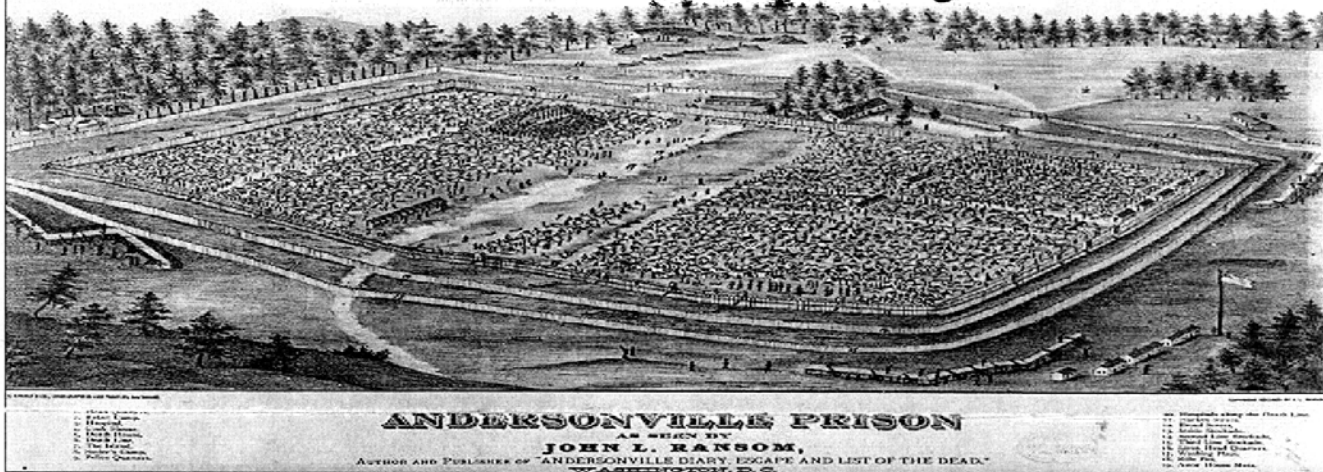


ANDERSONVILLE AND FORT PULASKI:

Archaeology at Two American Civil War Prisoner-of-War Sites in Georgia



**A Special Presentation by Archaeologist John H. Jameson to be held at
FOSA's Annual Meeting on Saturday, January 29, 2011 at 2 p.m.**

While the American Civil War may be best known from pivotal events such as the battles of Fort Sumter, Antietam, and Gettysburg, another kind of battle was burned into the historical consciousness of the United States, the horrific prisoner-of-war experience. An estimated 56,000 men perished in Civil War prisons, a casualty rate much higher than on the battlefields. Archaeologist John Jameson's talk will focus on two Georgia POW sites presently managed and interpreted for the public where archaeology has played an important role in filling major gaps in the historical record: Andersonville National Historic Site and Fort Pulaski National Monument.

John H. Jameson, RPA is senior archaeologist and Program Lead, Technical Assistance and Partnerships, for the Southeast Archeological Center, U.S. National Park Service. His 25-plus years of public service have encompassed a broad range of projects in cultural heritage preservation and cultural resource management in the U.S. and overseas.

The public is invited to attend this event, which will be held at the Smith Middle School Auditorium, 216 Addison Road, Glastonbury, CT at 2 p.m. The annual business meeting of the Friends of the Office of State Archaeology (FOSA) will precede the event at 1 p.m. FOSA's meeting, which will include nominations and elections of directors and officers, is open to the public. Jameson's presentation is co-sponsored by FOSA, the Archaeology Society of Connecticut (ASC), and the Connecticut State Museum of Natural History and Connecticut Archaeology Center, part of CLAS at UCONN. Admission is \$12.00 for the general public, and \$5.00 for students with ID. Snow date is Sunday, January 30 @ 12:00 p.m. In case of inclement weather, FOSA will post notices on WTIC (AM 1080) and on Channel 3 by 10 a.m. on January 29. For further information, please call 860.486.4460. You can also visit us on the Internet at: www.fosa-ct.org or contact us via e-mail at: fosa-ct@archaeologist.com.



John H. Jameson

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- 1.) Take exit 25 (Putnam Bridge-Glastonbury Rte. 3) and follow to Rte 2 East/Norwich.
- 2.) Take Exit 8 off Rte 2. At end of ramp turn left onto Hebron Ave.
- 3.) On Hebron Ave., make left at 4th traffic light onto Eastern Blvd. Follow .8 mi to end.
- 4.) Smith Middle School will be directly in front of you. Park in Visitor Parking Lot on left.

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Take Rte 2 East off I-84. Take Exit 8 off Rte 2. Follow steps 2-4 in directions above.

From Rte. 2 West:

Take Exit 8 off Rte 2. Turn right at end of ramp. At light, take right onto Hebron Ave. Go about .25 mi and turn left at 2nd light onto Eastern Blvd. Follow steps 3 & 4 above.