Minutes for Chapter Meeting March 15, 2014

Major K. M. Van Zandt Chapter #6, Texas SAR

9:00AM

President Raymond Leftwich called the meeting to order.

- Chaplain Roger Tate led the invocation.
- **President** Leftwich led the pledge to the flag of the United States of America, the pledge to the flag of the State of Texas and the pledge to the SAR flag.
- **President** Leftwich introduced the guests and requested the members and guests greet each other with members to mention their ancestor patriot relatives. President Leftwich recognized member Gerry Gieger and awarded him the Liberty Medal awarded for outstanding services in the recruitment of new members to SAR.
- President Leftwich introduced the new slate of incoming 2014 officers for induction into office; the oath was administered by District Vice-President James Alderman. The officers included President Russell Leavens, Vice-President Mike Connelley, Treasurer Vaughn Oliver and Chaplain Roger Tate.
- The meeting was turned over to incoming president Russell Leavens who then recognized outgoing President Ray Leftwich with the past-president's pin. President Leavens then introduced Roger Tate who, in turn, introduced the speaker for the meeting, Rhenda J. White-Brunner, USO, center Director, DFW Airport who gave a talk on the current role of the USO with members of the military traveling through DFW Airport. Donations of snack food items and paper goods, along with a cash contribution of \$208.00, was made available to the USO by the chapter.
- Reports from the Officers:
- **President** Leavens called for reports from the chapter officers and committees:
- A motion was made and the minutes for the February 2014 meeting were approved as posted
 on the web. Vice president Mike Connelley will continue as the acting secretary for the chapter
 until a replacement for this position can be found.
- Treasurer Vaughn Oliver reported that the current balance in the operating fund is \$7,862.48; the Pray TCU fund is \$2,537.71 and the Goodman Youth Fund is \$1,776.82. The total of all three funds is \$12,177.01. Oliver also noted he is in contact with TCU concerning the History award that should be made in April 2014.

NOTE: the remainder of the minutes for March 2014 are not available.