

Minutes of the Meeting of the East Fork-Trinity Chapter
TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
March 12, 2009

The March meeting of the East Fork-Trinity Chapter, SAR, was called to order at 7:03 p.m. at the Garland Central Library, (625 Austin St, Garland, TX) by Chapter President Allen Christian.

President Allen Christian opened the meeting with prayer. Chaplain James Duty was absent.

Prospective member Dean Waddle then led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States flag, Compatriot Tom Whitelock led the Pledge to the Texas Flag and Compatriot Delora Lewis led the Pledge to the SAR Flag.

Chapter Treasurer Charles Windham reported that the Chapter's checkbook balance as of March 12, 2009 was \$995.70 and that the Chapter's bank balance as of March 12, 2009 was \$837.84.

The East Fork-Trinity Chapter February 2009 meeting minutes were approved as posted in the Chapter newsletter 'four 7news'.

Visitors and guest were recognized by the chapter.

President Allen Christian, Past President Delora Lewis and Compatriot Tom Whitelock discussed their visit and presentation to the fifth grade students at Pullen Elementary of the Rockwall Independent School district as the March meeting Americanism presentation.

Chapter Past President Delora Lewis then talked about the JROTC awards program conducted at Wylie High School. Wylie High School Cadet Heather Wilhelm was awarded the Bronze JROTC Award. Heather also won the TXSSAR State Enhanced ROTC Award and will be presented \$1000.00 at the Texas Society Sons of the American Revolution 114th Annual Meeting.

President Allen Christian then thanked the Dallas Chapter of the SAR for providing Good Citizenship Medals and certificates to the EFT Chapter for presentation to Rockwall students.

Chapter president Allen Christian discussed the upcoming 2009 annual TXSSAR 114th meeting. Compatriots Harmon Adair, Allen Christian, Mark Hanson and Tom Whitelock will represent the EFT Chapter at the meeting. The meeting will occur at the Fredonia Hotel in Nacogdoches, Texas.

President Allen Christian then thanked Compatriots Bill Bellomy and Delora Lewis for their efforts in reserving the chapters meeting room at the library.

Chapter president Allen Christian then announced that the members of the EFT Chapter have been invited to attend the April Meeting of the Mesquite Chapter. He shared that visiting the chapter meeting could be beneficial to both chapters because this could possibly be Mesquites last meeting.

President Allen Christian announced that Vice President Harmon Adair had donated two TXSSAR History books to be donated to the Rockwall County Library.

President Allen Christian then introduced the Speaker of the Day, Bill Bellomy who presented 'The Tenent Presbyterian Church at the Battle of Monmouth'.

The chapter then had the drawing for the door prize.

Compatriot Harmon Adair led the SAR Closing.

The Benediction was presented by President Allen Christian.

The meeting was adjourned by President Allen Christian at 8:00 P. M

Respectfully submitted,

Secretary Charles Windham
Secretary, East Fork-Trinity Chapter - TXSSAR