

# Redwine, Lula scenes of oldtime Civil War re

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Many Hall Countians still remember the annual reunions of the Civil War veterans. They tell about the old soldiers coming dressed in the old uniforms, bringing with them the muskets, swords and other relics. Tall tales were told, remembrances were shared, and there was "dinner on the ground." There were two such events, in Hall County: the reunion at Redwine Methodist Church and the other one was held at the Bethlehem Baptist Church, Lula.

From "The Georgia Cracker", Aug. 28, 1897:

"Company 1 of the 24th Georgia Regiment Volunteers, held its annual reunion at Bethlehem church one and a half miles from Lula on Aug. 24. A large crowd gathered to witness the exercises which were very interesting and entertaining. The meeting was called to order by Captain J.B. Pool, and prayer was offered by the chaplain. The annual reunion sermon was delivered by Rev. Noah Martin, who took for his theme, Luke 22:15, 'With desire I have desired to eat this pass-over with you, before I suffer'. After the sermon the roll was called and an invitation extended to all old soldiers both Federal and Confederate, to join the organization. Capt. Pool was re-elected chairman, and other routine business was transacted, after which all present were invited to participate in the sumptuous and delightful basket dinner which the good wives of the old soldiers had prepared. After dinner a photo of the company and friends was taken before returning to the house. In the afternoon addresses were made by Col. J.H. Huggins and Rev. Noah Martin. The reunion will be held again next year, beginning Aug. 24th and it is earnestly hoped there will be nothing to mar the pleasure of the occasion."

Twelve or thirteen companies were formed in Hall County and left from this area to engage in battles throughout the Civil War. Company 1, 24th Georgia Regiment was one of these companies and it has come interesting history.

The elected captain of this company and it has some (or Pool). His headstone states he was a general. His descendants tell that he decided to enlist along with his three sons. He became the elected leader and spent much time drilling the men under the pine trees alongside Bethlehem Baptist Church located near Lula.

The following is a list of the muster roll of Co. 1, 24th Georgia Volunteer Regiment. Information in parenthesis is added collected research data.

## HALL COUNTY HISTORY

Muster Roll Of Company 1,  
24th Regiment  
Georgia Volunteer Infantry  
Army of Northern Virginia  
C.S.A.

Hall County, Georgia  
"Glade Guards Volunteer  
Rifles"

POOLE, Andrew Jackson — Captain Aug. 1, 1861. Resigned Dec. 20, 1863, or Jan. 2, 1864. (Buried Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery, Gen. A.J. Poole died at age 69 yrs. Sarah Norvell his wife died at age 82. "They were members of the Baptist Church from early age, faithful to their profession, their reward is heavenly where all is bliss.")

POOL, Andrew L. — 1st Lieutenant. Elected Captain Mar. 25, 1864. (Buried at Bethlehem Church.

WATERS, James L. — Second Lieutenant. Resigned, disability, June 8, 1862. (Born in White County, Jan. 27, 1827.)

BELL, General L. — Jr. Second Lieutenant. Wounded at Crampton's Gap, Md., Sept. 14, 1862. Died of wounds Sept. 28, 1862.

POOL, John B. — 1st Sergeant. Elected Second Lieutenant, May 6, 1864. Wounded between eyes at Sharpsburg, Va. May 12, 1864. Captured at Deep Bottom, Va. Aug. 16, 1864. Released at Ft. Delaware, June 17, 1865. (Buried in the Timber Ridge Baptist Church Cemetery; Rev. John B. (Benjamin) Pool, born June 18, 1834, died Apr. 11, 1925. J.B. Pool married Samary Martin Apr. 3, 1853, Hall County. The wife is also buried at Timber Ridge; Samary "Martin" Pool, born Jan. 22, 1837, died Dec. 31, 1928.)

HAWKINS, James — Second Sergeant. Elected Jr. Second Lieutenant Oct. 1, 1862 and Second Lieutenant, Mar. 25, 1864. Killed at Wilderness, Va. May 6, 1864. (James Hawkins married Sarah Martin, Apr. 6, 1856, Hall Co., according to pension records Sarah Hawkins died Aug. or Sept., 1913.)

PAYNE, Asa F. — Third Sergeant.

COFFEE, Robert — Fourth Sergeant, Captured at

1863.

BOGGUS, Thomas — Private. (Thomas Boggus and Mary Bell were issued license to wed Mar. 27, 1855, Hall Co.)

BOWLES, Francis M. — Private. (Francis M. Bowles married Mary Broom, Dec. 12, 1860, Hall Co.)

BOWLIN, James M. (or Bowlen) — Private. Died at Richmond, Va. Dec. 28, 1862. Buried there in Hollywood Cemetery.

BROOM, Joseph — Private. Wounded at Wilderness, Va. May 6, 1864. Surrendered, Appomattox, Va. Apr. 9, 1865. (Resident of Georgia since Dec.

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BROWN, Mansel (or Mancell) — Private. Died at Richmond, Va. June 28, 1862.

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BRYANT, William B.W. — Private. Captured at Crampton's Gap, Md. Sept. 14, 1862. Exchanged at Aiken's Landing, Va. Nov. 10, 1862.

CANADA, William T. — Private. Captured at Farmville, Va. Apr. 6, 1861. Released at Point Lookout, Md. June 26, 1861. (Born in Greenville, S.C. Dec. 24, 1825. On pension roll 1914-1918, died May 11, 1916.)

CANNON, W. — Private. Died 1st Division Jackson Hospital, Richmond, Va. Feb. 19, 1864. Buried in Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond. (Willis Cannon

married Nancy Little Dec. 1948, Hall Co.

CARTER, Lewis W. — Private, wounded in action resulting in loss of sight in Yorktown, Va. 1864.

CARTER, S.J. Private. Appointed Sergeant. Paroled August 18, 1864. (Seaborn J. Carter married Jabietha King Feb. 12, 1864, Hall Co.)

CARTER, T.H. — Private. Appointed 2d Sergeant. Paroled at Burkeville, Va. 17, 1865.

CARTER, William H. Private. Wounded Fredericksburg, Va. Dec.

Gettysburg, Pa. July 2, 1863. Paroled at Ft. Delaware, Del. Feb. 1865. Exchanged Mar. 1865. (Born in Rabun County, 1837.)

ECHOLS, John — Fifth Sergeant. In Banks County, on sick furlough for 30 days from May 22, 1862. No later record. (John Echols married E.A. Jones, Feb. 18, 1858, Hall Co.)

JONES, William F. — 1st Corporal. Detailed for hospital duty Mar. 3, 1863. Served as detail nurse in Jerusalem General Hospital, Va. June and July, 1863. (Buried in Timber Ridge Baptist Cemetery.)

HERRIN, William R. — 2nd Corporal. Appointed Sergeant, 1861. Died Oct. 17, 1861.

LITTLE, Henry L. — 4th Corporal. Captured at Sailor's Creek, Va. Apr. 6, 1865. Released at Point Lookout, Md. June 29, 1865. (Henry Little married Mary Fight Feb. 17, 1856, Hall Co.)

ARMOUR, David S. — Private. Roll dated Jan. 30, 1865, shows him absent on furlough. (Buried in the "old" cemetery of Holly Springs Baptist Church; David S. Armour, born July 22, 1842. — died ay 10, 1906. Mrs. D.S. Armour, born Feb. 2, 1848 — died Sept. 19, 1920.)

ARMOUR, Edward M. — Private. Captured at Farmville, Va. Apr. 6, 1865. (Born in Georgia, Edward M. Armour married Sarah A. Bice Nov. 29, 1860, Hall Co. Buried in "old" cemetery of Holly Springs Church. According to pension records, Edward M. Armour died Sept. 24, 1816. Sarah Armour died May 11, 1926.)

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