



South Carolina Rose



"I employed every capacity with which God has endowed me, and the result was far more successful than my hopes could have flattered me to expect."

-Rose O'Neal Greenhow

<http://www.onealwebsite.com/rose3.htm>

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Our Confederate Veteran Monument

1861—1865

Inscription on the Confederate Monument at Columbia

Written by William Henry Trescot
Erected by the Women of the State



**“This Monument
Perpetuates the Memory Those Who,

True to the Instincts of Their Birth,
Faithful to the Teachings of Their Fathers,
Constant in Their Love for the State,
Died in the Performance of Their Duty;
Who
Have Glorified a Fallen Cause
By the Simple Manhood of Their Lives,
The Patient Endurance of Suffering,**

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We need your email address.

The SCOCR Newsletter and all state society correspondence is going directly to the membership via email.

Stay up to date on all information from your SCOCR officers.

**Please send your email address to:
webmaster@scocr.org**



From the Society President



My Fellow Members,

I wish everyone well and that things are going as planned. The past few weeks have been a bit eventful in my life and I am glad to know they have calmed a bit. Sometimes it seems there is never a dull moment in the Wolfe household! I thank all of you who sent prayers and wishes for my Dad and son recently.

I have been working on the 2010 OCR National Confederation of States Reunion to be held in Anderson and in this issue of our newsletter, you will find a synopsis of the Reunion. The registration form is almost done and will be on the SC Society OCR website in a couple of days. This is South Carolina's opportunity to share our southern hospitality with all of our OCR sisters and I know everyone will do the best they possibly can to make this event a fun, friendly and exciting event. Please remember to start planning on your goody bag items for the Reunion. You will need to provide 100 items for this event. I initially had a slate full of ideas for the OCR, and then narrowed things down because the SCV will also have a large number of tours and events for us to partake in.

We also will be having our 2010 SC OCR Annual Meeting in Florence and things are progressing on that. The Ann Eliza Harlee Chapter OCR will be the sponsoring OCR Chapter for this event and has been busy working on items for everyone in attendance. The registration form and information on that event will be forthcoming also.

I ask that everyone please be patient with these events as this time of the year is quite busy for all of us. I know many of the OCR Chapters and members are quite involved in Halloween events and there are many services and dedications at this time.

On page 20 and 21 of the newsletter, you will find the SC State Society OCR award criteria for our 2010 OCR Annual Awards. Included is a new award that will be offered to a Rosebud or Thorn. I am so proud and honored of all of the SC Society OCR members, Rosebuds and Thorns, and know this will be quite an undertaking to nominate one person for each award! We will have a judging committee comprised of various individuals to include not only OCR members, but some impartial individuals as well. The awards will be judged at the January/February meeting as will any proposed amendments/standing rules to the Society Bylaws. As stated in the current bylaws, items will be discussed 45 days prior to our Annual Meeting and then they will be voted upon. Start planning on nominations for the awards. The award forms are posted on the SC Society OCR website and can be filled in electronically or printed out and handwritten in.

We still have some Society cookbooks out there to be sold. Now is a good time to buy some for Christmas stocking stuffers and gifts. They will also be great door prizes for your Chapter, so stock up! We need to sell our remaining cookbooks so we can prepare for another fundraiser and plan a few foundations and events we would like to donate to.

I have had the opportunity to speak to quite a few in the past weeks and know how busy you all are with events your Chapter holds and those you all do for your supporting SCV Camp. I thank each of you for upholding our mission.

The OCR is an independent support group to the Sons of Confederate Veterans - organization and local camps thereof, governed by its own bylaws and standing rules. The OCR is nonprofit, nonracial, nonpolitical and nonsectarian.

The OCR assists the SCV with their historical, educational, benevolent and social functions. Special emphasis is placed on the preservation of Confederate symbols. As there are few rules and restrictions to stifle the creativity of its members, each OCR Chapter is free to focus on the activities important to its local SCV Camp along with supporting their efforts on the state and national levels.

I hope each of you will take the time to relax and spend it with those you love and also spend some time for yourself to 'revitalize'. Life is entirely too short to spend alone or being unhappy. Remember each day is a new and we are never given more than we cannot bear, though at times it may seem we are. Time waits for no one.

Yours in history

Andrea, President, SC Society OCR

President@scocr.org

Timeless Treasures



Timeless Treasures Cookbook

From the South Carolina Society
Order of Confederate Rose
Chapters

Order one today.

There are just a few copies of our SC Society OCR Cookbook available.

Please send me _____ copies of "Timeless Treasures"
at \$15.00 each plus \$3 postage and handling per book.

Make your check payable to: SC OCR

Enclosed you will find \$ _____ for this order.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Send Your Order To:

**SC OCR Cookbook
130 Upper Loop Way
Columbia SC 29212**

DEDICATION

This book is dedicated to all those who have gone before us. We honor their memory and the character traits they left us to follow.

Without this cherished history, we would be nothing today. It is a vital part of each of us.

We will strive to make our ancestors proud of us for all the days to come.

**Ladies of the Order of
Confederate Rose**

Order of Confederate Rose
Anderson, SC 2010
July 21 ~ July 25

Registration Form



Member: _____ Lifetime Member: _____ Guest: _____

Name: _____
(Please Print your name - the way you want your nametag)

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Home: ____ Ofc: ____ Cell: ____

Chapter Name: _____

Position Held Chapter: President: ____ VP: ____ Sec: ____ Treasur: ____ Other: _____

Position Held State: President: ____ VP: ____ Sec: ____ Treasur: ____ Other: _____

Description	Qty	Cost	Total
OCR Registration		\$25.00	
Handcraft Seminar		\$10.00	
Total Amount of Check			\$

Please make your check payable to: SC OCR
mail check and registration to:
Mosalena Marlar
2161 Green Pond Road
Fountain Inn, SC 29644
(864) 862-3946
dixiebelle@bellsouth.net

 Registration includes:
OCR Name Badge
Ditty Bag (first 100 to register)
OCR Welcome Reception
Thursday-July 22, 2010 from 6:00-9:00 PM
Handcraft Seminar (cost for supplies)
Friday-July 23, 2010 @ 2:00pm
(We need a head count.)
General OCR Business Meeting/Social including a
Light Luncheon and Guest Speaker
Mrs. Kristina Dunn Johnson on her new book -
*"No Holier Spot of Ground Confederate Monuments
& Cemeteries of South Carolina"*

General Information for our OCR Family:

The OCR will be headquartered at the Hilton Garden Inn Anderson, South Carolina located at 115 Destination Blvd Anderson, SC 29625 Call (864) 964-0100 when making your reservations. The Hilton Garden Inn Anderson hotel is in the beautiful upstate of South Carolina, conveniently located off Interstate 85 at Exit 19A and easily accesses Anderson's shopping, dining and entertainment venues as well as historic downtown Anderson. The rooms are \$79 per night for a single king and \$114 per night for a suite (be sure you tell them you are with the SCV for the special rate). Some nearby attractions are Anderson County Museum, Heritage Corridor, The Botanical Garden, and for all your shopping needs, Anderson Mall is located only 3 miles from hotel. The Hilton Garden Inn Anderson houses The Sona Restaurant and All American Grill, as well as room service. For a short drive, nearby restaurants include Chick-Fil-A, Old County Smokehouse, Romano's Italian, and many more. Check in time is 3PM and check out time is 12PM.

OCR Registration and Welcome Reception will be at the Hilton Garden Inn.

If an individual member or state society wishes to donate to the ditty bags, we are asking for your 100 items to be sent to Mosie Marlar, 2161 Green Pond Road, Fountain Inn, SC 29644 by June 19, 2010. We want to have all "Ditty Bags" stuffed and ready for our guests at the time you register and pick up your name badges. You may either send your "Ditties" by US mailed or sent UPS.

Tours: Will be handled by the SCV, you will need to register on the SCV Registration form. Those not wishing to attend the tours may attend the handcraft session or visit historic Pendleton and the Anderson area for some great shopping and museum tours. Ashtabula Plantation Home and Woodburn Plantation Home are available for tours. If there is enough interest, a possible tour of one or both of these homes could be arranged.

The SCV awards luncheon will be on Friday, July 23rd. Those who do not wish to attend the luncheon can meet at a designated location for a fellowship luncheon (TBD).

Location of Activities:

SCV Registration:

Anderson Civic Center

OCR Registration:

Crescent Room – Hilton Garden Inn
(6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Registration & Welcome Reception)

Vendors:

Cabarrus Arena and Events Center

OCR Welcome Reception

Crescent Room – Hilton Garden Inn
(6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Thursday July 22, 2010)

President's Council Meeting

Anderson Civic Center
(Friday July 23, 2010 from 9:00am-Until)

Handcraft Seminar

Anderson Civic Center (Friday 2:00PM)

General Business Meeting & Social

Anderson Civic Center

Our Saturday General Business Meeting & Social will be on Saturday July 24, 2010 from 9:00 am – 12:00pm. This will include a light lunch starting at 11:00AM, with our very special guest Mrs. Kristina Dunn Johnson, MA-curator of history from the SC Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum. Our time together will be fun filled, sisterly camaraderie, entertainment, and reports from the states, door prizes and maybe even a few good surprises. We are asking each state society to donate a door prize(s). If an individual member wishes to donate a door prize(s), we will welcome your thoughtfulness. Please drop off your door prize(s) at the OCR registration table at the Crescent Room – Hilton Garden Inn on Thursday.

The South Carolina Society, Order of Confederate Rose, wishes to welcome all members and guests to the Order of Confederate Rose Confederate of States Societies Re-union for 2010. If you have any questions or if we may be of further assistance please email Andrea Wolfe, SC State Society President at awolfe@sc.rr.com or you may telephone at (803) 360-3745.

NOTE: The SCV will be hosting tours/events on Thursday, July 22nd and Friday, July 23rd, 2010. You must register for these events on the SCV registration form located at: <http://www.mansejollycamp6.com/convention.asp>. Details regarding tours, events and the ball must be obtained from the Manse Jolly SCV Camp 6.

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**And the Heroism of Death,
And Who
In the Dark Hours of Imprisonment,
In the Hopelessness of the Hospital,
In the Short, Sharp Agony of the Field.
Found Support and Consolation
In the Belief
That at Home They Would Not be Forgotten.”**

*** “Those for Whom they died
Inscribed on this marble
The solemn record of their sacrifice,
The perpetual gratitude of the State they served,
The undying affection of those
Whose lives
The separation of death
Has shadowed with an everlasting sorrow;
Scattered over the Battlefields of the South,
Buried in remote and alien graves,
Dying unsoothed by the touch
Of familiar and household hands,
Their names are graven here
To recall
To their children and kinsmen
How worthily they lived,
How nobly they died;
And in what tender reverence
Their memory survives.”**

**“Let the Stranger,
Who May in Future Times
Read This Inscription,
Recognize That These Were Men
Whom Power could not Corrupt,
Whom Death Could not Terrify,
Who Defeat Could not Dishonor,
And Let Their Virtues Plead
For Just Judgment**

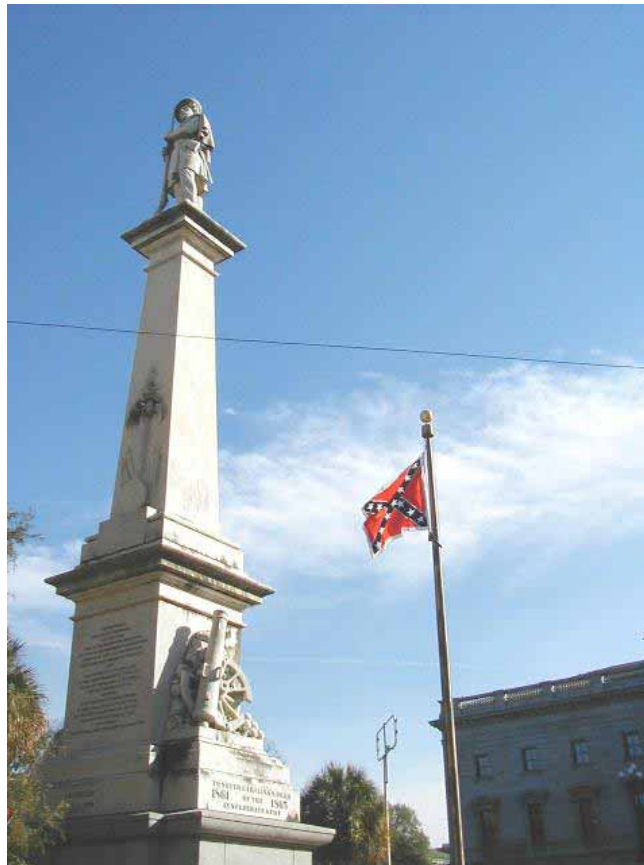
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**Of the Cause in Which They Perished.
Let the South Carolinians
Of Another Generation
Remember
That the State Taught Them
How to Live and How to Die.
And that From Her Broken Fortunes
She Has Preserved for Her Children
The Priceless Treasure of Their Memories,
Teaching All Who May Claim
The Same Birthright
That Truth, Courage and Patriotism
Endure Forever.”**

***This paragraph does not appear on the Monument for want of space.**

.....Courtesy of the South Carolina Confederate Relic Room Archives



Civil War soldier will return to grave unknown but not forgotten

FRANKLIN — Six months ago, workmen's shovels first pried loose the skeleton of a Civil War soldier buried 145 years ago in an unmarked grave on a field now under commercial development along Columbia Avenue.



Today, a new grave and coffin will cradle the man's bones. He will be buried under a monument of limestone in Rest Haven Cemetery with soil fetched from 18 Civil War states, North and South.

Yet men and women who have filed through St. Paul's Episcopal Church to see the man's coffin during the

past two days say they don't want today's event — which has been planned down to the minute — to overshadow the humanity of someone whose name they probably will never know and whose beliefs they can only guess at.

Instead they say their thoughts turn to soldiers fighting everywhere today, and to their own mortality and legacies. What would you want to happen if someone dug up your bones?

"This was someone's son," said Kraig McNutt, who publishes a Battle of Franklin blog. "He probably wrote home to his wife and talked about his conditions at the time and how hungry he was. ... He was an American soldier who was fighting for what he believed in, regardless of what side he was on."

Clues to identity scarce

Since the bones were unearthed, speculation about the man's life and death has varied. There's no proof about who he was.

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There was no marker on the grave. No identification was found with his skeleton except a handful of brass buttons carrying a federal eagle symbol, a fired Minié ball, tacks from the soles of his boots and a glass bead. All of these will be buried today with the bones.

Fighting tore through Franklin on Nov. 30, 1864, leaving thousands of dead Union and Confederate soldiers — mostly farther north on Columbia Avenue of where the skeleton was discovered.

That has led to speculation from historians that the man died sometime in December 1864, after the Battle of Nashville, when Union troops pursued Confederate forces back through Franklin.

Some have said the man might have been a Confederate soldier who was wearing Union buttons.

"Folks can discuss it as much as they like but we'll never know," said retired teacher Bill Heard, 60, of Cookeville, Tenn., who wore a navy blue Union uniform as he stood guard over the coffin. "Some folks just like to take ownership."

The unknown soldier is being buried in Rest Haven Cemetery in Franklin — a city that was part of the Confederacy — rather than another military cemetery simply because Franklin is where he was originally buried.

"If, obviously, we knew which state he was from or which army he fought for, we would look into those locations," said Robin Hood, funeral organizer. Rest Haven is "an historic cemetery and not just anyplace."

Hundreds see coffin

For two days, hundreds of people have creaked along the wooden floors of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, which was used as a barracks for Union troops during the Civil War occupation of Franklin. More than 400 had come through by midmorning Friday.

Part of the outpouring can be traced to national and local media coverage. A film crew is recording the events for a documentary, and two living sons of Civil War veterans will attend.

But McNutt, who is a re-enactor, thinks some people are flocking to the event because it's "a little like a trophy to them" rather than to remember the man.

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"I think there are some who — to be quite bold, if you will — they want to continue to live in the past," McNutt said. "They still want to fight these wars and have these arguments."

Yet people coming to the coffin — some in uniform, some with cameras, some bearing gifts — said they kept this man's sacrifice and others' foremost on their minds. Restaurateur Danny Eldridge, 58, a Franklin resident who wore a Confederate butternut wool uniform, also helped stand guard over the coffin. The larger lessons of the Civil War are still alive today, he said.

"The Civil War actually made us a stronger nation than I think what we would have been without it," Eldridge said.

Candice Lawen, 38, brought her six children, who placed roses next to the coffin. The trip was a history lesson for her kids, whom she home-schools. The unknown soldier's death affected her.

"At the end of his life, nobody knew where he was or anything," Lawen said. "His parents didn't know where he was. It's really sad. It's great that he can be honored."

The burial of a man he never knew also affected Greg Wade, founder of the Franklin Civil War Round Table. He thought of his own family — including a son serving in the Army, his daughter in the Navy, and another son who's a police officer — and their work.

"I've got kids in the service myself and if anything ever happened, I'd want someone to take care of them," Wade said.

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From the Society Chaplain



Please remember the following people in your thoughts and prayers.

LOUISA MCCORD #12-

ANDREA WOLFE'S DAUGHTER IN LAW-KIMBERLY EVANS ON RECENT SURGERY
ANDREA WOLFE'S SON BRYAN EVANS ON EMERGENCY APPENDECTOMY.
ANDREA WOLFE'S FATHER WHO SUFFERED A TIA, CONTINUING ALZEIMERS' DETERIORATION AND OTHER HEALTH RELATED PROBLEMS.

Mary Hunt #13

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR CAMP MEMBER DAVID FOGLES'S FAMILY. PALMETTO CAMP 22 SCV IN THE PASSING OF HIS FATHER.
NANCY WHITE'S SON-IN-LAW
IRVIN SHULER, SC SCV
DIANE PADGETT'S BROTHER, CHARLES MOBLEY.
JOANN WATT'S BROTHER, LEE BRASINGTON.

ANN ELIZA HARLLEE #14-

LYNNE QUICK'S MOTHER-FRANCES RICHARDSON- SOME HEALTH ISSUES.
MARSHIA FISHER AND HER DAUGHTER, GWEN AND HUSBAND, JOHN CEAWALD.
ALSO, TRESSA FLORIA'S DAUGHTER, HAS A FRIEND WHO SHE WOULD LIKE FOR US TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER, THAT HAS BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH LEUKEMIA.
LAUREN DICKENS, NINE YEARS OLD. STARTING TREATMENTS ALREADY.
SANDRA BRUMBLES AND HER DAUGHTER, NIKKI, ALSO, HER DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.
HEIDI'S DAUGHTER, AMBER BRITT, EXPECTING HER FIRST CHILD, A BOY—JACKSON AND HER SON, ZACHARY WHO IS EXPECTING THEIR SECOND CHILD

IDA MATTHEWS LITCHFIELD #19

PLEASE KEEP DOTSON AND MYRTLE IN YOUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS, ALSO CYNTHIA HAYES'S FATHER ROY BUSH AND FATHER IN LAW PAUL HAYES ARE BOTH IN THE HOSPITAL WITH HEART PROBLEMS. ALSO KEEP KAYE HOLMES IN YOUR PRAYERS, AS MOST OF YOU KNOW KAYE PASSED OUT AT THE AYNOR HOE DOWN AND IS NOW AWAITING RESULT OF TEST SHE HAS HAD AND FUTURE TEST TO BE DONE IN CHARLESTON AT THE END OF THE MONTH. TALKED WITH JUDY AND SHE SAYS BUSTER AND DORIS BENTON HAVE BEEN UNDER THE WEATHER. CELIA TODD'S FATHER HAS ALSO BEEN UNDER A DOCTORS CARE WITH HEART PROBLEMS. ADD LEDA HUGGINS TO OUR PRAYER LIST. HER MOTHER HAS FALLEN AGAIN AND HAS HAD TO HAVE STITCHES. AND IS NOT DOING VERY WELL. PLEASE KEEP HER IN YOUR PRAYERS.

REMEMBER OUR SOLDIERS. THE WEATHER THERE IS TREMENDOUSLY MUCH HOTTER THAN HERE.

BLESSED ARE THEY THAT KEEP HIS TESTIMONIES, AND THAT SEEK HIM WITH THE WHOLE HEART. PSALM 119:2

**PRAYER,
FATHER, HELP US FOLLOW AFTER YOU WHOLEHEARTEDLY, AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR BLESSINGS WHEN WE DO. THANK YOU FOR BEING TRUTHFUL IN ALL THINGS. GUIDE OUR STEPS, WORDS, AND THOUGHTS, THAT THEY MAY ALWAYS BE PLEASING TO YOU. FATHER, UPLIFT THE NAMES LISTED HERE TODAY, AND ANY UNSPOKEN REQUESTS, DEAR FATHER.**



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Officials think SC Civil-War flag found in Iowa

Posted: Oct 02, 2009 7:46 AM EDT Updated: Oct 09, 2009 3:04 PM EDT

CHARLESTON, SC (AP) - Officials think a flag used by South Carolina military cadets three months before the Civil War has been found in an Iowa museum.

The Post and Courier of Charleston reported Friday that officials think they've found a flag used by Citadel cadets that fired on a U.S. supply ship headed to Fort Sumter on Jan. 9., 1861.

Most experts consider the Civil War started April 12, 1861, when Confederate forces bombarded the fort in the Charleston Harbor.

The red palmetto flag was donated to the museum by a Civil War veteran from Iowa in 1919 who had obtained it as the war ended in 1865.

The Citadel Alumni Association is in discussion with the State Historical Society of Iowa about bringing the flag to Charleston on long-term loan.

<http://www.wistv.com/Global/story.asp?s=11245555&clienttype=printable>

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**BE WITH THEM, HEAL THEM AND GUIDE THEM, AS DECISIONS ARE MADE AND CARRIED OUT.
FOR ALL THESE THINGS WE ASK IN YOUR MOST PRECIOUS NAME.
AMEN.**

"IN CHRIST"

CYNTHIA ARNETTE

SCOCR CHAPLAIN

ANN ELIZA HARLLEE#14

VICE-PRESIDENT

CYNTHIA ARNETTE

SCOCR-SOCIETY CHAPLAIN

ANN ELIZA HARLLEE OCR -VICE-PRESIDENT



From the Black Rose Chair



Ladies,

From the Black Rose Chair

With the weather beginning to get cool, we are reminded that memorial season is upon us. Let us keep the Confederate Soldier in our hearts and remember everything that they stood and died for. Let us try to set an example of his honor and conviction. As we spend our time fighting for the rights of true southern heritage, we must remember, they are the bones of our bones and the blood of our blood. Without them we would not be who we are today. When we stand in observance of memorials, I think the Confederate Soldier says, I am proud of those who have not forgotten me. We must carry on or the lives of the Confederate dead will be lost.

Please remember that SC Black Rose pins are available for purchase at \$10.00.

We are planning a Black Rose service at the State and National Conventions. Please send all names to be remembered and the name requesting the remembrance to me as soon as possible to have your friends and loved ones represented at the service.

May the cool breeze on your back remind you of our ancestors who came before us.

Warm Regards,

Heidi B Jackson

SC Chair, Keeper of the Rite



Time Waits for No One

To realize the value of a sister/brother ask someone who doesn't have one

To realize the value of ten years: ask a newly divorced couple.

To realize the value of four years: ask a graduate.

To realize the value of one year: ask a student who has failed a final exam.

To realize the value of nine months: ask a mother who gave birth to a stillborn.

To realize the value of one month: ask a mother who has given birth to A premature baby..

To realize the value of one week: ask an editor of a weekly newspaper.

To realize the value of one minute: ask a person who has missed the train, bus or plane.

To realize the value of one-second: ask a person who has survived an accident.

Time waits for no one.

Treasure every moment you have. You will treasure it even more when You can share it with someone special. To realize the value of a friend or family member: LOSE ONE.

The origin of this letter is unknown, But it brings good luck to everyone who shares it.

Remember....

Hold on tight to the ones you love! Wish your family and friends good luck always!



From the Black Rose Chair



South Carolina Order of Confederate Rose
Black Rose Society Membership Pin
Order Form



Above is a sample of the new pin available for Members of the SC Society Order of the Black Rose. The pins are hard enamel, gold plated, cloisonné type pins. They attach by a 2 pin with spur and military type clutch back (the same as the Society pins). They measure $1\frac{1}{16}$ " by $\frac{7}{8}$ ", and are made by the same company that made the current SCOCR membership pins. The cost of the pins is \$10.⁰⁰ each, which includes shipping. To order your pins fill out this order form and send it, along with your payment, to the address below.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: (____) ____ - ____ Email: _____

Chapter # _____ Chapter Name: _____

Quantity Ordered _____ X \$10.⁰⁰ each = \$ _____ total remitted

Make checks payable to: Heidi Jackson
Mail Order Form and check to:
Heidi Jackson - Keeper of the Rite
1512 E Jackson Street
Dillon, SC 29536

For any questions, please contact Heidi at:
egyptian41@aol.com



From one pumpkin to another!!!!!!



A woman was asked by a coworker,
'What is it like to be a Christian?'

The coworker replied, 'It is like being a pumpkin.'
God picks you from the patch, brings you in, and washes all
the dirt off you.

Then, She cuts off the top and scoops out all the yucky stuff.
She removes the seeds of doubt, hate, and greed. Then She
carves you a new smiling face and puts Her light inside of
you to shine for all the world to see.'



This was passed on to me by another pumpkin.
I liked this enough to send it to all the pumpkins in my patch.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



From the Heritage Chair



October 2-4

Wolf Oak Acres Civil War Days in Madison County, New York

Battle scenes, hospital scenes, living history, fashion show, vintage games, church service, candle light tours, artillery & cavalry. website: www.wolfoakacres.com

October 3

Rivers Bridge State Park Tours of the War Between the States battle between 5000 of General William T. Sherman's troops and 1200 Confederates in February 1865. The park is on the Salkehatchie River near the town of Ehrhardt in Bamberg County, South Carolina. website: <http://www.southcarolinaparks.com/park-finder/state-park/566.aspx>

October 9-10

Confederate Ghost Walk in Magnolia Cemetery of Charleston, South Carolina. Sponsored by the Confederate Heritage Trust. Tickets are now on sale for \$15 each & are expected to sell out. Tours begin every 30 minutes from 7 pm – 10 pm with about 60 "victims" per tour. The hour-long walk pauses to experience numerous living history scenarios, providing education & entertainment for teens and older.
website: www.csatrust.org/ghostwalk.htm

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From the Heritage Chair



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October 11

Ellison Capers Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will be **inducting "real daughter" Ms. Beulah Baggett Mims** into the organization. Her father, Rev. J.J. Baggett served in the Confederate army in the 23rd & 25th South Carolina Infantry. The ceremony will be at Horse Branch Baptist Church in Turbeville, S.C. because that is the same pastorate that Rev. Baggett served after the Late Unpleasantness.

A gift bag full of cards and greetings will be presented to Ms. Mims at the ceremony. To add your card to the gift bag, please send it as soon as possible to:

Ms. Beulah Baggett Mims
Care of Ms. Andrea C. Kemp
313 South Landsdale Drive
Florence, S.C. 29506-4110

Please inform Ms. Andrea Kemp if you plan to attend. Period attire is requested. semperfiumcbrat@aol.com

October 14-25

South Carolina State Fair in Columbia. Experience farming like most of our ancestors as well as some 21st century fun. website: www.scstatefair.org

October 17-18

145th **Battle of Cedar Creek** (Virginia)

Recreation of the Confederate route of the Union forces on Saturday; Federal counter-attack on Sunday; music by the 2nd South Carolina String Band; symposium topics such as canine heroes, 6th Rhode Island Artillery, nurses, and women soldiers. website: www.cedarcreekbattlefield.org

October 22-23

Haunted History at the Lexington County Museum in Lexington, South Carolina. Wander through time & preserved buildings with ghostly guides. website: www.lex-co/museum.html

October 24-25

Battle of Brattonsville in McConnells, South Carolina website: www.6thregimentsc.org/brattonsville.htm

October 25

Rehearsal for Gore & Folklore at 2:30 pm

October 27

Rehearsal for Gore & Folklore at 6 pm

October 29-30

6th Annual **Gore & Folklore Halloween Tours** at the South Carolina Confederate Relic Room & Military Museum in Columbia. Tickets on sale now!!! Only \$5 each. Show times both evenings 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, & 8:30 Each production lasts about 45 minutes. As ghoulish guides lead you on a spooky journey through the museum, experience hair-raising tales of strange events from the War Between the States and World War I. With haints, ghouls, & the undead out in full force, this event is not for the very young or the weak of heart. website: www.crr.sc.gov

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From the Heritage Chair



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October 31

Ghost Tour in Abbeville, South Carolina sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce 864-366-4000

November 7

Rivers Bridge State Park Tours of the War Between the States battle between 5000 of General William T. Sherman's troops and 1200 Confederates in February 1865. The park is on the Salkehatchie River near the town of Ehrhardt in Bamberg County, South Carolina. website: <http://www.southcarolinaparks.com/park-finder/state-park/566.aspx>

November 8

Iron Cross Dedication Ceremony in Columbia, South Carolina sponsored by Mary A. Hunt Chapter 13 of the Order of Confederate Rose and Palmetto Camp 22 of the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Details to follow.

November 13-15

Battle of Secessionville Reenactment & Living History. Boone Hall Plantation, Charleston, South Carolina. website: www.battleofsecessionville.org

November 13-15

7th Annual American Heritage Festival at Schnepf Farms in Queen Creek, Arizona requests participants. Email your portrayal information & interests to wemakehistory@aol.com to register & receive more details.

November 20

Remembrance Day Ball in the Grand Ballroom of the Historic Gettysburg Hotel in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania – at only \$30 per ticket with dance instruction, too, a sell-out is expected. website: www.civilwarlady.com

November 20-22

Raid on the Suwanee River Reenactment in Live Oak, Florida, near the original Confederate earthworks. General store, & restaurant on-site, Saturday evening ball, ladies tea, cannons, cavalry, artillery. To participate as a reenactor, please pre-register. website: www.floridareenactorsonline.com/suwaneeindex.htm

November 21-22

Rose Hill Plantation Candle Light Tour of the **Battle of Blackston** from the Revolutionary War. More information: <http://www.southcarolinaparks.com/park-finder/state-park/540/programs-by-park.aspx>

December 5

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December 4-5

Olde Abbeville Christmas, South Carolina sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce 864-366-4000



Society News



2009 Olde South Ball in Greenville, South Carolina

Greetings OCR ladies!

The OCR is invited to the **2009 Olde South Ball in Greenville, South Carolina!** Please forward this invitation on to your friends and network!

What:

An Olde South Ball! Join us for a time of good fun, a delicious dinner, and great dancing! You won't want to miss this delightful evening! Dance music will be provided by the *Blue Ridge Rounders* and dinner music will be provided by *Joyful Harps*.

Don't know how to dance? **A free dance practice** is offered the morning of the ball for all attendees (see attached flyer for details). The dances will also be explained at the ball itself and called by a dance caller. No previous experience is required!

When:

Saturday, December 12, 2009, 6:00 p.m.

Where:

Formely held in Augusta, GA, this delightful Christmas ball has *now moved* to **Greenville, South Carolina**, and will be held at the **Greenville Marriott**.

Cost:

Early bird tickets are \$60.00 per person, regular registration is \$65 per person. The ticket price includes a full sit-down dinner and dancing. Pre-registration is required. **The early bird deadline is October 31st.** You can register and pay online via PayPal at www.oldsouthball.com or you can download a mail-in registration form from the website.

Attire:

Period dress (uniforms or period civilian wear for the gents, ball dresses for the ladies) or **modern formalwear** (suits or tuxes for the gents, evening dresses for the ladies). Preferably, ladies and gents should both wear **white gloves**, whether wearing period or modern dress.

Advertising:

You can advertise your business or place an ancestor recognition ad in the ball program. **Rates start as low as \$5.00 per ad.** See the attached advertising flyer for details or visit <http://www.oldsouthball.com/advertising.html>.

Questions?

For more information, please visit www.oldsouthball.com, e-mail us at info@oldsouthball.com or call us 864-244-2732.

Please invite your friends and join us for a magical evening!

In Southron friendship,
Raquelle Sheen
Olde South Ball Committee



Society News



You are cordially invited to...

The Olde South Christmas Ball

Saturday, December 12, 2009

*The Olde South Ball has moved from Augusta, GA to Greenville, SC
info@oldesouthball.com ~ 864-244-2732*

<i>Ball Location</i>	<i>Dance Practice Location</i>
<i>Greenville Marriott One Parkway East Greenville, SC 29615 (Near the Greenville Airport)</i>	<i>11:00-12:30, December 12 FW Symmes Branch Library 1508 Pelham Rd, Greenville SC 29615 (about 5 minutes from the Marriott)</i>

Tickets

(Price includes formal sit-down dinner and dancing)

Earlybird registration: \$60 per person ~ deadline October 31

Regular registration: \$65 per person ~ deadline November 30 or when all tickets are sold

Note: No paper tickets. Attendees listed at www.oldesouthball.com/attendees.

<i>Schedule</i>	<i>Attire</i>
<i>6:00 p.m. ~ Arrival & Check-In</i>	<i>1860s formal ensembles or</i>
<i>6:30-11:30 p.m. ~ Dinner & Dancing</i>	<i>modern formal evening wear</i>

**** Register by credit card via PayPal at: www.oldesouthball.com ****

Or register by check with mail-in form below (or download mail-in form from website)

Make check payable to: Olde South Ball. Mail check and form to: Olde South Ball, PO Box 1484, Taylors SC 29687

Name(s) _____

Email (Important!) _____ Phone _____

Please help us save on mailing expenses and allow us to update you more quickly

Address _____

Entrée Selection(s) ~ Very Important! Specify the number of each: Beef _____ Chicken _____

Number of individuals planning to attend the free dance practice: _____

Questions? Email us at info@oldesouthball.com or call 864-244-2732.



Society News



Order of Confederate Rose – Awards Criteria

This year, at our Annual SC State Society Order of Confederate Rose meeting, awards will be presented on the individual level, for outstanding scrapbook, and historical event/project. Criteria for each of the awards is listed below. An awards judging committee will be set up prior to judging with member comprised of the OCR Chapter (or delegate appointed by the Chapter President) and outside non-OCR individuals. The location is to be determined, however, the time for the Awards Committee to meet will be from **10:30 AM until approximately 2:00 to 3:00 PM**, however long it will take.

Criteria for all awards will be judged by the Awards Committee and/or the SC Society OCR President. The recipient of the Belle Boyd Outstanding Citizenship Award will be determined by the SC State Society President. **Each Individual Award will only be presented once to a SC Society OCR member**

Individual Awards:

First Lady of the Confederacy Rose of the Year (Open to any member of the OCR who has shown outstanding leadership, faithfulness and discipline)

- Criteria: 1) Must be an active member, in good-standing, of the SC OCR for at least six (6) months or longer
 2) Must have given of their time, above and beyond the expectations of a Society OCR member, in assisting all state and local functions.
 3) Work with their supporting local SCV Camp; maintaining a good relationship as well as with other SCV Camps in the area and state.
 4) Members conduct must be above reproach for a lady or gentleman.

Mary Anna Custis Lee Award (Open to any member of the OCR who is recommended by a Chapter OCR President)

- Criteria: 1) Must be an active member, in good-standing, of the SC OCR
 2) Must have demonstrated selfless service to others outside of the OCR, showing exceptional dedication and responsibility
 3) Maintain a dignified and gracious demeanor becoming of a lady or gentleman.

Lucy Holcombe Pickens Queen of the Confederacy Award (open to any member of the OCR who is recommended by a Chapter OCR President)

- Criteria: 1) Must be an active member, in good-standing, of the SC OCR and their Chapter for at least six (6) months or longer
 2) Must maintain exceptional dedication, respect and responsibility in the demonstration of selfless service to others within the Chapter, Society, SCV and outside organizations and groups
 3) Shows outstanding leadership and faithfulness regarding South Carolina history in educating the public and historic group members with presentations, literature, discussions, and materials appropriate to the situation
 4) Maintains a gracious and respectful manner above reproach of a lady or gentlemen of the OCR in the public

Belle Boyd Outstanding Southern Citizenship Award (Open to anyone who is not an OCR member for outstanding service and dedication to the Confederacy; recommended by the SC State Society President)

- Criteria: 1) An individual who has shown outstanding leadership, faithfulness and a “winning way” to any Southern Heritage organization, group, or event.
 2) Strives continually to educate the public and preserve Confederate history and heritage, with the use of presentations, literature, discussions, and/or any proper method for the situation and time.
 3) Maintains a proper and dignified manner in all aspects of the public, the Society OCR, the SCV and all historical preservation groups.

David G. Keller Memorial Award (Open to members, non-members, or groups who exemplify the true dedication which Compatriot Keller had towards the preservation of the graves of the Confederate soldiers)

- Criteria: 1) An individual or group who has demonstrated their untiring devotion to the preservation of Confederate History.
 2) An individual or group who stands above all in the education of others.

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- 3) An individual or group whom the community looks up to.
- 4) An individual or group that David Keller would be proud of.

****Julia Jackson - OCR Youth of the Year Award** (Open to all S.C. Society Rosebuds & Thorns)



**Named after the only child of Thomas Stonewall Jackson and Anna Morrison Jackson to live to adulthood.
This award symbolizes the link of our past to that of our future.**

- Criteria: 1) The winner of this award must be either a Rosebud or a Thorn from the South Carolina Society Order of Confederate Rose.
- 2) The nominee must have documented evidence of her/his strive to promote Confederate history.
 - 3) The nominee is to have shown that she/he is a model citizen and must maintain conduct above reproach of a young lady or gentleman.
 - 4) The nominee is required to show that she/he is a good student.
 - 5) The nominee of this award must have been nominated by a member of their Chapter and their SCV Camp.

Chapter Award:

Mary Boykin Chesnut Scrapbook of the Year Award (Open to all active chapters in good-standing)

- Criteria: 1) Cover any period of the Chapter's existence; however must have current events or activities for the last six months.
- 2) Properly identify the Chapter
 - 3) Maintained in an album or book format
 - 4) Contain photos and /or news clips (if possible) of activities held in the local area and throughout the state.

Rose Greenhow Historical Event of the Year Award (open to all active chapters in good-standing to recognize their efforts in conducting/completing/presenting an outstanding event/project/memorial/dedication of their own or in conjunction with their support SCV Camp, during the past year).

- Criteria: 1) Must be an active OCR chapter in good standing for at least six (6) months.
- 2) Event must be of historical importance to the public for information and education on Southern history.
 - 3) Present the name, purpose and objective, date of the event, and members/spectators in attendance.
 - 4) Any additional pertinent information needs to describe the event/project.

**** NEW AWARD FOR 2010**



Society News



Ellison Capers Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy honors Mims



Jeff Smith/MORNING NEWS

After a 21-gun salute, Beulah Mims stands under guard by the Prospect 10th Regiment Camp SCV. She was honored Sunday at Horse Branch Free Will Baptist Church in Turbeville as a Daughter of the Confederacy.

Samantha Shepard/MORNING NEWS

Published: October 11, 2009

Beulah Marie Baggett Mims of Turbeville always knew and appreciated her father's yearlong service in the Confederate Army. But she did not realize what being a daughter of a Confederate soldier meant for others in the community.

"This is still such a shock. I couldn't believe everything they wanted to do for me," Mims said.

With pomp, circumstance and Civil War-era garb, Mims was inducted into the Ellison Capers Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy (UDC) on Sunday at Horse Branch Free Will Baptist Church in Turbeville. With the 37 members of the chapter and numerous family and friends in attendance, Mims, 93, became one of only 34 living "Real Daughters" on the UDC national roster and one of two in South Carolina.

This was not only a special event for Mims — for the Florence County chapter, it was something rare and extraordinary.

"This is something we may never see again ... a living connection to Confederate heritage," said Kevin Lassen, president of the Ellison Capers Chapter UDC.

Mims' father, John Jarriett Baggett, served in the Confederate Army from 1864-65 at the age of 17. He served in Company I, 23rd South Carolina Infantry and surrendered, along with the rest of the Confederate army, at the Appomattox Courthouse in April 1865. He then went on to serve as a reverend in Turbeville until his death in 1919 at the age of 79. Mims was born in 1916, just three years before his death.

"I was 3-years-old when he died. All I know is that he wanted me to have the sewing machine," she said.

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Mims spent the bulk of her life as a seamstress as a way to honor her father.

This ceremony was another way for Mims to honor her father's memory.

The service began with the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance, the Salute to the Flag of South Carolina and the Salute to the Confederate Flag, emphasizing the patriotism the UDC strives to embody.

With the new member ritual and presentation of a "Real Daughter" certificate and the singing of "Dixie," the attendees headed outdoors for a salute by the Stafford Militia from Latta.

As "Taps" played and muskets fired, Mims and other UDC members held back tears.

"I'm just so thankful to be here. I never thought I would make it to 93," Mims said.

The UDC is the oldest Southern heritage and patriotic organization made up of the lineal and collateral female descendants of the soldiers, sailors and statesmen of the Confederate States of America. Members must be women older than 16.

Originally established in 1896 as a service organization to aid Confederate soldiers and their families, the UDC expanded its role to include educational, historical, memorial, benevolent and patriotic responsibilities.

"The main objective is to preserve the true history and honor their memory," said Lassen, who has 32 ancestors who served the Confederacy.

Today, the UDC strives to honor the era of the Confederacy (1861-65) by providing scholarships for students who are descendants of Confederate servicemen, holding memorial services at burial sites of soldiers, participating in historical educational programs and working in VA hospitals to show respect and gratitude for those who continue to serve the country.

The South Carolina Division of the UDC was established in 1896 by a group of women who met at the Senate Chamber of the State House in Columbia. That same year, the Ellison Capers Chapter of Florence was established. By 1897, the number of chapters doubled from nine to 18 across the state.

Today, there are 56 chapters in South Carolina with more than 1400 members. Nationally, the UDC has chapters in 33 states and the District of Columbia.

http://www2.scnow.com/scp/news/local/pee_dee/article/ellison_capers_chapter_of_the_united_daughters_of_the_confederacy_honors_mi/80288/



Society News—Louisa McCord Chapter #12



Carole Crosby, Melanie Frye, and Andrea Wolfe of the Louisa McCord Chapter again assisted SCV Camp 51 with the quarterly highway clean-up in August. We started out at 7:30 a.m. this time to avoid the hot weather and it was a good thing we did! By 9:00 a.m., it was quite “humid”. It is amazing the things that people decide to throw out on the highway. I really feel if we could bag it up, strew it in their yard and let them see what they did, they *may* decide not to do so again.



Our Chapter is preparing for the 2010 OCR Annual Confederation of States Reunion that will be held in Anderson by planning our goody bag items and also for the 2010 State Annual Meeting that will be held in Florence. We have our menu planned for the Annual Camp 51 and Louisa McCord Chapter Christmas Dinner and also have some ‘goodies’ planned for all in attendance. We also have our Christmas goodwill project planned and can’t wait to begin!

One of our main projects in the coming year, is a quilt that each member will have a hand in completing. Once it is done, the Chapter will use as a main fundraiser for itself and our supporting SCV Camp. The Camp is working on its annual trip and we are excited to be able to assist and attend this event again.

I am honored to present some of the events that Louisa McCord Chapter member, Linda Wimpee is involved in. Linda is the secretary for the Echota Cherokee Tribe with over 34,000 members. “We just had our POW WOW and I am exhausted! Fun but work..... Mark and I were working for the government for the up coming census 2010. Teaching American Indians how to do the Census. We had over 2,000 on Saturday. This was a one on one.” What an inspiration Linda and husband, Mark are!



Echota Cherokee Wolf Clan members, Linda and Mark Wimpee and Linda’s adopted class whom she works with on an on-going basis.



Echota Cherokee Linda Wimpee, Linn Whitdeer and Janny Channy.



2009 4H Storytelling Contest



Society News—Captain William Farley Chapter #15



I personally want to take a moment to congratulate the Captain William Farley Chapter OCR on their growing number in membership! Each month, I receive an application for a new member from this chapter and I am so proud of them.

Last year, with our economy so badly off, past chapter president, Yvonne Knight, worried about the chapter and its future. For quite a while, the members did not have a regular meeting location and did what they could with what they had. We spoke and the dedicated members remained, though small in number, and worked with their sponsoring SCV Camp to continue their mission of the OCR and help in the monumental event this past summer of placing the McGowan Monument. Since then, the membership has grown and grown, and I congratulate President Pat Watts and vice-president, Yvonne Knight on their success.

To have your membership increase like this certainly means you are doing something right when ladies keep wanting to join your chapter!

My thanks and heartfelt appreciation to the members of this chapter for continuing to support the Order of Confederate Rose and the Sons of Confederate Veterans and every historical group that needs their help. We are all truly sisters in our heritage and history!

Respectfully to the members of OCR Chapter #15

.....yours in history.....

Andrea



Come see Steve and Andrea Wolfe in action at Elmwood Cemetery both nights!
for
Historic Hauntings

OCTOBER 27-28 | 5:30 P.M. - 9:30 P.M.

BUS DEPARTS FOR CEMETERY TOURS AT 6:00, 7:00, AND 8:00

ROBERT MILLS HOUSE AND GARDENS

1616 Blanding Street

Columbia, SC 29201

\$15, \$7 for children

\$10 for members, \$5 for children of members

Enjoy a tour of the Robert Mills House by lantern light while learning about mysterious occurrences in this historic house, neighborhood, and sites in Columbia. Following the lantern tour, take a bus tour to Elmwood Cemetery for a moonlight tour to hear captivating stories of 19th and 20th-century Columbia families, soldiers, and leaders buried at the site as a costumed guide leads groups on a path full of surprises. Bus departs at 6, 7, and 8 p.m. Reservations required.

Be sure to view our *Scarecrows in the Garden Exhibit* on the grounds, participate in our featured children's activity, and visit our Museum Shop while you wait.

CONTACT INFORMATION

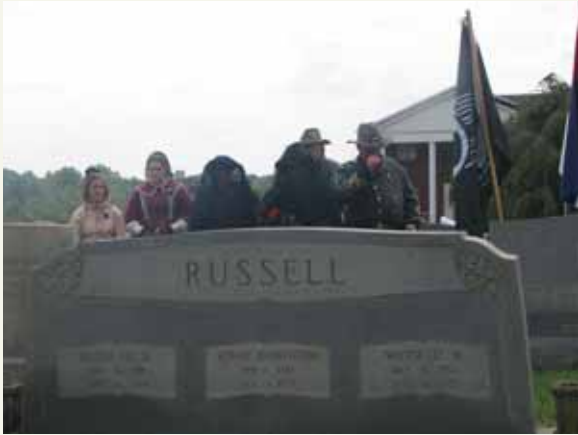
For reservations, call 803.252.1770, ext. 24 or email reservations@historiccolumbia.org.



Society News—Mary Hunt Chapter #13



Marker Dedication for Roy (JoAnn) Watts' relative.



**Kristine Stonehill telling of her time at
Sam Davis Youth Camp in July**





Society News—Mary Hunt Chapter #13



Pictures from Raylrode Daze Festival





Society News—Ann Eliza Harlee Chapter #14



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Dedication honors Robeson Confederate
By Hilary Kraus
Staff writer

ST PAULS - The heroics of the late William Townsend were brought to life Saturday afternoon.

Eighty-two years after the Civil War veteran died, a stone dedication was performed by the Sons of Confederate Veterans South Carolina Camp 2010.

About a dozen members of the Capt. Andrew T. Harlee Camp 2010 chapter from Dillon, S.C., dressed in Civil War garb, presented a dedication fitting for the time.

Rifles were shot, a cannon was fired and taps was played, as a few friends and family members stood near Townsend's tombstone at the Oak Ridge Cemetery.

"It touched my heart to think about what all he must have gone through and what all the others must have gone through," said Jean Townsend Duncan, great-granddaughter of William Townsend and a St. Pauls resident. "It made me almost tearful to think about it."

The ceremony was one of eight performed at six different cemeteries on Saturday. The brigade also was in Hamer, S.C.; Raynham and Lumberton, before arriving in St. Pauls.

Gilbert Townsend, a distant cousin of Duncan and member of the Dillon chapter, is a descendent of all the men recognized. He organized the ceremonies.

William Townsend, a native of Robeson County, was a private with the N.C. Infantry Company D. The infantry was organized in 1861 and included members from Robeson, New Hanover, Bladen, Columbus and Richmond counties.

The army unit of 1,100 men participated in numerous battles and lost 57 percent of the 396 men in the Seven Days battles. Of the 346 in action at Gettysburg, 25 percent were disabled.

Duncan said her great-grandfather was wounded in the war, but she was uncertain of details.

"I know he was known as a sharp shooter and was there right behind Gen. (Robert E.) Lee," Duncan said.

William Townsend was 84 when he died in 1927. He was buried with his confederate pin on his chest.

Staff writer Hilary Kraus can be reached at kraush@fayobserver.com or 323-4848, ext. 331.

<http://www.fayobserver.com/Articles/2009/10/04/940007>



Society News—Ann Eliza Harllee Chapter #14



Ann Eliza Harllee members busily working on SC State Annual meeting ditty bags and goodies for them .





Society News—Queenie Rose Chapter #20



Hello All!!

Greetings from the Queenie Rose Chapter # 20. We have been working on making shoe bags and purses. We are also going to be assisting in the ghost walk. If you have never been on the Ghost walk in Charleston, Please check it out! You can find more information at <http://www.csatrust.org/GhostWalk.htm>. We will also be preparing food for the camp every other month. We are kind of excited about this.

The H.L. Hunley camp will have a skeet shoot Oct 3rd. 2009 at Partridge Skeet Club in Ridgeville. This is their first one and I know there will be more to come. We will be out there showing our support.

There are quite a few events coming with the camp . Theresa McKnight was presented with the Lady's appreciation award from the H.L. Hunley Camp on Aug 27th. We are also still working on our logo. We had the pleasure to have tea with some of the ladies from Snowden Chapter OCR. Everyone enjoyed it. The Coastal Carolina fair is coming to Charleston Oct 29 - Nov 7. We will be maintaining an information booth along side the camp. Hope all is going well with everyone. If anyone has any by-law suggestions or question please contact Theresa McKnight at thtmcknight@yahoo.com.

For the Love of Family & Heritage

Queenie Rose Chapter # 20



Society News—Salt Ketchers Chapter #06



The Chapter hasn't been able to have a meeting to discuss how the Poker Run came out yet. Sandra and I were out there to help but weren't able to stay the entire day. There was plenty of help out there and I think that it was a huge success. When we left, approximately 70 bikes had gone out and they were expecting more to show up. Will keep you informed on our progress. Hope all is great with you and yours.

Thanks again for thinking of us.

Sarah Jo
Salt Ketchers Chapter #6



From the Society President



Delicious holiday gift for family and friends

MINI PUMPKIN PECAN ORANGE SOAKED CAKES

INGREDIENTS

1/2 cup chopped pecans
 1 can (15 oz.) LIBBY'S® 100% Pure Pumpkin
 4 large eggs

1 pkg. (18.25 oz.) spice cake mix
 1 cup vegetable oil
 Orange Syrup



DIRECTIONS

Preheat oven to 350°F. Grease and flour two 6-cake mini Bundt pans. Sprinkle nuts over bottom. Combine cake mix, pumpkin, vegetable oil and eggs in large mixer bowl. Beat on low speed for 30 seconds or until blended. Beat for 4 minutes on medium speed. Spoon about 1/2 cup into each mold. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in cakes comes out clean. Remove from oven. With back of spoon, carefully pat down dome of each cake to flatten. Let cool in pans for 5 minutes. Invert cakes onto cooling rack (s). Poke holes in cakes with wooden pick. Spoon a tablespoon of Orange Syrup over each cake. Allow syrup to soak in. Cool completely before serving or wrapping for gifts.

ORANGE SYRUP:

Place 1/4 cup butter, 1/2 cup granulated sugar, 2 tablespoons water and 2 teaspoons grated orange peel in small saucepan. Bring to a boil. Remove from heat. Stir in 2 tablespoons orange juice.

Yields 12 cakes.

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Upcoming Events

October 24-25

**Battle of Brattonsville in McConnells,
South Carolina**

October 29-30

Gore and Folk Lore

October 31

Ghost Tour in Abbeville

November 7th

Rivers Bridge State Park Tours

November 8th

Iron Cross Dedication Ceremony

November 13-15

Battle of Secessionville

November 21-22

**Rose Hill Plantation Candle Light Tour of
the Battle of Blackston**



The OCR is an independent support group to the Sons of Confederate Veterans - organization and local camps thereof, governed by its own bylaws and standing rules. We are non-profit, non-racial, non-political and non-sectarian.

OCR chapters in South Carolina and members-at-large support the Sons of Confederate Veterans, and help preserve Confederate Heritage and symbols, educational, benevolent and social functions.

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