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**Denton Chapter #23 TXSSAR Inc. NEWSLETTER**

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## *Minutes of Meeting of January 3rd, 2001*

After Judge Nathan White's presentation on "The State of the state" giving insight into the plans, goals and Triumphs of the Texas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution (TXSSAR) the meeting was called to order at 7:43 P.M. beginning with the Installation of the 2002 slate of officers, which were as follows: President- A.L. Head Jr.; Vice President of Programs and Presentations- John David Monroe; Secretary and Newsletter Publicist- Christopher Casey; Treasurer- Dr. William P. Vaughn; Historian- James Baird; Chaplain- Bill Brenholtz; Genealogist and Membership- Gerald Brenholtz. Followed by a short address to the chapter given by President A.L. Head Jr. With the new officers in place the departmental reports followed beginning with the Treasurer's Report. Dr. Vaughn reported our main account as having \$666.37 in total, and our memorial account as having \$113.01. There were no other committee reports. Old Business followed with warning of the upcoming deadline and update of membership dues. New business was presented as the Denton Chapter made the motion to promote Compatriot Willie Walker to the position of District Vice President, the motion was presented by Compatriot Bill Bell, and Seconded by President A.L. Head Jr. The business meeting ended at 8:35 P.M. TXSSAR President- Judge Nathan White was presented with a George 3 Coin and Certificate of appreciation, As President A.L. Head, Jr.'s first act, he presented the Past President's pin to Former President James J. Johnson, Jr.

## *Dues reminder*

This is a general reminder to ALL members, to make certain their dues have been paid, and that they have been accounted for as such. Our state delegates are looking forward to receiving the honorific award of 100% renewal at the upcoming meeting, and hope that no members wait until the inflated cost of dues are in place to pay.

## *Trading robes*

Jim and Mary Lynn Johnson are working on a new joint presentation. It will cover Women who fought for the Revolution, and men who stayed at the home front aiding the Revolution through other means. This presentation is still in the development process, and any help that could be given to either in the form of references that could be used would be happily accepted, whether the reference be in print or documentary.

## *Upcoming events*

*February meeting-* George Hubbard director of the Family History Center for the Church of Latter-day Saints will speak on the topics of Genealogy, resources, and the purpose of the FHC where he works.

*March Meeting-* sharing our ancestors, Officers and members speak about their Ancestry that brought them into the SAR.

**Next Meeting:**  
**Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, 2002 – 7:00 PM**  
**Good Samaritan Village**  
**The program will be:**

**Family History, sources and centers**  
**Presented by Director George Hubbard**

TXSSAR Chapter #23 <u>Officers</u> President Albert Lee Head, Jr. Vice President John David Monroe Secretary Christopher Casey Treasurer Dr. William Vaughn Chaplain Bill Brenholtz Genealogist & Membership Gerald Brenholtz
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*Bringing in the new guard...helping the newsletter*

I would like to ask for contributions to the Chapter's newsletter, especially Chapter Officers, to give small printed contributions to the monthly print. Your contribution can be anything from a small blurb covering upcoming events, to a vigilant showing how you see patriotism in your community, your business, or simply yourself in the modern age. PLEASE help make the newsletter a Chapter project, and enrich it to its fullest.

**Anyone willing to contribute ideas or materials to the Newsletter- Contact Secretary Chris Casey.**

*Editor's Notice-* To ensure that you receive the newsletter promptly and without fail, the deadline for all materials contributed to the newsletter is the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. If the one page newsletter is not filled by the 15<sup>th</sup>, be prepared to be delightfully entertained with "Continental" trivia.