

Ark-La-Tex Charter Meeting Minutes January 15, 2022

Members present:

Clarence Burns	Richard Blackwood
Dennis Beckham	Harold Blair
Bill Sekel	Bill Watts
Christopher Addington	Danny Addington
Maximus Addington	

Guests present:

Drake Peddie	Phil Maynard
Tamera Moler	Kathryn Cash
Traci Jones	Meriam Blair
Bob Kubin	John Greer
Bob Johns	Ted Wilson
T. L. Holden	Walt Thomas
J. D. Martin	Robert Miller
Paul Ridenour	Carolyn Addington
Wendy Addington	Charlotte Evans
Jennifer Evans	Sara Thomas
Mack Thomas	Bear Thomas
Stacey Beckham	Jeremy Stayer
Ore Jane Johnson	Robert Jones
Joshua Beckham	Janet Graham
Tracy Graham	Howard Blatch
Lynda Blatch	Suzanne Drew
Larry Joe Reynolds	Shawn Tulley

Compatriot Bill Sekel called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM.

Compatriot Richard Blackwood gave the Invocation.

Color Guard Commander Bob Kubin and TX SAR Northern Command Color Guard presented the colors.

Compatriot Bill Sekel led the pledge of allegiance to the United States Flag.

Compatriot Dennis Beckham led the pledge of allegiance to the Texas Flag.

Compatriot Bill Sekel led the SAR Pledge.

Color Guard retired the colors.

Compatriot Bill Sekel welcomed everyone and recognized special guests.

Compatriot Bill Sekel introduced guest speaker Texas SAR President Drake Peddie.

Texas SAR President Drake Peddie gave his remarks.

Texas SAR President Drake Peddie officially installed the duly elected officers of the chapter.

- Clarence Burns, President.
- Richard Blackwood, Secretary
- Dennis Beckham, Registrar
- Bill Sekel, Chancellor

Ark-La-Tex Chapter President Clarence Burns gave his remarks.

Texas SAR President Drake Peddie inducted new members.

- Christopher Addington
- Danny Addington
- Maximus Addington

Texas SAR President Drake Peddie presented Chancellor Bill Sekel with the SAR Bronze Color Guard Medal.

Chapter President Clarence Burns presented Trammels Trace Regent Traci Jones with the SAR Martha Washington Medal, Medal of Appreciation, and the Daughters of Liberty Medal.

Chapter President Clarence Burns presented a Certificate of Appreciation to the Trammels Trace Chapter.

Compatriot John Greer spoke about veterans programs and presented a Vietnam Veteran pin to guest Howard Blatch.

Compatriot Bill Watts and TX SAR President Drake Peddie gave away door prizes.

Ark-La-Tex President Clarence Burns made the following announcements:

- A \$100.00 donation was received from the Plano Chapter
- A \$100.00 donation was received from the Dallas Chapter
- A \$100.00 donation was received from the East Fork Trinity Chapter
- A \$100.00 donation was received from the Ambassador Fletcher Warren Chapter
- There will be a business meeting at Catfish King on February 12th at noon.
- The next regularly scheduled meeting will be March 8th at 6:30 PM at the American Legion Post.

Motion to adjourn was made by Chancellor Bill Sekel and second was given by Secretary Richard Blackwood. Motion passed.

Chapter President Clarence Burns led the SAR Recessional.

Secretary Richard Blackwood gave the Benediction.

Adjournment at 2:05 PM.

Reception.

R/S Bill Sekel, Chancellor