

Minutes of the East Fork Trinity Chapter
TEXAS SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
October 13, 2011

The October 2011 meeting of the East Fork Trinity Chapter, SAR, was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at Soulman's BBQ on Highway 30 in Rockwall by President Paul Ridenour. A total of 5 members and 5 guests were present. A copy of the sign-in sheet is attached.

Chaplain Allen Christian opened the meeting with prayer.

Compatriot Walter Thomas then led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States flag, Compatriot Paul Ridenour led the Pledge to the Texas Flag and Compatriot Harmon Adair led the Pledge to the SAR Flag.

President Paul Ridenour acknowledged the guests present.

Secretary Walter Thomas indicated that the minutes for September 2011 meeting were on the chapter website for review. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer Harmon Adair reported that the chapter bank balance had not changed and was about \$1000.

President Ridenour passed out a copy of a new Elton John DVD with a Civil War theme.

District 6 VP, Compatriot Harmon Adair inducted the newest member, Montie Monzingo, into the East Fork Trinity chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution. He was presented with a SAR membership certificate and pin.

Paul Ridenour acknowledged that he had received approval of second Revolutionary War ancestor, Silas Bent.

Barbara Thomas gave the Americanism presentation about her family's visit to Mount Vernon during a recent visit to Washington DC.

Compatriot Walt Thomas gave a presentation on how Y-chromosome DNA testing could help with a man's genealogy search when normal search of historical documents and oral sources has been exhausted.

The meeting was adjourned by President Paul Ridenour at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter Thomas
Secretary, TXSSAR, East Fork Trinity Chapter