



Person-to-Person

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and daughters, of Grey Forest, vacationing last week, divided their holidays between the upper Frio River and Six Flags Over Texas amusement park.

To be married Saturday evening in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Helotes, are Brenda Marie Stoltz of Helotes and Edward Fite.

Guests last week at Cactus Jack's Steak Loft were Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Terry and Mrs. Terry's brother from Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Beckmann, of San Antonio, planning to build a country home on their property between Scenic Loop Road and Wagner Road.

A new resident of Grey Forest is Mr. Terry Anderson, San Antonio homebuilder and developer, who has built a home for himself on Scenic Loop Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Zepeda, "Jr.", have bought a new home in One North Place.

Shag Floore of Fort Worth, brother of John T. Floore and Mrs. Bern Vinck, is reported to be ill. They plan to visit him soon and he is expecting a visit from his other two sisters who reside in Florida to cheer him.

Mrs. Thurm Dunford of Wytheville, Va., has been enjoying a stream of company from Helotes. First her son, Howard Dunford, was among those attending a family gathering there, and now her other son and his family, the E. J. Dunfords accompanied by their daughter Doris, as well as their youngest son, and little granddaughter Michele Graham. Michele will meet her great-grandmother for the first time on this trip.

Herman Cole of Bandera recently visited in Mexico City. Another group enjoying the Capital City of Mexico were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McClellan, their little daughters, and another couple who are their close friends. They went by car and plane and will visit relatives there.

Mrs. Peggy Cooper combined business with pleasure on a trip to her native Louisiana, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregory, longtime residents here, have moved to San Antonio.

Dana Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis R. Price, Helotes Park Estates, will appear in a play, "Witching Time," at North Texas State University, Denton, Aug. 6-9. Dana is a senior at the university.



Staff Photo

AT START of trail ride, Kitty Fischer leads her group to Floore Country Store to get "Mayor" John T.'s official send-off. (Additional photo on Page 4)

TO SIX FLAGS

Kitty Makes It!

Not since the days of the great cattle drives had Fort Worth seen anything so authentic as the veterans of a 280-mile trail ride which started out from Helotes July 5 and triumphantly arrived on schedule July 13 at Arlington's Six Flags Over Texas.

With Mrs. Allen (Kitty) Fischer as trailboss, the riders were greeted with full press and television coverage. Then they were asked to remain over a day because of the wide interest they attracted at Six Flags and to enjoy their triumph over July heat and pavement in an average daily ride of 30 to 40 miles. They had been cheered at all stops and entertained at some. Various riders had joined for shorter jaunts, but the original horses leaving directly from Helotes were there with their riders.

However, the day set for return to Helotes also coincided with the quarantine of all horses in the State to fight VEE which was discovered spreading from South Texas and Mexico.

Placed under quarantine were all the horses that made the ride. Since no horses in the State are to be moved until 14 days after vaccination, the ranchers of the Fort Worth area provided a pasture for them. None was reported in ill health, and this is merely a precautionary measure.

The ride was billed as the first annual "Six Flags Over Texas" trail ride, and hopefully will be the first of a long series, as Mrs. Fischer accepted the invitation. No doubt, the quarantine will be lifted and the horses will be home soon, one rider said.

Sewer problems in the Helotes area will be practically over if a regional waste water disposal system proposed by the Alamo Area Council of Governments Tuesday morning at a public hearing in San Antonio is adopted.

The gist of the plan is that the City of San Antonio is to extend its sewer lines into all newly developed areas of the county, and the sewerage then taken to San Antonio's three existing treatment plants near

Mitchell Lake on the south side. Every user of the system would have to pay a charge, of course.

The plan would eliminate or tie-in the numerous small treatment plants now located through-

Top Stars Set for Benefit at Floore

A star-studded benefit dance for Rusty Locke will feature Willie Nelson and his orchestra and the Texas Top Hands with

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VEE Shots Now Free

No new cases of VEE — Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis—had been reported in the Helotes area early this week. The first case in Bexar County was that suffered by an Appaloosa owned by the Clay Walkers of Helotes Ranch Acres. The horse has recovered, but is still under observation.

Geronimo Dam Gets Okay

The consulting firm of Lodal & Bain has been retained to make necessary studies and to perform design work leading to construction of a recharge dam on San Geronimo Creek.

The Manager of the Edwards Underground Water District announced this month that the District received authorization to employ the engineering firm at a special meeting on June 15 of the Board of Directors.

Directors Haby of Castroville and Van DeWalle of San Antonio are contacting landowners along the Creek to insure that whatever the District does is agreeable, according to word from the headquarters in Tower Life Building in San Antonio.

The San Geronimo which parallels the Bandera Highway Northwest of Helotes is a feature of the landscape along terrain which will also include the projected new Ranch Town a couple of miles above the Helotes downtown area.

The dam will be located on the Bexar County-Medina County line. It will be a low dam as its purpose will be to help put water back in the Edwards aquifer.

Fire Departments Open Dues Drive

Both the Helotes Area Volunteer Fire Department and the Grey Forest Volunteer Fire Department have issued urgent appeals for support from citizens of these areas during their current annual membership drive. Contributions of \$5 or more should be mailed now by home owners to the fire department serving their area. Commercial contributions are \$10 or more.

Meanwhile, vaccination of all horses in the area continued and all horses are quarantined (except to go to a vaccination center).

The outbreak of the disease is so serious that the government has ordered the vaccination of every horse in the five Southwestern states of Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico. The government will furnish the vaccine and pay the veterinarians.

Dr. William S. Rowe, well-known Helotes veterinarian, explained that the veterinarians are donating their time and mileage. "We are paid \$4 per horse by the government for fixing up the vaccine, the paper work, syringes, needles, etc. The serum is kept on the south of town and is picked up at 6 a.m. daily by the weary veterinarians, who then make their rounds and next morning carry back the empties."

Dr. Rowe has been called as far away as Poteet, but he does not find indications that any local horses so far are down with the illness. However, he emphasized that all precautions should be taken by horse owners.

The disease is supposed to have appeared in South America and spread north, entering Texas at the Lower Rio Grande Valley. It can strike both horses and humans, but humans usually recover after a flu-like illness.

The outbreak of VEE overshadows all other events of the summer of 1971 in this area so far. It stopped all rodeos, horse races, and horse shows, besides the distress it brought to horse owners.

BULLETIN

The Grey Forest City Council Wednesday night authorized the use of the tank truck of the Grey Forest Fire Department to haul water on an emergency basis to residents whose wells have failed or are failing because of the drought. Persons needing water should phone the city hall, 695-3261.

Regional Sewer Plan Will Include Helotes

The regional plan is based on a projection that the major population growth in Bexar County in the next 30 years will be in the north and northwest areas. Thomas Koch, AACOG sewer system planner, said the population in these areas will be up by 200,000 persons in the next three decades.

Deadline for approval of the plan by the Governor is Sept. 1. Then it will be eligible for state and federal grants to begin construction.

Ribbon Cut for Parrigin Pavilion



(Photo by Bill Terry)

MISS MARIE PARRIGIN cuts the ribbon in a ceremony officially dedicating the Alex Parrigin Pavilion just completed by the Lions' Club of Helotes and named for one of the founders and two-time former President who died at the age of 96 on Feb. 22. Plans had been projected earlier.

With her to the left is Lion's Club District Governor Joseph C. Strange and to the right are Past District Governor Bert Slater and Helotes Lion's Club President Jap Jones. Proceeds from the benefit dance with Dale Keith and the Starlite Ramblers netted the project \$400, a spokesman said.

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"The SBA will contact leaders in every community of the South and Central Texas area and hold drouth assistance meetings in 46 counties to explain the low interest, long-term loans that the Agency now has available for deserving businesses," Jim Reed, District Director of the San Antonio SBA office, announced.

The Administration has empowered this Agency to make business loans up to \$100,000 for periods as long as 30 years, for an interest rate of 5 1/4%. These will be direct loans and our loan officers will be taking information and applications into every county in this district," he SBA Director said.

"Many businesses in our rural communities qualify for assistance since much of their business is directly with farmers and ranchers. Applicants must substantiate their losses, but in most cases that is not too difficult if adequate business records are maintained."

The loan program is designed primarily to help businesses with working capital problems and to pay financial obligations, with the exception of bank loans, which they would have been able to meet had they not lost income due to the drouth.

Farmers and stockmen are not eligible for disaster loans from SBA but should apply instead to the Farmers Home Administration.

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kins, both formerly with the D. J. Honigblum Company of San Antonio, have found the response encouraging.

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IN THIS LANDMARK store building at Bandera and Grissom Roads in Leon Valley, the new Design Carpets and Interiors, Inc., are now celebrating their grand opening. The interior has been completely remodeled, and the entrance now has handsome carved double doors. All Helotes area residents are invited to visit. (Staff photo by Bill Terry)

They report that their present success was projected to take a year, but now they are already thinking of expanding their well-designed offices in the landmark rock store located at 6700 Bandera Road. In addition to an added showroom, they plan to build a warehouse on the property.

The present operation—one of the largest in Northwest Bexar County—features a large show-

cording to Mr. Kay.

Design Carpets and Interiors also will specialize in bedding, lamps, accessories, furniture, custom draperies, and custom upholstery.

The staff of interior designers includes Pat Trenton and Elizabeth Munn, both A.I.D. affiliates.

Everyone is invited to stop by during the grand opening.

New Mexico Scholarships Go To Two



James Logan

Two lettermen from John Marshall High School who received their diplomas May 29, 1971, have been granted four-year football scholarships from Eastern New Mexico University located at Portales, New Mexico.

They are James David Logan, 19 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Logan of Logan's Playground near San Geronimo, and Kevin Wynn, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wynn of Canterfield in Leon Valley. They are scheduled to report to the University on August 15 for training.

James is a three-year letterman having played fullback and tailback for the Marshall Rams. In his senior year he was captain of his offensive team and was named 1970 "Mr. Touch-down."

Kevin was also an outstanding player and in his senior year played end.

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Irrigation Increases

AUSTIN—Texas irrigated acreage increased 1.5 million acres during the 11-year period of 1958 to 1969, an inventory of irrigation in Texas published by the Water Development Board shows.

Copies of Report 127 are available without charge from the Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711.

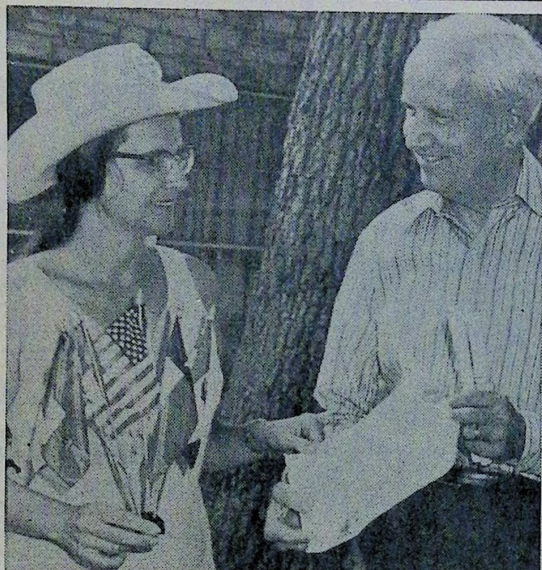


Photo by Bill Terry

KITTY FISCHER presents six flags of Texas to Mayor C. O. Brown of Grey Forest and receives saddle bag of scrolls conveying greetings from Grey Forest to citizens of towns that the Six Flags Trail Ride passed through en route to Arlington.

You Can Ask Aunt Kate

(An Echo ★ Feature)

Getting in hot water can sometimes be an advantage. When cutting fresh bread, dip knife in hot water.

To shell pecans easily, pour boiling water over the unshelled nuts. Let stand in bowl one minute before draining. They shell easily then.

Boiling water makes stringing beans a cinch. After washing, plunge them in boiling water. After five minutes, drain and string.

Lemon rinds boiled with cup-towels will clean and whiten the towels and will remove discoloration from cooking vessels.

On the other hand, rinse a pan in cold water before scalding milk for custards to prevent sticking.

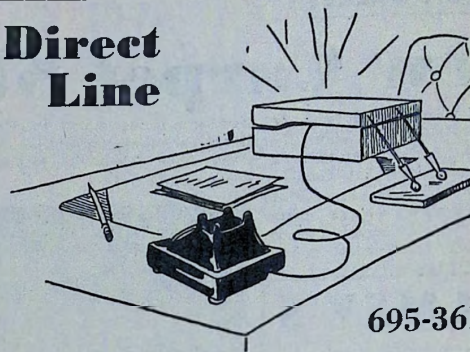
To peel tomatoes, peaches or pears, dip quickly in boiling water and the skin will slip off easily.

To keep upholstery new—vacuum with brush attachment once a week. Once a month dip clean terry cloth towel in a light cleaning fluid, and go over the upholstery to remove spots and soil.

For delicious hamburgers—sprinkle salt in the skillet or on griddle first. When salt is heated to popping, put in meat. Turn once. Skip the grease, spatier and guess work.

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QUESTION:

What is the difference between foster care and adoption?

ANSWER:

According to Patricia Lawrence, regional adoption supervisor, Texas Department of Public Welfare:

Foster care is substitute care for children whose natural parents are temporarily unable to properly meet their needs.

Adoption is the permanent and legal step to make the child a regular member of the family, thereby taking overall responsibility for his future development.

The Texas State Department of Public Welfare in this region needs adoptive and foster homes for school-age Mexican-American and Black children. For further information, call 435-0541 (adoption) or 223-9403 (foster care) in San Antonio.

How much pollutant load, both natural and man-made, can a stream absorb and yet maintain water quality at a level suitable for its designated uses? J. D.

If the answer could be accurately predicted, then we would have the way to provide for the state's water needs, reasoned personnel of the Texas Water Development Board and its consulting firm, Frank D. Masch and Associates. Also, steps might then be taken by the appropriate State agencies to alleviate or eliminate any waste discharges that exceeded the maximum amount the stream can absorb.

They advised a mathematical modeling system known as QUAL-I that uses a computer to simulate a stream system and to evaluate the effects of a given waste loading upon that system.

The results of these research efforts are described in a highly technical new publication, "Simulation of Water Quality in Streams and Canals."

Copies of this report, number 128, "Simulation of Water Quality in Streams and Canals," are available without charge from the Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711.

Pat Neff Art Students Praised for Murals

Art students at Pat Neff Junior High School are receiving much deserved recognition for the mosaic murals they have designed and paid for, and which now decorate the school's inner courtyard.

The first mural was done by the class of 1966 and each succeeding art class over the last five years has added to the project. Each class selects the subject for its mural and then, following extensive reference work, decides on the design and scene to be depicted.

All the murals are in the pioneer theme and among the present murals are one entitled "And They Came" featuring men and women on their travels in covered wagons, "Some Came to Settle Her Land" showing the faces of a pioneer family, and others which depict the industry

and products of Texas.

This year's theme is "Texas Animals, Flowers, and Wild Life," and 150 students will be involved in cutting and setting the tile for what will become the latest mosaic mural in this young people's art contribution to the community.

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This is the second year Danny has won the "Outstanding Performer" award. Last year, he won the award for solo on the snare drum.

Representing the Holmes High School Band also was Jay Volney, who won a Division One medal for an oboe solo.

Division Two medals were presented to Jay Volney as English horn soloist, Steve Keen, trumpet soloist, and Dwayne Goslin, Kyle Miller, Mike Ezzell, and Larry Flynn, members of the saxophone quartet.

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Homeplace

(An Echo ★ Feature)

Guest Column
By Frankie Johnson
Antiquing As You Like It

Antiquing can be fun, creative and inexpensive. By making your own mixtures, you can save money on "kit packaging," and the entire color selection is yours to work with. You can even use that left-over paint in the garage. Odd-shaped furniture, baskets or "whatever you like" can become a conversation piece. Just be sure the surface to be painted is clean and free of loose paint. Surface indentures and cracks add charm and individuality after glazing.

1. Base Coat: Any latex or enamel paint you like. Dry two hours for latex, and overnight for enamel. Sand lightly.

2. Glaze: Use a contrasting color; 50% turpentine to 50% enamel or a wiping stain you like. Dry overnight.

3. Varnish: Use either dull or bright finish. Even tint your varnish if you desire. This phase is optional depending on wear of the piece.

"Do your own thing." Choose colors that will add interest. For starters, work with boxes, baskets, or other small items. If glazing is not to your liking, remove with turpentine and start again. Try it, it's fun!

Club to Meet Aug. 8

Residents of Grey Forest and their friends are invited to a covered dish supper—the regular quarterly meeting of Scenic Loop Playground Club, Inc.—on Sunday, August 8, at 7 p.m. in the Youth Bldg., Rev. Sam Terry has announced. Mayor Charles O. Brown of Grey Forest will discuss the problems and goals of the City.

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Officials of the Government Employees Credit Union (GECU) or San Antonio, have removed limits on student loans to assist members and their dependents in furthering their education for trades, according to Jim R. Williams, president of the 36,500 member organization.

Williams stated: "We offer our members GECU education loans at three quarters of one percent per month on the unpaid balance, and Federally insured student loans at 7% simple interest.

He added: We have applications in excess of \$272,000, and we are anxious to assist all eligible students.

By mid June, GECU had limited loans in the Federally insured student loan program to 100,000 per annum.

The loans are available to students who attend colleges, universities, business, trade, technical and vocational schools at least

on a half-time basis, said Williams.

We honor all requests for student loans on a first-come, first-serve basis, regardless of the vocations sought. With enrollment time nearing, all members who have students and need financial assistance are encouraged to submit applications, so that the funds will be available when school gets underway. Federally insured loans have to be processed through the Director of Higher Education at Dallas, and this takes time," commented Williams.

Officials of GECU eliminated the limit on amount of money to

be made available for student loans to promote trades, and technical vocations by student dependents of members. Williams stated, "Too many feel that student loans are only made to those attending college, and in the past the bulk of our student loans were made in this area.

It is our hope that as many student dependents who plan and want to attend a business, trade, technical or vocational school, will have their aspirations honored."

Repayment on Federally insured student loans begins between nine and 12 months following course completion. Deferrals on payment are allowed up to three years for military service, Peace Corps, VISTA or during any period that the student returns to school on a full-time basis.

The main office of GECU is at

406 Durango Blvd., with branch offices at Fort Sam Houston, Building 342 and Kelly Air Force Base, Building 64.

Person To Person

Two recent arrivals in far-away places are being greeted by friends and kinfolks from here.

It's a baby girl—Amanda Savoy—born at Ramo Air Base in Puerto Rico to Capt. and Mrs. Dennis Vanidestine. She is the namesake of her great-grandmother, Mrs. Charles (Amanda) Patterson of Leon Valley where her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhn also reside.

Then from Azusa, California, comes announcement of the arrival of Rodney William Miller—hereafter known as Billy—who weighed in at seven pounds one ounce on June 20 at Glendora Hospital there. His proud parents are H. L. and Susan Miller—formerly of Mr. M's here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Fleming have moved from Hills and Dales to Medina City where they have a "little ranch." They and their children, Rhonda, H. L. and Christine, have called Helotes home for six years. Friends can locate them at Medina on Route 2, one-half mile from the main part of town on 1336, and they will have the welcome mat out, they said.

Fran Allen Dies In Auto Accident

Mrs. Frances Stone Allen, 53 years old, who has operated a business at Helotes Park Plaza for the past several years, died June 7 after her car was in collision with another on Loop 410 between Marbach Road and Highway 90 W. The accident also claimed the life of a 23-year-old woman in another vehicle.

Mrs. Allen, who resided on Mission Road in San Antonio, is survived by her daughters, Mrs. Polli Allison and Mrs. Patti Watson, and two grandchildren in addition to her mother, Mrs. Stella Stone, and her sister, Mrs. Aloha Campbell.

Services were held at Roy Akers Funeral Chapel on June 10 with Rev. T. Ervin Vegle officiating. Interment was at Rose-lawn Memorial Park.

Sympathy is extended to her family in their loss.

MRS. ECHTERHOFF

Mrs. Wanda Lillian Echterhoff, of 10530 Rocking M Trail, Helotes Park Estates, died Saturday, July 3, at the age of 54. She is survived by her son, one brother, and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Echterhoff was buried in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery on Tuesday, July 6, following requiem mass in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Helotes.

Milton E. James was appointed to the Planning and Zoning Commission of Grey Forest by the city council at its meeting Wednesday night.

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Festive Fashion

(Echo ★ Feature)

By Virginia Van Steenberg

In these times of fashion frustration—there is an old rule that still holds . . . Proceed from the known to the unknown."

And that means getting down to the unknown secrets lurking in the closets and on shelves or wherever all those long-ago purchased items might be.

One of our fondest memories at this time of year was the custom of looking over every garment and accessory in our wardrobe to see what possibly could be worn, torn for rags, handed on to others, or recycled for the coming season. After this, of course, came the joy of planning what could be bought to make the impression that we were just stepping out of a fashion magazine that happened to feature what we liked. Especially in times of change—some of us wouldn't get caught dead in the latest.

This process was called shopping in our own store . . . and the object was to make room for storage of some of the goodies in the local stores or—lacking the ready-made—what we could get made. Often the seamstress came in to check garments for

restyling before taking home the latest designs and materials.

With school starting in August these days, hours for shopping must be scheduled now. But if a wardrobe contains clothes that will not be right for the kind of life you expect to lead in the next few months, it is wasteful or disappointing and expensive. The habit of not looking in the bureau or closet before you leap into the family car to make exhausting rounds of the stores is best broken at this time of year.

Our technique was to put up rods around a large room and with the aid of the best mirror in the house, try, try, try.

If growing children can no longer wear an item, a smaller member may find it useful. The home shopping saves trouble, for if the younger one can look the garment over, it loses its hand-me-down nature.

Of course, if a mamma has been successfully resorting shirts and socks and placing them in the next smallest's drawer, that doesn't need changing. But if a child is going to refuse to wear an older brother's or sister's clothes, it is better to know and deal with the problem.

By saving on everyday items, the clothing budget can often be stretched to allow for pure luxury items. One technique is to convert slightly faded knit blouses and sometimes slacks into pajamas—saving a little extra for a special dress.

School rules should be consulted before the big shopping spree. Some clothes—such as for gym—are required. And some are not allowed—for reasons known only to school principals. Avoid unnecessary clashing by observing school rules.

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Credit Union Pays in July

Members of Government Employees Credit Union (GECU) of San Antonio are sharing in the 43rd consecutive dividend yield, according to J. S. Burton, Chairman, Board of Directors.

The 36,505-member organization with assets of \$34.8 million paid a quarterly dividend at a rate of 5 1/4% per annum on July 1, resulting in a \$420,017 distribution among shareholders. On March 31, GECU distributed \$378,379 in dividends to its members bringing the total so far this year to \$798,393, reports Burton.

Stan Burton Heads Govt. Credit Union

Joseph S. "Stan" Burton, 319 Killarney, program analyst at Kelly Air Force Base has been elected chairman of the Board of Directors for the 35,000-member Government Employees Credit Union of San Antonio.

Burton is a native of Villa Ridge, Missouri, a World War II veteran of the Army Air Corps, and is a 1959 graduate of St. Mary's University majoring in finance. He is also an alumnus of St. Louis University, St. Louis, Mo., Butler University, Indianapolis, Ind., and Trinity University, San Antonio. An active Presbyterian layman, with participating interest in the education field, and the Kelly Management Club, he has been on the GECU board since 1963. He is married and they have five children.

Charles Panzer, 1126 Mt. Riga, Budget Officer for Fort Sam Houston was named vice chairman. Larry E. Morris, 3206 Bluefield, was re-elected secretary and A. Gayle Sinclair, Jr., 8738 Sagebrush Lane, was designated treasurer.

George C. Lambkin, 142 Glencoe, Information Officer for Fort Sam Houston, was elected chairman of the primary Credit Committee, with G. C. Levisay, 3639 Lakefield, of the Brooke Army Medical Center, Civilian Personnel Office, and A. Jimenez, 205 Prinz, of the Kelly Air Force Base Civilian Personnel Office, as committeemen. Alternate Credit Committee members from the board include: Fernando N. Villasana, 230 Mary Louise; Joseph Burton, A. Gayle Sinclair, and Larry E. Morris of Kelly Air Force Base; James Farguhar, 155 Brightwood of Fourth U.S. Army and Charles Panzer of Fort Sam Houston.

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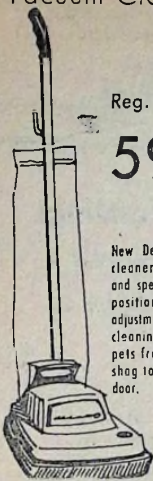
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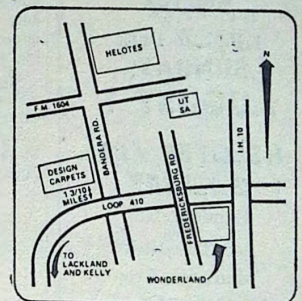
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