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#### **President's Message:**

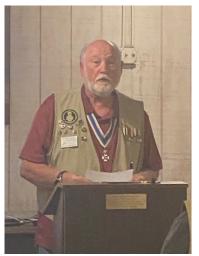
Our next meeting is scheduled Thursday, December 8th at 7 pm at Soulman's BBQ in Rockwall, Texas (I30 and Ridge Road). It is the Christmas Party. If you would like to receive a gift bring a gift to exchange under \$25.00. If you would like to eat, dinner cafeteria style is 6 pm.

I look forward to seeing you next month at Soulman's BBQ beginning at 7 pm.

Stay safe and God bless!



November 8, 2022 Naturalization Ceremony UNT-Dallas Cynthia Goode, Michael Good, Bill Watts, Jerry Pinkerton Gary Barker and TL Holden



President Michael Goode Opens the Meeting and gives Treasurers Report



Good Crowd Shows Up for The November Meeting



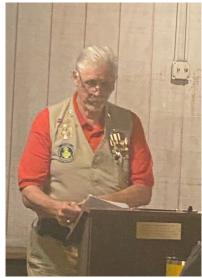
Walt Thomas Gives Update on Meeting Room Search



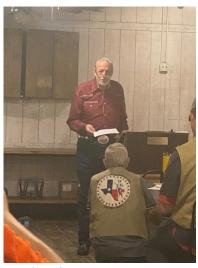
Randall Van Heyst Gives Color Guard Report



Jason Gray, Ron Wasson, Walt Thomas & Bob Vickers Receive Recruitment Pens



David Powell Gives Registrar's Report



Bob Kubin Gives Nominating Committee Report



Truett Reynolds and Shannon Irby Sworn In as New Inductees PCFOF



Patrick Hotard
made an
excellent
presentation on
the British Flying
Training School
Museum in
Terrell, Texas



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## Patriot Spotlight

# Robert Evans 1744—1848

New inductee Shannon Irby's Revolutionary Patriot is Robert Evans. He was born in 1744 in Cecil County, Maryland. It is believed that Robert's grandfather, John, immigrated to Philadelphia from Wales about 1695.

Robert Evans joined Captain Richard Steven's Company of Foot, 10th Virginia Continental Regiment commanded by Colonel Edward Stevens and Major Samuel Hawes on December 15, 1776 for 3 years. Muster rolls show that he served through at least March of 1778. He is believed to have fought at the battles of Brandywine and Germantown and is listed on the Valley Forge Park Alliance Muster Roll at being present at Valley Forge along with George Washington in the horrific winter of 1777/78.

In a letter to General George Washington dated May 15, 1777, Colonel Stevens reported that his regiment was inoculated for smallpox 12 days prior. It was one of the first regiments to be inoculated for smallpox.

At Brandywine, the 10th Virginia was part of General Nathaniel Greene's regiment. When General Washington ordered a retreat of American forces, he called on Greene's division to serve as the rear-guard during the retreat. The 10th Virginia Continentals was the last American regiment on the battlefield at Brandywine, providing cover fire for retreating troops. While the battle was a British victory, the 10th Virginia played a crucial role in saving the American army by allowing their retreat and the ability to fight another day. The regiment is said to have suffered heavy casualties at the Battle of Germantown and because of this, it had to be reorganized after the battle.

Per pay records, Robert rejoined the army in South Carolina in May of 1781 for 325 days until March of 1782 and received 20 Shillings of old South Carolina currency per day, which totaled 46 sterling. It is not known if he was among the soldiers who participated in and was ultimately captured by the British during the siege of Charleston.

Robert Evans was buried in Perry County, Alabama. His son Joseph erected a grave marker for Robert that reads as follows: "This monument is erected by Joseph Evans in memory to the following persons whose remains are now deposited in this family graveyard 1848. To Robert Evans, his father, who departed this life in the 104th year of his age." Yes, according to his gravestone, Robert Evans lived to be 104 years old.

His grave has been marked by the DAR.



David Williams' Gravestone

### Editor's Notes:

I want to start by thanking Leslie Anderson for providing some great photos!!

Our Next meeting will be at Soulman's on I-30 in Rockwall Thursday, December 8th, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

My email address is d.b.jackson@att.net for submitting your Patriot Spotlight articles.

Stay healthy!!!!

**David Jackson, Editor** 



November 11, 2022 Summyvale Veterans Day Celebration Brent Harshman, Bill Watts, Barbara, & Walt Thomas, Michael & Cynthia Goode, Randall, D'Ana, & Reagan Van Heyst



#### Dave Powell

## The Registrar's Corner December 2022

#### **NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS**

- 1. **Member** Ron Wasson application mailed to State on 8/11/2021. Received at National on 9/27/2021 (ACN: 100244). Ron's Patriot is Joseph Wasson. **Approved**
- at National on 14 Jan 2022. National Number: 221399. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. Inducted 10 March 2022.
- 2. **Member** Travis Hopkins application mailed to State on 14 Sep 2021. Received at National on 9/27/2021 (ACN: 100238). Patriot: Thomas Futrell. **Approved** at National on 21 Jan 2022. National Number: 221468. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. Certificate Picked Up.
- **3. Member** Corey Hopkins application mailed to State on 14 Sep 2021. Received at National on 9/27/2021 (ACN: 100239). Patriot: Thomas Futrell. **Approved** at National on 21 Jan 2022. National Number: 221469. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. Certificate Picked Up.
- **4. Member** Gabe Hopkins. Application mailed to State on 14 Sep 2021. Received at National on 9/27/2021 (ACN: 100240). Patriot: Thomas Futrell. **Approved** at National on 21 Jan 2022. National Number: 221470. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. Certificate Picked Up.
- **Junior Member** Graham Hopkins application mailed to State on 14 Sep 2021. Received at National on 9/27/2021 (ACN: 100241). Patriot: Thomas Futrell.

Approved at National on 21 Jan 2022. National Number: 221471. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. Certificate Picked Up.

- 6. Member Brandon Bell application mailed to State on 8 Nov 2021. Received at National on 13 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101098). Brandon's Patriot is Larkin Cleveland.
  Approved at National on 18 Mar 2022. National Number: 222021. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. DAR Referral: Barbara Thomas. Inducted 9 Jun 2022.
- 7. Junior Member Collin Bell application mailed to State on 8 Nov 2021. Received at National on 13 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101099). Collin's Patriot is Larkin Cleveland.
  Approved at National on 18 Mar 2022. National Number: 222022. First Line Sponsor: Walt Thomas. DAR Referral Barbara Thomas. Inducted 9 Jun 2022.
- 8. Memorial Member Dick Clark's application was mailed to State on 9 Nov 2021. Received at National on 13 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101097). Dick's Patriot is Joseph Bozarth. Approved at National on 18 Mar 2022. National Number: 222020. First Line Sponsor: Jason Gray. Certificate Mailed.
- 9. Member Todd Watson's application was mailed to State on 30 Nov 2021. Received at National on 31 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101300). Todd's Patriot is William Dennis.
  Approved at National on 15 Apr 2022. National Number 222214. First Line
  Sponsor: David Powell. Inducted 9 Jun 2022.
- 10. Member James Risher's application was mailed to State on 17 Dec 2021. Received at National on 31 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101301). James' Patriot is Benjamin Risher.
   Approved at National on 15 Apr 2022. National Number 222215. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. Inducted 9 Jun 2022.

Member Gary Gauvin's application was mailed to State on 22 Mar 2022. Received at National on 23 March 2022. (ACN: 104400). Gary's Patriot is Michel Gauvin. Approved at National on 7/1/2022, National Number: 223007. First Line Sponsor David Powell. Certificate received 1 Sep 2022. Inducted on 13 Oct 2022.

**Member** Adam Gauvin was mailed to State on 22 Mar 2022. Received at National on 23 March 2022. Received at National on 23 March 2022. Adam's Patriot is Michel Gauvin. Received at National on 23 March 2022. (ACN: 104401).

**Approved** at National on 7/1/2022, National Number: 223008. First Line Sponsor David Powell. Certificate received 1 Sep 2022. Certificate Mailed.

- 11. Member Shannon Irby's application was mailed to State on 3 Mar 2022. Received at National on 23 March 2022. (ACN: 102403). Approved at National on 7/1/2022, National Number: 223010. First Line Sponsor Jason Gray. Certificate received 1 Sep 2022.
- 12. Member Thomas Hicks Tom's Patriot is Conrad Hicks' application was mailed to State on 22 Mar 2022. Received at National on 4 Apr 2022. (ACN: 102625).
   Approved at National on 11 Jul 2022. National Number: 223170. First Line Sponsor David Powell. Certificate received 1 Sep 2022.
- 13. Junior Member Truett Reynolds application was mailed to State on 15 April 2022. Received at National on 25 April 2022 (ACN: 102931). Truett's Patriot is Joseph Wasson. **Approved at National on 8/5/2022. National Number 223386.**First Line Sponsor David Powell.
- **14. Member** Greg Fore's application was mailed to State on 20 Dec 2021. Received at National on 31 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101306). Greg's Patriot is John Humphrey. Pended

at National on 12 Apr 2022. We sent a Response Proof Argument, approved at State and rejected at National. An Argument for reconsideration was sent to the reviewer on 30 July 2022. Reconsideration was rejected by reviewer on 15 August 2022 so the application rejection was appealed to the Genealogist General. The SAR Genealogist General resulted in an Approved application. National Number 223787. First Line Sponsor: David Powell. Inducted on 13 Oct 2022. Inducted 13 Oct 2022.

Prospective Member Charles Dudley's application was mailed to State on 26 May 2022. Received at National on 21 June 2022 (ACN: 103696). Charles' Patriot is Richard Caswell. Approved at National on 16 Sep 2022. National Number: 223822. First Line Sponsor is Bob Vickers. Certificate Mailed.

**15. Prospective Member** Jordan Voor's application was submitted by TX Coastal Registrar Chuck Wagner. Received at National on 5 July 2022. (ACN: 103888).

**Approved** at National on 7 Oct 2022. National Number: 224036. First Line Sponsor: Chuck Wagner. Certificate package received on 29 Nov 2022. Jordan has moved to Weatherford, TX so his certificate package will be mailed and he has been referred to the Fort Worth Chapter.

- 16. Prospective Junior Member Cooper Jackson's application was mailed to State on 13 Jul 2022. Received at National on 25 Jul 2022. (ACN: 104116). The Reviewer at National requested more documentation about the enclosed SAR RC that proves Gens 3-10. Working with the State Registrar to provide clarifying info. First Line Sponsor David Jackson.
- **17. Prospective Member** Scott Roper's application was mailed to State on 8 August 2022. Scott's Patriot is David Perry. Received at National on 24 Aug 2022. (ACN: 104528). **Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor Ben Roper.**

- 18. Prospective Junior Member Benson Roper's application was mailed to State on 8 Aug 2022. Benson's Patriot is David Perry. Received at National on 24 Aug 2022. (ACN: 104529). Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor Ben Roper.
- 19. Prospective Member James Austin's application was mailed to State on 9 August 2022. James' Patriot is Nathaniel Austin. Received at National on 24 Aug 2022. (ACN: 104530). Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor David Powell.
- 20. Prospective Junior Member Graham Fourtner's application was mailed to State on 9 August 2022. Graham's Patriot is Nathaniel Austin. Received at National on 24 Aug 2022. (ACN: 104531). Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor David Powell.
- 21. Prospective Memorial Member Douglas L. Risher Jr.'s application was mailed to State on 9 Aug 2022. Douglas' Patriot is Benjamin Risher. Received at National on 24 Aug 2022. (ACN: 104532). Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor James Risher.
- 22. Prospective Member Michael Goode Jr. 's application mailed to State on 26 August 2022. Michael's Patriot is Charles Hutchins. Received at National on 6 Sep 2022 (ACN: 104748). Awaiting National Review. First line Sponsor is Michael Goode Sr. DAR Referral: Cynthia Goode.
- 23. Prospective Member William Goode's application was mailed to State on 26 August 2022. Received at National on 6 Sep 2022 (ACN: 104749). Awaiting National Review. First line Sponsor is Michael Goode Sr. DAR Referral: Cynthia Goode.
- **24. Prospective Member** Toby Daniels application was mailed to State on 26 August 2022. Toby's Patriot is John Parker, a Revolutionary Soldier buried in Fort Parker Memorial Park, Groesbeck, TX. Received at National on 6 Sep 2022 (ACN: 104750).

Awaiting National Review. First line Sponsor is Michael Goode. DAR Referral: Cynthia Goode.

- 25. Prospective Memorial Member Lee Powell's application was mailed to State on 1 Sep 2022. Lee's Patriot is William Davenport. Received at National on 12 Sep 2022. (ACN: 104856) Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor is David Powell.
- 26. Prospective Memorial Member Melvin Wasson's application was mailed to State on 30 August 2022. Melvin's Patriot is Joseph Wasson. Received at National on 21 Sep 2022. (ACN: 104963). Awaiting National Review. First Line Sponsor is Ron Wasson.
- **27. Prospective Member** Richard Smith was referred to EFT by Cynthia Goode.

  Patriot is Henry Ball. **Researching Documents/Working on Application. First line Sponsor is Michael Goode. DAR Referral: Cynthia Goode.**
- 28. Prospective Member Ray Harsin's application was mailed to State on 15 Jan 2022. Received at National on 31 Jan 2022 (ACN: 101667). Ray's Patriot is Garret Harsin. Pended at National on 24 May 2022. The submitted birth certificate did not list the applicant's gender and an SAR policy change required the gender be stated. As of this report, we are still waiting for a State Birth Certificate that lists the gender. Awaiting Document. First Line Sponsor David Powell.

#### **TRANSFERS**

1. **Member** Douglas Twitchell is transferring to EFT from West Palm Beach, FL. Doug lives in Wylie and he contacted TXSSAR Communications Secretary Ray Cox about joining the EFT Chapter. We have referred Doug to the State Secretary to complete the transfer. Doug's National Number is 186231, and his Patriot is Moses Twitchell Sr. **Transfer in Work.** 

#### **SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATIONS**

- 1. Member Leslie Anderson submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar on 13 May 2021 for his ancestor James Hayley. There was an issue with an application proof requiring a Proof Argument so the application wasn't mailed to State until 8/19/2021. State approved the application and it was received at National on 9/13/2021 (ACN: 100098). Application was Pended on 31 May 2022 and is currently on the Pended Report. Documents were submitted and the reviewer at National was confused about them so applicant is now writing another Proof Argument to clarify the documents. **Pended at National. Proof Argument in work.**
- 2. Member Leslie Anderson submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar on 13 May 2021 for his ancestor Henry Hayley. Henry is the father of James Hayley (above). There was an issue with an application proof requiring a Proof Argument so the application wasn't mailed to State until 8/19/2021. State approved the application and it was received at National on (ACN: 100097). Application was Pended on 31 May 2022 and is currently on the Pended Report. Documents were submitted and the reviewer at National was confused about them so Leslie is now writing another Proof Argument to clarify the documents. Pended at National. Requested Documents submitted. Still Pended as of 5 Aug 2022.
- 3. Member Larry Jordan submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar on 15 Oct 2021 for his ancestor Thomas Jarman. The application was checked and mailed to State on 9 Nov 2021. Application was approved at State and arrived at National on 13 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101112). Application is not on the Application Status Report or the Pended Application Report as of 29 Jul 2022. The applicate, Larry Jordan, submitted new evidence to show the Patriot's approximate

birth date and place but the reviewer at National was confused so the applicant constructed a Proof Argument to explain the evidence which was submitted on 20 Aug 2022 and sent to National on 22 Aug 2022. The PA was reviewed by Denise Hall (Lead Genealogist) at National and the application was un-pended and approved on 7 Sep 2022. Application was **Approved** and certificate received. Certificate will be mailed to applicant.

- 4. Member Larry Jordan submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar on 11 Nov 2021 for his ancestor Jacob Groner. Application was reviewed and mailed to State on 14 Dec 2021 and approved at State. Application was Received at National on 31 Dec 2021 (ACN: 101311). Approved at National on 22 Jul 2022. (7 months). Certificate received 1 Sep 2022. Certificate mailed to applicant.
- **5. Member** Leslie Anderson submitted a Supplemental application that was reviewed by the Chapter Registrar on 12 Jun 2022 and mailed to State on 17 Jun 2022 and was approved at State. Application was received at National on 11 Jul 2022 (ACN: 103590). Leslie's ancestor is Sampson Simmons. **Awaiting National Review.**
- 6. **Member** Leslie Anderson submitted a Supplemental application that was reviewed by the Chapter Registrar on 12 Jun 2022 and mailed to State on 17 Jun 202and approved at State. Application was received at National on 11 Jul 2022, (ACN: 103951). Leslie's ancestor is Amos Etheridge. **Awaiting National Review.**
- 7. **Member** Larry Jordan submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar for review on 15 Sep 2022. Larry's ancestor is John Pool. Received at National on 26 Sep 2022. **Awaiting National Review.**

- **8. Member** Larry Jordan submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar for review on 15 Sep 2022. Larry's ancestor is John Job. **Application awaiting State Review.**
- 9. Member Larry Jordan submitted a Supplemental application to the Chapter Registrar for review on 25 Nov 2022. Larry's ancestor is James Scott. Application Being Reviewed at Chapter.

## **New Prospects**

- 1. Greg Getschow; Working on Documents.
- 2. Thomas Bland; Working on Documents.
- 3. Robert Presley; Contacted, No Response.
- 4. Wade Rasbeary; Contacted, No Response.
- 5. Isaac Martinez; Contacted, No Response.
- 6. Robert Howell; Contacted, No Response.
- 7. Breyden Mcfadden; Contacted, No Response.

**Registrar's Note:** The Application Status Report for 25 Nov 2022 was not published and still has not been published, as of 30 Nov 2022.