# Border Patrol





Commander's Note

December was a time to be with friends and family. There were parades, parties and family festivities to attend. The Valley View, TX Christmas Parade Dec 1 was a hoot. The Gainesville, TX Christmas Parade was postponed then cancelled altogether because of the "Ice Storm". We all kept our fingers crossed that the roads would be clear for the 4th Brigade Christmas Party in McKinney, TX. They were and a good time was had by all. Catfish Louie's



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bumped the Lee-Bourland Camp out of our regular meeting room to a smaller one. We had to scramble for another place. We relocated the meeting and party to The Wolff Den. The Red River Rose's helped. The meetings and party worked out well.

I don't know about any one else, but I had 11 people, 3 dogs and 2 cats running through my house at one time during the holidays. That was a hoot. A lot of laughs till ya pee. That's what life's about.

#### Coming Events:

- Jan? Col. Reeves Grave Dedication Georgetown, TX (No date at press time)
- Jan 19 Confederate Heroes Day 2 P.M.
  Pecan Grove Cemetery Chapel
  Mckinney, TX
- Feb 1 R.R.Rose Chapt # 52 OCR meeting Gainesville, TX
- Mar 1 Lee-Bourland Camp & Red River Rose Chapter Sweetheart Soiree, Civic Center Gainesville, TX
- Mar 11 CV grave survey'n program by Rocky Sprott Stonewall Jackson Cp # 901 mo. meeting Smokehouse BBQ, 1123 Ft. Worth Dr. Denton, TX
- Apl 12 Medal of Honor Parade Gainesville, TX
- Apl 19 Fairview Cemetery. CV Graves Dedication 2 P.M. Gainesville, TX



"It is history that teaches us to hope." Robert E. Lee

Letter to Lt. Col. Charles Marshall, September 1870

# Valley View Christmas Parade

People attending: Norman & Perlene Newton

Lloyd & Elida Epperson, John & Melissa Gallahan, Reynolds Ansley, Linda Cassidy, Angie Hare, Helen McIllwain, Kaci Pena, Charlie Waters, Joe White, & Peggy Widmer



Merry Christmas

Oh, yeah! And this Southern Patriot & his lovely Southern Bell covered our retreat.







### 4th Brigade Christmas Party





Our 1st Lt. Lloyd Epperson & Div.Cmdr. Johnnie Holley did not let the food table escape.

This is Brian Davis & Charlie Waters asleep while Sue Ann Kinsey presents a thank you gift to our speaker for the evening Rose-Mary Rumbley. Rose-Mary has some funny stories about the "6 Flags

Over Texas".



Our 1st Lt. TX Div., David Moore (the one with the goatee) has a lot of great candid shots of the 4th Brigade Christmas Party. You can check them all out at http://www.southernlegacy.org/Southern Legacy/4th Bdge Christmas Party.html



Ozzy, the editor says I did not leave room for a story this month.

So, I'll have a story next month. I promise.

Members and Their Confederate Ancestor

Ansley, Reynolds: Pvt. David Andrew Johnson Co K, 39<sup>th</sup> Inf. AL

Armstrong, Chad & Charles: Col. James G. Bourland TX Border Rgt. Cav. Red River TX

Cassidy, Bill: (Father side) Hugh Cassidy (GGF) 26<sup>th</sup> Inf. SC

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

Epperson, Lloyd: Pvt. Leander Molinton Epperson Co D, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mounted Rifles AK

Herman, James: Sgt. William M. Herrmann Co G, 6<sup>th</sup> Inf. AL

Newton, Norman: Pvt. Charles Samuel Newton, James P. Douglas' Battalion

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

Peek, James Robert: Pvt. James W. Peak Co F 8<sup>th</sup> Dibrell's Cav. TN

Reed, David: Pvt. Rueben Blankenship Co D 18<sup>th</sup> Inf. AL

Reed, Hunter: Pvt. Michael Lorance 2<sup>nd</sup> Co Cav. TN

Riley, Bill: Pvt. William Chisum Co A, 38<sup>th</sup> Inf. TN consolidated to 22<sup>nd</sup> Batt.

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

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

Tisdale, William D.: Sgt. Augustus William Atwood Co G, 8<sup>th</sup> Inf. MS

Waters, Charles: (Father side) Pvt. James Manning Waters Co G, 47<sup>th</sup> Inf. GA

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

Wells, Matthew: Pvt. George A. Buchanan Co F, 19<sup>th</sup> Cav. TX

White, Joe: Capt. Mack Wilson Loyd 5<sup>th</sup> Cav. AL



If you are wondering why you & your joining ancestor are not listed, it's because you have not yet sent me the information You can email me at crwaters@swbell.net.

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