

NEWS FROM HERITAGE HOUSE

By Betty Swanner

Sunday services were held by the Christ Episcopal Church with the Rev. George T. Welch at the speaker. We had quite a few of our residents out on week-end passes, and some of the church visitors this week. We are still asking for volunteers. I ask any one who has any thing to donate to our lobby room, such as art and crafts and some games, to contact me.

We would like to thank Mrs. Jerry Dusek for the delicious cakes.

Mrs. Esther Sanderman and Mrs. Arndt Thomas are so nice about coming out and helping when they can. We certainly do thank them.

Wesleyan Guild Hears Miss Johnson

The Marie Doole Wesleyan Service Guild of Colly Memorial United Methodist Church met on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 10th at the home of Mrs. Nellie Larson.

The meeting opened with prayer after which minutes were read and business taken care of.

Miss Opheelia Johnson presented an outstanding devotion on the "Power of Love." The devotion was very interesting.

After the Guild Benediction delicious refreshments were served to 15 members and four guests, including Mrs. Cecil Gerstberg, a former resident here, and three other members from the Weimar Methodist Guild.

LOUISIANA VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harber of Haynesville, Louisiana, visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pilkington and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Harber. They made the trip especially to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Harber's grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Horn.

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Retire. Incomes Rise In County

Colorado County's economy is being favorably affected these days by the sizeable amount of money flowing into the area for social security beneficiaries.

The latest figures show that no less than \$4,000,000 a year is now coming in, much more than in former years.

The growth is the result of periodic adjustments to the law, which have brought more people under coverage and have increased the size of the monthly checks to retirees.

According to the government's report for the past year, retirement and disability payments are going to some 3,295 local residents as compared with 3,157 in 1971.

Most of them are retired workers or their widows, children and parents. The others are disabled workers and their dependents.

The findings are contained in the annual report of the Social Security Administration. It lists, for every county in the United States, the number of people on the retirement rolls and the payments to them, as of the beginning of this year.

Nationally, the figures show, over 80 million workers, equivalent to about 90 percent of the labor force, are now in the program.

As for the beneficiaries, approximately 30 million Americans, one out of every seven people, are receiving checks each month. The payout to them is at the rate of \$1.5 billion a year.

In Colorado County, pension payments at year end were at the annual rate of \$1,365 per beneficiary, in contrast to the 1971 rate of \$1,062.

The total payments to the local area, \$4,000,000 in the year, represent a marked increase over the \$3,204,000 that was paid previously.

The escalation of benefits over the years has necessitated frequent increases in payroll taxes to pay for them. The point has been reached, for millions of workers, where the cost of social security purposes comes to more than their Federal income taxes.

At the present time, the payroll tax is 5.85 percent for the worker and 5.65 for his employer, up to \$15,300 of income.

An short business session followed. Birthdays greetings were extended to Mrs. Boothe. Cards were signed to send to the sick.

A thought inspiring devotion was given by Mrs. Lila Armstrong entitled "Consider the Lily", reminding the class that many lessons for living can be learned while observing and considering the various aspects of nature, the flower being a good example.

Mrs. Gladys Harper discussed the group with prayer. Welcomed guests were Mrs. York's mother, Mrs. Gladys Harper, and Mrs. Martha Sibley, wife of the First Baptist Church pastor.

During the enjoyable fellowship hour delicious refreshments and coffee were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Maxine Griffith.

The Martha Class will meet with Mrs. Dale Cassidy on November 14th at 7:30 p.m.

Alpha Delta Phi Plans Spaghetti Supper
Alpha Delta Phi held its first meeting of the new year 1974-75 in the home of Mrs. B. J. Williams with Mrs. Bob Cook, Jr., as co-hostess on Tuesday, Sept. 10. President

Martha Lockler opened the meeting with committee chairman giving their reports. One of the group's new services will be serving the Heritage House on Wednesday afternoon.

Discussion was held on the annual spaghetti supper which will be held in October. Mrs. William Brunner and Mrs. Fulton Dromgold, Jr., gave the program on "Components of Music." It was a most informative program and was enjoyed by all.

A delightful social hour followed.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gripar III of Austin visited during the past weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Frank.

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Sp. 5 Hattermann Takes Part In Pageant Activities

SP5 Paul L. Hattermann and twenty-nine other personnel from Ft. Riley, Kansas, were selected from their respective units to represent Ft. Riley at this year's Miss America Beauty Pageant September 4-6. Selection to the pageant was based on individual merit, military bearing, and abilities as soldiers in the United States Army.

While in Atlantic City, the Ft. Riley, Kansas, group was a guest of an Atlantic City Civic Organization and Mrs. Lela Bryman. The soldiers were guests at several dinners and Thurs., Sept. 6th were guests at the 6th annual banquet of the Miss America Pageant.

During their free time the soldiers spent their time visiting the famous Tussey's Wax Museum, strolling on the boardwalk, and swimming at the President Motor Inn's spacious snack.

Later this month SP5 Hattermann will be leaving for a 4 to 6 week stay in Germany (Ratort) which is a part of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Commitment to Western Europe.

Upon his return to Ft. Riley SP5 Hattermann will be serving months time to serve in the United States Army before discharge.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Hattermann of R. 3, Weimar, Texas, and the grandson of Mrs. Elizabeth Walker of Eagle Lake.

County 4-H Club News

By Nora Galley and Garland Weimars, Asst. Agents

ADULT LEADERS MEET
Mrs. Lawrence Ripper and Mrs. William Lee Neundorff represented Colorado County at the recent District II 4-H Adult Leader Association meeting.

The meeting was conducted at Wharton on the Wharton County Junior College campus. Both Mrs. Ripper and Mrs. Neundorff are 4-H leaders for the Colorado County 4-H Club.

The District II Adult Leaders Association held its annual meeting for the purpose of electing officers and conducting a series of leader training sessions.

During the roll call, Mrs. Ripper reported that Colorado County had 778 4-H members and 36 4-H adult leaders. She also reported on the success of the first Colorado County 4-H County Fair.

Leaders had the opportunity to attend a number of training sessions which included: veterinary sciences, rifle, home environment, horticulture, "What's an Area 4-H Leader?" County Council vs. Adult Leaders Association, Parental Involvement in 4-H and Record Books.

These training sessions were conducted to provide information to leaders which would help them on the county level.

The District II 4-H Council also held its annual meeting to elect new officers. During roll call a slide/tape set summarizing the Colorado County 4-H Program was used. Darlene Zimmerman and Jody Ripper represented Colorado County. Darlene was elected to the position of First Vice Chairman of the District II 4-H Council. Darlene will have major responsibilities in planning and conducting various District 4-H functions.

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Engagement Of Miss Enola Pavlu, James Gertson, Jr., Announced



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Mr. Gertson is a 1973 graduate of Rice High School and attended Southwest State Teachers College. He is now engaged in rice farming in Eagle Lake.

A November 23 wedding is planned in Saint Mary's Catholic Church in Nuda.

Rites Held For Mrs. Ethel Horn Sat.

Friends in the community learned with sadness of the death of Mrs. Ethel Horn who died suddenly Thursday morning, Sept. 12, 1974, in Eagle Lake Community Hospital.

She was born in Hammon, Oklahoma on October 18, 1897, the daughter of William and Lena Ingram. The family moved to the Llaneta community when Mrs. Horn was at an early age. She was married to Virgil Horn on August 16, 1916.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Jack (Jewel) Briscoe of Weimar and Mrs. Tommy (Helen) Pilkington of Eagle Lake; one son, William Horn of Alief; ten grandchildren and one great grandson.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ernestine Newman of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Anna Luper of Elk City, Oklahoma; and one brother, L. L. Ingram of Eagle Lake.

Two infant sons, her husband, and two sisters and three brothers preceded her in death.

The Rev. Joe Anderson conducted the services from the chapel of the Mill-Bauer Funeral Home at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 14, 1974. Burial was in the Chesterville Cemetery.

SHERIDAN NEWS

(By Mrs. G. H. HOLLOB)

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Howard Reed Works With Big Bertha Drum In UT Band

The Longhorn Band of the University of Texas has been working for several weeks in preparation for fall football extravaganza.

Among many participating in the band this year is Howard Reed of Eagle Lake. The instrument he will be working with actually takes five people to handle, plus the one who plays the famous bass drum, "Big Bertha."

Howard is a senior education/communications major at the University. Besides being a drum major, he is active in the nationwide non-profit organization, Recording for the Blind, R.F.B., which is what he came up with. I thought it was a great joke, at first—but then we started practicing! The whole idea is funny, I think. I think we also need a good 30-hour drum to pull them, which helps keep Texas quite intact. Bertha weighs about 700 pounds.

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