



THE MARSHALL GUARDIAN ***IN MEMORY OF THE*** ***HARRISON COUNTY BOYS***



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

Next Meeting...

Tuesday,

March 19th, 2024

6:30 P.M.

Program:

**1st Lt. Commander Pete
Craig, preparing a Heritage
Defense program.**



Dinner Belle Restaurant

**4803 East End Blvd.
South**

Marshall, TX 75672

Phone:

903-923-9678

Bring a Friend



W. W. Heartsill

2023 Texas Division Superior Camp Winner

2023 SCV, ATM Superior Camp Winner

Compatriots and my Brothers All:

Wow what a busy month. Pete Craig and I went to the TX DV Heritage Defense training at Waco on Feb. 10th. We had Brothers Roger Opiela, Tom Scarborough and Allen Bourne march in the raining Jefferson Mardi Gras parade with other 5th Brigade Compatriots. Karen and I went to Columbia, TN on Feb. 16-18 for the Stephen D. Lee Institute and we got to visit the SCV National Museum and Headquarters. How impressive it is. On the way home I stopped in Meridian MS and checked on my ancestors graves and reflagged Lt. I. Q. Perry. On Feb. 24th I went to the Reunion of the Decedents of Confederate Veterans and we had a bus tour of Camp Mabry Museum, the Texas Capital grounds, the old location of the Confederate Widow's Home and finally the Texas State Cemetery the final resting place of Texas Heroes and leaders. At our Camp meeting Compatriots Hart, Owen and Joey Hudson showed us the projects they conducted for their final requirements to obtain Eagle Scout achievement on March 10th. I am so proud of our Scouts, and all our Camp members. We are doing our best to honor our Ancestors!

Bill Elliott, Commander, at your service.



Camp Meeting February 20th. Pictures by Albert Colvin



New lighting made a difference



Compatriot Hart Hudson



Compatriot Owen Hudson



Jefferson Davis Award



Compatriots from the Gen Taylor Camp 1308 Shreveport LA.



Pete and I with ATM Commander.
J.C. Hanna



Lt. CinC Donny Kennedy, our April program



Ronald Kennedy SCV Heritage Defense



With TX DV Commander Hurley

Texas Heritage Defense Training Feb. 10th, Waco, Texas. The 5th Brigade had Albert Colvin of Longview, Bill Starnes of Gilmer and Pete Craig and I from Marshall. We learned a lot of information to come back and share in the Brigade. We never know when we will be challenged again to take away our Heritage because someone was offended. We must be prepared by having a local plan. We need to be like the Boy Scout's motto "Be Prepared".



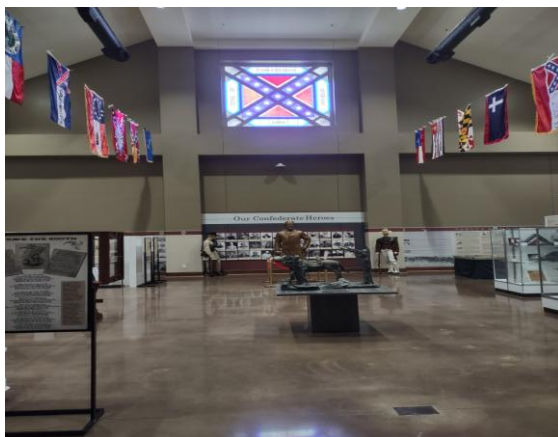
Jefferson Mardi Gras 2024



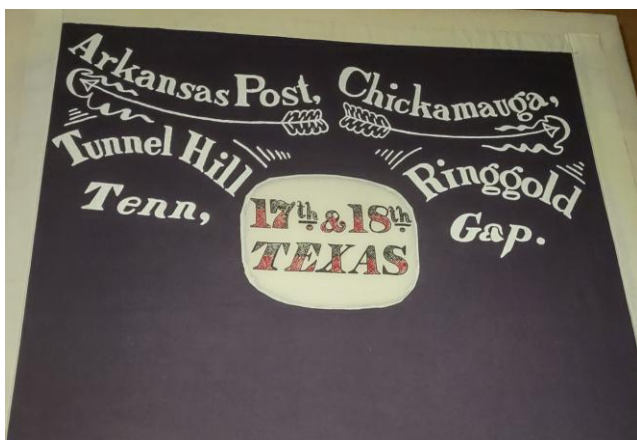
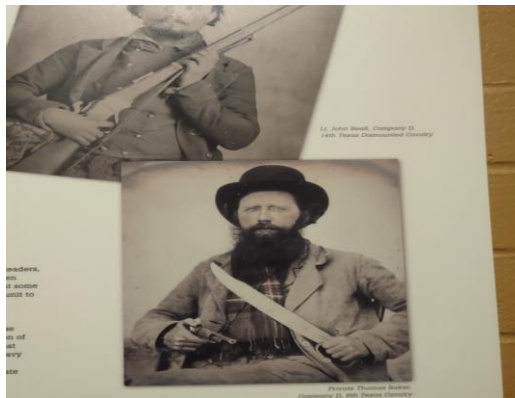
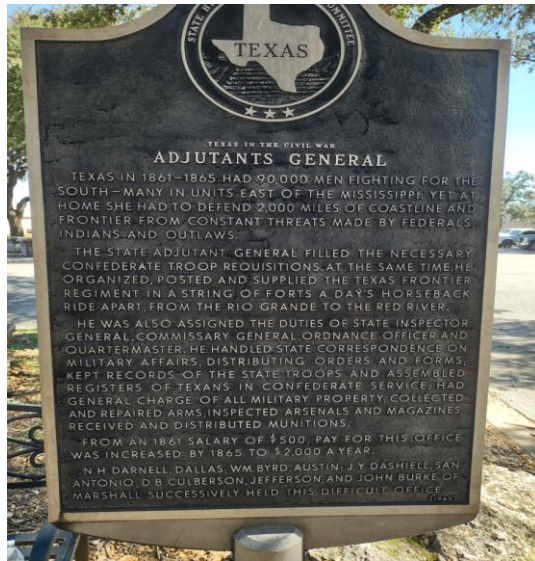
SCV National Confederate Museum, Columbia, Tennessee



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Camp Mabry's Texas National Guard Museum, Austin



Texas Capital Grounds



Confederate Memorial South Lawn

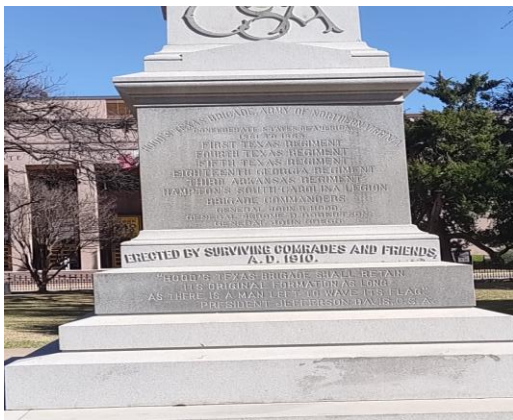


CAV Terry's Texas Rangers South Lawn

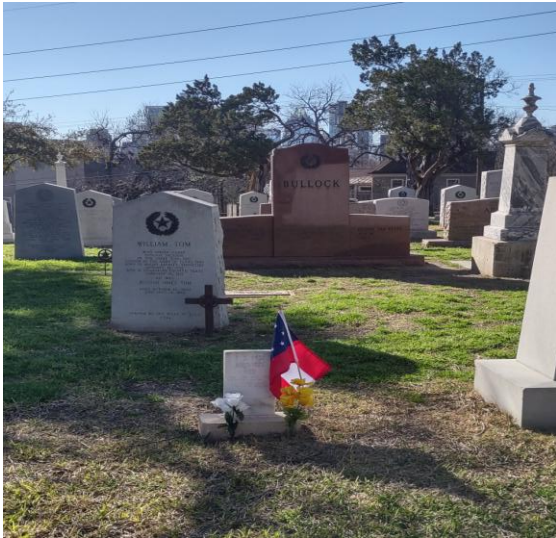


Hood's Association Monument

TX



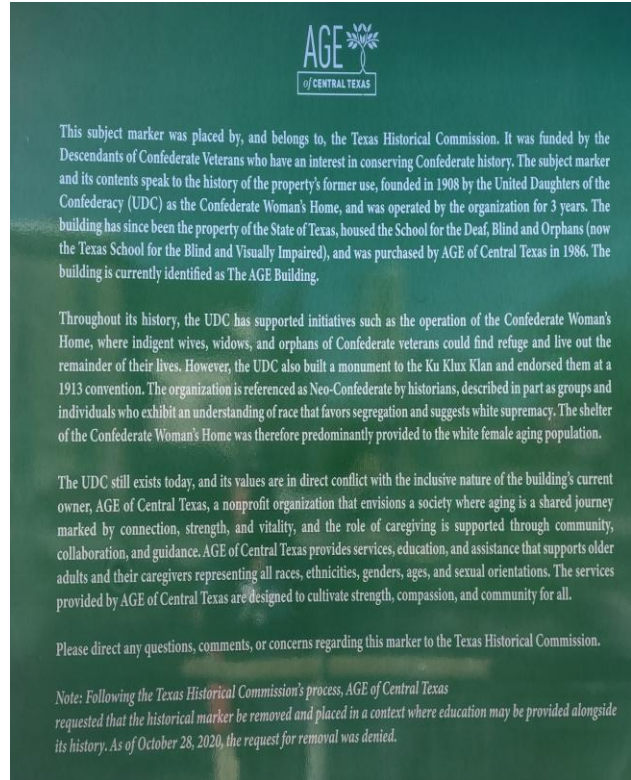
Texas State Cemetery, 909 Navasota @ E. 7th, Austin, TX



BG/ Col. F.S. Bass, CO. E. 1st Texas

Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston

I had the honor to visit the grave of BG F.S. Bass commander of the 1st Texas Inf. at the surrender at Appomattox. Bass was the Captain of Co. E, 1st Texas “Marshall Guards” and was President of Marshall University before the War and returned to his job after the War. He is buried between Gen William Read Scurry and Gen. Benjamin McCulloch. Lt. Gov. Bob Bulloch is behind him and Stephen F Austin is 15 feet in front of Gen. Bass. Compared to the huge tombstones around him all he has is this 24 by 24 marker that has Col. T. S. Bass not BG F. S. Bass. If there is ever a man more deserving of a better marker it is Fredrick Samuel Bass. I was honored to place a flag and flowers on his grave to remember him but had to remove them due to WOKE cemetery people not allowing such items. There are over 2000 Confederate soldiers and their wives buried at the Texas State Cemetery



The Confederate Woman's home was opened in 1903 at W. 38th @ Cedar St in Austin. In 1908 a new home was built and later a Hospital was built and opened to care for the Widows of Confederate Veterans. It closed in 1963 after the last widow died. I was acquired by the AGE of Central Texas a program to help the elderly with all kinds of care which are subsidized by tax dollars. They did not like the Historical marker in the yard of this building so they covered it with black trash bags and the fight began. The Capital City Chapter of the Descendants of Confederate Veteran along with the Texas UDC successfully fought this group before the Texas Historical Commission during the begging of COVID. All hearing were conducted on ZOOM and it was brought to light that AGE in secret emails to their Board wanted to remove the marker and tear the build down. After losing to the Commission they placed this green sign to show what a bunch of WOKE had to cry about being told NO. Great job DCV and UDC,



ARMY OF THE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL SCV EVENT SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024

**Mansfield State Historic Site
15149 LA-175, Mansfield, LA 71052
10am - 3pm**

**The Army of the Trans-Mississippi invites you to the
1st Annual ATM National SCV Event!**

Guest Speakers include:

- **Scott Dearman, Mansfield Site Manager (ret.)**
- **Charles Lauret, ATM Councilman**
- **Dr. John Goddard**
- **Chuck McMichael, Past SCV Commander in Chief**

Music will be provided by The Pine Knotz!

**Mark your calendars today for this
Historic Event to commemorate the
160th Anniversary of the Battle of Mansfield
& 125 years of the Louisiana Division.**


**Admission \$4. The fee is for everyone over 12 & under 62.
This includes the museum. Please bring a chair for the event. You may
also bring a small cooler for snacks & drinks. Parking will be in Mansfield with buses for attendees.**


**For more information please contact ATM Commander JC Hanna, 318-560-7076
or Louisiana Division Commander Brian McClure, 318-480-1948.**





Confederate Heritage Month Celebration and Picnic!





Come Celebrate Confederate Heritage Month!

- Blanco State Park is located to the South of Blanco, TX at 101 Park Road 23, Blanco, TX 78606
- Location is 1 hr drive from SA, and Austin, 2 hrs from Waco, 3.5 hrs from Houston, and 4 hrs from Dallas.
- The historic CCC built Picnic Pavillon sits on the banks overlooking the beautiful spring fed Blanco River
- Enjoy the Texas Hill Country in the Spring time.
- Hiking, fishing, and bird watching!
- Camping and RV Hook Ups are available
- Pavillon features a playground, kitchen with stove, refrigerator, and large bbq grill on site.
- Bring your favorite Dish for an old fashioned potluck!
- Important Note: \$5.00 entrance fee per person is required for entry to the park (children under the age of 12 are free).

April 20, 2024
Save the Date!
Blanco State Park
Blanco, TX
Lunch at 12 Noon



YOU ARE INVITED TO
ATTEND THE
EAGLE SCOUT
COURT OF HONOR
FOR

Owen Hudson & Hart Hudson

SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2024
2:00 PM

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

501 INDIAN SPRINGS RD.
MARSHALL, TEXAS 75672

Reception to Follow

3rd Annual Trans-Mississippi Raid on the Border 2024

April 25th - April 28th

Johnson Creek Park, Lake O' The Pines

143 Crestwood Park Rd., Avinger, Texas 75630

NOTE: NO OPEN CARRY IN THE PARK

Registration: \$70 - Includes T-Shirt, Ride Patch, Breakfast and Supper Friday and Saturday. Lunch on Saturday hosted by Major General Thomas L. Rosser Camp #2311/ Cost is \$10.00

Name: _____ SCVMC# _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone # _____

SCVMC Battalion & Company: _____

T-shirt size: S M L XL 2X 3X 4X

Deadline to guarantee your shirt size is March 1st. Registrations after March 1st and registering at the event may result in not having your shirt size on hand. Please register early.

Additional Event Shirt- \$25 (sizes S thru L) \$28 (XL-4X) \$ _____

Non-SCVMC Event Shirt \$25 (sizes S thru L) \$28 (XL-4X) \$ _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

There will be Motorcycle Games, a 50/50, and an Auction. We have also invited various vendors to join our event.

Headcount needed for Saturday events. _____

Number in party- _____

**Make Checks Payable and send registration to:
Mechanized Calvary, 1st Battalion, Company C
3621 Pottsboro Road, #271, Denison, Texas 75020**



More information can be found on Texas Division website

Make plans now to attend the

2024 SCV National Reunion

in Historic Charleston, South Carolina

July 16 thru 20, 2024

Featured tours will include:



160th Anniversary!
H.L. Hunley Submarine Tour
The World's First Successful Combat Submarine Mission!



Fort Sumter Tour in Charleston Harbor
First shots in the War Between the States fired here!

HOST HOTEL & CONVENTION CENTER
Embassy Suites Airport Hotel & Convention Center
5055 International Boulevard
North Charleston, South Carolina, 29418
Special SCV Room Rate of **\$149 / Night** + tax
Free Airport Shuttle Available

HOSTED BY:
SCV Secession Camp #4 - Charleston, SC
Check our website for updates
and registration forms: www.scv4.org/2024/
Questions? Email: support@scv4.org
Mail: SCV 4, P.O. Box 1049 Ladson, SC 29456-1049

More information on the SCV website



Sons of Confederate Veterans

Louisiana Division

125th Reunion

May 17-18, 2024 Shreveport, La



Greetings Compatriots,

The Lt Gen Richard Taylor Camp 1308 is honored to host the 125th Anniversary Reunion of the Louisiana Division. The reunion will be held in Shreveport, La , the Last Confederate Capitol of Louisiana. Also headquarters of the Army of Trans-Mississippi. The host hotel is adjacent to the site of the residence of Gen Kirby-Smith.

The camp is hard at work planning an enjoyable and meaningful event. We hope you all make plans to attend. On the following pages are the needed forms.

Host hotel: Holiday Inn Downtown Shreveport
102 Lake Street, Shreveport, LA 71101 318-222-7717

A block of rooms has been set up for May 18 & 19
The group code is LCV Reservation Cut Off Date: May 10th, 2024
Room Rates Kings w/o taxes Rooms Rate @\$125
Queens w/o taxes @ \$135

Hope to see you all there---

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In Memory of the Confederate Companies from Harrison County, Texas

2nd Texas Cavalry Co. F “Walter P. Lane Rangers”	Captain Sam 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 Van Zandt
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 Partisans Rangers	Captain Hec McKay





March 10th: Eagle Scout Award ceremony. Cumberland PC 2 pm
March 16th: Marker Dedication old Hallsville Cemetery 11AM
April 6th: ATM gathering Mansfield Battlefield.
April 20th: Texas Division History celebration, Blanco State Park.
2024 Texas 127th SCV Reunion:
June 7th-9th Double Tree, San Antonio Airport.
129th SCV National Reunion
July 16th-22nd. North Charleston, SC.

We will be passing the Bucket at our meetings for the Flag replacement fund and for the marker for Col. Burke.

The "I cant pay off my student loan" starter pack...



2023 Camp Leadership

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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.