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***** NEXT MEETING *****

Our next Meeting will be Friday 18 October 2013 following the McBride Camp Meeting at the Heritage Cafeteria, 1364 E. Battlefield, Springfield, Missouri, at the South West corner of Battlefield and Fremont.

***** CHAPTER BIRTHDAYS *****

Rick Perry October 12

In Memoriam: Rick Howard October 4

No Chapter Birthdays in November.
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***** MONUMENT BOOK *****

The proposed Confederate Monument Book is progressing with the addition of new photos from the field trip to Kansas City on 7 September. Look for a photo of Commander Wood and McBride Camp Commander Lisenby in a future issue of **CONFEDERATE VETERAN**. A new book project was also discussed which would consist of photos of noted Confederate gravesites in Missouri. Come to the Meeting and discuss this new project.



CHAPTER MINUTES

The Col. Upton Hayes Chapter #235, Missouri Society, Military Order of the Stars and Bars, held it's Quarterly Meeting on Friday 19 July 2013 at the Heritage Cafeteria, 1364 E. Battlefield, Springfield, Missouri, following the Meeting of the Gen. James H. McBride Camp #632 with 2 Members present.

1. Opening ceremonies were dispensed with due to time considerations.
2. Commander Les Wood called the Meeting to Order.
3. Adjutant Rick Perry reported that the Chapter has 5 Members. The Chapter has Funds of \$450.37. Adjutant Perry donated \$10.00 from the sale of 2 Hartville Videos. A check was written 5 July 2013 to Office Depot for \$6.08 for production of **THE HAYES REPORT**.
4. Progress is being made on the preparation of the Confederate Monument Book.
5. The Hayes Chapter will host a Field Trip to Kansas City on Saturday 7 September 2013. Adjutant Perry has been instructed to prepare an itinerary for the trip with a list of proposed sites to visit, including the gravesites of the Younger Brothers in Lee's Summit, the gravesite of Frank James in Independence, Forest Hill Cemetery in Kansas City, the new marker for the Crawford family in Blue Springs, Woodlawn Cemetery and the square in Independence, the marker for the collapsed jail and Union Cemetery where Josephine Anderson is buried. It was decided that all who wish to accompany the Chapter should plan to meet at Waffle House on N. Kansas Expressway at I-44 at 6:00 a.m. We may need to caravan depending on how many plan to go. All SCV and UDC Members are cordially invited.
6. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,



Rick Perry
Adjutant

***** KANSAS CITY FIELD TRIP *****

The Hayes Chapter hosted a field trip to the Kansas City area on Saturday 7 September 2013. Commander Wood provided transportation and the crew included Adjutant Rick Perry and McBride Camp Commander Garry Lisenby. After breakfast at the Springfield Waffle House the group proceeded to Lone Jack, Missouri, where we toured the battlefield and museum. Adjutant Perry found a copy of the Chapter's book **MISSOURI SENATE JOURNAL**, being the journal of the Missouri Senate at Neosho that passed the Ordinance of Secession, and was persuaded by Commander Wood to autograph the only copy of the book that they had. This was done and Adjutant Perry was told that the copy would not be sold. The group then proceeded to downtown Kansas City and found the marker locating the site of the jail that collapse in August 1863 and killed the sister of Bill Anderson, crippled another of his sisters, and injuring a third, plus killing and injuring other Southern women. A direct result of this jail collapse was overwhelming support by the Missouri guerillas for the raid on Lawrence, Kansas, by Quantrill and his men. The group then went to Union Cemetery where Josephine Anderson, Bill Anderson's sister, is buried, and also located a monument erected by the United States to mark the graves of Confederate POWs who died after the Battle of Westport. The next stop was Loose Park, which was the scene of some fighting during the Battle of Westport, and then to Forrest Hill Cemetery, which was the scene of Shelby's last line of defense at Westport. Buried in Forrest Hill are Gen. J. O. Shelby, Col. Upton Hayes, Senator Waldo P. Johnson (Confederate soldier and Confederate Senator from Missouri), along with Dick Yeager and Bill Gregg, two of Quantrill's men, and many other Confederate soldiers, and the UDC monument "To Our Confederate Dead". The next stop was Hill Park in Independence, which was the site of the Battle of Rock Creek, and the site of the grave of Frank James and his wife. Our next stop was at the Courthouse Exchange restaurant on the Square in Independence where we enjoyed a good lunch and a cold beer. Next we went to Blue Springs to the site of the Morgan Walker home and cemetery near Pink Hill Park, then to Blue Springs Cemetery in search of a new marker for the Crawford family which was dedicated in June 2013. The Crawford family had two daughters killed in the collapse of the Kansas City jail and a son, Riley Crawford, killed while riding with Quantrill. We did not locate this marker, but found the grave of Frank Smith, another Quantrill man, that had been decorated with flags. We then travelled to Lee'a Summitt Cemetery and found the graves of Cole, Jim, and Bob Younger and their Mother. Omitted above was the stop in Woodlawn Cemetery in Independence where there is a UDC Monument, **many** Confederate soldiers, and a site that contains the graves of nine Confederate soldiers killed at the Battle of Independence. The site is marked with nine individual gravestones and a Flag Pole. We got home after a long day, tired, but undaunted, and ready to go again, who knows where next time. We discussed a possible trip around Southwest Missouri to Newtonia, the end of the Mason Dixon Line near Southwest City, Stand Watie's grave near Southwest City, Neosho, and Carthage, or possibly Baxter Springs, Fort Scott, and Mine Creek. You can't tell, we may even go to Lawrence with matches! Next time you should join us.

AN ACT declaring the political ties heretofore existing between the State of Missouri and the United States of America dissolved.

WHEREAS, The government of the United States, in the possession and under the control of a sectional party, has wantonly violated the compact originally made between said government and the State of Missouri, by invading with hostile armies the soil of the State, attacking and making prisoners the militia whilst legally assembled under the State laws, forcibly occupying the State capital, and attempting, through the instrumentality of domestic traitors, to usurp the State government, seizing and destroying private property, and murdering with fiendish malignity peaceable citizens, men, women and children, together with other acts of atrocity indicating a deep settled hostility towards the people of Missouri and their institutions, and,

WHEREAS, The present administration of the government of the United States has utterly ignored the Constitution, subverted the government as constructed and intended by its makers, and established a despotic and arbitrary power instead thereof; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

That all political ties of every character now existing between the government of the United States of America, and the people and government of the State of Missouri, are hereby dissolved, and the State of Missouri, resuming the sovereignty granted by compact to the said United States upon the admission of said State into the Federal Union, does again take its place as a free and independent republic amongst the nations of the earth.

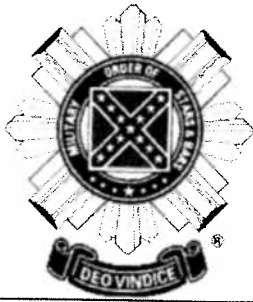
This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Read first and second time and amended. Read third time and passed, October 28, 1861.

John T. Crisp, Secretary Senate.

Secession Day Dinner October 26th, 2013

Remembering the Anniversary of Missouri's Secession on October 31, 1861



*Hosted by the Missouri Society - Military Order of the
Stars and Bars.*

*Our Speaker this year will be James L. Orebaugh of Edmond, Oklahoma, Jim's subject will be "Archives Preservation, Our Counter to Rewritten History" Jim will tell us about his ongoing efforts to preserve known records (National Archives, etc) and search for those believed to be still out there. Examples of Jim's progress is the digitization of Oklahoma Confederate pension records, that contain personal data not found elsewhere. You will leave Jim's talk with a desire to search for the truth!
Jim is a Vietnam Veteran and long time SCV Member.*

Inn at Grand Glaize
5141 Highway 54
P.O. Box 969
Osage Beach, MO. 65065
1-800-348-4731

We have secured a room rate of \$69 per night plus tax. Make your reservations early to get that rate, tell them you are with the MOSB Secession Day Dinner!

5:30 PM - Doors open for Social Hour Mint Juleps provided or there's a cash bar available!

6:00 PM - The Dinner begins with greetings from the Missouri Society Commander, Larry Yeatman to be followed by Dinner and Jim Orebaugh
Cost is \$30 per adult. Children under 12 are \$15 Registration deadline is October 20th, 2013.

Please use the following registration form to send in your reservation! For questions, call Larry Yeatman at 816-728-2291 or email at larryyeatman@msn.com We hope to see you all there!
Deo Vindice! Larry Yeatman, Missouri Society MOSB Commander

2013 Missouri Secession Day Dinner Registration Form

Name _____
Number of Guest and names _____
Total Number of people _____ X \$30.00 per person = \$ _____
Total Number of children under 12 _____ X \$15.00 per person = \$ _____
Total enclosed \$ _____

Please make your checks payable to Missouri Society - MOSB

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