



# Gainesville

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#### NEXT MUSTER:

Our next muster will be held on November 10, 2022 at the Senior Center of South Pearl River County. We will be meeting at the same time and place as the Pearl Rivers Chapter #30 OCR. They will be meeting in the annex of the senior center. The Picayune Street Fair is this weekend, November 5th and 6th. We will be having a living history and volunteers are needed. We hope to see you all there!

#### LAST MUSTER:

Our last muster was held at the Senior Center of Pearl River county on October 13, 2022. We discussed our camp flag design and we were presented a plaque of appreciation from the Friends and Committee of Corinth/Turtleskin cemetery to our camp and our sister camp the Shieldsboro Rifles Camp 2263. The plaque was to recognize our camp for the Ceremony we held for the Confederate soldiers that lay in that cemetery and also presented Jack DuPont with a certificate of Appreciation for hosting and putting together the ceremony. Jack DuPont presented a Certificate of appreciation to Committee Chairmen Marty Kellar for her dedication to Turtleskin/Corinth Cemetery and for allowing us to have the ceremony. We hope to work with them again soon! We also presented a certificate of membership to past Cadet Jack DuPont who now holds all the rights as a full member and we also presented a member certificate to Mr. James Fisher who is a dedicated member of our camp. We are so glad to have him in our camp!



#### GENERAL STEPHEN DILL LEE'S CHARGE TO THE SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS:

"To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we submit the vindication of the Cause for which we fought; to your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles he loved and which made him glorious and which you also cherish. Remember, it is your duty to see that the true history of the South is presented to future generations."

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# OFFICERS:

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*Camp Commander/Treasurer.....Daryl Ladner*  
*1st Lt. Commander.....David Spence*  
*2nd Lt. Commander.....Tom Wolfe*  
*Adjutant/Judge Advocate.....Charlie Schmitz*  
*Chaplain.....Jimmy Ivy*  
*Color Sgt.....Jack DuPont*

## **What is the SCV ?**

*The Sons of Confederate Veterans, in furtherance of the Charge of Lieutenant General Stephen D. Lee, shall be strictly patriotic, historical, educational, fraternal, benevolent, non-political, non-racial and non-sectarian. The Sons of Confederate Veterans neither embraces, nor espouses acts or ideologies of racial and religious bigotry, and further, condemns the misuse of its sacred symbols and flags in the conduct of same. Each member is expected to perform his full duty as a citizen according to his own conscience and understanding. The citizen-soldiers who fought for the Confederacy personified the best qualities of America. The preservation of liberty and freedom was the motivating factor in the South's decision to fight the Second American Revolution. The tenacity with which Confederate soldiers fought underscored their belief in the rights guaranteed by the Constitution. These attributes are the underpinning of our democratic society and represent the foundation on which this nation was built. Today, the Sons of Confederate Veterans is preserving the history and legacy of these heroes so that future generations can understand the motives that animated the Southern Cause.*

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## The Colors

By: Color Sergeant Jack DuPont

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The flag of the 4th Mississippi Infantry, which lists many of the regiment's battles, was captured by the 5th Minnesota Volunteers near Nashville in 1864. The regiment was created at Grenada, Mississippi, in 1861. The regiment's companies were formed by men from Choctaw, Attala, Carroll, Holmes, Lafayette, and Calhoun counties. This flag was restored by the Mississippi Division Sons of Confederate Veterans and when you buy an MS Div. SCV license plate funds go to this project !  
Information : Mississippi Department of Archives and History

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## Commanders Quill

By: Camp Commander Daryl Ladner

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*Greetings Compatriots,*

*The next few months will be busy. Reenactments will be happening just about every weekend. The street fair will be November 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>, setup Friday the 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 o'clock. The next Brigade meeting, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, will be our Christmas Social. The wreath laying at Beauvoir will be December 3<sup>rd</sup> and the wreath laying at Rotten Bayou will be December 18<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 o'clock AM. Also, on the 18<sup>th</sup> both Beauvoir and John Ford Home will be having Christmas in Camp. John Ford Home's Christmas in Camp will include candlelight tours. Fall Muster at Beauvoir was one of the best. There were at least three hundred reenactors there, as well as ten cannons. The next camp meeting will be November 10. I have been talking with some people trying to arrange for speakers. Please try and make the meeting and invite friends and family.*

*Y.O.S.*

*Deo Vindice!*

*God Bless the South*

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The Cross and the Sword  
By: Camp Chaplain Jimmy Ivy

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Dear Compatriots,  
I would like to tell you folks about one thing I have learned. Life is always changing. And I am talking about changes that affect you the rest of your life. Lord please help us do Your Will. If you love someone please let them know.

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Peal Rivers Chapter #30 MS Society OCR  
By: Chapter President Callie Bunter

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*The Pearl Rivers Chapter #30 chartered into the Mississippi Society Order of Confederate Rose in January 2020. The Order of Confederate Rose consists of members who do not have documented lineage to a Confederate patriot, but who want to offer support and help to the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Our chapter supports Shieldsboro Rifles Camp 2263 and Gainesville Volunteers Camp 373. We invite prospective membership to our future meetings, which will be 7:00 PM second Thursday of each month at the Senior Center of South Pearl River County. If you have a female family member who would like to join the Pearl Rivers Chapter #30, Mississippi Society Order of Confederate Rose, please email the Chapter at [pearlriversocr30@gmail.com](mailto:pearlriversocr30@gmail.com).*

*Officers: Callie Bunter - President/Treasurer  
Bobbie Sue Koch - Secretary/Historian*

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From The Editor  
By: Jack DuPont

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*Dear Compatriots,  
This month marks our fourth issue of the Gainesville Volunteer Volley and to continue with this Volley we need stories from you! If you have any interest in Confederate related topics, please let me know. Such as stories about your Confederate ancestor or a battle during the War Between the States or stories of our camp. I would love to hear them and put it in the Volley. Also, if you are having any trouble getting this newsletter or if you are interested in receiving this monthly edition by mail rather than email, please let me know !*

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