

Florida Society of the Sons of the American Revolution
Pensacola Chapter
Minutes

January 17, 2023

President Washler called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Compatriot Nobles gave the invocation. Compatriot Matthews led the Pledge to the Flag, Compatriot Findley led the Pledge to the SAR and Compatriot Jones led the American's Creed. Eleven members (Carl Black, Lonnie Jones, Ray Judd, Carl Judson, John Matthews, Bill Lies, Joe Joseph, Jeremy Findley, Chris Washler, Joe Joseph and Robert Canavello) were in attendance along with Clayton Black and Jane Lies..

Reading of the minutes from the previous meeting unanimously waived and accepted as they were emailed. The Treasurer's report was given and unanimously accepted; balance \$3,198.79. The Treasurer gave a breakdown of the dues payments and expenses which were printed in his report.

Committee Reports: Battle of Pensacola plans are in work.

ROTC awards will be solicited and awarded at the end of the school year.

Flag certificates have been printed for our 250 X 250 project. Nominations for Escambia and Santa Rosa counties should be made to the website (www.Pensacola SAR.org) at the appropriate link.

Old Business: The new Chapter officers were installed.

New Business: Wreaths Across America: Wreaths were laid at Barrancas National Cemetery on December 17th. The Snowden Chapter is disbanding and the Pensacola Chapter will receive a transfer of 3 members.

Awards None

Program: A brief history of the Battle of Lexington and a video of the site today was presented by President Washler.

Compatriot Judd led the recessional and Chaplain Mathews gave the benediction.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 20th at Sonny's BBQ on 9th Avenue.


Robert Canavello, Secretary