Upshur County Patriots Camp 2109

Minutes from Meeting on January 7, 2020

Members present: Jerry Akin, Eugene Brown, Phil Davis, Kim Duffey, Jamie Eitson, Gregg Gipe, George Linton, Don Loyd, David Palmer, Eddie Pricer, Butch Ragland, Frank Smith, and Bill Starnes

Guest; Jerry Haymes and James Williams

Meeting called to order by Commander Eugene Brown welcoming guest and members.

Opening Prayer led by Jamie Eitson

Pledges to the Texas and U.S. Flags and Salute to the Confederate Flag led by Eugene Brown.

Charge to the Sons of Confederate members given by Adjutant Don Loyd.

Past Commander Eddie Prizer conducted the swearing in of new officers. Eugene Brown as Commander and Gregg Gipe as 1st. Lt. Commander.

Program: Bill Starnes introduced the speaker Frank Smith, presented and demonstrated training tactics as outlined in training manual "Hardie's Tactics". These tactics were in use during the war of northern aggression.

Review of minutes for the November Meeting presented and approved.

No Financial Report given.

Old Business: none

New Business: Motion made and passed vote to send \$20 to the Texas Div. Benevolence Fund. James Haymes said they call for the funds when the need arises.

Upcoming Events: Confederate Veterans Day Longview Jan. 18

Fort Worth Livestock show parade

Texas Division Meeting Mt. Pleasant

Door Prices conducted by Eddie Pricer

Benediction lead by Chaplain Jamie Eitson and the singing of our beloved. "Dixie".

Receipts; Flower Fund \$28, Door Prices \$9 and Jar Money \$12