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DUES

It is time for each of us to renew our membership in the SCV, and in our camp. Cost of renewal is \$35. Dues are payable till 1 November with no penalty, but why procrastinate. Beat the rush and get yourself set for the coming year. You can mail a check to Walter Anderson, P.O. Box 205, Cookeville, TN, 38503-0205. Better yet, bring your check to the 24 October meeting at The Golden Corral Restaurant and give it to Walter in person.

This would be a good time to bring a friend or relative who is interested in the SCV and introduce them to the Camp. The Camp needs interested, enthusiastic members to remain viable.

MUSEUM OF CONFEDERACY

The Museum of the Confederacy is in downtown Richmond, Virginia. It has a large collection of Confederate artifacts and displays them in a true, non PC way. The museum is in trouble because of declining visitor attendance. The area around the museum is covered by the Virginia Commonwealth University and medical center. Access for tourists is very limited. You have to really want to get there to get to the museum. There is discussion about moving the museum to a new location where it is more accessible. The White House of the Confederacy in Richmond is in the same neighborhood but will not be moved.

The current exhibit features information and artifacts related to the Confederate Navy. To find out more about the museum, you can call 804-649-1861 or you can visit www.moc.org. Of course, the museum is looking for financial support, if you feel so inclined.



UPCOMING EVENTS

October 24, 2006- Monthly meeting. The ladies of the Order of the Confederate Rose will present the program. Please come out and support the camp. Let the ladies of the OCR know you appreciate their time and effort. Dinner is very reasonably priced if you tell the cashier that we have a special rate for our group.

November 28, 2006- Regular meeting scheduled. Thomas Cartwright, director of the Carter House in Franklin, is scheduled to speak. This should be an excellent presentation by a man who knows volumes about the Carter House and the Battle of Franklin. Camp elections will be held as the camp voted to hold no meeting in December.

January 20, 2007- Lee-Jackson Banquet. Current plans are for a covered dish dinner at the Cookeville Community Center.

KROGER CARDS

Commander Bradley reminds us that using our Kroger gift cards is a painless way to support the SCV. Kroger gas is generally very competitively priced and 5% of our gas and grocery purchases these days would bring in a lot of revenue for the organization.

LET ME KNOW

I am coming up on two years as newsletter editor. If there is something that you would like to see in the newsletter, please let me know. Also, I need your histories about your ancestors for the "Our History" section. These stories, handed down from our parents and grandparents, will be lost if not recorded. I don't need polished scholarly theses, just your notes about what your ancestor did in the war. Don't let our forefathers be forgotten. Drop me a note at jmckinneymd@charter.net or talk with me at some future meeting. Thanks for your help.

DOUBLE THE DIVISION- DOUBLE THE DIVISION

OUR HISTORY

As a continuing part of this newsletter, we present brief histories of the ancestors of our camp members. This month, rather than focusing on one man, I would like to recap the units that were formed from men in this area. The information for this is taken from the book, "Tennesseans in the Civil War", published in 1964 by the Civil War Centennial Commission.

Twelve companies are listed as having significant numbers of men from PUTNAM COUNTY. These were 4th (Murray's) Tennessee Cavalry Regiment, Company B, later H, 22nd TN Infantry Battalion..... 13th (Dibrell's) TN Cavalry Regiment, Company C..... 8th Tennessee Infantry, Company G..... 16th TN Infantry Regiment, Company F..... 17th TN Infantry Regiment, Company K..... 25th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies F, I, and K..... 28th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies E and I, later D of the 28th Consolidated Infantry Regiment..... and 84th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies D and G, later H and E of the 28th Consolidated Regiment.

In addition to the CSA companies, two Federal units are listed as being formed from men from Putnam County. These were the 1st TN Mounted Infantry Regiment, Companies C and H.

Thirteen companies are listed as formed from OVERTON COUNTY men. These were Hamilton's TN Cavalry Battalion, Company F..... 4th (Murray's) TN Cavalry Regiment, Company A, later C, 1st Confederate Regiment..... 13th (Dibrell's) TN Cavalry Regiment, Companies A, B, E, and F..... 8th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies B and F..... 25th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies B, C, D and H.....and 84th TN Infantry Regiment, Company F, later K of the 28th Consolidated Regiment. In addition, one Federal company is listed, being 4th TN Mounted Infantry Regiment, Company K.

Fifteen companies are listed from WHITE COUNTY. These were 1st Confederate Cavalry Regiment, Company H..... 13th (Dibrell's) TN Cavalry Regiment, Companies D, H, I and K..... 1st (Colms') TN Infantry Battalion, Companies B, D and E, later 50th Consolidated TN Infantry Regiment, Companies H and K..... 22nd (Murray's) TN Infantry Regiment, Company A..... 16th TN Infantry Regiment, Company K..... 25th TN Infantry Regiment, Companies A, C, E, and K..... 28th TN Infantry Regiment, Company K, later Company C of the 28th Consolidated TN Infantry Regiment. In addition, one Federal unit is listed, specifically the 1st TN Mounted Infantry Regiment, Company B.

Ten companies are listed as formed from JACKSON COUNTY. These were 4th (Murray's) TN Cavalry Regiment, Company E, later K of the 22nd TN Infantry Battalion..... 13th (Dibrell's) TN Cavalry, Company G..... 8th TN Infantry, Companies G and H..... 17th TN Infantry, Company K..... 25th TN Infantry, Company G..... 28th TN Infantry, Companies B, E and G..... 34th TN Infantry, Company D. In addition, two Federal companies are listed- 8th TN Mounted Infantry Regiment, Companies B and D.