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<p><b>Gen. Edmond Winchester Rucker Chapter #2534</b> United Daughters of the Confederacy Enterprise, Alabama</p>	<p><b>Coffee County Rangers Camp #911</b> 12th Ala. Inf. Regt., Co D Sons of Confederate Veterans Enterprise, Alabama</p>	

NEXT MEETING	
<p><b>UDC</b> September 9, 2010, 4:30 pm Citizens Bank Community Room, Enterprise Program: Shirley Edberg <i>"Lt. Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest, Emma Sansom, Streight's Raid"</i> Refreshments: Reba Blissitte</p>	<p><b>SCV</b> September 9, 2010, 7:00 pm Citizens Bank Community Room, Enterprise Program: Steve Lowery Refreshments: Daniel Larson Drinks: Steve Harrod</p>



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### September

**September 4 – Dedication of Historical Marker at "Battle Branch"**, near the site where the Coffee County Home Guard fought with Ward's Raiders on September 2, 1864. The program will take place in the sanctuary of Fairview Baptist Church with a reception afterwards in the fellowship hall. The speaker for the event will be Dale Cox, author and historian, and there will be a special salute by members of the 15<sup>th</sup> Alabama Infantry. Please make a special effort to attend. The church is located in Coffee County just south of the intersection of Highway 87 and County Road 644

**September 16-18 – 115<sup>th</sup> Alabama Division Convention, UDC**, at Lake Guntersville. Registration must be postmarked no later than September 3.

**September 26 – Grave Marker Dedication and Memorial Service Honoring Henry Washington Anderson, Co G, 61<sup>st</sup> Alabama Infantry Regt., CSA.** 1:30 pm at Pleasant Ridge Church Cemetery. Prior to the dedication, we have been invited to attend the church Homecoming festivities beginning with singing at 10:00, church services at 11:00, and dinner on the grounds at noon.

### October

**October 16-17 – Battle of Newton Reenactment.** Once again we will support the event by providing meals and refreshments for the reenactors and setting up publicity tables for our organizations. Please make plans now to attend.

**OFFICERS**

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**UDC:** [http://www.flemingmultimedia.com/UDC/E W Rucker 2534.html](http://www.flemingmultimedia.com/UDC/E%20W%20Rucker%202534.html)

**SCV:** <http://www.coffeecountyrangersonline.org/>

**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

**September 2, 1864**

Fall of Atlanta, occupied by Sherman's army on September 3

**September 4, 1864**

General John Hunt Morgan killed at Greenville, Tennessee

**September 7, 1838**

Birth of Major John Pelham



**September 8, 1863**

Battle of Sabine Pass, Texas  
46 Texans under Lt. Richard Dowling halt a Union force of 5,000 infantry, 4 gunboats, and 18 troop transports. The Confederates sank two gunboats and killed or captured 300 of the enemy, with no losses to themselves.

**September 10, 1836**

Birth of Maj. General Joseph Wheeler



**September 17, 1862**

Battle of Sharpsburg, Maryland

**September 19-20, 1863**

Battle of Chickamauga, Georgia

**September 20, 1809**

Birth of General Sterling Price



**September 22, 1833**

Birth of Lt. General Stephen D. Lee



"To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the cause for which we fought, to your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loves and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish."

-- Lt. Gen. Stephen D. Lee, Commander General,  
United Confederate Veterans  
New Orleans, Louisiana  
April 25, 1906

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