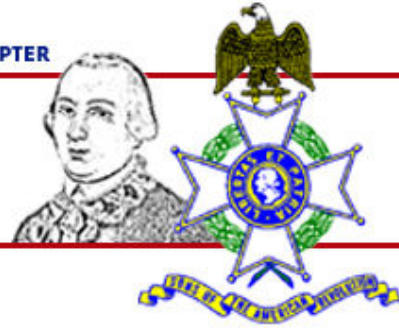


MEETING MINUTES - FOR THE BERNARDO DE GALVEZ CHAPTER



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Bernardo de Galvez Chapter # 1 December 2010 Meeting Minutes

The December meeting was called to order by Secretary Bill Whatley.

Bill Whatley led the pledges to (US, TX, SAR and DAR) flags. This month was a joint meeting with DAR. Gordon Robinson was asked to do the invocation. After the pledges and invocation the meeting was turned over to chapter President Pete Lenés.

New Business:

Pete Lenés made the introductions of members and guests. There were nine chapter members and one prospective chapter member, two SAR Auxiliary members, one Boy Scout, Ten guests and five members of George Washington Chapter of DAR.

Pete Lenés reported that the chapter has 1,937 Stark Report points and 8,210 President Report points.

Pete Lenés introduced our speaker and TXSSAR President Jim Jones. Jim dwelled on the importance of our Constitution and why there should not be amendments to change it.

Mary Louise Gulley introduced our other speaker (Bob Davis) from Exxon Mobile Corporation. He is the editor of "The Lamp" which is an outstanding magazine for their stock holders and employees. For several years Exxon Mobil Corporation has made numerous donations to our SAR and DAR Chapters. We celebrated the 115th year anniversary of DAR and 114th year anniversary of SAR. Next December we will rededicate our SAR marker in Galveston.

Presentations:

Pete Lenes presented Boy Scout Chase Bossert with the SAR Heroism Medal and Certificate. Chase saved the life of a fellow student at Ball High School in Galveston. Chase performed the Heimlich maneuver on his friend who was choking.

Pete Lenes presented Bob Davis with a Certificate of appreciation. Mary Glenn was presented her son's 20 years Service Pin and Certificate.

Committee Reports:

Ron Whatley reported that the chapter was well represented in the Dickens on the Strand parade on December 4th. The Tremont Hotel is an excellent place to meet for this event. All the folks (38) attending expressed their appreciation for having a great meeting place.