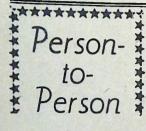
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Inaugural ceremonies and cold weather were big topics this week in Helotes—as they were in a nation united by common interests. Fortunately, most have managed to keep warm here, and with the return of sunshine, optimism is back home in Helotes.

The Hill grandsons, Dale and Kris, with parents and also grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schuh, recently marked separate birthdays at Chef John's Loft with dinner parties. Dale now attends San Antonio College.

One merchant here recently had a harrowing experiencewhich he claims he didn't mind after all. He put on a shoe which had three yellow jackets which promptly bit his foot. As a result, however, he claims his arthritis has subsided and he hasn't felt so well in years. We can't recommend it, but it is a good story and we hope it lasts.

The Silver Belles have been active regardless of weather and have had a series of parties we hope to chronicle soon.

The Festival Quilt is being made by the Helotes Women's Club with all gathered weekly at the CCD Building on Thursday mornings for the quilting bees. This year's Quilt chairman is Mrs. Walter Schuh.

Mayor Pro Tem Virginia Springer presided at the Grey Forest City Council meeting this week during the absence of Mayor Ed Faust, who with his wife Joyce, were on a combination business and pleasure trip to Las Vegas. Mayor Faust and son Byron run Elf Industries here in Helotes.

The Birthday Dozen will meet Thursday to observe a quarterly celebration with Linnie Varnon and Babe Gilliam as co-hostesses.

Keep the Ball Rolling Research to save more lives from cancer-which chains over 365,000 lives a year-musti't be allowed to stop in midstream.

365,000 lives a year-must i be allowed to stop in midstream. Funds are urgently needed to keep hundreds of research projects going. Your contribution to the American Cancer Society Crusade can help this vital work.

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# Festival Fund Raiser To Be Feb. 4

Everyone in the community and all lovers of the big annual Helotes Spring Festival—staged here the first week-end in May and coming this year on April 28-May 1—are invited to the Fundraising Dance—a pre-Festival celebration—on Friday, Feb. 4. Tickets are \$1.50 per person at the door.

Ronnie McNiel and the Rough Riders will play the benefit, donating their time to get the official Float on the road before deadline to make its appearance in the Battle of Flowers parade in San Antonio.

The Bicentennial theme used last year has to be changed, and experience gained on the tours to oullying communities to participate in their festivities have led the Float committee to decide on an all-professional job for the first time. Professionals have assisted and advised, but the float has been locally built by Festival Assn. members and friends through the Bicentennial year. Due to unforeseen cir-

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Ronnie McNiel, left, and the Rough Riders stand ready to play a benefit—with the music donated—for the Pre-Festival Dance Friday, Feb. 4, at Floore Country Store. Proceeds will go to pay for the official Festival Float which is to appear in the Battle of Flowers Fiesta parade and in the Cornyval '77 parade here with Miss Helotes and her Court riding. The C & W band features Western Swing and Rock Music also.

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A long-time Helotes area farmer and stockman, Clarence Galm, has been chosen to receive the 1977 Joe Freeman Award. This award has been given annually since 1960 for outstanding community service to agriculture. This year's award will be presented at a luncheon meeting at Pearl Brewing Company's Jersey Lilly Room beginning at 12 noon, Thursday, January 27.

January 27. Son of Sam Galm, a pioneer, Clarence is a native of Helotes.

Although a full-time farmer his entire life, he has found time to assume leading roles in community affairs. He has served on the Board of Directors of the Bexar County Farm Bureau and was instrumental in the creation of the North Side Consolidàted Common School District, serving on its initial board.

He played a major part in the organization of the Helotes Area Volunteer Fire Department, and has been active in the Helotes Spring Festival Association and the Leon Valley Grange. Tickets for the luncheon at

Tickets for the luncheon at which he will receive the 1977 Joe Freeman Award are available

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# **MARSHALL FFA LIVESTOCK SHOW SLATED**

# 200 Students To Exhibit 460 Entries

Two hundred students will exhibit steers, sheep, swine, poultry and rabbits Friday and Saturday Jan. 28 and 29 at John Marshall Show Barn, Walter Gerlach Park in the Fourth Annual Show and Sale.

Marshall High Agriculture students are the only youth group in Bexar County presenting such an event single-handedly. This year's show will be the biggest since the annual event began in 1974.

According to Joey Tomlinson, cacher-coordinator, this year's sale has 40 steers, 80 sheep, 120 swine, 20 poultry and 200 rabbits — more of every kind except steers, which are becoming increasingly expensive to raise.

Judging of livestock will be Jan. 28 from 8 a m. to 9 p.m. The Livestock Sale at 1:30 p.m., Jan.

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Echo File Photo Tension will run high this year—as in the past—when judges look over the prize steers and other livestock inside the big John Marshall Show Barn at Walter Gerlach Park where the action will be next Friday and Saturday. Buyers are expected to be making their decisions as well, in the scheduled Auction, Saturday.

# **Stock Show Prize Money Tops 120,000**

In addition to trophies, ribbons and rosettes, exhibitors of prize winning livestock at the 1977 San Antonio Stock Show will be vying for \$120,959.50 in prize money.

Breeding cattle exhibitors breeding cattle exhibitors come in for the biggest share of the money with \$35,639.50 in premiums being offered by the San Antonio Livestock Exposition and various breed associations.

Junior market livestock exhibitors, youths showing market steers, lambs, swine and poultry, will be competing for \$23,843 in premiums.

Junior breeding livestock youths showing exhibitors, breeding sheep and goats, dairy cattle and beef cattle, will contest for some \$19,163 in premiums. Quality beef, pork and lamb

exhibitors' premiums amount to \$11,670, while dairy cattle premiums are \$13,465, and sheep and angora goats are \$6,604.

The Open Swine Show is of-fering \$10,575 in premiums to exhibitors.

The show's general livestock superintendent, Robert B. Tate, said the prize money being of-fered in the junior market division is, of course, in addition to the thousands of dollars bidders will pay for the animals at the show's giant auction Friday, Feb. 18.

The show will run at Joe Freeman Coliseum, Feb. 11-20.

#### **Crack the Quack**

Afraid of cancer quacks? By giving to the American Cancer Society, you help fund its com-prehensive clearinghouse of in-formation on unproven meth-ods of emger management ods of cancer management.

## Northwest Passage Opens



After months of frustration-visitors as well as citizens here have an entrance or exit to the Northwest section of downtown Helotes. Just two-tenths of a mile from the Bandera Road-Scenic Loop intersection, adjacent to El Chaparral Mexican Restaurant, as well, the

Texas Highway Department has reopened the road. Now those coming from the Hill Country will find little trouble locating familiar business houses, at least when markers are placed to indicate a business route.

To the left is visible new Highway 16 and to the right is the more traditional Bandera Road. Business is expected to return to normal as a result, and tourists will enjoy seeing historic Helotes landmarks again.

#### **Girl Scouts Offer Cookies**

Mrs. Edmond J. Burke, general five varieties.

chairman of the 1977 Girl Scout Cookie Sale which gets underway Saturday, Jan. 29 and runs through Saturday, Feb. 19, has announced that with each box of cookies there will be a 50-cent coupon toward purchase of a pizza through the cooperation of Pizza Hut of San Antonio, Inc. Cookies will come from Chicago and are supplied by Salerno-Megowen Biscuit Co. They sell for \$1.25 for a family-size package and the girl scouts here will offer

CANSFOOD

Girl Scout Council president, Mrs. Charles Krumboltz, explained that the annual Cookie Sale provides troop profits for

special projects, helps send girls to camp and to national and international events, and provides improvement funds for such things as swimming pools at Scout camps. It is the major fundraising project conducted by the San Antonio area Girl Scout Council

Seventeen area captains will include Miss Sue Tudyk, Richard Ferris and Mesdames George Wuery, James Sexton, Homer Whittle, Henry Griffis, Matthew Wood, Jose Villegas, Gaston Tesson, M.L. Nava, Curtis Dunn, Bill Havins, Glendon Dezell, Jack Calhoun, Robert Buckley, Martin Smith, and Edward Hardeman. Local girl scouts will be raising funds for the area project and for troop projects including improvements to Camp Cookie here.

If you receive a monthly social security check and plan to move across the street, across town or across the country, the Social Security Administration and the Post Office should be notified of your change of address. This will enable your next check to be delivered on time, according to Gilbert G. Gonzalez, social security district manager in San Antonio

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# '77 Stock Show Grand Champs To Bring Half Million Dollars

\$500,000 in 1976 and are well into market barrow was \$3,500 paid by their second half million for the Lone Star Brewery in 1960 to 1977 show which runs Feb. 11 - 20,

for grand champion steers is \$11,998 with the top price of \$25,000 paid in 1974 by a group of 25 calling itself the Silver Anniversary Sponsors. That year was the 25th annual stock show and the group consisted of all purchasers of previous grand champions. Stephanie Watts of Frost, TX, got the money for her Limousin Angus Crossbred steer.

Grand Champion Lambs have brought a total of \$120,125 to their exhibitors over the years, averaging \$1,213. Lambs are judged in four wool classes meaning that four grand champions are selected each year, hence the high total and low average price.

The top price paid for a grand champion lamb was paid for the very first lamb ever auctioned at the San Antonio show. Ed Friedrich established a new world recordd by paying Robert Pape of Fredericksburg \$3,100 for his Southdown lamb in 1950.

Market Barrows have brought their owners a total of \$45,902 in

Prices paid for grand champion prize money, averaging \$1,765, animals at the annual San An- The top price ever paid in San tonic Livestock Exposition topped Antonio for a grand champion Seguin's Benno Luensmann for his Hampshire.

Prize money for grand champion steers alone over the past 27 years have totaled \$223,950. The average price paid plete, San Antonio established a new record in 1974 when Col. Harland Sanders, the Kentucky Fried Chicken inventor, outbid Lone Star Beer's Harry Jersig and Frontier Enterprise's Jim Hasslocher and bought the grand champion chickens for a cool \$5,100. Young Scott Henry of Seguin received the Colonel's check for his prize lot of three broilers.

Prices paid for all champion and reserve champion livestock at the 1976 show (including steers, swine, lambs, poultry and rab-bits) reached \$71,743.50.

At the 1976 stock show champion and reserve champion steers brought \$48,960, Lambs totaled \$8,925, Swine brought \$11,075, poultry amounted to \$2,076 and rabbits took in \$707.50.



The first movie that actually told a story was "The Great Train Robbery," made in 1903



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# Davis—Hall Ceremony Held At Catholic Church

Wilbur Charles Davis took as his bride Miss Diana Helene Hall in an afternoon ceremony here on Sunday, January 2, 1977, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. The bride is daughter of Mr. Leo W. Hall and Mrs. Joan Hall of San Antonio. The bridegroom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur C. Davis of Helotes.

The Nuptial Mass was said by Rev. Louis Trawalter, S.M., who also read the wedding rites. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Her maid of honor was Miss Linda Nesting of San Antonio. Bridesmaids were Misses Julie Howard, Helotes Park Estates; Mimi Faust of Comfort, Texas; and Sharon Mace of San Antonio.

Suzette Davis, sister of the ridegroom was junior bridegroom bridesmaid.

Flower girl was the bride's niece, Crystal Hall from California

The bride's gown of peau de soie had a lace bodice. She wore a Juliet cap and her triple illusion veil featured a chapel length as well as a cathedral train. She carried a bouquet of roses and orchids

The bride's attendants wore gowns of apricot color, except for the maid of honor who wore a gown of sea spray green.

The mother of the bride wore a gown of peach color and the mother of the bridegroom was gowned in blue.

The bridegroom had as his best man Richard Gearty of Helotes. Groomsmen were Benny Men-chaca, Scott Dixon and Steve Menchaca, also from here. Junior groomsman was Chris Herchberger, and ringbearer was

Mrs. Wilhur Charles Davis

John Lopez. Ushers were brothers of the

bride, Leo G. Hall and Dean Hall, both from Michigan, and Donald Hall from California. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Lackland Officers Club. School. At present, the bride is a student at San Antonio College. The bridegroom is employed in his family business, D & G Enterprises, in Helotes. After a brief wedding trip, the

couple now reside here in their The bride and groom are new home on Scenic Loop Road.

#### Jay Senior Selected For All-State Choir

In 1977 competition in Alice, Texas, John Jay High School senior Kelly McCulley, was the only Northside Independent School District student chosen for

All-State Choir.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Casey All-State Choir will perform in McCulley, Kelly sings tenor. His San Antonio at the Convention instructor at Jay choral depart- Center, Feb. 11 and 12.

ment is Morris Stevenson.



#### **Krueger Supports Deregulation**

WASHINGTON D.C Congressman Bob Krueger (D-Tex) has introduced new legislation in Congress designed to end the continuing problem of natural gas curtailments and resulting shortages throughout the United States. The bill also contains emergency provisions to assist the FPC in meeting current

crises throughout the Nation "Unfortunately, we cannot do a great deal about the current situation," Krueger said, "but we can take some emergency action. so long as we couple that action with long-term deregulation of new natural gas. This is the only real solution to these recurring shortages.'

# **Edible Receipts**

The following recipe—a favorite entree for four people—comes from Jean Rogers.

The state of		ngredients	1.
% cup milk			1/2 tsp. paprika
1 cup soft 3 egg yolks, beaten	bread	crumbs	
1/2 tsp. salt			1 tsp. lemon juice
One 17-oz. can tuna	6.95.9 AT		

3 egg whites, beaten stiffly

Cook crumbs in milk for five minutes. Add seasonings and beaten egg yolks. Flake tuna into crumb mixture adding oil from can. Fold in beaten egg whites and turn into a one-quart casserole. Place in pan of hot water, and bake in 350 degree oven for 45 to 50 minutes.



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# New Trash Day For Grey Forest

Environmental Sanitation has announced that effective Feb. 1, garbage pick-up day in Grey Forest only will be Wednesdays instead of Thursdays. Schedules in other areas will continue as usual.

A company spokesman explained that a new pick-up day had to be added on account of there being so many more customers.

# **EUWD DIRECTORS OPPOSE CHANGES**

## Edwards Aquifer Called Safe

SAN ANTONIO-By a 12-to-2 vote, the Board of Directors of the five-county Edwards Underground Water District, at their regular quarterly meeting this month, voiced opposition to any substantive change in Texas. Water Quality Board Order No. 75-0128-20, which protects the Edwards aquifer.

The vote authorized William H. Spice Jr., EUWD board chairman, to make a statement for the EUWD at the Texas Water Quality Board hearing in Uvalde. The statement said

"The Board of Directors of the Edwards Underground Water District strongly urges that there be no substantive change in Texas Water Quality Board Order No. 75-0128-20.

#### Present Order Favored

"The District is unable to determine any basic difference in the individual orders proposed for the counties east of Uvalde County over the present order. The present order is being satisfactorily enforced, is understood by developers and the general public, and any substantive change could only weaken the order.

"In the matter of Uvalde County, it would appear that the proposed specific regulations along certain streams would impose a burden on the county which does not now exist, and that it would be to the best interest of Uvalde County to continue to have the option to take such action as is

determined by the county in consultation with the EUWD to be necessary.

"And finally, and most importantly, the present order has been accepted by the Environmental Protection Agency as adequate protection of the underground water supply and any change in the order might well be an indication to the EPA of a weakness in local enforcement and an invitation for it to take unilateral action."

The two Uvalde County directors who were present at the board meeting, Leslie Pepper and J.R. Carnes, voted against the position.

#### **Geologic Unit Cited**

In the discussion prior to the vote, Spice, a geologist, said the Edwards aquifer is a single geologic unit that should not be under fragmented orders.

Robert Knispel, a Hays County representative on the board, said: "Regulations must be uniform in all of the counties."

Seventy per cent of the water used in metropolitan San Antonio comes from aquifer recharge in the counties west of Bexar. The water in the underground reservoir generally moves from west to east, in a honeycombed limestone labyrinth and in a state of purity that far exceeds federal health standards, beginning in the eastern part of Kinney County and thereafter under Uvalde, Medina, Bexar, Comal and Hays Counties. The directors from Medina County, which is just east of Uvalde County, voted with the directors of all other counties to the east to oppose a proposal by

county orders in lieu of the existing TWQB Order which protects the aquifer as a single geologic unit.

#### Recharge Dams Planned

In another action, the EUWD board unanimously let its opposition be known to the Texas Water Rights Commission concerning a request by the owner of property on the Upper Sabinal River to divert 400 acre-feet of water per year from that river. The EUWD board contends the diversion would deprive the aquifer of 400-acre-feet of recharge per year.

recharge per year. The EUWD is involved in recharge projects to trap as much rainwater runoff as possible to keep the water level high in the aquifer and earmarked \$670,000.00 of the \$861,130.00 budget it adopted Jan. 11 for recharge dams: \$300,000.00 for a dam on Verde Creek and \$370,000.00 for a dam on Seco Creek, both in Medina County.

Recharge dams are constructed to perform a blocking action, holding water coming downstream after rains so it can go into the porous limestone on the recharge zone rather than going downstream to be lost in the Gulf of Mexico.

#### **Budget Set Up**

and thereafter under Uvalde, Medina, Bexar, Comal and Hays Of the remaining \$191,130.00 Counties. The directors from budgeted for 1977, the largest Medina County, which is just east items are the district's of Uvalde County, voted with the cooperative program with the directors of all other counties to U.S. Geological Survey, costing the east to oppose a proposal by \$60,000.00; insurance, \$19,500.00; the TWQB to issue separate Jan. 15 election expense, \$15,000.00; and miscellaneous office operational expenses, including salaries, publications and research projects.

The board authorized a preliminary study on the desirability of relocating a proposed recharge dam to the lower end of the recharge zone in Uvalde County, if landowners will agree. The dam had first been proposed for Concan but homes are now being built there. The lower site includes only two houses.

A tax rate of 2 cents per \$100.00 county property tax valuation, which has been the rate since the district was established in 1959, was adopted. Property owners over 65 years of age get a \$3,000.00 exemption.

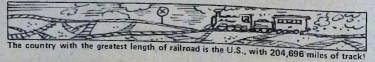
The board voted for the district's legal counsel to prepare proposed changes in district law for possible submission to the current Texas Legislature, with the projected changes covering surface water for resale, supervision of well construction, and charging for water that is taken from the aquifer and exported for sale outside the district. The counsel is to submit a draft of the proposed law change, containing these concepts, to the board for approval before any further action is taken. Any proposed legi slation must be filed by March 11, 1977.

Reservations are being taken for the annual Advisory Board Banquet of the Salvation Army, set for 6:30 p.m. Jan. 27 at the Army's Peacock Community Service Center, 2811 W. Ashby Place. The phone number is 736-1505

# **1976 Festival Float**



Official Bicentennial Festival Float, built by local talent, must be remade for the 1977 parade schedule including entry in the Battle of Flowers Parade in mid-April. A professional has been engaged to consider the task. The exchequer is low, and the dance Feb. 4 is planned to correct this before deadline set by the floatmaking company.





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# Miss Helotes Court To Attend Fundraiser



Photos by Bill Terry

MISS HELOTES 1976, Lisa McMullan, left, shown here during her coronation ceremony receiving her ribbon from Miss Helotes 1975, Cherelyn Goodpaster, will be at the Pre-Festival gala Feb. 4 to help raise funds for the new float on which she will ride in parades until Festival '77 opens the first week-end in May.

### **Family Workshop Goes Out Of State**

training center at Trinity University is conducting a family workshop at Litchfield, S.C., this weekend at the invitation of the Georgetown County Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission.

Participants will be 30 families from the Georgetown area.

The family workshop was developed by the San Antoniobased center last year and workshops have been conducted at Midway, Utah; Casa Grande, Arizona; Dallas and Seguin, Texas.

For the four days, parents and children attend simultaneous programs on levels for adults, teenagers, pre-teens, and toddlers

studied include Subjects communication skills, decisionmaking, valuing, family governments, goal-setting, and other areas related to family life.

Consultants will include Dr. Helen Nowlis of the U.S. Office of Education, Washington, and Dr. John Narciso, director of the Trinity University counseling

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The U.S. Office of Education center. Dr. Narciso is co-author of the best-selling "Declare Yourself"

Cooperating in the workshop is the U.S. Office of Education training center at Miami, Florida.

James D. Kazen is director of the San Antonio Center, Beth Malray is director of the Miami center, and Sharon Wood is director of the Georgetown County Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission.

"This experiental workshop is a natural extension of the training that we have been providing for school and community teams in nine Southwestern during the past five states the past five years," Kazen said.

He found the family to be the basic prevention unit against all types of disruptive behaviors. "But more than that, the

workshop seeks also to strengthen family ties and ameliorate family tensions," he said.

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DEADBOL

The South Carolina demonstration workshop will be held at the Litchfield Inn.

Education Agency Director of Student Transportation, Gabe Gilley, cited school hus operations in Lamar Consolidated ISD, Fort Worth ISD and Nor-Independent School thside District, San Antonio, as among the "most exemplary in the nation."

Northside Superintendent E.D. Cody attributes the successful operation of NISD's school bus fleet to District Transportation Director, Richard Rhodes. Rhodes summarized the annual

In Austin this month, Texas growth of the NISD transportation department over the past ten years as, follows:

Perian Williams, right, and Duchesses Lorraine and Lynette Langlinais, twins, left and center.

Northside School Buses Among Best

Enrollment 11 192 now 29 000 Bus runs 22, now 78. Miles daily 1300, now 5500.

Gals. gas daily 320, now 1800. Employees 38, now 146.

Miles annually 255,000, now 1.500.000

Speaking of student safety, Rhodes urged motorists to participate in keeping students safe by STOPPING when bus warning lights are flashing and remaining STOPPED until the bus proceeds motorists.

#### FESTIVAL FUNDRAISER (from page 1)

cumstances, this year's budget to date has to be augmented by additional funds. A growing membership is attempting to meet the deadline.

An invitation to everyone who likes to have fun is extended by 1977 President Jim Wilson and his officers to attend the February dance \ side of beef was donated to help raise funds and will be given away Jan. 30. The dance will begin at 5 p.m.

Miss Helotes 1977-Lisa Mc-Mullan-and her Court, Princess Perian Williams and Twin **Duchesses Lynette and Lorraine** 

# **Dean Ouirarte On Art Panel**

Dr. Jacinto Quirarte, dean of the UTSA College of Fine and Applied Arts, has been named an advisory panelist for visual arts for the Texas Commission for Arts and Humanities.

He will be one of 11 advisory panelists, from throughout the state who are appointed to fouryear terms. They will meet twice a year to consider proposals and to make recommendations for funding.

The Texas Commission for Arts and Humanities makes grants available for projects related to the visual arts and humanities.

#### CLARENCE GALM (from page 1)

from the Greater San Antonio Chamber of Commerce at \$3.25 each. Order tickets from P.O. Box 1828, San Antonio, Texas 78296 or phone 227-8181. The public is invited.

Co-Chairmen of the Joe Freeman Award division of the Chamber's Farm and Ranch committee are Perry Kallison and LeRoy Smith.







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#### STOCK SHOW (from page 1)

29, will have Glen Dorn as auctioneer. Dorn, rodeo, horse show and livestock show announcer, has also served as official announcer for the Bexar County Sheriff's Posse for 18 years.

Prior to the Sale Saturday afternoon, Country-western music will be provided by George Country-western Chambers and the Country Gentlemen. Barbecue dinners will be sold. The show is open to

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the public.

The Show Barn, built entirely by John Marshall High School FFA members and parents participating in Future Farmers of America Booster Association, is three miles north of Loop 1604 on Babcock Road.

Charles Vickery is Agriculture Department Chairman, John Marshall High School. FFA Booster Club President is Don Busby. Auction Committee Chairman is Bill Springer.



Grand Champion steer in 1976 was shown by Wanda Laubach and sold at auction for \$4,000 to McDonnough Bros. They purchased their first FFA champion from the Marshall Show in 1974 for \$2,000.

#### **UTSA Professor Elected Fellow**

# **Teachers Told To Teach-Think Positive**'

Teachers from Northside Independent School District-which serves this area—are joining forces with other teachers in a new approach to leading their students into learning. The goal encompasses better behavior-as well as scholarship-for today's school children of all ages.

Thirteen school systems in San Antonio and Southwest Texas are participating in "Positive At-titude Toward Learning"-a program that trains teachers to help all students build positive self concepts and improve their attitudes toward school and learning. The program is being coordinated by Education Service Center, Region 20.

School systems in this program are East Central, Edgewood, Fort Sam Houston, Harlandale, Judson, Medina Valley, North East, Northside, San Antonio, Southside, Southwest, Uvalde School Districts and the Ar-chdiocesan School System.

SELF CONCEPT IMPORTANT The basic approach of the program is to change teacher behavior which, in turn, causes changes to take place in student behavior. The program uses four training modules-Individualized Instruction, Processes of Lear-ning, Active Involvement, and Improved Self Concept.

The study is designed to help teachers learn how Self Concept develops and how to handle inappropriate behaviors. Individualized Instruction enables the teacher to evaluate the reading materials.

Active Involvement helps teachers learn to use classroom group discussion, small group problem solving activities, various reinforcement techniques and games to motivate and to teach. The Process of Learning emphasizes the use of productive thinking in the classroom ac-tivities. Questioning skills are strengthened and teachers are taught techniques which focus on students seeking answers to questions which arise from

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Dr. J. H. U. Brown, Coordinator of the Southwest Research Center Consortium, has been elected a Fellow of the prestigious Institute of electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), a national organization composed of the country's leading professionals in engineering research and practice.

Less than one percent of the country's engineers are selected to become IEEE fellows.

Dr. Brown is a professor of environmental sciences at UTSA and a professor of phys-iology at the UT health Science Center.

Also a special assistant to the administrator of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Health Resources Administration, Dr.

problem situations rather than teachers giving out information.

The week-long teacher-moduletraining sessions were taught by John Zirges, Director of "Positive Attitude Toward Learning", in Bethalto, Ill. The teachers and administrators participating in the program train teachers in their schools on the "Positive Attitude Toward Learning" program.

overviews for administrators, as well as materials found in the **Region 20 Media Center located at** 2006 Ceegee Lane. Professional books on individualization and self concept, as well as manuals for "Positive Attitude Toward Learning," have been added to the Region 20 Media Center

Brown has been on leave of absence since 1974 to parti-cipate in HEW's Intergovernmental Personnel Exchange Program with The University of Texas System.

members of the National Academy of Engineering from the San Antonio area.



# **Rep.** Rains **Heads** Committee

AUSTIN-Rep. Don Rains of San Marcos has been named vice chairman of appropriative matters for the Elections Committee by Speaker of the House Bill Clayton. He is state Representative of District 45 here

Rains, a second term member, is also vice chairman for appropriative matters of the Higher Education Committee.

Elections Committee will have the jurisdiction relating to matters of the right of suffrage; primary, special and general elections in Texas; changes in the Texas Election Code and con-tested elections.

He is one of 11 members of the Higher Education Committee who will consider all matters pertaining to Texas colleges, universities and boards of regents of colleges and universities.

He served on the Higher Education and Agriculture and Livestock committees last session.





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#### Star Of The Week



Recording Artist GEORGIA GWEN appears here this Saturday at Floore Country Store—after her band—billed as Georgia Gwen & Peanut Co.—packed them in last Sunday at Floore's. The C&W fans like her Southern style and crisp rendition of her hit tunes.

#### **Rodeo Tickets On Sale By Mail**

Tickets for the 1977 San Antonio Stock Show Rodeo, Feb. 11-20, are now available by mail, according to Harold M. Freeman, Life Chairman of the Board and ticket sale chairman. Freeman announced the show's box office will accept mail orders for all 16 rodeo performances. Performances are set for Friday, Feb. 11, and 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sat., Feb. 12, at 10 a.m., 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sun., Feb. 13, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Mon. through Fri., Feb. 14 through 18, at 7:30 p.m.; and, Sat. and Sun., Feb. 19 and 20, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are priced at \$5.50, \$4.50, \$3.50 and \$2.50. All prices include gate admission to the stock show grounds.

Mail orders should be accompained by a check or money order and a self addressed, stamped envelope for proper return. They also should specify the number and price of tickets and performance desired. Checks and money orders should include a 50 cent handling charge added to the total price of the order. Stars for the 28th annual show, in addition to every world champion cowboy, will be Toni Ingraham, Feb. 11, 12 and 13; El Piporro, Feb. 14, 15, 16 and 17; and, returning for their second year, from the Lawrence Welk TV show, Myron Floren and Anacani, Feb. 18, 19 and 20.

Mail orders should be sent to San Antonio Stock Show Rodeo, P.O. Box 20228, San Antonio, TX 78220.

#### **Trinity Coeds In**

Martha Finto and Mary Helen Gonzalez of San Antonio have been selected for inclusion in Who's Who Among Students at American Colleges and Universities. They are seniors at Trinity University.

Charles Field, UTSA associate professor of art, has won the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts \$1,000 Award in the Texas Painting and Sculpture Exhibition 1976.



