

August 4, 2015

Jpshur County Patriots Camp 2109

Minutes from meeting held July 7, 2015

Members Present: James Barham, Eugene Brown, Phil Davis, Jamie Eitson, Rickie Gipson, Larry Harper, Archie Hass Jr, Mark Hass, Wayne Hastings, Ronnie Hill, James Jones, Jared Jones, Justin Jones, George Linton, Don Loyd, Mack Mclendon, Joseph Moss, Bill Palmer, David Palmer, Jerry Perkins, Eddie Pricer, Butch Ragland, Larry J Reynolds, Jimmy Rieves, Larry B. Swinny

Guest: Ben Adkison, Billie Johnson, Esther Linton, Sam Mercer, Karla Jones, Rick Umfleet, Charles Middleton, John Hitt, Charles Plumley, Michael Pepper

Meeting called to order by Commander Eddie Pricer

Opening prayer led by Chaplain Jamie Eitson

Pledges to US & Texas Flags & salute to the Confederate Flag led by Ronnie Hill

Minutes & financial report given by Adjutant Rickie Gipson & were approved

Our camp won 2nd place float at the July 4th Ore City Parade. It was noted that Paul Hamilton ^{attended} the parade & that the treatments had killed most of his cancer. Pray for Paul

Commander Pricer swore in new camp member Wayne Hastings

Our camp won the best website award at the Texas SCV Division reunion. Thanks to our web master Larry Joe Reynolds

Guardian Leader Phil Davis presented Bill Palmer with guardianship certificates. Said his guardianship fees had been waived for two(2) years

Karla Jones reminded camp of the Civil War Symposium in Jefferson, Tx August 15th

Commander Pricer presented the following awards from the Texas Division Reunion:

Phil Davis-----Gold Cross w/star
Kim Duffey-----Silver Cross
Larry Harper-----Bronze Cross
Archie Hass Jr-----Bronze Cross
Mark Hass-----Bronze Cross
Ben Hay-----Bronze Cross
Butch Ragland-----Bronze Cross
Larry J Reynolds-----Bronze Cross
Paul Hamilton-----Gold Cross

Commander Pricer noted that these awards ^{ARE} merited by various activities preformed

Commander Pricer said that our election of camp officers will be held in our November camp meeting. Said nominations can be made from the floor

Our Brigade Commander Sam Mercer said since our southern heritage is under such an attack that we MUST TAKE A STAND NOW---"Pull up socks, blow our nose & TAKE A STAND, get on the internet, Fly The Battle Flag, do everything we can do to defend our southern heritage!!!!

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Motion and second to raffle off two(2) plaques with 150yr old civil war bullets. motion pass
Ronnie Hill gave the Plaques and it was agreed to pay him back \$40.00 each from the proceeds
from the raffle

John Hitt from the John Gregg Camp of Longview, Tx gave the program for the evening on
armament. John said armament came to age during the war between the states. John
brought & displayed his personal collections of rifles, pistols & bullets. Said that
there were 675 types of bullets used in the war between the states. Good program

It was noted that Larry Joe Reynolds & Rex McGee will be starting a new SCV camp in
Mount Pleasant Tx soon. We need to get behind him & give him our support

We will move our camp meetings back to Haddens Sandwich Shop on the Gilmer square starting
with our August meeting.

Meeting was closed with prayer by Chaplain Eitson & singing of 'Dixie'

Door prize money--\$30.00

'Jar' donations---\$10.00

Rickie Gipson Adjutant