BAY AREA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING MINUTES Sunday, November 30, 2003

President Neil Miserendino called the meeting to order at 5:10 p.m.

Jeanine Lawrence read Psalm 138 about Thanksgiving and led us in a prayer.

Bill Teas, Sergeant-at-Arms led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Dick Warren introduced the speaker, Don Pusch, who spoke on "The 1758 – 1758 Voyage to Louisiana of the French flute Fortune".

Neil Miserendino made the following announcements:

- 1. Neil thanked Doug and Polly Wilson for leading the class for those who are planning to go to Salt Lake City.
- 2. The next scheduled bus trip to the Clayton Library is Monday, February 23, 2004. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the room for those who want to go. There were 11 people who went on the bus trip November 5, 2003.
- 3. Neil thanked Sue McCown for her newsletter article titled "Further Notes on Gazetteers".
- 4. See Ron Cox in the back of the room to renew you memberships for the coming year.
- 5. Resa Hennings has the Quarterlies. She has them for all year, so you may purchase an extra copy.
- 6. Neil thanked the following people who supplied refreshments: Joyce Foster, Gail Hunter, Jo Roberts, John Hoover, Joy Hampton, Oletia Teas, Frank Roth, Barbara Moore, David Cate, and Sue Hall.
- 7. There are handouts to take to friends for the Holiday Party. The reservations will be closed on December 12.
- 8. Return your nametags before you leave.
- 9. The Houston Archives downtown needs help. We have handouts. Mary Pierce reported that there is a sign-up sheet in the back of the room for volunteers who want to go to the archives. There is a carpool available.
- 10. We had the following visitors at the meeting: Bob and Margaret Mitchell, Don and Laura Pusch, Ron and Elaine Mason, and Mary Olson.

The meeting adjourned for refreshments and fellowship at 6:15.

Respectfully submitted,

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