



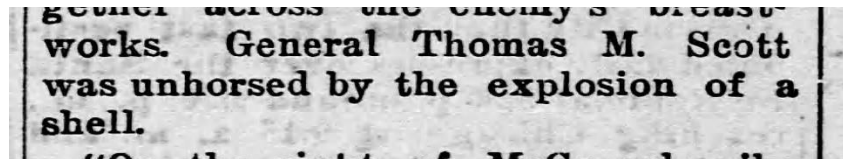
Thomas M. Scott, Brigadier General, Commanding Brigade, CS

- 1829 Scott born to George and Mary Scott in Georgia.
- 1850 July 11: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in New Orleans, LA showed Thomas M. living with his parents and siblings. His father, George, was a merchant.
- 1854 Married Mary Elizabeth Bissell.
- 1860 August 1: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Claiborne, LA showed T.M., a farmer, and M.E., living with their children. The family owned ten slaves, who lived in four slave houses on the farm.
- 1861 August 13: Enlisted in the CS Army at Camp Moore and immediately promoted to Colonel.
- 1862 November & December: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Present. Remarks "Commanding Brigade since Oct 22, 1862."
- 1863 March & April: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Present.
- May & June: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Absent. Remarks "At Lauderdale Springs Hospital Sick."
- July & August: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Present.
- September & October: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Absent. Remarks "In Trans Miss. Dept collecting men of his command."

¹ Photo from [findagrave.com/user/JohnGriffith](https://www.findagrave.com/user/JohnGriffith)

1864 May 10: May & June: Field and Staff Muster Roll. Remarks "Transferred. Promoted to Brigadier General."

November 30: Commanded his brigade at the Battle of Franklin.



1866 April 24: Wife Mary Ann died.

1870 June 1: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in New Orleans, LA showed a widowed Thomas M., cotton house clerk, living with his children.

October 31: Married Fannie Ada Sparks in New Orleans.

1876 April 21: Thomas Moore Scott died in New Orleans, LA. He was buried at Greenwood Cemetery.



² The Thayer Weekly Graphic, Thayer, KS, Saturday 15 Dec 1894, pg. 3

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GEN. THOS. M. SCOTT.

The sad Particulars of His sudden Death.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning Gen. Thos. M. Scott, a native of Georgia, was found cold in death at the Sample coffeehouse, corner of Jackson and Magazine streets.

A DEMOCRAT reporter visited the place and gleaned the following particulars from J. H. Crippen, proprietor of the saloon, who states that Gen. Scott visited his saloon about 7 o'clock Thursday night, and after taking several drinks left the place.

At half-past 8 o'clock he returned to the establishment and indulged again in quite a number of drinks, and so much so that he fell asleep in a chair. He was not interfered with until the time came to close the barroom, and Mr. Crippen attempted to rouse him. Finding his efforts fruitless, Mr. C. concluded to leave him until morning. The house was finally closed up, and Gen. Scott was left asleep in the chair. Mr. Crippen repaired to his saloon Thursday morning, and on entering his place found the General in the same position, and on examination what was his surprise to find that the General's sleep was the dull cold sleep of death, having expired sometime during the early part of the night, as the corpse was cold when discovered.

The Coroner's investigation elicited the fact that Gen. Scott resided at Scott station, on the line of the Mobile road, and is in the habit of paying frequent visits to this city, always making the Sample House his headquarters, and this accounts for Mr. Crippen allowing him to spend the night in his saloon.

The Coroner's jury returned a verdict of congestion of the brain, produced by excessive drinking.

General Scott was a gallant officer in the Confederacy, under General Hood, serving in the 13th Louisiana Regiment; his general manners and generous disposition made him beloved by all. His sudden demise will bring sorrow to the hearts of his many friends.

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⁴ The New Orleans Daily Democrat, New Orleans, LA, Saturday 22 Apr 1876, pg. 4