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Lee-Bourland Camp 1848

Newsletter



### Commander's Note:

April is usually the start of good weather and that brings the uniforms out of the closets. And this past April was no exception to this. The Camp had plenty to do. The 1st Sunday was a Historical Marker ceremony. The Medal of Honor Parade the next Saturday with Fairview Cemetery Memorial service the next Saturday. Then Cowboy Day at Frontier Village in Denison the last Saturday with Greenwood Cemetery Memorial Service on the last Sunday of the month to round it all out. All of these events went well with good participation.

And if that wasn't enough, the Camp voted to move the monthly meeting to the Woolf Den Family Restaurant, 1901 W. California / FM 51. The date & time to stay the same.

The Camp has a Chaplain now, I am proud to say; Tim Scott. He opened his mouth that he had been recently ordained, and the membership voted him into the position of Camp Chaplain. Of course he accepted the office, because he is a good guy.



Any new members? Well, I am glad you asked. We have Ronnie Montgomery & Tyler Alec Scott as full members.

And now we have Truman Lee Scott, Tucker Dwayne Scott, & Trevor Ray Scott as Cadets in our Camp. Welcome aboard, brothers.



### **Coming Events:**

- 3-4 May Battle of Port Jefferson, TX
- 3 May Bonham Frontier Days Bonham, TX
- 15 May Lee-Bourland Camp meeting at The Woolf Den Family Restaurant 1901 W. California St. Gainesville, TX
- 24 May Decatur-Maxwell-Murphy Cemetery Dedication

  Murphy, TX 9 AM set up
- 31 May SCV Training Day 4th Brigade Hosting Gainesville, TX
- 6-8 Jun TX Div SCV State Reunion Houston, TX
- 16-19 Jul SCV National Reunion N. Charleston, SC
- 23 Aug Wesley Chapel Rd. Cemetery Dedication

  Jacksboro, TX 10 AM



That's our new Chaplain; Tim Scott with our youngest Full Member - Tyler Alec Scott

And our three new Cadets—Truman Lee Scott, Trevor Ray Scott, & Tucker Dwayne Scott

The fellow to the right is SCV member Bob Rubel visiting from the Terry's Texas Rangers Camp #1937 in

Cleburne, TX. Bob is known for doing things like the beautiful framing work in the middle.





At go to press time, I'm sorry to say I did not have a picture of our new member from the swearing in ceremony.
But I have to say, Ronnie Montgomery sure looks right smart in that cavalry uniform marching in the Medal of Honor Parade carrying the 11th Texas Cavalry unit battle flag. Uh rawh!



**Medal of Honor Parade**? I'm glad you asked. The following pictures tell the tale!





Of course the Yankees were there. They are everywhere, everyone knows that!



We brought our women also. They were much prettier in their southern bell dresses.





Nothing like a parade to make people step out. Like this roughrider above. Is that Ken King? No, that's Teddy Roosevelt, everybody knows that.













And here were the ladies practicing their waving skills.



### FAIRVIEW CEMETERY MEMORIAL SERVICE 2014

Post Colors



Talk



Cmdr. Charlie Waters &

Camp Member Reynolds Ansley



Cmdr. Charlie Waters







Cmdr Charlie Waters giving descendant presentation (Pvt. William F. Newton) to 2nd Lt. Norman Newton



Judy Flowers, Peggy Widmer, Linda Turner, Carla Waters, Sue Ann Kinsey, Angie Hare



4th Brigade Commander Joe White

TSOCR Sue Ann Kinsey





Black Rose Angie Hare

Black Rose Linda Turner



John Gallahan & his "Boys" were there to Salute as well





AND THE MUSKET SALUTE SQUAD LEAD BY 4TH BRIGADE CMDR. JOE WHITE HELD THE LINE.





Opening & closing prayer by Dr. Richard Lee Montgomery
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# Civil War re-enactors put on a show at Frontier Village



NATE STRAUGH / HERALD DEMOCRAT

Firing his replica pistol from horseback, one of several Civil War reenactors takes part in a skit at Frontier Village in Denison Saturday BY NATE STRAUCH HERALD DEMOCRAT

Charles Waters leaned against the porch column of a chrea-1880s log cabin at Dentson's Francier Village Saturday afternoon, his thick white mustache, worn strew hat and 1861 Spring field musket completing the pleture quite nicely. Waters lowed with a few of his follow Civil War reenacturs, mastling some gunpowder down the Springfield's barrel as the tongue for cheek chest thumping escalated.

A few minutes later the first shot rang out, followed in quick succession—not to be confused with secession, mind you—by a dozen others. When the smoke cleared, one man key prestrate, his trusty steed looking more than a little annoyed at all the commotion.

The small show by a handful of Civil War reenactors was something of a warm-up, explained Currist Dgle, a 21-year veteran of the historical entertainment skirmishes.

"This is basically our forerunner to our main event, which will be the last weekend in October," explained Ogle. "(Oct.) 24th is for the school kids and the 25th will be for the main event; there will be reenactors, a cannon, horses, some of our mounted guys."

There may have been only

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### **VIL WAR:** re-enactors work at Frontier Village

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eight reenactors in attendance Saturday, but the crowd didn't seem to mind. Families visiting the village and a steady stream of school children from the nearby archery event provided the troupe. with a daylong supply of smiling faces.

"I've been doing this since 1975," said Gary Bray, a Furney resident who traveled north to take part in the event. "It's just fun; good friends and good times. And we enjoy coming out to museums like this, to help them because they always need money. So it helps their ticket sales, helps them keep up the village, the buildings and the grounds."

While the actors meniloned unanimously how enjoyable the oftenmunthly events were on a personal level, the skits have a much deeper meaning for many

"I've got 40 something Confederate relatives that fought in the Civil War, and my wife has over 50 Confederate veterans in her family," said Bray. "We're trying to teach the history to folks. It's been 150 years and a lot of people don't understand why we went to war and they don't understand the cutcome of it, and they sure don't understand the bravery of the men who served.

"The wars that we fight today, if you have 20 men killed on any given day, it's a horrible situation. In the War Between the States, they had 20,000 men killed in 15 minutes; it's unbelievable, the carnage. Those cuys didn't break and run: they're some of the bravest people I've ever heard of."

Ogle, too, emphasized the importance of historical accuracy during the reenactments.

"Civil War reenacting is about honoring those who sacrificed, gave everything they had for their beliefs," said Ogle. "Whether it's the right belief or the wrong belief doesn't matter. They poured their heart into it and they were willing to sacrifice their own life. So it's up to us as living historians to honor those men who gave everything.

Asked whether it was tough to don the Union blue, what with so much Confederate blood in his veins. Bray smiled.

"Most of us actually have both uniforms. We show up and then we have a council of war and we try to figure out how many guys we have, and if it's too lopsided then we ask the guys to do what call 'galvanizing,' which means turn coats, wear the other uniform.

"But that's why they call it 'reenacting;' if you look in the middle of that word, it says it right there, we're just here to 'act.' We're just trying to carry on what happened to the soldiers."

Looks like our adventures of Cowboy Days at Frontier Village Loy Lake Park Denison, TX.

This is how the press saw it and reported the fun we all had there.

This months' news article is the joy that the "Lindsay Letter and Muenster Enterprise" this past week put the Leonard Park Statue in the "Visitors and Newcomers Guide." And I say good for them. And this recognition was brought to the attention of OZZY the editor by our 2nd Lt. Cmdr. Norman Newton.

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# Gainesville

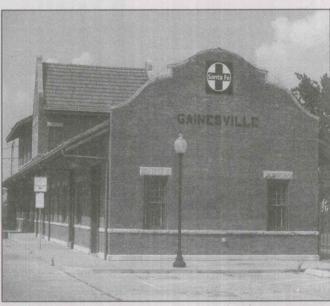


Photo by Austin Lewter

The Santa Fe Passenger Depot in Gainesville was built in 1902 to handle the increased traffic on the Gulf, Colorado, and Santa Fe Railroads. The red brick structure contained a Harvey House Restaurant until 1931, and now serves as an Amtrak Station.

### POPULATION

16,002

#### LOCATION

- Located at the intersection of Interstate 35 and US Hwy 82.
   31 miles north of Denton
- 31 miles north of Denton
- 35.5 miles west of Sherman

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campuses including Gainesville
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Elementary, W.E. Chalmers
Elementary, Robert E. Lee
Intermediate, Gainesville
Middle School, Gainesville High
School, Margaret Galubenski
Achievement Center, and
Gainesville Alternative Ed.

Administration Building 800 S. Morris Street (940) 665-4362



Members and Their Confederate Ancestor

Ansley, Reynolds: Pvt David Andrew Johnson Co K 39th Inf AL

Armstrong, Chad & Charles: Col Jms G Bourland TX Border Rgt 8th Cv Red River of TX

Bloodworth, Gary: Pvt Daniels S Bloodworth Co B 14th Cv TX

Boyer, David: Pvt David G Wilkins Co E Ham's Rgt Cv MS

Cassidy, Bill: (Father side) Pvt Hugh Cassidy (GGF) Co F 26th Inf SC

(Mother side) Jerimiah Hurst (GGGF) 8<sup>th</sup> Cv GA

Davis, Brian: Pvt Josiah Davis Brannen's Co 12th Wrght's Cv State GDS GA

Dillard, Robert: Pvt Wm Reece Bourland Co H 9th Cv TX

Dunbar, Thomas: Pvt Thomas Goodrich Dunbar Co B 14th Inf TN

Epperson, Lloyd: Pvt Leander Molinton Epperson Co D 2nd Mounted Rifles AK

Fenner, Farrell & Jameson: Pvt Houston Warren Roberts Co F 16th Inf AL

Hamilton, Gary: Pvt Jms Thomas Victory Co D 1st WP Lane's Partsan's Rangers TX

Herman, James: Sgt Wm M Hermann Co G 6<sup>th</sup> Inf AL

Montgomery, Ronnie L: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. John Calvin Montgomery, SR. 1<sup>st</sup> Mounted Rifles TX

Newton, Norman: Pvt Charles Samuel Newton, Capt Jms P Douglas' Co An TX

Tyler SCV Camp's namesake is Jms P Douglas who is from Tyler, TX

Peek, James: Pvt Jms W Peak Co F 8th Dibrell's Cv TN

Reed, David: Pvt Rueben Blankenship Co D 18th Inf AL

Reed, Hunter: Pvt Michael Lorance 2nd Co Cv TN

Riley, Bill: Pvt Wm Chisum Co A 38th Inf TN consolidated to 22nd Batt

Roundtree, Bob: Pvt Jesse Ballard Roundtree Co E Morgan's Rgt Cv TX

Scott, Timothy: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt Joseph B Scott Co E 10<sup>th</sup> Cv MO

Scott, Tyler Alec:  $2^{nd}$  Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E  $10^{th}$  Cv MO

Scott, Truman Lee, Cadet: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E 10<sup>th</sup> Cv M

Scott, Tucker Dwayne, Cadet: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E 10<sup>th</sup> Cv MO

Scott, Trevor Ray, Cadet: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E 10<sup>th</sup> Cv MC

Thompson, Johnny: Pvt Wm Rufus Sypert Co E 2<sup>nd</sup> Inf TX

Tisdale, Wm: Sgt Augustus Wm Atwood Co G 8th Inf MS

Waters, Charles: (Father side) Pvt Jms Manning Waters Co G 47th Inf GA

(Mother side) 5<sup>th</sup> Sgt George Mosley Aston Co C 9<sup>th</sup> Inf TX

White, Joe: Capt Mack Wilson Loyd Co H 5th Cv AL

Attention Members: Please take note that the Lee-Bourland Camp # 1848 monthly meeting place has CHANGED.

Our Future meetings will take place at "The Woolf Den Family Restaurant." 1901 W. California St. / FM 51 Toward Decatur, TX

The CHANGE was voted into effect by the membership at the April 17, 2014 meeting. The CHANGE Is in effect from this date forward.

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Chap.- Tim Scott

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7PM

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MORE NEWS NEXT MONTH

THE END