



# *Ozarks Civil War Sesquicentennial Weekly*



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## US

**Civil War Trust celebrates preservation of 44-acre ‘epicenter’ of Antietam Battlefield**

<http://www.startribune.com/group-touts-preservation-of-44-acres-of-antietam-battlefield/330204881/>

**Civil War tech topic of new programs at Lincoln Library and Museum**

<http://www.sj-r.com/article/20150930/NEWS/150939941/1994/NEWS?rssfeed=true#>

**New historical-fiction book fires a gritty peek in the past and the struggles of war**

<http://www.prweb.com/releases/2015/10/prweb12992864.htm>

**Family, friends say goodbye to Getty (PA)**

[http://www.eveningsun.com/local/ci\\_28912554/family-friends-say-goodbye-james-getty?source=rss#](http://www.eveningsun.com/local/ci_28912554/family-friends-say-goodbye-james-getty?source=rss#)

**‘Cold Mountain’ selected for 2016 One Book, One Philadelphia (PA)**

[http://www.philly.com/philly/news/20151001\\_Cold\\_Mountain\\_selected\\_for\\_2016\\_One\\_Book\\_One\\_Philadelphia.html](http://www.philly.com/philly/news/20151001_Cold_Mountain_selected_for_2016_One_Book_One_Philadelphia.html)

**Proposal would remove Confederate emblem from Mississippi flag**

[http://news.yahoo.com/move-scrub-confederate-emblem-mississippi-flag-203326845.html?soc\\_src=mail&soc\\_trk=ma](http://news.yahoo.com/move-scrub-confederate-emblem-mississippi-flag-203326845.html?soc_src=mail&soc_trk=ma)

## Civil War Trivia

The desertion rate among black troops in the Union Army was only about 60 percent that of white troops.

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## Missouri

**Battle of Island Mound : First fighting in Civil War for any black troops**  
<http://cjonline.com/news/2015-08-11/battle-island-mound-first-fighting-civil-war-any-black-troops>

## Arkansas

**Little Rock seminar on Civil War set for October 10**  
<http://www.arkansasonline.com/news/2015/oct/02/lr-seminar-on-civil-war-set-for-oct-10/>

**Diary of a State : 1860 (Quiz 6)**  
<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2015/10/diary-of-a-state-1860-quiz-6/>

**New Arkansas Civil War book being written**  
<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2015/10/new-arkansas-civil-war-book-being-written/>

**Phil Leigh to speak to the Civil War Roundtable of Arkansas October 20**  
<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2015/10/phil-leigh-to-speak-to-the-civil-war-roundtable-of-arkansas-october-20/>

## US

**Slavery in America was much worse than you probably imagined**  
<http://www.rawstory.com/2015/10/slavery-in-america-was-much-worse-than-you-probably-imagined/>  
**For Myrtle Beach area historian, raising of Civil War cannons ends decades-long quest (SC)**  
<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/news/local/article37382211.html#>

**Yes, there were spies during the Civil War too**  
<http://www.buffalonews.com/city-region/yes-there-were-spies-during-the-civil-war-too-20151004>

**New headstones placed on 3 Civil War veterans' graves (WV)**  
<http://www.wvgazettemail.com/article/20151004/GZ01/151009785>

**Civil War concert recalls Irish Brigade (Del)**  
<http://www.doverpost.com/article/20151005/NEWS/151009928/-1/news>

**Lighthouse a beacon to Civil War Past (Ohio)**  
<http://www.toledoblade.com/local/2015/10/05/Lighthouse-a-beacon-to-Civil-War-past.html>

**A reasonable offer could bring Civil War veteran "home" to Maine**  
<http://maineatwar.bangordailynews.com/2015/10/04/a-reasonable-offer-could-bring-a-civil-war-veteran-home-to-maine/>

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## Texas

### **Texan mom wins fight against textbook that ‘erased’ slavery**

[http://news.yahoo.com/texan-mom-wins-fight-against-textbook-erased-slavery-144844119.html?soc\\_src=mail&soc\\_trk=ma](http://news.yahoo.com/texan-mom-wins-fight-against-textbook-erased-slavery-144844119.html?soc_src=mail&soc_trk=ma)

### **McGraw Hill to rewrite textbook after mom’s complaint**

[https://www.yahoo.com/parenting/mcgraw-hill-to-rewrite-textbook-after-moms-170440446.html?soc\\_src=mail&soc\\_trk=ma](https://www.yahoo.com/parenting/mcgraw-hill-to-rewrite-textbook-after-moms-170440446.html?soc_src=mail&soc_trk=ma)

## Iowa

### **Louisa County Historical Society presents Civil War Days**

[http://qctimes.com/news/local/a-history-lesson-louisa-county-historical-society-presents-civil-war/article\\_04b3f265-d05d-5b94-9311-1f9340d47cda.html](http://qctimes.com/news/local/a-history-lesson-louisa-county-historical-society-presents-civil-war/article_04b3f265-d05d-5b94-9311-1f9340d47cda.html)

### **Roundtable group to honor Civil War, War of 1812 veterans**

[http://wcfcourier.com/news/local/roundtable-group-to-honor-civil-war-war-of-veterans/article\\_0c4d580f-9cb3-51fa-90d7-f97986ceef98.html](http://wcfcourier.com/news/local/roundtable-group-to-honor-civil-war-war-of-veterans/article_0c4d580f-9cb3-51fa-90d7-f97986ceef98.html)

## California

### **The 26<sup>th</sup> annual Civil War revisited**

<http://abc30.com/society/the-26th-annual-civil-war-revisited/1019304/>

## US

### **Exhibit tells Florida’s Civil War tale of blockade runners vs. gunboats**

<http://www.palmbeachdailynews.com/news/news/local/exhibit-tells-floridas-civil-war-tale-of-blockade-nnwsB/>

### **One Southerner says the Confederacy was a ‘con-job’ on white people and its legacy still is today**

<http://www.rawstory.com/2015/10/one-southerner-says-the-confederacy-was-a-con-job-on-white-people-and-its-legacy-still-is-today/>

### **Civil War Round Table delivers deeper understanding of conflict to newcomers (SC)**

<http://www.islandpacket.com/news/local/community/bluffton-packet/article38069859.html#>

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**Shadows of the Blue and Gray brings Civil War to life (ILL)**

<http://www.bcrnews.com/2015/10/02/shadows-of-the-blue-and-gray-brings-the-civil-war-to-life/aer8e8g/>

**Arkansas**

**ACWSC approves Howard County Civil War 150 historical marker**

<http://www.arkansascivilwar150.com/e-newsletter/acwsc-approves-howard-county-civil-war-150-historical-marker>

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