

AMITE COUNTY HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Minutes of January 10, 2015 meeting

Approved by vote of members attending the February 14, 2015, meeting

President Dawn Taylor called the meeting to order at 10:15 am in the meeting room of the Liberty library. There were 10 members and two Causey-family guests brought by James Allen Causey attending. President Taylor was the only Executive Board member in attendance.

Since copies of the draft December 2014 meeting minutes were not available due to the absence of society secretary Wayne Anderson, adoption of the minutes was tabled until the February meeting.

President Report:

- There are still a large number of the 2015 calendar available for sale. The price has been reduced to \$5.00 per copy if purchased in person, postage will be required for orders filled by mail (contact Dawn Taylor or see the society Facebook page for postage cost).
- Reminder: On the first Saturday in February, Mary Pallon, Lifetime Member of the society, is scheduling a clean-up day in Rodney. Volunteers are encouraged to help out. The Historic Rodney Foundation is hoping to perform stabilization work on the buildings to preserve them. Since Mary Pallon has done so much for the ACHGS in preserving and promoting Amite County history, Pres. Taylor encourages all members who can to assist on the Rodney clean-up. Pres. Taylor and Past President Greg Barron have committed to attend to represent the society.

Vice President Report: VP Nancy Martin was not present due to continuing recovery from her injuries from her July 4, 2014, car wreck. VP Martin hopes to return for meetings in the near future. Until then, your thoughts and prayers for her continued recovery are appreciated.

Secretary Report: Secy. Anderson was not present.

Treasurer Report: Treasurer Gay Blalock could not be present but provided a Treasurer's Report to Pres. Taylor before the meeting. The Treasurer's report shows a bank balance of \$10,000.14. Expenses for the Battle of Liberty commemoration mentioned last month have now been paid resulting in the decline of the balance from December.

COMMITTEES: No reports.

Old Business: None.

New Business: None

Other Business:

- There was discussion of the Camp Van Dorn Museum and the field trip to be made following the meeting.
- Darlene Williams shared her scrapbook from when her father was stationed at Camp Van Dorn and his WWII service.

The meeting adjourned at 11:15 am.