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Covering the Trans-Mississippi Theatre

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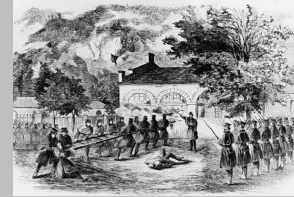
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Civil War Trivia

Top Ten Similarities between Lincoln and Davis

1. Both were born in Kentucky, less than one hundred miles and one year apart. They remain the only presidents born in Kentucky.
2. Both served during the Black Hawk War (1832).
3. Both suffered from depression.
4. Both lost sons before and during their presidencies.
5. Both served in the U.S. Congress.
6. Neither regarded African Americans as equal to whites
7. Neither asked to be nominated as president. Neither man chose his vice-president.
8. Both condemned John Brown's Raid.
9. Both were political moderates.
10. Both were accused of wearing dresses.

US

The stubborn persistence of Confederate monuments

<http://www.theatlantic.com/politics/archive/2016/04/the-stubborn-persistence-of-confederate-monuments/479751/>

‘Philadelphia : The Great Experiment’ : The factors that fueled the Civil War

http://www.philly.com/philly/entertainment/20160427_Philadelphia_The_Great_Experiment_The_factors_that_fueled_the_Civil_War.html

Kentucky Confederate monument to be removed after 120 years

https://www.yahoo.com/news/university-louisville-remove-confederate-monument-160003229.html?soc_src=mail&soc_trk=ma

Kansas

Historic statue returns to Civil War memorial in Wichita

http://www.richmond.com/news/ap/article_4705bda2-09f0-527e-b661-db0bc503ecb7.html

Arkansas

First annual Sultana Festival this weekend

<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2016/04/first-annual-sultana-festival-weekend/>

Arkansas history professional development for teachers

<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2016/04/arkansas-history-professional-development-teachers%e2%80%8f/>

Oregon

Civil War gun auction

<https://kobi5.com/news/civil-war-gun-auction-26477/>

Washington

SAF says image of gun owner Harriet Tubman on \$20 bill is good choice

<http://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/saf-says-image-of-gun-owner-harriet-tubman-on-20-bill-is-good-choice-300256036.html>

US

Famed news correspondent Cokie Roberts honors the women of the Civil War

http://www.collegiatetimes.com/news/famed-news-correspondent-cokie-roberts-honors-the-women-of-the/article_0565ec46-0d9f-11e6-a15f-a766ac611a19.html

Surfing and the Civil War (SC)

<http://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/news/local/article74675187.html>

Free concert will feature music from Civil War era (GA)

<http://www.macon.com/news/local/article74666027.html>

Fairfield cemetery with graves of Civil War veterans to be renovated (Ohio)

<http://www.journal-news.com/news/news/local/fairfield-cemetery-with-graves-of-civil-war-vetera/nrDtr/>

Civil War veteran's headstone found in ditch 90 miles from cemetery (Mich)

<http://www.abc12.com/home/headlines/Civil-war-veterans-headstone-found-in-ditch-90-miles-from-cemetery-377630391.html>

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Farm Museum to host Battle of Big Bethel encampment (Maryland)

<http://www.carrollcountytimes.com/news/local/ph-cc-battle-big-bethel-20160430-story.html>

In a sign of changing times, Kentucky tears down a statue

<https://www.yahoo.com/news/sign-changing-times-kentucky-tears-down-statue-220040253.html?ref=gs>

Restraining order to be filed against removal of Confederate veterans monument (KY)

<http://www.wdrb.com/story/31860886/a-restraining-order-is-being-filed-against-the-removal-of-confederate-veterans-monument>

Sons of Union Veterans working to restore Civil War gravesites (Indiana)

http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2016/may/2/sons-of-union-vets-working-to-restore-civil-war-gr/?utm_source=RSS_Feed&utm_medium=RSS

Watch the trailer for unique Civil War dark comedy *Men Go to Battle*

<http://www.ew.com/article/2016/05/02/men-go-to-battle-trailer>

Southern heritage supporters sue over design of Civil War memorial (Fla)

<http://www.tbo.com/news/breaking-news/southern-heritage-supporters-sue-over-design-of-civil-war-memorial-20160502/>

I-95 rest area in Hampton dedicated to Joshua Chamberlain (Maine)

<http://bangordailynews.com/2016/05/02/news/bangor/i-95-rest-area-in-hampden-dedicated-to-joshua-chamberlain/>

Texas

Could Texas secede from the United States, if it wanted to...

https://www.yahoo.com/news/could-texas-secede-united-states-wanted-094818052--politics.html?soc_src=mail&soc_trk=ma

Arkansas

First annual Sultana Festival a success

<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2016/05/first-annual-sultana-festival-success/>

Full scale of the Sultana

<http://arkansastoothpick.com/2016/05/full-scale-model-sultana/>

US

Gettysburg park gets 3,000 artifacts from Civil War Museum

<http://www.stripes.com/news/us/gettysburg-park-gets-3-000-artifacts-from-civil-war-museum-1.407886>

Civil War Museum transfers collection to Gettysburg with Constitution exhibit planned

http://www.philly.com/philly/news/20160504_Civil_War_Museum_transfers_collection_to_Gettysburg_with_Constitution_Center_exhibit_planned.html

Confederate Memorial Day 2016 facts : 5 things to know (SC)

<http://www.ibtimes.com/confederate-memorial-day-2016-facts-5-things-know-holiday-information-2358198>

Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble to present time-shifting play ‘Row After Row’ (Ohio)

<http://timesleader.com/features/538897/bloomsburg-theatre-ensemble-to-present-time-shifting-play-row-after-row>

Missouri

WILSON’S CREEK NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD ANNOUNCES “ARTS IN THE PARK” CONCERTS FOR 2016

April 30, Saturday, 7:00 p.m. COLLEGE OF THE OZARKS BAND – This 50+ member orchestra will be performing again at Wilson’s Creek NB, playing patriotic selections, on the front lawn of the Visitor Center. They have been a part of the park since 1960!

May 7, Saturday, 7:00 p.m. THE MSU CIVIL WAR UNION ARMY BAND - In response to Missouri State University’s Veterans Alliance, selecting the Civil War as its theme for the 2013 Veterans Week, the band program assembled an ensemble to simulate a Union Army Band of that period. They will play period music from the 1860’s.

May 14, Saturday, 7:00 p.m. THE MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY BAND – An annual fan favorite, this 45 member, all volunteer community band, will perform various pieces, on the lawn, in front of the Visitor Center.

May 21, Saturday, 7:00 p.m. THE WINGS OF SWING BAND – This band is a versatile group of musicians that performs in the traditional big band style from the 30’s, 40’s and 50’s. They have become one of the most popular bands in the Arts in the Park concert series.

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May 28, Saturday, 7:00 p.m. RED BRIDGE - This group of entertainers provides high energy & high entertainment shows, which includes fun and natural humor. They play traditional bluegrass that will keep your toes a tappin'.

June 4, Saturday, 3 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., RAY HOUSE JAMBOREE* – Our annual music festival at the historic Ray House (Tour Stop Two), featuring several local groups performing traditional Ozark music, a barbeque dinner from 5-7, a Civil War encampment, demonstrations and exhibits, and a Civil War cannon firing.

***ALL** concerts are **FREE** and open to the public, except the June 4th program, at the Ray House, where regular admission (\$7.00 per person or \$15.00 per carload) will apply.

Please bring blankets and lawn chairs for all the programs.

For further information, please call 417-732-2662 or find us on the web at www.nps.gov/wicr

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Hope to see you at the battlefield!

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