander Craig Stone, Jim Anderson and Belo camp member David Hendricks in helping me in laying the marker for Val Kilmer's uncle outside of Clarksville, Tx. While on the trip we were given a nice confederate tour of Paris, Tx. where David Hendricks ancestors are buried. We also stopped outside of Wolfe City, Tx. and visited Jim Anderson's ancestor on his Latham family.

I will be giving a program on recruiting for the camp in Corsican in early April so hopefully they can bring in more members.

Jim Anderson and I marched in the Granbury parade this past weekend. There were a total of at least 7 different camps participating in the parade. Later that afternoon we participated in the "Libation Ceremony" conducted by Dickee Freeman and his wife honoring the befallen General Granbury at his gravesite.

I attended the DEC meeting with Commander Craig Stone and much to my dismay, there is still a lot of trouble within our Texas Division. It would take another report to go into my concerns about the leadership but I will save that at a later time.

I would like to have our camp rally around Commander Craig Stone and Adjutant Allen Hearrean as they continue in negotiations and planning the 2020 Texas Division Convention. It appears like we are the lucky ones who will be hosting this and we need to shine for everyone and maybe we can host a Nat'l convention.

Jim Anderson, Kirt Barnett and I went to the Irish Festival on Friday night so we could get in free. After 13 years of supporting the festival, we were not invited to attend. There excuse is that we are too controversial. The festival is located in Dallas which has turned into a haven of anti-confederate and Marxists foothold.

It certainly didn't look the same without our confederate flags flying and it pains me to become victim to ignorant and hateful bias by an organization that we supported for so long.

Respectfully, Kyle Sims

1st Lt. Commander



EDITORS NOTE: The February meeting minutes will be read at the March meeting. We would also like to welcome our new member Leon Jacobs from Corinth, TX. He will be sworn in at the March meeting.



Upcoming Local Events

Mar 19 - Camp 2292 meeting at 7pm at Bone Daddy's in Grapevine, TX.

Mar 23 - Sherman Irish Festival. Will also be a Mech Cav ride to this event.

April 6 - RELee Confederate Heritage Banquet at Splash Dayz White Settlement

April 16 - Camp 2292 meeting at Bone Daddy's in Grapevine, TX.

May 3-5 - The Great Locomotive Chase/Battle of Port Jefferson in Jefferson, TX.

May 18 - UDC Jefferson Davis Luncheon at 10am in Grand Prairie, TX

May 21 - Camp 2292 meeting at 7pm at Bone Daddy's in Grapevine, TX.

June 13-16 - SCV Mechanized Cavalry 22nd Annual Reunion in Jefferson, TX

June 18 - Camp 2292 meeting at 7pm at Bone Daddy's in Grapevine, TX.



The Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano Camp 2292 meets every THIRD Tuesday of the month at Bone Daddy's BBQ, 1720 William D Tate Ave, Grapevine, TX 76051 . Arrive by 6:30 PM to eat and the meeting starts at 7:00 PM.



This will be a great meeting with great friends of like mind. Bring someone and enjoy the great food.

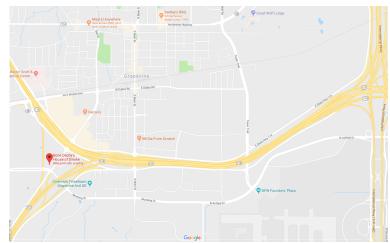
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Bone Daddy's Website:

http://www.bonedaddys.com/location/bbq-restaurant-grapevine/



Chaplain's Corner

"As it was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you."

If you live in Northeast Tarrant County, as I do, you know well that all the roads in and out are under construction. I was driving home late one night, rolling down a familiar road (under construction) that I've been going down so many hundreds of times, I could probably drive it in my sleep. I had the radio turned up and one hand on the wheel, and then—CLUNK! Before I knew what was happening, my front right tire thudded through a gigantic pothole that came out of nowhere. The whole truck jolted, and I just knew a noise like that had to have done some damage.

"Oh, please don't let me have a flat tire," I said out loud. Cringing, I pulled over at the next road and worked up the courage to get out and look...and to my surprise, my tire was still intact. I stared at it for a few minutes, waiting until I was sufficiently assured that it wasn't going to deflate in front of my eyes, and then I breathed a sigh of relief and continued my drive, albeit a good bit slower and more cautious this time.

Isn't life just like that? You're going along smoothly, and suddenly something turns your world upside down. In our personal life we see illness that takes a loved one. There is a job loss or change. Family conflicts. It is also true for Sons of Confederate Veterans also. We deal with harsh words and actions from all sides and the removal of Confederate monuments and the movement that is nothing less than cultural nihilism. (Nihilism is the viewpoint that traditional values and beliefs are unfounded, and their existence is useless and immoral; therefore, their destruction is desirable.)

I've been having one of those weeks, a in a quiet time I remembered a sermon I had heard years ago, and that illustration stuck with me. It was the story of a gravel lane leading to a farm and a huge pothole that appeared after a rainstorm. Before anyone had a chance to fill it in, though, a bird laid her eggs in the pothole. She hatched her chicks there and stayed with them until they left the nest. All the locals warned their families and friends to avoid the pothole, and everyone drove slowly by to see for themselves the little birds thriving in a place that no one would expect.

How often do we look at the potholes in our lives and curse them? Yet from a rocky, ugly place, little birds sang and took flight.

God did not promise that our walk would be easy, but He did promise He would never leave us. His presence, His love and His peace are the only things that can fill in the holes in our lives. He smoothes out the roughest of roads with His strength and comfort. And above all, He grants us grace sufficient to make it through whatever may come. The Lord will never leave our side.

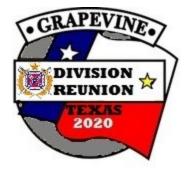
If not for the pothole on that gravel farm lane, the travelers would never have been able to witness a small miracle taking place there. "*Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you,*" as James 4:8 says. Only God can fill our potholes, and He fills them with Himself. May we never miss the little blessings hidden along a bumpy road.

Initium sapientiae timon Domini

Deo Vindice Jack H. Bowen Chaplain



Camp 2292 News - 2020 Texas Division Reunion



THE TEXAS DIVISION REUNION IS COMING TO US IN 2020!

Camp 2292, we decided to try to host the 2020 Texas Division Reunion right here in Grapevine, TX.

We had to come up with a plan for the reunion to be presented at the March DEC meeting to be approved.

As a surprise to us we were approved to host the this Reunion!

Commander Craig has worked very hard on this project and has spent a lot of time getting us quotes and finding the best rates.

This will be the first time a Unreconstructed camp has hosted the Texas Division Reunion.

We will be needing a lot of help from all camp members to pull off this great reunion.



Texas Division News - Monument Protection Bills



WE NEED EVERYONE TO CONTACT SENATOR FALLON AND DAN PATRICK NOW ABOUT TEXAS SB266 THE MONUMENT PROTECTION BILL!

DALLAS CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL IN CEMETERY WILL BE CUT UP AND REMOVED PERMANANTLY!

Dear Texas Patriots:

Please forward this to everybody you know and ask that they do the same. Please get everybody to call Senator Fallon at 512-463-0130 and Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick at 512-463-0001.

Example below:

Dear Senator Fallon:

The Dallas City Council has voted 11-4 to remove the large Confederate Monument in the cemetery in downtown Dallas. They are going to cut it up into pieces for storage and are going to spend \$480,000 to do so.

This is the largest Confederate monument still existing in the state of Texas and the oldest in Dallas County. If it be any way humanly possible, getting your Monument protection bill to the floor and passed by both houses just as fast as possible is the only means of stopping this atrocity.

Please do all that you can!

P.S.—I will get this information to Lt. Gov. Patrick tomorrow. Please confer with him immediately and see if together you can prevent this disaster. You will be heroes to all of Texas.

National News - National Confederate Museum



CIC Paul Gramling took some current pictures for us.





The TSOCR ANNUAL MEETING IS: MAY 31-JUNE 1

If you want the TSOCR hotel rate at the Holiday Inn at the price listed (\$104 + tax), the reservation must be made by April 1, 2019 or the rooms will be released. Remember, if you wait to reserve your room, this is graduation time in the Temple area and the room rates increase due to all the activity in the area as the vacation season begins.

Both the Holiday Inn and the Hilton are 5.1 miles from the Frank W. Mayborn Convention Center and they are only 0.3 mi. apart.

Early Registration May 31, 2019 2:00 p.m.

Registration June 1, 2019 7:00 a.m. Meeting 9:00 a.m. TSOCR Business Presentations of Scholarship Silver Leaf Award, Rose of the Year, other awards (A break will be included)

Lunch 12:30 p.m. \$12 Box Lunch Choice 1 OR Box Lunch Choice 2 Program: Dressing as a Southern Lady 1861 - 1865

Dinner 7:00 p.m. \$18 Choice of 10 oz Sirloin OR Chicken Breast Twice Baked Potatoes Green Beans Roll Tea Pie Comedy Play by Confederate Thespians

A Update from the Virginia Flaggers - Lee in Lee



This photo speaks volumes. The men of the Major WM Footman Camp #1950, Sons of Confederate Veterans return the bust of Robert E Lee to its podium just hours after it was found toppled in Ft Myers Florida. God bless the men of the Footman camp and ALL who boldly defend the good name and honor of our gallant Confederate dead against the slander and violence being perpetuated by the Godless left.



The bust was toppled from its podium some time overnight, and reinstalled by the local SCV camp before the end of the day...



God lead, guide and protect us in our endeavors, and God Save the South!

#KeepLeeInLee



A Update from the SLRC - CofC Plaque in Austin



Last last Friday night while I was in Austin, my #3 son, Stuart & I, visited the Texas state Capitol. We were armed with a display of roses and a life size color photo of the 1959 Children of the Confederacy Plaque removed by Governor Greg Abbott, Lt Gov Dan Patrick and their cronies on the State Preservation Board. Removed with no discussion and no allowance for public comment.

Back in 2010 Stuart was 3rd Vice President of Texas Division, Children of the Confederacy. So that was "his" plaque the Texas demagogues took down.

We arrived about 9PM and there was still a healthy number of tourists wandering the Capitol rotunda of a Friday night. We had to make it through security, but had no problems, even with our "contraband" in plain view.

We walked over to the North outer wall of the rotunda are where the Children's plaque used to be and Stuart held the photo replica against the wall, placed the roses nearby while I snapped the photo.

It was simple, moving, loving & inexpensive memorial to a desecrated removed monument; that needs to be repeated 100's of times until the capitol snowflakes are sick of us and the rest of normal America wakes up.

We MUST not forget our desecrated monuments!

Support www.slrc-csa.org



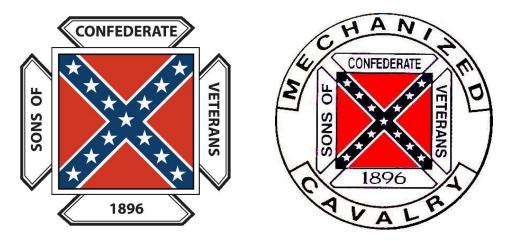
CAMP 2292 RECRUITING EVENT & MECHANIZED CAVALRY RIDE EVENT!



SATURDAY MARCH 23RD, 2019 9 AM - 6 PM SUNDAY MARCH 24TH, 2019 10 AM - 5 PM NEW LOCATION FOR 2019! 2190 FALLON DRIVE SHERMAN, TX 75090 ACROSS STREET FROM MIDWAY MALL (NORTH SIDE)

> PROUDLY PRESENTED BY: TEXOMA SOCIETY OF CELTS

https://www.shermancelticfest.com



Calling on ALL members of the SCV Mechanized Cavalry Nation and ALL SCV to make ALL POSSIBLE EF-FORT to be at the Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial Service on April 6th, 2019. Calling on ALL MEMBERS of the Sons of Confederate Veterans NATIONWIDE to make ALL POSSIBLE EF-FORT to be at the Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial Service on April 6th, 2019. We need a National show of strength for this event. It is THAT IMPORTANT. Your Confederate Ancestors answered the call when it

came...... Will You??



Baton Rouge Civil War Round Table Presents:

You and your friends are invited to join us April 5-7, 2019 in Baton Rouge for the our 3rd Annual Baton Rouge Civil War Symposium. It's an opportunity to learn, have fun and fellowship with likeminded people. Be sure to check out the once-in-a-lifetime "Hallowed Ground Tour." We've finally acquired access from property owners to take a private walking /driving tour of the Port Hudson Battle-field, which has been unavailable to the public for the last 155 years. We'll actually walk upon the hallowed ground of the longest siege in American military history.

Who outsmarted Grant at Vicksburg? Why were Texians so vital to Louisiana? What wasted Union resources during the War of the Swamps? Why were Southern newspapers so critical?

Our speakers answer these questions as they take you on a journey back in time. Imagine talking with likeminded people, interactive displays, perusing vendor's wares, having tasty snacks, and a delicious lunch. Plus a reception and a private "once in a lifetime Port Hudson tour," taking you to places few have been since the civil war and all of this for just one price.

Speakers:

Richard McMurry: Venomous Toads and Buzzard Puke, Southern Newspapers

Stephen Michot Ph.D.: Guerrilla War and Union Occupation in South Louisiana Society

Tom Cutrer Ph.D.: In Defense of his Home and the Land of his Choice: Louis Hébert and the Third Louisiana Infantry

Danny Sessums Ph.D.: "Yeah, and a heck of a git you got!"

SYMPOSIUM WEEKEND

April 5, Friday Night Speaker Reception 7 PM to 9 PM

Heavy hor d'oeuvres, Meet the speakers, Door prize, Raffle, Trivia contest, and some vendors.

April 6, Saturday Symposium 8 AM to 5 PM

Breakfast snack, 4 Speakers sessions, buffet lunch, vendors, interactive historic displays, an afternoon snack, beverages, book raffle, grand raffle, a speaker Q&A, and drawing for a framed, mixed media Burny Myrick original. Tickets for this artwork are sold separately from the raffle tickets.

April 7, Sunday 9AM – 1 PM

The Hallowed Ground Tour begins at the Port Hudson Historic Site. See a 42 lb. Cannon Firing, and get exclusive access for a private walking / driving tour of ground few have set foot on since the war; the Priest Cap, the Old Jackson Railroad bed, the Surrender Tree, a CSA hospital site, the Bluff, the Devil's Elbow and afterward, gather for an optional Dutch treat lunch and fellowship.

REGISTER TODAY

The Early Bird, event and merchandise discounts end March 8, 2019.

Register online today at https://www.brcwrt.com/2019-symposium.html

Call 225 937-2782 or email brcwrt@att.net for details. .





SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER, DR. JAMES NEWSOM PHD, SENIOR LECTURER IN HISTORY AT UT TYLER MUSIC BY OLD TIME STRING BAND "BUTTERMILK JUNCTION" GREAT FOOD, FELLOWSHIP, AWARDS, PHOTO BOOTH, 50/50 & SILENT AUCTION

LOCATION: SPLASH DAYZ BANQUET ROOM, 8905 CLIFFORD ST. WHITE SETTLEMENT, TX 76108 APRIL 6, 2019 AT 6:00 PM - DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM BUSINESS CASUAL DRESS OR UNIFORMS REQUESTED

TICKET PRICE: SINGLE ^{\$}30 / COUPLE ^{\$}50 TICKET SALES END MARCH 30[™], ORDER YOURS TODAY AS SPACE IS LIMITED!! WE ACCEPT CASH, CHECK & CREDIT CARD MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: R.E. LEE CAMP 239

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MAIL CHECKS TO FESTUS ALLCOCK 12075 FM 730 N, AZLE, TX 76020



The Great Locomotive Chase will be held on Saturday and Sunday, May 4 & 5 at the Historic Jefferson Railway in Downtown Jefferson. The Historic Jefferson Railway recreates the battle of the The Andrews Raid & Great Locomotive Chase with reenactors from the North and South. The living history camps along the Big Cypress Bayou come alive as the cannons fire and the battle rages to gain possession of the train.

The Virginia, a civil war ironclad replica complete with five working cannons, joins the skirmish firing its cannons on the banks of the Big Cypress Bayou River. Scouting probes and skirmishes can be viewed by riding any of the Steam Train rides scheduled on Saturday and Sunday.

There are a lot of other activities for reenactors at the Diamond Don RV Park including living history camps, sutlers, Saturday evening ball, cannon night firing and fireworks.

Friday, May 3, 2019 9:00 - 2:30
Living History- Day of Learning \$3.00 per student
Great Locomotive Chase Train rides
10:30, 11:30, and 12:30
\$5.00 per student
This event is open to the public. There will be living history camps, more than 20 educational stations, cannons, gunboat, alligator viewing, crafts and games. Add an optional Steam Train Ride and hear about the Andrews Raid & The Great Locomotive Chase, the Civil War's most gripping railroad story.

Saturday, May 4, 2019 11:00 - 5:00 Great Locomotive Chase & Train Battle 11:00, 12:30, 2:30, 4:00 and 5:30 \$16.50 plus tax, lap children free

Sunday, May 5, 2019 11:00 - 1:00 Great Locomotive Chase & Train Battle 11:30 \$15.00 plus tax, lap children free

Train ride seating is limited, so please call for reservations 903-742-2041. Visit us at our website: <u>https://diamonddonempire.com/jefferson-civil-war-days/</u>



You, Your Members and Guests are invited to join the

Mid-Cities Bluebonnet Chapter 2429 for our

Jefferson Davis Luncheon

Saturday, May 18, 2019 10:00 am

West Fork Presbyterian Church

908 Santerre Road Grand Prairie, TX 75050

There will be a short program including the awarding of scholarships and the Stonewall Jackson Award and special guest speaker Jack Dyess.

The program will be followed by a BBQ lunch and dessert.

RSVP for lunch by May 13, 2019 \$20.00 for adults, \$15.00 for children 12 and under

THE MECHANIZED CAVALRY 22nd ANNJUAL REUNION IN JEFFERSON, TX

For more info visit https://camp2292.org/2019-scv-mech-cav-reunion

Registration Form Below:

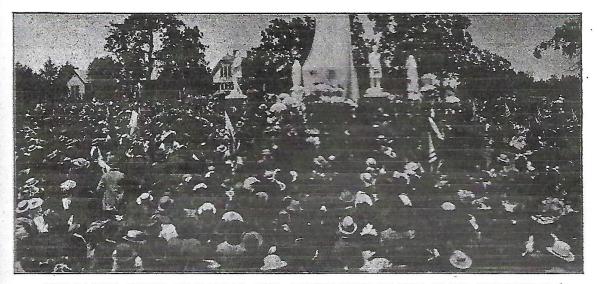
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Make Checks, Money Orders and Cashier Checks to: 13th Texas Vol. Inf.# Camp 1565

Submit Payment to:

"Hey-Tim" Pettigrew P.O. Box 218 Rosenberg, TX 77471

Confederate Veteran.



OUR SACRED CAUSE AT DALLAS, TEX,-DEDICATION OF THE GRAND MONUMENT.

History of the Dailas Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, and Its Noble Work.

On March 1, 1894, a small band of patriotic women met with Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie and conceived the met with Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie and conceived the met of securing a suitable resting-place for ex-Confederates living in Dallas who might die without the means of burial. No sooner the idea than the determination to form an association whose objects should be justice to the living by preserving the truths of history, charity for the needy veterans, and securing a suitable burial-plot for them when life's fitful battle should be o'er. Organization speedily followed, and the name chosen was "Daughters of the Confederacy." Thus this little band became the originators in the state of Texas of the proud association of U. D. C., that now has fully twenty-five chapters on her roll of honor.

It was not long after this before other Texas cities formed like organizations, and a state division was formed. Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie was chosen its first President, and enjoyed that honor until elected at the Baltimore convention to be President of the U. D. C., a honor bestowed in appreciation of her unceasing labors for the advancement of the organization not only in the Dallas chapter and the Lone Star state, but through the Southland.

Right well have the Dallas Daughters of the Conteracy performed their mission, for they have caretally examined the histories taught in the schools, cortecting errors where possible, calling attention to the annaralleled bravery of the Confederate soldier, and emplaining to the young the causes that led to the war. They have secured the burial-plot, marking the

They have secured the burial-plot, marking the grave of each veteran with a pretty marble headstone bearing his name and the company in which he fought during the war. They have been as ministering angels to the sick, they have fed the hungry, clothed the untiad, supplied fuel for the cold and cheerless home of the widow and orphans, and have ever been ready to relieve those in distress. Their last efforts to bring comfort to the veterans have been the placing of three beds bearing the name "Daughters of the Confederacy" in the St. Paul's Sanitarium and supplying them with the nicest of linen, etc., for the use of the veterans in sickness and need.

It was not long after organization before their work broadened and a great desire to erect a grand Confederate monument in the city park at Dallas, Tex., sprung up. No sooner the thought than the work began, and on April 29, 1897, their hopes became a grand realization, and the monument honoring the privates and the chieftains was unveiled amid the shouts of the multitude and the admiration of the old and young.

It is impossible to record the labors and sacrifices of these noble women during these three years, but they deemed it a pleasure and duty to deny self that valor and patriotism might be honored.

As the monument was to stand on Texas soil, it must be built by Texas workmen and of Texas stone. The uniform of the Confederate soldier was gray, and the towering column must be of gray granite; thus it would be a reminder of the unwavering lines of grayclad soldiers who, under the stars and bars, ever stood as a stone wall, ready to repulse every attack of the foe.

When the day of completion seemed far off and the burden too heavy to bear, they had but to remember the gallant deeds of the six hundred thousand men in gray who—without an arsenal within the limit of their country, with every seaport closed, cut off from the world, narrowed and hemmed in by land and sea, with no resources save those of their war-riven land fought two million seven hundred and fifty thousand men for four years, and how victory wreathed with chaplets of glory all their banners in nine battles out of ten, and the burden would grow as feather-weight, and with refined zeal and energy they would begin their work again; and success crowned their efforts, for the monument, rearing its soldierly statue to the blue dome of heaven, was ready for unveiling in April, 1807. could not join the veterans; but on the morrow they would meet her, and to-day they would anticipate the morrow and talk of Stonewall and his gallant men.

When night came revelry reigned supreme, for a grand reception and ball was given at the Oriental Hotel, and Hrs. Hayes and Mrs. Jackson were the guests of honor. Gov. Culherson, Veterans of Camp Sterling Price, and every Daughter of the Confederacy formed the Reception Committee, and made all feel as if they were with friends, no matter how far from home.

The reception lasted from 8 to 10 P.M., then came the grand march to the ball-room, Judge A. T. Watts escorting Mrs. Hayes, and Col. Gaston Meslier and Mrs. Currie in the lead, with Capt. L. S. Flateau as master of ceremonies. Here occutred a pleasant interlude and a surprise for Mrs. Currie, which added pleasure to



MRS. KATE CABELL CURRIE.

the evening. Camp Sterling Price marched into the ball-room and followed the hollow square, this time not surrounded by bristling bayonets, but by the fairest daughters of the South. Into this square Col. Meslier led Mrs. Currie, who was all unconscious of what was to happen, when Capt. Bower, on behalf of Camp Sterling Price, presented her with a magnificent jeweled badge as a loving testimonial for "our daughter," bestowing upon her the sobriquet of "Daughter of Monuments." Proudly gleamed her eye, but emotion silenced the words she fain would have spoken; but she gave a warm hand-clasp to every veteran and bade a "God bless them, one and all!" The beauty and workmanship of the badge is magnificent, and the diamond, ruby, and sapphire glisten round the stars and bars that grace the shield bearing the words: "A token of love from Camp Sterling Price." It was made by Mr. Taber, a gallant soldier who wore the blue, but his heart was in his work, and he made it all the more beautiful because it was to be given by Confederate Veterans to the "daughter of the camp." After this pleasant surprise the ball opened, and lasted until the small hours of the morning.

Among the Daughters of the Confederacy from a distance who attended the reception were Mrs. C. A. Forney, President of the Arkansas Division, U. D. C., and Mrs. C. B. Stone, since chosen President of the Texas Division, U. D. C.

The morning of April 29 was fair and clear. The firing of the artillery announced the dawn of day and that all was in readiness to honor the brave. The procession commenced forming at 9:30 A.M., under the direction of Grand Marshal Wozencraft and his efficient aids; and, though it was very large, it moved without stop until it reached the city park at 12:40 P.M. It was the most imposing pageant ever witnessed in Texas. There were present hundreds of old soldiers whose deeds of daring filled pages of history; young soldiers in the flush of early manhood, glittering with the insignia of war; there were decorated carriages and floats, in which were seated stately matrons and beautiful girls; while members of civic and secret orders, in bright uniforms, marched with the marchers. Cheer after cheer, mingled with the Rebel yell, went up as the procession moved on-cheers for the daughter of President Davis; cheers for the widow of Stonewall Jackson and the niece of Gen. Beauregard; cheers for Hon. John H. Reagan; cheers for Gov. Culberson and staff; cheers for the veterans in gray and blue, who marched side by side on this glorious day of peace; cheers for the victorious Daughters of the Confederacy, who had conquered every obstacle, completed the monument bearing the inscription, "Erected by the Daughters of the Confederacy," and could point with pride to the tribute they had placed there in memory of the mothers of the Confederacy: "This stone shall crumble into dust before the deathless devotion of the Southern women be forgot."

On arrival at the monument, Dr. W. L. Lowrance, Chaplain of Camp Sterling Price, U. C. V., offered up the prayer of thanksgiving. Capt. Flateau, as master of ceremonies, announced that Gen. W. L. Cabell, much to the regret of all and his deep sorrow, had been called from home the night before, so could not extend the welcome on behalf of the Daughters of the Confederacy, but that Maj. Pierson, a member of his staff, would be substituted, and eloquently he did his part. Mayor Barry was ill, so Col. W. L. Crawford extended the city's welcome. Then Gov. Culberson was introducéd, and his welcome was as broad as the prairies of the Lone Star state and as beautiful as the flowers that deck them. Mrs. Hayes and children and Mrs. Stonewall Jackson and grandchildren were now introduced to the vast assembly, and never was a more hearty welcome extended than that given them that sunny April day as they stood at the base of the towering monument with its figures still veiled. Capt. C. L. Martin then expressed Camp Sterling Price's welcome to the veterans who had come from far and near.

Then the unveiling ceremonies began. Hon. John H. Reagan pronounced the eulogy on President Davis, and at the conclusion of his glorious panegyric the On three occasions the Daughters of the Confederacy bade every one rejoice. On May 18, 1896, the

ground was broken for the foundation of the monument, and a great May-day picnic was held in the city park.

June 25, 1896, was a great day for the Daughters of the Coniederacy, but a greater day for the scarred and gray heroles of the great conflict of thirty-five years ago, for the corner-stone was laid with Masonic ceremonies, eulogistic addresses by our greatest orators in the presence of a vast concourse of people. As the stone dropped into its place the band played "Dixie," and the old Rebel yell was heard anew, that seemed as an echo from a hundred battle-fields where the Southern flag had wayed for victory.

Almost another year of work lay before the Daughters of the Confederacy before they could see their fondest hopes realized, but they faltered not, and at the appointed time all was complete; and in their great joy they bade all the world come and help them honor the Confederate heroes. "Come," they said, "on April 28 and 29, for the monument is completed, and it is a thing of beauty and glory, for not only is the private on his column of gray, but our chieftains are there too, ready, as of old. to stand watch and guard in sun-shine and in rain. Yes, come to the love-feast we have prepared for you and to the unveiling ceremonies, for the private is on his pinnacle of glory, and on pedestals at the base are life-size statues of President Jefferson Davis,

Gens. R. E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson, and Albert Sydney Johnston." This invitation went far and wide.

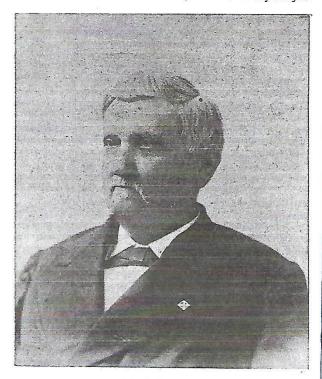
Gov. Culberson left his capital city to show honor to our soldiery; the Texas Legislature closed its doors, that her lawmakers might come, thus letting the world know that the Lone Star State honored such deeds; Mrs. Margaret Davis Hayes, son, and daughter came from Colorado; Mrs. Stonewall Jackson and little grandchildren came from the old North State; Hon. John H. Reagan, last surviving member of the Confederate cabinet, was present; every state and territory in the Trans-Mississippi Department was represented, while veterans from every town in Texas, with their wives and children, came, until never was, there such a crowd seen in Texas.

Dallas gave them a royal welcome. Flags of the Confederacy and flags of the Union fluttered from every store. Every home was gaily decorated, and the old and young made merry at the love-feast that was held April 28 at 3 P.M. at the City Hall. All were eager to see the monument, but it was veiled, and "to-morrow" would be unveiling day: so these battle-scarred veterans from Arkansas, Tennessee, Missouri, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, and Texas met and talked of "long ago." Mrs. Hayes. Miss Lucy Hayes, and Master Jefferson Davis Hayes were with them, as stated, and added much to the pleasure of all. Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, being worn out from her long journey,



cord was pulled by Master Jefferson Davis Hayes, the veiling fell away, and the face and form of President Jefferson Davis were revealed.

Hon. Geo. N. Aldredge in giorious words pictured R. E. Lee as soldier and citizen, and then Lucy Hayes



GEN. W. L. CABELL,

pulled the rope, and our great general was seen in chis-

eled marble, and again the Rebel yell was heard. Hon. H. W. Lightfoot eulogized his great commander, Stonewall Jackson, and at the conclusion the little grandson of the great Christian general pulled the veil away from his soldierly form.

Hon. Norman G. Kittrell paid a masterly tribute to Texas' adopted son, the gallant Albert Sidney Johnston, and the veil was drawn away by the granddaughter of Stonewall Jackson.

Judge Watts told of the heroism of the private, and scarce a dry eye was in all that vast assembly as they listened to what he suffered and endured during the four years of the war. The young ladies representing the states, Daughters of the Confederacy, and every veteran in reach pulled the rope that unveiled the private's chiseled form.

All was over now, save the "battle of flowers," in which every one in the audience took part. The air was filled with fragrance and the mound was covered with these bright weapons of love.

At 3 P.M. a magnificent banquet was served our visiting friends at the Oriental Hotel.

Mrs. Hayes and children, who had been the recipients of every courtesy, left next morning for their Colorado home. Mrs. Jackson remained several days, the guest of Judge and Mrs. M. L. Crawford. Several handsome receptions were tendered her, and the day

after the unveiling the veterans presented her with a handsome gold badge.

One of the most pleasing incidents of the unveiling ceremonies, and one that was a perfect surprise to him and his family, was the honor conferred upon Gen. W. L. Cabell by the Daughters of the Confederacy : a marble medallion of him was placed on the main shaft of the monument and a beautiful tribute pronounced upon him as soldier and citizen by Capt. J. B. Simpson, of Cabells Brigade, and a beautiful poem by Mrs. Elizabeth J. Hereford, composed in his honor, was read.

They have no more monuments to build in Dallas. but the chapter, by its deeds of charity, is daily building monuments in the hearts of all.

THANK YOU JACK **BOWEN FOR THIS** HISTORY



"Most of the histories used in our schools are too brief to give a correct idea of the subject, yet it is very important that it should be understood. ...I believed in the beginning of the war... that the South was right, and I believe it now. And I believe further that if this government lasts a hundred years longer, and continues to be a nation of free people, it will be because the principles of political liberty, for which the South contended, survive the shock of that tremendous revolution. For this reason, if for no other, the position of the South should be understood." S. A. Steel, 1914

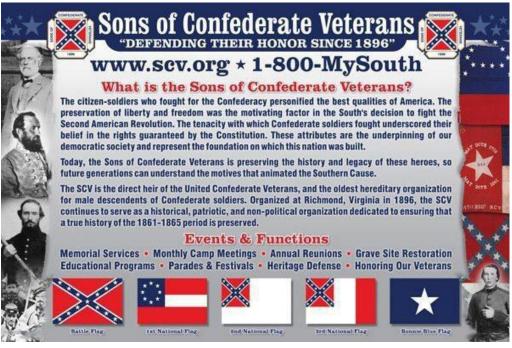
The beautiful UCV monument from the city square in Clarksville , TX., when Kyle Sims, Craig Stone and David Hendricks whent north into Indian territory last month.







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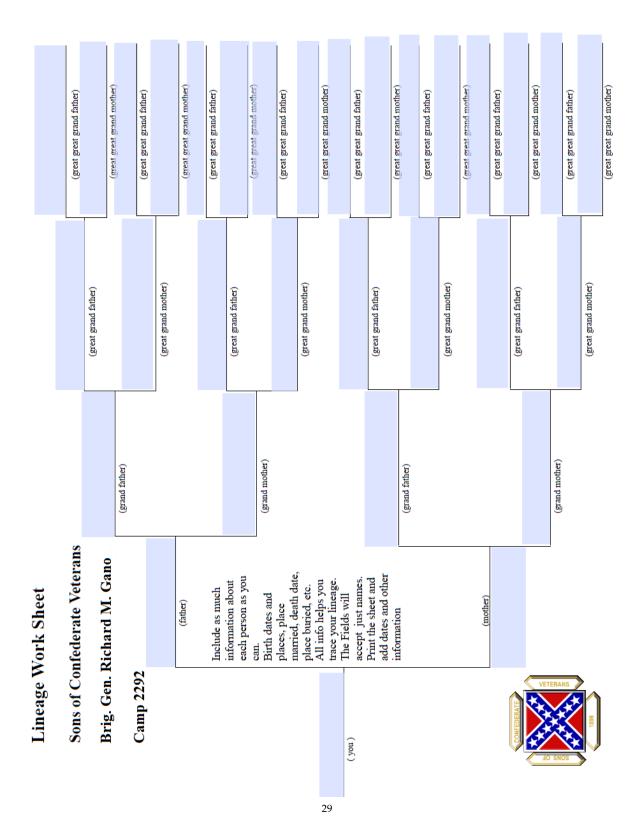
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If you know any SCV member that would like to join give them this form, all are welcome even if you do not have a bike.

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Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee Comm<mark>ander-General United Confederate Veterans New Or</mark>leans, Louisiana 1906

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Until we meet again, let us remember our obligations to our forefathers, who gave us the undeniable birthright of our Southern Heritage and the vision, desire and courage to see it perpetuated.