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The Patriotic Voice

March 1, 2014

**Kennesaw Mountain Camp #3
Sons of Union Veterans
of the Civil War**



Camp Calendar

March 29, 2014

[Camp Meeting at Marietta Police Dept](#)

April 26, 2014

[Camp Meeting at Marietta Police Dept](#)

May 26, 2014

Memorial Day (Observed)

May 30, 2014

**Maloney Springs Cemetery
Memorial Day Program**

May 31, 2014

[Camp Meeting at Marietta Police Dept](#)

June 28, 2014

[Camp Meeting at Marietta Police Dept](#)

July 26, 2014

[Camp Meeting at Marietta Police Dept](#)

Camp Commander's Comments

Brothers of Camp #3,

Greetings and hope all have thawed out from the winter blasts.

Your attendance and assistance is sorely needed at your Camp meetings and affairs. We need all of our members to make a concentrated effort to attend and help us with the many events planned for Camp 3 and the department this year. Without your help everything falls upon your fellow Brother to take up the slack.

Most important this year is the National Encampment in August. Much help is needed to make this the best that National has ever seen. **WE CAN DO IT, WITH YOUR HELP.**

Come to the meetings and learn what is going on and take part in the events.

See you on Saturday, Feb. 22 (Washington's Birthday) at the Marietta Police Department.





Newspaper Article

Nashville Daily Union
March 4, 1864

Taking the Oath

“A number of rebels come to Nashville daily and take the oath of amnesty. Some of them take it with 'wry faces.' The fact is, they are like the fellow that, on a wager, eat the crow. They can 'eat crow; but damned if they have a hankering for it!”



Links of Interest

Kennesaw Mtn Camp #3 - SUVCW
<http://sonsofunionveteranskennesawcamp.yolasite.com/>

Kennesaw Mtn Camp #3 on Facebook
<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Kennesaw-Mountain-Camp-3-Sons-of-Union-Veterans-of-Civil-War-Dept-GA-SC/185606601487776>

National Headquarters – SUVCW
<http://www.suvcw.org/>

National SUVCW on Facebook
<https://www.facebook.com/SUVCW>

Department of GA & SC – SUVCW
<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~gasuvcw/>

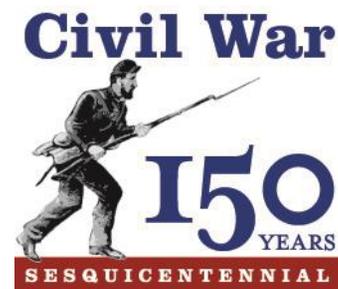
Charles Devins Jr. Camp #10 - SUVCW
<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccdjsuv/>

National Department – DUVCW
<http://www.duvcw.org/>

National Auxiliary to SUVCW
<http://www.asuvcw.org/>

Ladies of the GAR
<http://suvcw.org/LGAR/Home.html>

The National Woman’s Relief Corps
<http://suvcw.org/WRC/index.htm>



March 1864 in the Civil War

March 9 - Ulysses S. Grant promoted to Lieutenant General and given command of all active U.S. forces.

March 14 - Union Victory at Fort DeRussy, Louisiana.

March 21 – President Abraham Lincoln signs legislation allowing Nevada and Colorado to become states.

March 25 - Successful Confederate raid at Paducah, Kentucky.

March 26 - Major General James Birdseye McPherson assumes command of the Army of the Tennessee.



Civil War Related Events

[Living History at Andersonville Prison](#)

Andersonville, Georgia
March 8 & 9, 2014

[Lecture, "That Which Survives"](#)

Re-establishing families after the war.
Atlanta Cyclorama.
March 13, 2014 7 pm.

["1864 – The Western Theater"](#)

Symposium – Kennesaw State Univ.
The Civil War Center – KSU Center
March 21 & 22, 2014

[Annual "Park Day" - Nationwide](#)

Cleanup and Preservation Effort
Sponsored by the Civil War Trust
April 5, 2014

[Bus Tour - "Battle of Peachtree Creek"](#)

Sponsored by the Lovett School
in Atlanta. 404-262-3032
April 12, 2014

[Bus Tour - "Atlanta Campaign"](#)

from Dalton to Kennesaw
with Dr. Richard McMurry
April 19, 2014



Do you have relatives or friends that are eligible for membership in the SUVCW?

If you answered "yes" then you are responsible recruiting them. Bring them to a camp meeting as a guest and show them the fellowship of the SUVCW.

Applications are available by contacting a camp (preferred method), department or the national headquarters through links provided in this newsletter.

Camp members will be more than happy to help out on any genealogy questions they might have.



Excerpt from: “The Honesty, Patriotism, and Self-Sacrifice of some Civil War Soldiers”.

By Daniel Ralph

During the Civil War, an article appearing in the Philadelphia Daily Evening Bulletin, for May 12th, 1863, entitled, "An Honest Soldier," concerned that of Private JOHN MOHR, of Co. 'E,' Fifth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry (USA), who'd received \$104.00 *more than was due to him*, though as far as 'Uncle Sam' was concerned, the amount was correct. However, Mohr insisted "*that he had been overpaid, but failed to convince the paymaster, until he brought proof that a payment made two months previous had not been entered against him.*" Mohr's case was investigated and it was found "*that his statement was correct, and the Paymaster awarded him \$5.00 for his honesty. He had every opportunity to pocket the money, and it never would have been discovered, but his heart was too large to be guilty of such a crime.*" The article goes on to state, that "John is highly deserving of promotion for his honesty. Aside from this virtue, he is *said to be an excellent soldier and has seen hard service.*"

Patriotic Instruction



Such honor and devotion was also exemplified by certain Civil War soldiers, both during the war and afterwards as well. As early as September 28th, in 1861, the Lebanon {PA} Courier recalled within an article entitled, "*Incidents of Battle,*" how one wounded soldier, "*with both his legs nearly shot off,* was found in the woods singing the 'Star Spangled Banner,' and "but for this circumstance, the surgeons say they would not have discovered him."

Private WILLIAM LAMBERT, of Co. 'D,' Thirteenth New Jersey Infantry Regiment, participated in the 'Battle of Chancellorsville, Virginia, fought on May 3, 1863. According to the Germantown, Philadelphia {PA} Telegraph for August 5th, he appeared "the next day...at the regimental hospital, without either cap, coat, vest, or shoes, and *with one arm gone...*merely observing that the 'Rebels had given him a devil of a rap.' He had been wounded and taken to a hospital near the battle field, *had his arm amputated, and then, disdaining to be idle, walked five miles to his own hospital.*" Lambert was offered a ride in an ambulance but declined, preferring he said to "see the country."

Biblical Prayers

Chaplain's Corner

Mary's Prayer

"My soul doth magnify the Lord, And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Saviour. For he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden; for behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. For He that is mighty has done to me great things; holy is His name."

Luke 1:46 - 49

David's Prayer

"To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. O my God, in you I trust, let me not be put to shame; let not my enemies triumph over me."

Psalm 25:1-2

Prayer of Jabez

"Oh that you would bless me and enlarge my territory! Let your hand be with me, and keep me from harm so that I will be free from pain."

Chronicles 4:10

Hannah's Prayer

"My heart rejoices in the Lord; my horn is exalted in the Lord...No one is holy like the Lord, for there is none besides You, Nor is there any rock like our God".

Samuel 2:1-2



Union Army Mass Service



**Chaplains of the Irish Brigade
Fighting 69th New York Infantry**

Sampson's Prayer

"O Lord God, please remember me and please strengthen me..."

Judges 16:28

The Apostle Paul's Prayer

"For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, That he would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man."

Ephesians 3:14-16

The Leper's Prayer

"Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean."

Matthew 8:2

Jonah's Prayer

"I called out of my distress to the Lord, and He answered me. I cried for help from the depth of Sheol; You heard my voice."

Jonah 2:1-9

Prayer of the Thief at the Cross

"Jesus, remember me when You come in Your kingdom!"

Luke 23:42



Monthly Camp Meetings

Kennesaw Mountain Camp #3 meets the last Saturday of every month at 9 a.m. at the Marietta Police Department which is located at [240 Lemon Street](#) in Marietta. **Guests are encouraged to attend!**



Kennesaw Mountain Camp #3 Signal Corps



Latest News from Washington!
THE REBELS SWARMING ON THE POTOMAC!
"Boys there's the enemy! and we must beat them, or Molly Stark sleeps a widow to-night! FORWARD!"—General Stark's Speech to his Soldiers before the Battle of Bennington.
"The Union must and shall be Preserved!"
**THE RHODE ISLAND GOVERNOR! AND THE RHODE ISLAND BOYS!
YET IN THE VAN!**
C. S. SMITH having been detailed to recruit a Company for the Fourth Regiment Rhode Island Volunteers, has opened a Recruiting Office at the Junction of Westminster and High Streets, (entrance on High Street, opposite the Catholic Church,) where he can be found for Enlistment.
All good able-bodied men who desire to serve their country and avoid its preserving and maintaining its honor at home and abroad, are invited to call and enroll their names.
All men enrolling in this Regiment will receive \$15.00 per month and an allowance of Clothing and Food during time of service, which is for three years, unless sooner discharged. By order of the General Assembly, Volunteers are entitled to:
A BOUNTY OF FIFTEEN DOLLARS!
UPON BEING MUSTERED INTO SERVICE.
C. SYDNEY SMITH, Recruiting Officer.
J. M. LONGSTREET, Assistant.
COOK & DANIELSON, PRINTERS, EXCELSIOR TRIM OFFICE, NO. 11 WYOMING STREET, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Get Our Newsletter & Emails

To join the Kennesaw Mountain Camp #3 newsletter and email list, send an email request to: dbeam@mariettaga.gov stating why you would like to be added.

PLEDGE FORM

Yes! I will support the 2014 National Encampment!

Use this form to make your pledge and send your donation.

DONATIONS IN ANY AMOUNT ARE WELCOME!

If you want to make a pledge at a certain donor level, you may send the entire amount now, or part of it now (suggested at least 25% of your total pledge) and the rest later (suggested payments on a monthly basis).

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Pledged Donor Level (check the appropriate box)

Platinum (\$1,000)

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Silver (\$250)

Bronze (\$100)

Other: _____ (amount)

Make checks payable to: GA & SC 2014 National Encampment

**Mail donation and form to: Edward C. Hackney, Sec/Treas, Dept of GA & SC, SUVCW
135 Cloister Dr.
Peachtree City, GA 30269-3512**

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