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## Person-to-Person

Registration for the Greater Helotes Little League will continue Saturday morning, Feb. 6, at Ernest Kempf Park on Braun Road.

Robert L. Anchondo, Star Route, Box 129C, received a master's degree in history from Trinity University in a recent commencement ceremony.

Two local residents will teach short courses at San Antonio College this spring. Cile Murray of the Handmaiden Shop will teach a course in stained glass production, and Jack Nottingham of the Helotes Auction Barn will teach a course on the Texas Auctioneer Law.

The Krazy Krew Bunco Club keeps rolling along. They next will meet at the home of Norma Pittman. The January meeting was hosted by Vi Tuma. Winner of the Bunco Prize was May Roan. Other winners: Vi, first prize; Boots Hadlock, second prize; Eleanor Nelson, booby prize; and Jerry Coghill, consolation prize.

The officials of the City of Helotes invites all to an open house Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7, from 2 to 5 o'clock, at their temporary city hall quarters in the Helotes Volunteer Fire Department building. Councilwoman Verena Thompson said for everybody to please come.

The John Marshall High varsity cheerleaders have been invited to a national competition in Santa Monica, Calif., on Saturday, Feb. 13. The \$500 prize they won as first prize in the Joske's-Coca Cola city-wide competition in August will be used to help pay their expenses for the California trip. The Coca Cola Bottling Company has donated another \$500, and the Ram Boosters Club \$500. Other donations will be welcome.

## MARSHALL STOCK SHOW

### TOPS \$185,000

#### Jana Wilson Exhibits Grand Champ



Grand Champion Steer was shown by Jana Wilson and Reserve Grand Champion by Marilyn Persyn.

Photos by Dick Miller

Results from the ninth annual John Marshall FFA and Northside 4-H Auction, January 30, 1982, while not up to the record 1981 sale of \$192,000, had quality exhibits and eager buyers.

The Grand Champion Steer was exhibited by Jana Wilson and purchased by Preston Dairy for \$6300.00. The Grand Champion Swine was exhibited by Jeff Thomas and was purchased by University National Bank for \$2500.00. The Grand Champion Lamb was exhibited by Jody Tomlinson and purchased by

Mars Plumbing for \$2300.00.

The Grand Champion Turkey was exhibited by Bobby Singleton and was purchased by Southwest Oil for \$1100.00. The Grand Champion Rabbit was exhibited by Brent Tipton and purchased by the Jeanerie and Western Wear for \$700.00.

Du Mor Enterprises paid \$1100.00 for the Grand Champion Broiler, which was exhibited by Randall Griggs. San Antonio Bank and trust purchased the Reserve Grand Champion Steer, exhibited by Marilyn Persyn, for \$3200.00. Ken Batchelor Cadillac purchased the Reserve Grand Champion Swine for \$1900.00; The swine was exhibited by Frank Payne.

The Reserve Grand Champion Turkey was exhibited by Matt Burkholder and purchased by the Jim Keller Company for \$1000.00. The Reserve Grand Champion Rabbit was exhibited by Dana Whitley and was purchased by Du Mor Enterprises for \$1200.00. The Reserve Grand Champion Broiler was exhibited by Joe John Reyes and sold to Tousley Lumber for \$1000.00.

The John Marshall FFA Booster Club gained \$4700.00 by auctioning off a family of goats. The day was deemed a success with the total of auction bids in excess of \$185,000. Participants in this year's auction were the John Marshall FFA and several North Bexar County 4-H groups. Brian Stacy was the auctioneer.



Randall Griggs had the Grand Champion Broilers with Joe John Reyes showing the Reserve Grand Champion.



Grand Champion Rabbit was exhibited by Randall Griggs and Reserve Grand Champion, above, by Dana Whitley.



Jeff Thomas had Grand Champion Swine and Frank Payne had the Reserve Grand Champion.

## Four New Schools To Open Next Fall

"Work is progressing well on schedule and we anticipate the four new schools and the Holmes High School Vocational Building will open on schedule for the start of the new school year in September," says T.E. McGuire, Northside School District Associate Superintendent for Building and Planning.

According to McGuire, construction progress at each construction site is as follows:

**BRAUN STATION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL—**

8631 Tezel Road—Masonry work is 95% complete and all plumbing and electrical work is approximately 80% complete. Fire safety systems have been installed and duct work is 75% complete. Architect for the project is Noonan & Dockery & Noonan & Rogers. Contractor is Descon Construction Company.

**HERITAGE NORTHWEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL—**10403 Dugas Drive—Interior and exterior block work is half finished in the center section and in-

terior block and exterior brick is completed on the first section. Work is in progress on the gym roof. Architect for Heritage Northwest is Phelps & Simmons & Garza. Contractor is Calvin Koltzman Company, Inc. **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN NORTHWEST CROSSING SUBDIVISION—**10255 Dover Ridge—Support columns and roof joints are being placed for the west classroom section and gym. The cafeteria slab has been poured. Architect is the Marmon Mok

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## Ed Cody Resigns As Superintendent

Ed Cody, superintendent of Northside School District the past 17 years, has announced his retirement effective July 1.

The move by the 55-year-old superintendent was called by Board President Raul Fernandez, "A move typical of Cody...interested first and foremost in the smooth transition of leadership of the state's 13th largest public school system." The board handed command to Deputy

Superintendent Jack Jordan.

Trustees were advised of Cody's intentions to retire in an executive session of the board held Monday, Feb. 1.

Jordan has been groomed for the superintendency as Cody's top administrative advisor since becoming deputy in 1967. Continuity was a prevailing theme in Fernandez' remarks, as he pointed out Cody has been in NISD 31 years, Jordan 22 years.

Together the team sought citizen support for more than \$100 million in bonds to build more than 30 new schools. The northwest Bexar County District student body grew during the period from 3,300 to today's 34,500.

Addressing his future plans, Ed Cody said, "I expect to stay active in education." This may have been in reference to the prestige as a Texas educator which prompted his appointment last year a chairman of the State Textbook Committee. Cody has also been president of the Texas Association of Suburban Schools, serves on many education advisory committees and the boards of directors for North San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, Youth for Christ, Metropolitan Youth Agency Task Force and Executive Committee of Region 20 Education Service Center. He is a life member of the Texas and National Parent Teacher Associations.

Jack C. Jordan, 51, will come to the superintendency this summer with a list of community and education contributions in his own right. A former Kettering Foundation Fellow, Jordan is a graduate of Southwest Texas State University and is a charter member of the San Antonio chapter of Phi Delta Kappa. Jordan also served on the City of Leon Valley Capital Improvements Committee, which planned the city's successful bond election in 1979.

He is responsible for developing the Northside Administrative Internship Management Program and Management Evaluation/Supervision Programs. He was the first principal of Holmes High School (1964-67) before becoming deputy superintendent.

Jordan is a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church Pastor-Parish Relations Committee. He and his wife Ann, a Stevenson Middle School teacher, have three daughters, and served as American Field Service host parents.

## Country Music Takes Over River Today

Country music will resound along the Paseo del Rio during the 13th annual Great Country River Festival, Feb. 5, 6 and 7.

The admission-free festival will feature continuous live entertainment at six staging areas along the downtown River Walk from La Mansion del Rio to the Arneson River Theatre, and up the River Extension to the Marriott Hotel.

Nashville recording artists to perform on the Arneson River Theatre stage include Barbara Fairchild, Johnny Bush, Kenny Dale, Jim Chesnut, Sylvia, Donna Hazard, Wayne Massey, Frenchie Burke, Rich Landers and Valentino. George Chambers and the Country Gentlemen will play.

Also appearing will be George Straight, Lofton Kline, Jimmy Peters, Earl Thomas Conley, Darrell McCall, Leon Everett, Mundo Earwood, Gary Morris, Bubba Littrell, Reba McIntyre, Billy Larkin and Brian Collins. Personalities from KKYX Radio will emcee the Arneson program.

Bands from San Antonio and the surrounding area who will be performing are Denim & Diamonds, The Outcasts, American Express, Cactus Country, Dick Allen and the River Road Boys, Country Boogie Band, Jackson Boone and the Blue Jean Cowboys, Spur of the Moment, James Casey and the Texas Swing Band and Texas Lightning.

Also performing are The Darryl Dugosh Band and Sandra Powell, Crossover, Boot Hill, Nashville Drifters, Country Love, Sundown, Ozz, Driftwood, The Davenport Family, Legends of Country Swing and Susan Alexander, Candee & The Goolacks, The Lone Star Fiddlers, Suzanne Carlson, Shane Cody, Tony Pampa & Country Cookin' Sound, Armadillo Express, Rhythms of Country Music, The Smokey Mountain Band and Larry Hernandez & Silver Country.

Booths offering chuckwagon-style food, beer, wine coolers, soft drinks, arts and crafts will line the River Walk during the three-day

event.

Hours for the festival are 5 to 11 p.m. on Friday, noon to 11 p.m. on Saturday and noon to 10 p.m. on Sunday.

The Great Country River Festival is co-sponsored by the Paseo del Rio and KKYX Radio.

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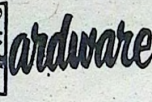
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## Joe Van De Walle, Jr. Launches Campaign For County Commissioner, Precinct 2

The great, great grandson of two pioneers of Helotes has launched his campaign for County Commissioner of Precinct 2 as a Republican candidate. Joe Van De Walle, Jr., descendant of Dr. Gabriel Marnoch and Frank Niklaus Woller — early pioneers of this area — has made plans for an active campaign which will emphasize "More Jobs — Less Taxes" and will feature a unique slogan: "If You 'Carrot All', You'll Vote For Van De Walle!" This slogan, according to Joe, is appropriate because it denotes his involvement with agriculture since childhood.

The Van De Walle Farms, Inc., where Joe is Sales Manager, grows hundreds of acres of carrots and processes them for shipment year-round. He also selected the slogan, which features a picture of a carrot, because he feels that the agricultural industry is vital to the economic growth of this area. Joe plans to carry out his promise of "More Jobs — Less Taxes" by encouraging more industries to establish in his precinct. This will guarantee more jobs, more income to the community and a better

opportunity to insure a reduction in taxes.

Joe, age 39, graduated from Texas A. & M. University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Economics. He's currently Sales Manager of Van De Walle Farms, Inc., San Antonio. His credentials include: President, Bexar County Farm Bureau (1971); Vice-Pres., Bexar County Farm Bureau (1974-75); Chairman, Texas Pepper Foundation (1976-79); Vice-Chairman, Texas Pepper Foundation (1981-82); Treasurer, Texas Vegetable Association (1980); Vice-Chairman, Texas Vegetable Association (1980-81); and President, Texas Vegetable Association (1981-82).

Joe, married to Carol Ann Haecker, is a descendant of two prominent families in the Helotes area. His great, great grandfather — Niklaus Woller settled here in 1861; and Dr. Gabriel W. Marnoch, noted Texas naturalist, physician and biologist, established residency here in 1844. Dr. Marnoch, Joe's great, great grandfather, is credited with the discovery and description of the Balcones Fault in 1844, as

well as the identification of a species of frogs in 1878 now known as the "kilmarnock" frog. Joe's family history also traces back to two other pioneers who lived at the Leon Creek Crossing (near KKYX Radio Station) — George James (John) and Mary Anna Marnoch. An interesting change in the spelling of "Marnoch" to "Marnock" came about when Joe's grandfather, Alfred, decided he preferred the latter spelling! Alfred married Mary Woller, a Helotes resident and had five children. Mary Woller Marnock still resides in Helotes. Her daughter, Lorraine — Joe's Mother — resides in San Antonio near the Van De Walle Farms Main Office.

### More.... Person to Person

Lloyd M. Knowlton has been given the Joe Freeman Award for 1982 by the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce for his outstanding service to the agricultural community here.

Northside students and teachers will get their spring break on March 15-19 (actually they won't go back to school until Monday, March 22). They also will get a holiday on Friday, April 6, for Good Friday and on Friday, April 23, for the Battle of Flowers Parade. The last day of school this year will be May 28.

## 'Miss Helotes' Contest Opens

With the Helotes Spring Festival fast approaching, the question becomes "Who will be Miss Helotes 1982?"

Applications for girls wishing to enter the Miss Helotes Pageant will be available beginning Tuesday, Feb. 9, at John Marshall High School registrar's office and locally at Klipz 'n Klose Beauty Shop or Handy Andy on the Helotes Park Plaza. Deadline for entry is March 29, said Michele Moorad, pageant chairman.

Qualifications for entry include residence in the Helotes area or a resident of a surrounding community, except Leon Valley which has its own pageant. Some of the approved areas include Grey Forest, Braun Station, Woods

End, French Creek Village, San Antonio Ranch, Verde Hills, the Great Northwest, and all surrounding rural areas.

The candidate must be at least 16 years old and no older than 19 as of May 1, 1982—the date set for the pageant. She must be single, never married.

Miss Helotes will win a \$500 scholarship to be used at the academic or vocational college of her choice, awarded at the time of entering.

She will also be eligible to enter the Miss South Texas Pageant, a Miss America preliminary, should she decide to do so.

She will also reign over the 1982 Spring Festival and ride on the Festival Association's

official float in numerous parades including the Fiesta Flambeau Parade in 1983.

Caroline Field is the reigning Miss Helotes. She will crown her successor on Saturday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m., ceremonies at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in the new Parish Community Center.

Any inquiries may be directed to Mrs. Philip (Michele) Moorad, Jr., 695-3346, or to Assistant Chairman, Linda Johnson, 695-8852, or Mrs. Don (Rose) Belto.

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A big crowd turned out for the opening of Mrs. Bea Linder's Seafood Kitchen Thursday night. Located in the former Burger Hut, the Kitchen will be open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. each day.

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has announced that he is seeking election to finish the unexpired term of two years in the upcoming election to be held in the Democratic Primary on Saturday, May 1, 1982 for the office of Constable to which he was appointed August 31, 1981 to replace Constable Dean Jones upon retirement of Dean Jones after 25 years.

Constable Harlon Copeland, 51, served Precinct 2 for 20 years — from 1961 to 1981 as a reserve officer, a regular deputy, and as chief deputy, and then was appointed Constable by the Commissioner's Court as recommended by Dean Jones and Commissioner Tom Stolhandske, Precinct 2, which is the Northwest Section of Bexar County.

Harlon Copeland, born in Abilene, Texas, moved to San Antonio at age nine, attended South San Antonio High School, and completed his training at San Antonio College.

He is married and has one son, a graduate of Holmes High School and St. Mary's University, who is a Captain in the Army stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Harlon Copeland stated in making his announcement, for re-election to the office of Constable, Justice Precinct No. 2, Bexar County, Texas:

**"Dean Jones has served successfully  
for 25 years and I intend to carry on the  
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Your town will be what you want it to be, for it isn't your town—it's you!

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## More- ECHO LOG

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16**

Broadway musical, "Dancin'," will open, Majestic Performing Arts Center. Tickets \$13.50 to \$20. The revue will continue nightly through Feb. 21.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19**

Second opera of the San Antonio Symphony grand opera season, Mozart's "Don Giovanni," will be presented, Theater for the Performing Arts, 8 p.m. Ticket information at 223-5591. The production will be repeated Sunday, Feb. 21, at 3 p.m.

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew" will be performed by the National Shakespeare Company, McAllister Auditorium, San Antonio College, 7:30 p.m. Admission free but advance tickets must be requested. The company also will present Shakespeare's "The Tempest" on Tuesday, Feb. 23, 7:30.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

Stage play, "Streamers," produced by the new Actors Theatre of San Antonio, will open, Bonham Exchange, 411 Bonham. Ticket information at 822-6111.

## Texans Jam Phones

Almost 20,000 Texans a day are already crowding the Internal Revenue Service's telephones, according to Ann Brockway of the IRS office in Austin. "By the end of the tax filing period in mid-April, we will have answered almost two million phone calls in Texas alone," said Brockway, chief of the Taxpayer Service Division in the Austin District office.

The number to call if you need assistance is 1-800-492-4830.

## New Law On Earnings

Recent legislation has changed the age at which social security beneficiaries are no longer subject to an annual earnings test, according to William M. Archuleta, social security district manager in San Antonio.

This test limits the amount a beneficiary can earn and still receive full social security benefits. Those receiving retirement and survivors benefits who are under 65 can earn up to \$4,440 in 1982 without affecting their benefits. Those 65 or over can earn up to \$6,000 in 1982 and receive all their benefits. Beneficiaries age 72 or over can receive all their social security benefits regardless of their earnings.

Under the old law, the age at which the annual earnings test no longer applies was scheduled to be lowered to 70 effective January, 1982. The new law delays this change for one year. Therefore, effective January, 1983, beneficiaries age 70 or over will be able to receive all their social security benefits regardless of earnings. Until then, the annual earnings test will apply to beneficiaries under age 72.

"If you have any questions about the annual earnings test, please call the local social security office," Archuleta said. The phone number is 1-800-392-1603.

The annual earnings test does not apply to those receiving disability benefits, Archuleta added. They should report any work to their social security office.

## Tours Set At Schools

Tours of Northside Independent School District Schools will be conducted March 1-5 as part of the Texas Public Schools Week activities. Guests of the school district will have the opportunity to see what is happening in the elementary, middle and high schools, and ask questions about everything from curriculum emphasis to teacher inservices.

Tours will begin each day at 9 a.m., include lunch, and conclude by 1:30 p.m.

The schedule is as follows: Holmes High School area including feeder elementary and middle schools, Monday, March 1; Jay High School area, Tuesday, March 2; Clark High School, Wednesday, March 3; and Marshall High School area, Thursday, March 4.



**TOM LOEFFLER**  
Congressman  
21st District Texas

## Reports from Washington

### State of the Union

In his State of the Union message to the nation President Reagan outlined a comprehensive program to address the nation's domestic concerns. His message was characteristically straightforward. There are no quick fixes to the problems that have been festering during decades of runaway government spending.

What has been proposed is a major reshaping of the fiscal relationship between the federal government and the states. The program, involving some \$47 billion in federal grants-in-aid, is intended to sort out the responsibilities properly assigned to each governmental level. Those responsibilities will, in turn, be directed back to the states along with the revenue sources needed to fund them. The end result will be greater efficiency and economy for the states and federal government.

In many ways, the proposals outlined in the State of the Union message represent the fifth installment of the President's mandate. Last year, with the help of a bipartisan Congress, we brought about a reduction in the growth of government spending, personal and business taxes were reduced and regulations which cost billions of dollars annually were cut. Out national defense was strengthened. By his own words, the next thing he wanted to do was return power to the states. This fundamental realignment of the federal system is a dramatic and bold initiative and one that certainly will dominate debate in Congress.

The plan has two major components: A "swap" of Medicaid to full funding by the federal government. In return, the states would assume responsibility for the food stamp and welfare programs like Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC). Secondly, the plan calls for "turnback" programs in education, community development, transportation and social services along with funds from a \$28 billion federal trust to be financed by existing federal excise taxes. The program, as proposed, is to be phased in over eight years starting in fiscal year 1984.

Congress will likely begin reviewing new federalism legislation by spring. The reaction to the proposed program changes by Members of Congress turns on politics and ideology. I, and many of my like-minded colleagues, firmly believe that the programs that will become the objects of debate can be more effectively administered by the level of government nearest the people served.

Be assured that this is no abdication of federal responsibility. It is, rather, a clearly stated opportunity for the states and local governments to sort out their mutual responsibilities.

It is my belief that "new federalism" may not even be the best term for what is about to happen. It is in its purest sense a return of government to the people. At the local level, we will have the opportunity to prevent the growth of a super bureaucracy that wastes energy and siphons off dollars that could be better spent on people and programs. Time and again, Washington has demonstrated that it is too far away from the states to see local problems with a clear eye.

I support the thrust of the President's message and applaud his boldness. As he said, we must summon the strength to continue the course we have charted. I believe we will and I shall do my very best to see that this next phase of the "new beginning" becomes a reality.

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## ALONG OUR ROUTE

Grey Forest, Texas

Dear Sirs:

Effective immediately, Jan. 31, 1982, the Grey Forest Rescue Squad will NO LONGER RESPOND into the city limits of Helotes, Texas, or the Helotes Fire Area on any type of call. Dr. Curtis P. Clogston, E.M.S. doctor, has requested us to get a letter from the City Council of Helotes. We have been trying to get one since Nov. 21, 1981, and operating on a hand-written letter from the mayor. The mayor and the medical officer for the city wants us to continue, but enough members of the city council say no, although they refuse publicly to vote so. This is not a hasty act on our part, but a necessary one to follow Dr. Clogston's rules.

We will, of course, continue to serve the city of Grey Forest and the Grey Forest Fire Area, which starts on Scenic Loop Rd. at Low Rd. and runs to Boerne Stage.

With deep regret,  
Columbus Stutes, Jr.  
President of the Board

Grey Forest

Greetings:

It's Trailwalk time again! It's time to get together with neighbors you haven't seen since last year to do something fun and great for the whole area. We are open for membership to anyone interested in joining. Our aim this year is to donate proceeds to our Grey Forest Volunteer Fire Department, the Scenic Loop Playground Club and the Grey Forest Police Department. Membership dues are \$5 a year. Each member will receive a pin depicting the club crest, which is also being used on the medal for the Trailwalk this year. We have 21 paid members so far. Membership dues will help us get on our feet before the pre-registration money comes in. We will be having such expenses such as printing and mailing that won't be paid for by the city this year.

The main thing we need is your help. We need workers for the days of the Trailwalk—we need everyone to help clean up around town—and we need your ideas and suggestions. If there is anything you can get for us cheaper or free—if you have an idea of doing a project that is more efficient—Let us know!

I would like to thank everyone again for all the help and enthusiasm we had last year and to thank you in advance for this year. We had one of the biggest walks in Texas last year (1,385 people). I think we can go over that this year and really be able to help some groups that deserve it. Please join us and if you have any questions give me a call. (City Hall 695-3261 or Home 695-8483.)

Many thanks to Mr. Roy Erwin of Gill Savings for his help in printing and postage of this and future newsletters.

Cynthia North  
President

Grey Forest Trailwalk Association

## Roadrunners To Have Dollar Ticket Night

A special "Dollar Ticket Night" at the UTSA-McNeese men's basketball game Wednesday, Feb. 10, highlights the remainder of the Roadrunners' home schedule as they begin to wind down their first season of intercollegiate action.

All seats for the McNeese game will be sold on a general admission basis for \$1 each the night of the game. Season ticket holders will not be affected by the special.

The UTSA-McNeese contest, originally scheduled for HemisFair Arena, has been moved to the Convocation

Center on the UTSA campus. All five of the Roadrunners' remaining home games will be played on campus at the Convocation Center, where the UTSA's have already posted four victories. UTSA will tangle with Southeastern Louisiana Saturday, Feb. 6, Louisiana Tech Feb. 20 and Hardin-Simmons Feb. 22 to close out the home slate for the 1981-82 season. Tipoff time for all home games is 7:30 p.m.

For more information, phone the Roadrunner Ticket Office at 691-4646.

## Rodeo Sets Tours

The San Antonio Livestock Show & Rodeo, Feb. 12-21, offers a guided tour through the Coliseum, Livestock Show and grounds for elementary school children.

Tours are scheduled Monday through Friday, Feb. 15-19. The tours are one hour in duration, between 9 a.m. and noon each day. Elementary school officials wishing to schedule a tour should contact the Publicity Office at the Coliseum, 225-0612 or 225-1828. The number of tours available is limited.

In an effort to make the students' trip to the Livestock Exposition more educational and enjoyable, Future Farmers of America members from San Antonio and surrounding schools will serve as tour guides.

Tickets for the grounds will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for children younger than 12. Tickets will be reserved in advance through the Publicity Office when scheduling a tour.

"Tolerance is the only  
real test of civilization."  
Sir Arthur Helps

## Barrera Is Candidate

Judge Roy R. Barrera, Jr., has officially declared his candidacy for 144th District Court.

Barrera, a Republican, filed for the same bench to which he was appointed in 1980 by governor William P. Clements, Jr. His name will appear on the November ballot.

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and Law School graduate, Barrera is a former assistant District Attorney. In 1981 he was one of the Outstanding Young Men of America, and earlier this month was appointed to the Governor's task force concerned with Texas prison reform.

Barrera is a member of the

American, Texas and San Antonio Bar Association, Rotary International, and currently serves as Director of the St. Mary's Law School Alumni Association, and the Children's Service Bureau.

He is married to the former Sally Schneider. They have three children.

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## Rainfall Is 2 Inches

The mean average temperature for January was 42 degrees, including the snowtime, according to Henry Brauchle, local weather observer. Two inches of rain fell during the first month of 1982. About one-tenth was included in the white stuff. As many know, it takes about 7 inches of snow to total an inch of rain.

February, cold as it has been, gave a timid ground squirrel a chance to come out and say there will be six weeks more of winter—according to the Texas variation of the Feb. 2 groundhog day legend. No groundhogs come out here to be scared by their shadows, as none have come from Pennsylvania so far in this century.

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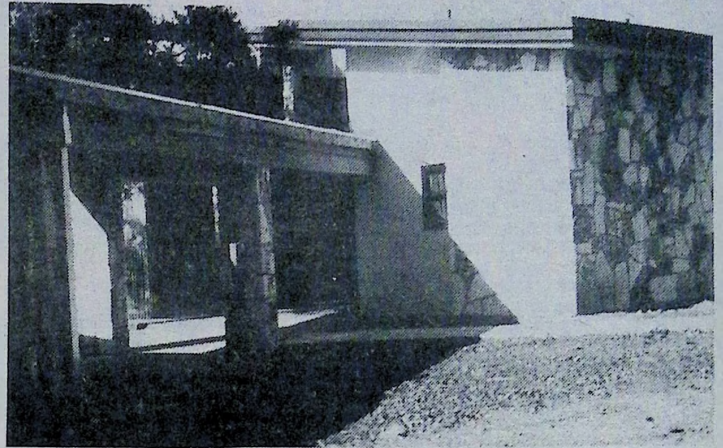
Frank Anderwald, Trail Boss for the 13th annual Cowboy Capitol Trail Ride to San Antonio's Stock Show, announced there will be three campouts enroute to the Alamo City coliseum.

The first, said Anderwald, will be at the Helotes General Store, Feb. 9 when Queen Criss Crossen of Dallas will be crowned to represent the Cowboy Capitol.

The second night camp will be at the Outdoor Theaters, 600 Bitters and San Pedro. The third night the group will arrive at the Coliseum camp grounds in time to participate in welcoming ceremonies. That evening, Trail Queens will be presented. Friday, Feb. 12 the Bandera riders will have an opportunity to ride in the downtown San Antonio parade.

Anderwald, who annually sponsors the Cowboy Capitol Ride from Bandera, said participants from other cities and states are invited to join the procession.

A warm-up trail ride-supper and meeting was scheduled at the Twin Elm ranch, FM Road 470, Jan. 30.

**Church Dedicates Center**

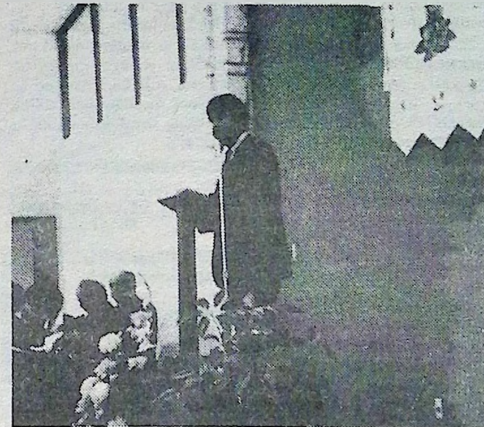
This new \$500,000 Parish Community Center of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church was dedicated on Sunday, Jan. 31. The building will be used for classes in religious education at the church, and will be available for community meetings.



The adult choir sang at the dedication, as well as the youth choir and Spanish-language choir. Shirley Colton is the organist.

**Garden Club To Meet**

The Helotes Garden Club will meet Thursday, Feb. 18, at 10 a.m. at the home of Mary Ann Applewhite, 10622 Bar X Trail. Guests and new members are welcome.



Emilio Garza, president of the parish Council, welcomed members and guests to the dedication service. A tour of the building followed the brief service. The new building is joined to the old education building by a new arcade.

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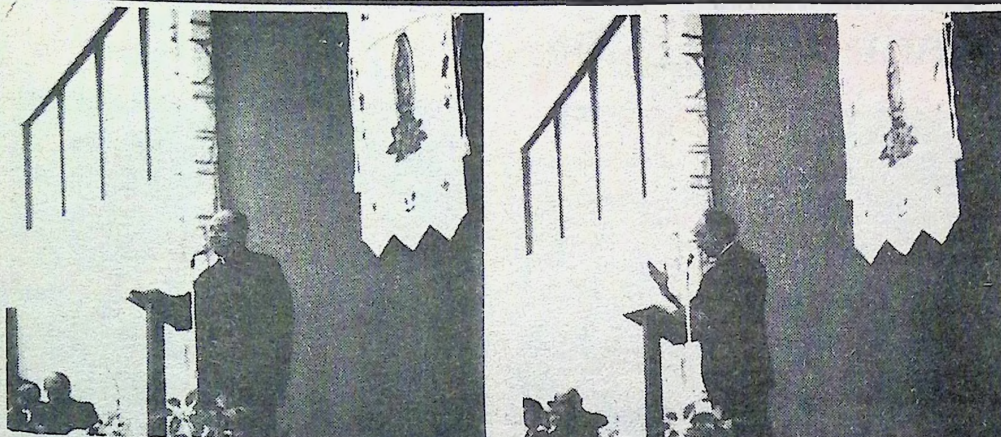
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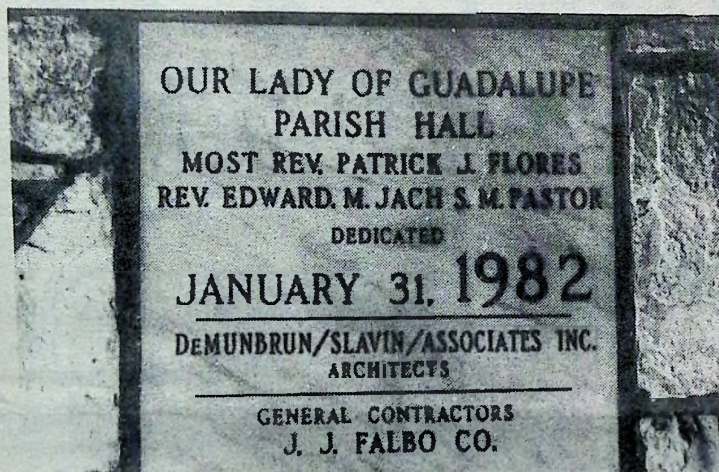
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Archbishop Patrick J. Flores blessed the new building. He predicted that the Helotes parish probably will need a still larger building in the not-too-distant future.

Rev. Edward M. Jach, S.M., is pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. He expressed appreciation to the church's Expansion Committee, Finance Committee and Parish Council for their part in building the new center.



This is the cornerstone of the new building. De Munbrun and Slavin Associates were the architects and J. J. Falbo Co. was the builder.

## Treat Your Valentine With a Different Gift

Show your Valentine just how much you love and care this year by not giving "calorie-filled treats."

Nancy Robinett-Weiss, Director of Nutrition Services with the Texas Department of Health, suggests giving a beautiful

red rose, a good book, a red apple, or a beautiful card expressing your special feelings.

She warns you may not be doing your loved ones any favors by adding more calories to their diet, as many may still have a bulge from

over-indulgence during the holiday season.

Obesity is a major factor in heart disease, diabetes, and hypertension (high blood pressure). If you are over the age of 40, the battle of the bulge may be well underway. According to the Public Health Service, 20 percent of the adults in this country are overweight to the extent that it may interfere with optimum health and longevity. After age 40, this rises to 35 percent.

Ms. Robinett-Weiss says that dietary guidelines encourage eating proper foods to obtain your ideal weight, and this includes reducing your sugar and salt intake. Limiting your sugar helps reach and maintain your ideal weight.

## Netters To Open Play

The University of Texas at San Antonio men's and women's tennis teams, coached by Becky Roberts, will open their home schedule next week by hosting two Southwest Conference foes at the UTSA tennis center.

Friday, Feb. 12, the Roadrunner women's team will take on Texas Tech at 2 p.m. Then Saturday, Feb. 13, both UTSA teams will be in action against the Baylor Bears. Men's and women's matches will start at 2:30 p.m.

UTSA's roster counts several former San Antonio high school stars among its numbers. The Roadrunners' top male singles player, Scott McKay, was the District 32-5A singles champ last year at Roosevelt High School. Mike Bonney, a Holmes grad who teams with McKay to form UTSA's number one doubles duo, was the singles king in District 30-5A last spring. Dub Nash, who will play in the number three singles spot for the UTSA's, is a former Alamo Heights standout, and Steve Klar, the number six man, is an ex-Churchill player.

The top-seeded singles player on the women's team, Laura Dietrich, was runner-up in the 1981 District 32-5A singles competition. She captained Churchill to the state team championship last season.

The Roadrunners are largely a young, inexperienced team, but Coach Roberts feels they'll be competitive. "It's only our first year. We're anxious to build a tradition, but we don't have to prove anything. We'll just go out and play," she said.

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## Indian Artifacts Shown



Cynthia Stovall Zurovec shows Indian artifacts from Helotes to the Helotes Historical Society during a recent meeting at Helotes General Store. Some beads, tools, manos and arrowheads are thousands of years old. Cindy and her husband, Mike, are studying Indian culture as it pertains to the Hill Country.

## A to Z it's All in the CLASSIFIEDS

**Happy Holiday**  
from Valentine's Day to **CHRISTMAS DAY**,  
I hunt for a way to say,  
"I Love You."  
Just remember my sentiments are true,  
and I'll send you a card and gift, too.  
**GUESS WHO**

**Fraulein:**  
I hope that I am  
1-4-U-2-Luv  
Yours,  
10 der Lee

"Two true friends make a pair  
Until they marry... and then nothing  
can compare!  
I can't remember what I used to do  
before I met and married You!"

To my wife of 22 years,  
**TOM**

**Happy Valentine's Day to All!** Yours, **ABB**

## ★ Helpful Hints ★

Reached the grand age of 100 years?

Centenarians are one of the fastest-growing segments of the U. S. population, reports Judith L. Warren, a family life education specialist-aging.

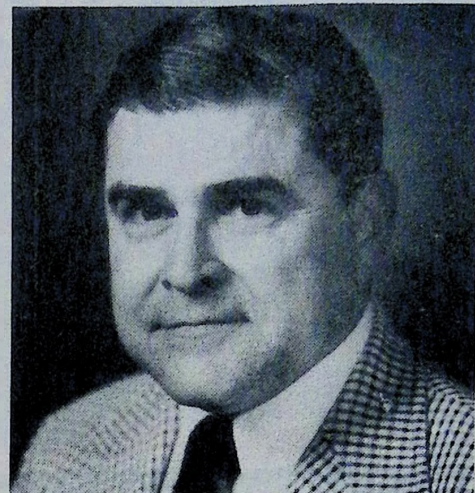
Warren is on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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Don't let your earnest money lie dormant during the signing and closing period of home-buying. Request that the money be put in an interest-bearing account until the sale is final, encourages Dr. Jane Berry, a housing and home furnishings specialist.

Berry is on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

## Festival Elects New President



**Pete Cantu**

At the Feb. 1 meeting of the Helotes Spring Festival Association, Pete Cantu, resident of Helote Park Estates, was elected president, replacing Bennie Menchaca whose work has required him to be out of the city during the Fall and for the next few months. Cantu is active in the community and formerly contributed to the Festival many hours and several awards. He is a well-known San Antonio real estate man. All committees serving in the organization are continuing to work for the Cornyval to be held May 7, 8, and 9.

*It's just a matter of time until I write  
my Valentine...  
But I can't find St. Valentine and so  
this poetry is mine.*

*Your name rhymes with Early  
and mine's there, too, surely.*

*I write this early Valentine  
To prove that I am thine,  
And happiness on my face does shine  
To know that you are mine.*

**Ma from Pa**

*Roses are red, violets are blue.  
Never forget that I love You!*  
**S.W. to T.A.**

**To my  
Valentine**

*I've traveled near, I've traveled far,  
There's only one place, that's where you are.*



## Incumbent Seeks Office



**Harlon Copeland**

Constable Harlon Copeland, Justice Bexar County Precinct 2, who was appointed to the office of Constable on August 31, 1981 upon the retirement of 25-year veteran Constable Dean Jones, is seeking election to finish the unexpired two-year term. The primary is set for Saturday, May 1, 1982. Constable Copeland, 51, has been a law enforcement officer for 20 years in this precinct. He served as chief deputy before Commissioner's Court appointed him to serve as Constable. Constable Harlon Copeland is a Democrat. He is well-known in the Helotes area.

## Lionesses Plan Auction

The Helotes Lionesses plan a gala celebration for the Chinese New Year with a delicious home-cooked ham dinner (with all the trimmings) and a **CHINESE AUCTION**. Saturday, February 6 is the date and the PARC Building at Helotes Hills Methodist Church in Helotes is the place.

Margie Barker is the Chairman and Connie Braun is the President of the Lionesses and they anticipate 60 guests from other Lions Clubs. All the proceeds will go to Administrative and Building Funds.

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## California High School Cage Star Picks UTSA

One of the top college basketball prospects on the West Coast has given a verbal commitment to attend The University of Texas at San Antonio next fall.

Ken Sprague, Jr., a 6-6½, 200-pound forward from Santa Monica (Calif.) High School, has announced that he will sign a scholarship agreement with UTSA on the national signing date in April.

"This early commitment to the UTSA basketball program by a prospect the calibre of Kenny Sprague gives our recruiting campaign a real shot in the arm," said Don Eddy, Roadrunner head coach.

Sprague, who has averaged 15 points, 15 rebounds and seven assists per game this season, has been highly sought by several schools in the always powerful Pacific 10 Conference.

Sprague moved with his

family this year from Orcas Island, Wash., where he was the leading scorer in the state's Class B Division as a junior last season.

UTSA assistant coach Larry Gatewood, the Roadrunners' recruiting coordinator, was elated about Sprague's decision to play for UTSA. "Kenny Sprague is a multi-purpose player...he can play any position. I was very impressed with his overall play at the SuperStar Camp last summer. He's a very smart basketball player," said Gatewood.

Sprague's commitment is the first for UTSA in the young recruiting season. The Roadrunners will enter their second season in NCAA Division I basketball next fall.

Sprague is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sprague, Sr., of Santa Monica. A "B" student, Kenny plans to major in business at UTSA.

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Partnership and Descon Construction is the builder.

**EARL RUDDER MIDDLE SCHOOL—6558** Horn Blvd.—The classroom wing is ready for ceiling and floor tile. Shop classrooms are near completion and the kitchen equipment is being installed. Some site clean-up has begun. Architect for Rudder is Bradley/McChesney Associated Architects and Joeris & Clauss Construction Company is the builder. **HOLMES HIGH SCHOOL**

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6500 Ingram Road—Lightweight roof deck is being poured and the interior block work is approximately 60% complete in the shop area. Block work in the classroom area of the lower floor is complete. Plumbing and electrical rough-in has been completed on both floors. Architect is Rehler, Vaughn, Beatty & Koone, Inc. Contractor is Kunz construction Company.

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**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5**

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Reception will honor Judge Paul Rivera, Coronado Ballroom, El Tropicano Hotel, 5:30 to 8 p.m. Tickets \$10.

Exhibition of paintings by Carlos Merida will continue, Mexican Cultural Institute, HemisFair Plaza. The exhibition will close March 15.

Exhibition of watercolors, acrylics and batik by Bro. Charles Behlmann, S.M., of St. Mary's University will continue, Westfall Branch Library. Admission free. The exhibition will close Feb. 28.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6**

San Antonio Symphony will present a concert of Richard Wagner music, featuring singer Simon Estes, Theater for the Performing Arts, 8:30 p.m. Ticket information at 223-5591. The concert will be repeated Monday, Feb. 8, Laurie Auditorium, Trinity University, 8 p.m.

National Children's Dental Health Month will be observed with a "Toothbrush Exchange" (old one for a new one), North Star Mall, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and a "Brush In," McCrless Mall, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

San Antonio Museum of Art will present a film on sculptor-photographer Constantin Brancusi Museum Auditorium, 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Museum admission \$2 and \$1, Saturday mornings free. The film, shown in conjunction with the museum's current exhibition, "Brancusi as Photographer," will be repeated Feb. 13, 20 and 27.

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7**

Concert by the Walker-Ford Singers in honor of Black History Month will be presented, Institute of Texas Cultures, 3 p.m. Admission free.

Opening ceremonies for America's Bake-Off Contest by Pillsbury will be held, HEB Food Store, 4821 Broadway, 9:30 a.m. Admission free.

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8**

Lecture, "Vegetarianism Scrutinized," will be presented, UT Health Science Center, 5 p.m. Admission free.

Ribbon-cutting and open house for new facilities of the San Antonio Training Division of Texas A&M University will be held, 9350 S. Presa St., 3:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

Harry James and his orchestra will play a concert, Wheatley High School, 8 p.m. Tickets \$10 and \$7.

Make Today Count group will meet, Cancer Therapy and Research Center, 4450 Medical Drive, 2:30 p.m. A second meeting will be held Feb. 24, 7:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

Western dance with Gary Bruce and the Country Satellites will be sponsored by the Mental Health Association, Texas Star Inn, 8 p.m. Tickets \$3.50.

Stage play, "Whose Life Is It Anyway?," presented by the Trinity University Speech and Drama Department, will open, Ruth Taylor Theatre One, 8 p.m. Tickets \$4 and \$3. The play will continue Feb. 12-14 and Feb. 17-20, with a Sunday matinee at 2:30 p.m.

Apache Career Day will be held, E.M. Pease Middle School, 201 Hunt Lane, 9-11 a.m. Public invited.

American Association of Retired Persons, Summit Oak chapter, will have a potluck lunch followed by a sing-a-long, Trinity United Methodist Fellowship Hall, 5219 Newcome, 1 p.m. Persons over 55 invited. On Feb. 25 the chapter will have a "Fun Day" at the same location.

Musical revue, "It Don't Mean a Thing If It Ain't Got That Swing," will open, St. Philip's College, 8:15 p.m. Tickets \$2. The revue will continue Feb. 12 and 13.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12**

Exhibition of recent paintings by Reginald Rowe will open, Koehler Cultural Center, 310 W. Ashby, 7 p.m. Admission free. The exhibition will continue through Feb. 26.



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Chicago (the first big city to fluoridate its water supply) reports that tooth decay has been cut in half among its school children, and credits fluoride for this improvement. As an added plus, Chicago parents are saving an estimated \$20 million a year in dental bills.

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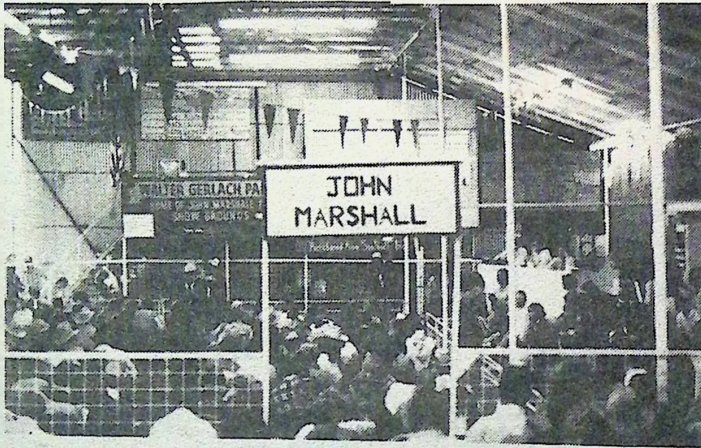


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## Scholarship Forms Due

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According to Dottie Fountain, PTA Scholarship chair-

man, "Our PTA Council has been awarding scholarships for the past 20 years to deserving students. Approximately 60 students have received scholarships totaling over \$32,000. Recipients must plan to attend a four-year accredited college or university."

Recipients selected will be awarded their scholarships at the PTA Council meeting May 6.

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