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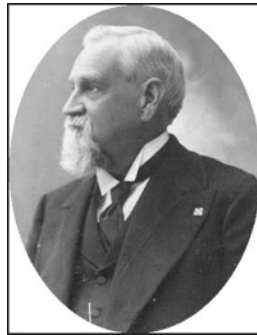


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## Charge to the Sons of Confederate Veterans:

“To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the Cause for which we fought. To your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldiers’ good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved, and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious, and which you also cherish.”

*Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee,  
Commander General,  
United Confederate Veterans,  
New Orleans, Louisiana  
April 25, 1906*



**APRIL MEETING**  
**May 15, 2008, 7:00 pm**  
**Sweet Sue's Family Restaurant**  
**SPEAKER: Rose Mary Rumbley**  
**TOPIC: Historian and Humorist**

## Commander's Message

Did you attend the reenactment at Jefferson last weekend? It was great! As usual the reenactors were awesome! The battles were moving!! And there was a good turnout from the public! If you missed it, put the first weekend in May on your 2009 calendar so you can come then.

Have you sent in your reservations for Galveston? It promises to be worth the trip. Plus you get to spend the weekend in Galveston!

Have you got the wife and kids lined up to come to the picnic on Saturday, May 10th? This would be a good opportunity to bring a friend or someone who is interested in joining the camp. This will be a fun day! Something we can do as a family! An afternoon we can spend with our friends! Hope to see you there! Whose bringing the 'Nanner' Puddin' and Pecan Pie?

Watch the calendar of events! May and June are crammed full of events. Pick several to attend!

See you on the 15th! Bring a guest!

Semper Fi!  
Stay Faithful!  
Muddy Waters  
Commander

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## May Program

It was great to see such a big crowd at the April meeting. I encourage you to continue to bring guest/guests with you every month. Ms. Walker-Wyatt gave another wonderful program about Jesse James/J. Frank Dalton.

Our May meeting should be another very interesting and entertaining program. Mrs. Rosemary Rumbley, historian and humorist, will be giving us our program. She is always very funny and I have had numerous requests to have her back. So be sure to come early and get a good seat, because I am sure we will have a full house!

Upcoming speakers include:

June- Three Majors entertain with their patriotic music  
July- Another period musical program with Joe Walker and his banjo  
August- Art Hall - Program on Cynthia Ann Parker, the Parker family, and the Comanches

Some Confederate trivia for the month of May:  
May 10, 1863 Lt. General Stonewall Jackson dies after being accidentally wounded by his own troops at Chancellorsville a week earlier. A devastating blow for the Confederacy.

God Bless & see y'all at the meeting!!  
Brad Tindel  
1st Lt. Commander

## Brigade 8 News

Compatriots:

This last month has been a great one for the East Texas Brigade. Our Cmdr. Tommy Holmes has opened a new camp in Crockett. They will be chartered soon which will increase our Brigade and open new areas. I look forward to working with this new camp, and I am sure they will serve our Cause in the Crockett area.

The funeral for Col. Earp was a great success, and my thanks go out to the Gilmer camp for their hard work in putting this all together. The Douglas Battery provided a wagon to transport the remains and a cannon and riderless horse. Randy Gilbert drove the wagon, and past commander Wayne Jones provided the horse. Camp members Daniel Hibbs and Mathew Lee crewed the cannon. I was in charge of the artillery with guns from the Douglas Battery, the Lane Battery of Longview and a gun from the Gilmer Camp. The event was very well covered by local TV and newspapers. I have nothing but compliments from local people who saw the event. They were all amazed at what we do. Texas Div. Cmdr. Manning was in attendance along with President Dunnigan of the Texas Descendants of Confederate Veterans, the MOS&B, UDC, and the Director of Texas

Society OCR, our own Norma Holley. The Black Rose did an especially great job with 16 Ladies in attendance. There were so many from our area, I can't name them all.

I attended a school program in Hallsville. Mary June Goodson was there, did a great job and was a big hit with the kids. We talked from 8:30 to 3:30 with a short lunch. There were around 240 kids who came through. These programs are so very important to our Cause. My thanks to Frank Smith of the Marshall Camp for organizing this event.

May will be a busy month for us all. Hopefully many of you will be able to attend some of the events coming up. I look forward to being able to slow down during the summer so we can get back to work in the fall.

Thank you all!  
Johnnie L. Holley, Jr.  
1st Lt., East Texas Brigade

## From the Adjunct

"The humanities of war, which even barbarians respect, were no longer thought worthy to be observed. Foreign mercenaries and the scum of the cities and the inmates of prisons were enlisted and organized into brigades and sent into Southern States to aid in subjugating a people struggling for freedom, to burn, to plunder, and to commit the basest of outrages on the women... men of the highest character and position were incarcerated upon suspicion without process of law...and even women were imprisoned by the arbitrary order of a President and Cabinet Ministers; while the press ceased to be free..."

Declaration by the Cherokee Nation Which Have Impelled Them to Unite With the Confederate States of America

See you on the 15th,  
Ken Reynolds  
Adjutant

## Calendar of Events

- May 6** **Brigade #5 Meeting - 7:00 pm Gilmer**  
Hadden's Sandwich Shop POC Frank Crisp 903.407.1803 (See Page 3)
- May 10** **Thomas B Grimes Marker Dedication - 1:00 pm**  
Near Lott TX POC John Grimes 214-949-6585 (See Page 3)
- May 10** **Leland Cross Dedication & Memorial Service - 11 am**  
Gilmer City Cemetery POC Mac Meredith (See Page 3)
- May 10** **Capt James P Douglas Meeting Picnic - 2:00 pm**  
Whitehouse City Park (See Page 3)
- May 15** **Capt James P Douglas Meeting - 7:00 pm**  
Sweet Sue's Restaurant SPEAKER: Rose Mary Rumbley  
TOPIC: Historian and Humorist
- May 16** **Quitman School Living History**  
Camp Ford Historic Park POC Johnnie Holley (See Page 4)
- May 17** **Gamblin Marker Dedication - 2:00 pm**  
Gamblin Family Cemetery Near Como TX POC Jim Benton (See Page 4)
- May 31** **Jefferson Davis BBQ - Saturday - 11:00 am**  
Rose Garden Building POC Maxine Herbst (See Page 4)

- Jun 1 OCR Meeting – Emma Sansom Chapter – 1:00 pm**  
Papacita's Restaurant, 6704 S. Broadway, Tyler
- Jun 6-8 Texas Division SCV Reunion – Galveston -**  
[www.texas-scv.org](http://www.texas-scv.org) (See Page 4)
- Jun 19 Capt James P Douglas Meeting – 7:00 pm**  
Sweet Sue's Restaurant SPEAKER: Three Majors  
TOPIC: Our WBTS Favorite Songs
- Jul 16-20 Confederation SCV Reunion – Concord NC**  
Host Camp Captain Jonas Cook Camp #888 (See Page 4)
- Oct 24-26 Battle at Jones Meadow – Friday – Sunday**  
POC Rob Jones 903-520-3265 (See Page 5)

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### Brigade #5 Meeting

The Upshur County Patriots Camp #2109 will host a Brigade #5 Meeting. We will meet in Gilmer, May 6th 7:00 p.m., at Hadden's Sandwich Shop located on the Town Square. We are hosting the meeting at this time so that the camp commanders will be able to report back to their camps before the Texas Reunion. I will be reporting on any pertinent items discussed at the Texas Division DEC meeting held in Salado, Texas on April 5, 2008. I will also report on the feedback I have received from the camps regarding a 'name' for Brigade #5. We will finalize a name at this meeting. We will also open the floor for discussion regarding the upcoming Texas Division Reunion to be held in June, 2008. I welcome any comments, criticism, etc. If you can't make the meeting, please contact me regarding your input.

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### Thomas Branson Grimes Marker Dedication

April 30, 2008

Dear Compatriots and Honored Guests:

You are cordially invited to the grave marker dedication for Thomas Branson Grimes, near Lott, Tx., on May 10th, 2008. In the program, we would like to include the names of all the Confederate ancestors of people in attendance, so please email your ancestors name to Adjutant Daryl Coleman as soon as possible. The ceremony will be held at Liveoak Cemetery, directions included in the attached invitation.

Thomas Branson Grimes served as a corporal in the Confederate army for Company K 1st Mississippi Regiment  
PLEASE JOIN US AS WE honor Our ancestor with a Marker Dedication Saturday, May 10, 2008 at 1:00pm ~ Live Oak Cemetery, Lott, Texas

Take I35 South (approximately 90 miles from Dallas)  
Turn left onto State Hwy 7 (approx 10 miles)  
Turn right onto US Hwy 77 (approx 15 miles)

\*Or, just take US Hwy 77 South from Waco, works either way  
Go South out of Lott from blinking light on Hwy 77 for about 1 and ¾ mile  
Turn right on County Road 490 go about 2 and ½ miles where 490 dead ends into County Road 496.  
Turn left and go 4/10 of a mile and Live Oak Cemetery is on the right.  
There is a Historical Marker close to road 490 on Hwy 77 that is for the cemetery.  
John Grimes cell 214-949-6585  
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Your Obedient Servant,  
Daryl Coleman  
Adjutant  
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### Cross Dedication & Memorial Service

On Saturday, May 10th at 11:00 AM, the Walter P. Lane Camp is having a Southern Cross Dedication & Memorial service for Confederate soldier John D. Leland at the Gilmer City Cemetery. The cemetery is located on Highway 271 across street from Brookshire's Grocery Store.

Sandwiches, chips, drinks, etc., for participants after the ceremony.

Leland is the g-grandfather of Mac Meredith.

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### Capt. James P. Douglas Family Picnic

When: Saturday, May 10th, 2:00 pm - ???  
Where: Whitehouse City Park

Join us for a time of family, fun and fellowship! Fish and taters will be provided! The ladies from the OCR are bringing the cole slaw! So, bring a dessert or another vegetable dish, your favorite outdoor game and the family for an afternoon of fun!

Wonderful weather is forecasted! Don't miss this opportunity for some good ol' Southern FUN!!! With your FRIENDS!!!

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### Quitman School Living History at Camp Ford

Quitman Schools have requested we hold a living history exhibits on the grounds of Camp Ford. On Friday, May 16th they are busing their students to Camp Ford. Some other schools have said they may bring a group, also. So, we may have a large group of students. Several have volunteered to participate. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Johnnie Holley. We can find ways for everybody to help.

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### Gamblin Marker Dedication

On May 17th a marker dedication will be held for Pvt. James M. Gamblin, 32nd Texas Cavalry at the Gamblin Family Cemetery near Como, TX. It is sponsored by the Matt Barton camp and the Charles B. Harris UDC. Muskets and flag bearers are welcome. Directions to follow.

**DIRECTIONS:** From the blinking yellow light in Como (on Hwy 11 between Winnsboro and Sulphur Springs ) go west 2.1 miles to FM 1567. Turn left (south), go 1.2 miles. The Gamblin Cemetery is a very small cemetery on the right and next to the highway. It is easily missed. Parking is limited to the unpaved shoulder of the road and Mr. Gamblin's grandmother's house nearby.

A second dedication is planned immediately after Pvt. Gamblin's for Pvt. Winder Acker, 14th Texas Cavalry, at Greenpond Cemetery approximately a mile further south.

POC Jim Benton  
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### Jefferson Davis BBQ

*Mollie Moore Davis 217 UDC  
invites you to attend  
a Barbeque  
in honor of the birthday of  
Jefferson Davis.  
May 31, 2008, 11:00 am  
Rose Garden Building  
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Tyler TX  
Reservations required*

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### Marshall Junior High Living History

We have been asked to participate in a living history at Marshall Junior High on May 30. The Principal and History teacher are promoting this at their school. They will even provide a lunch for all who come. It is okay to display as many flags as possible. There will be no firing of weapons so please do not bring any powder. This is a great opportunity to have access to students and staff and tell them what the books leave out and get so wrong. Compatriots, if you can help, let's make a good showing.

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### 2008 Texas Division Reunion

The 2008 Texas Division Reunion will be held June 6-8, 2008, at the Hawthorn Suites/Victorian Resort and Conference Center, 6300 Seawall, Galveston, Texas. A one bedroom condo (sleeps 4-6) and a two bedroom condo (sleeps 6-8) are available. Please tell the hotel you are with the Sons of Confederate Veterans to get the group rate.

Camp 1565, 13th Texas Infantry, Brazoria County and Camp 50, John Bell Hood, Galveston are co-hosting this reunion.

For more information and registration forms, go to <http://www.texas-scv.org/convention.php>.

Galveston is only a few hours away. Make plans to attend the Reunion! You won't be disappointed!

MAKE YOUR PLANS TO ATTEND NOW!!

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### 2008 SCV Confederation Reunion

It's not too early to start making your plans for the 2008 SCV Confederate Reunion in Mt. Pleasant/Concord North Carolina (North of Charlotte), July 16-20 2008. Registration costs \$60 until 10/1/07, \$70 until March 2, 2008, \$80 until July 1, 2008, and will be \$85.00 at the door. There are brand new facilities with lots of amenities. Unlike the traditional approach of a main hotel, there will be several hotels making rooms available. You can access hotel information and convention registration forms at <http://www.scv.org/convention.php>. The host camp is the Captain Jonas Cook Camp #888. More information can be accessed at their website of <http://www.jonascookcamp.com/>.

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## 2nd Annual Battle at Jones Meadow

Mark your calendars for Jones Meadow on October 24-25-26, 2008. Friday, October 24 is a School Day and we need as many reenactors as possible to be there that day also. The William H.L. Wells Camp #1588 is making great plans for this event. Each time we talk to them they are adding something exciting! Their goal is to make this the BEST reenactment in Texas! AND it's in our backyard! What could be better except to live closer to an actual battle site! For further information, please visit their website <http://www.raidoncampford.org/>

A DVD and a CD with over 1,000 photos of October 2007 event is available for purchase! For ordering information go to <http://www.raidoncampford.org/CampFordPhotoDVD.pdf> or send a check for \$10 for the photo CD or \$15 for the DVD plus \$2 postage and handling to  
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## Ancestor Book

The Texas Society Order of Confederate Rose's 2008 fund raising project is an Ancestors Book. For just a few dollars you can have your ancestor in our book! A 1/8th of 8 1/2" x 11" page article is only \$4.00! A 1/4th page is \$10.00! A half page is \$15.00! And a full page is only \$35.00. We would like a book of pictures and stories!

We are also offering a special bidding war on the honor of sponsoring a Confederate Officer! And for only \$25.00 you can sponsor a 1/8 page COLOR picture of a unit flag!

For more information, please contact Norma Holley at 903-725-6774!

This is being offered for only a limited time before publication! Don't miss the opportunity to have your ancestors, their pictures and their story in our book!

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## Letter from the Commander Denton Confederate Monuments

Wednesday, April 30, 2008

Gentlemen and their Ladies of the Texas Division,

Recently, some of you reported a demonstration against the Confederate monument on the courthouse grounds in Denton. I thank you for the immediacy of the alert. I believe I learned of it within just a few minutes of it airing on North Texas television stations. Today, I see it appearing on 'Southern Heritage News and Views' on the Internet with calls to respond to the demonstrator(s). While this may make you feel better, it will not deter them.

I know that many of you wish to act immediately to counter the demonstrators, and I understand and mirror your feelings. I am angry, too. However, it does not serve our purposes to enter into this fray with an antagonistic attitude. I can assure you that the staffs of the Texas Division, the North Texas Brigade and the United Daughters of the Confederacy are already actively working this issue in an attempt to coordinate our response.

A DRAFT letter is being coordinated between the UDC and the SCV. When finalized, it will be sent to the Denton County Judge, who appears to be a Southern friendly lady, offering the assistance of the Texas Division and the UDC should it be necessary to help with educating either the members of the Commissioner's Court or the public in Denton. Above all, I stressed that our organizations do not seek public confrontation over this issue and we do not seek to embarrass the Commissioner's Court as do the protestors but we are determined to protect the Confederate monument.

This brings me to the primary purpose of this letter. I ask that you hold off on writing letters to the members of the Denton County Commissioner's Court for now. Please allow the Division and the UDC to first make a positive/friendly contact with the County Judge. She has already spoken with Lt. Commander Ray James and it is the Judge's impression that this call for the removal of the monument will pass just as have the two previous ones. This is not a new situation in Denton. It is to the credit of the Commissioner's Court that serious discussion about removing the monument has never been allowed to be placed on the agenda. We need to work now to make certain that it never does or, if it does, to have our own representation at the meeting.

I hope you will all agree with me that it is always better to first offer the hand of friendship especially to those that want to reach out to take it. From what I now know

about the Commissioner's Court members that is the case. I hope that you will all allow the Texas Division and UDC staffs to continue to work this issue for now as your elected representatives. Certainly, I cannot refuse you the Right to send your own letter. However, I ask that you do not. At least, not yet. Should you decide to write your own letter, I ask that you keep your letter articulate, cogent and respectful of the men and women on the Commissioner's Court. They have done nothing to warrant otherwise.

Thank you,  
H.G. Manning  
Commander  
Texas Division

"Texans always move them!" -- General Robert E. Lee

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### Report on Project Earp

Were you in Gilmer on Friday or Saturday, April 25-26th? Did you attend any of the activities for Col. Earp? If you did, were you as moved as I was? This was truly a once in a lifetime opportunity to lay to rest with appropriate honors one of Texas' finest young men! For a man who left no direct descendants, there was a large group of family present. One cousin and her husband came all the way from Alaska to attend. She spoke during the services about his wife about whom she has written a book. There was a very moving Mason service at the cemetery. A large group of the Black Rose participated by laying a rose on his casket. The roar of the cannons!!! The musket salutes!! The riderless horse!! The wooden coffin draped with the Second National!!! All very moving tributes to a life cut short!!

Here are websites for 2 area newspapers coverage! Check out their pictures! The camp was well represented!

Longview Newspaper  
<http://tinyurl.com/4nrxk6>

Tyler Newspaper  
<http://tinyurl.com/4v3oc6>

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### Black Councilwoman Sets Precedent

By David Bauerlein, The Times-Union  
Jacksonville, FL

<http://www.jacksonville.com:80/tu-online/stories/042808/met272912644.shtml>

Jacksonville City Councilwoman Glorious Johnson admires Abraham Lincoln and the Confederate Flag.

On Sunday, the African-American councilwoman joined the Southern side of the Civil War when she lead a local chapter of the Sons of Confederate Veterans singing I Wish I Was in Dixie in honor of Confederate soldiers.

Her appearance marked the first time an African-American council member has come to the annual memorial event at the Old City Cemetery near downtown.

It wasn't an entirely new venue for Johnson, who is considering a future run for mayor. She also has attended the Jackson-Lee Dinner put on by the Sons of Confederate Veterans. The Kirby-Smith Camp of the organization invited Johnson, a former music teacher, to lead I Wish I Was in Dixie at the event Sunday. The song became a favorite anthem of Confederate soldiers during the Civil War.

"Let's sing loud and let's sing proud," Johnson told the group.

Behind her, Confederate flags rippled in the breeze at graves where the Kirby-Smith Camp says 40 Confederate soldiers are buried. Tending to such graves is part of the mission for the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

During the ceremony, Johnson joined about 60 others who pledged allegiance to the United States flag and then said a "salute to the Confederate Flag."

The Confederate flag has been controversial, particularly when elements of it have been used in state flags. The Sons of Confederate Veterans has asked Florida to sell specialty license plates with the Confederate Flag on them.

Johnson said in an interview after the ceremony she doesn't view the Confederate flag as a racist symbol. She said by talking with members of the organization, she has learned more about the Civil War.

"This flag is not a flag of hate, but a flag about heritage and history," she said. "The people out here are not about hate, but about heritage."

Johnson, a Republican, cites Lincoln as a fellow member of the GOP. She said Lincoln deserves credit for signing the Emancipation Proclamation that ended slavery, though she said Lincoln did so partly because freed slaves would give the Union forces more military recruits.

She said debates about whether schools should be named after Confederate leaders cause divisions in the community when the city needs to come together to tackle problems such as the high murder rate.

"How can we heal when we unearth things and open wounds that had been healing?" she said.

Isaiah Rumlin, president of the Jacksonville chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said Johnson "is an elected official who can say anything she wants to under freedom of speech. She can do what she wants to do. If she feels like she is doing the right thing, she has to deal with that."

Juan Gray, board chairman of the Southern Christian Leadership Coalition's Jacksonville chapter, said Johnson told him before the event that she would be attending the Confederate memorial event. Gray said Johnson told her it was part of her mission to be a "representative off all the people."

"If there's a way for Councilwoman Johnson to create some dialogue, that's fine with me," Gray said. "After they sing I Wish I Was in Dixie, I hope they would help solve some of the problems in Jacksonville, which is in 'Dixie.'"

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EDITOR'S NOTE: We need more councilmen and women of every color who have an open mind and are willing to learn what we are all about!

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## TIDBITS FROM HISTORY

### Seriously Religious

When he lost his bayonet, a young Confederate whittled a replacement from wood so he could stand inspection. He hoped his regiment would go into battle where he could pick up one from a dead soldier before he was discovered. When an officer asked to see his bayonet at an inspection, he said, "Sir, I promised my father I would never unsheathe my bayonet unless I intended to kill with it." When the officer insisted on seeing the bayonet, he took it out after first looking skyward and saying, "May the Lord change this bayonet to wood for breaking my vow."

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### More Than One Way

A Texas Ranger in Kentucky was on a scouting expedition when he rode suddenly into the presence of a Federal picket. Before the Ranger had time to cock his trusty rifle, the picket brought his rifle to bear on him and ordered him to surrender. The Ranger could do nothing but throw down his gun. When he did, the picket stooped to get it. In an instant the Ranger's lasso was thrown around him, and he felt himself dragged along as fast as a horse at full gallop could carry him. The picket yelled, but to no avail. The Ranger returned, got his own and the picket's gun and proceeded with his prisoner into camp.

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Eight seamen who signed on aboard the CSS Shenandoah on June 28, 1865 were the last men to join the Confederacy. That was five days after the last Confederate general had laid down his arms.

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Confederate Chaplain Isaac T. Tichenor was conducting his Sunday morning services when he was interrupted by a Yankee sniper. Tichenor grabbed a musket, shot and killed the sniper, and returned to his services.

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According to medical specialist Dr. Oz on television, one major reason for the South losing the WBTS was a lack of shoes. According to the doctor, many Southern soldiers became infected by bacteria entering their bodies through damage to their bare feet. This led to a debilitating sapping of their strength by the resultant infections.

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The great Stonewall was certainly not the only eccentric Confederate general. Brigadier General William Smith was known to go into battle wearing an old beaver "stove pipe" hat and carrying an umbrella.

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## From the Editor

WHERE'S THE COLOR? After a two-month experiment producing the Dispatch in color, we are sorry to announce that we have resumed printing in black and white only. The printing time involved and the ink costs are prohibitive—much more than we were initially led to believe. However, a color Dispatch can still be down loaded from our web page. If we have your email address, you will receive a notice with a direct link as soon as it is available. Otherwise, you can go to [www.jamespdouglas.org](http://www.jamespdouglas.org) and click on Dispatch. It will take you to a listing of each Dispatch published. Just select the month you wish to review.

Do we have your email address? Not only will you receive the earliest edition of the Dispatch, but also you will receive special announcements during the month. If you are NOT receiving an announcement about the Dispatch, then we don't have your email address. Please send it to Ken Reynolds at [penelopekennon@yahoo.com](mailto:penelopekennon@yahoo.com), and he will see that we get it. Also, please send Ken any updates for your snail mail address and phone numbers. Each month we continue to have returned Dispatches because of incorrect addresses. If you know of someone who is a camp member, but is not receiving his Dispatch, please ask him to send in his correct address to Ken.

We hope that you are enjoying the Dispatch each month! Compatriots who live out of town, we hope it keeps you informed of the camps activities.

Check out your Calendar of Events! Hope to see you at one!

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**June 1, 2007-May 31, 2008**

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**Captain James P. Douglas Camp #124 meets at 7:00 pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
**Thursday of each month in the Sweet Sue's Family Restaurant's**  
**Banquet Room (except December).**  
**3350 S SW Loop 323, Tyler TX.**

**The Public is Invited!**

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