

*THE MARSHALL GUARDIAN*



**IN MEMORIAM**

Dedicated to the memory of the Sergeant William Williston Heartsill Company F 2nd Texas Cavalry, C.S.A.

**Next Meeting...**

**Tuesday,  
February 19th, 2019  
6:30 P.M.**

**SPEAKER**

**Bill Elliott**

*Fr. Abram J. Ryan, Poet –  
Priest of the South*

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**Bring a Friend**



Compatriots:

I wish to thank you for allowing me to serve as your Camp Commander. My 1<sup>st</sup> official duty was to thank Our Immediate Past Commander Michael Hurley for his 2 years as service to our Camp. The 2<sup>nd</sup> official duty was to thank our Commander in Chief Paul Grambling Jr. and Brigade Commander Sam Mercer for swearing in Lt. Commander Chris Hurley, Adjutant Frank Crisp and myself as your Camp Officers.

We have important work ahead of us. We must grow our Camp with new members. We must defend our ancestors and the heritage for which they stood for. To do this we need you to attend our meetings and help us work together in unity to achieve the Charge we took when we became members of the SCV. **I hope to see you at our next meeting.**

Bill Elliott



# Heartsill Camp Holds Lee- Jackson Dinner



January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Marshall K of C Hall

Our Camp was honored to have our Commander in Chief Paul Grambling Jr. attend as our keynote speaker and to officially swear in our new officers.

We also had the following 5th Brigade Officers in attendance: Commander Sam Mercer, Lt. Commanders Larry Joe Reynolds and George Litton and Chaplain Jerry Haymes.

Our Camp had Compatriots from Longview, Gilmer and Carthage also attend. C in C Grambling informed us all on the actions and future of the Sons of Confederate Veterans and where we the members are needed to make our future happen.

# In Memory of the Confederate Companies from Harrison County, Texas

2nd Texas Cavalry Co. F “Walter P. Lane Rangers”	Captain Samuel J. Richardson
3rd Texas Cavalry Co A “The Texas Hunters”	Captain T. W. Winston
1st Texas Infantry Co. E “The Marshall Guards”	Captain F. S. Bass
7th Texas Infantry Co. D “Bass Greys”	Captain K M VanZandt
7th Texas Infantry Co. H “Texas Invincibles”	Captain W. B. Hill
17th Texas Cavalry Co. E “Hendricks Company”	Captain S. B. Hendricks
17th Texas Cavalry Co. K “Clough Rangers”	Captain Gil McKay
14th Texas Infantry Co. B “Clough and Hill Avengers”	Captain W. L. Pickens
14th Texas Infantry Co A. “Marshall Mechanics”	Captain N. S. Allen
14th Texas Infantry Co. H “Cypress Tigers”	Captain John Miller
28th Texas Cavalry Co. F “Harrison County Lancers”	Captain Phil Brown
1st Cavalry Regiment Partisian Rangers	Captain Hec McKay
1st Cavalry Regiment Partisian Rangers	Captain S. W. Webb





# Confederate Heroes Day January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## Gregg County Courthouse Lawn



We had 6 members of our Camp attend this event on a very cold January Saturday. Chris & Mike Hurley, Allen Bourne, Pete Craig, Frank Crisp & myself.

## Call To Action:

Compatriots I have found out from the Texas Division that 2 monuments protection Bills have been filed this session of the Texas Legislature. We need to contact our State Senator and our State Representative and ask them for their support of these Bills. At this time they have been filed in the Senate and in the House. We must ask to get them out to committees to at least be discussed. Last Session these Bill died setting in the Calendar Committees. If they do not get out of the Calendar Committee they do not get to the assign committees to get to the Floor for a vote. **It is time for our elected Officials to protect our heritage.**

**House Bill 583 by Representative James White from Woodville** along with **Senate Bill 226 by Senator Pat Fallon from Prosper** both offer protection of monuments erected to honor Veterans on City, County or State property. I will include copies of these Bills for you to study and understand these Bills. I ask that you then call, write or email your Senator or Representative.

The contact info for the Members who represent Harrison County are:

State House Representative District 9 Chris Paddie: 512-463-0556 and his email is **[district9.paddie@house.texas.gov](mailto:district9.paddie@house.texas.gov)**. His personal email is **[chris@chrispaddie.com](mailto:chris@chrispaddie.com)**

State Senator Bryan Hughes District 1: 903-581-1776 or 512-463-0101

**His email is [district1.hughes@senate.texas.gov](mailto:district1.hughes@senate.texas.gov).**

Senate Bill 226 has been assigned to the State Affairs Committee of the Senate and Senator Bryan Hughes is the Vice Chair. Please contact him to kick it on out to the Senate Floor.

You can go online to track these Bills or to make contact with House and Senate Members at the Website **<https://capitol.texas.gov>**



# 4 Star Camp Award

The 4 Star Camp Award recognizes Texas Divisions camps which meet the following criteria:

1. Conduct 11 out of 12 monthly meetings each year.
2. Brigade Commander Recommendation
3. At least 1 member attends both State and National Reunions
4. Camp publishes a monthly newsletter
5. Camp must have a camp website
6. **Dues substantially paid (90% minimum) by September 1, 2018.**

The award is bestowed upon qualifying camps at the State Reunion held each June.

**Let's Win This Award Gentlemen!**

**We are so close!**

**Please get your dues in ASAP!**

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### Confederate Trivia

What Confederate Naval Ship had such a fierce reputation that the U. S. Navy offered a \$500,000 reward for it's capture?

answer: The CSS ALABAMA

### How Do I Join The Sons of Confederate Veterans?

The SCV is the direct heir of the United Confederate Veterans. 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. Membership in the Sons of Confederate Veterans is open to all male descendants of any veteran who served honorably in the Confederate armed forces. 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, but there is no minimum for Cadet membership.