## Minutes of the Meeting of the East Fork-Trinity Chapter TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION January 14, 2010

The January meeting of the East Fork-Trinity Chapter, SAR, was called to order at 7:05 p.m. at the Garland Central Library, (625 Austin St, Garland, TX) by Chapter President Allen Christian.

Compatriot Vice President Harmon Adair opened the meeting with prayer. Chaplain James Duty was not in attendance.

Compatriot Paul Ridenour then led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States flag, Past President Bill Bellomy led the Pledge to the Texas Flag and Compatriot Bob Warren led the Pledge to the SAR Flag.

Chapter Treasurer Charles Windham reported that the Chapter's checkbook balance as of January 14, 2010 was \$1031.34 and that the Chapter's bank balance as of January 14, 2010 was \$1133.84.

The East Fork-Trinity Chapter December 2008 meeting minutes was approved as posted in the Chapter newsletter 'four 7news'.

President Allen Christian presented the Americanism portion of the day. He described the Chapter's Accomplishments during 2009.

President Allen Christian then presented a Five Year Membership Award and Certificate to Vice President Harmon Adair.

- President Allen Christian presented the Bronze Color Guard Medal and Certificate to: Harmon Adair, Allen Christian, Delora Lewis, Tom Whitelock and Charles Windham.
- President Allen Christian presented the Chapter Service Medal and Certificate to: Harmon Adair, Bill Bellomy, Allen Christian, Delora Lewis, Paul Ridenour, Tom Whitelock and Charles Windham.

District Six Vice President mark Hansen then presented Color Guard Certificates of participation from the Dallas Chapter #2 to Compatriots: Harmon Adair, Allen Christian, Delora Lewis and Charles Windham.

President Allen Christian presented Certificates of Appreciation to:

Harmon Adair for his service as Vice President 2009, Charles Windham for his service as Secretary and Treasurer 2009 and Paul Ridenour for his service as Chapter Web master 2009.

Chapter President Allen Christians introduced the 2010 East Fork Trinity Chapter Officers. They were President: Harmon Adair, Vice President and Secretary Allen Christian, Treasurer: Charles Windham, Chaplain: Walter Thomas and Web Master: Paul Ridenour.

TXSSAR District Vice President Mark Hansen administered the oath of office to President Harmon Adair, Vice President and Secretary Allen Christian, Treasurer Charles Windham, Chaplain Walter Thomas and Web master Paul Ridenour.

TXSSAR District Vice President Mark Hansen then presented President Harmon Adair with the East Fork-Trinity Chapter Gavel.

President Harmon Adair presented past President Allen Christian with the Past President Pin, Certificate and Ribbon.

President Harmon Adair then presented the meeting's main presentation. His topic was "A Vision for the East Fork-Trinity Chapter, 2010".

President Harmon Adair announced that the East Fork-Trinity Chapter would meet during the months of January, February, March, April, May, September, August, November and December during 2010. The Chapter would not meet during the months of June, July and August.

A sign-up sheet was then presented to the membership. Members were asked to sign up to bring snacks and make the main presentation during the 2010 meetings.

Compatriot Tom Whitelock led the drawing for the door prize.

The Benediction was presented by Chaplain Walter Thomas.

The meeting was adjourned by President Harmon Adair at 8:00 P. M

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Allen L. Christian Secretary, East Fork-Trinity Chapter - TXSSAR