SIEGE OF AUGUSTA XXII

January 18-20 2013

Doubletree by Hilton 2651 Perimeter Parkway

Augusta Georgia



A New Sign Greets Participants at the 22nd SIEGE OF AUGUST

In the past few years there have been several changes of SOA leadership, and some uncertainty as to chapter support, with veterans wearing out or moving on. This year, however, will good wishes from the veterans, a new team headed by Bryant McLaughlin of South Carolina got strong support from the original SOA chapter, HMGS MidSouth. Of course, much reliance was placed on reaching active gaming groups and shops in an area centered on Augusta Ga.

As a result there were nearly 200 games and tournaments for De Bellis Antiquitates (DBA), Hordes of the Things (HOTT), Warrior, Flames of War (FOW), and several demonstrations. Attended by more than 200 gamers.

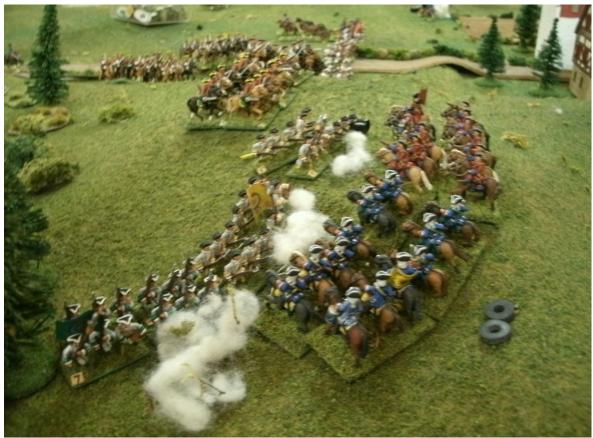
Friday night by the time I had unpacked my booth I had to scramble to set up my Spanish Civil War game. But my former partner Jim Brokaw was ready to go on his 15mm Age of Marlborough (WSS) Game:



Setting Up Friday Afternoon



Jim Brokaw Supervises Will You Come to Flanders



French Cavalry Charge Home on a Flanders Battlefield



Another Cavalry Charge To Determine The Spanish Government-March 1937



Naval Action Nearby



Younger Players Getting Started



Convention Director Bryant McLaughlin Takes His Turn At The Desk Saturday Morning



The Crowds Built Up To A Comfortable Buzz-Indicating A Successful Convention



This Was The Best Looking Table of All-In My Opinion



Bill Amick's WSS Troops-A Whole Table Engaged in Barry Hilton's UNDER THE LILLY BANNER



ACW Riverine Warfare From Jim Brokaw



Pre-Graying Hobbyists At Work-



Tournament Play-Great Figures, Indifferent Terrain



All The King's Men Demo Games-Always Colorful



This Was The First I Had Seen of ATKM ACW Figures-Excellent



Of Course No Convention Is Complete Without A Flames of War Tournament

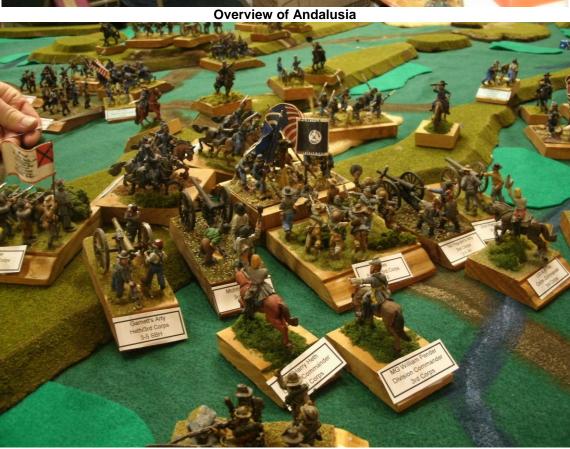


Or The Saturday Evening Awards and Raffles Break



Andalusia In The Days of El Cid?





Volley And Bayonet ACW



Druids Contend With Witches To Control DBA Dice Saturday Night



While An LOTR Game Distracts A Large Cast Until Quite Late



WWI German Storm Troopers In What Looks Like WWI FOW



"THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN"The Horns Of Hatin In DBM As Convention Winds Down On Sunday



Overview of "THE HORNS OF HATTIN"



Dark Side-But These Guys Stayed To Get The Most Out Of The Convention

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