

THE BORDER STAR

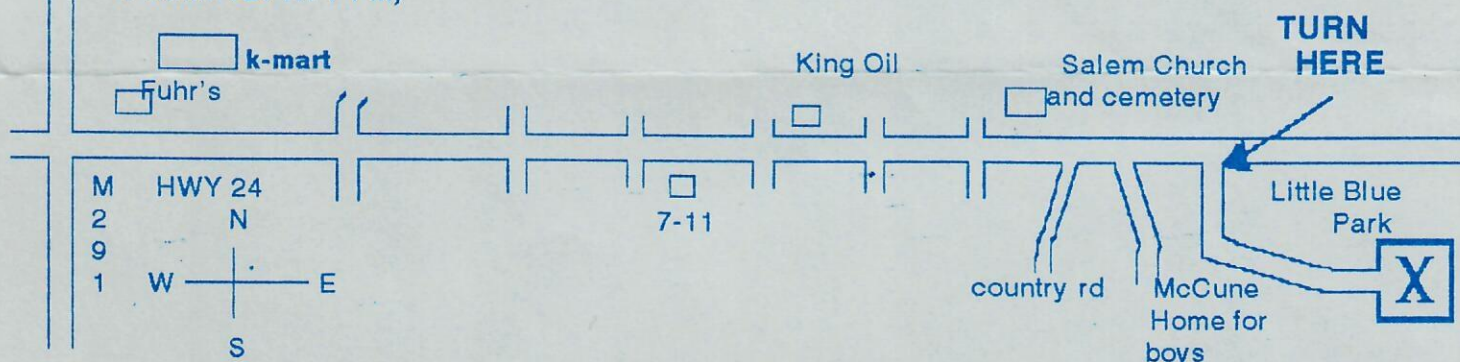
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ANNOUNCEMENT

*** JULY 13 MEETING ***

DIRECTIONS TO LITTLE BLUE PARK AND BATTLEFIELD

Go east on 24 HWY from M-291 (by K-Mart) to old Lexington-Independence Road, which is the 3rd right after the Salem Church Stoplight. (the first right is a country road, the second goes to the McCune Home for boys (PLEASE BE THERE PROMPTLY AT 7 PM)



PLEASE NOTE THAT MAP IS NOT TO SCALE

ANSWERS TO MAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

We have a winner of one of our new T-shirts.(available sometime in August) Congratulations to Bob Manschein. Some of you were close but Bob had every correct answer!

ACROSS

- 1) Chancellersville
- 2) Dahlgren
- 3) wood
- 4) radicals
- 5) Vicksburg
- 6) Yorktown
- 7) Lee
- 8) pie
- 9) ram
- 10) Gettysburg
- 11) Monitor
- 12) RR
- 13) RI
- 14) aim
- 15) weapon
- 16) run
- 17) VA
- 18) govt
- 19) pay
- 20) LA
- 21) Westport
- 22) hell
- 23) lunette

- 24) dragoons
- 25) zouave
- 26) ME
- 27) elkhorn
- 28) noose
- 29) KS
- 30) trans
- 31) VMI
- 32) KY
- 33) Pearidge
- 34) Boyd
- 35) Malvernhill
- 36) ft
- 37) copperhead
- 38) south
- 39) rail
- 40) MO
- 41) gen
- 42) road
- 43) Baxter
- 44) Gratiot
- 45) tent
- 46) union
- 47) mete

- 48) CO
- 49) gun
- 50) battery
- 51) Manassas
- 52) fires
- 53) Jeb
- 54) shrapnel
- 55) yell
- 56) napoleon
- 57) soldier
- 58) bushwacker
- 59) petard

DOWN

- 1) carpetbagger
- 2) dagger
- 3) win
- 4) Andersonville
- 5) revetment
- 6) luka
- 7) hay
- 8) parole
- 9) eat
- 10) defeat

- 12) camera
- 13) slavery
- 14) Bloodyangle
- 15) rust
- 17) trans
- 18) navy
- 19) row
- 20) map
- 21) blakely
- 22) Antietam
- 23) TN
- 24) AR
- 25) enfield
- 26) red
- 27) arsenal
- 28) trunnions
- 29) oak
- 31) MN
- 32) sutler
- 33) sabot
- 34) spike
- 35) lad
- 36) ig
- 37) contraband

- 38) spencer
- 39) empty
- 40) Pilotknob
- 41) Brady
- 42) Virginia
- 43) Beecher
- 44) Parrot
- 45) Texas
- 46) dixie
- 47) gar
- 48) fit
- 49) AL
- 50) Yazoo
- 51) Minie
- 52) FL
- 53) USA
- 54) ear

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THE PRESIDENTS CORNER

by **Sonny Wells**

Two chance comments have caused me to rethink our tour plans for the summer. Kim Calwell of the Quantrill society mentioned that summer foliage makes things hard to see and Bob Manschein commented on the difficulty of getting the right maps to the right sites. Add to that the fact that fewer than 20 had signed up for the bus and the result is a change of dates for the Cass county tour.

The board discussed the alternatives at great length, then voted to move the Cass county tour to Saturday, November 5, and move the Loose Park tour to the spring of 1995, the thought being that the sites will be more visible and the weather will be nicer in the fall. Thus we only need to be concerned about one map in July - that being the Little Blue Park site on Wednesday the 13, at 7 pm.

The word from Kim is that the Quantrill Society Reunion will be held August 27-28. Plans are to visit Baxter Springs massacre site, Dr. Sweeney's museum at Wilson's Creek and possibly sites relative to the Marias Des Cygnes massacre.

Have you seen the new book on the "True" Jessie James? They don't even spell Quantrill correctly. I skimmed the Civil War chapter. No printable commentary!

The display tent for the CWRTWM was a much visited site. Over 100 visitors took copies of our "12 Civil War sites in Western Missouri". Over 20 requested a copy of our newsletter be sent to them. At times I could not see our member volunteers because of the crowd around our display. In addition to the photo quizz board, I had a glass display box with several GAR memorabilia items inside, some of our newsletters and the booklet on Civil War Medal of Honor winners buried in the Kansas City area.

Special thanks to Bob Benson, George Weinholt, Kathleen Tooey and Loretta Krump for special duty with the display tent. Others who stopped by to check out the display included John Morgan, Harold Blackburn, Harold Dellinger, Dorothy Moore, Mike Gooch, Charles McCorkendale, and reenactors Roger Bomar, Mark Olsen, Gaylen Goldsberry, and Curt Wells. Good job gang and we will set up the tent again at the Mine Creek Kansas event in October.

After much discussion, Fred and I have decided to stay with our original program on the Battle of Westport in October. As many as 12 members will be asked to prepare a short presentation on a specific part of the three day battle. So get out your old history books and grab a notepad because Fred will be calling!

SEE PAGE ONE FOR DETAILS ON JULY 13 MEETING!

Answers to June trivia will appear in August newsletter.

**A complete calendar of scheduled meetings and activities
for CWRTWM will be printed in August newsletter**

**Congratulations to Sonny for the front page article in the
July 8 Kansas City Star**