

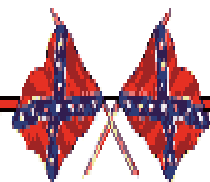
Border Patrol

Volume 2, Issue 12

December 22, 2014

Lee-Bourland Camp 1848

Newsletter



Commander's Note:

First off, I hope everyone who reads this newsletter and has a tender thought about another person in the world, a Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

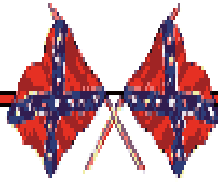
Ozzie, the editor, informed me that he had no calls with the correct answer as to where last months front page picture was taken. I guessed, The Bower, but he said I was to late. What a hard pa-tootee he is. What's "The Bower?"

The Bower is an 1806 Federal style building in Jefferson county, W.VA. The land property and main house have passed down from Gen. Stephen, of American Revolutionary War fame, since 1753. Then in 1833 to grandchild Adam Stephen Dandridge II. Early in the 20th century to Episcopal Bishop Edmund Pendleton Dandridge who 's family retains ownership of the property today. But, it's Sept 28, 1862 to Oct 10, 1862 that interested me. That was the time frame that Major General J.E.B. Stuart set up headquarters there with invitation from Adam Stephen Dandridge II. Gen. Stuart's staff included Generals Wade

Hampton and Fitzhugh Lee.



So Ozzie took the prize \$ and bought himself a new Christmas outfit.



Coming Events:

Jan 15 2015 Lee-Bourland Camp # 1848 monthly meeting & officer elections

Jan 17 2015 Ft. Worth Stock Show Parade, for riding in carriage contact Jack Dyess 817 946 2099
For walking contact James Turnage 817 297 2987

Jan 18 2015 Confederate Heroes Day by UDC Mid-Cities Bluebonnet #2429
Watson Cemetery, 1024 N. Watson Rd. (SH 360) Arlington, TX 2 PM

Jan 18 2015 Confederate Heroes Day, Oakwood Cemetery, Ft.Worth, TX

Jan 25 2015 Col. Reeves Grave Rededication Georgetown Cemetery, Pottsboro, TX 2 PM

Feb 6-7 2015 S.D.Lee Institute, Double Tree Hotel Dallas, TX, Brag Bowling-Director
804-389-3620 or www.StephenDLeeInstitute.com for registration & info

Feb 14 2015 Sweetheart Soiree, First State Bank Conf. Center Gainesville, TX

Mar 1 2015 Cross of Honor Service, Old Concord Cemetery on FM 118 N. of
Greenville, TX 10:30 AM contact Adj. Charley Smith 903 456 2609 for more details

Mar 21 2015 CV Memorial Service Midway Memorial Cemetery Tyler, TX

Apl 11 2015 Medal of Honor Parade, Gainesville, TX 10 AM

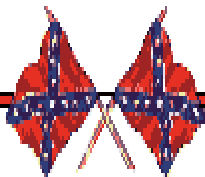
Apl 18 2015 CV Memorial, Fairview Cemetery, Gainesville, TX 2 PM

Apl 26 2015 Confederate Memorial Day by UDC Dallas 6 Greenwood Cemetery, Dallas, TX

May 8-9 2015 Sesquicentennial Confederate Seminar & related education activities focusing on
TX & the end of the War. SCV Camp #415 & Hodge-Martin-Chatfield Historical
Museum Ennis, TX

Jun 5-7 2015 SCV TX Division Reunion Temple, TX

Jul 9-12 2015 SCV National Reunion Richmond, VA



Sweetheart Soiree

Saturday, February 14, 2015

5:30 Social

*6-9PM Dinner, Period Dance,
Prize Drawings*

Tickets \$30.00 Per Person

First State Bank

837 E. California St./Gainesville, Texas

Period Dress or after 5 attire

*Bring your own adult
drinks if you choose*

*Benefitting Confederate
Statue Restoration-Leonard Park/Gainesville*

*Hosted by the Red River Rose Order of Confederate
Rose Chapter 52 & Lee-Bourland Camp No. 1848 Sons
of Confederate Veterans*

Reservations due Friday, February 1st

contact Linda Turner 903-271-1165
or email lindaturner@beckgroup.com

Checks payable : Lee-Bourland Camp#1848 SCV
Mail to: Linda Turner 1621 S. Maurice Ave./Derison, TX 85020

America's first images of Santa Clause came upon a midnight clear in 1862. They were created by the illustrator and journalist Thomas Nast. I know, I know, again credit to be given to a yankee. But it's true folks. Thomas Nast was born in Landau Germany Sept. 27, 1840. About 1846 his family immigrated to New York City. Thomas landed a job in 1855 doing illustrations for Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper. Then some years later joined the staff of Harper's Weekly, (New York City of course.) He was with Harper's Weekly during the war years of 1861-1865. He was given the task of "cheering up the children" during the second Christmas of the war. He has been given credit for putting America's Santa into the jolly fat man red suit from the north pole that children could even write letters to. In 1886 Thomas left Harper's Weekly. In 1902 he was appointed general counsel to Ecuador. While in that country, he contracted yellow fever and died on Dec.7, 1902.

Thomas Nast Illustrator and Journalist

Father of the American Cartoon

1840—1902





First images, not so appealing to the eye.



Later Santa's much more cozy.

HARPER'S WEEKLY
Vol. XLV. New York, Saturday, December 20, 1902—Illustrated Section No. 1000
Copyright, 1902, by Harper & Brothers. All rights reserved.

THOMAS NAST
Born in Landau, Bavaria, September 27, 1840. Died of yellow fever in Guayaquil, Ecuador, December 7, 1902

Photograph by Peter Reichardt, photographer of 1902

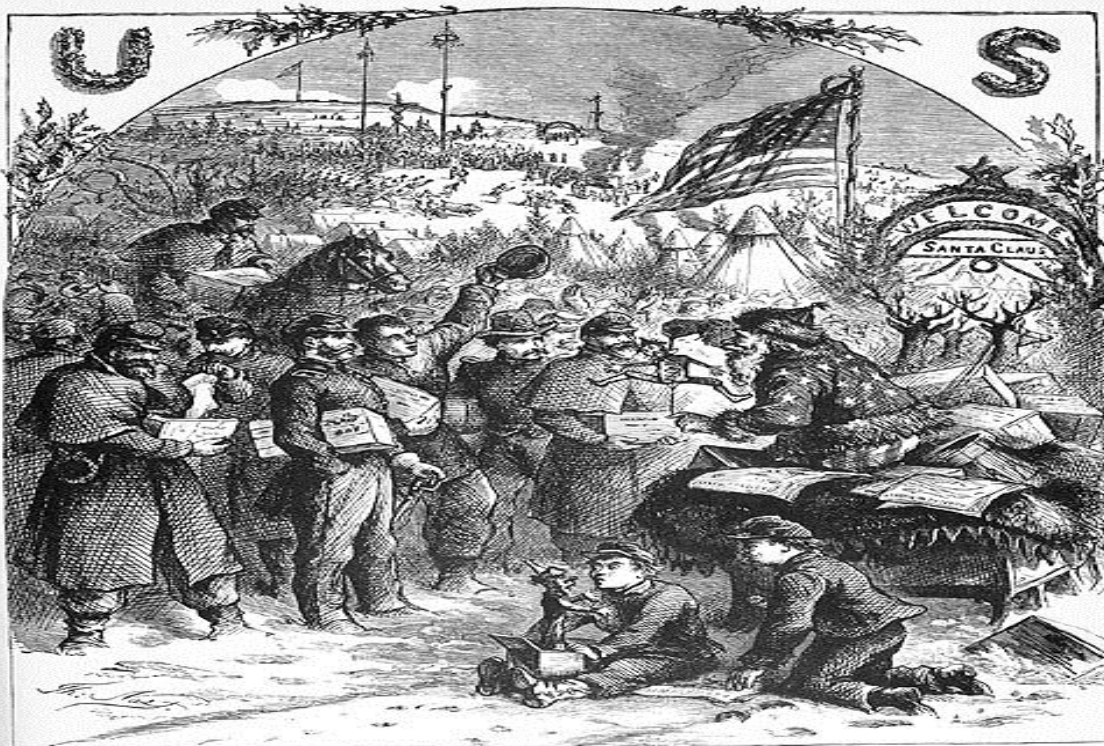


Th: Nast.

**Market House
Vicksburg, MS. Photo taken by
Wash. Photographic Gallery, housed
above Tillmans Saddlery, Dec. 1862**



Stress and worry at Christmas is nothing new



Christmas in Camp.

Christmas for the North was a lot different with Santa draped in "Ole Glory" handing out gifts to the northern aggressors.

Also Thomas Nast's Illustration and illusion.

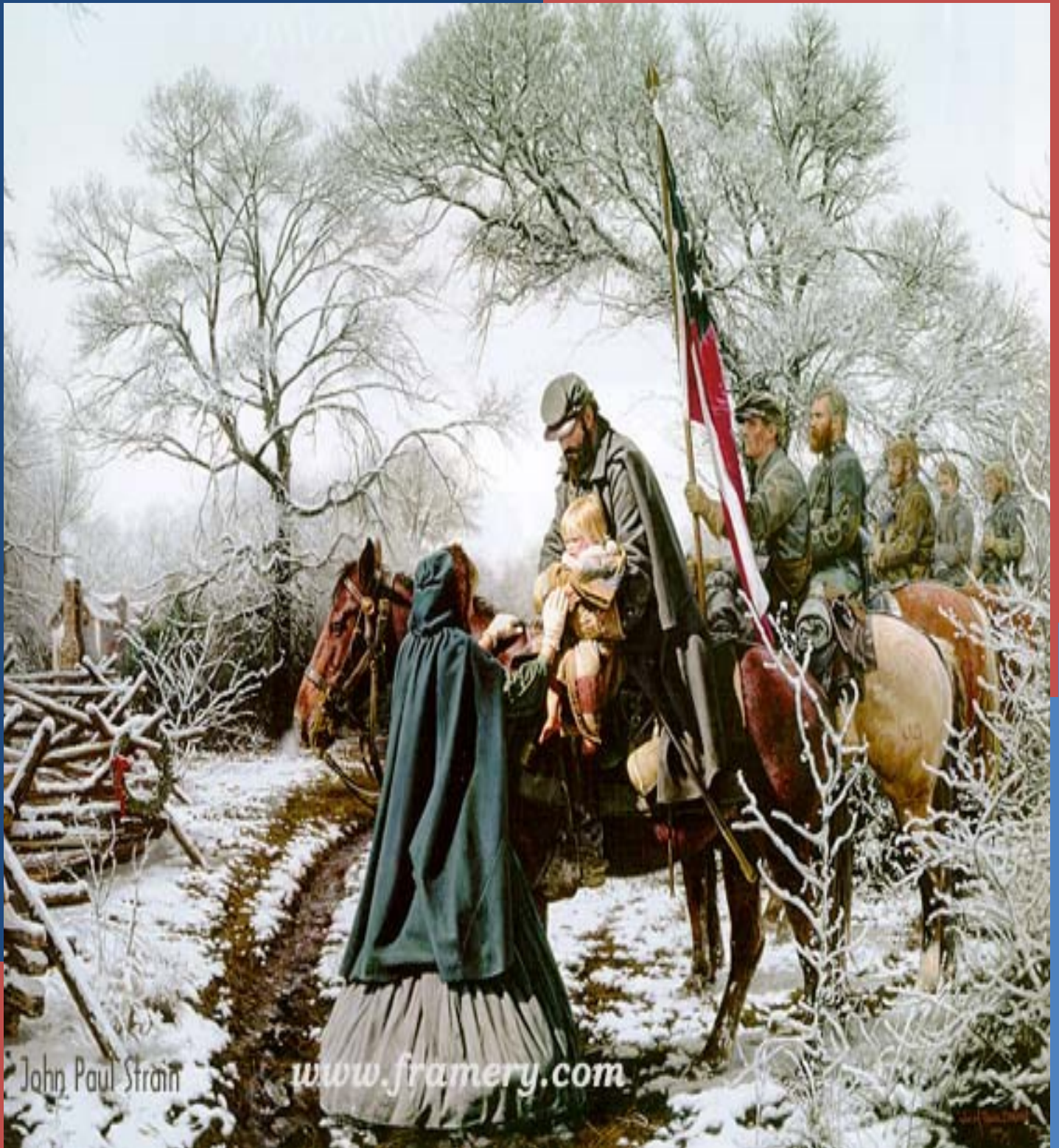


And Happy New Year!

It is documented fact that Gen. Lee & Gen. S. Jackson had faith and prayed to Almighty God. It is not widely known or a seemingly important part of political history though. I for one, being a military veteran, believe that there is divine intervention going on all the time. And especially during war.



This is probably not what Robert E. Lee had envisioned his front lawn looking like when he had thoughts of being home someday after the war's end. **But** such as it is with fellow West Pointer's and all being Americans, let's hold our U.S. Military personal in our hearts & prayers this Christmas to come home alive.



Christmas Blessing A young woman asks General Jackson to pray for her child Martinsburg, VA. Winter 1862. By John Paul Strain

It's winter, it's Christmas, it's Confederate Cavalry, it's a young mother asking a military figurehead to pray for her child. I like it and I told Ozzie, the editor, I was putting it in the newsletter.

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) 8th 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 Partisan's Rangers TX

Herman, James: Sgt Wm M Hermann Co G 6th Inf AL

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

Newton, Norman: Pvt Charles Samuel Newton, Capt Jms P Douglas' Co Art 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: 2nd Lt Joseph B Scott Co E 10th Cv MO

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

Scott, Truman Lee, Cadet: 2nd Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E 10th Cv MO

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

Scott, Trevor Ray, Cadet: 2nd Lt. Joseph B Scott Co E 10th Cv MO

Thompson, Johnny: Pvt Wm Rufus Sybert Co E 2nd Inf TX

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

Waters, Charles: (Father side) Pvt Jms Manning Waters Co G 47th Inf GA
(Mother side) 5th Sgt George Mosley Aston Co C 9th Inf TX

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

Williams III, George E: Pvt Shelton Linzey Rutherford Co C Terry's Reg 1st Cav TX



Gainesville, TX Cooke

Lee-Bourland Camp #1848

Cmdr. Charlie Waters 940-665-8502

crwaters@swbell.net

1st Lt – Lloyd Epperson

2nd Lt – Norman Newton

Adj. Joe White 940-902-1393

Meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 7 PM

The Woolf Den Family Restaurant

1901 W California St / Hwy 51

Gainesville, Texas 940-665-9653



Border Patrol is the official newsletter for the Sons of Confederate Veterans Lee-Bourland Camp 1848 and is intended for the sole purpose of keeping the camp members and friends of the camp informed to the activities and news of Camp 1848. Statements in this newsletter are those of the author and may not reflect the opinions of the Lee-Bourland Camp, Texas Division, National Sons of Confederate Veterans or the editor. Within articles or quotes written by outside authors mistakes in spelling, grammar or sentence structure are strictly those of the author and may be left as is.



SEE YA'LL IN THE FIELD

MORE NEWS NEXT MONTH

THE END