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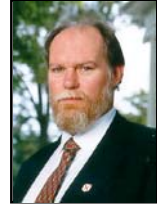
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*"We invoke the blessings of Providence on a just cause."
Jefferson Davis*

President's message. . . .

*Michael Hill
Killen, Alabama*



An Irish Example for the South

One of the primary tasks of the League is to convince the Southern people that they have misplaced their allegiance. To be loyal to the Empire that ran roughshod over your ancestors and that continues to denigrate your culture and traditions in the name of multiculturalism and diversity makes no sense. In fact, all the Empire really deserves from Southerners is scorn. Southerners should be loyal to the South, and it ought to be clear that the South is now nothing but a colony, mined for its wealth and blood by her imperial masters.

I am often asked to recommend books that League members ought to read. One such book is Tom Barry's *Guerrilla Days in Ireland*. Barry was the most successful IRA Flying Column commander in the fight against British imperialism in 1919-1920. But Barry's book is much more than an account of the actual military operations. He understood the basic reasons why it was incumbent upon the Irish people to throw off the English-imposed chains—both mental and physical—that had bound them for centuries.

Listen to Barry and ask yourself if the same would not apply to many of our Southern brothers today:

'In June 1915, in my seventeenth year, I had decided to see what this Great War [World War One] was like. I cannot plead that I went on the advice of John Redmond or any other politician, that if we fought for the British we would secure Home Rule for Ireland, nor can I say I understood what Home Rule meant. I was not influenced by the lurid appeal to fight to save Belgium or small nations. I knew nothing about nations, large or small. I went to the war for no other reason than that I wanted to see what war was like, to get a gun, to see new countries, and to feel a grown man. Above all I went because I knew no Irish history and had no national consciousness.

I had never been told of Wolfe Tone or Robert Emmett, though I did know all about the Kings of England and when they had come to the British Throne. I had never heard of the victory over the Sassanach [Gaelic for 'English'] at Benburb, but I could tell the dates of Waterloo and Trafalgar. I did not know of the spread of Christianity throughout Europe by Irish missionaries and scholars, but did I not know of the blessings of civilization which Clive and the East India Company had

brought to dark and heathen India? Thus through the blood sacrifices of the men of 1916 [the Easter Rising], had one Irish youth of eighteen been awakened to Irish Nationality. Let it also be recorded that those sacrifices were equally necessary to awaken the minds of ninety per cent of the Irish people.'

How many young Southerners are as blissfully unaware as Barry, knowing no Southern history nor, from ignorance, caring what it means to be a Southerner? Padraig Pearse, one of the leaders of the Easter Rising, lamented that Irishmen were willing to fight and die for almost any country but their own. Sadly, we in the South face much the same situation in the early 21st century. Through imperial propaganda we are taught to revere Lincoln, Grant, and Sherman, and to vilify Davis, Lee, and Jackson. We proudly fly the flag of our conquerors while marching off to war for many of the same ideological reasons that motivated the U. S. Army to invade and conquer the South. Our own flag is damned as a symbol of racism and treason.

We can never build a strong and successful Southern nationalist movement unless we first counter the lies and half-truths that discredit Southern civilization. Through means such as *The Free Magnolia*, political campaigns, the print and electronic media, etc., we have a splendid opportu-

nity to tell the truth about the South and to delegitimize the American Empire and its rapidly-emptying 'treasury of virtue'

I long to see the day when young Southerners are awakened to the virtues of Southern nationalism and to the bright future of an independent Southern republic. Never miss an opportunity to speak the truth about the South. You may be helping to stir the smoldering embers of Southern pride in one of our own young Tom Barrys.

Deo vindice,

*Michael Hill
Killen, Alabama*

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byterian Church in America since 1991, having previously been the recording clerk of the same Presbytery.

Rev. Case graduated from Morehead State University, Morehead, Kentucky, in 1970 with a Bachelor of Arts in Social Science and a Kentucky teaching certificate. He attended Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia, Calvin Theological Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and graduated from Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson in 1974 with the Master of Divinity degree. He was ordained to the Gospel ministry in Woodville in August of 1974.

In 1997, at age 49, he married the former Rachel Wilson of Charlotte, North Carolina, the daughter of a Presbyterian minister. The Cases have five children, Thomas Jonathan Jackson (8), Laura Elisabeth (7), Emilie Kathleen (6), Preston Brooks (4), and Robert Lewis Dabney (2).

For a period of time Rev. Case privately published *The Southern Presbyterian Advocate*, and later served as editor of *The Concerned Presbyterian Magazine*. He also served on the board of Concerned Presbyterians, had several articles published in *The Standard Bearer Magazine*, and contributed an article on the doctrine of the Covenant in the Westminster Standards that was published in the *Protestant Reformed Theological Journal*. He is a member of the Honourable Order of Kentucky Colonels.

Rev. Case will be a featured speaker at the upcoming national conference in Chattanooga.

ANNOUNCING THE
2007 LEAGUE OF THE SOUTH
NATIONAL CONFERENCE
5-6 OCTOBER
CONVENTION CENTER MARRIOTT
CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE

The theme for the League of the South's 14th Annual National Conference is 'Southern Secession: Antidote to Empire and Tyranny.'

Keynote speaker is Dr. Thomas Fleming. Other speakers include Rev. Franklin Sanders, Walter D. 'Donnie' Kennedy, Rev. Eugene Case, Kirkpatrick Sale, John Chodes, and Dr. Michael Hill. The conference will include a workshop on effective publication and distribution of our new tabloid, *The Free Magnolia*.

Registration is \$50 per individual, \$75 husband and wife, and \$100 per family. You can get a break on the conference fee by bringing a non-League member with you—\$75 for the two of you.

We encourage early registration so that we may determine how many to expect for the conference. Please include names of everyone in your party so that we can have name tags available. No one will be admitted without one.

You don't want to miss this conference, which comes hard on the heels of the Second North American Secession Convention (3-4 October) and so will be a large assembly of like-minded secessionists from various locales.

Vendor tables are \$25 per table per day. Secure yours now.

Please mark you calendar and make plans to join us in Chattanooga. For more information, contact League President Michael Hill at (800) 888-3163 or by e-mail at jmichhill@cs.com. For updates on the conference, please log onto www.dixienet.org

For reservations at the Marriott, call (423) 756-0002 and mention the League of the South to get the discounted rate of \$104 per night. The Staybridge Suites, (423) 267-0945, are located at the other end of the conference center from the Marriott. Within walking distance are The Chattanooga (800) 619-0018, Days Inn Rivergate (800) 329-7466, & Sheraton Read House (423) 266-4121. Motel 6 (423) 265-7300 is about a mile away.

A printable registration form is on p. 5.

KENNEDY FOR PRESIDENT ENDORSEMENT

Dear Friends:

As President of The League of the South, the premier Southern nationalist organization, I am proud to endorse Mr. Walter D. Kennedy in his bid to capture the GOP Presidential nomination in 2008.

Unlike the other candidates in this race, Mr. Kennedy believes in real States Rights. For those of you who understand the principles that motivated our Founding Fathers, the primacy of States Rights makes perfect sense. Without States Rights, we have no rights at all.

Some who understand the sound political philosophy that underlies Mr. Kennedy's worldview may question his ability to actually win the Republican nomination. In the current political environment, that is a legitimate concern. However, the main purpose of Mr Kennedy's effort is to spread an important message to traditional Southerners and their allies. And that message is this: *the current system is broken beyond repair*. Nothing of import can be done until enough Americans understand this fact. Win or lose, a Kennedy campaign is the best hope we have of waking up the South and her allies.

Please allow me to summarize the problem.

We have in America today a general (i.e. federal) government that defines the limits of its own power. It has broken the Constitutional chains that bind

it and usurped the authority of the people and of the sovereign States. In doing so, it has become aggressive abroad and despotic at home. In a word, it has become an empire. The worst fears of the Founders have been realized.

The manifestations of empire can be seen in the government's advocacy of unlimited immigration, multiculturalism, diversity, tolerance, and a host of other pathologies that undermine the Western, Christian character of America's origins. Moreover, the unholy alliance between government and international corporations has all but destroyed the American middle class and the family farm, and 'big money' has all but destroyed the electorate's faith in the political system.

Only a return to real States Rights and Christian morality can restore liberty to the South and to America at large. Tinkering with the current corrupt system will do no good. Of all the candidates, only Walter D. Kennedy understands this. That is why I'm supporting him in his candidacy. I encourage you to do the same.

To contribute to the Kennedy for President Campaign, log on to www.electwdkennedy.com.

For Dixie,
Dr. Michael Hill

Redneck Games Report

With much-appreciated assistance from the national office, about ten Georgia LS members and one Louisiana member, Walter (Donnie) Kennedy, manned three vendor tables at the 12th Annual Redneck Games held July 7 in East Dublin, Georgia.

Donnie Kennedy mixed with the crowd, most of whom were energised to hear his fresh message for the 2008 Republican Presidential campaign. The League handed out over 600 second issues of *The Free Magnolia* and a number of first issues. While most of the 10,000-plus in the crowd were young and primarily interested in fun in the sun, hundreds of business owners, veterans, and other Southern patriots were enthusiastic to learn about the League of the South and Kennedy's Presidential Exploratory Committee.

*For a free Dixie,
Mike Bruce
Macon, Georgia*

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Are you looking for a t-shirt with a unique Southern message? Long-time League member and artist, Scott Goldsmith, has what some consider the best design in the South: a rooster crowing at the dawn of Southern independence. Please see Scott's ad on p. 6, or see all of his great t-shirts (and other stuff) at www.dixierepublic.com.

'Every decent man is ashamed of the government he lives under.'

H. L. Mencken
(1880 - 1956)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER

Thursday, 4 October
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Secession Conference
Chattanooga, Tennessee
By Invitation Only

Friday-Saturday, 5-6 October
LS National Conference
Chattanooga, Tennessee
Details on p. 3.

Printable registration form at right.

Free Magnolia Report

Issue #3 (July, August, September 2007) of *The Free Magnolia* went out in August to the membership and to many who placed bulk orders. Feedback continues to be very favourable. We continue to add new members and former members to the roster. Conference registrations are also coming in faster than usual. All of this we attribute to the excitement and hope of a turn-around generated by the new tabloid.

Thanks to all of you who placed bulk orders and distributed copies in your area. One note of caution, however. Please do not place *Free Magnolias* anywhere outside where they could blow away. We have a first rate product that the opposition cannot easily dismiss, but if it becomes litter blowing around in parking lots, we will lose respectability and potential support.

Registration for the
14th Annual League of the South National
Conference
5-6 October 2007
Chattanooga, Tennessee

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We seek to advance the cultural, social, economic and political well-being and independence of the Southern people by all honourable means.

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