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Salute to the Texas Flag: “To the flag which flew over the embattled Republic; to the flag proudly carried by our God-fearing ancestors into battle; to the flag which flew over decades of liberty, growth and prosperity; I salute the Lone Star Flag of Texas.”

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Commanders Report

Compatriots.,

First let me apologize for not being able to get the room at Chill's for February's meeting. That was a learning lesson for me. I made sure to get a confirmation for this month! I will say that I had fun sitting in the parking lot just drinking and talking SCV business. Y'all are a very resilient group, and can make things happen despite the circumstances! Second, we've got a ton of events going on in the coming months. Please pay close attention to Frank's calendar of events in this newsletter. I hope you can make a few of them. A suggestion was made in one of our meetings to get a booth at Canton's First Monday gatherings as a recruiting tool for the SCV as a whole. It was also suggested that we invite SCV and UDC camps and chapters in the area that may want to use the occasion for recruitment purposes. I was able to get a booth at April's First Monday event, going on from Thursday, March 30th to Sunday, April 2nd. It has already been paid for. It is in the 1st Town Center Building. It is just one space. I will be there for the four days. Set up is Wednesday. I plan on setting up late morning or early afternoon. If you would like to participate, all are welcomed. If you would like to have members show up at certain times to help man the booth, that would be much appreciated (even if just for an hour). You are welcome to bring your flag, camp banner, or any other recruiting material by and we will make sure it gets seen. We want to get noticed! If this goes well then I will look at possibly reserving a booth for May. Thank you in advance! I hope to see most of you at this March meeting at Chills in Grapevine on the 21st. Please come to take part in some good food, drink, and fellowship as we hear a great presentation given by our own Jack Bowen. Long Live Texas and Dixie!

Sean Partee, Commander
 R. M. Gano Camp 2292
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1st Lt Commanders Report

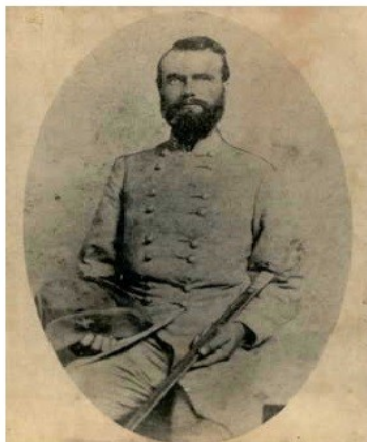
Ladies and gentlemen of the OCR and SCV and friends I hope this report finds you well. Hope you had a great St Patrick's day. BIG news we have two camp members running for a division office. Both Allen Hearrean and Kyle Sims as well as Shelby Little are running for he 1st Lt Commander position. Jim Cox is running for 2nd Lt Commander and Michael Hurley is running for Commander. This will be a reunion to remember. I am deeply saddened to hear of the soon closing of the Texas Civil War Museum in Ft Worth. Go visit before it is too late. Floyd Cox is in rehab at Pure Health located 800 W. Randol Mill Rd in Arlington. He's on 6th floor and his room number is 6026. He had an operation on his vertebrae in the neck due to dizziness he was suffering from. He is now 81 yrs of age and hoping to return home. His cell #817-937-2705. He would be so happy to hear from you. White's Chapel Cemetery in Southlake is planning a cleanup day at the cemetery located on the corner of Southlake Blvd (FM 1709) and South White Chapel Blvd on Saturday, March 25. They have asked if any of the SCV members would like to come and clean 56 Confederate headstones on that day. Several groups will be doing grass cutting and limb trimming and general cleanup. Mr. Hays from the cemetery association and I talked last evening and he has all the materials for stone cleaning but needs physical labor. I am sure this event will start early morning and run most of the day. You can also just show up! Any questions call Allen Hearrean 817 821 8805. Hope to see ya at our next meeting this coming Tuesday at Chill. Come listen to pas Commander Jack Bowen give a great presentation.

Deo Vindice!

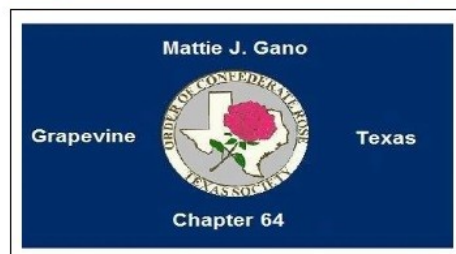
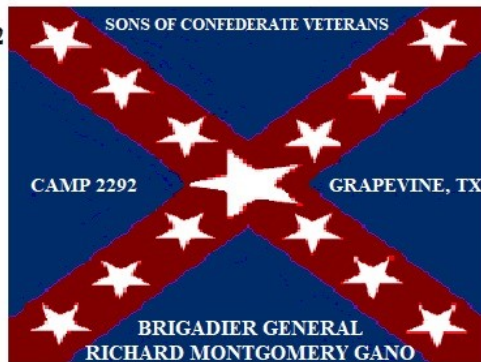
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 Sons of Confederate Veteraans Camp 2292
 Grapevine, TX



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 Order of Confederate Rose Chapter 64
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March Meeting & Agenda

Brigadier Gen. R. M. Gano Camp #2292

Sons of Confederate Veterans

Commander Sean Partee

March 21, 2023

Call to Order: Commander Partee

Invocation: Chaplin Bowen

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Charge to the Sons of Confederate Veterans: Volunteer reads below paragraph

Welcome: Commander Partee

Program: Chaplin Jack Bowen

Reading of the Minutes:

Reports: 2nd Lt Commander, Adjutant, OCR, 1st Lt. Commander

Old Business: Grapevine Side Walk clean up, Setting up table at Canton 1st Days

New Business: Setting up booth at Grapevine’s Celtic and North Texas Scottish Fests

Open Discussion

Benediction: Chaplin Bowen

Adjournment and Dixie: Commander Partee

“To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit 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, and the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made his glorious and which you also cherish.”

-Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee, Commander General, United Confederate Veterans, New Orleans, Louisiana, 1906

This Months Meeting

MEEETING IS THIS TUESDAY!

We meet at Chill on Main Street in Grapevine.

We invite everyone to attend our monthly meeting at Chill this Tuesday starting with our Eat and Greet at 6:00 PM and followed by our camp meeting.

Hope to see you this Tuesday the 21st!

We will be in the Cotton Belt back private party room.

814 South Main St, Grapevine, TX 76051



Events After Our March Meeting This Tuesday

Mar 25 - Headstone dedication in Mountain Springs, TX (See page 15)

Mar 30-Apr 2 - Canton First Monday Trade Days booth recruiting event. (See page 1)

Apr 1-2 - Pleasant Hill Reenactment: 23271 Hwy. 175, Pelican, LA

Apr 7-10 - Mech Cav Trans Mississippi raid on the border motorcycle run. (See page 16)

Apr 15-16 - Helena Reenactment: 141 Cherry St., Helena, AR

Apr 18 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

Apr 29 - RE Lee camp Confederate Heritage Banquet (See page 9)

May 6-7 - Battle of Cypress Bayou Reenactment: 601 South Polk Street, Jefferson, TX

May 16 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

July 18 - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

July 19-22 - SCV National Reunion (See page 14)



**WE MEET IN THE COTTON BELT BACK PRIVATE
MEETING ROOM AT**

Chill

814 South Main St , Grapevine, TX 76051

Chaplains Corner - Lee Speaks



Gen. Robert E. Lee Speaks

“Never do a wrong thing to make a friend—or to keep one.”

“I cannot trust a man to control others who cannot control himself.”

“The education of a man is never completed until he dies.”

“The consolidation of the states into one vast empire, sure to be aggressive abroad and despotic at home, will be the certain precursor of ruin which has overwhelmed all that preceded it.”

“True patriotism sometimes requires of men to act exactly contrary, at one period, to that which it does at another, and the motive which impels them the desire to do right is precisely the same.”

“We poor sinners need to come back from our wanderings to seek pardon through the all-sufficient merits of our Redeemer. And we need to pray earnestly for the power of the Holy Spirit to give us a precious revival in our hearts and among the unconverted.”

“I can only say that I am nothing but a poor sinner, trusting in Christ alone for salvation.”

“In all my perplexities and distresses, the Bible has never failed to give me light and strength.”

“I like whiskey. I always did, and that is why I never drink it.”

“It is well that war is so terrible, or we should grow too fond of it.”

“What a cruel thing is war: to separate and destroy families and friends, and mar the purest joys and happiness God has granted us in this world; to fill our hearts with hatred instead of love for our neighbors, and to devastate the fair face of his beautiful world.”

“There is a true glory and a true honor: the glory of duty done—the honor of the integrity of principle.”

Chaplains Corner - Lee Speaks Cont.

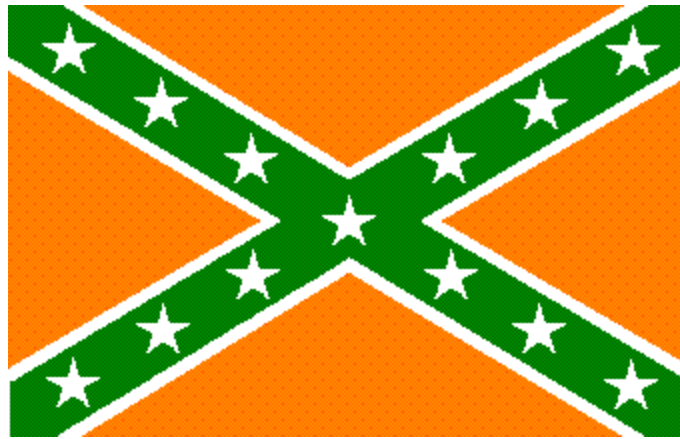
“My experiences of men has neither disposed me to think worse of them nor be indisposed to serve them: nor, in spite of failures which I lament, of errors which I now see and acknowledge, or the present aspect of affairs, do I despair of the future. The truth is this: The march of Providence is so slow and our desires so impatient; the work of progress so immense and our means of aiding it so feeble; the life of humanity is so long, that of the individual so brief, that we often see only the ebb of the advancing wave and are thus discouraged. It is history that teaches us to hope.”

“Go home all you boys who fought with me and help build up the shattered fortunes of our old state.”

“Shake off those gloomy feelings. Drive them away. Fix your mind and pleasures upon what is before you. All is bright if you will think it so. All is happy if you will make it so. Do not dream. It is too imaginary. Dreaming by day, I mean. Live in the world you inhabit. Look upon things as they are ae. Take them as you find them. Make the best of them. Turn them to your advantage.”



Camp News - Hearreans attend Mech Cav Ride to Flag Graves



Brigade News - Confederate Heritage Banquet



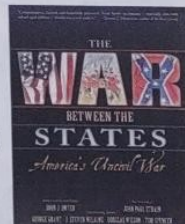
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State News - Texas Division Reunion



Gentlemen of the Texas Division

Texas Reunion June 3-5th Correction

Dates on the registration form have been changed to reflect the early bird discount date to February 23rd, 2023. The sale of meal tickets will cut off date on April 3th, 2023. We apologize for any inconvenience.

James Putman
Commander
Col. Thomas S. Lubbock Camp #1352

Reunion website: <https://www.scv1352.com/>

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State News Cont. - ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY CONFEDERATE RECONCILIATION

Compatriots,

A federal lawsuit has been filed to defend the Confederate Reconciliation Memorial in Arlington National Cemetery and there are several groups requesting funds to pay for the legal expenses.

The most efficient way to be sure every dollar is for the defense of the Reconciliation Memorial is to donate to “THE SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS”. Other groups are not accountable for, nor are they required to reveal details of their expenditures. Make sure your hard-earned dollars go directly to the legal defense of this Reconciliation Memorial. Adam Southern has established an easy-to-use method of donating your needed funds directly to our legal suit. The Sons of Confederate Veterans, Inc., a 501c3 non-profit organization, needs your donations to defend the Arlington National Cemetery Memorial.

The easiest way to make a monetary donation is to go online to <https://scv.org/paypal-donations/>

Once on this page, you can see many different funds to which you can donate. The donation portal works via PayPal, but you do not have to have a PayPal account to donate through this portal. You can simply use your credit or debit card. Just click on the yellow “donate” button. Using this portal also gives you the option to make your donation a recurring, monthly donation. This is a great way to help that doesn’t sting the wallet— for example, I might not be able to give \$100 at one time, but I can give \$5 a month. The best thing is this automatically bills your card—you don’t have to remember to do it, and you can cancel the automatic draft at any time.

Should you choose not to use our website, you can always send a check made payable to the SCV, to PO Box 59, Columbia, TN 38402 with a notation in the “For” line on the check stating for “*Arlington Natl. Cem. Memorial Defense*”.

Many of our members are looking for tax-free donation opportunities. One is to make gifts of stock. Just as with a monetary donation, you can decide to send the stock to the SCV Arlington National Cemetery Memorial Defense fund.

To make gifts of stock to the SCV, please contact our corporate portfolio managers at the Parker Group at Baird Wealth. Ask for SCV members Drew or Stewart Parker at (931) 548-3737 or sjparker@rwbaird.com.

There are other ways to give that do not include cash or stocks. Do you have War Between the States artifacts? Do you have books you would like to donate to our research library? Donations of artifacts and books may be tax deductible in accordance with IRS rules regarding “non-cash contributions.”

Contact HQ about any items you want to donate by calling (931) 380-1844 or by emailing exedir@scv.org.

Contribute to the Texas Division Sons of Confederate Veterans by clicking on: www.scvtexas.org & scroll down and click the Gold Donate Now button.

John McCammon
Cmdr, TX DIV SCV

State News Cont - Legislative Update



TEXAS DIVISION SONS of CONFEDERATE VETERANS OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE

We are 63 days into the 140 day 88th Legislative Session. Bills can no longer be filed in the House or Senate (unless approved by a Supermajority of members). Lawmakers have filed a staggering 5,301 bills in the House and 2,565 bills in the Senate. An all time record!

Thus far neither the House or the Senate has accomplished much of anything. The next 77 days will be critical if we are to see any real progress toward the protection of Confederate Heroes Day as a State Holiday or passage of the Monument Protection Bill. Key Bills I am Watching Closely:

BILLS FOR REMOVAL OF CONFEDERATE HEROES DAY AS A STATE HOLIDAY

HB 599

HB 51

SB91

MONUMENT PROTECTION BILLS

HB 3279

SB 1560

All of these Bills have been referred to either the State Affairs Committee (Texas House Bills) or the Senate Affairs Committee (Texas Senate Bills) for consideration, but none have yet to appear on the agenda for discussion.

IMPORTANT INFO:

1. I am monitoring the Committee Agendas but it looks like we may only get 24 to 36 hours notice before the Bills are up for discussion and public comment. **Please be prepared to join me in Austin as soon as we received public notice.**
2. When we appear in Austin please wear a **RED** Shirt. I do not care if it is a Red Dress Shirt, T Shirt, Sweater, just wear something **RED**. If you have anything red with a an SCV logo that is seen better.
3. You do not have to speak before the Committee if you are not comfortable in doing so, just your presence in the committee room wearing red will speak volumes to the Committee Members.

Be Prepared, Watch Your Emails, It Is Your Opportunity To Live The Charge!

W. Michael Hurley
Texas Division 1st Lt Commander ~ Heritage Defense

National News - Commander Adjutant Training for 2023



Commander - Adjutant Training for March 2023 will be held Wednesday **MARCH** 29th at 5:00 pm Central time. We would like to encourage all new commanders and adjutants take the class. If you are a returning commander, or adjutant, you are welcome to attend as well. In this class you will learn about a lot of the responsibilities and how to's of the job you were elected to. This is a 2 hour online class. These classes will be held monthly if you can not attend this month.

If you are a **Commander or Adjutant, or Treasurer** who pays the camp dues, you are eligible for this class. To sign up, send an email to membership@scv.org. In the email include your **name, membership number, camp name and office held. Tell me which class you want to attend. If you don't include your member number and office held, you wont be admitted.**

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Regards,
Eric Previti
National Membership Coordinator.

National News Cont - 2023 National Reunion in Arkansas

2023 Sons of Confederate Veterans National Reunion

www.2023scvreunion.org

Hosted By The James M Keller Camp #648

Hot Springs National Park, Arkansas

July 19, 20, 21, 22nd 2023



Register NOW for the 2023 National Reunion

Gentlemen,

The Sons of Confederate Veterans 128th Annual Reunion at the historic Arlington Resort Hotel and Spa Hot Springs, Arkansas is set for July 19-22, 2023.

It will be hosted by James M Keller Camp 648
www.2023scvreunion.org

Spend a few extra days in the only urban National Park to see a few of the many sites and activities available.

For the registration form, click [HERE](#).

SCV Mechanized Cavalry Update



Saturday March 25th there will be a Headstone dedication for Jesse Pitts Pilkinton (2nd Great grandfather of Brenda Guise) at 2pm New Hope cemetery Mountain Springs, Texas, USA
Coordinates: 33.49530, -97.04500

There will be several family members attending so we would love to make this an outstanding event. There will be a Honor guard rifle and cannon salute, canteen ceremony, and Black Rose ceremony.

Anyone willing to attend or participate please arrive at 1pm to help set up.

Hope to see y'all there,

Sargent Puke

SCVMC #3788

“Texas Mounted Dragoon’s”

SCV Mechanized Cavalry Update Cont.



Gentlemen this is our 2nd Annual Trans-Mississippi Raid on the Border event. This event is Thurs April 27th thru Sunday April 30th 2023. We has a great turnout last year with over 80 people from 5 States. We will have a ride Friday and a ride Saturday with the Saturday ride stopping for 10 dollar BBQ provided by a loc scv camp along the route. This should be an awesome time and a great time to bond even more with our neighboring Brothers from area States. Please feel free to share this with anyone you think may want to attend. Please call me with any questions or concerns you may have. 903-217-8212. Get your Registration in early to make sure you get a t-shirt and coin.

Hope to see yall there.

Connfederatey,

1st Lt. Mike "Jesse James" Pierce Company C 2nd Platoon 4th Squad "Iron Horse Greys" Son's of Confederate Veterans Mechanized Calvary

Texas Division Son's of Confederate Veterans
1st Lt Commander 4th Brigade

Commander
Son's of Confederate Veterans
Lt. Alexander Cameron Camp #2226 Greenville, Texas



Order of Confederate Rose Updates



Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose, Inc.



As volunteers we don't get paid, so often our only reward is a "Well Done!" So, a BIG thank you to all who have sent in items and gave of time and talents over the years. A BIG thank you, Brenda Guise, Jennifer and Larry Figley and Frank Bussey for getting our website back on line. You may remember that a change in a company's policies (the site was free...then it wasn't) caused us to plot another course. Fortunately, it was underwritten by a Rose Life Member. Still is, but soon, as members voted to do, TSOCR will take on the expense of the website.

Access to our new website: <https://tsocr.net>

We will continue to update and improve this site. We welcome suggestions but as Oscar Wilde once said, "Criticism is the only reliable form of autobiography." It tells you more about the psychology of the critic than the people he or she criticizes.
(Oscar Wilde, popular poet and playwright in London~1880's.)

To get your copy of the Rose Petal Newsletter Winter 2023 edition: Go to the link for the March 4th Packet and download ONLY #13 .

Here is the link to download March 4th Business Meeting which NOW contains your Winter 2023 copy of The Rose Petal, Newsletter <https://app.box.com/s/t2mmkwd2hfc872sedfwhyfmo1x4avqb2>

Also coming soon, Saturday, March 25th a chance to wear your period correct dress or Black Rose/Gentlemen Grey clothing and honor a Confederate Veteran in a Black Rose Ceremony, a Canteen Ceremony, fire muskets and a cannon!.

Here is the link to download more on this Black Rose event: <https://app.box.com/s/sgtpn0qt30zb02u7cgcpb4caygyqepvw>

Kind regards,
Becky Bussey, Director 2019-2023
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United Daughters of the Confederacy Updates

The two House bills (51 and 599) related to abolishing Confederate Heroes Day have been referred to the State Affairs Committee. The Committee is chaired by Rep. Todd Hunter from District 32 in Nueces County. The Senate bill 91 has also been referred to the State Affairs Committee chaired by Bryan Hughes from District 1 in Mineola.

The House bill relating to criminal penalties for damaging a monument has been referred to the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee, which is chaired by Joe Moody from District 78 in El Paso.

As of today, no hearings are scheduled for these bills. More Updates later.



<https://texasudc.org/>



It is with great sadness that I announce to the Texas Division that the Texas Civil War Museum will be closing on December 30, 2023.

For 20 years, we have had a working relationship to showcase our Texas Division Collection. Our Flag Collection and other Artifacts have been uniquely displayed. Our Texas Confederate Museum Collection Board of Trustees has worked diligently to conserve/preserve our Southern history.

Current Board Chairman Claudia Pugh has worked with our Board of Trustees to secure and protect our United Daughters of the Confederacy® and Texas history. She is to be commended and appreciated in her endeavors. The current Board of Trustees include: Glenda

Mounger, Alice

Swank, Dorothy Norred, Anna Sheppard, Cheryl Monteith and Diane Dyess. The Emeritus Board

Members are Sherry Davis, Cindy Harriman, Barbara Gilbert and Deena Harrison. Many other members have worked diligently through the years to display our Collection and provide the public a true viewpoint to appreciate our Southern heritage and history.

We are grateful to these Texas UDC members who have devoted much of their time to our Collection. This Collection needs to be kept intact for future generations. We will have financial needs for storage, etc. in the coming months. Our Texas Collection is priceless to our Texas Division members and our history.

SLRC Update - Arlington Lawsuit



Southern Legal Resource Center

URGENT CALL TO ACTION - SIGN UP TO SPEAK TO DEFEND ARLINGTON

Follow link for more details >>> <https://bit.ly/41X48Fh>

First Defend Arlington filed its lawsuit to prevent demolition of the Confederate Reconciliation Memorial first in a DC District Court. The SLRC is part of the litigation Team. Then the SCV filed its Arlington lawsuit next in a federal court in the Eastern District of Virginia. At some point the lawsuits will probably be consolidated into one court.

SLRC has spent the last 2 weeks working feverishly on witness and Plaintiff affidavits in support of an application for a preliminary injunction to prevent the Monument being demolished while the lawsuits are still pending. It was rumored that the Corps of Engineers might start demolition this week, but after the Advisory Committee on Arlington National Cemetery meeting on 14 MAR (see related article) we feel comfortable that we may have more time before the Monument is in danger, but least we are now ready, when that time comes!

Our job now is to rally, the troops, the state heritage activists and the politicians to force congress to stop forever the destruction of the Reconciliation Memorial in Arlington.

Here is what we must do:

1. Every patriot must call his GOP congressman and demand that congress deny funding to any take-down effort of the Confederate Reconciliation Memorial in Arlington National Cemetery.
2. Heritage Activists in every Southern State mu locate and contact their State Heritage Protection Office (SHPO) - ask them if they have been contacted by Arlington National Cemetery on their opinion of removing or demolishing the Confederate Reconciliation Monument. If they do not respond, file a Freedom of Information Request for the information
3. Then lobby these SHPO's to get them involved in the fight to save the Monument to include getting the governor & the Attorney General to join us with their own litigation efforts against the (WOKE) US Army attempt to remove or demolish the monument
4. The SLRC will be coordinating this multi state effort so your support of SLRC is more critical than ever! DONATE TO US and if you are willing to volunteer to work with your State's SHPO contact Chief Trial Counsel Lyons at 828-712-2115 or kdl@slrc-csa.org
State SHPO Directory: <https://ncshpo.org/directory/>

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Here is a confederate veteran who happens to be a great uncle to singer Bill Medley of the Righteous Brothers that Kyle Sims found during some research.

John Wesley Hawkins



Photo added by Rose Marie

BIRTH 14 Jan 1847
Texas, USA

DEATH 30 Jan 1912 (aged 65)
Wayland, Stephens County, Texas, USA

BURIAL S.C.S. Ellis Cemetery
Wayland, Stephens County, Texas, USA

PLOT no plot numbers

MEMORIAL ID 5039885



Added by BECKY K.

CHILDREN:

William Vardaman HAWKINS (1869)

Marvin Baxter HAWKINS (1870)

Leslie F. HAWKINS (1874)

CENSUS:


1850 Cass Co., Rio Grande Valley, TX


Gravesite Details

h/o Delilah Jane Ivie Dawson f/o Leslie Frank; William Vardaman and Marvin Baxter Hawkins. s/o William McKinney Hawkins & Mary Ann Blanton.


Family Members

Parents

 William McKinney Hawkins
1817-1905

 Mary Ann *Blanton* Hawkins
1825-1899

Spouse

 Delilah Jane *Ivie* Dawson
1840-1920



William Thomas Medley (age 82) is an American singer-songwriter, best known as one half of The Righteous Brothers. He's noted for his bass-baritone voice, exemplified in songs such as "You've Lost That Lovin' Feelin'". Medley produced a number of the duo's songs, including "Unchained Melody" and "Soul and Inspiration".

1860 United States Federal Census - Ancestry.com

J Hawkins in the 1860 United States Federal Census

[Detail](#)

[Source](#)

Name: J Hawkins
 Age: 13
 Birth Year: abt 1847
 Gender: Male
 Race: White
 Birth Place: Texas
 Home in 1860: Beat 9, Parker, Texas
 Post Office: Copper Hill
 Dwelling Number: 680
 Family Number: 686
 Inferred Father: W Hawkins
 Inferred Mother: M Hawkins

Household Members (Name)	Age
W Hawkins	42
M Hawkins	36
L S Hawkins	17
S Hawkins	
J Hawkins	13
D Hawkins	11
M W Hawkins ? Mary Ann	8
J Hawkins	6
S Hawkins - Female	4
H Hawkins	6/12

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Soldier History

J W. Hawkins

Residence was not listed;
Enlisted on 11/1/1864 as a Private.

On 11/1/1864 he mustered into "G" Co. TX 21st Infantry
(date and method of discharge not given)
(Estimated date of enlistment)

Sources used by Historical Data Systems, Inc.:

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The Righteous Brothers performing at [Knott's Berry Farm](#) with Medley on the right.

Arnol Medley his father was born in Texas in 1905.

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Confederate
11 21 Texas.
J. W. Hawkins
Co. G, Spight's Reg't Texas Inf.
Appears on
Regimental Return
of the organization named above,
for the month of Jan., 1864.
Commissioned officers present and absent:
Station
Remarks:
Alterations since last return among the enlisted men
Date Dec. 14, 1863.
Place Parker Co.
Remarks: Enlisted and reported
Jan. 29, 1864.
Enlisted men on Extra or Daily Duty:
Absent enlisted men accounted for:
The first (also called Spight's Regiment) Texas Infantry was formed November 20, 1862, by the consolidation of four companies of the 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th Texas Infantry with six companies of the 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th Texas Infantry, per M. O. No. 80, Headquarters, Texas Infantry, dated November 11, 1862. Companies A, B, C, D and E, (also the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th Texas Infantry), were designated as the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th Texas Infantry, respectively.
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March tempo

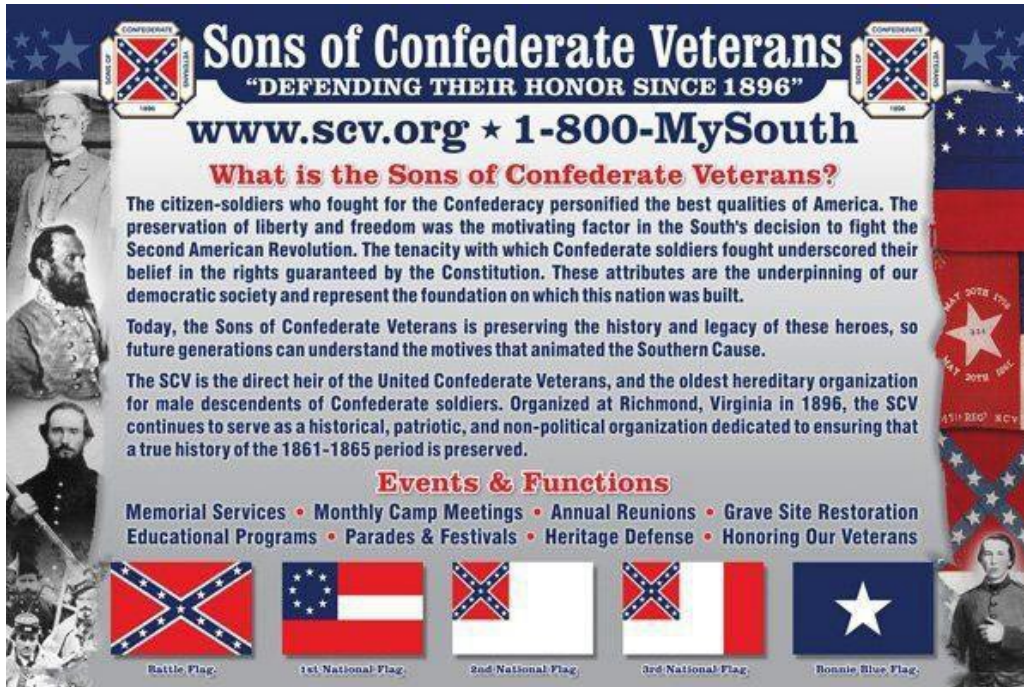
By DAN D. EMMETT

I wish I was in the land of cot - ton,
Old times there are not for - got - ten. Look a - way, look a -
way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. In
Dix - ie Land where I was born in,
Ear - ly on one frost - y morn - ing. Look a - way, look a -
way, look a - way, Dix - ie Land. Then I wish I was in
Dix - ie. Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray! In Dix - ie Land I'll
take my stand, to live and die in Dix - ie, A -
A - way A - way down south in Dix - ie, A -

Chords: A, D, E7, B7, E7, A, E7, A



SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS
DEFENDING HISTORY SINCE 1896



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What is the Sons of Confederate Veterans?
 The citizen-soldiers who fought for the Confederacy personified the best qualities of America. The preservation of liberty and freedom was the motivating factor in the South's decision to fight the Second American Revolution. The tenacity with which Confederate soldiers fought underscored their belief in the rights guaranteed by the Constitution. These attributes are the underpinning of our democratic society and represent the foundation on which this nation was built.

Today, the Sons of Confederate Veterans is preserving the history and legacy of these heroes, so future generations can understand the motives that animated the Southern Cause.

The SCV is the direct heir of the United Confederate Veterans, and the oldest hereditary organization for male descendants of Confederate soldiers. Organized at Richmond, Virginia in 1896, the SCV continues to serve as a historical, patriotic, and non-political organization dedicated to ensuring that a true history of the 1861-1865 period is preserved.

Events & Functions
 Memorial Services • Monthly Camp Meetings • Annual Reunions • Grave Site Restoration
 Educational Programs • Parades & Festivals • Heritage Defense • Honoring Our Veterans

Flags:
 Battle Flag, 1st National Flag, 2nd National Flag, 3rd National Flag, Bonnie Blue Flag

Do you have an ancestor that was a Confederate Veteran?

Are you interested in honoring them and their cause?

Do you think that history should reflect the truth?

Are you interested in protecting your heritage and its symbols?

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Membership in the Sons of Confederate Veterans is open to all male descendants of any veteran who served honorably in the Confederate armed forces regardless of the applicant's or his ancestor's race, religion, or political views.

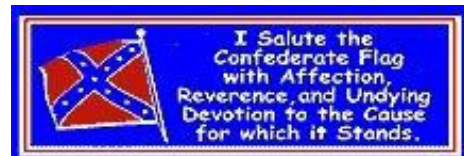
How Do I Join The Sons of Confederate Veterans?

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*Membership can be obtained through either lineal or collateral family lines and kinship to a veteran must be **documented genealogically**. The minimum age for full membership is 12, We have Genealogist that can help you for free.*

There is no minimum age for Cadet Membership.

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The Confederate Legion



JOIN THE CONFEDERATE LEGION

Membership in the Legion supports the Southern Victory Campaign.

Dues and donations are used almost exclusively for a two-prong counter-attack that we call the Southern Victory Campaign. It's led by the Heritage operations Committee of the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

Objectives include:

Rebuilding public support for the same principles of liberty that America's founding fathers believed in.

Rebuilding respect for the Confederate States of America that preferred to leave the Union rather than abandon the principles of liberty as the Northern states were doing under Leftist influences of the day.

Direct action by the SCV is one prong of the offensive. The second prong includes you and your organization.

It's not necessary to be a member or camp of the SCV to participate in the campaign.

We depend on God and you for the victory we seek.

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CHARGE TO THE SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS

"To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit 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 which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish."

Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee Commander-General United Confederate Veterans New Orleans, Louisiana 1906

Remember, it is our duty to see that the true history of the South is preserved and presented to future generations.

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.