

## ***Saturday Scenario-Battle of Sample Farm -April 5, 2008***

*This year I am planning a Tactical to take place in the woods in the Historic Latta Plantations 52 acres. This Tactical will be for the Reanactors to see who can out maneuver who. This Tactical will probably start around 8:00 a.m. lasting until 9:30 a.m.; (it will be up to the commanders to keep the time). This is for the reenactors alone, so they can have a good time.*

### ***Spectator Battle Scenario for Saturday 2:00pm – 3:00pm***

*(A Confederate Victory) The Battle will begin sharply at 2:00pm with the Federals fleeing from the woods up to the house and plantation. The civilians that are around the house will run to escape the Federals. The family of the house will stay to protect their home. The women of the house and kids will be sent inside while the man of the house and Slave Ian stay outside to fend off the approaching army. The Commanding Officer of the Federals will approach the man of the house and tell him “we are going to have to commandeer this house, there is a fight underway”. There will be words spoken and the Confederate Army will then be seen forming up along the outskirts of the woods in battle line formation. (During the confrontation at the house the federals are deploying skirmish lines in front of the main body of the army, if there are artillery pieces available they will set up on the field away from the spectators and where the procution will not break any windows of the house). When the Man of the house runs inside to be with his family Ian the slave will ask the officer “is there anything I can get ya?”. The officer will send him away for safety while the first SHOTS ARE FIRED. The Confederates will fire a volley first as the federal skirmishers answer with another. The confederates will advance, stop and fire another volley. The federal skirmish line will fire another volley in retreat. The confederates will continue to advance pushing the federal skirmishers back to the main body of the federals. The two armies will have a hot fight for a couple of minutes and then the confederates will be pushed back. They will rally and start pushing the federals back to the rear of the house. The artillery piece will be moved to the rear and will then be shot. The confederates will be heavily affected but not stopped. The gun will be taken as the federals fall back into the woods. The battle is over.*

*After both armies have cleared weapons and primed they will line up for a march by the spectators. After which they will return to camp and time will be yours. (I may have other things going on afterward I will be in touch with you if I will need some men for demos.)*

## **Reenactor Morning Church Service**

*Sunday Morning there will be a Church Service at 10:00am*

### **Sunday Scenario Battle of River Side -April 6, 2008**

*Sunday will be different than Saturday. While the family of the house is acting out a scenario around the house both armies will be marching up to the house - one coming from the east and one from the west,( both will be out of site of the spectators). Both armies will deploy skirmishers to scout out what is up ahead and will run into one another at the house among the family. Of course the family will react to it as before while the battle is started.*

#### **Spectator Battle Scenario**

**2:00p.m. – 3:00p.m.**

*(A Federal Victory) The Confederates will be marching down a path coming up from the West while the Federals will be marching out of the woods down the power line path coming from the East. Both armies will send out skirmish details to scout the area while the army halts. The skirmishers will run into each other around the house where they will then engage one another. This engagement will last for a couple of minutes. Then both armies will march into view and form battle lines. The skirmish lines will then fall back in line with the main body and the battle will take its course. I will give the field to the commanders to work with. The final outcome will have the Federals Victorious.*

#### **Extra on Saturday and Sundays Battles**

*For both the Saturday and Sunday battles I will give the officers in command a little room to work with, to make the battles interesting and believable to the spectators.*

#### **The title of the Battles**

*(The Battle of Sample Farm and The Battle of RiverSide)*

*Both days will be made up battle scenarios which will give the viewer a sense of what a battle would have looked like as well as what one would have sounded like. This will be stressed to the viewing public that this is not a historical battle that we are trying to create what a battle would have looked like as well as the soldiers who fought the Civil War. If there are any questions call Matthew Waisner (704)875-2312 or e-mail me at [m\\_waisner@hotmail.com](mailto:m_waisner@hotmail.com)*