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Erastus “Deaf” Smith Chapter

Meeting Minutes

January 17, 2022

The members of the Erastus “Deaf” Smith Chapter No.60, Sons of the Republic of Texas (SRT) gathered at Sudie’s Catfish Kitchen in Pasadena Texas at 6 PM. on January 17, 2022.

President Robyn Davis opened the meeting at 6:36 PM. Chaplain Joseph Thomas provided the invocation. Tony Cerda led us in the pledges to the United States and Texas Flags.

Recognized Honored Guest: Jeff Corbin and Steve Manis.

Swearing In Ceremony: President Robyn Davis swore in John Manlove.

Reports: President Robyn Davis announced that the minutes of the September 20th meeting had been emailed, asked for corrections, comments and were accepted. Treasurer Hal Vaughan announced that the Chapter has \$1057.50 in the chapter accounts.

Ancestor Roll Call: Members each provided a short synopsis about their ancestor’s contribution to the Republic.

Chapter Members attending: President R. Davis, Chaplain Joseph Thomas, Secretary Robert Ojeda, Treasurer Hal Vaughan, Quarter Master Tony Cerda IV, Andy Peters, Butch Peters, Tony Cerda III, John Manlove, Steve Dunbar, Jerome McKowen, Nancy Ojeda and LouAnn Taylor. 13 Chapter members attended this meeting with several guest in attendance.

Report on Recent Events:

Deaf Smith chapter 1 year anniversary gathering

Pasadena lighted Christmas Parade

Wreath Placing at Crown Hill Cemetery for the Siege of Bexar on Aursulia Conn Williams grave

Wreaths Across America – Grandview Cemetery and Crown Hill Cemetery

100th Anniversary SRT Annual Meeting at South Shore Harbor

Upcoming National Events:

March 2nd- Texas Independence Day

March 6th - Dawn at the Alamo

Old Business:

Pecan Trees for Fred Taylor and Brian Fournier
Marker placed for Pecan tree at Crown Hill Cemetery

New Business:

Program for Pecan Tree placement for Brian Fournier
Education Programs – Joseph Thomas
Washington on the Brazos – Texas Independence Day Celebration – February 26-27
Texas Independence Day Program – Washington on the Brazos – March 2nd.
Dues – Pay by mail or Paypal
Membership Drive
District events and meetings
Next meeting: Monday February 21st 2022.

News Letter on the Chapter website (www.deafsmithsrt.org). Featured family or Texas related article needed for the next issue.

Guest Speaker: Jeff Corbine – Historian General, Past Chaplin General, President or San Jacinto Chapter #1, Logo Committee Chairman

-Jeff Corbine was presented a plaque in appreciation of his presentation from SRT by Joseph Thomas.

President Robyn Davis adjourned the meeting at 7:48 PM.