

Minutes of Meeting of the East Fork Trinity Chapter (47) National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

December 10, 2015

Texas Land and Cattle Restaurant, Garland, Texas

Meeting was called to order by President Gary Lovell at 7:00 P.M.

Chaplain Ken Morrill gave the Invocation.

President Gary Lovell led the Pledge of Allegiance to the American flag.

President Gary Lovell led the Pledge to the Texas flag.

President Gary Lovell led the Affirmation to the SAR.

The minutes of the November 12, 2015 meeting were approved as written.

Treasurer Harmon Adair presented the financial report and stated the current balance in the Chapter's bank account is \$2895.09.

President Gary Lovell gave the President's Report as follows:

1. Read the letter of thanks from Terrell Miller and Gary Moody (Mayor) of McClendon-Chisholm, TX regarding the EFT SAR color guard participation at their Country Fest.
2. Read the letter of thanks from the Rock Wall Chapter of DAR for the color guard participation in their National Defense Luncheon.
3. Presented the following certificates and awards:
 - a. Chapter Certificates of Appreciation to Compatriots Gary Snowden, Robert Vickers, Harmon Adair, David Powell, Frank Roberts, Ken Morrill, Bill Watts, John Greer, Walt Thomas, Montie Monzingo, and Tom Whitelock.
 - b. Daughters of Liberty Award to Barbara Thomas.
 - c. Medal of Appreciation to Mindy Lovell.

- d. Roger Sherman Bronze Award to Compatriots Frank Roberts, Ken Morrill, Robert Vickers, and David Powell.
- e. Chapter Meritorious Service Award to Compatriots John Greer, Harmon Adair, and Bill Watts.
- f. Chapter Distinguished Service Medal to Compatriot David Powell.
- g. Certificate of Appreciation to the manager of the Texas Land and Cattle Rest.

Compatriot John Greer requested any veterans reports need to be given to him as soon as possible.

Compatriot Frank Roberts said he needs any remaining information for the book as soon as possible.

Compatriot David Powell was presented his Supplemental Certificate for his patriot Michael Rudisill.

New member inductions were conducted by TXSSAR District 6 VP Drake Peddie as follows:

- a. Thomas Garland Wilson - Compatriot Wilson gave a brief history of his patriot Thomas Hightower.
- b. Paul Gene Price - Compatriot Price gave a brief history of his patriot John Kennard.

Compatriot Walt Thomas presented Color Guard medals to Compatriots John Greer and David Powell.

President Gary Lovell presented the Nomination Report to the Chapter members for their consideration. The following slate of officers was offered and approved by the membership:

President - Gary Snowden
Vice President - Bill Watts
Secretary – Robert Vickers
Treasurer - Harmon Adair
Registrar – David Powell
Historian – Leslie Anderson
Chaplain – Kenneth Morrill

Additionally, the Nominating Committee offered the following recommendations for Presidential appointees:

Color Guard Commander – Walt Thomas
Sergeant At Arms – Glenn Atterberry
Education Chairman – Bill Watts
Newsletter Chairman – Bill Watts
Web Master – Montie Monzingo

Compatriot Tom Whitelock held the drawings for the door prizes.

Chaplain Ken Morrill gave the benediction.

Compatriot David Powell led the SAR Closing.

President Gary Lovell called the meeting adjourned at 8:00PM.

Gary M. Lovell
President

R.C. Vickers
Secretary

Attachments: List of meeting attendees and guests
Nomination Report

**OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE TEXAS
LAND AND CATTLE RESTAURANT, GARLAND, TEXAS ON
THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2016.**