

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

**November 9,, 2017**

**Texas Land and Cattle Restaurant, Garland, Texas**

**Call to order:**

By President Gary Snowden at 7:00 P.M.

**Invocation:**

Given by Chaplain Ken Morrill

**Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag:**

Led by Registrar David Powell

**Pledge to the Texas Flag:**

Led by Compatriot Paul Ridenour

**Affirmation to the SAR:**

Led by Historian Leslie Anderson

**Welcome:**

Members introduced themselves and guests.  
President Snowden welcomed all in attendance.

**Program: Registrar's Briefing**

Presented by Registrar David Powell

### **Approval of Minutes:**

Motion to approve the October 12 minutes by Treasurer Robert Vickers, second by Compatriot Glenn Atterberry. Motion Passed.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

- Given by Treasurer Robert Vickers (See attachment)
- EFT received a letter of appreciation from Rock Wall DAR for our support of their Christmas gift shop for Bonham V.A. patients. (See attachment)

### **New Members Inducted by District 6 VP Gary Lovell**

- Stuart J. O'Connor - Patriot Ruben Johnson
- Gilbert A. Pier - Patriot Robert Bradford

### **Supplemental Patriot:**

- Robert Charles Vickers II - Patriot Richard Caswell

### **New Business:**

- **25th EFT Anniversary Challenge Coins should ship November 10**
- **Updating email addresses:** President Snowden passed around a printout of the EFT email addresses and asked all present to correct them as needed.
- **Wreaths Accross America:** Color Guard Commander Bill Watts again distributed forms for the purchase of wreaths. We will place the wreaths December 16.

- **2018 State Convention:** Color Guard Commander Bill Watts again stressed the need for EFT participation. They are working on a room for WOSARS.
- **Nominating Committee Report:** (See Attachment)

### **Veterans Committee:**

They still need new white crew sox for Christmas at the Bonham VA.

Bill Watts, John Greer, and Leslie Anderson were at Bonham passing out Flags to the patients for Veterans Day.

### **Announcements:**

- President Snowden announced a Flag Certificate Ceremony scheduled for November 14 at the Inwood Bank.
- The December meeting will be our Christmas Party. White elephant gifts in the \$10.00 to \$15.00 range are suggested.
- Election of the 2018 EFT Officers will occur at the December 14 meeting.

**Door Prize Winner and January Door Prize Presenter: Barbara Powell**

**S.A.R. Closing:**

Led by Gary Lovell

**Benediction:**

Given by Chaplain Ken Morrill

**President Snowden called the meeting adjourned at 8:33 P.M.**

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Gary Snowden

President

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G.W. Lovell

Secretary

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

**ON December 14, 2017**