

Confederate Daughters Report On Recent Meet

The Shropshire-Upton Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met on June 12, in the home of Carolyn Hastedt in Columbus at 11 a.m. Vice President Sarah Uzzi presided over the meeting in the absence of President Kitty Benson.

There were 11 member and two new members present. The new members were presented with their membership certificates. Dorothy Craton Cooper has joined the UDC through the service of her ancestor, Giles James Wise. Janet Buchanan has joined the UDC through the service of her ancestor, S. B. Buchanan. Both ladies were welcomed into the Shropshire-Upton Chapter.

Register Jennie Muggli has recommended six ladies to become members. They are working on their paperwork.

The purpose of the meeting

was a birthday party honoring Jeff Davis' 200th birthday.

Everyone enjoyed a delicious covered dish luncheon. Desserts and coffee were served while everyone visited.

Milly Cordes presented a short program on the life of Jeff Davis. She had visited his home site in Mississippi. She also showed a collection of pictures depicting his life.

Then, it was time for presents in keeping with the theme of birthday party. Gifts were exchanged in Chinese fashion. Everyone had a great time choosing their gift.

In-coming President, Carolyn Hastedt, reminded the officers there would be a planning meeting on June 26, at 1 p.m., at her home. Plans for the coming year will be discussed.

Everyone departed excited about Jeff Davis' birthday party!

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Contact dermatitis is a medical term referring to things the skin encounters that causes it to become red and inflamed. Such things may include soap, cosmetics, jewelry, and certain plants. The rash that occurs is not contagious, and in most cases resolves within a few days to a couple of weeks. Other signs of contact dermatitis may include bumpy or dry skin. Only the area of skin exposed to the offending agent is affected. There are two categories of contact dermatitis: *allergic contact dermatitis* and *irritant contact dermatitis*. Irritant contact dermatitis is more common, and results from contact with an irritating substance, such as soap or cosmetics. Bleach and strong acids may be particularly irritating, as these substances may remove the skin's protective barrier. Allergic contact dermatitis may occur in response to exposure to an allergen, such as rubber, perfume, and hair dyes.

The best treatment for contact dermatitis is to identify the irritating agent and then discontinue contact with that agent. Creams containing hydrocortisone applied topically may help alleviate the redness and itching. A wet dressing also may be applied to the affected area. Oral steroids and antihistamines, such as diphenhydramine (Benadryl), hydroxyzine (Atarax), and cetirizine (Zyrtec), may be required for more severe reactions.

Fidel S. Luna, Sr.
Fidel S. Luna, Sr., 67, was called home to the Lord July 1. Fidel was born in Bonus, Texas to Jose Luna Sr., and Juanita S. Luna.

He loved playing, coaching, and umpiring baseball games. He was a parishioner of Queen of Heaven Catholic Church, helped with the Thunderbird Little League, and retired from the United States Postal Services.

He loved being outdoors and spending time with his family.

Fidel is preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Nora Stahulak; son, Israel Luna Sr.; and brother, Jesus P. Luna.

He is survived by his loving wife, Adela Luna; children, Cynthia Rosas and husband, Robert; Rachel M. Lucero and husband, Peter; Evangeline McLean and husband, Omar Lucero; Michael Luna and wife, Monica; James Luna; Fidel Luna Jr. and wife, Bronwyn; Julie Montoya, Donna Montoya, Dianne Montoya, and son-in-law, Robert Stahulak; 20 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. Also surviving siblings, Leon Luna and wife, Cecilia; Frances Coronado; Jose Luna Jr. and wife, Frances; Maria Concepcion Franco and husband, Rosalio; Rudy Luna and wife, Lucia; Johnny Luna; A. Rubén Luna and wife, Estella.

He will be greatly missed by his loving family. All arrangements were handled by Daniels Family Funeral Services, Mt. Calvary Cemetery, and Queen of Heaven Catholic Church all in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.



Anthony Piccolini

Anthony Piccolini, 54, of Eagle Lake passed away July 2 in Eagle Lake, Ill.

He was born August 14, 1953 in Chicago.

Anthony was preceded in death by his mother, Jean Weseloh; father, Elmer Weseloh, Sr.; birth father, Artillio Piccolini; and nephew, Brian Weseloh.

He leaves to cherish his memory a daughter, Dawn Cunningham; siblings and other relatives, Shirley Byrd of Lewisville, Texas, Norma Perez of San Bernardino, California, Charles Piccolini of West Covina, California, Karen Estrada of Convina, Sharon Bustamante of Azusa, California, Darrell Weseloh of Azusa, Robin Brown of Riverside, California, Robert Weseloh of Pomona, California, Faith Weseloh of Sundland, California, Florence Stegler of Pomona, Elmer Weseloh, Jr., of Pomona; 19 nieces and nephews, 14 great nieces and nephews. He also leaves to mourn a host of other family and friends.

A memorial service was held at the home of Dawn Cunningham in Rosenberg.

Burial of cremation remains will be at a later date.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.



Joe Rios

Joe Rios, 77, of Columbus, passed away Thursday, July 3 at Columbus Nursing and Rehabilitation in Columbus.

He was born March 22, 1931 in Glidden the son of Francisco and Juanita (Gutierrez) Rios.

Joe was married to Emma (Saenz) Rios.

He was employed as a truck driver and was a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church in Columbus.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, John Rios, Manuel Rios; and one sister, Santos Rocha.

Survivors include his son, James Rios and wife, Yolanda, of Rosenberg; grandchild, Cheryl Rios of Mississippi; brother, Jenaro "J.R." Rios of Columbus (who passed away later the same day); sister, Lorrina Brune and husband, Harry, of Columbus; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A prayer service and rosary were held on Tuesday, July 8, at 7 p.m. at Henneke Funeral Home.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 9, at 10 a.m. at St. Anthony Catholic Church with Father Dan Kahlich and Deacon Bennie Holesovsky officiating. Burial followed in St. Anthony Catholic Cemetery in Columbus. Arrangements were under the direction Henneke Funeral Home in Columbus.

Pallbearer is Margaret Phelps.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.



Jenaro "J.R." Rios

Jenaro "J.R." Rios, 73, of Columbus, passed away Thursday, July 3 at his residence.

He was born June 10, 1935 in Glidden the son of Francisco and Juanita (Gutierrez) Rios.

Jenaro married Helen Hernandez on December 17, 1954.

He worked as a service station attendant and in the auto detailing business and was a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church in Columbus.

Jenaro enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, John Rios, Manuel Rios and Joe Rios; and one sister, Santos Rocha.

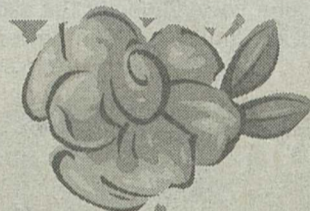
Survivors include his wife, Helen Rios; Dora Mancha and husband, Francisco, Rosa Hinson, Diana Rios, Geneva Heger and husband, Daniel, Angelita Rios and Darlene Rios all of Columbus; and Beatrice Rios of Fort Worth; sons, Jenaro Lee Rios, Jr. of Fort Worth and Raymond David Rios and wife, Mary, of Columbus; sister, Lorrina Brune and husband, Harry, of Columbus; 24 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

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Pallbearers were his nine children, Dora Mancha, Rosa Hinson, Diana Rios, Geneva Heger, Angelita Rios, Beatrice Carter, Darlene Rios, Jenaro Rios, Jr., and Raymond Rios.

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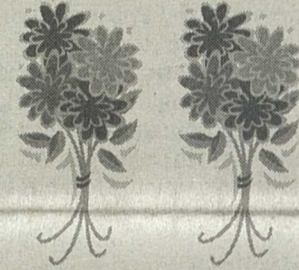
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Bible Verse of The Week

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Romans 13:12
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