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Person-

With the holidays here, the Hill Country will be putting on a dazzling show of color for Thanksgiving guests to heighten the excitement engendered here by the hunting season. With Texas and A&M squaring off for a truly Turkey Day battle, everyone should find Helotes in the thick of a good time. Family reunions will come first, of course.

The Silver Belles met Thursday afternoon for luncheon at Chef John's and planned their Christmas party which will be at the home of Mrs. Lucille Stemen with Babe Gilliam as co-hostess.

Helping the local chapter of the Lion's Club sponsor a new Lioness Club—still not chartered here—are Madeline and Joe Yorfina and Mamie Braun. Joe is a member of the Northeast Lion's Club and the ladies are charter members of the Founding Ladies Lioness Club of San Antonio—the first distaff club in this area, now two-and-a-half years old. Many Lion's Club wives have been informally called Lionesses in the past but they are now seeking status to help carry out the goals of Lionism.

The Countrymen will play Saturday, Nov. 19 at 9 p.m. for a VFW sponsored dance at Braun Hall, which is open to the public.

The Women's Club viewed a series of colored slides depicting community landmarks presented by Rev. Sam Terry. Mrs. Terry, vice president, narrated the showing. Pres. Beth Goeringer announced that the Club has voted to have a Christmas Covered Dish Supper with guests invited to the Scenic Loop Youth Building on Dec. 6.

Yolie Balero and two operators from her shop have recently completed the beauty clinic course for Princess and are already putting the new styling into practice here.

Raylene Harrison, a third generation Helotes girl, now living with her parents in Pasadena, Texas, was a junior initiate into the Pasadena Chapter of National Honor Society. Present for the ceremonies was her grandmother, Mrs. Ed (Bertha) Kempf of Grey Forest.

MERCHANTS UNITE TO COMBAT CRIME

Singers Plan Old English Christmas



Tickets are now on sale for UTSA's second annual Madrigal Christmas Dinner. Members of the Madrigal Singers and Recorder Consort will join strolling minstrels and a brass ensemble in providing the entertainment at the holiday banquet, which will be Dec. 2 and 3 at 7 p.m. in the UTSA Humanities-Business Building galeria. Proceeds will benefit the Music Scholarship Fund. The event is open to the public. For ticket information, phone the UTSA Division of Music, 691-4355.

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Presented by the UTSA
Division of Music, the dinner is
open to the public. The event
will begin at 7 p.m. in the
galeria of the HumanitiesBusiness Building. Proceeds
will benefit the Music
Scholarship Fund.

Strolling minstrels and Elizabethan dancers will greet guests and entertain them throughout the evening in a galeria turned into a huge banquet hall and decked with

Christmas greenery.
The UTSA Madrigal Singers,
Brass Ensemble and Recorder
Consort will perform as diners
partake of a multi-course feast.
Each course of the holiday
dinner will be introduced with a
short speech, toast and music.
Guests will make their toasts
with wassail in the English
holiday tradition.

Performers will be dressed in colorful Renaissance costumes and will entertain with music of

the period.
All seats for the Madrigal Christmas Dinner are reserved, and only a limited number of tickets will be sold. Tickets will be available in the UTSA Division of Music office through Nov. 30

For more information, phone the Division of Music at 691-4355.

Thanksgiving Service Set

Pastors of all Helotes churches will offer Thanksgiving in a service which will be attended by members of the combined congregations here.

Everyone in the community, as well as houseguests, will be welcomed at the annual community ecumenical Thanksgiving Service to be held this year at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in downtown Helotes with Rev. Sam Terry, pastor of the Forest

Hills Presbyterian Church, presiding. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 23. Benediction will be given by

Benediction will be given by Rev. Collin Furr, pastor of Helotes Hills United Methodist Church. The offering will be taken up for community projects and needs. Announcements will be made and offering will be called for by Rev. Paul Probst, pastor of the Zion Lutheran Church.

Rev. Louis A. Trawalter,

pastor of the Catholic church, who will give the welcome, will

also conduct vesper services. Kenneth Stiles will read the scriptures, with the text taken from Ephesians Chapter 2 1:10.

from Ephesians Chapter 2 1:10. Rev. Jerry Reeves, pastor of the Helotes Baptist Church, will deliver the sermon, "From Grace to Gratitude."

Combined choirs of the participating churches will sing. Organist will be Loretta

Two Break-ins Spur Added Precautions

Merchants of the Helotes area, as well as other members of the business community, have formed a solid front to combat growing problems, including crime, and to plan for the future of the area.

A new organization—with some 50 businesses or institutions eligible—was voted into existence with 25 delegates present on Nov. 9, and will be known as the Helotes Merchants Association. The meeting took place at Chef John's Loft—and a regular first Wednesday meeting was selected. Next meeting will be at 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, Dec. 7 at the Loft.

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A slate of officers includes Fred Holden, president; Art Brivic, vice president, Tom Kirby, treasurer, Norma Pittman, secretary, and Glenn Mason, comptroller. They were chosen by acclamation

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Following a series of special meetings, the Merchants Assn. has made formal arrangements for additional deputies to be on duty here to quell vandalism and break-ins.

It was reported that two business establishments suffered losses this past week. On Thursday night or early Friday, Nov. 10-11, the Helotes Feed and Supply was broken into with loss of a stock of steel traps in addition to a monetary loss which consisted largely of silver coins.

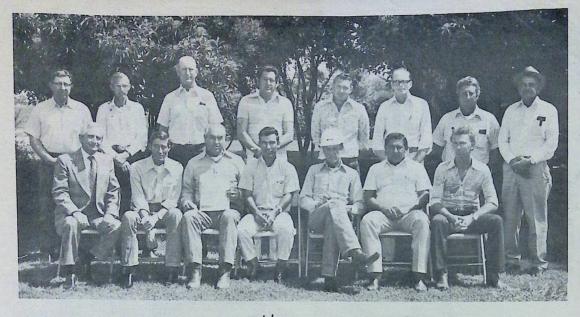
The Exxon Station on late Sunday night, Nov. 13-14, had cigarette machines broken into, it was reported. The time was about 1 a.m., according to estimates.

Homeowners of Helotes Park Estates, with Lt. Col. Thomas E. Stout (Ret.) as president, are also considering additional security measures and are working with the Helotes Merchants Assn. to combat local problems.

Any merchants or business persons wishing to join the Helotes Merchants Assn. may contact officers or members for details and are welcome to attend the next meeting, Pres. Holden said.

AARP To Elect Officers

The Glen Oaks San Antonio Chapter No. 2191 of the American Association of Retired Persons will hold election of officers at its next regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 22. The Chapter meets at 1 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, 5714 Callaghan Road.



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Highway Dept. Honors Safe Drivers

Safe driving awards were given recently to Northwest Bexar County Maintenance Section employees of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Fernando Flores, standing far right, had the longest safe driving record, 23 years.

Shown standing, left to right, are Benito L. Menchaca, George E. Whitely, Elton J. Hartman, Francisco Graf, John T. McGuffin, James E. Lewis, David D. Martinez, and Mr. Flores. Seated are, left to right, John D. Stockton, Kenneth E. Anderson, Aurelio Cantu, Joe Mirales, Jr., George D. Crenshaw,

Pablo Talamantez, and Clyde Bennett.

All were cited for cooperation in accident prevention

UTSA Students To Register

A new registration process beginning Nov. 21 will allow students to reserve spring courses early at UTSA.

Newly-admitted students and former students returning to UTSA, as well as those already attending the University, will be able to go through advance registration:

An on-line computer system will allow students to know immediately if they can get into

a class, or if it has been filled. Fees may be paid Dec. 12-16, Dec. 19-22 and Jan. 5. Students who reserve courses in advance, but who have not paid by 7 p.m. on Jan. 5, will have all course reservations cancelled and will be required to go through regular registration on Jan. 10-11.

UTSA seniors, degree-seeking students and certificate seeking students will be able to begin advance registration on Nov. 21-23.

Juniors may begin Nov. 28; sophomores, Nov. 29; and freshmen, Nov. 30.

Special students may begin registration on Dec. 1-2, and transient students may start the process on Dec. 2.

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Two agriculture bills spon-sored by Cong. Bob Krueger will be focal points at specially called hearings in Scottsbluff, Neb., on Nov. 22.

The two bills call for tougher inspection of imported meat and more specific labeling for consumers.
"Currently imported beef

"currently imported beer does not always meet the same rigorous health requirements American beef does. This is unfair to domestic cattle raisers and to American consumers," Krueger said.

Krueger has sent letters to the Independent Cattlemen's Association, Texas and Southwest Cattlemen's Association and Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association urging them to send representatives to testify at the hearings.

Krueger, along American cattle producers, is especially concerned about stopping the outbreak of brucellosis.

1978 Livestock Show To Award 200,000

Harold M. Freeman, life chairman of the board, and E.M. "Marvin" Beam, general manager of the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo, have announced the judging schedule and premiums for February's show. Prize money this year will total \$200,000, with premiums going for goats, sheep, swine, poultry, horses, beef and dairy cattle.

Breeding classes for Open Show include Angus, Brahman, Brangus, Charolais, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Poll, Santa Gertrudis, Zebu, and Simmental beef cattle, and Guernsey, Holstein, Jersey and Brown Swiss dairy cows. Swine classes include Berkshires, Classes include Between Chester Whites Durocs, Hampshires, Poland Chinas, and Yorkshires. Breeding classes for sheep and goats include Columbias, Corriedales, Delaines, Dorsets, Hampshilles, Montadales, Rambouillets, Shropshires, Southdowns, Suffolks, and Angora goats. Poultry will be judged in the Junior Ready-to-Cook Poultry

Prizes will also be offered in the Quality Beef, Lamb and Pork Contest, Cutting Horse Contest, Quarter Horse Show, Paint Horse Show, and Appaloosa Horse Show

Deadline for livestock entries is December 10, 1977; for horse entries January 6, 1978. In-terested persons can get a copy of the 1978 Premium List by writing: San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo, P.O. Box 20228, San Antonio, Texas 78220. This year's show is slated for Feb. 10-19, 1978.

GED Classes Still Open

Northside ISD Community Education Department is enrollment for continuing G.E.D. (high school diploma) and English as a Second Language classes.

Both classes meet at John Jay High School, Monday through High School, Monday through Thursday, 7-9 p.m., and Forest Hills Elementary, 2902 White Tail Drive, from 7-9 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday. G.E.D. classes meet at John Marshall High School from 7-9 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.
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Driving Class

A defensive driving class for passenger car owners who wish to qualify for the state-authorized 10 per cent auto insurance credit will be offered at San Antonio College starting Monday, Nov. 28.

ack Maguire, executive retary of the Independent Insurance Agents of San Antonio, course sponsor, said persons may call his office for registration forms and further information.

The class will be taught by Mike Gilsdorf, Maguire said.

In Who's Who

Selected to appear in the National publication, Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities is Mary Olga Ramirez, Helotes Elementary kindergarten teacher.

Educators biographical data appears in the publication are nominated by their school districts for the

Let's Celebrate Thanksgiving

Practically nobody needs to be told that this Thursday, Nov. 24, is Thanksgiving Day. It is a truly American holiday, observed at all times of the year by the earliest settlers to thank God for His help. Practically, to this day, it is a national annual festival of thanksgiving for the mercies of the closing year. And in 1977 there is a growing awareness of the need to be grateful for a year of

Thanksgiving, by proclamation of the President and the Governors of the States, ranks as a legal holiday.

The earliest harvest thanksgiving in America recorded was kept by the Pilgrim Fathers at Plymouth in 1621. There were others.

Family tradition remembers those of this century as well.

Congress recommended days of thanksgiving annually during the Revolution, and in 1784 for the return of peace—as did President Madison in 1815. Washington appointed such a day in 1789 after the adoption of the Constitution, and in 1795 for the general benefits and welfare of the Nation. Since 1863, the Presidents have always issued proclamations appointing the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day until the days of Roosevelt when the last

Thursday was observed.

As in the past, the fourth Thursday will be observed. But on As in the past, the fourth Thursday will be observed. But on Wednesday—the Eve of Thanksgiving, the community has an opportunity to gather together as did our forefathers in a Thanksgiving service representing the religious emphasis that first prompted the establishment of this family holiday. Let's all attend, and offer up thanks for mercy bestowed this year.

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Baby Christened

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The infant wore an heirloom christening gown handmade by his great grandmother, Dora C. Graham. It was worn originally by his uncle, Joseph F. Beisel, now 68, and other members of the family of his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Shaeffer, who is from Philadelphia.

New Arrival

Deanna Rachelle Fish, daughter of Doris and David Leroy Fish of Abilene, Texas, where David is stationed, was born Saturday, Nov. 12, 1977 in a military hospital there. She is also welcomed by two brothers. David Ir and

brothers, David, Jr. and Dwayne.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Dunford, Sr. of Helotes and Mr.and Mrs. Leroy Fish of Leon Valley. Both grandmothers have been to Abilene to see the new little miss, and report that she is very cute. Mr. and Mrs. Dunford now have nine grandsons and four granddaughters. The aunts, uncles and cousins are also looking forward to making her acquaintance.

Congratulations are offered to the happy parents and proud grandparents on this occasion.

Kay's Rich Thanksgiving Cake

Your family will love to finish off their Thanksgiving dinner with this beautiful, rich, moist cake. All the ingredients are natural with no preservatives added!

Makes 1 9x5 loaf or 1 9-inch ring ¼ cup raw honev or pure maple syrup 1/3 cup unrefined corn

germ oil 1½ cups whole wheat flour ½ teaspoon sea salt teaspoon cinnamon teaspoon ground cloves teaspoon baking powder cup raisins

cup chopped walnuts cup thick applesauce Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

2. Beat honey, oil and egg together.

3. Sift together whole wheat flour, salt, baking powder and spices. Add honey, oil and egg.

4. Lightly stir in raisins, nuts and applesauce.

Spoon batter into an oiled 9x5 inch loaf pan. Bake for 40 minutes.

Glaze cake with rice syrup To make a larger cake double the recipe and bake in a ring pan

(Pd. Adv.) NATURE'S NOOK

Prof. Named Pre-Law Consultant



Dr. Steven Boyd

Dr. Steven Boyd, assistant professor of history at The University of Texas at San Antonio, is the Texas representative for the newly-formed Southwest Association of Pre-Law Advisors. He was elected to the executive board during the association's

He was elected to the executive board and the charter conference recently at the Menger Hotel.

Members of the association are from 60 colleges and universities

in Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma, and Texas. Dr. Boyd is chairman of the UTSA Pre-Law Advisory Committee.

The Festival Fundraiser was a social success as well as adding to the total cash output needed to get the Festival official float in order. In case you're wondering, the Battle of Flowers parade during Fiesta will be April 21 and will have the

theme "It's Showtime." Cornyval here will be May 3-7 with the parade set for 11 a.m., May 6. The theme will be selected at the next meeting, Dec. 5, all things being equal. Ideas are welcome.

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The Consumer

by John L. Hill Attorney General

AUSTIN-Texas' foul flue within a chimney. The weather months have just third kind is a freestanding started and many people are pre-fabricated unit that can be beginning to think about ways

The first thing that comes to the minds of many of us is the cozy and inviting blaze of a fireplace, although it may be are available. The size you questionable as to how much choose will determine the warmth and comfort a maximum size of the logs you fireplace can provide in can burn. You should also actually heating a home on a decide whether to include chilly evening.

provide a reasonable amount or an outside door or special of heat if it's installed drawer for ash removal. correctly and the proper materials are used. Otherwise, some consumers who are thinking of adding a fireplace fireplace to heat an entire could find that resulting room. Some of these might be a problems may cause more discomfort than comfort.

The lawyers in our Consumer Protection Division have had a number of reports of fireplace construction problems. One incident the fireplace. When you have involved a woman who hired two itinerant contractors to discuss with him exactly what build a fireplace. When it was finished, all the fires she built went out immediately. She happy to show you examples of discovered later that the their work. After you have contractors had failed to reached an agreement on the install a damper to regulate air flow, and the resulting the timetable for completion, draft blew out every fire the draw up a contract. Some woman tried to start.

To avoid problems after a contract. fireplace is built, give plenty of advance thought to what fireplace, be wary of paying you want, and take certain precautions before hiring a work is completed. Our contractor for the job. The Consumer Protection attorinitial step is to decide on the neys say a good rule of thumb type and size of fireplace. is to hold back a substantial Three kinds are available. The part of the price until the job is best known is the traditional completed. verson with firebrick interior and brick or stone chimney.

built-in unit with metal Protection Division in Austin, firebox and flue. This kind can be installed to look like the traditional version, even to the If you live outside these areas, extent of enclosing the metal call toll-free: 1-800-252-9236.

placed anywhere in the room. to cut back on a high heating Any of these types, if properly installed and made of quality materials, should be satisfactory and safe.

Several sizes of fireplaces certain options in a fireplace. There is no doubt that it can such as a gas or butane starter

> Think, too, about some of the heat-circulating devices that can improve the ability of the worthwhile investment if you plan to use the fireplace as a major source of heat.

It is also advisable to get several bids before selecting a contractor to build or install decided on a contractor. you want. Reputable companies or individuals will be work to be done, the price, and companies will have their own

Also, when contracting a too much money before the

If you have a consumer complaint, contact the Another is a preassembled Attorney General's Consumer San Antonio, Houston, Dallas, Lubbock, McAllen, or El Paso.

Completion of one of San Antonio's most dramatic restoration projects—the Old Ursuline Convent—will be the springboard for a festive community-wide open house and Christmas pageant at the Southwest Craft Center Dec. 4.

UTSA Reporter



Kay Simpson recently joined the UTSA News and Information Office as information writer. She was previously an editorial assistant in the public relations and publications department of United Services Automobile Association. She is a May graduate of UTSA and has an associate of arts degree has an associate of arts degree from San Antonio College, where she was editor of the Fourth Write and managing editor of The Ranger.

A record \$3.1 billion was spent Texas during 1976 by 17.2 million auto visitors from out of state, according to data released by the State Depart-ment of Highways and Public Transportation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bille E. Gray, Sr. and son, Donald, of Wichita Falls, formerly of Grey Forest, were visiting in Helotes recently to help celebrate the second birthday of their granddaughter and niece,

Carrie Christine-the daughter of David and Dianne Rogers. The Gray's daughter, Lola, and son, Billy, Jr., both of Houston, also attended the gala celebration.

3rd Anniversary FROM FRIDAY, NOV. 18th THRU SAT., NOV. 26th Come Celebrate With Us RRY'S 10 -Fashions MON. Seneca Plaza THRU Leon Valley 681-1934 SAT.

NEW CHURCH TO ORGANIZE IN GREY FOREST

A group of residents, primarily from the Grey Forest-Helotes area began meeting in Mid-July in various homes for Sunday morning worship services. In October, they established their meeting place in the Youth Building in Grey Forest with the prospects of meeting there until property can be secured for a permanent building site.



REV. PAUL CARLIN

pastor of the Faith Baptist Church in Pearland, Texas—located in the greater Houston area—will be the featured guest speaker and will be assisting in the organizational service.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

... there will be an organizational service at 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of officially becoming an organized church. The church will be known as the GREY FOREST CHAPEL.

RUSTY MADDOX,

MINISTER OF THE CHAPEL, is no stranger to the Grey Forest area. He lived in Helotes for more than six years where he served as pastor of the Baptist Church

A Cordial Invitation

is extended by Bro. Maddox and the congregation to the entire community to attend the organizational service and all the following services each Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

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10, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Nov. 18 - Reunion of the Old Headquarters Company and Staff of the 141st Infantry Regiment, Beethoven Maennerchor Hall, 422 Pereida, 7:30 p.m. BYOB.

Nov. 19 · Children's Book Week Play, "The Sausage at the End of the Nose," Westfall Branch, San Antonio Public Library, IH-10 at Vance Jackson, 11 a.m.

Nov. 20 - Fall Concert, Youth Philharmonic Orchestras of San Antonio, Parker Chapel, Trinity University, 3 p.m. Free. Nov. 20 - "College Pre-View", UTSA, 2 p.m. Free. Nov. 22 - Concert, UTSA Symphonic Band, UT Health Science

Center Auditorium, 8 p.m. Free. Nov. 23 - Make Today Count meets, Cancer Therapy Center, 7

Nov. 23 - Interdenominational Thanksgiving Service. Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Riggs Road, 7:30 p.m., sponsored by Baptist, Catholic, Lutheran, Methodist, and Presbyterian Churches. Public Welcome

Nov. 24 - THANKSGIVING

Dec. 2-3 - Madrigal Christmas Dinner, UTSA, 7 p.m. each night, Public. Tickets limited. Phone 691-4355.

Dec. 4 - Art Show, Helotes Art Gallery, Free admittance 1 p.m. til

Dec. 5 - Helotes Festival Assn. Floore Country Store, 7:30 p.m. New members welcome.

Dec. 6 - Annual Christmas Party, Helotes Women's Club, Scenic Loop Club House, 7 p.m., members and guest invited. Dec. 6 - Helotes Lions and Lioness Clubs, El Chaparral, 7:30 p.m.,

Members & Guests.

Dec. 20 - Helotes Lions and Lioness Clubs, El Chaparral, 7:30

p.m., Members & Guests.

Dec. 20 - Monthly meeting Grey Forest City Council, City Hall, Scenic Loop, 7:30 p.m. Citizens and interested persons welcome.

(Echo Log is a partial list of events of interest to the area.)

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This white-tail deer spotted on Gallagher Ranch is typical of the Hill Country game. Deer are plentiful this season but wary and hunters have had to work for their limit.

If Retiring, Apply Now

Working people who plan to retire between now and early 1978 should start planning now to arrange for their social security benefits, Gilbert G. Gonzalez, social security district manager in San An-tonio, said today.

He gave these tips: First, get together information that will needed to support your claim. This includes your social security card or a record of your number; proof of your date of birth recorded early in your life, preferably before age 5; evidence of last year's earnings (a copy of your W-2 or a copy of your Federal tax return, in-cluding schedule C).

If your husband or wife is

also planning to apply on your record, he or she should have this additional information, Gonzalez added: His or her social security card or a record of the number; proof of age as described above; marriage certificate; if either was married before, information about the beginning and end of those marriages; and in-formation about your husband's or wife's earnings if he or she is

Gonzalez emphasized that it is important for you to apply two or three months before you

plan to retire, even if you don't vet have all of the information you need.

The San Antonio social security office, 727 E. Durango, is open 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. The telephone number is 229-6400.

Edwards Board Studies Tax

The Edwards Underground Water District is investigating the need for obtaining surface water for the San Antonio metropolitan area and to call a tax election in Bexar County, if

found appropriate.
A staff study indicated the EUWD could contract with the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority for up to 50,000 acre feet of surface water. If the San Antonio City Water Board contracted for the water, the cost would be borne by CWB customers. If the EUWD acts as the agent, the cost would be spread over most of Bexar County. It has been estimated a 10-cent increase over the present 2-cent property tax would be needed.

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Ram Band To Astrodome

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Alzafar Shrine Temple Chief Rabban, Floyd O. Schneider, shows winning entries for the recent King and Queen contest in connection with the annual Shrine Circus. Winners were Lee Long from Neil Armstrong Elementary School and Veronica Guel from Laura Steele Elementary School. In addition to 10-speed bicycles donated by Wards, the King and Queen won transistor radios and participated in the opening circus parade.

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Northside Picks Clark Principal

Jerry L. Daniel, 35-year-old vice principal of Northside's Holmes High School, has been elected by the NISD Board of Trustees to be the first principal of Tom C. Clark High School.

Daniel will leave his duties at Holmes Dec. 1 to begin planning for the Fall '78 opening of the District's 4th high school, built with \$7,000,000 of voterapproved bond money. The school is named for Supreme Court Justice Tom C. Clark, the only Texan to serve on the Court.

A high school basketball star from Muncie, Indiana, Daniel attended Texas A&I University on an athletic scholarship. A four-year A&I letterman, Daniel was basketball team cantain two years

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He holds a B.S. degree in Education from A&I, a master's degree from Trinity University, and an administrator's certificate, Our Lady of the Lake University, San Antonio. He is also a graduate of Northside

School District's Administrative Internship Program.

Following medical retirement from the U.S. Marine Corps in 1966, Daniel began coaching at Bexar County School for the Deaf. His teaching, coaching and administrative experience includes positions at Whittier and Page Junior High Schools and Burbank High School in San Antonio ISD. Daniel joined the Holmes High staff as an administrator in 1972.

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He is a member of Phi Delta
Kappa, Texas and National
Associations of Secondary
School Principals and Colonial
Hills United Methodist Church.
He and his wife Edie have two
sons, Steve, 10, and Jeff, 7.
Daniel will have an office at

Daniel will have an office at Marshall High School until the new school, currently under construction on De Zavala Road, is completed. For the 1978-79 school year, Clark High have 1,200 students, freshmen through junior classmen.

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