



Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society

October 2010

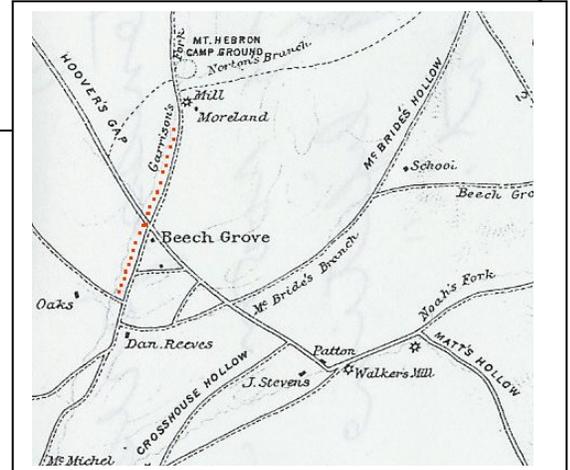
The Old Stone Fort Archaeological Society will meet **Thursday, October 14th at 6:00 pm** at the Old Stone Fort Museum in Manchester, Tennessee. The purpose of this Society is to learn more about prehistoric Native American cultures and the early historic period of Tennessee. We meet on the second Thursday of each month and our meetings are **Free** and open to the public. Our program this month:

Mr. Wayne Ison
who will present

The Battle of Hoover's Gap and Beechgrove

On June 24th, 1863 General Rosecrans sent Federal troops in Murfreesboro south toward Shelbyville and southeast toward Hoover's Gap. Among these Federal troops were John Wilder's brigade (Cavalry) who carried the new seven-shot Spencer repeating rifle into Hoover's Gap, the first battle where repeating rifles were used. The Confederates, under the command of General Braxton Bragg could not stop the soldiers with the repeating rifles. Mr. Ison will describe the battle of Hoover's Gap and Beechgrove, as well as the history of this part of north Coffee County.

Thanks to Mr. Gary Barker for his presentation on the Kellytown Site at our September meeting. Invite your friends and neighbors, see you Thursday, *Mark*



Seven-shot Spencer Rifle

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Old Stone Fort State Park 931-723-5073 <http://state.tn.us/environment/parks>

Tennessee Archaeology Network

<http://www.mtsu.edu/~kesmith/TNARCH/>

Stones River National Battlefield

<http://www.nps.gov/stri/>

Tullahoma Campaign

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tullahoma_Campaign

Beechgrove Confederate Cemetery

<http://civilwartoday.net/bgcc.aspx>

Camp Lawton – Civil War Prisoner of War Camp - Georgia

<http://www.georgiasouthern.edu/campawton/>

The American Civil War

<http://americancivilwar.com/>

Southeastern Archaeological Conference – October 28-30th, 2010

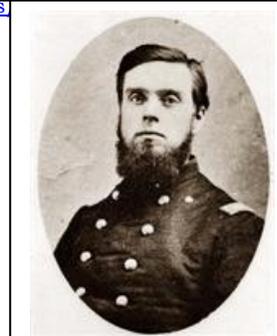
<http://www.southeasternarchaeology.org/>

Archaeological Institute of America – John Oleson – November 4, 2010, The Parthenon

<http://www.archaeological.org/events/1674>

Pow Wow – Long Hunter State Park – October 15-17th, 2010

<http://www.naiatn.org/powwow/index.html>



John T. Wilder



Spencer Cartridge

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<http://www.mtsu.edu/~kesmith/TNARCH/tennesseearchaeology.html>

Camp Marmont Knap-In – October 22-24th 2010

FIRST ANNUAL CAMP MARYMOUNT KNAP-IN - In memory of Joe Price. Camp Marymount is located on Highway 100, about 7 miles west of Nashville, Tennessee, in Fairview. It is about 10 miles from Interstate 40, using Exit numbers 192 or 182.

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