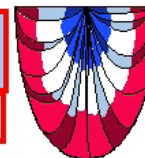


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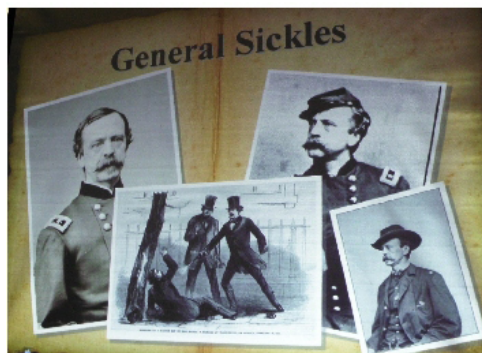
NEWSLETTER OF THE SOUTHEASTERN OHIO CIVIL WAR ROUNDTABLE



MARCH, 2012

MARCH MEETING

The March meeting will be held on Saturday, March 24 at 9:00 at the Ninth Street Methodist Church. Our speaker will be Tom Snyder. Tom will tell us about "the Fighting McCooks".
Our host for the meeting supplying treats to go along with the coffee is Tom Snyder.



FEBRUARY'S MEETING

Andy Warhola gave a good presentation on the subject of General Sickles at Gettysburg. He had great power point material and gave out an excellent hand out which will be good reference material.



QUESTION OF THE MONTH

What Federal general was nicknamed "Curly," "Fanny," and "Autie"

Something of Interest

Starting at the next meeting our organization will start a 50-50 raffle. Ron Parry will be in charge. This should help build our treasury and let us do more activities and keep our program quality high.

After the April 28th meeting, all that are interested will gather at Theo's Restaurant for a luinch and social gathering. We did this earlier this year had a very good time.

If you haven't paid dues yet -

they are

- Single membership \$15
- Couple membership \$25
- Family membership \$30

Dues can be paid at our meetings to our Treasurer John Slovski or through the mail at:
Southeastern Ohio Civil War Roundtable
P.O. Box 1343
Cambridge, Ohio 43725

EDITOR'S NOTE

Please send any information you would like to have in the newsletter to me a week ahead of the meeting. Phone: 638-2126 E-mail: irishman1020@hotmail.com or Ralph McCready, 8600 Oakland Rd. Chandlersville, OH 43727

150 YEARS AGO

March 8 - The CSS Virginia sinks two Union warships, the USS Cumberland and the USS Congress.

March 9 - Ironclad ships clash in the first such naval engagement when the USS Monitor and CSS Virginia fight to a draw.

March 11 General George McClelland is removed from his position as Union general in chief.

March 13 - General Henry W. Halleck is named to the command of the Department of the Mississippi.

March 14 - In the Battle of New Bern, Union forces capture North Carolina's second-largest town, New Bern.

March 22 - The CSS Florida, built in the shipyards of Liverpool, England, sets out from that port.

March 23 - Stonewall Jackson loses the Battle of Kernstown in northern Virginia, but his presence worries leaders in Washington. Instead of accompanying General McClelland on his Peninsula Campaign, some troops are held back to protect the capital.

March 26 - Union troops push Confederates back at the Battle of Apache Canyon, New Mexico Territory.

March 29 - General Albert S. Johnston is placed in command of reorganized Confederate forces at Corinth, Mississippi.