

October 12, 1975

Minutes of the 29<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Descendants  
of Lt. Colonel Frederick Hambright

Groves Rescue Squad Center  
Grover, North Carolina

The assembled descendants of Colonel Hambright  
were extended a cordial welcome by Harriett  
Phifer, President.

The invocation was given by Allie Harris,  
who is presently serving our country as

All present enjoyed eating the delicious food  
and fellowshiping with each other, followed by  
the meeting being called to order by President  
Harriett Phifer.

Minutes of 1974 meeting were given by the  
secretary, Mary Frances Hummer, and they were  
approved as read.

Those who had traveled the greatest distance -  
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Jones and children, Michael and Diane,  
and Mrs. Myrtle Jones - all had traveled 300  
miles from Sandstone, Virginia.

The oldest present - Mrs. Octavia King - 86 years.  
[However after meeting was adjourned we  
realized that Miss Anie Hambright, 87 years  
should also have been recognized.]

Youngest to attend was 7 month Bradley Putnam, descendent of P. Q. Hambright.

Those who have deceased were remembered

John Carrol Baker - age 82	expired July 31, 1975
Ray Page	June 20
George Hambright Barber	July 3
Buiesst Hambright	Sept. 29
Boyd Hambright	July 1974
Mrs. Rhoda Eaker (mother of Odie C. Eaker)	May 8, 1975
Mrs. Effie B. Kirby	1974
Mr. D. F. Adams	1974
Mr. O. A. Barber	1974
Mrs. Alma Wells	1974

All bowed for a period of memoriam.

A report by Bob E. Hambright, Chairman of Cemetery committee gave the report that the cemetery and grave site of Colonel Frederick was cleared of weeds and debris; and reported that the approaching road is in good condition with a current cost of \$25.00.

Treasurer's report was given by James A. Houser stating that the current balance is \$ 249.24.

Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Lain Hambright, presented the slate of officers for the coming year, as follows:

President - J. Allie Harris

Vice-president - Mrs. Odis Eaker

Secretary - Mary Frances Rummery

Historians - { Bess Phifer  
Ralph Dye

Treasurer - James A. Houser

Cemetery Committee - Bob E. Hambright

These were approved as officers for 1976.

Mrs. Odis Eaker recognized a visitor, Mr.

Withrow, who is an active member of Rutherford County Historical Society that covers what was old Tryon County. He is a genealogist who is in the process of plotting the land grants of the early days.

Mrs. Eaker gave a report on Colonel Frederick Hambright. (A copy of this report

is attached to these minutes.)

Mrs. Eaker is writing a book that they have worked on for 28 years on the Eaker genealogy. Since both Mr. and Mrs. Eaker are of Hambright descent this would be of interest to many of us. Publication will be soon.

A motion was made and seconded that the 1976 meeting will be at Grover Rescue Squad Center on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of October - October 10, 1976.

Donations were given.

Ralph Dye reported on family charts. By October '76, publishing date, there will probably be 8500 - 10,000 names. A pre-publication of book is available at cost of \$4.00.

A rifle that had been bought by Madison and passed to his son John K. and passed to his son James A. and passed to his son Jay Davis (who was present) and to be passed to his son Keith. Keith Rifle was shown to group by Keith.

It was suggested by William Hambright that anyone who has some other object or photograph of interest to group to bring it to our next meeting.

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As we told that as stated in the book Our Kin that the desk of Colonel Frederick Hambright is in possession of the Hoffman family.

A motion ~~was~~ made and seconded to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Frances Hambright Hunnery,  
Secretary