



TEXAS IN THE WAR

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: OCTOBER 15, 2008

★ **\$50.00** (including lunch) for the Saturday Seminar

★ **\$50.00** or more donation is requested for the Friday evening reception for the speakers at the Lieutenant Governor's Reception Room, 3rd floor east wing, State Capitol

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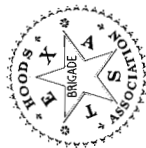
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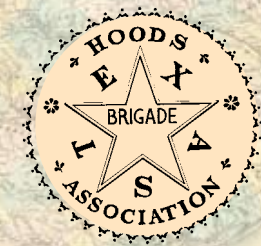
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1861-1865 TEXAS IN THE WAR *A Seminar*

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**Saturday, November 1, 2008
9 am to 4:30 pm**

TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE
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(Enter on the east side of the building, two blocks north of the Capitol and across the street from the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum)

- 9:00 - 9:15** **Welcome:** **MARTHA HARTZOG**, President, Hood's Texas Brigade Association, Re-Activated
- 9:15 - 10:15** **THOMAS CUTRER**, "Texas Military Activities During the Time of Secession."
- 10:15 - 10:30** **Break**
- 10:30 - 11:30** **ROBERT N. JONES, JR.** "The Role of the General Land Office During the War for Southern Independence."
- 11:30 - 1:30** **Lunch:** **DONALD S. FRAZIER**, "Defending Texas in the Red River Campaign of 1864: The Dysfunctional Relationships among Generals Kirby Smith, John B. Magruder, and Richard Taylor."
Time to visit the vendors and exhibits.
- 1:30 - 2:30** **RICHARD MCCASLIN**, "A Soldier's Letters to Charming Nellie: J.B. Polley's Civil War."
- 2:30 - 3:00** **Break and time to visit vendors and exhibits.**
- 3:00 - 4:00** **CHARLES GREAR**, "The Defense of the Rio Grande Border: Contributions of Santos Benevides and the roles of John S. 'Rip' Ford, Hamilton P. Bee, Col. James Duff, and Others."
- 4:00 - 4:15** **Wrap-up**

★ ATTEND A VIP RECEPTION WITH THE AUTHORS! ★

Friday Evening, October 31, 7-9 pm at the Lt. Governor's Reception Room, located on the 3rd floor of the east wing of the State Capitol. A \$50 or more donation is requested to benefit Hood's Texas Brigade Association, Re-Activated.

Book vendors and exhibitors include, among others, the Texas General Land Office Archives and Records Division and the Texas Historical Commission's Military History Program.

AREA ATTRACTIONS

Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum • Blanton Art Museum of The University of Texas
Texas State Capitol • Texas State Cemetery • LBJ Presidential Library

DON'T FORGET!

The Texas Book Festival takes place the weekend of October 31-November 2.
Plan to make your hotel reservations now!

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

DONALD S. FRAZIER, PH.D., Professor of history, McMurry University History Department, President and C.E.O., McWhiney Foundation. His publications include *Frontier Texas: History of a Borderland to 1880* (with Robert F. Pace), *Cottonclads!* (Civil War Campaigns and Commanders Series), *Blood and Treasure: Confederate Empire in the Southwest*, and *Fire in the Cane Field: The Federal Invasion of Louisiana and Texas*.

THOMAS W. CUTRER, PH.D., Professor of history and American studies at Arizona State University. His publications include *Ben McCulloch and the Frontier Military Tradition*; *Longstreet's Aide: The Civil War Letters of Maj. Thomas J. Goree*; *Oh, What a Loansome Time I Had: The Civil War Letters of Major William Moxley and Emily Moxley*; "Our Trust is in the God of Battles": *The Civil War Letters of Robert F. Bunting, Chaplain, Eighth Texas Cavalry*; *Brothers in Gray: The Civil War Letters of the Pierson Family* (with T. Michael Parrish); and "Stepping Stone to Still Greater Distinction." *The Mexican War Papers of George B. McClellan* is forthcoming from the Louisiana State University Press.

RICHARD B. MCCASLIN, PH.D., Chairman of the Department of History, University of North Texas and fellow, Texas State Historical Association. His publications include *Tainted Breeze: The Great Hanging at Gainesville, Texas, October 1862* (TSHA Tullis Prize); *Lee in the Shadow of Washington* (ACWRT Laney Prize); and *Portraits of Conflict: A Photographic History of Tennessee in the Civil War* (MOSB Freeman Prize). Forthcoming works include *A Soldier's Letters to Charming Nellie: J.B. Polley's Civil War*, and *John S. "Rip" Ford: Fighting for Texas*.

ROBERT N. JONES, JR., J.D., Special projects director & counsel, General Land Office; honorary member & counsel for Hood's Texas Brigade Association, Re-Activated. He serves on the board of the Austin Civil War Round Table. Rob earned a B.A. with concentrations in history and government from The University of Texas at Austin, as well as a law degree from St. Mary's University in San Antonio. He has authored articles for numerous publications ranging from the *Handbook of Texas* to the *State Bar Journal* to *Texas Heritage Magazine*.

CHARLES D. GREAR, PH.D., Assistant Professor, Department of History, Prairie View A&M. Serves as a book review editor for *H-CivWar*. His dissertation examined the motivations for Texans to fight in the Civil War. He has authored several journal articles on Texans in the Civil War. He edited *The Fate of Texas: The Civil War and the Lone Star State*; and co-authored *Beyond Myths & Legends: A Narrative History of Texas*.

MARTHA HARTZOG, M.A., President, Hood's Texas Brigade Association, Re-Activated. Serves on the board of the Austin Civil War Round Table and as state historian, Texas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. She has an M.A. in English with a specialization in rare book research from The University of Texas at Austin and works for UT as a technical writer/editor. She has published articles for the Texas Folklore Society, produced videos on historical subjects, and speaks about Texas and southern history to DAR, UDC and DRT chapters.