



CONNECTICUT SOCIETY SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION COLONEL JEREMIAH WADSWORTH BRANCH #7

General Report and Meeting Summary, April, 2019

The Branch's Winter 2019 Meeting was held on Saturday, January 26, 2019 at Abigail's Tavern, West Simsbury, CT.

State President and Wadsworth Branch Past President Damien Cregeau presided over the meeting in the absence of outgoing Branch President Eric Hart. President Cregeau called the meeting to order at 11:00 AM.

After the Pledge and Invocation, a List of Attendees was compiled by Secretary Ankerman, and a quorum was established. Old business included a summary of the last meeting of the Wadsworth Branch, in May of 2018, in Wethersfield, CT. The venue was the historic Webb-Deane-Stevens Museum, and included the induction of Bill Baldwin as new compatriot.

New Business included a discussion of possible future events for 2019, these include:

1. Summer event to mark/commemorate the grave of Sergeant Giffin of Wethersfield, served in Webb's 9th Regiment
2. Plaque rededication for Maj. Gen. Marquis de Lafayette's visit to Farmington marked by CTSSAR and until recently hidden in trees and undergrowth
3. CTSSAR State News - possibility of co-hosting of spy symposium, Litchfield, Sept.

Induction of new compatriot Tony Healy, who was sworn in by President Cregeau and pinned by State Secretary and Proposer Paul Selnau. The installation of the new officers of Wadsworth Branch #7 for 2019-20 was completed by President Damien Cregeau.

Slate: Bruce Donald, Branch President
 Bill Baldwin, Vice President
 Justin Ankerman, Secretary
 Lee Tryon, Treasurer

The gavel was passed to President Donald and he presided over the remainder of the meeting. After an exceptional a la carte luncheon, President Cregeau presented an engrossing: "***Brevet Brigadier General Samuel Blachley Webb of Wethersfield, Aide-de-Camp to General George Washington***".

2PM: SAR Recessional, Closing Prayer, Adjournment

Respectfully Submitted: R. Bruce Donald, President