



## Sons of the American Revolution

# East-Fork Trinity Chapter 47

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### President's Message:

**We were fortunate to have Ms. Avery Lovell read her prize winning essay at the July meeting. It is really encouraging to hear her essay.**

**Thanks to all who survived Montie Monzingo's entombment. It was very hot, humid, and generally sticky. Vivian Monzingo really appreciated all the help received from East Fork Trinity members and others who participated. And, special thanks to our color guard for their work during the ceremony.**

**I have had some questions concerning the time it is taking State and National to complete work on supplemental applications. Due to the pandemic, National was shut down until just recently. They, as well as State, have reopened and, hopefully, action will be taken on the backlog shortly.**

**The 2020 State Convention will be held by ZOOM and is now underway through August 7th. The fee is \$10.00 to attend and the enrollment form is available on the State website.**

**Bob Vickers**



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Patriotic ★ Historical ★ Educational

## July 17, 2020 East-Fork Trinity Chapter 47 Meeting



**Presentation by Avery Lovell**

### **Meeting called to order by President Vickers**



**Congratulations Mason, Brent, Bradley, Curtis, and Dale Stringfellow  
Patriot Samuel Davis**



**Congratulations Jeffrey Witt  
Patriot Paul Castleberry**



**Yvonne Flowers,  
Martha Washington  
pin.**



**Door Prize went to  
Avery Lovell**



**Dennis Vierling  
Receives his  
5-Year Pin**





**Dr. Montie Gene Monzingo**

**May 4, 1940—April 22, 2019**

**Graveside Service in Old Saltillo Cemetery July 18, 2020**

**Montie's interest in genealogy and family history research led him to attain membership in the Sherman, Dallas and East Fork Trinity Chapters of the Sons of the American Revolution, based on his Patriot ancestor Peter Bozeman (2nd South Carolina Regiment Continental Line). He was Past Chapter President, Newsletter Editor, and served in the organization's Color Guard. He recently secured membership in the General Society War of 1812 based on his Patriot ancestor John Goodson (3rd South Carolina Regiment [Militia] during the War of 1812).**





## **In Memoriam Richard Lee “Dick” Clark:**

**Prospective member Richard Lee "Dick" Clark passed away on July 14, 2020. His patriot was his 8th great-grandfather Joseph Bozarth who was a lieutenant in the Virginia Militia and also served with George Rogers Clark.**

**Dick was a former president of the Rockwall County Historical Society and a former speaker at one of our chapter meetings a few years back.**

**Dick's application was at state at the time of his passing and the plans are to submit him as a memorial member.**

**We are currently working on his nephews, Matt and Alan Dowling's applications as it was Dick's wish that both become members.**

**Matt Dowling states that there will be a service in Kansas, but probably not until sometime next year.**

**Please keep Dick's wife, Jane, in your thoughts and prayers.**

**Jason Gray**





Dennis Vierling

## **Dennis A. Vierling Color Guard Commander:**

Compatriots,

A big Thank You to all who attended and participated in compatriot

Montie G Monzingo Graveside Services which included posting the colors, a musket salute and wreath presentation. I know the layout was not the best for what we wanted to accomplish. The heat took its toll on all of us. I appreciate your perseverance! As we had already discussed the State Fair of Texas has been cancelled for 2020.

The Dallas Veterans Parade is still scheduled for November 2020. The Rockwall Kiwanis Christmas Parade is scheduled for December 5 2020 at 900am.

We would need to vote on our participation and members would need RSVP.

Recently we lost another friend and was going to be soon a SAR member Richard (Dick) Clark. His wife Jane has postponed all memorial services due to the virus.

Respectfully  
Dennis A Vierling  
EFT SAR #47  
Color Guard Commander  
972-768-1801





## Editor's Notes:

**I look forward to seeing everyone at the August 13th meeting at Soulman's in Rockwall.**

**Still collecting Patriot Spotlights. If you would like to send me a Word file, around 250 words or so, about your Patriot, I would love to add it to the Newsletter. My email address is d.b.jackson@att.net. Thank you, Jeffrey, for this month's submission!!!**

**Stay Healthy!!**

**David B. Jackson, Editor**

## Patriot Spotlight submitted by Jeffrey Witt

**Paul Castleberry**

**(March 1, 1761—June 16, 1841)**



**His parents were from Pennsylvania who moved to Virginia first, then settled in North Carolina. His father's name was William. They were farmers.**

**He entered the United States Army as a volunteer in 1777 at the age of 16 years old under Captain James Danley and Col. Elija Clarke and remained for two months until he was charged with a tour of duty against the Creek Indians under Captain Howard and Col. Dun and was stationed at Autry's Fort. He remained there for two months then was discharged.**

**He was then drafted and served under Captain Danley and Col. Clarke and was stationed at the Cabord (or covered) bridge on the Augusta Savannah River where he remained for two monts and then was discharged.**

**He was again drafted under Capt. Danley, Leut. Blant and Col. Twiggs. They marched through Georgia to Midway and had battle with the enemy and after serving about 3 months he was discharged.**

**He then was drafted again under Captain Danley and Col. Clarke and was stationed at Washington, Georgia guarding the frontier against the Cherokee Creek Indians. He served two months this tour and was discharged.**

**He was drafted again and stationed at Chiokan and Kiokes Creek in Georgia under Capt. Danley , guarding the frontiers. He remained stationed there 3 months and was discharged.**

**He was then volunteered into the Army as a substitute under Capt. Danley and marched on a scouting expedition against the Creek Indians serving for two months after which he was discharged.**

**He was again volunteered under Capt. Beacham , Col. Clark and Col. Wayne and was stationed at Savannah and was at the battle of Savannah participating in several light engagements near that place. He remained there on that tour three to four months when he was regularly discharged and left his discharge also with his father William Castleberry discharged as well.**

**He had a brother William who also served. He had a son William. He was married two times. I am related to him through my mother's line. Four times great grandfather or six generations. It is recorded in History that he was a Christian.**



Dave Powell

## The Registrar's Corner

### August 2020

#### NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS

- 1. Member** Nick Stafford's Certificate Package was received on 27 Feb 2020. Nick's Application was Registered on 20 Dec 2019. Nick's Patriot is Charles Gibson. **Approved. National Number: 214114. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 89835. Certificate Package mailed.**
- 2. Member** David Miller's Certificate Package was received on 27 Feb 2020. His Application was Registered on 4 Oct 2019. David's Patriot is Jethro Butler. **Approved. National Number 213279. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 88743. Inducted on 12 Mar 2020.**
- 3. Member** Norman Elam's Certificate Package was received on 27 Feb 2020. Norman's Application was Registered on 20 Dec 2019. Norman's Patriot is James Dillard. **Approved: National Number: 214119. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 89860. Inducted on 12 Mar 2020.**
- 4. Member** Randall van Heyst's Certificate Package was received on 27 Feb 2020. Randall's Application was Registered on 20 Dec 2019. Randall's Patriot is William Winn. **Approved: National Number: 214120. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 89861. Inducted on 12 Mar 2020.**
- 5. Junior Member** Reagan van Heyst Certificate Package was received on 27 Feb 2020. Reagan's Application was Registered on 20 Dec 2019. Reagan's Patriot is

William Winn. **Approved: National Number: 214121. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 89862. Inducted on 12 Mar 2020.**

6. **Member** Dale Stringfellow was referred to EFT by Member Greg Flowers and his wife Yvonne. Dale will be joining the SAR under a family membership with four other family members. The application has been completed and mailed to State on 9/30/2019 and approved at National on 1/10/2020. Dale's Patriot is Samuel Davis. **Approved, National Number: 214259. First Line Sponsor: Greg Flowers. ACN: 90067. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**
7. **Member** Brent Stringfellow was referred to EFT by Member Greg Flowers and his wife Yvonne. Brent will be joining the SAR under a family membership with four other family members. The application has been completed and was mailed to State on 9/30/2019 and approved at National on 1/10/2020. Brent's Patriot is Samuel Davis. **Approved. National Number: 214262, First Line Sponsor: Greg Flowers. ACN: 90070. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**
8. **Member** Mason Stringfellow was referred to EFT by Member Greg Flowers and his wife Yvonne. Brent will be joining the SAR under a family membership with four other family members. The application has been completed and mailed to State on 9/30/2019 and approved at National on 1/10/2020. Mason's Patriot is Samuel Davis. **Approved. National Number: 214261. First Line Sponsor: Greg Flowers. ACN: 90069. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**
9. **Member** Brian Stringfellow was referred to EFT by Member Greg Flowers and his wife Yvonne. Brent will be joining the SAR under a family membership with four other family members. The application has been completed and mailed to State on 9/30/2019 and arrived at National on 11/7/2019. Brian's Patriot is Samuel Davis. **Approved. National Number: 214260. First Line Sponsor: Greg Flowers. ACN: 90068. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**

- 10. Member** Bradley Stringfellow was referred to EFT by Member Greg Flowers and his wife Yvonne. The application has been completed and mailed to State on 9/30/2019 and is being held up at National until a reprinted application is received and reviewed. Bradley's application was torn and couldn't be processed. A new application was delivered to State on 1/21/2020. Bradley's Patriot is Samuel Davis. **Approved. National Number: 214460. First Line Sponsor: Greg Flowers. ACN: 90071. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**
- 11. Member** Jeff Witt has been referred to EFT by EFT Member Walt Thomas and his wife Barbara. Jeff's Patriot is Paul Castleberry. Application arrived at National on 11/7/2019 and Genealogy was approved on 1/23/2020. **Approved. National Number: 214464. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. ACN: 90267. Inducted on 9 July 2020.**
- 12. Member** Roy Palvadeau's Certificate package was received on 27 Feb 2020. Roy's Application was Registered on 31 Jan 2020. Roy's Patriot is Thomas Pettus Sr. **Approved. National Number: 214465. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 90268. Induction planned for 13 Aug 2020.**
- 13. Member** Don Patin was referred to EFT by Sam Massey. The application was signed and mailed to State on 12/11/2019. Application arrived at National on 21 Jan 2020. Application was approved on 4/7/2020. Certificate package was received on 29 Jul 2020. Don's Patriot is Antoine Patin. **Approved. National Number: 215013. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. ACN: 91106. Induction planned for 13 Aug 2020.**
- 14. Prospective Member** Blake Cundiff was referred to EFT by the State Communications Secretary. Application was mailed to State on 22 Oct 2019 and arrived at National on 11/7/2019. National pended Blake's application and said they required additional proof for the Gen 7-8 connection. Blake's Patriot is Isaac Cundiff. A Proof Summary was written and submitted to State. State approved it and sent it to

National on 5 May 2020. As of 1 Aug 2020, Blake's application is still listed as **Pended at National. Awaiting National Second Review. First Line Sponsor: Jason Gray. ACN: 90265.**

- 15. Prospective Member** Jerry Wimpee contacted EFT and Will Perry is working his application. **Awaiting Info and Documents. First Line Sponsor: Will Perry.**
- 16. Prospective Member** Stanley Marsteller was referred to EFT by the Communications Secretary Sam Massey on 18 Mar 2020. We have contacted Stan and have started his application and documents. Stan's Mother is a DAR member. **Awaiting Info and Documents. First Line Sponsor: David Powell.**
- 17. Prospective Member** Dick Clark was working with Jason Gray to complete his application but Dick passed away suddenly in July 2020 before his application made it through State. Jason is now working with two of Dick's nephews to get them into the SAR and then work on a Memorial application for Dick. **First Line Sponsor: Jason Gray.**
- 18. Prospective Member** Matthew Dowling is working with Jason Gray to complete his application. Matthew Dowling is the nephew of Prospective Member Dick Clark. Dick passed away before his application was approved so Jason will work to get Matthew into the SAR and then complete a Memorial application for his uncle Dick Clark. **Working on Application. First Line Sponsor: Jason Gray.**
- 19. Prospective Member** Alan Dowling is working with Jason Gray to complete his application. Alan is also a nephew of Dick Clark and he will also be joining the SAR. **Working on Application. First Line Sponsor: Jason Gray.**

## MEMORIAL APPLICATIONS

- 1. Memorial Member** Edgar Clarke Vickers. Bob Vickers submitted a Memorial Application for his Father, Edgar Clarke Vickers. Bob mailed the application package to State and the Application arrived at National on 12/16/2019. The application was

approved at National on 21 Feb 2020. Edgar's Patriot is Bayne Smallwood. **Approved. National Number: 214682. First Line Sponsor: Bob Vickers. ACN: 90587. Induction Completed on 12 Mar 2020.**

2. **Prospective Memorial Member** William Paul Perry, Sr. EFT Member William Paul Perry, Jr. submitted a Memorial Application for his Father, William Paul Perry, Sr. The application was mailed to State in late April. Application has been approved at National on 7/24/2020. **Waiting for National and/or State to send the Certificate Paperwork.**

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATIONS

1. **Member** Will Perry's Supplemental Application for Patriot Nathaniel Howell was approved at National on 3/6/2020. **Approved. ACN: 90278. Certificate Package received on 7/29/2020.**
2. **Member** Will Perry's Supplemental Application for Philip Mallory was approved at National on 3/6/2020. **Approved. ACN: 90280. Certificate Package received on 7/29/2020.**
3. **Member** Will Perry's Supplemental Application for Patriot Daniel Wagnon was approved at National on 3/6/2020. **Approved. ACN: 90279. Certificate Package received on 7/29/2020.**
4. **Member** Will Perry's Supplemental Application for John Swearingen is at National. **Genealogy approved on 7/2/2020. Waiting for National to Register the Supplemental. ACN: 91113**
5. **Member** David Powell has completed a new Supplemental Application for his Patriot John Badger. The Application was mailed to State on 12/23/2019 and arrived at National on 1/27/2020. **Genealogy approved on 7/2/2020. Waiting for National to Register the Supplemental. ACN: 91114**

6. **Member** Greg Flowers submitted his first Supplemental Application for his ancestor James Flowers. The application was approved at State and arrived at National on 6/8/2020. **Awaiting National Review. ACN 92821**
7. **Member** Will Perry submitted a Supplemental Application for his ancestor Isaac Brooks and it arrived at National on 6/8/2020. **Awaiting National Review. ACN 92822**
8. **Member** Will Perry submitted a Supplemental Application for his ancestor Joab Brooks and it arrived at National on 6/8/2020. **Awaiting National Review. ACN 92823**
9. **Member** Will Perry submitted a Supplemental Application for his ancestor Zadock Griffith and it arrived at National on 6/18/2020. **Awaiting National Review.**
10. **Member** Bob Vickers is working on a new Supplemental Application for his ancestor Nathaniel Long. **Working on Lineage and Documents.**
11. **Member** Will Perry is working on a new Supplemental application for his ancestor George Wright. **Working on Lineage and Documents.**