

## P-TA Fun Fair to Begin Saturday at 5

### Person-to-Person

#### Refugees Flood Sterzenbacks

A friend in need is a friend indeed, ten young refugees from Hurricane Carla could say of Wayne Sterzenback.

These refugees, all boys between the ages of 16 and 20, left their homes on Padre Island September 10 and took refuge at the Sterzenbacks, in Scenic Loop Playground.

They spent two days. But to the question of when they would return to Padre Island, one of them commented, "Not til our house floats by."

#### Nose for Real Estate

Veteran newspaperman Harry Ellis is associated with Hugh Matlock's Avalon Ranch real estate development on Medina Lake. For several years, Mr. Ellis owned and edited the Taylor County STAR in Campbellsville, Kentucky. Later he called Tennessee home before migrating to the Hill Country of Texas.

#### Visits Here From Kenedy

Mrs. Mattie Yeater of Kenedy spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Davis, here in Helotes.

#### It's The Latest

Originally from Cincinnati, Mrs. O. C. Eschenburg has a most beautiful modern push-button home in Avalon Ranch. She has lived at Medina Lake for seven years and loves it.

#### McCaamons Have Guest

From Taft in the storm area, Leslie Yates visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. McCaamon during Carla's activities. Mrs. McCaamon is his sister.

#### More Carla Refugees

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor and daughter from Corpus Christi found a safe and pleasant place to wait out Carla's wrath at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace, Bandera Road, in downtown Helotes. Mr. Taylor is Mrs. Wallace's brother.

#### Niece and Family Visit Nelsons

En route from Harlingen Air Force Base to a new station at Colorado Springs Air Force Base, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ramsey visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Nelson, in Scenic Loop. Mrs. Nelson's sister, Mrs. J. W. Walthall, was on the trip also.

#### Off to California

Seeing California and visiting her uncles there, Barbara Toerck has had a wonderful time. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Toerck, who have Turk's Grocery at Medina Lake.

#### Boat to Bermuda

Ed and Sis Harper are still excited about their recent trip to Bermuda which he won as top salesman for O. R. Mitchell Motors. He is also president of the San Antonio Skiing and Boating Club. Mrs. Harper, originally from Three Rivers, claims Medina Lake is her absolutely favorite locale. Recently, they have

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### Saddle Tramps Plan Big Barbecue

Logan Park will be the scene of the first annual Big Barbecue Saturday, October 7, sponsored by the Saddle Tramps of Helotes.

Serving will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Entertainment will include horsemanship exhibitions and relay races on horseback.

Tickets may be obtained from any members of the Saddle Tramps now. They will also be on sale Saturdays at booths in North Star Mall, Wonderland, Handy Andy on Bandera Road, and locally at Toepferweins's Maltberger's and John Floore's. The Saddle Tramps will have members on duty to sell tickets at these places.

Purpose of the Barbecue is to raise money to build an arena which will provide recreation for Saddle Tramp members. This will give the young people of the area, especially, a place to ride.

The Saddle Tramps were organized in February of this year. The first meeting was held at Jack Nottingham's store—Maltberger's. Later meetings were in the Scenic Loop Youth Building. They have since moved the headquarters to the home of Mrs. Bertha Pinnick, Scenic Loop Playground.

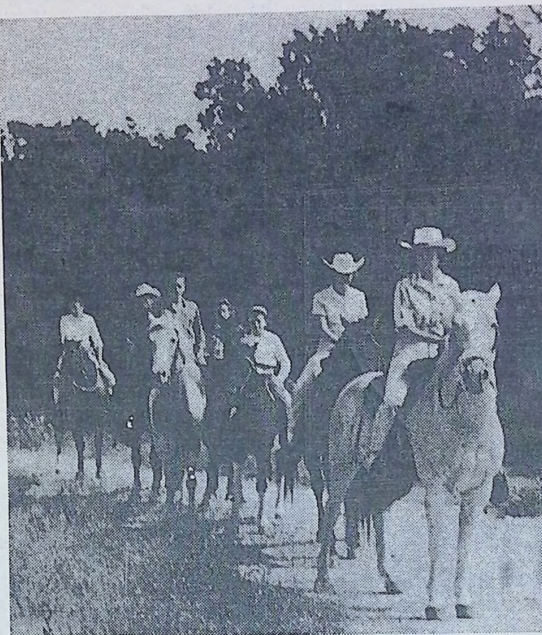
Club President is the Rev. Doug Mould, chaplain at Texas Military Institute, a former resident of Helotes and the Scenic Loop Playground. He is the son-in-law of Mrs. Pinnick.

Vice President is Jim MacAllister. Sandy Brown is secretary and Penny MacAllister is treasurer.

In its short history, the club has made six successful trail rides to such places as San Geronimo, Bandera, Hogan Ranch and Lytle Ranch.

The club has been growing and expanding and now has forty-one members, according to records of Charlie Moss, historian and troubador.

Among these members are



**SADDLETRAMPS** on a recent Sunday morning ride included, from front to back, Penny MacAllister, (riding Diane Mould's Skyrocket), Sandy Brown (on Shorty), Cathy McGowan (on Pancake), Rocky Moss (on David Mould's Pal), Jean Evans (on Pinto), Charlie Moss (On Penny's Beauty), and Walter Moss (on Stranger).

—(Rayfield Photo)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harrell, the Bob Moss family, the Evans family, Mrs. Pinnick the Mould family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fischer, Mary Gussen, Ann Rousseau, Margaret Pankratz, Ralph Madia, and Charlie Moss.

With the future arena, the club plans to provide an increasing knowledge of horsemanship for its members and those interested in watching riders work out.

Tickets for the barbecue will

be \$1 for adults and 75 cents for children.

Logan's Park is nine miles northwest of Helotes on Bandera Road. It is a setting of great natural beauty with a spring-fed pool.

San Antonians and those from other parts of Texas will find this a genuine old-time barbecue of especial attraction to their out-of-state visitors interested in the old-time West.

## 50 Sign for Civil Defense Classes

By DADE RAYFIELD

At least 50 residents of the Helotes area are interested in surviving an atomic attack.

They are sufficiently concerned with survival that they will spend three hours a week for four weeks attending classes in basic civil defense training. Classes will be held each Monday night from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Helotes Elementary School, starting October 2 and continuing through October 23.

Decision to conduct basic civil defense classes at the Helotes school was reached at a meeting held at the school Tuesday night. Sponsored by the Helotes Area Volunteer Fire Department and attended by some 75 residents of the Helotes area.

Need for civil defense training was emphasized by Marvin Heske, John Marshall High School science teacher and an official instructor in basic survival training for Bexar County Civil Defense.

"Civil defense is vital to our national security," Mr. Heske told the audience. "It is a vital part of the national defense of the United States."

Mr. Heske said a strong civil defense will play a vital role in the deterrence of an aggressor considering nuclear attack on

this country. If an aggressor knows that a great majority of the population can and will survive an attack, he would "think twice" before launching an atomic assault. If, however, the nation is unprepared to withstand an assault, a potential enemy might be encouraged to attack.

Tuesday's meeting was opened by Clarence Galm, president of the Board of Directors of the Helotes Area Volunteer Fire De-

#### Fire Department Dance

Tickets are now on sale for the Helotes Volunteer Fire Department dance at Floore's Country Store, next Saturday, September 29. Johnny Maxwell and his Western Swing Band will play. Admission: \$1.00. See any fire department member for tickets or buy from any Helotes merchant.

partment, Inc. He introduced Johnny Brannan, Jr., assistant fire chief, who gave the invocation, and then turned the meeting over to Ralph Swift, Helotes fire chief. Chief Swift introduced the principal speaker.

In a question-and-answer period which followed his talk, Mr. Heske said he believed

that residents of the Helotes area would have a good chance of survival in the event of a nuclear assault on the San Antonio area.

He pointed out that San Antonio, with its complex of military installations, probably would be prime target for nuclear attack. However, Helotes is considered to be on the "fringe" of the blast area involving Kelly and Lackland air force bases.

Depending on the power of the nuclear weapon exploded and the precision with which it might be placed on a military target, the Helotes area probably would escape blast destruction and certain death for those in the blast area. However, radioactive fallout would be present outside the blast area and could result in death for those unprepared to cope with it.

"Fallout shelters or evacuation of the people are the only defenses against fallout," Mr. Heske said. "And these defenses will prove ineffective unless the population is adequately trained in basic civil defense for survival."

Basic civil defense classes will be taught by Mr. Heske and other instructors from Bexar County Civil Defense. The pro-

### Annual Festival Is Top Fall Event

COME TO THE FAIR — THE PTA SUN FAIR, TOMORROW on the grounds of Helotes School from 5 to 10 p.m. This is the gist of the message on posters around town to publicize the local festival, a highlight of fall events here.

Under the chairmanship of Tommy Lang, Frank Williams and J. C. Reese, P-TA members have been hard at work to guarantee the success of the annual carnival and bazaar.

A ham supper will be served from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Supper tickets will be \$1 for adults and 75 cents for children.

As reported previously, there will be many of the popular attractions of a bazaar. There will also be pony rides.

Posters were prepared this week by Mrs. Fred Jersig, Mrs. Sherwood Nelson, and Mrs. Jack Nottingham. They are on display in Leon Valley, Pete's Place in San Geronimo, Vinck's Garage, Toepferweins's, and Maltberger's.

Those serving as chairmen of special events are:

Booth construction, H. Wynn; lighting, T. Lobert, G. Prejean, and O. Galm; prizes for booths, Mrs. L. Cunningham and Mrs. L. Wolfe; publicity, Mrs. Nottingham; ham supper, Mr. and Mrs. James Logan; cake sale, Mrs. Mary Alice Mazurek; Bean bag toss, J. C. Reese; dunking pool, Harvey Mayfield; fish pond, Mrs. Jesse DeBord; cake walk, Mrs. Mamie Mayfield; fortune telling booth, Mrs. Cieta Mikel; pony rides, Tommy Lang; snack booth, Mrs. Miriam Jersig; cold drinks, Mrs. Nottingham; door prizes, J. C. Reese; dart game, Ernest Barrera; horror house, Pete Asher; hot dogs, Mrs. Emly Skell and Mrs. Josephine Wallace; bazaar, Mrs. Jean Ayres.

Bazaar sub-chairmen are: household items, Mrs. M. Martinez; miscellaneous, Mrs. Wolfe; baby items, Mrs. Victory; toys, Mrs. Lobert and Mrs. Barrera.

In addition many gifts and prizes were donated by individual members of the P-TA.

This is the P-TA's fund raising event and the proceeds will be used to buy equipment for the school.

Medina Lake devotees and residents as well as those of neighboring towns are especially invited to stop in Helotes for the ham supper and fun, according to Mrs. Nottingham, publicity chairman.

### C'm On, Swing Your Partner

Two couples who have had intermediate square dancing are needed now to complete the second square of the Country Hoppers, the local adult club which dances every Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. in the Scenic Loop Youth Bldg. Mr. Darrell Spalding, caller, has announced.

In addition, a beginning group of the two squares will be formed in the near future. They will dance on a week night suitable to those who join. These dancers may be either adults or interested teen-agers.

Anyone wishing to join may call Mrs. Jack Nottingham. MY-5-3398.

#### Membership Drive

The Helotes Lions Club will conduct its annual membership drive during October, President Fred Jersig has announced.



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## A Way of Life

If, as sometimes happens, when one is away from Helotes and a stranger or a new acquaintance asks where you live and you answer, "Helotes," this answer produces usually one of two reactions.

Infrequently, the stranger's face goes blank and he may ask, "Where's Helotes?"

More often he says, "Oh, yes, Helotes." He's been there frequently; he may mention having gone to dances at John Floore's. Or he's been through Helotes going to the lake or to a hunting lease or to Bandera.

In any case, he and other flatlanders who have been here seem to remember Helotes with pleasure.

The Helotes resident, of course, must like it here; he has chosen this place to live. He likes the country. He likes greenery. He doesn't want his neighbors to live right up against him, but he does want the friendly spirit of the rural community. He may want to keep a horse. And he wants his children to grow up in the country.

Consciously or subconsciously he likes the hills. Hills lift up one's eyes and one's spirit, even though the Helotes resident may never have thought of the hills in just that way. The hills of Helotes are neither too big nor too little. They are, as Hemingway said of hills in Spain, like the backs of a great herd of friendly elephants.

Life in the Helotes area is not without its problems, as we well know. But most are problems that can be solved in some way; they are not the frustrating, unsolvable ones of much of city living.

For these reasons and because the hills of Helotes are the closest to San Antonio we can expect more people to come and share our way of living. There's plenty of room for them.

## Recipe of the Week

**FORGOTTEN COOKIES**  
Heat Oven to 350 Degrees

2 egg whites	Beat very stiff.
¾ cup sugar	
Pinch of salt	
1 cup pecan pieces	
1 cup chocolate drops	

Spoon on to ungreased foil.  
Turn oven off, and leave 4 or more hours. May be left overnight.

(Editor's Note: The Echo will welcome your favorite tested recipes. Address them to The Helotes ECHO, Box 27, Helotes, Texas.)

## Along Our Route

Dear Editor:  
In accounts of Hurricane Carla, the newspapers have told of the complete destruction of Port O'Connor, a fishing town of about one thousand inhabitants. Without any doubt, this town was among the most severely battered by the recent hurricane.

The writer respectfully submits the suggestion that the people of the Helotes area consider the prospect of adopting the people of Port O'Connor for the purpose of offering them emergency relief, and to plan help until these deserving people can return and rebuild their homes. This suggestion was discussed briefly with some of the representatives of the people of our community, and it was favorably received.

Our plan of adoption of the people of Port O'Connor would present us with the challenge of coming to the help, and assuring the welfare of a community of about 1000 people. We would welcome the help of any and all people who would care to join us in this effort. We would have no cumbersome organization. All work would be on a volunteer basis. We would not obligate ourselves to any specific contribution, nor make any pledge. We would form an alert, interested committee to observe, and to receive reports, to assure the people of Port O'Connor that we stand by them in their need to help them within the limit of our capacity.

Much credit is due to the Salvation Army. It quickly moved

into the disaster area of Port O'Connor, set up an emergency kitchen, and brought in a very great quantity of clothes.

Since then the people of Helotes area have, over the week-end, contributed more than \$1000 in cash for the immediate supply of food, and other emergency items. A limited amount of canned goods, and a large quantity of bedding and clothing have also been rushed to these people, and already distributed among them. One of the Helotes residents, a representative of the Gerber company, was instrumental in sending 40 cases of Gerber's Baby Food to families temporarily in Victoria.

We submit to the people of the Helotes area the invitation to continue this program of Christian help to the people of Port O'Connor. As they return to their desolate property to rebuild their homes, with the help of their insurance and federal loans, we would like to stand by them, and to supply them with tools, household goods, books, and many other things they will be needing, and without too much hardship on any one of us. We're two for every one of them. We would be kept informed of the use our help is put to, and we would know that we are helping a most deserving community of good people to dig out of the debris, and to get back on their feet.

Your comments and suggestions to this plan will be appreciated. Please address them to the Editor.

Rev. Cyril Kuehne, S.M.

## Echoes From the Past

Frank Maltzberger's pretty wife, Lois, in Washington State two weeks ago talked by trans-Atlantic telephone to Frank in London. Now they're both in Helotes. Frank came home via Spain, the Azores, Newfoundland, and Kelly Field in three days.—THE SCENIC LOOPER, Friday, Jan. 14, 1949.

At our last regular meeting of the Helotes Lions Club, our immediate past president Claire Cheney presented the original International charter to the club in a neat frame. He had resurrected it from among a mass of old cobweb-covered records and from now on it will hang at our regular meeting place for all to see with pride. Our sincere thanks to Lion Cheney.

This framed charter, measuring about 14 by 20 inches, dated September 8, 1950, is signed by the International officers of that year, including Texas' own Herb Petrie of Carrizo Springs, who was International President at that time. It is also signed by sixteen of the Helotes charter members who did not sign for some unknown reason. Six of the signing charter members are still very active and loyal members of the Club. The names would not be legible if we should print a reduced picture of the charter so we wish to list these charter members as follows:

Signers: Marius Perron, C. E.

Cheney, Walter Johnson, Rudy Zepeda, W. Z. Burke, F. L. McDaniel, A. Sherwood Nelson, O. L. Barnes, Alex Parrigin, James Riggs, Bern Vinck, Joseph C. Heylman, E. E. Edwards, and Dewey L. Hart.

Non-Signers: George Mabry, H. Claude Lewis, Arthur Hewell Ray D. Hopkins, Frank Freeman George Maltzberger, Rev. Alfred Rabe, H. V. Reidy, Jack Wilkes and James M. Anderson.

THE TALE-TWISTER, January, 1956

We regret very much that in the list of Charter members published in the January issue of the Tale-Twister, we inadvertently omitted three names: Fred W. Jersig, who is still a very active Lion in our Club, R. J. (Ike) Parrott, and L. M. Irwin. Mr. Irwin is a life member of the Texas Lions Crippled Children's Camp as is also our faithful charter member Jim Riggs. Mr. James Anderson, who was listed last month, was the first president.—THE TALE-TWISTER, February, 1956.

George Mabry, the "old war-horse," still avers "that if they're there he'll catch them." Just George's way of fair warning to Medina Lake and Buchanan Lake fishermen.

## Carla Carloads Help Homeless

The local drive to obtain clothing and other equipment for the Carla victims in cooperation with the Salvation Army has been very successful, according to Mrs. Jack Nottingham, local volunteer chairman.

Two station wagons full of items were delivered to Salvation Army headquarters on Nolan Street. There fifty to sixty large cartons were being shipped out, she reports. An assembly line of men and women was processing the donations, checking the sizes and marking them for easy distribution in the stricken area.

All donations will be taken at regular intervals to the San Antonio office, she said.

## Cliff Plans Shelter For Community

A self-sustaining fallout shelter which will accommodate 100 persons for at least two weeks will be constructed near Medina Lake in the Cliff rural community. It will cost \$11,000. Farmers and ranchers of the area plan to build the underground shelter 12 feet wide and 120 feet long, with a minimum ceiling clearance of eight feet.

Dan O'Connell, civil defense coordinator of that area, reported that construction will include a concrete floor and ceiling and rock walls with necessary thickness to protect against radiation fallout.

It will be equipped with an electric power system, water supply, ventilation, toilets, food storage and dormitory area.

It could be equipped for a 30-day stay if necessary.

## School Menus

Menus to be served at all schools in the Northside Independent School District next week are the following:

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|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Sept. 25              | Sept. 26        | Sept. 27            | Sept. 28          | Sept. 29           |
| Hamburgers            | Sausage         | Frito Pie           | Meat Loaf & Gravy | Salmon Macaroni    |
| Hash Browned Potatoes | Creamed Corn    | Beans               | Mashed Potatoes   | Muffins            |
| Tomato, Lettuce       | Broccoli        | Rice                | Peas              | Spinach            |
| Onion, Pickle         | Cherry Kolaches | Salad               | Apple Cobbler     | Ice Cream          |
| Peaches               | Bread & Butter  | Jello w/ Fruit      | Bread & Butter    | Hot Rolls & Butter |
| Milk                  | Milk            | Corn Bread & Butter | Milk              | Milk               |
|                       |                 | Milk                | Buttered Carrots  |                    |

There were two Chinese laundries just a couple of doors apart. One was owned by D. Wong and the other by Jim Lee. One day a man left some shirts in the Jim Lee laundry and when he called for them, went by mistake to the other.

The proprietor solemnly examined his claim ticket and said, "Solly, but you are in D. Wong laundry."

## Church Services

**HELOTES BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Scenic Loop Road  
Rev. Elvis Pepper, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
Morning Service, 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School, 11 a.m.  
Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.  
Training Union, 7:30 p.m.  
THURSDAY  
Prayer Service, 8:00 p.m.

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Riggs Road  
Rev. Cyril M. Kuehne, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
Masses, 8 and 10 a.m.  
Confessions before Mass.  
High School of Religion, 9 a.m.

TUESDAY  
Religion, released time, 3 p.m.  
**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Leon Springs  
Rev. Marvin Carlton, Pastor  
Hwy. 87 South, 1 mile North of Camp Bullis cutoff.

Sunday Services:  
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Christ Ambassadors, 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Midweek Service:  
Thursday night, 7:30 p.m.

**LEON SPRINGS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Fred Maples, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Church, 11 a.m.

**NORTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Huebener Rd. and Southwell  
Rev. Jack W. Franklin, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service, 10:50 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Leslie Road  
Rev. Lester Johnson, Supply Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.  
Junior Choir, Monday, 7 p.m.  
Senior Choir, Monday, 8 p.m.  
A.L.C.W., Day Circle, Tuesday, 9:45 a.m.  
S.S. Teachers, Wednesday, 8 p.m.  
Christian Fellowship Group, Friday, 8 p.m.

**ST. VICTOR'S CATHOLIC CHAPEL**  
Upper Medina Lake on Park Road 37  
Rev. Victor G. Schmidzinsky, Pastor  
Rev. Thomas Palmer, Asst. Pastor  
SUNDAY  
Masses, 9 and 11 a.m.  
Confessions before Mass  
**NORTH MEDINA LAKE METHODIST CHURCH**  
SUNDAY  
Service, 9 a.m.  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Junior: "Daddy, do you keep growing taller all the time?"  
Father: "No son. Why do you ask?"

Junior: Because the top of your head is poking up through your hair."

## Corral

### CLASSIFIED ADS

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Mother: "Hmmm, I can see you don't know about real babies."



## Buckley-Trotta Rites Set for Saturday

Of much interest to her many friends in Helotes is the approaching marriage of Miss Lydia May Trotta and Patrick Mark Buckley. The nuptial mass will take place Saturday in St. Paul's Catholic Church. The Rev. Fr. Buckley of Roma, Texas, uncle of the prospective bridegroom, will perform the ceremony.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Northside High School, now known as John Marshall. She was a member of the Speech Club, a Junior Historian, and was on the staff of the Rampage, the high school newspaper.

Before accepting employment at the USAA Insurance Company, Broadway, in San Antonio, she attended San Antonio College.

Mr. Buckley attended St. Gerard's School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Buckley. He is now owner of a business at Fresno and San Pedro Avenue.

Out of town guests expected for the wedding include the bride-elect's two brothers, Steve Trotta, Jr., of Houston and Albert A. Trotta of Dickinson, Texas.

Following a honeymoon, the bride and groom will be at home at 219 Kipling in San Antonio.

## Women's Club Meets Tonight

The local social season will open officially tonight with a Women's Club party at 7:30 p.m. at the Lion's Club Building. Hostesses will be Mrs. Buddy Hartman and Mrs. F. W. McBryde.

Members are expected to bring guests, according to Mrs. R. W. Owen, president.

The program, under the chairmanship of Mrs. A. H. Ochs, Jr., vice president, will include entertaining games and a get-acquainted session. There will be door prizes and refreshments.

One woman spent the day trying to phone her neighbor recently. All she could get was a busy signal. Finally she dialed operator to check if anything was wrong with the connection.

"I'm sorry but that line is busy," reported the operator.

"How could it be?" the woman demanded. "I'm the only one around here still speaking to her."

## Dewey Hart

REAL ESTATE

Scenic Loop Road

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# Person-To-Person

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gone into partnership with Mr. Rude to operate Rude's Place.

## 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rolubach celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on September 13. They live in Sherwood Addition.

## Visits from Michigan

R. L. McAdam from Kalama-zoo, Michigan, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Dickinson for about a week, before going to the Rio Grande Valley to visit Mrs. Dickinson's sister. He will leave later in the week for Florida to spend the winter.

## Back from Cloudercroft

It was welcome home for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Langlinais and their children this week when Mrs. Clotilde Wuest had a roast dinner with ice cream and cake prepared for the travellers. Mr. Langlinais drove out to Cloudercroft, New Mexico to bring his family home. They had been vacationing at the summer cottage of Mrs. Langlinais' father there for about two months.

## En Route to Austin

Judge and Mrs. E. James Kazen

## Richard Zeinert Taken in Death

Richard Walter Zeinert, brother of Mrs. Ed (Bertha) Kempf and William Zeinert, both of Helotes, passed away Thursday, September 14 in a San Antonio hospital at the age of 49 years. He was born in Texas May 6, 1912.

Funeral services were held in Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Monday, September 18, with the Rev. Hugo A. Hannusch officiating. Interment was at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery with full military honors.

Mr. Zeinert, who resided at 515 Astor, is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mila Zeinert and son, Master Richard Martin Zeinert, of San Antonio. He is also survived by sisters, Mrs. Clara Halbardier, Houston; Mrs. Henry (Alvina) Halbardier, San Antonio, and Norvin Zeinert, McDonna, Texas.

His pallbearers were Bennie Blum, Gus Trip, H. J. Kueck, Willis Sawyer, Frederick Donecker and Jack Mack.

Mr. Zeinert had been a resident of San Antonio for the past eight years, and worked at Southwest Research Ordinance Laboratory. He became ill at work after leaving home in good health at 7 a.m. and was pronounced dead-on-arrival at Santa Rosa Medical Center at 8:55 a.m.

He served in the Twenty-third infantry during World War II, and saw active service in Germany. He met his wife, the former Miloslava Kamanova, in Czechoslovakia during service. After his discharge, he sent for her and they were married on her arrival in New York in October, 1948.

The sympathy of the community goes to the family in their sudden bereavement.

## Carla Refugees Take It Easy at Medina

Choppy waters and gusty winds at Medina Lake early last week failed to dampen the spirits of dozens of refugees from Texas coast cities who chose that site to await news of what was happening to their homes. They had come from Houston, Galveston, Port Aransas, Rockport, Victoria, Port O'Connor and many other locations.

Some stayed close by radios to keep up with the latest reports. Others went fishing, mostly from the shoreline.

It wasn't just like other days there, but it was inspiring to see how cheerful everyone remained according to Sis Harper, who helps operate Rude's.

She and her husband, Ed Har-

of Laredo visited in Helotes last week-end en route to Austin to see their son George, 21, licensed as a lawyer in Texas Supreme Court ceremonies. George, who was grand chancellor of the University of Texas graduating law class, upheld the honor of his alma mater by winning the highest average grade among the 279 who passed the state bar examinations. He made the acceptance speech for the new barristers in the ceremony last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Cheves of Austin were houseguests this past week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown in the Scenic Loop.

## Bob Granato Records Local Popular Songs

San Antonio's Bob Granato has recently recorded "To Have, To Hold, and to Love," on a San-Tone record label. It is backed by his recording of "My Heart is Home with You." Both are pop numbers composed by Mrs. Lola Gilmore, a San Antonio nurse.

Bob graduated from St. Mary's University in 1958. He spent two years as special service officer for the Army Air Defense before going to work in Houston at Foley's last spring. He is a semi-professional entertainer, and plays the accordion. He has done a great deal of singing and entertaining in San Antonio and in other parts of Texas, and California.

Bob combines good looks with a pleasing personality. He has a voice which might be classified as the Pat Boone type, although he has an original style.

Mrs. Gilmore who is well acquainted in Helotes has written several pop-type love songs. Her "To Have, To Hold, and to Love," shows promise of becoming a hit. This record is available at local record stores, at Joske's or through the Santone Sales Company, 121 Navarro, with Louie Jamail as distributor.



BOB GRANATO, San Antonio singer, has made several popular records.

## Gun Victim Was Martinez Nephew

Sympathy is extended to the bereaved San Geronimo relatives of Rudy Mendez, 17, who was fatally shot in downtown San Antonio following a Tech football game on September 8.

Rudy is the nephew of Mrs. Margaret Martinez, wife of Lato Martinez, San Geronimo merchant and Lions Club officer. Rudy often visited in the Hill Country and had many acquaintances here. He lived with his family at 518 W. Summit in San Antonio. According to officers investigating, Rudy was shot in the head as he sat between two friends in a car in the 200 block of E. Houston Street.

The other youths in the car with Rudy at the time said they were driving slowly down Houston and did not hear the shot because of the noise made by students in a parade of cars, going through the downtown area. They said they did not know Rudy has been shot until he fell forward in the seat.

An 18-year-old youth this week admitted the fatal shooting. He was on foot at the time, and had previously attended a football game. He apparently was not acquainted with his victim.

## Texas Star Inn Offers Dancing, Food, Fun

Frank Klein's Texas Star Inn is offering some added attractions beginning tomorrow night. In fact, for those who get there between 8:30 to 9:30, dance tickets will also include a ten-cent bottle of Texas beer, he says. Music will be provided by his own Texas Star Playboys.

On Sundays, he will have a free dance at 8 p.m. with band music. Evenings during the week dancing by juke box is without cover charge.

During the nine years that the Texas Star Inn has been operated on the Bandera Highway, two miles north of Loop 410, the Inn has built up a reputation for its chicken, steaks, and hamburgers as well as for its Western music.

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# Rams to Tackle Beeville Tonight

Fielding a team for the third time this season, the John Marshall Rams will entertain Beeville High's ball-carriers tonight. Last week, Beeville bowed to Refugio 12-0. However, the Rams will keep in mind that last year Beeville emerged the winner 27-0 in their battle for the pigskin. The game will be played in the Ram's Stadium, Eckert Road, with the kickoff at 8 p.m.

In a wide-open contest on Ram homegrounds last Friday night, the John Marshall Rams started fast, but faded in the final half to fall before the Miller Junior Varsity of Corpus Christi, 12-6. The Buccaneers, with two second-half scores, nabbed the win from the local boys.

Marshall moved quickly toward the JV goal line after a Miller

fumble on the kick-off. But the JV's Arnold Jasso recovered a Ram fumble to stop the threat.

During the second quarter, the Rams mounted a new drive from mid-field. Quarterback Mike Sederberg fired a 15-yard pass to End Doug Bresler for the Ram touchdown.

Hopes were high during the half-time activities that the Northside team, under Coach Bob Maddox, might emerge victorious.

Halfback Philip Branch went over from the five-yard line in the fourth quarter with the TV winning touchdown. Earlier, his teammate, Raul Ortiz, intercepted a Sederberg pass and ran 45 yards to tie the score. Neither team was able to convert for extra points.

Miller plays dominated the game, but 150 yards of penalties against the JV's told against a big score. The Rams hit on 5 of 13 passes for 58 yards, while Miller's 3 out of 6 completions were good for only 37 yards.

Statistics of last week's game are:

John Marshall	0	6	0	0-6
Miller JV	0	0	6	6-12
Scoring: Marshall-Bresler, 15, pass from Sederberg; Miller-Ortiz, 45, intercepted pass, Miller-Branch, 5, run.				
First down	15	10		
Rushing yardage	237	139		
Passing yardage	37	58		
Passes	3	13-5		
Intercepted by	2	1		
Punts	3-49	5-45		
Fumbles	3	2		
Penalties	14-150	3-45		

## Rams Games

September

- 22-Beeville
- October
- 5-at Robert E. Lee (x)
- 14-at Austin Lanier (x)
- 20-New Braunfels (x)
- 27-at Seguin (x)
- November
- 3-at Kerrville (x)
- 10-San Marcos (x)
- 17-Austin Johnston (x)
- (x) Conference games

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## These Are the Maddoxmen

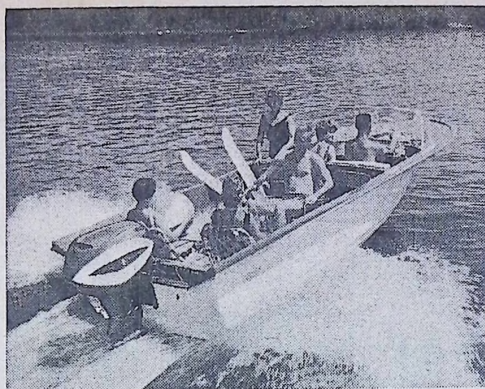
More than thirty boys qualified to play on the 1961 John Marshall High School squad as Coach Bob Maddox, in his first year, attempts to develop a strong eleven able to meet the rugged competition of AAA conference play.

Those who will see action this year are listed here.

### JOHN MARSHALL FOOTBALL SQUAD

Mike Sederberg—QB	Johnny Bordan—G
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Rocky Payne—FB	Bill Shiflet—T
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## Enrollment Rises 28% in District

Enrollment at the opening of school in the Northside Independent School District was up by about 1,182 scholastics, or approximately 28 per cent over last year, according to figures released by Murray Boone, superintendent.

This year's enrollment totalled 5,331 versus 4,149 for the first day of last year. Figures include enrollment in eleven elementary schools, two junior high schools, and a senior high school.

By schools, the figures are: Glen Oaks, 283; Lackland City, 649; Sunset Hills, 666; Westwood Terrace, 740; Leon Valley, 347; Lock Hill, 333; Helotes, 151; Mackey-Cable, 280; San Antonio Heights, 72; Leon Springs, two grades only, 31; Sul Ross Jr. High, 258; new Pat Neff Jr. High, 501. John Marshall High School has an enrollment of 1,020.

The young couple had just finished going through their monthly bills and were down to the last two. "Well, honey," sighed the husband, "we're practically broke by now. I don't know which of these two we ought to pay: the electric company or the doctor."

"Why, the electric company, of course," replied his wife promptly. "After all, the doctor can't very well shut off your blood."

## Rex Allen to Return To San Antonio Rodeo

Rex Allen, popular western star will play a return engagement at the twelfth annual San Antonio World Championship Rodeo February 9-18. The popular star and his famous mount, Koko, will appear at fifteen rodeo performances, according to E. W. Bickett, president, San Antonio Livestock Exposition, Inc.

Born near Willcox, Ariz., Allen, learned to ride, hunt, and work cattle as soon as he was of school age. He has travelled more than 200,000 miles to appear at fairs, rodeos and festivals. He is also star of four Walt Disney feature films currently in release.

Allen appeared here several years ago, and is being brought back by popular request, Mr. Bickett said.

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