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# The Hughes News

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Camp # 614

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## Message from Commander Sam Stanton

### Compatriots and Friends,

Camp meeting is coming up Thursday July 13th. Hope to see you all there!

It's time for annual dues, watch the mail for an invoice from Larry Yeatman

**Odessa Puddle Jumper Days** festival is August 3rd, 4th, 5th. We'll need to man the booth for that. Hours of operation are 5 PM to 10 PM on Thursday, then 9 AM to 10 PM on Friday and Saturday. It will take some manpower to cover those hours. Please set aside some time to help the camp make



some money and reach out to the public. We need the money to do all the things we need to do and fund our battles.

Next event is **Holden Street Fair** August 24, 25, 26. Minimum booth hours for that event are: Thursday from 5-9 pm, Friday from 5-9:30 pm, Saturday from 10-10:00pm

After that, we have a one day event at Lone Jack on October 14th for the reenactment of the Quantrill Men Reunion. Dan Hadley of the Lone Jack historical society spoke with us about that in May.

We've considered Harrisonville again, but they are pricey. Might be better to find something else we can do in September

See you Thursday!

**Sam Stanton**  
**Commander**  
**Hughes Camp 614**

[www.hughescamp.org](http://www.hughescamp.org)



### Camp Calendar

**July 13th 6:30 PM - Camp Meeting Zarda BBQ: 214 NW Hwy 7, Blue Springs, MO 64014** Show up by 6 to eat first, let's support our venues business! We have lots to discuss, so no speaker, we'll use our time to take care of business!

**August 3, 4, 5 Odessa Puddle Jumper Days**

**August 24, 25, 26 Holden Steet Fair**

**October 14th- Battle of Lone Jack Historical Society, Recreation of Quantrill Men Reunion.** This event is being put on by the Quantrill Society and Lone Jack Historical Society. Should be a neat event! I'll get you a flyer!

**October 21st Secession Day Dinner, hosted by the Missouri Society MOS&B.** a flyer will be coming shortly, but mark your calendar in the meantime! Should start about 5 or 5:30. Event will be at the Inn at Grand Glaize,



Br. Gen. John T Hughes

### What's been happening on the Western Front

#### Camp Meeting, June 8th....

In June we had Lane Smith speak to us impersonating Robert E Lee. Thanks to Lane for coming to see us!



Below, Commander Stanton reads a resolution sent from the SCV Chaplain in Chief to mark the passing of Greg Anderson's uncle and Camp Member, Kenneth Anderson, who passed away earlier in the year...





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2023 Sponsors Needed! Thanks to Matt Knapp, Steve Ferguson of Spring Cliff Farm, Greg Anderson, Joe Ferrara, Andy Johnson. Thanks for helping to keep the presses rolling!

### **Message from Boyd Chapter Commander Stephan Ferguson**

#### **Compatriots,**

A few days ago, my wife and I were working on the fence lines on our family farm. I was hammering in some fence staples on an old post. Instantly my gloves and arms were covered with ants. Then, my pants and chest were covered. And in minutes, the ants were everywhere. I had disturbed their quiet and tranquil existence.

The MOS&B and SCV need to be like those ants. Our quiet and tranquil and relatively peaceful coexistence in society has been disturbed. The cancel culture (woke culture) is trying to rid us of our peaceful coexistence and the history of our beloved Southern Heritage. We must be like that army of ants. We must come from everywhere and cover our circle of influence and speak the TRUTH to a listening and watching world.

Remember: Secession Day Dinner - October 21st. Forms have been sent out. You do NOT want to miss this speaker, coin, and event.

Remember: 87th Annual MOS&B General Convention, May 16th to 19th, 2024, Springfield, Missouri. Forms are in the "Officer's Call" now and will be in the newsletter later.

Remember: renew your membership for LIFE!! – Ask me why!!

Important: Please join the Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund and be a Legion of Merit member. The form is attached to this newsletter. Please read about this important way to preserve our Southern Culture.

See you at the meeting!!

God bless America.

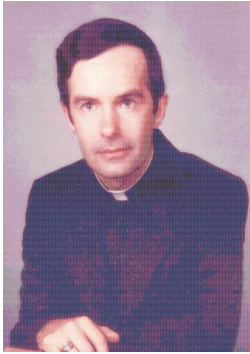
God bless Dixie.

And God bless our families.

**Steve Ferguson, Commander  
Lt. Col. John R. Boyd Chapter #236**



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



*Continued from June...*

Last month's article dealt with how Satan plots to destruct us from living ethical lives. One tactic is to convince us to believe a lie and accept its short-term advantages. Failing that, Satan resorts to two other tactics. Those who do not believe the lie and do not take the bait

Satan will try to silence. Unable to mount a credible defense against truth, those who do Satan's bidding seek to conceal the hypocrisy and irrationality of their intentions by silencing those who oppose them. The Jewish rulers and elders arrested Peter and John for publicly speaking "...and charged them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus." (Acts 4:18) Later, the Jewish council again arrested the apostles and "...beat them and charged them not to speak in the name of Jesus..." (Acts 5:40) The Nazis burned the books of authors they disliked. Lincoln closed newspapers and suspended habeas corpus to jail and silence opposition to his policies. Today Moslem nations ban the Bible from their lands. Freedom of speech, debate, and the exchange of ideas are discouraged on university campuses. Unpolitically correct messages are banned from the internet. The news media refuses to report what conflicts with the liberal agenda. History is being edited, revised, and censored to silence the voice of the dead and expunge their record. The Wuhan virus was used as a trial attempt to prevent the assembly of certain groups, especially churches. The author of Hebrews advised, "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering...not neglecting to meet together, encouraging one another..." (Heb. 10:23) The strategy of divide and conquer is an attempt to prevent strength in numbers, mutual edification and support, and perseverance in loyalty to our beliefs and sense of duty.

In a final act of desperation, Satan removes the fist from the glove, resorting to forceful tactics. "On the evening of ...the first day of the week, the doors being shut where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews..." Christ's followers hid. (Jn. 20:19) Later, Nero persecuted Christians. After him, Diocletian burned the Holy Scriptures like the Nazis, closed churches and banned Christian assemblies like Moslems and Chinese Communists, and conducted the last major Roman persecution of Christians

in AD303. Today, anti-abortion facilities are vandalized, businesses that do not support sodomy are sued, employment is jeopardized, and public officials are prosecuted if they are not supportive of the liberal, secular agenda.

In the face of beguiling charm, voracious and incongruent lies, or bold intimidation and threats, we must cease to be "timid and afraid" and echo the words of Elihu, "I also will give my answer; I also will declare my opinion." "I must speak, that I may find relief; I must open my lips and answer." (Job 32:6, 17, 20) At Pentecost, after the advent of the Holy Spirit, the apostles, inspired with boldness and courage, spoke publicly to the people gathered in Jerusalem. The enemies of the Gospel were still present. "But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, 'Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words.'" "So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about 3,000 souls." (Acts 2:14, 41) Who knows what possible effect our words might accomplish if we resist the convenience of silence and dare to demonstrate assurance, deny fear, and speak up in the face of opposition. But before we do so, we must be prepared, grounded in the knowledge of what we believe and why we believe it. "Always be prepared to make a defense to one who calls you to account..." (I Peter: 3:15) When Christ was tempted by Satan in the wilderness, He quoted scripture saying, "It is written..." (Matt. 4:1-10) When we are tempted, Christ advises us to follow His example, to know the truth and act in accordance with it. "Everyone then who hears these words and does them will be like a wise man..." (Matt. 7:24) Our Confederate ancestors, though out-gunned, demonstrated their resolve and courage to defend the wisdom of their beliefs. Though that battle was lost, by their example they cast the die for our formation to continue the defense of the cause for which they sacrificed so much. As President Davis prophetically stated, "The principle for which we contend is bound to reassert itself, though it may be another time and another form."

**Father Richard Rudd**  
**Hughes Camp Chaplain**



### ***Boyd Chapter Swears in Kevin Low***



In June, Boyd Chapter swore in Kevin Wade Low, into the MOS&B and Boyd Chapter. Kevin entered the MOS&B under one of his Relatives, General J.O. Shelby. Very cool! Kevin is also our 1st Lt. Commander for Hughes Camp.

Above, Boyd Chapter Commander Steve Ferguson swears in Kevin, then presents Kevin with his MOS&B Certificate.

Good job to Kevin and welcome to the Boyd Chapter Merry Band!

#### ***Note from Adjutant Larry Yeatman***

Howdy all,

Sorry, this is the second month in a row I'm late with the news, and emailing it out versus printing and mailing. The list of excuses is long! Biggest problem I've had is the home computer being on the fritz with some software and I've been unable to use Microsoft Publisher at home. And life in my office is too busy to do this at work. But that is what I've done the last 2 months. My IT guy has me fixed up at home now, so maybe I can get back to normal. I usually sit down at about 10 PM at home to jamb out newsletters, and that has not been happening with the computer not working too well with Microsoft Office products!

Next, I need to mail out Annual Dues notices for Hughes Camp members. I'll attempt to get those out of my office this week! Might save some postage and bring dues notices to the camp meeting tomorrow!

Ok, back to the grind and thanks!

Larry Yeatman



## Military Order of the Stars and Bars Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund

Shortly after the war for Southern Independence was over, the patriotic women of the South banded together to care for their honored dead by moving them from the battlefields to cemeteries, seeing that their graves were properly marked and building monuments to their memory on town squares and courthouse lawns throughout the South. We now face a different culture that would like to destroy this last vestige of tribute to our courageous ancestors.

Unfortunately, this attitude has even become pervasive in the South. Paying homage to our Confederate dead by erecting cemetery markers and monuments is not "politically correct" either. More and more the cemetery markers and monuments to our Confederate Soldiers are defaced and destroyed by acts of vandalism.

That is why the Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund needs your help and support.

Through the Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund, the Military Order of the Stars and Bars is undertaking to restore and rebuild Southern memorials and monuments and providing scholarships to our young men and women. We are emphasizing to our Southern Youth that the Confederacy is not accurately portrayed by the media or by many educational institutions.

The MOS&B has formed the Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund to fight the battle against "political correctness" and apathy. Our long-term goal is to raise One Million (\$1,000,000.00) to promote our Confederate Heritage.

We need your help.

Specifically, the Confederate Legacy Endowment will:

- 1) Obtain land acquisitions and right-of-ways in/around Confederate memorials/monuments.
- 2) Establish a perpetual Confederate monument and memorial maintenance fund.
- 3) Fund Academic Scholarships.
- 4) Construct statuary for our Confederate heroes.
- 5) Publish Pro-Confederate books and treatises.

Compatriot, we are asking that you pledge \$1,000 to the Confederate Legacy Endowment.

Your pledge can be ascribed over a period of four years (\$250/year). The Order is a registered 501 (c) (3) tax exempt organization and your financial gift is tax deductible.

### Confederate Legacy Endowment Fund Pledge

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# 33rd Annual Missouri Society, Military Order of the Stars and Bars

## Missouri Secession Day Dinner

**Save the Date: Saturday October 21st, 2023**

Questions or Inquiries

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### Location / Lodging

Inn at Grand Glaize

5142 Osage Beach Pkwy.

Osage Beach, MO 65065

1-800-348-4731 or

<https://innatgrandglaize.com>

Room Rate : \$79.00 + Taxes Please  
mention you are with MOSB

### Registration

Individual - \$40.00

Couple (2 adults) - \$75.00

Children-\$25.

All registrations include dinner and the  
first issue of a series of Secession Day  
challenge coins featuring General  
Sterling Price

(coin pictured below)

## Keynote Presentation

### *"A Night with General Sterling Price"*

Missouri Society, MOSB member and Commander of the Campbell's Company Camp # 2252 SCV Republic, MO Scott George will entertain you with a visual and oratory salute to General Sterling Price. "Ol Pap" as his closest friends refer to him has been a living model for portraits of General Price, portrayed the beloved General in Living History Events and Reenactments, and has a abiding affection for General Price and all the stories and deeds of his military career and beyond.

**Registration Information will follow at  
a later date.**







# Secession Day Dinner October 21, 2023

## 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 Scott George, who will be doing a First Person Impression of General Sterling Price. Scott is a long time member of the SCV and MOS&B, and a long time reenactor.*



#### Location and Lodging

Inn at Grand Glaize  
5141 Highway 54  
Osage Beach, MO 65065  
1-800-348-4731

We have secured a room rate of \$79 plus tax.

Room Reservation deadline is Thursday, Sept 21, 2023, so get your reservation in early. Tell them your with the MOSB Secession Day Dinner and Group Code is:

**5:30 PM - Doors open for Social Hour** Mint Juleps Provided!

**6:00 PM - The Dinner begins with greetings from the Missouri Society Commander, Jon Trent, followed by Scott George and General Sterling Price.**

**Cost is \$40 per adult or \$75 per couple, Children under 12 are \$25 Registration deadline is October 14th, 2023. Challenge coin Included with your reservation!**

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](mailto:larryyeatman@msn.com) We hope to see you all there! *Deo Vindice! Larry Yeatman, Missouri Society MOSB Adjutant*

#### 2023 Missouri Secession Day Dinner Registration Form

Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Guest, names and titles \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number of Adult Individual Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40.00 per person = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

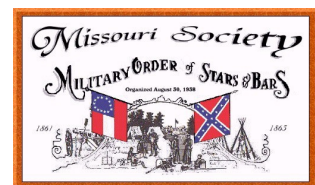
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Total Number of children under 12 \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25.00 per person = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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*From the Desk of Missouri Division Commander Jeff Futhey*

*July 2023*

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**The Missouri Dispatch** is your primary news source and information from the Missouri Division, SCV. The July Division Notes were the first Notes emailed to all our MO Division members who have email addresses registered with the Division Adjutant. Please email new members' names and email addresses to [modivisionadjutant@gmail.com](mailto:modivisionadjutant@gmail.com).

**New SCV camp in Rolla, MO!** We welcome the Captain Moses Jasper Bradford Camp 2344. Membership director Eric Previti from HQ gave me a courtesy call informing me of the new camp charter name and number. Herb Turner will command the Bradford camp with 1st Lt Commander David Cowell and Adjutant Danny Creason.

**Liberty Missouri** City Council reinvestment lawsuit continues against our cemetery block that has our Grave Marker. Compatriot Dewayne Holtzclaw has attended more than 72 city council meetings defending his people's burial marker. If your camp hasn't helped with a small donation towards this fight, please take a second look at donating towards this battle to save our grave marker. I want to take the time to thank the camp and individuals that have sent funds to help us defend the Liberty grave marker.

**An executive council vote** is needed to approve the 2023-2024 fiscal year budget. Camp commanders, more information to follow.

**Radio ads** are being finalized in the state's southeastern section for educating and recruiting purposes. The Storm 97.5 KOEA-FM and the Rock 104.5 KCBW have agreed to play our ads from the Confederate Legion. Stoddard Rangers Camp 2290, Dexter, MO. General M. Jeff Thompson Camp 2277, Farmington, MO, and the Doniphan, MO, will be in the signal area. Listen for the ads to air in August 2023.

### **Camp Commanders' reminders for their members**

- July dues renewal. \$35 National, \$10 Division, Camp dues vary. All member dues should be collected by Camp Adjutant or Treasurer and then submitted by that person to National and Division, respectively. Total Camp National dues can be paid online (if set up for that) or by mail at SCV, Attn: Membership, PO Box 59, Columbia, TN 38402. Total Camp Division dues, payable to Missouri Division SCV, should be sent to Missouri Division Adjutant Wes Franklin at 12161 Norway Road, Neosho, MO 64850. Please include rosters of paid and unpaid members.
- The National SCV and MO Division both have lifetime memberships available.
- If attending the National Reunion, bring credentials and SCV ID membership card.
- Send Camp event photos to the Confederate Veteran magazine by emailing them to Editor-in-Chief Frank Powell at [eic@scv.org](mailto:eic@scv.org)

**2023 Reunion medals.** Hughes's Camp is offering the additional 2023 Missouri Reunion souvenir medals for \$15 in person (they will have them at Confederate Memorial Day at Higginsville on June 3) or \$20 by mail. For more information, email Larry Yeatman at [larryyeatman@msn.com](mailto:larryyeatman@msn.com) or Steve Ferguson at [jstev Ferguson@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jstev Ferguson@sbcglobal.net)