

# **The Hughes News**

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# Message From The Commander, Jason Coffman

#### **Confederate Patriots**,

On Tuesday Project Veritas revealed that the Federal Bureau of Investigations lists the Gadsden Flag, Liberty Tree Flag, Betsy Ross Flag and Revolutionary War imagery as 'extremist' symbols. The leaked document, obtained through a Federal Bureau of Investigation whistleblower lists numerous symbols, historic references, common phrases, and military networks that Militia Violent Extremists may use or associate with.



The released leaked documents from the Federal Bureau of Investigations outlined symbols they say are commonly used by "Anti-Government or Anti-Authority Violent Extremists," noting specifically "Militia Violent Extremists. The Federal Bureau of Investigations did concede though that "the use or sharing of these symbols alone should not independently be considered evidence of Militia Violent Extremists presence or affiliation or serve as an indicator of illegal activity, as many individuals use these symbols for their original, historic meaning, or other nonviolent purposes."

Nothing was conveyed in the article about Southurn Confederate Military symbols though. How long will it be before they go after them is the question? If you believe the SCV is too radical which it is not, you should rethink about what you see happening around you right now. The SCV is a veterans heritage organization, not a militia. Always remember the oath you affirmed or swore to the constitution and to uphold the honor of your Confederate ancestors. I will see you all at the next meeting.

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# **Camp Calendar**

August 11th 7:00 PM - Camp Meeting NEW PLACE! Zarda BBQ: 214 NW Hwy 7, Blue Springs, MO 64014 Our speaker this month will be: Still working on that! Show up by 6 to eat first, let's support our venues business!

August 4th, 5th, 6th Odessa Puddle Jumper Days. We need workers to cover this long event! We need to make some bank!

October 22nd, Secession Day Dinner. Flyer enclosed! Inn at Grand Glaize.

March 25-26, 2023 Missouri Division and Society Reunion. Hosted by Hughes and Craven Camp! Mark your calendars now, we'll need all Hands on deck!



Br. Gen. John T Hughes

# What's been happening on the Western Front

#### Camp Meeting, July 14th....

In July we had former **Missouri Division UDC President Ladonna Scott** as our speaker. Her subject was, **Why Genealogy Matters** 

It was a great speech. One of her points is, if a kid knows they had a relative in the American Revolution or the Civil War, suddenly that makes that history of interest to them. They wonder, what was life like for my relatives in those wars. It makes it personal and gives them a connection.

She asked, were you thrilled when you discovered a relative that did something cool?

Does it help you connect with your family to know where they came from, what did they do, what trials they had to live thru, what were their dreams?

People want to belong. It's fun to identify with relatives that have done great things. And it's mental stimulation.

She asked, if you belong to the SAR or DAR, have you looked up to see who else has entered under the same ancestor you did? You might discover a new cousin or something.

Also, knowing your family medical history might help you with your own medical knowledge. Is there family history of certain health conditions? When kids no more about their family history, it gives them higher self esteem, it helps them deal with Stress better knowing what stresses their family has been thru, and provides a sense of identity.

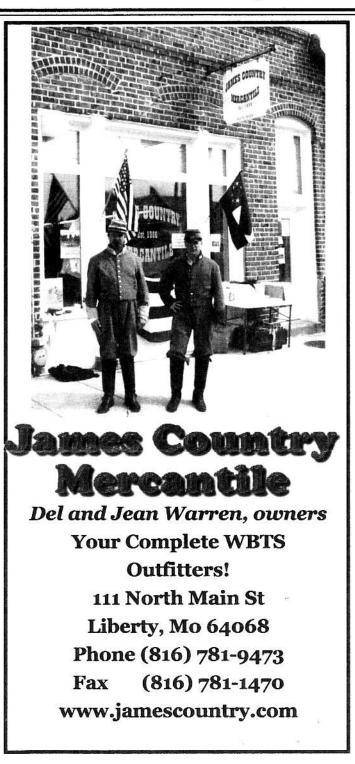
She gave us some genealogy charts geared for kids to fill out. Give those to one of your grandkids and help them fill them out.

And as she said, if you don't know your history, then you are a Tree with no roots!

# Thanks so much to Ladonna Scott for her great presentation!



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### Dues collection for 2022

Hi Men,

At this point I've paid HQ for all the men that have paid so far. Thanks so much to all that returned your dues timely!

I do have quite a few stragglers and wer'e now past the due date of August 1.

You should have that envelope from me on your desk! Please take a minute to return it now at this time. If you get past August 20th or so, add \$5 to be reinstated. If you get it to me late in August, you can't count on me to have the time to get you submitted by August 30th. You'll have to ask me then how many things I'm in the middle of!

If you did not receive a dues notice, let me know. The mailman might have scummed you, I did mail out to each member. So if you didn't receive it, let me know, but if your annual member, just mail a check payable to Hughes Camp to:

Larry Yeatman 5606 NE Antioch Rd Gladstone, MO 64119

Thanks! Larry Yeatman

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# Chaplain's Corner, Hughes Camp Chaplain Richard W Rudd



All of us have an innate need to be needed. Most of us have a sense of purpose, the will to accomplish something in life, and the desire to be known and recognized for who we are and what we have done. Unless one is a spy, total anonymity is normally unwanted. Friends and family give us recognition just for who we are.

But, the general public gives recognition for what we do. When people first meet, they usually exchange names and then inquire about what they do in life. Our type of work is closely associated with our identity. Recognition for what we do comes in different degrees, whether by name or visibility. One might accomplish something that makes their name known, but allow them to appear in public unnoticed. Earning facial recognition can come at the price of loss of privacy and freedom of movement. Public recognition also comes in different types, whether in the form of fame or infamy. The followers of Nimrod at Babel became infamous when they boasted, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves ... " (Gen. 11:4) Except for Nimrod, none of their names are known. Today, recognition might be sought with less august aspirations. Just as dogs often bark, not to be ferocious, but merely to get attention, so children sometimes misbehave for the same reason and some adults achieve notoriety for their criminal activities. Whatever the degree or type of recognition and whatever its duration, we are known and perhaps remembered, for better or worse, for what we do.

Fame can be transitory. As a child, I can remember small jets writing letters and making symbols in the sky with the vapor discharged from their engines. What was plain for all to see eventually evaporated and was forgotten. JFK was a popular president and the last to be assassinated. For many years that sad anniversary was commemorated with solemnity. Nearly 60 years later, Nov. 22 passes as just another day. Recently, I asked, to no avail, an individual in their early 20's if they recognized the name of a late orchestra leader who had a TV show and national fame in the 1950's and '60's. It takes only about two generations before many people's hard-earned fame evaporates like a jet's vapor trail.

Dementia is a terrible affliction of one's mentality. making victims of the patient and all of those who care for them. The patient no longer knows their family and friends and those who care feel helpless, knowing there is nothing they can do to cure the malady. To want desperately to accomplish something, whatever it might be, and to be prevented from doing it, regardless of the reason, whether it be due to lack of opportunity or mental, physical, or fiscal capability, is tormenting. One of the worst things than can be said about somebody is for one to say intentionally that they wish they never knew them. Unintentionally, the passage of time produces the same effect as dementia when successive generations forget their predecessors and their accomplishments.

Beginning with Adam, of the millions of people who have lived and all of the things they have done, few have their names carved in the stone of perpetuity. The Good Samaritan selflessly cared for the victim of robbers who left him half dead (Lk. 10:30), but we do not know his name. And "...wise men from the East came to Jerusalem ... " and "... they saw the Child with Mary His mother, and they fell down and worshipped Him. Then, opening their treasures, they offered Him gifts ... " (Matt. 2:1, 11) This historic event, known as the Epiphany, was the first time the Messiah was revealed to Gentiles, yet we do not know their names. We know the eternal fate of the two men hung on crosses beside Christ at Calvary because of what they did in the final hours of their lives, but their names remain unknown.

Most of us who strive to defend the cause of our Founding Fathers and Confederate heroes will not achieve a place in recorded history like Washington and Jefferson, Davis and Lee. Most of us who propagate the Gospel, some still suffering persecution and martyrdom, will not have their names listed with the apostles. With the passage of time and at the hands of editors and revisionists, the place of the names and accomplishments of those recorded in history books and today's headlines can be

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temporal and fleeting. The only lasting recognition is realized by those whose names are written on people's hearts and for "...those who are written in the Lamb's book of life." (Rev. 21:27) To him who is faithful, Christ promises, "...I will not blot his name our of the book of life; I will confess his name before My Father and before His angels." (Rev. 3:5) Not all of us are given the same talents or responsibilities, but whatever our role is, we can all be part of one team working for a common goal. It is not the magnitude of our task that matters; it is our faithfulness, dependability, diligence, and courage that count. Christ promises that if "...you have been faithful over a little, I will set you over much..." The only recognition that matters when our work is finished is to hear Christ tell us, "Well done, good and faithful servant..." (Matt. 25:21)

# Fr Richard Rudd

Hughes Camp Chaplain



Check out this crew! Ladonna Scott loves to take pictures, and had us take this shot at the July Camp meeting! Pretty cool picture! And thanks to Ladonna for having us do this. The meeting was well attended and was a great event.



Missouri Society, Military Order of the Stars and Bars 2022 Secession Day Dinner Saturday October 22nd

Big Announcement! We will reveal the namesake of the Missouri Society Scholarship



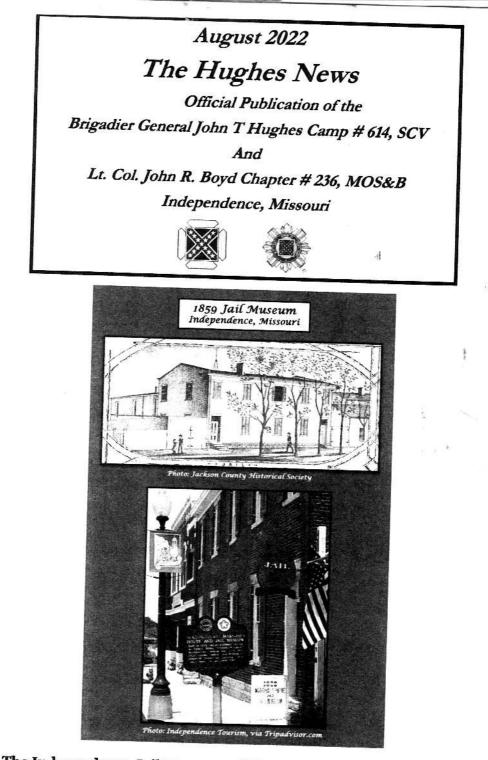
Location/Lodging Inn at Grand Glaize 5142 Osage Beach Parkway Osage Beach, MO 65065 1-800-348-4731 https://innatgrandglaize.com please be sure to mention MOSB

# Registration: August 01, 2022

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Secession Day Dinner Saturday October 22, 2022 Remembering the Anniversary of Missouri's Secession	
SHOW ME Hosted by the Missouri Society, Military Order of the Stars and Bars.	
Our Keynote Speaker this year be Past Commander General of the Military Order of the Military Order of the Stars and Bars Jeff Massey.	We will be making a big announcement concerning who the Missouri Society has elected to honor with the naming of the Scholarship Program.
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 \$74 per night plus tax. Make your reserva-tions by September 22nd to get that rate, please mention you are with the MOSB and the group code is MOSB22.	YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!
<ul> <li>5:30 PM - Doors open for Social Hour Mint Juleps will be back by popular demand and maybe even Amaretto Sours!</li> <li>6:00 PM - The evening begins with greetings from Missouri Society Commander, Jon Trent to be followed by Dinner, Keynote, and Scholarship Announcement. Cost is \$35 per adult. Children under 12 are \$20 Registration deadline is October 10th, 2022.</li> <li>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!</li> </ul>	
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The Independence Jail Museum will be one stop on our tour at next years convention!