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DEER SEASON, to open in November, will find these two fighting does with a different problem—dodging hunters. The season will open Nov. 11 in Kendall County with the bag limit three deer (not to include more than two bucks). This wildlife photo was taken by Dade

Rayfield on the Gallagher Ranch near San Geronimo. A special bow and arrow hunting season for deer and turkey has been open in several Edwards Plateau counties since Oct. 12 and will close Nov. 10.

New Bidder Picked For Gas Contract

A 30-day delay in the laying of gas lines by the City of Grey Forest has resulted from a change of contracts for the installation, Mayor Jack Nottingham has announced. The contract was awarded to low-bidder Hidgon, Inc. of Albuquerque who backed out and paid a penalty after reconsidering the terrain. The bid was then awarded to the second lowest bidder—Subsurface of Fort Worth.

Park Plaza Adds Five New Stores

Plans have been completed, and building has begun on the 10,000-square foot addition to the Helotes Park Plaza south of the present unit. This is being developed by Fred Anderson and Gilbert Kinder.

Work has progressed so that contractors were setting forms for the concrete to be used for the foundation as we go to press.

The completed unit will have space for a dental office, meat market, washateria, doctor's office and drugstore. There are still 2500 square feet available for lease, according to the Park Plaza staff.

The contract is now being negotiated with Subsurface and must be approved by the Fort Worth office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development before construction starts.

The City of Grey Forest has acquired two locations for metering stations. The City purchased one on Babcock Road near Louis Pasteur Drive adjacent to a United Gas facility. The other is on IH 10 at the Kendall County line and has been leased for 99 years. The Babcock Road location also will be used for an odorizing plant.

A record 291 new applications for gas service received in October bring the total to over 1,000 potential users, Mayor Nottingham said.

Fire Dept. Dance To Be Nov. 17

The Helotes Area Volunteer Fire Department Dance will be held on November 17 at John Floore County Store with Dale Keith providing the music, according to Ed Faust a member of the department. There will be all the usual additional events and this is one of the big neighbor social affairs of the season.

Proceeds help support the upkeep of the physical plant and trucks which are located in one of the finest small fire department units in this area, at Bandera Road not far from Riggs Road.

The fire department on a recent Saturday night—aided and abetted by the Grey Forest unit—was called to the parking lot of the Country Store. As a couple arrived at a dance, their car broke into flames. The car was demolished, but the fire did not spread to any nearby cars or buildings, due to the quick action of the fire department.

IT'S ABOUT TIME

Daylight Saving Time for this year will end at 2 a.m., Sunday, Oct. 29. You can sit up till then to turn your clock back, or just turn them back an hour when you go to bed Saturday night.

Rain Totals 5.3

Average rainfall in the Helotes area during the 30 days from Sept. 25 to October 25 averaged 5.3 inches according to calculations of Weather Observer Ross Barham. Individual ranches, however, in some instances recorded more. Springs continued strong. The observation wells had not been tested by the state at press time.

Women to View Lighting Display

Mrs. Margie Arnold of the City Public Service will display "Christmas and other Special Lighting Effects" for the Helotes Women's Club at their regular meeting November 7 in the home of Mrs. Rimmon Ham on Scenic Loop Road in Grey Forest.

The club will meet at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday—the usual time. A fund-raising project for the Club's part in the Helotes Festival in the Spring will also be discussed.

Texas Counties Have Openings For Postal Help

The United States Civil Service Commission announces examinations for Postal Clerk and City Carrier at the starting salary of \$2.64 per hour for Substitute Employees working approximately 40 hours per week; and \$2.56 per hour for Hourly Rate Regular working approximately 20 hours per week, Grade PFS-1, for postal employment in Post Offices of the First and Second Classes in the following Counties consisting of Zone 13, Texas:

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Full information about requirements and applications may be obtained from the Executive Secretary, Regional Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, General Post Office, 401 Franklin Avenue, Houston, Texas 77002, the Helotes Post Office or other local Post Offices or Interagency Boards of U.S. Civil Service Examiners.

Dog Poisoner Brings Sorrow to Helotes Area

October will go down in Helotes as a time of great consternation. For several weeks, the area experienced an outbreak of cruelty seldom equaled. According to reports, 54 to 59 dogs were killed—often in their own yards—by a self-appointed executioner.

It is impossible for that many dogs to be missing from a community without touching the hearts of many a man, woman and child whose pets were singled out for the harsh treatment. As far as enraged citizens could tell, the method was poisoning—usually by meat and apparently such a poison as strychnine. Samples

taken from streets and yards indicated that they were strong enough to be fatal in almost every case. A few dogs—wary of the unsavory meal—were made ill, but through prompt action on the part of owners or veterinarians were able to survive.

Large dogs—being hungrier and more given to leaving their own premises—were hardest hit. However, cats, too, were victims. Several well-known pets were killed. The number of cats who live on the land and are seldom seen by daylight probably has been affected also. In the Spring, there may therefore be an increase in reptiles and other nat-

ural rivals of the cats.

It may be true that some dogs were unduly given to wandering and to barking, but wholesale slaughter such as experienced here took in areas of such a range that no one citizen could feel justified in eradicating them all. For this reason most of those who have analyzed the problem lean to the theory that it was done by a group, probably to gain entrance to property guarded by the dogs.

A series of robberies—apparently followed the path of the poisoning and caused the homeowners here to take precautions. A citizen's committee has offered a reward for information

leading to the discovery of the poisoner. The sheriff's office has been checking all leads.

Dogs here have always been susceptible to trouble if they wandered onto ranches, but this is the first time that a more than sporadic outbreak of poisoning has ever been noted in this area.

Newer citizens—some of whom moved to the wide-open spaces to have pets—were as shocked as were those who have always depended on the law enforcing protection of their dogs.

For everyone who had been disturbed by barking dogs, the

community gained a wakeful citizen who could not depend upon his or a neighbor's dogs to warn of predatory problems.

The dog population had recently gained some increase by the senseless dropping of pets by city folks, but most dogs had a home. This season also saw one of the most successful campaigns for vaccination in the history of Northwest Bexar County.

For those who watched teenage and younger boys work over a big dog in a fruitless effort to save it—on main street in Helotes one quiet Sunday morning—the harsh event will be unforgettable.

Person-to-Person

Edwin Truax and his wife and four boys, natives of Indiana, are new residents on Spiller Road. They came here from Lawton Air Force Base, Oklahoma, and he is assigned to MATS at Kelly AFB. They have purchased the Dalton Brown residence and the Brown family have moved to their home on Rayburn Drive in San Antonio.

Bona fide homesteaders on Spiller Road are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morris, who have completed their home there and were complimented recently with a housewarming by their new neighbors.

Tiffany Lynn, a wee Miss born September 26, was greeted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bubba Hansborough on Route 11, Encino Road, and by her little sister, Tracy. Tiffany weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces, and she is the charming granddaughter of Helotes residents Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wilson of Bandera Road.

New Grey Forest residents include Austinites, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cheves, who have purchased the Schultze lodge located at Lakeshore and Blue Bonnet. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schultze have enjoyed ownership for many

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ON NOVEMBER 12, Alex Parrigin—active Helotes senior statesman will observe his 93rd birthday. He is pictured here as he played host last summer at Rudy and Irene's to the Lion's Club. The party was to thank all who had made his second term as president such a success.

Marycrest Sisters Study Dress Change

Sisters of Divine Providence will begin a clothing experiment this month to determine what modifications, if any, will be made in the congregation's present attire.

The announcement was made by Sister Karen Keefe, CDP, chairman of the clothing committee as delegated by the general chapter of the congregation.

The Generalate (headquarters) of the order, Marycrest, is located in Grey Forest on Scenic Loop Road. The order operates Our Lady of the Lake College and many other schools.

The experiment, scheduled to run until April 15, 1968, will assess attitudes toward change in the dress of religious women on the part of the Sisters themselves and on the part of persons with whom the nuns ordinarily come in contact.

Dress designs will range from simple modified habits to contemporary dress for all women. Members for all areas of work, teaching, nursing, social work, administration and household assignments will take part in the experiment.

Geographic locations from the four regions in which the Sisters work are also represented. Various age levels are included.

After questionnaires were filled out by the Sisters, additional work by a self-study group and a special clothing committee was carried out. Designs were proposed by individual Sisters and commercial firms.

Finally, from those designs submitted, the committees chose several styles in dress and headwear which the nuns participating in the experiment will wear. Careful observation and prac-

Spaghetti Supper Welcomes Pastor

The Women's Circle of the Helotes Presbyterian Church sponsored a spaghetti supper at the church on October 19, giving the community an opportunity to visit and also to meet the newly-appointed pastor, the Rev. M. H. Applewhite, who comes to this area after having been located in the Rio Grande Valley. Effective November 1, he succeeds the Rev. Jerry Alexander, now in Columbia, South Carolina.

The Italian supper was served on tables decorated with red-berried pyracantha and English Ivy. Chairman of the Circle is Mrs. Peter LeBoutillier. Chairman of the dinner was Mrs. Homer Taylor.

Ranch Acres Popular

One of the major subdivisions of Helotes, carved out of the Antonio Ranch some years ago, has been developed at a record rate, sold in the main by Alex Parrigin, veteran land developer in Helotes and Seguin.

Unit 1 and Unit 2 of Helotes Ranch Acres—as this area is called—is occupied by some 50 or more families and is a subdivision of acreage-size plots. Already 18 of the two-acre sites comprising Unit 3 have been sold. Present developer is Col. J. D. Smith.

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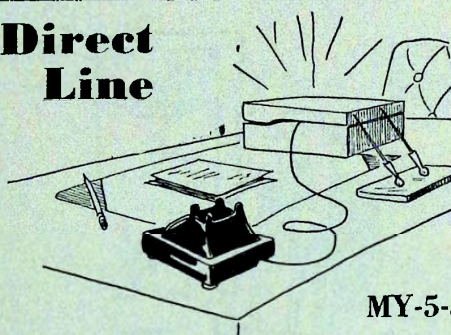
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What happens to the Volunteer Fire Department if we don't have sufficient volunteer fire fighters?

Fire Chief John Widner told a group that the State requires a minimum of 17 men to obtain a minimum of four hours training each month. This has been met here for many years in the past, but the Helotes Area Fire Department now needs new recruits to keep the State sanction. If not, the area could suffer a financial loss in increased fire insurance rates.

Maldonado-Guedea Rites in Boerne

Miss Mary Guedea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Guedea of Leslie Road, became the bride of Rudy Maldonado, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Maldonado, John Wagner Road, at 2:30 p.m., October 10 in a simple ceremony in the Kendall County Courthouse, Boerne, with Justice of Peace Campbell officiating.

Both the bride and bridegroom were educated in the Northside Independent School District and he attended Marshall High School before going to work in Helotes.

They plan to reside on John Wagner Road on property adjacent to his parents.

We understand the Department is in dire need of volunteer fire men in order to keep up the excellent record of the past decade. Any able-bodied man of any age—those home either in the day or at night—will be welcome and all necessary training will be given at regular meetings. Those wanting further details might contact the Fire Chief or any members.

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Butch Brown Weds Miss Carol Monroe

Miss Carol Loraine Monroe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Monroe of Reagan Wells, near Uvalde, became the bride of Howard E. (Butch) Brown, Jr. in an informal wedding Saturday, October 21, in the Helotes Baptist Church with the Rev. Walter C. Maddox, pastor, performing the ceremony.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Brown, Sr. of Scenic Loop Road, Grey Forest, and works at Southwest Research Institute. He is a graduate of Marshall High School and his bride finished at Uvalde High

School. She has been employed in New Braunfels as a secretary since her graduation.

The bridal party included Miss Shirley Verhey of Uvalde, close friend of the bride, and Mrs. R. C. Arnold, sister of the bridegroom. Best man was Jack Estes of San Antonio. Ushers were Marvin Ohlenbush and Richard Arnold.

A reception was held after the wedding in the Scenic Loop Youth Building.

Following their honeymoon, the couple plan to reside in New Braunfels.

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"It's a sort of a Fire Sale — If I don't make a sale . . .
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CHARLIE'S CORNER

Texans Can't Help Feeling Akin to LBJ

By CHARLES O. BROWN

Whatever the columnists, polls, and commentators say about LBJ, I still will admire him—for the Texan he is.

Let us, particularly here in the Hill Country, never forget that the man who is most powerful in the world, by virtue of his office, is, for the time being, a man of Texas. Moreover, he is a man of our Hill Country, and never turns loose of the Hill Country wherever he goes, despite the urbane and sophisticated influences that impinge on him in his job.

LBJ is much like, in appearance and actions, any number of adult male cousins and uncles in our clan that to see him is like seeing a member of the family.

True, he is not like all Texas ranchers—just the ones that have made a lot of money in gas or insurance or land promoting. You see them hunkered down in the soft cushions of the sofas in the lobby of the St. Anthony Hotel. They've come to be just as comfortable there as squatting on their heels around a campfire in the pasture. They still wear Stetsons and boots in the daytime, along with tailor-made suits, but on a Saturday night they can put on a black tie and dinner jacket and enjoy the symphony or grand opera at the Municipal Auditorium.

They are strong and courteous and individualistic and indefatigable; they always are up and

have the coffee made in the morning before anyone else is awake. They drive cars fast and talk slow, eat well, and think there's nothing prettier than a bunch of white-faced calves in deep grass.

I remember an uncle who used to lease some land around the San Antonio International Airport when it was first built. One day the city told him he would have to move his cows out of the area so the city could beautify the approaches to the airport for the edification of tourists and others who arrive in San Antonio by air. He was indignant. "I can't see what they'll think of prettier to put there for tourists to see than those cows," he said.

What a President of the United States does as President of the United States isn't always what he'd like to do if he had his way. To an extent his actions are channelled by circumstances—circumstances that wrap around the world and coil up in the Congress, where a lot of times one can't tell a Democrat from a Republican. But I'm not talking about LBJ as President, but LBJ the Texan.

LBJ is clear and away the most potent influence in the Hill Country since George Wilkins Kendall, the man for whom Kendall County is named, and who lived—and died—on a ranch four miles east of Boerne. In the mid

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Prayer of the Dog

Lord
I keep watch!
If I am not here
Who will guard their house?
Watch over their sheep?
Be faithful?
No one but you and I
understand
What faithfulness is
They call me "Good dog!"
Nice dog!"
Words . . .
I take their pats
And the old bones they throw me.
And I seem pleased.
They really believe they make me happy
I take kicks, too
When they come my way
None of that matters
I keep watch!
Lord
Do not let me die
until for them
All danger is driven
Away

Amen

Prayers from Nonh's Ark — Carmen de Goszold

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THREE MEN IN TEXAS:
BEDICHEK, WEBB, DOBIE
edited by Ronnie Dugger. Austin: University of Texas Press.

This book is the biggest gun among Texas books maybe for the whole decade. Edited by the crusading editor of THE TEXAS OBSERVER—and with an introduction by Senator Ralph Yarborough—this book of heartfelt assessments of "Mr. Bedi, Don Pancho, and Dr. Webb" takes them as forces for human good and dignity.

They never ran for office but their influence outweighs the combined influence of all politicians of the State for 50 years. A naturalist-philosopher who 'invented' the Interscholastic League, a cowboy storyteller, and a brilliant historian, these men, who were friends, gave us a legacy hard to deserve . . . A rewarding book.—JOHN IGO.

SAN PEDRO SPRINGS
PARK by Cornelia E. Crook. San Antonio: published by the author.

A methodical, chronological history of Texas' oldest recreational area, the work reveals much about San Pedro Park that many people have never heard of: it was a military post, a zoo, a health resort.

This book retells some of the legends—the skeleton of the giant found there. It discusses some of the mysteries . . . Is there a tunnel to the Alamo? What was the origin of the Grotto? Was the strange building a fort?

It tells of the great Mexican fiestas held there, of the old swan pools, of the bear-baiting pit. There are illustrations, a bibliography for further reading, a calendar of events there. A source book for San Antonio lore.—JOHN IGO

GARBLED SAYINGS

Nuggets of Wisdom are seldom quoted correctly. But these words in correct order do make a lot of sense. If you wish to know what it is—try your hand at it. Give up? Then look below.

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Something Look You
On Gaining Be

ing On You!
Back, Something Might Be Gain-
Garbled Sayings: Don't Look

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Pastor

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Training Union, 6 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Mid-Week Prayer Service,
7:30 p.m.

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to Helotes Park Estates
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Pastor

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Church School, 9:45 a.m.
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Meeting, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

There is usually a study
group of some kind meeting
at 7:30 p.m.

HELOTES HILLS

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Rev. J. R. Hilliard, Pastor

SUNDAY

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Worship Service, 10:50 a.m.

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Luther League first Sunday
at 7:30 p.m.

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7:30 p.m.

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Worship Service, 11 a.m.
and 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting,
7:30 p.m.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Turn-off

Rev. Charles Grahmann,
Pastor

SUNDAY

Mass, 8 a.m., Confessions
before Holy Days, Mass
8 p.m.

Echoes From the Past

Twenty fast years and more have gone since two men drove out from San Antonio to take another look at the reported scenic beauty of the hills around Helotes. They were looking not for amusement, but with business in their eyes, with a vision, a recognition of the possibilities behind the quiet, balmy charm of these uplands. The men were convinced. The firm of Requa and Hildebrandt was formed; half a thousand acres of rough country was bought; and then began an era that was to transform the hills forever from their age-long beauty sleep. A hundred years ago the deer and turkey, unmolested, saw only an occasional Comanche youth glide by under the liveoaks. Fifty years ago they heard the creek and groan of

heavy wagons on the rocky road to Bandera. Twenty years ago the new day begun: roads were good; only the old settlers used wagons, and automobiles were everywhere.

But Helotes was still sleeping in the sun. Harness and horse collars still hung in the store, and sightseers stopped only to ask the way to somewhere else.

By 1940, however, the big change had come. People drove to Helotes and the Scenic Loop for a good time. The attraction of the hills had been advertised by radio and newspaper. Dude ranches were taking the public seriously. The public, hungry for the peace and tranquility of the country, was coming back for more. Many came to stay. Now homes sprang up. Bandera became a national "western" hyword as tourists came and went. And every Bandera visitor, for all these years, has passed through Helotes, going and coming.

Helotes between 1940 and 1950 has got itself the milk-teeth of a growing community—a fine rock church, a fine rock school, two modernized food stores, a wood working shop, a modern garage, a package house, a builders supply store, good roads, a bridge, and two expanding subdivisions west and north. The Helotes Inn has got its face newly rouged; a bigger and better post office is on the drawing board; and you can buy locally the last word in television and automatic water softening—a far cry from saddle soap and buckshop for tomorrow's meal. A city is being born.

Trade goes where it's invited, they say. Each weekend sees mountains of greenbacks race through Helotes in search of amusement farther west where advertising has invited it. One of the aims of this paper is to see one day the spirit of promotion take hold in the town and make Helotes once or twice a year the end-goal of those racing white-sidewalls, with a "western" carnival and rodeo to amuse the folks when they get here. If it's "western" fun they want, let 'em see it. If it's a "western" town they crave and want to live in, give 'em room and let 'em come!

The growth of Helotes is, in the present decade, beginning in earnest. Can it be made a planned growth, guided in the right direction? —THE HELOTES HIGHLANDER—June 9, 1950.

Handy Hints

To clean playing cards, dip small sponge or cloth in spirits of camphor and rub slightly. This restores newness.

Bend the hollow tin handle of dustpan to a right angle with the pan and insert a discarded broom handle. It avoids stooping.

To make a chemically treated dustcloth at home, put a generous sized piece of soft cloth into a hot, strong soapsuds with a few drops of turpentine in it. Let stand two hours, wring and dry. Treat once in two weeks.

Charlie's Corner—

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years of the 19th Century, Kendall also was one of the world's most influential men, founder and owner of the New Orleans Times-Picayune, the world's first war correspondent (in the Mexican War), international traveler and confidant of kings, Whigs, tycoons and ships' captains. He was buried in the cemetery at Boerne but not before he'd introduced oats and sheep to Texas and invested in the nation's first oil wells in Pennsylvania and turned down the second governorship of Texas. He was too busy writing articles to get people to come to the Texas Hill Country, which he said, in all his travels over the world, was the prettiest country he had ever found.

Like LBJ says again and again.

Recipe of the Month

GOLDEN FRUIT CAKE

Ingredients

- 2 cups (10 oz.) white raisins
- 2 pkg. (½ lb.) citron
- 2 pkg. (½ lb.) orange peel
- 2 pkg. (½ lb.) lemon peel
- ¼ lb. glace pineapple
- ¼ lb. glace cherries
- ¼ lb. shelled almonds
- 1 tsp. orange or lemon extract
- 4 cups (1 lb.) flour
- ½ tsp. salt
- 2 tsp. baking powder
- ½ lb. butter
- 2 cups sugar
- 6 eggs
- 1 cup orange juice

Directions

Prepare the fruits and nuts. Sift the flour, baking powder and salt over the fruit. Mix the fruit through the flour with fingertips. (Or warmed fork.) Cream the butter. Add sugar. Then add beaten eggs and flavoring. Stir in the floured fruit alternately with the orange juice. Bake in slow oven (300 to 325 degrees) for 1½ to 2½ hours. Weight of cake—about 6 pounds.

(This is the old recipe of famed cook—Mrs. H. J. McDermott. A fruit cake may be made weeks before it is wanted for serving and improves with aging—in a tin or wooden container.)

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Holiday Decorations To Be Garden Club Topic

"Holiday Arrangements and Christmas Cheer Projects" will be demonstrated by Julia Henderson from Handy Andy at the November 15 meeting of the Helotes Hills Garden Club.

Hostess for the occasion will be Mrs. Jack Wolfe, and the meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Norva Price, 10538 Rocking M Trail at 9:30 a.m.

Canon of Mass Now in English

As part of a nationwide ruling, the Masses celebrated by the Rev. Louis C. Trawalter, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, on Sunday, October 22, were said almost entirely in English. The American Bishops made it mandatory to include the Canon—the part of the Mass recalling Christ's last Supper—in English on that date for the first time.

The change was made to increase the congregation's understanding and participation in the part of the Mass which formerly was said in Latin.

Local Catholics—typical of the the 47,000,000 in the nation—expressed a mixed reaction, with most of them favoring the change.

The club, formed last Spring, meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. in the homes of members.

The latest project was a White Elephant Sale held October 21 at the Helotes Park Plaza with Mrs. Fred C. Anderson as chairman. This is the first money-making event and the proceeds are earmarked for community and charity purposes.

At the September meeting held in the home of Mrs. Wayne H. Cave on Bar X Trail with Mrs. Oscar Bendele as hostess for the morning coffee, the club heard Mrs. George Privette of the Alamo Heights Garden Club explain good organization. The local group plans to meet requirements for a standard club and to be affiliated with the Texas State Garden Clubs and the San Antonio Garden Center.

On October 25, the group met in the home of Mrs. Anderson on Circle A Trail. Hostess was Mrs. W. W. Le Sturgeon. Mrs. W. R. Grun gave a talk on the Iris.

Officers of the club, installed last May to serve until next May are Mrs. R. E. Stroud, president; Mrs. LeSturgeon, first vice president; Mrs. Homer Taylor, second vice president; Mrs. O. R. Legg, secretary, and Mrs. Wolfe, treasurer.

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Bob McCoy Dies at 61

Robert E. McCoy of Grey Forest died Sunday, October 15, at the age of 61. A resident of Scenic Loop Drive for many years, Mr. McCoy was a former director of the Scenic Loop Playground Club. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

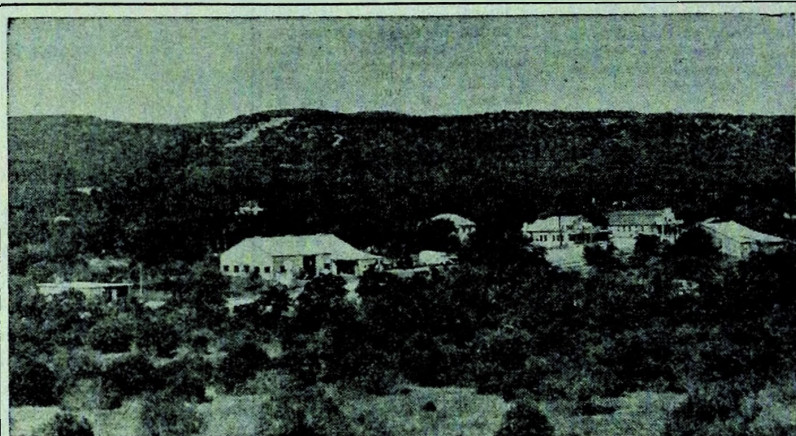
He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alta H. McCoy of Grey Forest. He is also survived by four sisters, two of whom reside in San Antonio, Mrs. Ethel Garven and Mrs. Lillian Grant; and two brothers, including Arno McCoy also of San Antonio.

He leaves a host of friends in this community.

Funeral services were in Roy Akers Chapel and burial was in Mission Burial Park.

Among organizations to which Mr. McCoy belonged was the Lion's Club, until illness forced his partial retirement. His death followed hospitalization of only two days, and was unexpected.

In addition to many memorials and flowers, countless friends expressed sympathy to Mrs. McCoy. She wishes to express her thanks to all those who have shown kindness in her loss.



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Sam Holliday Dies at 73

Mr. Sam Holliday died on Monday, September 25, 1967 at his Houston residence on 6417 Mercer Street, age 73.

Mr. Holliday was a native of Goliad and had lived in Houston a total of 21 years. He was a lawyer and a member of the Episcopal church.

Mr. and Mrs. Holliday were residents on Routes 4 near Helotes for some 15 to 20 years before returning to Houston this year. Mr. Holliday's death saddens many, and his loss will be felt by everyone who knew and loved him.

Several organizations, including the Women's Club, of which his widow is a member, contributed to the M. D. Anderson Cancer Research Fund in his memory.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Holliday; sons, Col. Sam C. Holliday, Pennsylvania; Robert W. Holliday, Marseille, France; daughters, Dr. Elizabeth Bratting, Houston; Mrs. Nancy Clendennen, Odessa; Mrs. Barbara Montague, Detroit, Mich.; 14 grandchildren, two nieces and two nephews.

Services were held Sept. 27 in Houston and interment was in Memorial Oaks Cemetery in Houston.

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Lanier Hands Rams Trouble in District

Marshall's Rams took the third straight loss after a blazing early season, on Friday night, October 20 at the hands of the Lanier Voks in a District 16-AAAA game played in Alamo Stadium. They met the first of the series of defeats from McCollum, and the second on Friday, October 13 on home grounds when the Brackenridge Eagles clipped them 13-6.

Cecilio Lara of Lanier—who is a fullback credited with his school's three previous wins—scored both touchdowns to boost the Lanier record to 5-2 for the season and leave Marshall 3-3.

Pass interceptions accomplished by Marshall kept the Voks from scoring throughout most of the game. The Voks tallied six points

each on their first and last possessions, although they owned the big end of these statistics: first downs 21-5, rushing yardage, 233-50 and passing yardage, 60-34.

Lara—with 51 points—holds second place in scoring in the district by a single point gained in the Ram game.

Marshall's deepest penetration resulted in a one-yard stalenate after Steve Tucker recovered a fumble on Lanier's 27 yard line.

McCollum—the team that set off the Marshall slump—on the past weekend beat the Laredo Martin Tigers 14-6 in District play to gain a 4-2 standing and drop Martin to 4:2-1.

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Sparky Fire Dept. To Meet Nov. 4

The next Sparky Fire Department meeting will be held November 4. Guest speaker will be Captain Frank Galloway, Fire Prevention Officer from Lackland Air Force Base Fire Department. He said he will try to bring

Lackland's "real, live Sparky" with him.

The Sparky Fire Department of the Helotes area held its first meeting, Saturday, October 7, from 3 to 5 p.m. In spite of the heavy rain, 20 children attended.

This fire department which is open to children from four years old up through the third grade, meets on the first Saturday of each month at the Helotes Fire Station on Bandera Road. Those under four years of age are welcome if accompanied by a parent.

The coordinator leader is Mrs. John A. Widner, and the group is sponsored here by the Helotes Area Volunteer Fire Department and nationally by the National Fire Protection Association.

Mrs. Widner explained to the children how Fire Prevention Week originated. She then introduced the children to Fire Chief Widner, who took them on a tour of the Fire Station. They saw the local fire trucks and other fire-fighting equipment.

After refreshments were served, the children received a Sparky lapel tab, a replica of the Fire Prevention Week poster to color, and a home fire inspection questionnaire to guide them in making their homes safe from fire.

Anyone interested in helping Mrs. Widner is invited to call her at My 5-3193 anytime on weekends or after 5 p.m. during the week.

Youth Club Plans Hayride

Mayor Jack Nottingham of Grey Forest has taken over duties of adult sponsor of the Grey Forest Youth Club replacing Mr. Ed Faust, who organized the club and has been its active sponsor until recently.

The next social event of the club is a Hayride to Brackenridge Park. High school aged boys and girls of the area are members. They also had a dance with a combo in the Youth Building a couple of Fridays ago.

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Robert Gregg Gibson left for Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri on October 10 to enter basic training in the Army.

Bobby Kraft left Helotes to report at 7:30 a.m., October 18, to the Naval Training Base at San Diego, California.

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10 Guild Paintings Shown at Bank

Ten artists of the Helotes Art Gallery are represented in a show at the Mercantile Bank & Trust of San Antonio from October 23 through November 17. Anne Lindsay, public relations chairman has announced.

The bank is located at 8810 McCullough and the artists chosen by judges to exhibit are Lillian Hurlbut, Dalma Royal, Mary Chase, Mary Hetherington, Vivian Love, Lou Ippolito, Dr. Malcolm Lancaster, Jean Gibson, Jim Tidmore and Anna Lindsey.

The Helotes Art Guild will meet November 3, with Jerry Greer as hostess, in the gallery at 7 p.m.

Direct Line...

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This Ray Price that John Floore wrote about in his column last time—I've been wondering what he looks like. We didn't get to the dance. Can you tell me if he wears a beard?

Here's a recent photo of the top Western and Country Star. As you see, he does not wear a beard. In fact, beards are not very common among the leading country musicians. Mr. Floore is on an Eastern tour as we go to press, but his column will be back next time.

ALONG OUR ROUTE

We are happy subscribers to the Echo and we wish you the very best.

Sincerely
Mrs. John A. Widner



RAY PRICE

Lutherans Hold Orientation Week

Zion Lutheran Church of Helotes held a five-day Mission, "Orientation for Christ" from Sunday, October 15 to October 19.

The Rev. Kermit Menking of Zion Lutheran Church in Fredericksburg was speaker at six sessions held. A message for children was included. A fellowship hour closed the program Thursday night.

The community was invited to attend. This church is located on Leslie and Braun Roads—on the newly constructed segment of Loop 1604.

Do you think a man's wife ought to go to his office?

Why, I would just as soon think of taking my stenographer home with me.

Birthdays Marked With Boerne Tour

The Silver Belles, an informal group who are on a first-name basis, did not want summer to interfere with celebration of birthdays. On September 19, they spent the day in Boerne and held a summer birthday luncheon for their members at Ye Kendall Inn. Those being honored included Annie Benham, Marie Conley, Grace Edwards, Estelle McCoy, and Wava Woodward.

After lunch, the members browsed in the antique shops, saw the art galleries, and toured the St. Andrews Gardens and towers—the former Konkrosky home now owned by the Benedictine sisters.

On October 10, they had a picnic at Lone Star Brewery Gardens and were taken on a conducted tour of the Museum and O'Henry place. They reported that they were given the Red Carpet treatment.

They also held a regular meeting October 12 at the home of Nadine Hartmann on Wagner Road with Wava Woodward, Linnie Barnum and Toots Marshall as the hostesses.

Some practical person should write a book on "How to Get Out of Doing It Yourself."

The thing that most women dread about their past is its length.

Forty years ago when a fellow said something about retiring he was talking about going to bed.

Sometimes a speech is like a wheel—the longer the spoke, the greater the tire.

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years but reside in San Antonio. When moving, Mrs. Schultze discovered a 1948 copy of the broadside SCENIC LOOPER among her papers.

Among sons of famous fathers who have lived in these hills, was Christy Mathewson, Jr., a flyer in World War II. His father was 16 years with the Giants. This greatest pitcher of his time won 372 games, winning 20 or more a year on an average. Born in 1880, Mathewson, who died in Oct. 7, 1925, never pitched a game on Sunday... He thought this mildly sinful. Mathewson, Jr. had a place of some hundred acres across from the present location of Alex Parrigin, who remembers him as an excellent neighbor. His land adjoined the old Spencer place.

The Boy Scouts held a campout at Camp Bullis on October 14 and 15. They walked through the mock Viet Nam village and worked on merit badges.

Four couples were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hurlbut at a buffet dinner served in their Helotes Park Estates home. The men work with Mr. Hurlbut in the Southwest Research Foundation's virology group working with the Arthropod vectors. Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbut will also attend a convention of the National Malaria & Hygiene Assn. in Philadelphia.

When Jeffrey Adam Widner celebrated his sixteenth birthday Sunday, October 15, his parents—Fire Chief and Mrs. John A. Widner—gave a party for him at their Park Estates home. His cake was decorated with a fire-truck. Besides balloons, guests received party fireman's hats for game favors and prizes.

A guest at the Van Doozer cabin has been Mrs. Gladys Roberts O'Neill, whose son Jim O'Neil was emcee on nationally televised Shindig. Mrs. O'Neill, a Californian, is an artist in her own right.

Mrs. C. F. Gibbins, who is one of Grey Forest's most enthusiastic fishermen, had her love of the sport decidedly dampened recently. While on her way to Twelve-Foot she slipped crossing the creek and broke her left arm in two places.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Harrison are transferring to Huntsville, Alabama after residing in Baltimore, Maryland. She is Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kempf of Grey Forest, and he is a brother of Mrs. R. W. Ayres of the Ranch Acres. Mrs. Kempf has visited in Maryland. The Harrisons with their three small children were here visiting this summer, and grandfather met the youngest.

Denise Mikel celebrated her sixteenth birthday October 17. She plans to complete her observance by making a trip to California after school vacation begins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne H. Cave visited Mr. Cave's mother in Houston recently where the latter is hospitalized with a broken back suffered in a wreck in Cheyenne, Wyoming. She was on a return trip to Texas when her camper was struck by a cattle truck.

B. J. Brown of Helotes Park Estates has gone to Colorado for his annual deer hunting tour.

He—Does it matter what you wear tonight?

She—Does it matter! I should say it does. Why, only my old friends will be there.

Her social position is fully assured, isn't it?

Dear me, yes. She told me the other day confidentially that she had now gotten to the point where she could snub her best friends without injury.

Most troubles that so rouse our fret—when everything seems going wrong, Are trifles that we'd quite forget If a real trouble came along. Strickland Gillilan

American contractor—These pyramids have been here for some time, haven't they? Egyptian guide—Thousands of years, sir.

American contractor—Um. Pity to let all that material go to waste. Why, there's enough for the foundation of a whole city of houses; and practically all ready.

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