

The **Sons of Confederate Veterans** is dedicated to the preservation of the history and legacy of our ancestors.

We are not a reenactment organization.

Charge to the Sons of Confederate Veterans

"To you, Sons of Confederate Veterans, we will commit the vindication of the cause for which we fought. To your strength will be given the defense of the Confederate soldier's good name, the guardianship of his history, the emulation of his virtues, the perpetuation of those principles which he loved and which you love also, and those ideals which made him glorious and which you also cherish."

Lt. General Stephen Dill Lee,
Commander General,
United Confederate Veterans,
New Orleans, Louisiana, April 25,
1906.

The flag on the back panel is the Arizona Division of the Sons of Confederate Veterans flag.

Our Camp Namesake



Granville Henderson Oury holds a unique distinction in history, having been the only man ever to serve as a Territorial Delegate to both the Confederate States Congress and the United States Congress (he served as a Congressional Delegate from both the Confederate Territory of Arizona and, later, from the United States Territory of Arizona).

Oury was born on March 12th, 1825 in Washington County, Virginia

Oury enlisted in the Confederate Army, serving in Captain George Frazer's Company of Arizona Rangers, also known as Company B, Herbert's Battalion, Arizona Cavalry. When Frazer was promoted to Major of the battalion, Oury was elected Captain of Company B.

He died of throat cancer on January 11th, 1891 in Florence, Arizona and is buried at the old Adamsville Cemetery, which served both Florence and the now extinct community of Adamsville. His home, in Florence, is on the National Historic Register.

Who Can Join?

Membership in the Sons of Confederate Veterans is open to all male descendants of any veteran who served honorably in the Confederate armed forces. Membership can be obtained through either lineal or collateral family lines and kinship to a veteran must be **documented genealogically**. The minimum age for membership is 12.

Applicants should submit an application form, along with a detailed genealogy describing your relationship to the veteran, and proof of his service.

To obtain proof of his service, contact the archives of the state from which the soldier fought and obtain a copy of the veteran's military service record. All southern state's archives have microfilm records of the soldiers who fought from that state, and a copy of the information can be obtained for a nominal fee. In addition, the former Confederate states awarded pensions to veterans and their widows. All of these records contain a wealth of information that can be used to document military service.

The SCV has a network of genealogists to assist you in tracing your ancestor's Confederate service.

Website:

www.SCVcamp1708.org



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Sons of Confederate Veterans

Do you know your
American roots and your
family's role in America's
history?

Do you have an ancestor
who fought for the Confed-
eracy?

Do you want to make a dif-
ference in your community
and help preserve America's
heritage?

Join Us!!

SCV is looking for you!

One of our major projects is identify-
ing and helping to preserve the graves
of Confederate Veterans everywhere.

The Camp's regular meetings are held the
second Thursday of each month at
6:30 PM.

We meet at JB's restaurant located at the
NE corner of Power Rd. and Main St. in
Mesa.

Meetings are open to anyone interested.

Come Join Us!!!



**Capt. Granville
Henderson Oury
Camp 1708**

**Arizona Division of the
Sons of Confederate Veterans**