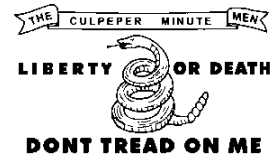




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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Compatriots, thank you for your recent trust and confidence by allowing me the privilege of serving our Chapter as President. Working together in service to our distinguished Chapter in its 36th year, please know that I consider it an honor to cast my lot with all of you and that I shall strive to maintain the very high standards set by many of you. Your continued key support will ensure that our Culpeper Minute Men Chapter will not only meet the challenges immediately before us, but that we will indeed thrive in the coming year as we seek to increase our membership and active member participation through implementation of a number of improvement initiatives, including more publicity and more variety in our meeting places with interesting speaker programs for 2010, and other promising initiatives to be announced in the coming months. I strongly encourage all of our Compatriot members in the new year to consider renewing their commitment and participation in our Chapter meetings, public events, Color Guard evolutions, community education outreach programs and other committee work. Please also continue recruitment of new Chapter members for the future so that we may continue to advance the mission of the Virginia Society and the National Society Sons of the American Revolution.

Thank you, Compatriot Francis Lay, for your dedicated service and hour of leadership to our Chapter as our immediate Past President. To all, I humbly accept your summons. I shall seek to deserve your confidence by devoting to the duties of my position all the powers of mind and body which I possess. By combining our collective strengths, experience and talent for the good of our Chapter to advance the

mission of our State and National organizations- we cannot fail.

With sentiments of great respect, I remain, yours in liberty, Gar Schulin

INSTALLATION OF THE 2010 CULPEPER MINUTE MEN, VASSAR OFFICERS Bill Simpson Jr., VASSAR President conducted the Installation Ceremony. The new Culpeper Minute Men Chapter officers are: Gar Schulin, President, Lance Lyngar, 1st Vice President, Robert L Bowen, 2nd Vice President, Jake Lay, Secretary, Don Jennings, Treasurer, Jack Paul Bess, Jr, Registrar, Francis Lay, Historian and Len Cowherd, Chaplain.



Gar Schulin, Lance Lyngar, Bob Bowen, Paul Bess, Len Cowherd, and Jake Lay, are sworn into office.

The Installation of officers for the 2010 year officially marked the end of a successful 2009. President Francis Lay and his officers and Chairmen are to be congratulated for the degree of energy they invested while serving the Culpeper Minute Men Chapter this past year. Thank you, and WELL DONE, Compatriots!