FEBRUARY 3, 2015

UPSHUR COUNTY PATRIOTS CAMP 2109

MINUTES FROM MEETING HELD JANUARY 6, 2015

Members present:  James Barham, Leland Davis, Phil Davis, Kim Duffey, Jamie Eitson, Rickie Gipson, Larry Harper, Archie "Otter" Hass, Mark Hass, Ronnie Hill, Ron Jones: George Linton, Mack Mclendon, David Palmer, Eddie Pricer, Joe Reynolds, Matthew Roach, Bill Starnes, Daniel Stevens, Larry Bruce Swinney

Guest:  Bill Palmer, Karla Jones, Ben Adkison, Mike Humes, Esther Linton

Meeting called to order by camp Commander Eddie Pricer

Opening prayer led by Chaplain Jamie Eitson,

Pledges to the US & Texas flags & salute to the confederate flag led by Color Sgt Kim Duffe

Charge to the Sons of Confederate Veterans given by Adjutant Rickie Gipson
Minutes & financial report led by Adjutant Gipson &  were approved

Commander Pricer reminded those who have not completed their biographies for their confederate ancestor to do so.  Also give website director Joe Reynolds your e-mail addres:

New Business

Remember Brigade Color Sgt Paul Hamilton in our prayers

Guardian Program Leader Phil Davis presented new guardian Jamie Eitson his guardianship certificate & George Linton 3 guardianship certificate & a Silver Star medal for his work on the Terry Cemetery in Arkansas

Confederate Heros' Day program will be Saturday January 17, 2015 at 12:00 on the Gregg County courthouse square. Muster at 11:00AM

Commander Pricer swore in new officers Kim Duffey as color seargant & Jamie Eitson as Chaplain

Get Road to Secession CD's from Bill Starnes for a $1 donation

Third LTC Bill Starnes introduced speaker for the evening  Eddie "Otter" Hass. Otter spoke on his family and their Cherokee conection.  He gave a time line of the Cherokees in United States and spoke on their participation in Civil War with both the Union and Confederates. Said the Cherokees have been a divided nation. Otter was dressed in Cherokee formal wear.

Meeting was closed with prayer by Chaplain Eitson and the Singing of "Dixie"

Door prize donations--$36.00

Rickie Gipson Adjutant