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### GRAPEVINE TEXAS

# BRIG. GEN. RICHARD M. GANO CAMP 2292

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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.”

**Salute to the Confederate Flag:** “I salute the Confederate flag with affection, reverence, and undying devotion to the cause for which it stands.”

### *Commanders Report*

Greetings fellow compatriots. It is my privilege to extend to you Comrades and Compatriots to our monthly meeting at Chill in Grapevine this Tuesday the 17th of May. We are pleased to have as our guest Speaker Kirt Barnett from the Gen. R. E. Lee Camp in Fort Worth. Many of us are acquainted with Kirt and we have had him as our guest speaker on several occasions. Please plan to attend with our “eat and greet” beginning at 6:00 P.M. The formal meeting will begin at 7. Since the last meeting I’m pleased to announce that our efforts to clean our ancestor’s grave markers was well represented. The Cemetery was larger than expected and we got our exercise in locating the headstones. Thanks to Allen and Debbie, Kyle and Dan, Frank, and his “crew” for their help. There is still work to be done when we locate all our brave veterans. I am excited about our Texas Division Reunion in McKinney on June 3-5. We will be presenting our reports at the June Camp meeting. A big “Thank You” goes out to Bruce Cummings for our presentation at last month’s meeting and also to Mrs. Gordon Mize for her donation of the handsome landscape portrait of General Lee and his Generals. This item was in the possession of her late husband Compatriot Gordon Mize and will be auctioned at a later date.

Find more information on the reunion at the [Division Web Page](#). Hope to see ya’ll at Chill’s Cotton Belt Room this Tuesday.

Deo Vindice,

Initum sapientiae tumor Domini

Jack Bowen

Camp Commander and Chaplain

## *1st Lt Commanders Report*

Greetings members and friends,

Hope everyone is doing good. Thank you Bruce Cunningham for giving a great presentation. I am sorry I had to miss it and our meeting but my wife was under the weather. We had the first camp headstone cleanup on Saturday the 23rd. We had a great day and cleaned and marked many graves.(pictures on page 6) Visit the Texas Division reunion website [HERE](#) for more info on the reunion next month. Hope to see you all at the meeting this coming Tuesday the 17th. Kirt Barnett will be our special guest speaker this month. Be there!

God Bless Texas and Dixie! God Save The South! Deo Vindice

Confederately,

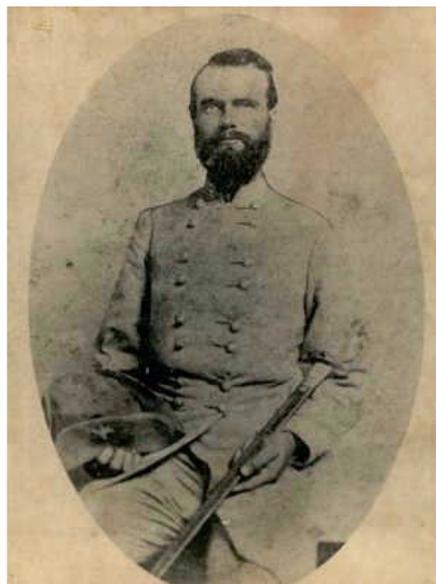
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**Brig. Gen.  
Richard M.  
Gano Camp  
2292 in  
Grapevine, TX**



**We Meet the  
Third  
Tuesday of  
Every Month  
at  
*chill* in  
Grapevine,  
TX**

*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 on the 17<sup>th</sup> starting with our Eat and Greet at 6:00 PM and following with a presentation from Kirt Barnett.

**Hope to see you this Tuesday the 17th!**

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

**814 South Main St, Grapevine, TX 76051**



## *Last Months Camp Meeting - Minutes & Pictures*

Meeting started at 7:00pm

Jack prayed us in and did salutes to Texas an Confederate flags

Speaker: Bruce Cunningham - Battle of King's Mountain

Allen read the minutes from March meeting

Old Business:

Trail Clean-up will be rescheduled - TBD

Cemetery cleaning - 04-23

North Texas Scottish Festival in Decatur - May 6th, 7th & 8th.

New Business:

Jack talked about having a procedure for doing a funeral

Carol Mize donated a picture of The Confederate Generals picture to the Gano# 2292 Camp

Jack talked about the Texas Division Convention

New Amendment bylaw. camp voted no!

Meeting ending at 8:30 and We Sung Dixie



Guest Speaker Bruce Cunningham



## *Upcoming Local Events*

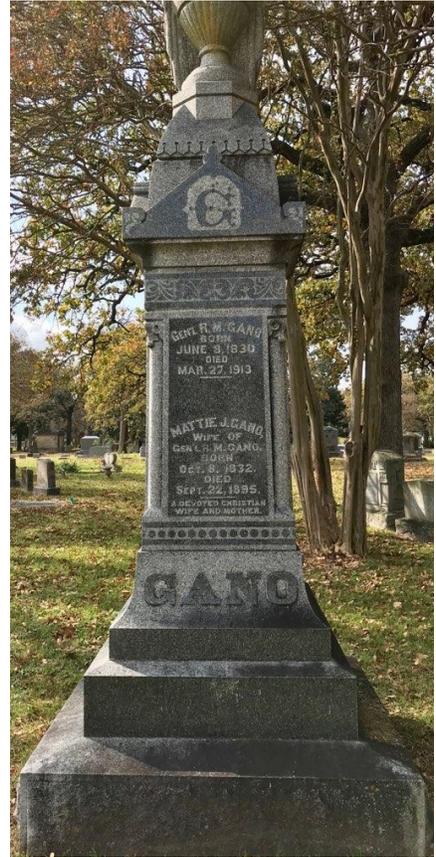
**May 17** - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

**June 3-5** - Susan of VA Flaggers and Don Kennedy is speaking at 2022 Texas Division Reunion in McKinney, TX.

**June 11** - Gave marker dedication in Fannin county at 10am.  
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**June 21** - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.

**July 19** - Camp meeting at Chill in back room, starts at 7pm.



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

*Chill*

**814 South Main St , Grapevine, TX**

**76051**

## Chaplain's Corner

*"I know that you can do all things  
And that no purpose of yours can be thwarted."*

*Job 42:2*

The book of Job begins with an exchange between God and Satan in which Satan claims that, if Job were to lose everything that he would curse God. Then a series of calamities befall Job. His many animals are stolen or killed. Almost all his servants, and all ten of his children, are killed. Job is struck with "loathsome sores" (2:7) that disfigures him. His wife says, "Curse God and die" (v. 9). But Job refuses to sin against God.

Job's friends arrive to "show him sympathy and comfort him" (v. 11). Seeing his suffering, they sit with him for seven days and nights without saying a word. When they speak, it is to persuade Job that his suffering is due to his sins. For thirty-four chapters (!) his friends and he talk, with Job occasionally stating that he would like to argue his case before God in a courtroom.

Finally, God speaks from a whirlwind. God does not explain why Job suffered or give job the opportunity to argue his case. Instead, God contrasts his abilities with those of Job and every other human. Humbled, Job meekly responds that he had no right to question the purpose of an all-powerful God.

Why not? When we suffer, isn't it fair to ask God why we are suffering? Why do terrible things happen to godly people? Where is God in suffering? The book of Job provides no easy answers to these and other tough questions about suffering.

But the book does make one thing noticeably clear: God does not cause us to suffer to punish us for our sins. He wants us to repent of our sins and follow him, but he does not manipulate us to make that happen. Instead, God allows us to use our free will to decide how we will respond to blessings, suffering, or anything in between.

God has provided an eternal relationship with him through his Son, our Lord, and Savior Jesus Christ. And no purpose of his can be thwarted.

### **Passage: Verse in Context—Job 38:1-9, 42:1-6**

Then the Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind and said: *"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Dress for action like a man; I will question you, and you make it known to me.*

*"Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell me if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone, when the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?"*

Then Job answered the Lord and said: *"I know that you can do all things, and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted. Who is this that hides counsel without knowledge? Therefore, I have uttered what I did not understand, things too wonderful for me, which I did not know. Hear, and I will speak, I will question you, and you make it known to me."*

*"I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear, but now my eye sees you; therefore, I despise myself, and repent in dust and ashes."*

*Heavenly Father, whatever circumstances I am placed in, may I always give praise to you my Lord and Savior and not curse you. May I always look and follow you and never flee from you. Amen.*

*Initium sapientiae timor Domini-Deo Vindice*

Jack H. Bowen, Commander, Chaplain



## Camp News - Grave Cleaning and Flagging in Grapevine



These are just a few graves cleaned and flagged in the Grapevine cemetery by members of the Gano camp 2292.



*Texas Division News*



Compatriots,

The Texas Division Reunion is fast approaching. How fast?  
CLICK BUTTON BELOW TO FIND OUT

COUNTDOWN

The Official Texas Division Reunion Website:

<https://scvtexas.org/state-reunion>

Special Guest Speakers:

Walter D. (Donnie) Kennedy, Chief of Heritage Operations

Susan Lee, Virginia Flaggers [Susan Lee Website](#)



**Texas Division  
Sons of Confederate Veterans  
125<sup>th</sup> Annual Reunion  
Sheraton McKinney Hotel and Conference Center  
June 3 -5, 2022**



## *Texas Division News Cont.*



### **Compatriots:**

The [2022 Texas Division Reunion](#) in McKinney TX. is fast approaching. We are honored to have Susan Lee as our guest speaker at the Saturday Evening Southern Ball.

Born and raised in a small suburb just east of Richmond, Susan grew up in the shadows of the Seven Days Battlefields, and as the daughter of a relic hunter and War Between the States enthusiast, was raised to honor and respect her Southern Heritage. She is the descendant of five Confederate Veterans, all of whom served from and for Virginia.

In the fall of 2011, she helped organize the Virginia Flaggery, who have gained national attention for their efforts in numerous heritage defense battles throughout Virginia, and beyond. Since September of 2012, the Va Flaggery have erected 34 Large Battle Flags along Interstates and roadways in Virginia, and currently have several additional flag sites under development.

She is the recipient of the Advancing the Colors award from the Lee-Jackson Camp #1, SCV, Richmond; the Ladies Appreciation Medal from the Robert E Lee Camp #1589, SCV, Midlothian; the Commander-in-Chief's Ladies Appreciation Medal, and received the Stephen Dill Lee Award at the 2013 SCV National Reunion in Vicksburg. She is a member of the Richmond-Stonewall Jackson #1705 Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, a member of the Dixie Rangers Chapter of the Virginia Society, Order of the Confederate Rose, and an associate member of the Edmund Ruffin Fire Eaters #3000 Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans.

[Click here for the Texas Division  
Reporter Newsletter](#)

So the city of Richmond votes to give AP Hill to black museum, when General Hill has family

## Richmond seeking court order to relocate A.P. Hill statue, grave

From staff reports

Still without a formal agreement with descendants of A.P. Hill, the city of Richmond is seeking a court order to move the Confederate general's monument and his grave from the intersection of Laburnum Avenue and Hermitage Road.

The Richmond City Council voted unanimously Monday night to direct the city administration to grant the monument to the Black History Museum and Cultural Center of Virginia.

While the city took down its other Confederate monuments nearly two years ago and conveyed them to the museum in January, officials have been unable to move forward with the



BOB BROWN/TIMES-DISPATCH

**A statue of Confederate Gen. A.P. Hill is located over his grave at a Richmond intersection.**

removal of the Hill monument because the general is buried underneath it.

The city has been negotiating with descendants of Hill's family to decide what should be done with the

remains. A city official earlier Monday said they have discussed plans to relocate the general's remains to a cemetery in Culpeper, where Hill grew up, but that the city and the family members have not been able to reach a final agreement.

The ordinance approved by the council on Monday does not explicitly say where the remains will go, but that they will be removed and "reinterred respectfully" in accordance with an order from the Circuit Court of Richmond.

Hill's remains were relocated from Hollywood Cemetery to the monument in 1891, about 25 years after he was shot and killed outside of Petersburg at the end of the Civil War.

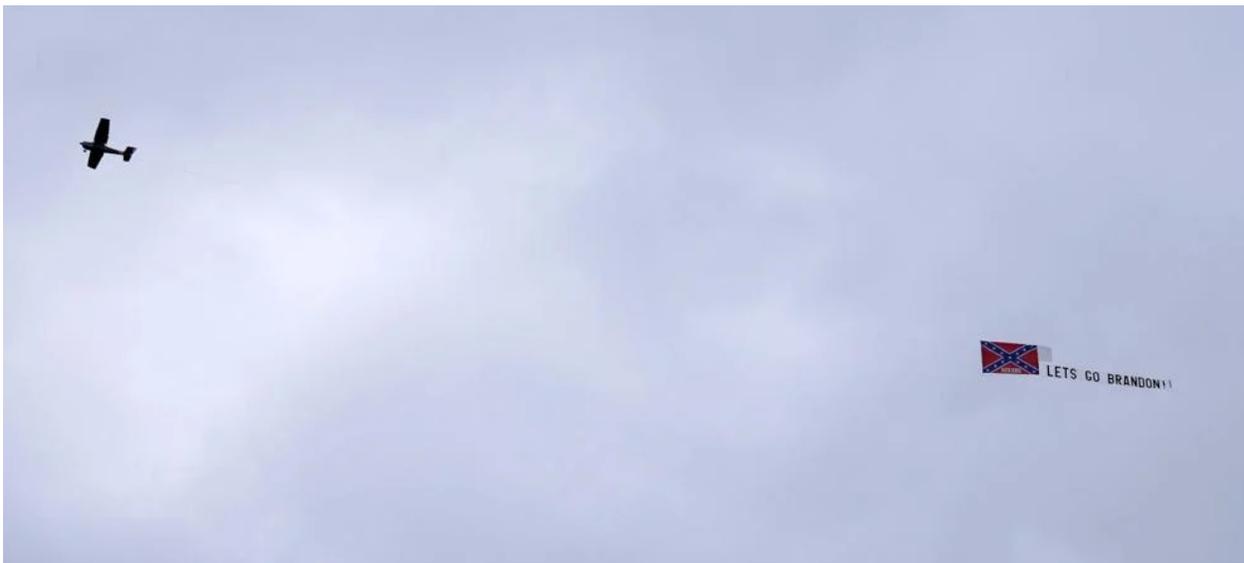
## *National News* - NASCAR Darlington, SC Let's Go Brandon!

The SCV is standing up for the spirit of Liberty & free speech.

NASCAR has banned the Confederate Flag and the phrase "Lets Go Brandon!"

The Southern Legal Resource Center(SLRC) had this 10' x 20' Confederate Battleflag made for the SCV 3 years ago, smaller than the much larger Battleflag "Flying Billboard," and thus cheaper to use for flyovers." There was and is a complete media blackout on the Saturday NASCAR flyover, so please share to your social media & email lists. FIX BAYONETS! Thank you Confederate Legion, Don Gordon and the patriots who put up the money, for making this happen.

Thank you SCV!



## *SLRC Update*



### **It Ain't Over! 26th NC Foundation Appeals to NC Supreme Court**

The fight over the desecrated Zebulon Vance Monument is not over, according to the attorney challenging the city's removal of Vance Monument and documents filed April 20 attempting to take the issue to North Carolina's highest court.

Despite an April 5 ruling from the N.C. Court of Appeals in favor of the city, affirming a lower court judgment to dismiss the lawsuit and allowing removal of the monument, the city finds itself again in limbo.

Nearing midnight on April 20, Edward Phillips, lawyer for the Society for the Historical Preservation of the 26th North Carolina Troops, which brought the challenge against the city, filed a petition for discretionary review with the N.C. Supreme Court.

This document is a request for the Supreme Court to review the decision by the Court of Appeals. "I am not going to cede the point until I'm told there's just no path forward," Phillips said. "And the Supreme Court of North Carolina, in this instance, in the terms of state courts, is the last word."

The city filed a response for the court's consideration, yesterday.

There is no timeline for when the court will make that decision, according to Phillips and Branham. **BUT MAY GOD DEFEND THE RIGHT!**

SLRC is assisting Mr. Phillips where possible. **GOVERNMENT SPEECH IS TYRANNY!!**

Checks can be mailed to:

**SLRC**  
**P.O.Box 1235**  
**Black Mountain, NC 28711**

Or visit our website to make a Paypal/Credit Card donation. <https://slrc-csa.org/>

## *Confederate Legion Update*



Below is the link to the video of last Monday's SCV Chat in which the Kennedy Twins gave an update on Confederate Legion activities. Please share this with fellow SCV members and other pro-Southern, pro-American folks.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rY4wsybM\\_dA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rY4wsybM_dA)

Thank you,

James Ron Kennedy

### **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.

[#SCV #MakeDixieGreatAgain](#)

<https://makedixiegreatagain.com/legion/>

## *Grave Marker Dedication*



Gentlemen, and Ladies. The Captain Bob Lee Camp in Bonham Texas is hosting a Cemetery marker dedication planned at Porter Chapel cemetery in Fannin County, Texas on Saturday, June 11,2022 at 10am.

Porter Chapel cemetery is located on State Highway 11 about halfway between Whitewright and Randolph. There are several Confederate Veterans buried in cemetery along some ancestors of former First Lady Laura Bush. An opening prayer and pledges of our flags while be conducted, followed by a short history of the cemetery and reading of Confederate veterans buried in the cemetery. There will also be a cannon volley in memory of the veterans.

Directions to Porter Chapel cemetery

From State highway 11 between Randolph and Whitewright take Fannin County road 4320 north for approximately .8 mile until the intersection of county roads 4320 and 4315. Take the dirt road ,no gravel, on the left with the older Porter cemetery sign to the cemetery for approximately 1/2 mile.

Please feel free to forward this to anyone who may be interested in attending.

Confederately,

1st Sgt. 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

Honorably Retired Texas Peace Officer

"TEXANS ALWAYS MOVE THEM" R.E.Lee



## General Benjamin McCulloch-Part Two Ranger, Indian Fighter, and the War With Mexico

The place Ben McCulloch chose as his home was Gonzales, a frontier settlement which had suffered much from Indian raids. He could not have chosen a location more suited to his adventurous spirit. It has been said that McCulloch selected this frontier section for the very reason that he would be called on to help stop the inroads from the Indians.

At this time in 1838, there was no organized body of men to guard the settlements. The new Republic did not have the funds to form and equip an army capable of giving protection. This inability on the part of the government to furnish protection made it necessary for each settlement along the frontier to form bands of minutemen or rangers to resist the Indians.

It was not until 1840 that the Rangers had become a permanent institution of the Texas Republic. This group was formed at San Antonio with Captain John C. Hayes as the leader. However, the history of the Rangers goes back earlier. The word "ranger" was first used in Texas by Stephen R. Austin in 1823, when he employed ten men to serve as Rangers, and in 1826, Austin called a meeting of six militia districts to provide for defense, after raids were made into the Austin Colony by the Tonkawa Indians. He wanted an aggressive campaign against these Indians and their neighbors, the Wacos. At the conferences it was agreed to keep a permanent force of from twenty to thirty Rangers in service at all times.

On October 17, 1835, the Permanent Council was offered a resolution by Daniel Parker creating a corps of Texas Rangers, with the main objective to guard against incursions of the Indians from the west. This was the start of the gallant band of fighters which was to bring terror to the hearts of the Indians and Mexicans and to develop such outstanding leaders and fighters as Ben McCulloch and John C. Hays.

Walter P. Webb has described the Rangers as  
an irregular body: they were mounted; they furnished their own horses and arms; they had no surgeon, no flags, none of the paraphernalia of the regular service. They were distinct from the regular army and also from the militia.

The above description of the Rangers was aimed at the officially organized groups, but they may well apply to the volunteer bands which answered any call for defense against Indians or Mexicans. In fact, at times it is hard to distinguish between the official companies and the mere volunteers, both being intermingled in many fights against a common enemy. McCulloch fought with both groups.

During this crucial period in Texas history, Ben McCulloch was to serve as volunteer, minuteman, and official Texas Ranger against the foes threatening the existences of the newly formed Republic.

At the battle of Plum Creek on August 12, 1840 McCulloch distinguished himself as a scout and as commander of the right wing of the Texas army. The Plum Creek fight, which was the climax of the Linnville raid in August 1840, by about one thousand warriors, was one of the decisive battles against the Indians which helped to break their resistance and bring to an end, at least, the large raiding parties, although many smaller ones continued for many years to come.

In February of 1842, when the Mexican government launched a raid against Texas that seized the strategic town of San Antonio, McCulloch rendered invaluable service by scouting enemy positions and taking a prominent role in the fighting that harried Rafael Vasquez's raiders back below the Rio Grande. On September 11, 1842, a second Mexican expedition captured San Antonio. McCulloch again did valuable scouting service and joined in the pursuit of Adrian Woll's invading troops to the Hondo River, where Hays's rangers engaged them on September 21. After the repulse of the second Mexican invasion, McCulloch remained with the ranger company that formed the nucleus of an army with which the Texans planned to invade Mexico.

The so-called Somervell expedition was poorly managed; however, and Ben and Henry left it on the Rio Grande only hours before the remainder of the Texans were captured at Mier, Tamaulipas, on December 25, 1842. McCulloch was elected to the First Legislature after the annexation of Texas.

When the United States annexed Texas as a state, it assumed the protection of her borders. This change in the status of Texas meant war with Mexico. In view of the possibility of war, General Zachary Taylor was sent with an army to Texas in July 1845 and encamped at the mouth of the Nueces River. This site was chosen for the present because the territory between the Nueces and the Rio Grande was claimed by Mexico as well as Texas and the United States.

General Taylor did not call on the Rangers or volunteers from Texas to aid him in this occupation. He felt that the Rangers would be more service on the frontier. It was not until the next year after General Taylor had started his move toward Matamoros that the Texas Rangers were called to his service. A party of sixty-three dragoons, were sent out on April 24, 1846, to watch the movements of the enemy on the Rio Grande, were killed or captured and as a result of this Taylor said, "hostilities may now be considered as commenced." The commander of the occupation troops now thought it time to call on the governor for volunteers. He asked for four regiments of volunteers, "two to be mounted and two to serve on foot." Taylor wanted two companies of mounted Texans to relieve his regular cavalry of part of their duties and to keep open the communications with Point Isabel.

McCulloch raised a command of Texas Rangers that became Company A of Col. Jack Hays's First Regiment, Texas Mounted Volunteers. He was ordered to report to the United States Army on the Rio Grande and was soon named Zachary Taylor's chief of scouts. As such he won his commander's praise and admiration of the nation with his exciting reconnaissance expeditions into northern Mexico. The presence in his company of George Wilkins Kendall, editor of the *New Orleans Picayune*, and Samuel Reid, who later wrote a popular history of the campaign, *The Scouting Expeditions of McCulloch's Texas Rangers*, propelled McCulloch's name into national prominence. Leading his company as mounted infantry at the battle of Monterrey, McCulloch further distinguished himself, and before the battle of Buena Vista his astute and daring reconnaissance work saved Taylor's army from disaster and won him a promotion to the rank of major of United States volunteers.

Ben McCulloch returned to Texas at the end of the war, served for a time as scout under Bvt. Maj. Gen. David E. Twiggs, and traveled to Tennessee on family business before setting out from Austin on September 9, 1849, for the gold fields of California. Although he failed to strike it rich, he was elected sheriff of Sacramento. His friends in the Senate, Sam Houston, and Thomas Jefferson Rusk, mounted a campaign to put him in command of a regiment of United States cavalry for duty on the Texas frontier, but largely due to McCulloch's lack of formal education the attempt was frustrated. In 1852 President Franklin Pierce promised him the command of the elite Second United States Cavalry, but Secretary of War Jefferson Davis bestowed the command instead on his personal favorite, Albert Sidney Johnston. McCulloch was however, appointed United States marshal for the Eastern District of Texas and served under Judge John Charles Watrous during the administration of Franklin Pierce and James Buchanan. In 1858 he was appointed one of two peace commissioners to treat with Brigham Young and the elders of the Mormon Church; he is credited with helping to prevent armed hostilities between the United States government and the Latter-Day Saints in Utah.

To Be Continued

Gen. Benjamin McCulloch and The War Between the States

# Take Me Out to the Confederate Ball Game

Yes, during the war, folks could hear the crack of the bat on the ball and the cheers (often Rebel yells) of the crowds at the baseball games of the Confederates, and not just a few games. Long before the war, dozens of Southern teams played, wearing identifying uniforms and with considerable rivalry. Baseball clubs had formed in such cities as Norfolk, Virginia; Augusta and Macon, Georgia; Houston and Austin, Texas, and most especially, New Orleans, the south's largest city. There were 22 known teams in New Orleans before the war. That's more clubs than any Northern city had.

In one instance, in 1864, the bulk of Lee's first Louisiana Brigade had been captured at Rapahannock Station, and the brigade's officers (most were baseball players) were sent to the Johnson's Island Federal POW camp. They gathered or fashioned bats and balls and formed baseball teams. Lieutenant Michael McNamara of the 7th LA organized one such club, while Lt. Charlie Pierce, also of the 7th, (who was like a Mickey Mantle and Hank Aaron combined) captained the "Southern Nine."

When the game was played, everyone watched, and some with money made bets. The Yankee guards and civilians outside the POW camp climbed on roof tops to watch. Sadly, after the game, the camp commander halted all future games.

Who were the best baseball teams? There has been debate, but the list always includes Hood's Texas brigade, Mosby's raiders, Morgan's Kentucky cavalry, and the sailors of the CSS Hunley.

Private W. P. Snackenber of the "Louisiana Tigers" wrote about a game postwar: "We went back to our camp and stayed there all winter and until late April 1864. Only doing picket duty on the banks of the [Rapidan] River and playing baseball. During the winter, we fought a snowball battle with the Brigade of North Carolina and Virginia."<sup>4</sup> Confederate clergymen, newspapers, and civil authorities encouraged baseball playing as a healthy exercise. In early 1862 a Charleston newspaper complained of a baseball equipment shortage.

In 1863, while still stationed across the river in Fredricksburg, one 19th Massachusetts soldier wrote, "We would sit on the bank and watch their games, and the distance was so short we could understand every movement and would applaud good plays."

John Hunt Morgan's second in command, General Basil Duke, was the star pitcher on a prewar St. Louis club. Morgan's famous telegrapher, George "Lightning" Ellsworth, helped form the prewar Houston baseball club.

Colonel Van Manning, who often led Hood's Texas Brigade, headed up a postwar Mississippi baseball club. And the officer who commanded the *Hunley* prior to George Dixon, CSN Lt. John A. Payne, was elected president of the Alabama Baseball Association after the war.

After the war, baseball clubs were forming "in almost every city, town and village" in Tennessee, "all over" Texas, and in "nearly every town" in Arkansas, and throughout the South. In great Southern tradition -- PLAY BALL!

## **THE SOUTH'S MEMORIAL DAY**

By Henry F. Saxon, Augusta, GA

**Tread softly, for on  
Hallowed ground you stand!  
They sleep, those men who  
Strived in the years gone,  
Row on row, and their spirits  
Look down on us now.  
And mayhap they think as we  
Tread the daily life  
What wonder we of  
The way they fought the strife  
At Gettysburg or Manassas  
Or Lookout or when the  
Flames of Atlanta roared  
And the bleeding South was  
Ravaged and torn—and wept!  
Do we of today honor  
The sacrifice they made?  
Yes. Though silent their  
Voices are  
And eyes are closed,  
Their spirits live  
And help to clothe  
The men and women  
Of today  
With immortality.**



# THE SOUTHERN CREED

"If I ever disown, repudiate,  
Or apologize for the Cause  
For which Lee fought and Jackson died,  
Let the Lightnings of Heaven rend me,  
And the Scorn of all good men  
And true women be my portion.  
Sun, Moon, Stars, all fall on me  
When I cease to love The Confederacy.  
'Tis The Cause,  
Not the Fate of The Cause,  
That is glorious!"

Major R. E. Wilson  
1st North Carolina  
Battalion of Sharpshooters





# Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose, Inc.

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: Mo: \_\_\_\_\_ Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Yr: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Name, Number and City you are joining: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you want to receive TSOCR group emails: Yes  No

Talents and/or skills you can contribute to TSOCR and/or the chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

### Membership Types and Fees (Check all applicable)

\*Fees are determined by the Fee Schedule in effect on the date of your application.

<b>A. <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter Member</b> Fee: TSOCR STATE enrollment fee *\$10. Plus fee to local chapter (amount determined by each chapter). Annual State (*\$10) and Chapter dues will apply.	<b>B. <input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime Member</b> One time *\$100 enrollment fee to TSOCR Plus enrollment fee to local chapter (amount determined by chapter). Annual chapter dues <i>may</i> apply at discretion of chapter. Check with your local chapter.	<b>C. <input type="checkbox"/> Member-at-Large</b> *\$20 TSOCR enrollment fee. Annual dues of \$20. Member-at-Large *\$ 20 Member at Large *\$20 Lifetime Member *100 No Life Membership 0 *\$120 *\$20
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Form must be signed and dated by the applicant, endorsed by a member in good standing of the TSOCR and the TSOCR Chapter Representative. Form must be submitted in duplicate (2 originals or 1 original and 1 copy).  
*Your cancelled check is your receipt.*

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Endorsed by: \_\_\_\_\_ TSOCR Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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 "DEFENDING THEIR HONOR SINCE 1896"  
 www.scv.org ★ 1-800-MySouth

**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?**

**If you answered "Yes" to these questions, then you should "Join Us"**

*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.*

<http://www.scv.org/research/genealogy.php>





# **WANTED**

ALL MALE DESCENDENTS OF  
**CONFEDERATE**  
SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

**Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano Camp 2292 in Grapevine, TX**  
Is currently recruiting New Members to Honor our Texas and Confederate Ancestors and  
their Heroic Deeds

We have Genealogist to help find your Civil War Ancestor  
We also have a Order of Confederate Rose chapter you can join if you do not have a Confederate ancestor  
or if you are a lady.

**JOIN US TODAY!**

**HELP FIGHT THE ERADICATION OF SOUTHERN HERITAGE**



We also have a motorcycle group called Mechanized Cavalry for anyone who enjoys riding.

**WE MEET THE THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH  
IN GRAPEVINE, TX**

**COME VISIT US!**

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Web: [WWW.CAMP2292.ORG](http://WWW.CAMP2292.ORG)



# Application For Membership

Type or Print Clearly in Black Ink Only to Avoid Mistakes

To the Officers and Members of **Brig. Gen. Richard Montgomery Gano**  
Camp No. **2292** Located at \_\_\_\_\_  
State of **Texas** I, the undersigned, respectfully petition to become a member of the

## Sons of Confederate Veterans

Initial Dues are \$35.00 which includes a \$5.00 recording fee; local and state dues are additional. Go to [www.scv.org/campLocator.php](http://www.scv.org/campLocator.php) to find a local Camp. Submit your application directly to the local Camp you wish to join or to: SCV, P.O. Box 59, Columbia TN 38402-0059 if there is no Camp in your area. Attach a copy of the ancestor's war service record or an approved pension for him or his widow. Also include a simple genealogy family tree linking the applicant to the Confederate Soldier. If accepted, I do hereby promise strict compliance to the Constitution and rules of the organization.

The Confederate patriot through whom I petition for membership, and who adhered to the Cause of the Confederate States

of America, was my \_\_\_\_\_ whose name was  
Relationship to Applicant (Print Clearly)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name of Confederate Soldier (Print Clearly)

of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
City/County (Print Clearly) State

My  Lineal  Confederate Ancestor was a \_\_\_\_\_ in Company \_\_\_\_\_  
 Collateral  
(Check One) Rank (Print Clearly)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Complete Name of Regiment or Unit (print Clearly)

My Confederate Ancestor was:  Paroled,  Surrendered,  Released on Oath,  Discharged,  Killed,  or died  
On \_\_\_\_\_ and is buried in \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE County State Name of Cemetery

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clearly Print Full Name Legal Signature  
\_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS City State Zip Code  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth MM/DD/YYYY Occupation Home Phone Work Phone email address

### RECOMMENDED BY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Current Member's Name (Print) Camp Name and Number  
**Brig. Gen. Richard M. Gano 2292**

### Report on Application

This application has been examined, and from the information which the camp committee has been able to procure, is approved

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE - Camp Committee on Application SIGNATURE - Camp Committee on Application

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE - Camp Committee on Application SIGNATURE - Camp Committee on Application

Date approved for Membership by Camp

Date Received at GHQ

# Lineage Work Sheet

## Sons of Confederate Veterans

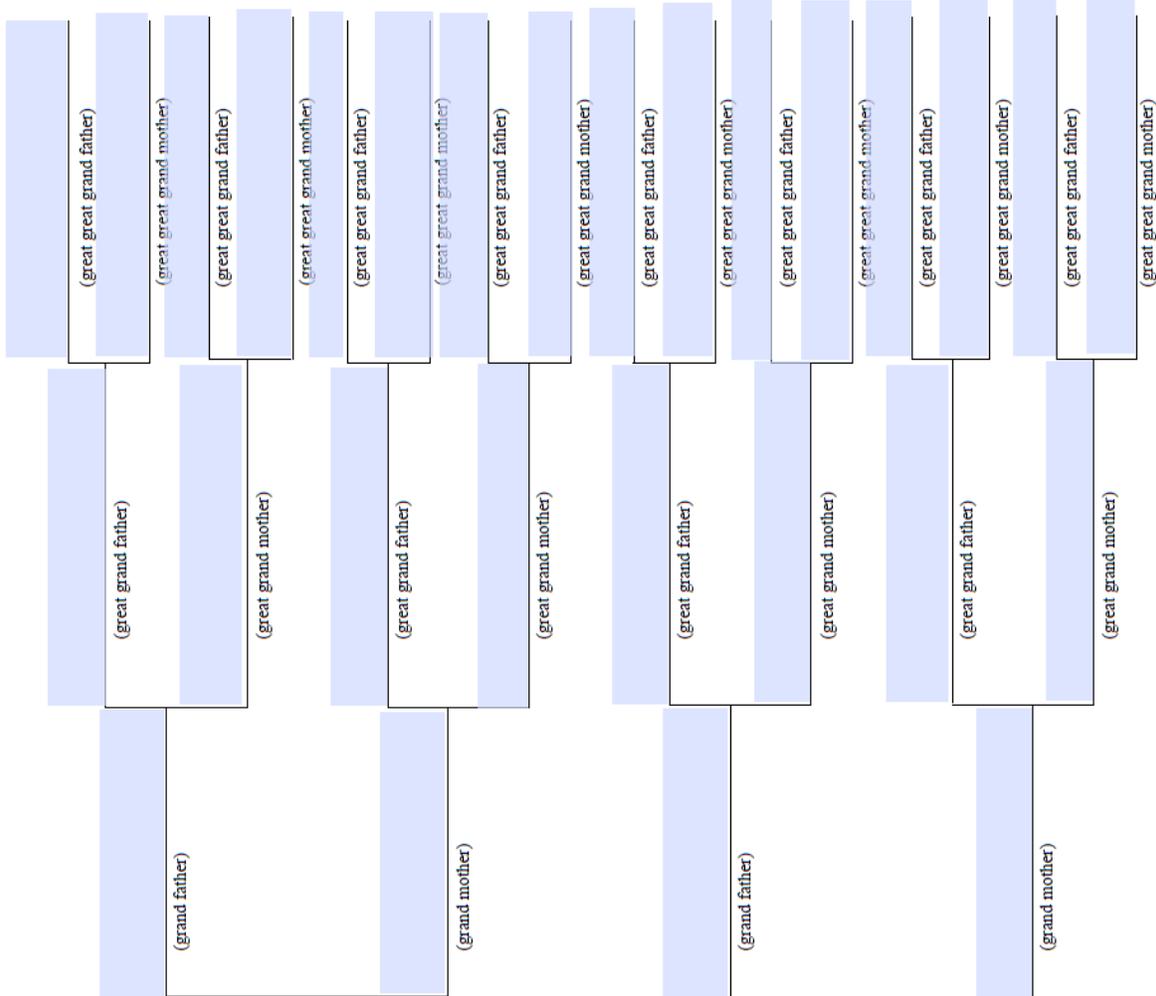
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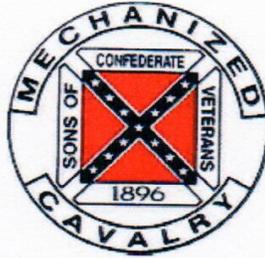
**Camp 2292**

(father)

Include as much information about each person as you can.  
 Birth dates and places, place married, death date, place buried, etc.  
 All info helps you trace your lineage. The Fields will accept just names. Print the sheet and add dates and other information

(mother)





**SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS  
MECHANIZED CAVALRY**

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

SCV Camp and Referring SCV-Mechanized Cavalry Member Details:

Member of SCV Camp & Number: \_\_\_\_\_

SCV Membership ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By SCV-Mechanized Cavalry Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Mechanized Cavalry # \_\_\_\_\_ SCV Membership ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Information you wish to share:

Co-Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Motorcycle Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Print and Mail this completed form, **A Copy of Your SCV Membership ID card** and your \$100.00 check for a one-time non-refundable application fee. Any "service mark" distributed is on loan only, remaining the property of the organization. Applicant agrees to return "Service Mark" upon separation from Mechanized Cavalry.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Captain for rockers, NOT included in fee

**Make check payable & Mail to: the Captain of the State you live in. To obtain the Captain's information go to Battalion State Organization on the Mechanized Cavalry website and click on the State on the map you're from.**

## 2022 Camp 2292 Officers and Staff

Let us hear from you!

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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.**