

Meeting Minutes
William Joel Bryan Chapter #14 -
Sons of the Republic of Texas
January 25, 2017

The William Joel Bryan Chapter #14 Sons of the Republic of Texas met January 25, 2017 at Kreuz Market in Bryan, Texas.

President Mervin Peters called the meeting to order at noon, welcoming members and guests.

32 members, prospective members, and guests attended the meeting. President Mervin Peters opened the meeting with a welcome to all members. Vice President Blair Fannin led off with a prayer. Secretary Kyle Jones led the pledges to the U.S. and Texas flags.

Ancestor Roll Call followed and the November meeting minutes posted to the chapter website were then approved.

Past President General and Knight of San Jacinto Charles Briggs gave the treasurers report. Current balance is \$3,212.14. He proposed a motioned to the annual donation to the Star of the Republic Museum of \$200.00. Item was voted on and approved.

President Mervin Peters led the discussion of old and new business, and asked for the recruitment of members to lead tours of Boonville Heritage Park tours in the Spring. Peters then introduced member and SRT district representative George Nelson who gave his report on the Boonville Heritage Park Union Lodge's recent meeting at the Boonville replica lodge. Nelson said there were about 20 members of the Brazos Union Lodge in attendance, and it was a well-received meeting with the possibility of future meetings being held at the park.

President Mervin Peters then passed around a sign up sheet for speaker ideas for future meetings and a book proposal list that might interest the membership.

George Nelson then introduced and led the induction of new Son's of the Republic of Texas members – Robert Hailey, Jim Singleton, and Mile McDougal.

Vice President Blair Fannin then gave his presentation on Herman Ehrenberg, and his chronicling of the Texas Revolution.

Peters closed the meeting with a reminder that the chapter will meet again February 22, 2017 at 11:30 a.m. at Kreuz Market in Bryan. With there being no further business, Peters adjourned the meeting at 12:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Kyle Jones

Secretary -

William Joel Bryan Chapter #14, Sons of the Republic of Texas

January 28, 2017