

## Catholic Daughters Give Report

Catholic Daughters Court Our Lady of the Rosary #1595 held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, June, at St. Mary's Parish Hall in Nada. Regent, Bernita Korenek opened the meeting with a prayer, and pledge to the US and Texas Flags. Bernice Kallina led the CDA Opening Ode. Secretary, Virginia Pavlovsky, Treasurer, Marilyn Popp and Financial Secretary Leona Brzozowski gave their reports.

Priests Appreciation Mass on Sunday, June 7 was well attended by our CDA members.

Our court honored the graduating students for a Brunch after

the 10 o'clock Sunday morning Mass on May 17.

The members hosting the brunch were Leona Brzozowski, Henrietta Baumgarten, Betty Janish, Lillian Eggemeyer, Rose Ann Wesselski, Theresa Pieprzyc, and Cynthia Boenisch.

CDA scholarships were awarded at the Rice High School Academic Banquet on May 21. Recipients were Amber Huvar, Chelsea Korenek, and Trent Popp. Each receiving \$200. Trent Popp was also awarded a Texas State CDA scholarship of \$800. Congratulations to all of the graduating students.

Standing rules were reviewed by the officers and approved by the members and standard donations were revised and also approved by the members.

A discussion was held and voted on to increase the yearly membership dues to \$25 beginning in January 2010.

Reception of new members will be on June 17, in Columbus. Prospective members, please call Regent Korenek before that date.

The next meeting will be Sept. 8, 2009.

Have a wonderful summer!



The Monument Hill Daughters of the Republic of Texas recently installed new officers for the coming year. Seated, from left: Joyce Stancik, President; Judy Matejowsky, Secretary; (standing), Loretta Hajovsky, Vice-President; Betty Hill, Historian; Pat Kleinert, Treasurer; Josephine White, Registrar and Marilyn Miller, Chaplain.

## New Officers For Republic Daughters

The Monument Hill Chapter, Daughters of the Republic of Texas (DRT) held its final meeting of the 2007-2009 year on May 28 at the home of Josephine White, Retiring President. Co-hostesses were Betty Hill and Judy Matejowsky.

The meeting opened in prayer by Marilyn Miller, Chaplain. The DRT rituals, pledging allegiance to the United States flag and to the Texas flag, were observed. A report of the DRT State Convention was given.

The convention was held in Killeen, Texas, May 13-16 and was attended by President Josephine White and Loretta Hajovsky of La Grange, Betty Hill of East Bernard and Judy Matejowsky of Ledbetter.

The application papers for the Monument Hill Chapter of both Daughters and Children of the Republic of Texas will be placed at the Fayette Public Library/Fayette Heritage Museum and Archives and will be maintained by the chapter Registrar.

The chapter has provided the library with a legal sized rolling filing cabinet in which the records will be stored. These records will be available for genealogical purposes. This gift to the library is in memory of Dorothy Albrecht, the chapter's Founding President.

Motion was made and carried that The Monument Hill Chapter of DRT will participate in the ongoing program of Grave-Marking

the graves of any Real Daughter whose unmarked grave is identified in our immediate area.

This ceremony honors a deceased DRT member whose direct ancestor was proven to be in the Republic of Texas before statehood, on February 19, 1846.

The chapter will continue to participate in the Heroes Day event at Monument Hill State Historic Site.

This year the date will be Saturday, September 19. The Texas flag which, flew over the Alamo on Memorial Day will be provided for auction and all proceeds benefit Friends of The Park.

Neale Rabensburg, installed the officers for 2009-2011. Rabensburg is Vice-President of the Fayette Genealogical Society, a member of Sons of The Republic of Texas and a member of Fayette Historical Commission. The installed officers as shown were: Joyce Stancik, President; Judy Matejowsky, Secretary; (standing) Loretta Hajovsky; Vice-President; Betty Hill, Historian; Pat Kleinert, Treasurer; Josephine White, Registrar and Marilyn Miller, Chaplain.

Other members present were Lennie Brown, Carolyn Marble and Janet Moerbe. Luncheon was served by Ms. White and her co-hostesses.

The purpose of the organization, The Daughters of The Republic of Texas is to perpetuate the memory and spirit of the men

and women who achieved and maintained the independence of Texas.

The work of this organization is legendary. Prospective members are welcome to contact Ms. Josephine White at (979) 968-8160 for information regarding membership.

## Sheriff

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ing further investigation.

At 2:40 pm, Deputy Head responded to Hwy 90 at Black Creek Drilling in reference to an abandoned vehicle. The vehicle was removed from the location by Delgado's Wrecker Service. Case closed.

At 7:20 pm, Deputy Gonzalez responded to a residence in Garwood in reference to loose dogs that attacked a cat. The dog owner was located and informed to keep the dogs secured. Case will be closed unless future incidents occur at which time a citation will be issued for each subsequent offense.

### SUMMARY FOR MAY 2009

- Jail Population as of May 31, 2009 - 84 Inmates
- \$5,120 Billed to Austin County for Housing Inmates during the month of May 2009
- 71 Civil Papers Processed
- 76 Civil Papers Served
- 84 Traffic Citations Issued
- 144 Traffic Warning Citations Issued
- 6 Inmates Transported to TDC
- 1 Inmate Picked up on a Bench Warrant from TDC
- 2 Subjects Transported to Austin State Hospital
- 1 Subject Transported to Lubbock Treatment Center
- 1 Subject Transported to Cypress Creek Hospital
- 3 Prisoners Picked up from other counties on Outstanding Colorado County Warrants
- 71 Arrests made by Colorado County Sheriff Deputies
- 88 Criminal and Civil Complaints answered by Sheriff Deputies
- 29,614 - Miles Driven by Colorado County Sheriff's Deputies while Transporting, Patrolling, and Civil Process.

## 4th Of July By The Numbers

2.5 million: Number of people living in the 13 original colonies back in 1776. (Historical Statistics of the United States: Colonial Times to 1970)

30: Number of places in America with "liberty" in their names. Examples include Liberty, Missouri and North Liberty, Iowa.

150: Number of hot dogs estimated to be eaten on July 4th during celebrations.

\$5.2 million: Amount of money to import American flags as of last count in 2004. Most of the flags are made in China.

50%: Amount of America's potato grown in either Idaho or Washington. Potatoes are common foods of July 4th celebrations, showing up in chips and salads.

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