



DISPATCH

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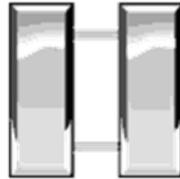
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From The Captain

Men of 1G,

Here it is already September and Fall is almost upon us.

This should be a time of fellowship, riding, and enjoying life but there is always some idiots who want to force their agenda on the rest of us and keep us busy fighting for what is right. Frankly I'm getting awful tired of their crap. We have to continue to stand up to these degenerates even though we have laws on our side but what good are laws if they continue to break them with no consequence. We have to insure we put the right people in office and flush out the ones who have turned their backs on the people. Mississippi has been hit many times for our Flag and we keep holding them off but we need to not let our guard down. We know we can win in a vote and they are trying to take that away from us now as that is their only way to defeat us. Again vote out the garbage and let them know how we feel. Destruction of the people's property is next and we stood strong in Corinth alongside of most of the citizens and if they would have showed up I'm certain there would have been more than yelling at each other. This leads me to remind everyone to remove your vest and anything with SCV on it before engaging in any physical altercation. You are always free to wear your vest where you wish to but use common sense and respect the wishes of the group whose event you plan to attend. They may not want us to wear our vest and don't take that as being personal, it is what it is and it's up to you what events you wish to attend. The SCV is limited to what they can do but as a citizen I am not!

It has been a busy Summer and is not over yet and there are plenty of riding and events to attend. Don't sit back this Winter wishing you would have gone to an event, just go!

Need I remind everyone that our Mississippi Annual is coming up November 4 at Louisville again this year? I will put out a FB event page this week with all the info and times. This is the one time that all of us have the opportunity to come together with family and friends from all over the state and if you missed it last year you missed a great time, don't let it pass you by this year!

Lastly try not to get so caught up in the things that make you mad and forget to get out and enjoy life on the back of your ride with like-minded people or by yourself. You have but one life, make it count!

Captain Gunner

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Captain SCVMC1G Mississippi



DON'T FORGET!

FALL MUSTER! October 20-22, 2017

The War Between the States comes to the Last Home of Confederate President Jefferson Davis, the weekend of October 20-22, 2017. You can experience the sights, sounds and smells of the 1860's, as you witness the epic struggle that shaped the Nation. Come and Join Us! You and your unit are invited to participate in this year's Fall Muster Event. We are in need of all branches of service, (North and South) for this weekend engagement. In this day and time, we must fight even harder to maintain history. You cannot ask for a better opportunity then this. Please help preserve history. I hope your reenacting schedule allows you to attend this event. Beauvoir needs you! Artillery will be limited to first, eight (8) full scale guns to register. Please pass this on to others who may be interested. ladnerhm@att.net



Governor's Ride for Wounded Warriors of Mississippi 2017

Saturday, September 23 at 7:30 AM - 3 PM

Southern States Utility Trailer Sales 550 Highway 49 South Richland, MS





Thanks to Greg Stewart, we are hoping that the new MC Tags will be available October 1. If you get a chance thank him for all the hard work he put into getting this accomplished. Get'em while they're hot!



CENTRAL SQUAD

"RIDE THE TRACE"

Some of Central Squad took a ride down the historic Natchez Trace, with a stop at the Grand Gulf Military Park. While there, Robert 'Texas' Pursley was patched in. Captain Rutherford was kind enough to make part of the ride with us, and help patch in Texas. Before heading back we had some good food at Mr. D's



Congratulations to the Rankin Greys Camp 2278, and Central Squad Lt. Billy Bryant, for winning the General Nathan Bedford Forrest award, presented by National to the Camp with the greatest gain in membership.



HONORING LT. GEN. NATHAN BEDFORD FORREST Jul 13, 1821 - Oct 29, 1877

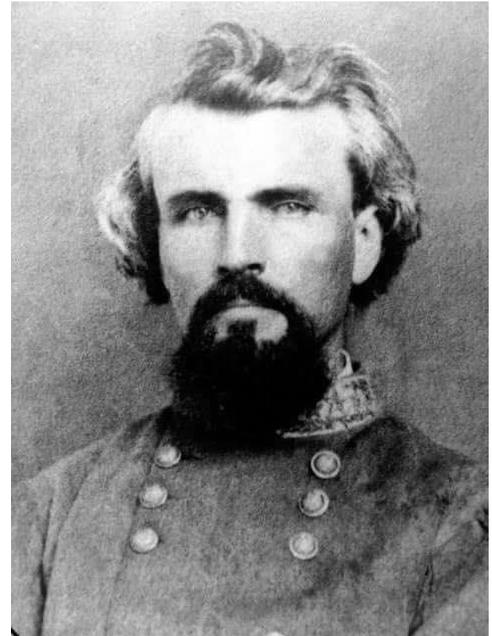
Truths about General Forrest we present to you on the soon to be anniversary of his passing. (Borrowed from The Southern Comfort)

1. General Forrest was exonerated by Congress in 1871 of having anything to do with the Ku Klux Klan. The General knew his name was being used, and demanded that the organization disband. The General also challenged one of the liars to a duel to defend his good name. A link to the published testimony will be given under this post.

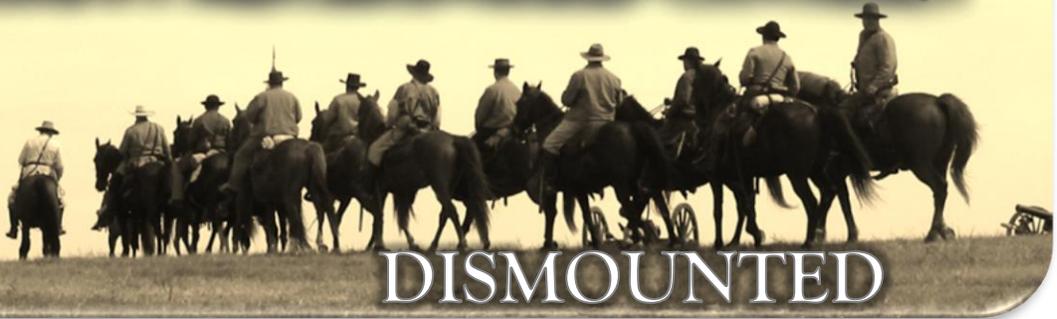
2. General Forrest was accused of a “massacre” at Ft. Pillow. This lie was repeated by newspapers in Ohio to gin up support for the war. It was WAR and those men were armed. General Forrest was absolved completely from any wrong-doing by Congress; and General Sherman admitted that Forrest had done nothing wrong. General Forrest wrote the Union General Washburn who was in charge of Memphis, and demanded that he have the lies retracted. (See a A Rebel Born - A Defense of General Nathan Bedford Forrest; Seabrook Searaven Press.)

3. General Forrest answered the call of his home state of Tennessee, to defend her from illegal invasion. While slavery was an issue in the war, it was not the reason for the war. The North wanted to prohibit the entrance of blacks into the territories, free or slave; and many states amended their constitutions to say so. Lincoln himself said he wanted the territories to be for whites. General Forrest enlisted 45 of his own servants to fight with him, and freed them 18 mos before the war was over because he was afraid he would be killed in battle and wanted to make sure they were free. Of the 45, 44 of them stayed with him.

4. General Forrest had one of his servants, Napoleon Winbush, serve as Chaplain for his troops. This was unheard of in the Union army. Chaplain Winbush’s grandson is a member of the Sons of Confederate Veterans to honor the service of his grandfather to the Confederacy. A video is available on YouTube and we will provide a link to an interview with Mr. Winbush for any who wish to watch it. *The truth is right in front of our faces for those of us who wish to know it.*

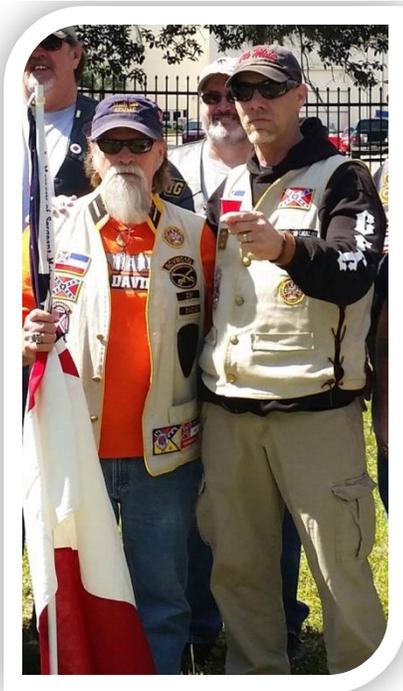


MISSISSIPPI MECHANIZED CAVALRY



DISMOUNTED

Memorial service for my Gr. Gr. Grandfather Aaron Newman Whittaker, back in March at Beauvoir. One of the most memorable days of my life. To my knowledge nobody in my family had ever visited his grave. I gave a talk about his life and we all had a toast before we left the cemetery. Having my Mech Cav Brothers there to support me meant more than I could ever begin to say. . . . Lt. Smoke



Left: Pvt. Rye Atkins firing a musket over his Grandfather's grave. Central Squad gathered in the woods where his grandfather was buried. Pvt. Atkins was given the honor of firing the 3rd volley that day. Very emotional patch in and one I will never forget. Deo Vindice! . . . Lt. Smoke

**1G LIVING THE CHARGE, HITTING THE ROAD,
AND MAKING OUR PRESENCE KNOW
THROUGHOUT THE STATE AND BEYOND.**



2017 Mississippi Division Reunion



Left: 1G Recognized at the Reunion. Captain Gunner and 1st. Lt. Nelms.

Right: 1st. Lt. Commander Conor Bond and Central Platoon Lt. Billy Bryant.



Below: 1G Corporal and Division Recording Secretary Michael Putnam, recording the minutes of the Business Meeting.

Top Left: John Cox being patched in with Capt. Gunner and Lt. Billy Bryant.

Bottom Left: David Little being patched in after the Business Meeting with Capt. Gunner and Cpl. Smiley Rhoda.



NORTH PLATOON

The North Platoon is growing and I'm very proud of all the new members we have gained. We have been a very busy group the last several months. We have been to Memphis for the annual birthday celebration for Lt. General Nathan Bedford Forrest. We dedicated several flags at Brices Crossroads in which we had 4 different states represented. We did a benefit ride for Lebonheur Childrens hospital. We attended a flag rally at Tupelo hosted by Confederates United Patriot Society where myself and Arlene Barnum were guest speakers.

In the last few months our heritage and mainly our monuments have been under attack, with several being vandalized and removed from the public. We had a threat to the Colonel William P. Rogers monument here in Corinth. The Northeast Squad stepped up to the plate to protect our monument. I'm very proud of all the men for going and protecting the Colonel. In the upcoming year we really need to focus on our state. We will begin a new battle to keep our State flag, and we need to all do our very best this time or we may lose our State Flag. We have got to collect enough signatures and this will require everyone to pull their weight.

I look forward to our state meeting coming up in November.

1st Lt. Kevin Nelms

Congratulations to 1st Lt. Nelms, on the birth of his son, and youngest member of the 1G, **Daryl Wade Nelms**.



N.E. SQUAD



Above: N.E Squad patching in of James Monroe, Jerry Miller and Jonathan Edwards Cagle. **Below:** Tupelo Confederate Heritage Rally with Ms. Arlene Barnum as guest

Below: Patching in of Doug Kinkennon, David Kinkennon and Don Bruner at Pops Kinkennon grave site.



Right: This is what happens when you steal one of our 1st Lt.'s small memorial flags. He returns with family and the big guns, and you wish well enough had been left alone.

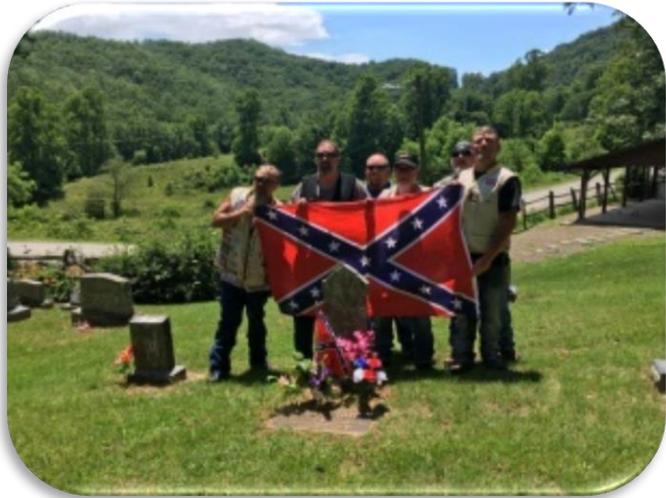


N.E. SQUAD

Left and Below: On duty guarding the monument in the square at Corinth.



Left: Proud father Kenny Kelly with his sons, Kenneth Kelly III and Kristopher Kelly as they become members of the William P. Rogers Camp 321. **Below:** 1G in N. Carolina at the grave site of Todd Parker's ancestor.



N.W. SQUAD

Northwest Squad saw some growth in recent months. We had 4 new members patched in and we have 2 more waiting on their member packets.

We participated in a couple of events that happened in the Northwest part of the state. Attended a Confederate Memorial service in Hernando at the Hernando Cemetery. This service is done every year and is put on by the Pvt. Samuel A. Hughey Camp#1452. We had a rededication of the flagpole at the Jefferson Davis marker on Hwy.51 @ Tn/Ms state line. Pvt. George Johnson cleaned the area and painted the flagpole at the Jefferson Davis marker. Salute to this fine Compatriot, he is a fine example of Living the Charge. Thanks also to NE Squad for supporting this event. I personally visited a couple cemeteries in my county and placed flags and sprayed some headstones with D-2 to start the process of cleaning them. We set up a booth at our A-Fair festival promoting the SCV and handed out flyers for the reenactment at Cedar Hills Farm that is sponsored by the 9th Mississippi Infantry Venture Scout troops coming up the last weekend of September. We also set up a booth at the Battle of Hernando May 19-21 reenactment. At the Mississippi Division Reunion in June at Oxford I was elected Brigade commander of the 1st Brigade.

We supported our brothers in Alabama for the Mega flag they raised in Cordova, Alabama on Hwy 78/22 in May and Tennessee on the Tow Truck Memorial Ride and Forrest's Birthday Celebration in July. The call was sent out for the Mechanized Cavalry to show up in force and we did. I believe the last count I had, we had 8 states represented. Men I ask you to do your duty in all you do as you honor your ancestors. Remember they had no reason to be ashamed, make sure they have no reason to be ashamed of you! God Bless Dixie! RAYWWF!

Cpl. Smiley
Stan Rhoda



N.W. SQUAD



Brice's Crossroads and Trimble, TN Mega Flag Raising

Contributed by Kenny Kelly



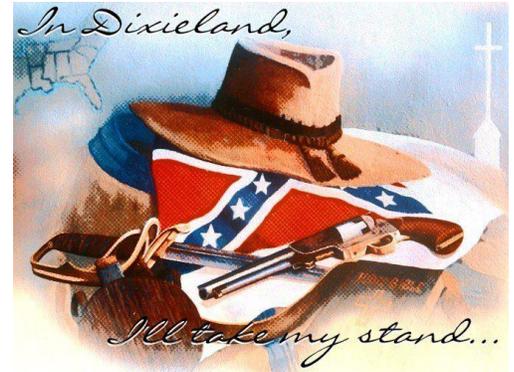


Big thanks to N.E. Squad member Kenny Kelly, for all the pictures he contributed to this edition of the 1G Dispatch. Probably a quarter of the pictures in this edition came from him. Thanks Brother!

EDITOR'S VOICE

“Surrender means that the history of this heroic struggle will be written by the enemy; that our youth will be trained by Northern school teachers; will learn from Northern school books their version of the War; will be impressed by all the influences of history and education to regard our gallant dead as traitors, and our maimed veterans as fit subjects for derision.” General Patrick Cleburne

Brothers, we all know that the attacks on our Heritage, Monuments and Flag have only just begun. They will get much worse and we must fix our minds and hearts on doing what must be done to Live The Charge and preserve that which has been entrusted to us. We are the backbone of the SCV and fill the front lines of the battle trenches in the Mississippi Division. We have our detractors even among our own in the Division, and if we have to fight them at the same time we are fighting those attacking our Heritage then so be it. It is my deepest hope that we can all come together and stand shoulder to shoulder, but regardless, now is the time for the true warriors to step up and get the job done. Another Initiative will be announced soon and I have no doubt we can get the numbers needed if we all put our minds on it and pull together. The 1G can and will lead this Division. We also have groups like antifa and blm that



bring a complete different kind of fight to bear. That is tricky ground because in dealing with these traitors it is easy to forget who we are and who we represent, and instead just go full patriot on their sorry asses. They don't care about honor or pride and certainly don't care about the impression they leave. They have the media on their side anyway, while we must fight both them and a biased media who is ready at any opportunity to paint us in a negative light. No one ever promised it would be easy and our ancestors certainly didn't have it easy. NOTHING can compare to the trials and suffering they went through. Brothers, PLEASE, I beseech each of you, lace your boots up, strap up, and let's take the fight to the enemy! Of course I mean that figuratively because we don't want violence, but the mindset and passion need to be the same. WE ARE IN A FIGHT FOR OUR VERY EXISTANCE! If they have their way, our heritage and thus our progeny, will be erased from history. THAT is their goal! We all know this goes so much deeper than the issues facing us here in the Division. There is a devious, well-funded, evil plot to divide this Nation and to tear it down from within. This Country is all that stands between them and a one world government and all their various groups are simply pawns to achieve their ultimate goal. Antifa, blm and others are too stupid and blind to realize they are being used and will be discarded as soon as they are no longer useful. Nothing much we can do to resist on that large of a scale, but we can fight the battles in front of us, and protect our heritage, families and communities. We have to fight this and never stop fighting it. We have to! The time of straddling the fence and allowing others to fight our battles is over! Every member of this Division must be brought into this fight and WE, the 1G, have to be the ones who pull them into it, either via convincing and cajoling, or by shaming them into Living The Charge, and drag them kicking and screaming into the fight. This is too Important not to. **RAYWWF!**

Once you get them running, you stay right on top of them, and that way a small force can defeat a large one every time... Only thus can a weaker country cope with a stronger; it must make up in activity what it lacks in strength. - General Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson