

## Heart of America Chapter 36

# Minutes of the June 10, 2012 Meeting

President Wayne Andrews called the meeting to order at 2:05 PM.

No guests were present at this meeting.

Minutes of the April 1, 2012 Meeting as published in the June Newsletter were unanimously approved as written.

Treasurer, Ruth Herrmann, reported that the Chapter April balance of \$5,111.15 had grown a few dollars by dues and 50/50 drawing, less postage, Kansas registration and office supplies expenses, leaving a present balance at this June 10th meeting of \$5,138.15. The Regional Account in April had a balance of \$21,103.42 with regional registrations, plus more received at Regional, less regional expenses of \$5,515.20 bringing the Regional Account balance to \$19,138.02. The Treasurer's Report was approved unanimously.

Allen Ray, Vice President of Programs, introduced our member, Greg Arey. Greg presented the program on "Finding Lost Treasures." He discussed Kansas City's Union Station history and displayed and talked about a Howard No. 1, Jewelers Regulator, dead beat escapement, 15 pound weight hidden in panel behind the pendulum, and many time inspector certificates posted inside the case. It was also mentioned that Greg Arey was taped for the National Geographic Program on finding American Treasures about this clock.

Don Allen presented Certificates of Appreciation from NAWCC to members for their Regional efforts at the successful Three Rivers Regional, April 20-21, 2012: Roberta Reupke-Hospitality; Wayne Andrews-Host Chapter President and Security; Jerry Thornsberry-programs; Ruth Herrmann-Registration; Romona Allen-Hospitality; Al Scott-Silent Auction; Harry Firth-Photographer; Wayne Herrmann-Mart and Door prizes; Don Allen-Regional Chairman and Banquet; Bill Maune-Exhibits; Larry Boucher-Workshops; Mark Carr-Program Presenter; Linda Andrews-Banquet.

Darrell Carr reported on an educational program to be presented in the near future on repairing movements with ball-bearing bushings, to be presented by a Mr. Buttersworth of Des Moines. Bill Dugan is trying to get a Suitcase Workshop on anchor escapements, and gold leafing. Bob Chester is working on a program also but was not at this meeting.

Several members shared wonderful remembrances of Sam Kutner, our member who had recently passed on.

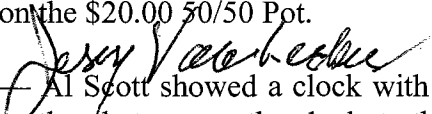
A motion was made to donate \$200 to Harvesters in memory of Sam Kutner as suggested by the family in the obituary, and \$200 to National in memory of Tom Foster. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

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Members were advised that Harold Engelhaupt had agreed to be Chairman of a 2013 Three Rivers Regional next year at this same location, with some new policies allowed by the NAWCC.

Dayton Koch won the \$20.00 50/50 Pot.

Show and Tell —  Al Scott showed a clock with a new, aged-looking face made by reducing a larger face, that was exactly what was on the clock, to the correct size.

Darrell Carr displayed a newer grandfather movement that had been restored with roller-bearings.

Larry Boucher presented a Mickey Mouse wristwatch with complete instructions in many languages.

Bob Hensley had a Watch record for a watch and scrapbooks of watch and clock postcards and catalogue and information for buying watches.

Allen Ray demonstrated stereopticon views of Kansas City Union Station and two different, very early stereo viewers.

This meeting adjourned at 4:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

*Florent Wagner*, Secretary