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NOVEMBER CHAPTER MEETING

November 16, 2007 Best Western Inn, Culpeper, VA:
Minutes of Chapter Awards Meeting – Held at Best Western Hotel, Culpeper, Virginia

At 12:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order by Chapter President, Dominic Lay. The color guard, led by Francis Lay, Color Guard Commander posted the colors. The invocation was given by Chaplain Larry Alexander. Leonard Cowherd led the Pledge of Allegiance and Lon Lacey, Jr. led the SAR pledge.

Introduction of members, spouses and guests: Chapter President, Dominic Lay introduced Bruce A. Wilcox, President General of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution (NSSAR) and his wife, Theresa who was visiting the CMM/SAR Chapter. President General, Bruce Wilcox greeted the group warmly and gave a few brief remarks concerning what was going on at the National level in the SAR and future plans regarding an upcoming vote to possibly relocate the NSSAR National Headquarters to a new building in another part of Louisville. After the President General spoke, Chapter President Dominic Lay had the members and guests introduce themselves. Attendance totaled 26. There were 14 SAR members present, 5 DAR members present and 7 guests present.

President's Announcements:

Membership renewals are due no later than December 1, 2007.

On November 11th, Veterans Day—The Culpeper Minute Men Chapter participated in Veterans Day Celebrations here in Culpeper at the Veterans Cemetery and at Mount Vernon (The home of George Washington) in Alexandria, Virginia.

On December 8, 2007 the Annual Tri-Chapter Holiday Dinner will be held at the Hazel River Inn, Culpeper, VA. As of today (Saturday, November 17, 2007) we have 20 subscribers. However, we hope to have 30 to 40 by the date of the event. Acting Secretary, Don Jennings will be sending out renewal membership cards in December.

OFFICERS REPORTS

1st Vice President: Paul Bess, Jr. - Nothing to report.

2nd Vice President: Francis Lay - Nothing to report, but wanted to thank the Color Guard for all of their help during the past year.

Secretary: Don Jennings -The minutes of the Chapter's last meeting (October 13, 2007) were accepted as printed in the Muster Call.

Treasurer: Treasurer, Lance Lyngar reported that we have an Account Balance of \$5,586.39. General funds of \$3,439.41, Encumbered Monies of \$2,146.98, Income (year to date) of \$3,729.00 and Expenditure (year to date) of \$2591.51. Has received 40 members dues for 2008 out of a total of 83. Must have all dues in by the end of November in order to make check out to VASSAR on December 1, 2007.

Registrar: Andrew Gutowski reported that he has no new applications, but has three supplementals that are about completed.

Historian: Mike Lyman - Nothing new to report.

Chaplain: Larry Alexander - Nothing to report.