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Major John C. Hutto Camp Meeting

Please join with the Major John C. Hutto Camp in Jasper, Alabama on 20 February 2022 at 2:00pm for the February 2022 Camp meeting. Meeting will be in the First United Methodist Church's Adult Center behind the church sanctuary. Gen. John R. Scales will be speaking on The Battles and Campaigns of Confederate General Nathan Bedford Forrest, 1861-1865.

Retired Special Forces Brigadier General Scales examines Forrest's wartime activities and how his actions affected the war in the Western Theater. General Scales retired from the military with over 30 years of service including tours in Viet Nam and Afghanistan. Scales has a Ph.D. in engineering and has worked in this field since retiring from the military. He has previously served as the president of the Tennessee Valley Civil War Roundtable and leads tours in Alabama, Tennessee and Georgia. General Scales lives in Huntsville.

Family, friends & guest are welcome

Lincoln Ordered the Greatest Mass Hanging In America's History

America's greatest mass hanging — the execution of 38 Sioux Indians — was personally ordered by the "Great Emancipator," President Abraham Lincoln.

By WEBB GARRISON

Trouble started in the summer of 1862 when starving Sioux Indians, upset over broken promises from the federal government, attacked settlers in several Minnesota towns.

Since most able-bodied men were off fighting in the Civil War, the towns were practically unprotected.

The Minnesota Infantry struck back, but within weeks the Indians controlled a 250-mile-by-50-mile strip of land. The uprising eventually became the bloodiest of all Indian massacres — about 800 settlers and soldiers were killed, although some historians estimated

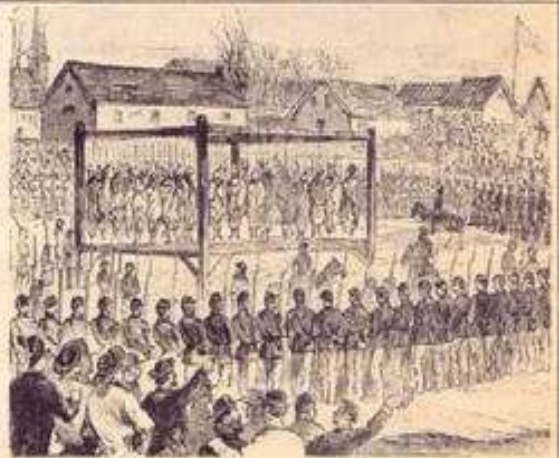
the death toll much higher.

U.S. Army troops commanded by Gen. John Pope finally subdued the Sioux and hundreds of Indians were imprisoned in a military stockade.

Pope set up a military tribunal. After a hasty hearing, 307 warriors were condemned to die.

But no one was sure the military trial was legal. So the matter was dumped into President Lincoln's lap.

Acting as Commander in Chief, he personally reviewed each case — and wrote an order for the execution of 38 Sioux he judged



38 INDIANS were hanged on President Lincoln's orders following a bloody massacre of settlers and soldiers.

guilty of murdering unarmed citizens. He commuted the death sentences of the remaining Indians.

An enormous scaffold 24-feet square was erected in Mankato, Minn., for the public hanging.

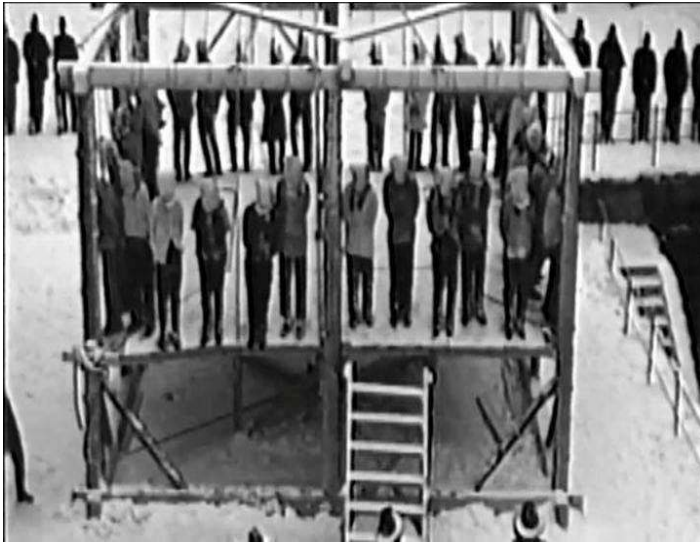
On the morning of Dec. 26, 1862, the condemned Indians mounted the scaffold and their necks. As the platform

fell from beneath the Indians' feet, 4,000 civilians cheered. The bodies were buried in a common grave and the rope used in the hanging was cut into small pieces and distributed to spectators.

In a huge whitewash, historians usually mention the Sioux massacre only briefly — and fail to point out Lincoln's role in it.

Sometimes the truth is hidden from us as kids. Should you bring it up as an adult you get ridiculed...

People think that Abe Lincoln was such a benevolent President. He was actually a tyrant. He attacked the Confederate States of America, who succeeded from the Union due to tax and tariffs. (If you think it was over slavery, you need to find a real American history book written before 1960.)



This picture is of 39 Santee Sioux Indian men that were ordered to be executed by Abraham Lincoln for treaty violations (IE: hunting off of their assigned reservation). Yes, the “Great Emancipator” as the history books so fondly referred to him.

Authorities in Minnesota asked President Lincoln to order the immediate execution of all 303 Indian males found guilty. Lincoln was concerned with how this would play with the Europeans, whom he was afraid were about to enter the war on the side of the South. He

offered the following compromise to the politicians of Minnesota: They would pare the list of those to be hung down to 39. In return, Lincoln promised to kill or remove every Indian from the state and provide Minnesota with 2 million dollars in federal funds.

So, on December 26, 1862, the “Great Emancipator” ordered the largest mass execution in American History, where the guilt of those to be executed was entirely in doubt. Regardless of how Lincoln defenders seek to play this, it was nothing more than murder to obtain the land of the Santee Sioux and to appease his political cronies in Minnesota.

You have no idea the things that are hidden from you with the textbooks assigned to you as a child by your government. Stay mindful people, be aware....in the age of information being ignorant is indeed a choice.

You are currently seeing the wholesale attempt to REWRITE yet another chapter in American History where the Confederate Battle Flag is concerned. Now there is talk of digging up graves and moving bodies that ‘offend’ people. This is nothing more than desecration of the dead.

Have a disagreement with history, and not wanting to remember the War Between the States, is one thing. But to erase a significant event in national history is another. And sets a dangerous precedent. What will fall victim next to Political Correctness?

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