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## The Pan American

## EDINBURG, TEXAS

## Bronco Queen Selected

Bronco Days '78 cul minated with the coronation bail last Friday The ball is the traditional end to the implies, is held to crown the new reigning Bronco new reigning Bronco
This year, she is Yvonne Rodriguez. She was sponsored by the Delta Zeta sorority. She has held the Miss Star County and Citrus
Fiesta Princess Fiesta Princess of Orange Blossom. This is the third year in a row that the Delta Zeta candidate has won the crown
Bronco Queen is chosen by popular vote, and this
year 1,392 students turned out for the vote. That's roughly 18 per cent of the total student population eligible to vote. PAUSA President Judi Flores sald this year's turnout is the highest in recent years.
Miss Rodriguez received a total of 459 votes, a considerable margin over the first runnerup. Pam Rendon, sponsored by the Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity. She rallied a total of 203 votes. The Alpha Kappa Psi candidate, Lupe Leon, received 195 votes to earn the second runner up

Other results of the election were: Linda Vela, 183 votes: Lourdes Muñiz, 158; Cynthia Gorena, 151, and Miriam Valerio. 33.
The above valid votes plus 23 write-in votes for plus a write-in votes for a total or 1.405 votes
cast are the official results of the Bronco Queen election, according to Guadalupe Gallegos, election comnittee.

The role of Bronco Queen is not clearly outlined nor are her


KEEP TRYING - Despite his efforts to motivate his vehicle, his tricycle, PAU student was never taught the proper use of tricycle. Shown above is one of the contestants in

## School Of Business Awaits Results

Pan American University officials are now awaiting for the word from the American Assembly of Colligiate Schools of Business (AACSB) on whether or not they have met accredation requirments for the school of business here.
An accrediting team from the AACSB was on campus a couple of weeks ago, and dean of the Business Administration. Dr Robert McMichael, is very optimistic about the accredation.
think we had a very very impressed with the
school, the faculty, the students and everything adse, said McMichael. He added preliminary report from the team is due in about three weeks. "The report, says McMichael, will contain everything except their recommendation to the accrediting council. The 1979 at the AACCSB May 1979 at the AACCSB con-

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McMichael says he still remains optimistic even though there are still some areas of concern. "My only remething which we really have no control over really

## Historical Date Remembered

Brownsville campus," he said.
McMichael explained that the accrediting team expressed concern over the fact that the two campuses were not that clearly defined. He said that the Brownsville campus is generally new and some of the faculty teaching loads are very high.
Even so. McMichael remains enthused about the visit but isn't ready to make any conclusions about it until the preliminary report is in and the council makes
Celebration AtPAU

A Christmas celebration will be held Dec. 12 during activity period at 1030 a m . at the University Chapel. The Baptist. Romat Catholic and United Methodist campus ministries at Pan American are spon sonng this worship service and invite the University community to attend

Queen is mainly a PR role and the extent of her role really depends on her and the studen association's initiative. says Flores.
Traditionally. Bronco Queen represents the University in parades and social events. Flores added that there is a move to coordinate next Year's election with Homecoming. Bronco Queen will then serve as the symbolic head and reign over the spirit and homecoming festivities

## Individual Names Withheld By PAUSA

Names of individual winners of various contests at Bronco Days last week withheld by Student Government officias taking them down at the end of each contest. Reporters for The Pan American were told results would be made available to them on Monday.
The results were not forthcoming despite efmembers. The by staft members. Therefore the do not appear in this do not appear in this issue
can.

## Exams Given By

 DepartmentDepartmental final exams will be given by the mathematics department Dec 15, to all basic mathematics basic algebra. and college algebra courses. The exams will be administered in various classrooms in the old library building. and will be proctored by members of the mathematics department faculty.
A committee made up of math department faculty members will make out the tests Commander Robert Administrator. said that the faculty has standardized the exams to insure that all students cover the same material. so that grades more of an indication of how much material the students have mastered and te aid in improving the courses by pinpointing weak areas.
The material presented these math courses designed to provide students when they take other required math courses for their various majors


## 'Don't Be Chicken'

A free blood pressure clinic will be held Dec. 8 from 9 a.m. to $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$, in the Learning Resource Center main lob-

The clinic will be sponsored by the American Heart Association and Texas Student Nurses Assn at Pan American University.
No ID is needed to have your blood pressure checked The clinic is open to the public. For further information contact, Emily McCormick at 381-3497. PAU Nursing building

## Festival At PAU

The religious festivals of Las Posadas and Fiestas Guadalupanas, will be celebrated on campus Saturday from $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. to $11 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ in the Ballroom.
Six social science classes have been engaged in the planning of these activities but the whole school will be invited to this Mexican cultural party. Approximately 250 persons are expected to participate

## Appointments Made

The yearbook staff is making appointments for those students who were named to Who's Who to have their pictures taken for El Bronco
If you were selected to Who's Who Among American University and Colleges for 1978-79 and have not been contacted for an appointment please contact the yearbook office no later than Dec. 11. Call 381-2541 or go by Emilia Hall 100 for an appointment time.

## Senator Is Speaker

Senator Raul Longoria will be the quest speaker at the High School Equivalency Program at Pan Amencan University an Dec 13, at $7: 30$ p.m in the Fine Arts Auditorium
According to Clementine Cantu, director of HEP, there will be 115 HEP students graduated Presentation of awards to students for outstanding achievements and scholarships funded by local banks will be presented las Rancheritas will provide the entertainment

## Closing Date For UC

The Unversity. Center recreation room will close at 4.30 pm Dee 15, and will remain elosed throughout pring semester. Jan 15, according to Tinn Vela. VC

# QUOTES 



Garcia


## Luna

As a junior majoring in accounting, Delfino Garcia has this to say about Pan American
What do you think is good about the University? It's actually a university for the Valley which makes it
easier for students to come to college. If it wasn't here I easien't think many students would go to college."
What do you think is bad about the University?
The lack of concern for the students by the administra tion not the professors. Also, the rising cost of books. A lot of professors don't even go buy the book. Therefore, books are not even necessary because you have to take the word of the professor and so you actually don't need or use the book
How would you improve it?
"Teachers should maybe get together by departments and decide what books are going to use,

As a junior at Pan American, Manuel "Butter" Luna makes a few comments on the University. At 22, Luna is What do you think is good abou
What do you think is good about the University? and the media. Mexican-Americans are finally believing and the media. Mexican-Americans are finally believing
in themselves. We're living in an age where we've got a in themselves. We're living in an age where we've got a
chance, an opportunity to be anything we want to be. chance, an opportunity to be anything we want to be.
Also, we're not discriminated so much here, that helps a Also
lot."
lot
What do you think is bad about the University?
They don't equip the rooms that they have now like maps and in some classes teachers don't have erasers. In stead they make new buildings and get a new sprinkler
system. They should equip what they have now and then $\begin{aligned} & \text { system. T } \\ & \text { expand!" }\end{aligned}$

## PAUStudents Involved In Rescue Mission

## D) CYNTHIA GARCIA

This weekend, five Pan American University students and two other Val leyites put their rescue training to good use as members of a rescue team which aid ed an injured Teinnessee caver. The caver was injured in a fall in a cave in the Sierra Madre Oriental mountain range in northern Mexico, near Ciudad Victoria.
Nick Morales, Steve Copold, John Jinks, Bill PAU students) Reidland (all John Kreidler and Art Centeno of McAllen, assisted in the rescue after hearing of the injured caver.
All we knew was that they couldn't get him out said Morales. According to him, there are several volunteer rescue services available. Through an an swering service, the word of a caving accident gets spread to resue teams Mexico, the Valley group was one of the first to be informed of this particular

The Valley group left a approximately noon on Sa turday and arrived at Ciudad Victoria at 6 p.m. Because of the rough mountain roads, their journey to the zave system, named "EI Brinco," took approximately six and one half hours to complete.
"When we got there we
found that he was in good
pirits and that it would take lot of work to get him out," said Morales.
Chris Kerr, the injured ca ver, was a member of a par ty of four cavers, all of whom Morales described as being "very experienced probably the most experi enced in Texas and the Eastern states.
The four were exploring and mapping the caver net work at the time of Kerr's ac ident.
He was descending into a 35 ft . pit when his foothold gave way and he fell.
The cave system in which he fell is about 23 km . longthe largest system in Mexico Kerr fell into a crevice, which was fortunate for him since a fall to a flat surface could have been fatal. He was situated 1.2 km . from the nearest entrance which had just recently been discovered and was approx imately 200 ft . under ground.
Upon their arrival, the Valley team was met by a group from Austin which has been airlifted to the acciden site by the U.s. Army
The rescue attempt began at about 8:30 a.m. on Sun day when Kreidler, Centeno and Morales were show where the injured man had fallen.
Morales said that the most difficult part of the rescue ef fort was "the awfully thin passageways -they were on y big enough to wiggle through ... they were wid but not very high.

Dear Editor

Last week as everyone knows, elections were held for Bronco Queen. One look at the results will tel you that not many people on campus voted. Eighteen per cent to be exact. Why? Obviously those who did ote were probably dragged down tolls and told who to vote for.

## Jargon Confusion Puzzles Mind

## By Noe Espinosa

There seems to be an inclination in practically all of us o use wordy pomposities or jargon when we speak. Let me give an example of some of the obscure language people use: "I don't think I'll be going because I'm low on monetary resources." Why not say in simpler terms, I'm broke.
Frequently if you're talking to a person and you use this type of jargon he/she won't understand you and will pro bably be too embarrassed to ask you what you mean.
Take the woman who went very angrily to the principals office and told him that her son had been manifested non-verbally. to put it in layman's terms, her boy was beaten up.
Then there is the housewife who says her "ennui eventuates because of the scenario." Meaning, that her bordem becomes a reality because of the setting she lives in.
Jargon can be used to cause confusion in even the
most recognizable and famous poems. most recognizable and famous poems.
Mary possessed a diminutive sheep, whose external covering was a devoid of color as the congealed aqueous fluid which occasionally presents insurmountable barriers to railroad travel on the Sierras; And everywhere that Mary peregrinated, the juvenile southdown was certain to get up and get right after her. It tagged her to the alphabet dispensary one day, which was in contravention of established usage; It caused the other youthful students to cachinnate and skyfungle. To perceive an adolescent mutton in an edifice devoted to the disemination of knowledge. And so the proceptor ejected him from the interior, but he continued to roam in the vicinity, and remained very composedly in the neighborhood untll Mary once more became visible. "What causes the juvenile sheep to hanker after Mary so," queried the inquisitive children of their tutor? "Why. Mary bestows much affection upon the little animal to which the wind is tempered when shorn, you must be aware," the preceptor with alacrity responded?
My animadversion isn't against the edification institutes, but upon those individuals that disseminate the patois The only solution if you happen to come across a per son with this type of lingo is to obviate them
"Conspicuous, inconspicuous consumption.

The crew then dynamited the entrance in order to remove Kerr. They worked from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Sunday, blasting and digg ing. A small detachment o Mexican soldiers, as well a ome local villagers, assisted with security and suplied ex tra tools.
Kerr was removed by stretcher between 4:30 p.m and 5 p.m. According to Morales, "He had to be moved from the stretcher several times in order to get
By 1 a passageway. By 1 a.m... Monday. Ker had been pulled out of the pit. His injuries were serious but not critical. A fractured leg, a possible fractured ankel and ribs, as well as bruises and cuts were the
Hes
He was given emergency treatment by Centeno, a fourth year medical student The group began their trip down the mountain at $10: 30$ a.m.. Monday He was hauled on a stretcher on the back of a pick-up. By 5 p.m.. they had arrived at the were met by a back up
rescue team from San An
Ker arived McAllen
Kerr arrived in McAllen a about $11: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$
He had been at the botom of the cave for almost 60 hours. I was in the cave for 14 hours," said Morales and I was just exhausted. as was everyone else.
"After we got in we had a celebration in which the American rescue team members, the villagers and soldiers participated. Morales said.
Kerr was in "good condition" Tuesday morning.
Morales explained tha caving accidents such as this one are not common: how ever. some accident occurs 'anytime cavers can be ound-the last rescue effor was one to one and a half years aqo, in Mexico.

The loosely-knit organiza ion of cavers and mountain climbers her ar planning to re-organize the Pan Ame
rican Spediological Society and make it a formal campus organization.
mal voing procedures
were not being used election? Why go through all the trouble of providing voting machines if prope procedures are not going to practiced.?
Another thing that at racted my attention was the help at the polls. Since when do members of the sponsoring club work at the polls? Could it be that there are new voting procedures a Pan American that I havePan Amencan that have think that people don't think that people
notice these things?
How many times has the How many times has the gripe, Peop
Let me say that the reaso Let me say that the reason
wouldn't vote is because wouldn't vote is because ly going to be counted.

Ana Barrera I thought lid ne certainly use
ple like you!

## Holiday Programs For InternationalStudents

As the Christmas holdiays get closer, most of PAU get closer, most of PAU students and faculty ably making plans that probably
will include their families and will include their families and friends. The situation will be a little different though, fo many Pan Am internationa students.
According to Judy Pranter assistnat dean of students there are about 100 interna fonal students. While many will ago home to our neigh boring country, Mexico there are still several who will not be able to, as Pan Am has students from 26 other foreign countries Some of them plan to trave throughout the United States and others will spend their friends.

For those students who don't have any plans, there are two possible programs to join, the National organiza ion House and the Friend ship International House both sponsored by the Na a tional Students Ministries

## The Paun

 AnonericenLeticia Diaz Business Administration parking lot. All my notes for term paper were there plus some other material fo n out-of-class assignment.
eyes on them again.
But, thanks to one ROSA But, thanks to one ROSA ALVARADO, my belief in the honesty of the Pan Am student was totally re inforced. I would like to thank Rosa via this column You're beautiful for what you did. The world could

Leo Gonzalez, night student
Management major
Pharr,Texas

For an annual fee of $\$ 5$, in ernational students can have a place to go to with ree room and board. The programs are offered in 39 cities of the United States.
However, there may still be a few students who do not have a place to stay since the dorms will $b$ clos ed. If they contact Pranter in advance though, she will be
happy to help them.

## Classified Ads




Bronco Days. Several campus organizations oarticipated in the Bronco Days events between Wednesday and Thursday. Points won by individual winners in the various events were totaled to determine the overall winners in the several organizational categories. Phi Sigma Kappa and Kappa Delta captured first place in the fraternity and sorority divisions, respectively. In the co-ed division, CAMP was awarded first place. The Ladies of Camelot received first place in the female organization category; IK's and the Vet's tied for first in the male organization category.

## LRC Has New Feature

By Cynthia Garcia

The Learning Resource Center, which has been open for nearly one year, has introduced several new features since its ope
January of this year.
The center houses
The center houses the library, a graphic arts facility, a photographic center, a audio-visual department, a media center and a media theatre. The LRC is obviously the largest building on
Robe
Robert McDowell, assistant librarian for reader's ser vices, listed several new ser vices that are provided by his department. A computer terminal, which will show all material contained in Valley libraries, is available to students and faculty
According to McDowell, if the material is not available here, it probably can be found at another Valley library with the help of the terminal. There are also a great deal of new reference books, indexes and microforms.
A collection of all the college and university some from overseas is available on microfiche, There is also a large phone
cludes the top 246 metro politan areas which will be available on the second floor.
John Piety, acquisitions and systems librarian, says that more books are being ordered than ever before. In two years, the amount of magazines and back maga zines have doubled. Piety says that this is done "al to form a more solid library resource." His department is working "a little faster than usual," and has many plans for the future.
These plans include in creasing the library's effec tiveness by making books and magazines available to students as quickly as possible.
The media center, which includes films, film strips, video tapes and other nonprofit material, has also proved helpful to many students. Some professors have made their class lectures available on tape and may be used for the benefit of students to help them in of students to help them in
reviewing a lecture or making up a missed class.
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In order to insure a fair method of testing,
evaluating and grading of students. Pan American

University's English departUniversity's Eriglish depara
ment has scheduled essay type departmental final ex type departmental final exEnglish classes. The final will
be proctored by English department facult members, and will be ad ministered on Dec. 14 in the Liberal Arts Building
Students will be expected
subject during the exam period. Essay subjects will be chosen by a 1301 faculty committee, and students will
be given a list of these sub jects before the exam. They lects'tofore the exam. They
won't, however, be told exactly which subject they are to write about until the day of the exam.

Grading of the final will be done by more than one faculty member. The reason for this, according to William

Division Courses and English teacher at PAU " to allow the grade of the final essay to reflect a more ac
curate consensus of the merit of the paper." The faculty members will all be using the same grading form in evaluating the papers
The 1301 final is scheduled at an earlier date than the rest of the final exams because the exact essay subject will not be disclosed
before the exam period

Another reason for the early exam date is to allow time for more than one faculty member to evaluate each paper.

Members of the English department facuify devised this new system of testing and grading to insure that their students will be

## Bookstore

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Continues

## Members Initiated Into KD P

The Lambda Psi Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an educa of Kappa Delta Pl , an educa: 38 members at a ceremony Nov. 11 at the Pan American University Ballroom. can University Ballroom.
The ceremony began with a presentation of the Presi a presentation of the Presi
dent's Pin to $1977-78$ chap ter president, Rosa Hernandez. Also included in this ceremony was the presenta

## APO Elects Members

Lambda XI chapter of Alpha Phi Omega at Pan
American University has named its fall pledge class named its fall pledge class Solis, son of Mrs. Francisa Solis, son of Mrs. Francisa
Solis of La Feria; Carlos Villarreal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Villarreal of Mission; Jorge Jimenez, son of sion; dorge Jimenez, son of
Mr and Mrs. Moises Jimenez of McAllen: Rosie Olivarez, daughter of Mr and Mrs Gregoria Olivare of Edinburg: Clariza Barrera daughter of Mr. and Mrs Conce Barreriro of McAllen and Jaunita Barrera daughter of Mr , and Mrs Nicatas Barrera of Los Fresno. Also elected were Dolores Eufracio, daughter of Mr , and Mrs. Felipe Eufracio of McAllen: Arturo Flores, son of Mr, and Mrs,
Simon Flores of Bakersville, Simon Flores of Bakersville, Ca.; Irene G. Valladares of Maria Valladares of Mrs

## C T <br> Students Unaware

## Of School Insurance

You would be surprised how many students enrolled do not know they have Sty do not know they have Stu dent Accident insurance, This insurance covers students while on campus sored activity and sponsored actu from coming and going from home to school and back within the time limit
If the students stops on the way home or to school anywhere and gets involved
in a accident, any injury
afteraffects after a year are not covered by this insurance.
The insurance also entitles in case of dismemberment, loss of sight or in case of death up to $\$ 1.5000$ in

Last school year 215 claims were made and to date $\$ 12.5000$ has been paid. Insurance questions can be answered by a call to 381-2511, Student Health Service, 105 Emilia Hall

## Mrs. Enedelia Garcia: Noe

 Gonzalez son of Mr and Mrs. Vicente Gonzalez of Westaco: Haydee Handy daughter of Mr. and Mr Rogelio Handy of Donna Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Jaramillo Sr. of Rio Hondo. Ana Maria Torres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Torres of McAllen and Richard Trevino Jr. son of Mr, and Mrs. Richard Trevino Sr. of Mercedes. Other elected were: Elizabeth Torres daughter of Mr and Mrs Jesse Torres of McAllen Graciela Vasquez daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Inocente Vasquez of Edinburg: Elda Villareal, daughter of Mr and Mrs. David Villarreal of Encino, Ix., Sylvia Garcia daughter Or Mr. and Mrs Ricardo Garcia of Edinburg and Alicia Ramirez,daughter of Mrs. Petra daughter of Mrs. Petra
Ramirez of McAllen.

Kathy Waggerman, Rosa Hernandez, Mary Garcia, Tevis. Jeannean Spruiell and Raquel Villescas parficipated in the presentation After lighting individual candles, each initiate recited the vow of acceptance for the ideals of fidelity to the rdeals of fidelity to
humanity, service, science humainty, service, science
and toil
Those initiated were:

Brownsville-Maria Garcia Martha Garcia. Viola Craig and Miguel Torres. Donna - Margaret McKenna, Edinburg Benedict. Dr. Carl Carlan. Martha Garcia, Deborah Guerra, Gail LeBlanc, Rosa Mena. Lleselotte Moum Leonor Palos. Mary Vas quez. Artonto Vela and La quez. Artonto Vela and La
Juana Whittington. Lyford Ana Castillo Dalinda Cisneros and Educardo Infante
McAllen - I llene Dreyer Dahlia Gonzalez, Jacquelyn Gotke, Laura Hernandez and Nina Zuravelz
Mission Ofelia Garza. Emma LaForge. Cynthia Martinez, and Sandra Mar
Pharr - Apolonio Ar redondo and Gloria Cantu.
Rio Grande City - Maria Alaniz, Felicla Garza and Maria Olivarez
Roma Ramoncita Guerra, Elva Hinojosa and Maria Pena
San Juan - Linda
Calhoun Calhoun.
Weslaca - Maria De La Luz Herrera.
A banquet followed the initiation and the guest speaker. Dr. Alvin Can nady. PAU education pro fessor, addressed the members. His topic was the "Liability of Teachers.
A business meeting was also conducted. The society members elected Jacquelyn Gotke, a McAllen junior, to represent their chapter at the Kappa Delta Psi regional conference in Oklahoma City.
Lamda Psi chapter officers are: Kathy Waggerman, president Rosa Mernandez vice president Mary Garcia, recording secretary Eva Garcia corresponding secretary and Dr. Irene Frazier, treasurer.
Mrs. Virginia Davis is counselor of the chapter and counselor


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Pan American University campus continues to grow as construction activities con inue on the new bookstore The new building is ex. pected to cost $\$ 677,998$ and will be almost double the size with 16,000 square feet of space says Louls deVries. Physical Plan Manager
Construction of the new bookstore is being handled by the Marchon Brothers fric Construction Firm from Mercedes The Marchon Firm is also constructed the Nursing Education Building the Science Building and the Jody Ramsy Stadium The new bookstore is located


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## Glad To Be Home

After two straight road losses, the Broncs return home to the friendly con-
fines of the PAU Field
House Dec. 9. They play
Oklahoma A\&S.

## Pan Am Has Tough Trip

## Shooters <br> Help OSU

Guard Mark Tucker smashed a Pan American University rally Tuesday night when he sank 60 percent of his long range shots cored 28 points, and lifted Oklahoma State to a 90-78 basketball victory before 5,950 spectators.

Pan Am comes home from twor road loses with a $1-2$ record and will meet Oklahoma A\&S University at 8 p.m. Saturday in Edin-
Billy Bailey pumped in 26 points for Pan Am, and his two free throws lifted the Broncs into a $63-63$ tie with $9: 25$ remaining.

Bailey's free throws came On a technical foul against ngsworth for yelling at the referees.

Pan Am had a chance to go ahead, but committed one of its 22 turnovers to OSU's 17.
Suddenly the Cowboys and their fans went berserk, running off six straight points and 14 of the next 16 to blow ahead decisively.
Tucker, a 6-3 senior guard, ignited the rally as he sank 12 of 20 shots.

Don Youman, 6-7 Cowboy forward, completed the destruction of Pan Am's hopes by making 12 of 16 inside shots and scoring 27 points. Youmán's 12 rebounds enabled OSU to win the boards, 50-41
Meanwhile, Pan Am's flickering chances were

crushed when Danny Salisbery fouled out with $2: 52$ remaining after scoring 23 points. Rex Spain, who shared Pan Am's rebounding lead with Salisbery, had eight apeice, also fouled out earlier in the game.
To complete the defeat, the officals called two technical fouls on Pan Am technical fouls on Pan Am and disallowed a tip-in by Salisbery just before he fouled out.
Pan Am held a 39-38 lead after the first half, during which the Broncs led several times, gaining their advantage when Salisbery made wo free throws just one se cond before the intermis sion. Pan Am's biggest lead was six points later at 50-44 and 52.46

## Wolfpack

## Mauls

 BroncsStatistics are a big part of sports and in the basketball
game Dec. 1 against Neva-da-Reno, the Broncs led in every category except two every category except two.
Those two areas were shooting percentage and the final score of the game.

Because of shooting a dismal 30 per cent for the game, the roundballers lost their first road game of the year to Nevada-Reno, 83. 69.

The rebounding aspect of the game was a big concern for the Broncs this year, but they outrebounded the Wolf-pack by eight re bounds, 48-40.
Only Danny Salisberry and substitute Denzil Dean scored more than Spain as each hit for 14 markers. The Wolfpack held high-scoring guard Billy Bailey to 10 points after he had hit for 25 in the season opening victory over Hawaii.

Pan Am was hurt by the scoring tandem of Mike Gray and All-American can idate Edgar Jones as they hit for 24 and 22 points espectively. Jones had six less rebounds than did Spain as Jones cornered only 12 rebounds.


## Looking To Score

Cheese Scott Fires from Hawail Rainbows. Short range against the

## Team Challenged

Riding the 22 -point scoring of 6 -foot- 4 senior Ken neth McCaster, the Universi neth McCaster, the Universi ty of Science and Arts of Oklahoma will be playing its 1lth basketball game of the visit Pan American Universi Syit Paturday night Universiy Saturday night.
This first-time encounter will begin at 8 p.m. Saturday in the PAU Field House. It will mark just the fourth game of the season for Pan

Am's Bronct
Before Saturday's game, at $6: 30$, the Valley news media will stage their annual shootout, matching the Ra-dio-TV Personalities against the Newspaper Sports Writers.
And, at halftime Saturday, the media people will shoot it out for the 10th annual News Media FreeThrow Championship of

Texas. A trophy goes to the winner
The Oklahoma team from Chickasha is guided by a new coach, Gene Davis, who compiled an outstanding lifetime record of 374 wins, 206 losses coaching high schools and Clarendon high schools and Clarendon homa.

Besides, McCaster, a senior who is bettering his 17.2 pace of a year ago the Drovers are led by three men averaging between 10 men averaging between 10 and 11 points. They are 6-5 Forbes and 6-1 Daniel Stokley. Wilkerson is averaging eight rebounds

Starting its schedule 'way back on Nov. 17, USA-Oklahoma already owns a $5-5$ record.


Come Down Ball
Steady Cindy Treviño prepares to

## gain control over of the jump ball. The <br> Bronc Spotlight

## Trevino Playing Well

Although not receiving as much recognition as othe Pan Am athletes, the ladies basketball team has found a jem in the rough. It is in the orm of Cindy Treviño, one of the most consistent and studient players on the eam. With a little over four
her, Trevino is one of the leading scorers on the team so far this year. Her size and hustle characterize the ladies this year as the women are always much shorter than their opponants. "What we don't have in size, we make in hustle," Treviño said. A great sports fan and athlete ever since a

## A Brief Look At...

Baseball

With the finals around the corner, head Baseball Coach, al Olgetree, has decided to let the ballplayers concentrate on their studies. The fall exhibition games are over. but the players are working on their own.
We have a lot of potential and our pitching was very steady through our scrimmages," Olgetree said. The young baseballers will resume workouts at the semester as they prepare for the opening of the baseball season in February
The squad will carry bet ween $30-35$ players. Among these players, three are freshmen and 14 are walkfreshm
ons
Although the team lost many players off of last years's squad, Olgetree better than average speed " Tennis

A fine showing in the ICTA Indoor Doubles Cham pionships helped the doubles duo of Derek Segal and John Picken receive an invitation to play in the Sheldon National Colligiate Doubles Championships

The doubles team ad vanced to the quarterfinals before losing to the No. 4 seeds. $7.6,7.5$. The top Michigan and South Carolina teams were the victims of Picken and Segal
It is very uncommon for a first year doubles team to play well as a team, but the odds have been changed as this unique doubles tandem has a solid 15-3 record.

A new pep band is being formed for basketball games and auditions will be held soon for PAU students, and others, who want to volun
The Bronc pep band will play at all home basketball games. Although it will con sist mainly of brass and per cussion instruments, other instruments also will be con sidered.
The pep band's new direc or probably will come from off campus. In the mean time, interested students can contact Jim McKone, sports information director, in the athletic department at 381 2228.
youngster, Treviño has only played basketball for four years and all of her activity has been in the college level The Brownsville native has been starter for four years so this is her last year.
She did not play basket ball in high school because it did not offer the sport back then. "The program is going well in the Valley now, Treviño said.
Will Treviño just take it easy now? "I can't sit down and stay still, so 1 plan io play sottball and volleyball next year. Volleyball will be a new experience for played basketball and played basketball and olleybail before.

It's no surprise, Treviño is majoring in PE and she hopes to become a basket ball coach in the years ahead. She plans to leave he Valley and she admits," want to go up around North Texas."


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## Lady Basketballers Hit Snags

## Woman Have Trouble In George West Tourney

## by Oscar Garza

Road games are the hardest challenge for any basketball team to overcome in order for them to come out with a victory.
basketballers are in the hardest part of their schedule as they are on the road for at least a month and a half. They will travel throughout South Texas on their road trips
In their first tourney of the year, the ladies lost three
straight games in the George West Tournament. The losses were in the hands of
Angelia JC Wharton JC Angelia JC. Wharton JC and St Mary's University. All three were very close deteat. This puts the team at a 2-3 mark
"We played with each eam up until five minutes left in the game and then they used their height to beat McDowell head coach John McDowell said. Height is one of the big problems of
squad they face The women are undersized. Out of the four road games, the women have lost hree of them Road games are long and weary. McDowell said. He went on ro say. "We are ready for home game because we are much more comfortable a Today, the woman trave to Kingsville to participate in he Texas A\&l Tournament The ladies open the firs round of competition agains Texas Christian University.


Playmaking guard Melba Llanes tries to pass off the ball to teammate Ber-
team in assists through the first six tha Chavana (33). Llanes has led the

Minimum Wages Increase
Pan American University students who are employed under the work-study program will continue to work the same number of hours next semester, regardless of the ise in the minimum wage to $\$ 2.90$ an hour which will go

Sylvia Lujan, Financial aid director, explained that last year, work-study employees had their working hours reduced because the federal funds did not cover the minimum wage increase. However, this year, the inrease was anticipated and there is suffient federal noney available to pay these students for the same

## Art Students Sell Works

Pan American University art students will offer their ar works for sale Dec. 1-22 at the Fine Arts Gallery. Dr. Nancy Prince, head of the art department, said drawings such as works on paper should be matted and paintings framed or stripped. Sculptures and ceramics Any brought as they are.
Any art student interested in displaying his art may go by the art annex and/or make arrangements with Prince.

## Course Described

Students entering Pan American University under the 1978-79 catalog must take Ed 2100 Admission to Teacher Education prior to enrolling in upper level (3000 and 4000 level) courses in the School of Education. The course described as an orientation to teacher education programs and job requirements. This course must be completed with a C prior to enrolling in programs protessional upper level (3000-4000)

## Registration Has Increased

A forecast of registration totals for both the Edinburg and Brownsville campuses for Spring 1979 appears to how a slight increase over last spring's totals, according "The 8,950 students. Breaking down the total we should see

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7,890 students here in Edinburg and 1,150 at Brownsville, Zuniga said. These projections compare with last spring's totals of 8,925 students on both campuses, with 7,862 in Edinburg and 1,063 in Brownsville. He estimated 6,200 students took advantage of priority
registration which ended Dec. 6 .

## Concert Band Performs

A preview performance of "Los Clasicos" will be held Alpha in the University Circle during activity period Alpha Kappa Psi business fraternity will sponsor this performance along with a dance to be held Dec. 9 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Villa Real convention, located bet Advanced tickets sell for Advanced tickets sell for $\$ 5$ and at the door the tickets

## Committee To Be Named

Publications committeemen representing the faculty will be nominated at the January meeting of the Faculty Senate, according to Dr. Carl Grantz, chairman of the Senate.
He explained that each of the seven units represented on the Senate will make one nomination and the seven names will be submitted to Dr. Mike Nevarez, vice president for Student and University Affairs
Three vacancies on the committee are to be filled. Replacements for Dr. Hubert Miller and Neal Bates, whose terms expired at the beginning of this semester; and for Rosario Laudicina, who left Pan Am are to be selected by Dr. Nevarez and approved by Dr. Ralph Schilling, Pan Am president

## Registration Plans Made

Students who did not make appointments to meet with their advisors to plan their spring schedules will have to go through regular registration Jan. 10-11. Only classes not filled during priority registration will be available.
Students who have a change in mailing addresses during the Christmas holidays are reminded that they must register the change at the admissions office or the registrar to insure receipt of their schedule confirmation and fee statement.

## Sears' Executive Visits

"Corporate Strategies in the 80 's" will be the subject of an address here today by Robert Barmeier of Sear, Roebuck.
Barmeier, who is Sears' top executive in charge of long range planning, will address an audience of faculty and students at 6:30 p.m., in Room 110 of the School of Business Administration Building. There will no charge and the public is invited
In his address, Barmeier will discuss some of the major changes that will take place in the next decade and the implications of these changes for business and industry, both large an small, in the U.S

## Question Answered

What happened to the University's planetarium? According to Dr. Edwin LeMaster, the head of the Physical Science Department, the planetarium has been closed to the public for who ran the planetarium who ran the planetarium sity" he said The positionsity, he said. The position

## Being Security Is Not Easy Job

Taking care of the Pan American University campus is not an easy job. Pan Am's eight full time security officers work 24 hours a day. 7 days a week, 365 days a year including holidays, says Chief of Security Greg Salazar
Their job involves not only enforcement of parking rules but security officers must also enforce traffic regulations. Campus security also makes sure that buildings are makes sure that buildings are
locked up and secure at
however, the planetarium is being used by university students.
LeMaster says the administration feels that the main object is to service the PAU students and not the public. "I pushed hard when the planetarium first closed, yet it should be used by the students and not serve as a luxury for the public.
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NEW DIRECTORS - Financial Aid has chosen two new assistant directors. Shown above I or $r$ are Oscar Garcla and Cindy Garrett.

## New Directors Named

The Financial Aid administrative structure has been reorganized to include two assistant directors, Cindy Garrett, assistant director for federal aid programs; and Oscar Garcia, assistant director for counseling, scholarship and state aid.
Garcia has been employed by Financial Aid since February. He is a Pan American cum laude

## graduate and was named to

## UCPCShows'S

Director Francois Truffaut's, "Small Change," a French film, will be presented by UCPC Dec, 10 at the LRC Media Theatre a 8 p.m.

This 1976 film's dialogue is in French and has English subtitles.
In "Small Change" Truffaut" constructs an intricate and graceful mosaic around the lives of several children in a small provincial town." Under his direction the film emerges as one of truly rare

Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities
Garrett has been employed at Financial Aid five years. She will coorregistration activities, process financial aid applications, revise and adjust awards and compile and complete annual reports such as LEEP, nursing and BEOG reports.

## UCPC Organizes <br> Entertainment

The University Center
Program Council UCPC is Program Council UCPC is
an organization that plans and organizes entertainment for Pan American students and faculty. All PAU students can be members of the UCPC. The members elect a president and a vice president, who then appoint chair persons for specific committees.
Members of the UCPC are divided into committees which are in charge of concerts, fine arts, films, games and tournaments, ideas and issues, the coffee house, and special events.
UCPC receives a budget from the student service fees that PAU students pay at

registration. This budget enables them to hold events with a minimal admission fee or no admission fee at all. UCPC has a general meeting every other Tuesday in UC 303 during activity period. Their executive meetings are held on Thursdays during activity period in UC 303. Students are encouraged to go by and share their ideas with the council.
Students can obtain further information by contacting Debbie Thomas, coordinator of student activities at UC 205. They can also contact Charles Carr, president of the UCPC
sensitivity. There are moments of "raucous hilarity and genuine trauma," that exhibit a view of childhood that is described as "pro-
found and wise, realistic and found and wise, realistic and entertaining,
New Yorker's review of
"Small Change". 'Lovely "Small Change": 'Lovely a rarity, a poetic comedy that's really funny."
Prices for admission are $\$ 1$ for PAU students, $\$ 1.50$ for faculty and staff members and $\$ 2$ for the public. The and $\$ 2$ for the publ
film was rated PG.

## 6000 Students Pre-Registered

By Ben Treviño
Just over half of the students who were eligible to use the priority registration system this year actually did. According to David Zuniga assistant to the dean of ad missions, about 6,000 students pre-regisiered by he Dec. 6 deadine. That figures right around 58 per-
Registration packets will be sent out on or about the
21st of the month. The
packets will contain payment instructions as well as the students' schedule and fee statements.
Confirmation cards were sent out just this week. Con firmation cards are simply a notice to the student that his form has been received and processed. Zuniga says any student who does not receive a confirmation card by Jan. 2nd should contact the admissions office
Payments for spring
semester ' 79 will be due Jan 2. Students may make their payments at the ballroom from $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 4 p.m. tha day through the following Friday at noon. A return envel the registration packet for those students who want to pay by mail.
For those students who did not use the priority registration system, regular stration has been set for Jan. 10 for night students.

Day students will registe Jan. 11. Late registration and drop-adds will be held on Jan. 12. Registration and late registration will be held in the field house. Classes are scheduled to begin Jan 15 and drop-adds will Jan tinue in the ballroom.
Brownsville campu students will register on Jan 9. This date is for both day and night students and will begin at $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in the stu dent center.

The priority registration system was at one time used both in the spring and fall semesters, now it is only us ed for the spring semeste Zuniga explained the main reason the University stop ped using it for the fall was due to the fact that many of the students did not use it. "The big problem was that in order to use it in the fall, priority registration had to be carried out during the spring semester," said Zuniga. He explained that many
changes took place during the summer months and many students weren't sure of their plans that far in ad-
The system was kept on for spring semester because it gave freshman and sophomores an opportunity to talk with their advisers Zuniga said many students never see an advisor until their junior or senior year and the priority registration system helps to eliminate some of that

## '78' Graduate Class

As the end of the semester approaches, so does the end of hard work for many Pan American students. These students will be graduates at the end of December, but they will not participate in Mraduation ceremonies until May.
Brownsville students lead the turn out of graduates with 65, followed by Edinburg with 49 graduates and McAllen is third with 46. The School of Education leads with 136 bachelors and 36 masters, the School of Business Administration has 45 bachelors and six
masters and the School of Social Sciences has 47 bachelors
These prospective December graduates, listed by hometown, include:

Alamo
Ernesto Alanis, Maria Isabel Carlin, Noelia Quin tanilla Cruz, Marilyn May Jeske, Raymond E. Luna Francisco Ortega, Cecilia Diana Saenz, Diana Wilfong Alice
Alicia Gonzalez Austin
Robert Franco

Beaumont George Henry Hury

## Forensic Team Places Fourth

The winners of the First Annual "Pan American" Invitational Forensic Tournament held Dec. 1-2 were: Texas A\&I University, first place; Southwest Texas State University, second place: Trinity University, third place; and Pan American University, fourth place.
Pan American was selected by the South Texas Intercollegiate Forensic Association, STIFA, to host the Association's first annual Winter Championship Tournament. Pan American's Forensics and the School of Humanities sponsored the tournament here at Pan American.
The invitational tournament was the first collegiate forensic tournament held in the Rio Grande Valley, at Pan American and by STIFA. First, second and third place trophies were awarded to individual winners of all events. Certificates were awarded to all finalists.
Individual winners from Pan American's Forensic Pan American's Forensic
Team were: Patsy Ramos, Team were: Patsy Ramos, who received a second place trophy for poetry interpretafor prose interpretation: Salazar, won a third place Salazar, won a third place
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events: Prose Interpretation,
where each contestant read a selection or selections of prose material of literary merit, use of the manuscrip was required, and they were given eight minutes which included extemporized introduction and transitions Informative Speaking (Ex pos), where each contestant was allowed eight minutes in which to give an original factual speech on a realistic subject with minimal notes contestants were allowed to use visual aids to supple ment and reinforce the message; Poetry Interpretation, where each contestan read a selection or selections of American and/or British poetry of literary merit from a manuscript in eigh minutes; Pursuasive Speak ing (Oration), where an original, persuasive or inspirational speech was given from memory in eight

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Belinda Brady
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## Christmas Spirit

> Christmas is no longer - an expensive holiday; it's the thought behind it, as shown with these two
trees in the (left) women dorm and (right) mens dorm.

Yzaguierre, Paula Pena Ramirez

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Mitzi J. Hardisty Baker Mike Leon Bowery, Bertha Hinojosa, Alfredo Jesus Huerta, Elena Lara, Emesto See page 7

## Montalvo Sentenced To Four Years

Eddie Montalvo, the selfproclaimed bisexual who took a complete class hostage last Spring, was sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary for that
incident. Montalvo pleaded quilty to aggravated kidnapping before 139th District Court Judge Fidencio Guerra at his pre-trial hearing Dec. 4.
Sheriff Brig Marmolejo said he was requested to hold Montalvo until after the Christmas holidays. He added Montalvo would most likely be transferred to Hunt sville around Dec. 27 or 28
Montalvo will be given a credit of one year for the 10 months he spent in the county jail awaiting trial. He will be eligible for parole after serving two-thirds of his sentence, Marmolejo said in Montalvo's case, that should be about 18 months.

## NEWSEVENTS

## Pictures Taken

Students who were named to Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges will have their pictures taken today for El Bronco yearbook
If you are one of these students please come to the faculty lounge on the third floor of the Liberal Arts building at 10:30 a.m

## Art Sale Continues

The first few days of the Pan American University Christmas Art Show and Sale have been very successful and works have been sold for a total of more than $\$ 150$ Dr. Nancy Prince, head of the art department, said this art show does not feature as much art work as last year's show; however, the quality of the individual pieces 15 ex cellent
The Christmas art show will continue on through Dec 22 at the Fine Arts gallery.

## Deadline For FA

Students interested in receiving financial aid for the spring semester must submit applications to the financial aid office before Feb. 1, according to Cindy Garret, assistant director of tinancial aid
Students who turn in applications late cannot be promised any financial aid. After Nov. 1, students cannot be guaranteed funds at registration
Garret encourages students to turn in their applications before Jan. 15, although the deadline for applications is Feb. 1.

## QUOTES


"I feel the student doesn't have enough choices in the administrative policies.

As the President of The United Social Workers, Noe Ramirez is a senior from San Benito. He enjoys social activities and listening to music. Ramirez also loves sports and expecially playing tennis.

What do you like about the University?
II think the overail environment really makes the school alright. It gives you a sense of belonging. The professors are not all outside the students. They tend to be more personal with the student and try to help the student as much as possible."
"I also like the school because it's located in a small town and it's not much hassle going to and away from school and because it's progressing as compared to other
universities throughout the state, which reflects the stuuniversities throughout the state, which reflects the stuthe state and it will make me feel like 1 graduated from a good school."

What do you think is bad about the University?
"I feel there isn't enough student rights, but better yet I feel the student doesn't have enough choices in administrative policies.
frel that some of the classrooms are overcrowded. mashed potatoes are like use some improvement. The What do you think could be done to improve the problems?
"One of the things that should be done is to allow the students more freedom in school policies like for instance, allowing smoking in classrooms, getting rid of classroom attendence, and perhaps allowing the selling of alcholic beverages."

What do you want for Christmas?
I want good grades, a happy holiday, a restful vacation and a Harley Davidson!

## Classified Ads



Editor's Note:
The Pain American welcomes and will print letters from readres. All letters must be signed and must include the writer's address and telephone number. Because of limited space, letters should not exceed 200 words. The Pan American reserves the right to edit.

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## CMMENTARY

## Cold Weather Hits PAUSA

TO THE EDITOR
The final week of classes at Pan Am was greeted by near record temperatures which dipped to the mid-20s on Dec. 10. For many students it was time to search for that ong forgotten coat, mittens, and mufflers, but for others this artic-like weather has been a way of life the entire
semester-namely student government.
Student government (PAUSA) last met on July 26, and had since been unable to meet a quorum in the student senate. On Dec. 7 the senate finally met a quorum for the first time since school began last September
PAUSA became a hot issue when the judiciary committee found Sam Saldivar, president, to be deficient in his GPA, as required by the election code. Saldivar tendered his resignation Sep. 1
That proved to be the first flurry of cold weather within PAUSA which remained frozen until Dec. 7.
Because the student senate did not meet, Dagoberto Barrera has failed all semester to obtain senatorial apiV, 4.92 of the student constitution states. "The vicepresident and attorney general vacancy shall be filled by

## Christmas

## 'A Time For Everyone'

## By Ben Treviño

Christmas is the time of year everyone is to be filled with the joy of the yule season and good will toward men takes on an added meaning. The season of giving, of sharing, of knowing what brotherly love is supposed to be all about gives one a sense of belonging to a world wide fraternity sharing a common gift of faith in a God who watches over all.
Sometimes it's hard to tell what Christmas is all about through all the tinsel, glitter, chimes and hooplah that unfortunately always accompanies the time. It's only natural, or better-human, to want to capitalize on Christmas, but you really have to wonder about how someone could regard Christmas as the time for Christmas bonuses, Christmas parties, Christmas Sales, Christmas this and Christmas that.
Beneath the obscure and almost invisible meaning of things there always seems to remain an inkling of hope that the real spirit of the season is not lost.
You know the feeling, we've all experienced it at this time of year, whether devout Catholic or har-line atheist. Everyone at one time or another is touched by the season, everyone. It isn't anything that has to be tangible, and sometimes you don't realize you've been hit until you stop, look back, and say, "Yeah, 1 guess there is something to all of this."
Being an atheist during the yule season is not as uncommon as you might think. It's safe to say all of us have common as you might think. It's safe to say all of us have
spent at least one Christmas wondering to ourselves it it spent at least one Christmas wondering to ourselves it it really wasn tsome great, grand and glorious scheme by some money hungry capitaist designed to scalp all of us Christmas bonuses Chay just be bonuses. By the way, Christmas bonuses may just be the greatest laugh of the entire season. Anyway, getting back to the subject at

It has always been interesting to note, at least to this reporter, that Christmas does have a knack of transforming people, some more than most, into the type human being we'd like to be all year round. P've often gotten cheerful greetings this time year from persons who, had it not been for the joy of the occasion, might otherwise place their thumb on their nose and wave the remaining our fingers at me.
Making everyone more cheerful probably is the best part of this commercialized holiday, for it seems to be the only true symbol of the times that has withstood man's obscuring of Christmas. Those gleeful "Hello" and "Merry Christmas!" wishes that echo through the halls strike a particularly pleasant note in the unconscious ear and provoke even the coldest of hearts to stop and think to himself, "hey, maybe there is something to all this insanity."

## Calendar of Events

Dec. 14
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appointment of the President as outlined by this Constitution, executive By-laws, and election code with the advice and approval of two thirds $(2 / 3)$ of the Student Senate present and voting.
Two weeks ago students noted a number of flagrant violations of the election code in the handling of the Bronco Queen elections.
The code clearly states that no campaigning shall be conducted within 50 feet of the polling place. Yet, some people either were not aware of this rule, or chose to ignore it. Two candidates for Bronco Queen were standing right outside the entrance to the LRC. At the snack bar, several persons were actively campaigning near the door.
Finally, last week at the meeting of the student senate, Ponce Duran, chief justice, handed in his resignation, effective Dec. 21.
Winter came early at the third floor of the University Center. We envision for the Spring semester that tropical weather will prevail. For even a lukewarm student government is better than a cold PAUSA
by Rudy Juarez

## "Second Class

## Citizens

## In Library"

## To the Editor:

Nowhere at Pan American have I encountered the at bitude that students are second class citizens more than in the library. I find this unfortunate because the library is a remendously valuable asset to my learning experience Yet, ibrarians at imes conserve heir learning resources so assiduously as to destroy benefits a student migh whish ellve. A recerial whic ors was which all iidrary material which was not checked out was removed (stolen?) from student lockers.
In the case of graduate carrel lockers, students were not advised that their drawers would be checked arbitrarily and without notice, or that "contraband"would be stolen "rom them by library personnel. Allhough students are in the lockers, I do not recall being told that.
The paid lockers, costing $25^{\prime}$ cents a day, contain no notice that the contents may be arbitrarily removed at any ime. A student who has spend hours gathering materials but doesn't have time to check them out before going to class, is in the position of paying to have his efforts
Need I state the response I received when I inquired if aculty lockers had been so inspected? Naturally they had ot. But then, faculty and staff can check books out and keep them indefinitely with impunity. It is my understan ding that some have unreturned books which have been out for 8 or 10 years.
The library's farce of a security system, bureaicratic bungling, and refusal to release data on the number of missing books developed in a recent inventory are all un necessary evils I can live with-but should be deprived of their rights-or have their time and effort summarily stolen without excuse or apology. Yours for a reasonable campus,
Courtney D. Wood
Management Major
Edinburg
Maybe there is something to all this glitter, tinsel chimes and hooplah. Maybe there is something to be said for spending most of the year's salary on gifts and or naments. Maybe there is something to all the commer cialized aspects of the Yuletide. Indeed. The true test to ind out whether or not Christmas has been really pushed into obscurity by commercialism must lie within each and every individual. For if, through all that shines, one can blessed with a Merry Christmas!

## Library Observes Holiday

The Library will observe the following hours over the Christmas holidays, according to Robert L. McDowell ssistant librarian
Through Thursday, Dec. 21 - Regular schedule (Open until 10:30 p.m.)
Dec. $22.8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to $5 \mathrm{p}, \mathrm{m}$.
Dec. 23 thru Jan 1 - CLOSED
Jan. 2 thru Jan. 14 - Open $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$, to $5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. weekdays Closed weekends
Jan. 15 - Reopen on regular schedule

## Views From U's

Only 80 percent of the South's college graduates in 1985 will find jobs in occupations that have been filled raditionally by college graduates. The remainder will need to seek employment in sales and clerical jobs or as blue collar, service or farm workers.
This is one of the conclusions of a new manpower and education report from the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB), entitled Supply and Demand for College Graduates in the South, 1985, by Marilu McCarty and Eva Galambos. The report presents SREB's findings on the supply of college graduates compared to openings in which they may become employed.
In 1985, job prospects for college graduates will vary

## EvaluationsA Benefit To All

## By Ana Barrera

After looking through several types of evaluation methods, the PAU faculty. senate chose the evaluation senate chose the evaluation used at Pan American used at
University.

According to Dr. Kevin Morse, director of Kevin riculum development, the faculty wanted a system the

## Auditions Begin <br> Today

Auditions for Pan American University Theatre's first production of the spring semester, "And Miss Reardon Drinks a Little" by Paul Zindel, will be held at $7: 30$ o'clock in the Studio Theatre on the Edinburg campus.

The gripping drama revolves around the lives of three sisters in a contemporary world, their careers in New York public education, the long lasting effects of their dead mother and their reactions to people outside their family. The cast calls or five women and two men.
Another of Zindel's plays, The Effects of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," was tremen dously successful at Pan American three seasons ago. Director Harry Dancey has announced that rehearsals will begin Jan. 15 with performances slated for Feb. 7-17, 1979. "University heatre auditions are open to all interested persons regaraless of their connec tion with the University,

Dr. Marian Monta also will be auditioning for the English restoration comedy The Country Wife at 9 p.m. following the "Rear don" try-outs.

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was consistant as well as useful to them.
The faculty evaluation system was started here on an experimental basis in the spring of 1976. It was used full scale in the fall of 1977 and spring of 1978 .
Every professor was required to administer this evaluation. Students were given the right not to fill out the evaluations. As for the students who did not take the evaluation, Morse commented, there are very few students who don't welcome the chance to evaluate their teachers, therefore, the few who don't take it seriously
have little affect on the have little affect on the valuations.
Evaluation results should be available early next semester. Department heads will have the results available so that any student wishing to see them may do so.
"The evaluations have been a tremendous benefit to department heads and faculty conducting courses," Morse said. He also added that although there have been no actual firings there have been some staff changes and overall improvements due to the evaluations.
This year's faculty evaluations will be processed at the University's own computer center where the processing center where the processing
will cost less and the results will be out at an earlier date.

## Exhibits Scheduled

The Fine Arts Gallery is exhibiting a faculty-student Christmas sale sponsored by UCPC and the Art Department according to Tina Munro, secretary. The display ended Wed.
"Paintings, pottery, draw ings, prints, and jewelry created mainly by art majors and art department faculty will be displayed The students are trying to make supplies," said Munro. Anyone is invited to come y and shop around. It's deal for Christmas because the prices are not high at all."
Among the faculty exhibiting crafts will be Dr Nancy Prince displaying drawings and jewelry, Dr Norman Brown displaying jewelry, Richard Hyslin displaying ceramics and pottery, Philip Field displaying prints and Jim Humphrey
displaying drawings.
gloomiest outlooks estimated for the fields of education liberal arts, law, social work and communications. On the other hand, graduates in business administration, the health fields and the computer sciences should find a favorable market.

Winfred Godwin, president of the Southern Regional Education Board, observes, "It is important to recognize that the employment outlook is just one of the many factors that should be considered when deciding on a college and a major and that preparation for future employment is not the sole purpose of a college education. Equally important, and something that is of growing concern to businesses, is that students broaden their perspectives, develop abilities to reasona and think critically. While being attentive to the job market trends, they should not ignore their natural inclinations and ap titudes."
One of the most promising areas of employment will be business administration, where projections show that the average annual job openings will be almost double the supply of graduates. Today, businesses are calling for more workers with advanced education to meet the ever expanding complexity of running an enterprise. These demich have been on the rise since the earaty 1960 , however, which have been on the rise since the early 1960s, are ex
pected to taper off in the Eighties.

Many of the jobs left unfilled because of the scarcity of business administration graduates will be open to degree holders in history, English, psychology and the other liberal arts. The report advises humanities and social science majors to include in their curriculum those courses deemed "practical" by the business world, such as accounting, computer programming or personnel management. In addition, the authors urge all students to develop their writing skills, since a common complaint from employers is that graduates who can write well seem to be a vanishing commodity.
The field of computer science also shows a positive market in 1985, where again, the demand will be twice as great as the supply. Mathematics majors with some computer training are expected to fill many of these vacancies, since jobs in the field of mathematics itself will be scarce.

Doctors, dentists, physical therapists and health administration specialits will find jobs readily available, since the demand will exceed the supply. Pharmacy is the one exception, however, where it is estimated that, for the portunities in 1985 . portunities in 1985
Of the other professional areas, only accounting and engineering show favorable markets for graduates. Competition among prospective architects will be heavy, unless there is a marked furnaround in regional construction. The outlook for librarians and social workers is uncertain, since both fields rely heavily on fluctuating government funding.
In addition, current overcrowding in the field of law is expected to continue through the mid-Eighties. The communications field will remain vastly overstocked, vielding approximately two graduates for every one opening Those who major in psychology and fine arts will also feel the employment crunch.

Prospects for those graduates with education or related leaching degrees look equally unfavorable for the short run, expecially in urban areas, atthough vacancies abound for leachers specializing in industrial arts or business education. The increase in the number of school-age children in the mid-Eighties may change the market for teachers at that time.
The structure of the job market for college graduates nationally has undergone a significant change in recen years. In the 1960 s, 90 percent of the nation's graduate ouministrative fields. This trend came 10 an abrugemen the early 1970 s , however, when only 65 percent graduates were able to enter these tradito itid. Thes are national figures, corresponding figures for the South have been slightly higher in recent years.
The SREB report states: "In just 20 years, the propor ion of college-educated workers in the United States has doubled. As a higher percentage of the total population attends college, a wider dispersion in achievement level is reflected by college graduates.
"As the composition of the pool of college graduates changes, it is natural that the definition of what constitute a 'suitable' job for a college graduate would also change and encompass an ever-widening scope of occupations among the total array of jobs.

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Some PAU studetns believe that the solution to the apathy problem here would be to institute a Bronc Football team so that more students would stay on campus to participate in football activities. At North Texas State University, where a football team DOES exist, a studetn's "Letter-to-the-Editor" in THE NORTH TEXAS DAILY points out that NTSU students don't attend football games because at least 50 percent of the students population consists of communters and they aren't here on weekends. He also says that Denton is not big enough for strong local support.

Angelo State University-RAM PAGE-An ex-member of Sun Yung Moon's Unification church, Chris Elkins visited Angelos State University to present an insider's iew of the "Moonies," He rejected the popular idea that Moonies" are brainwashed and compared the members o children who are completely dependent on their parents. "That's the way most followers of religious sents are, totally dependent on their leaders." Elkins' visit took place only a few days after the Jonestown, Guyana mass suicides

Southwestern University-THE MEGAPHONE-The Student Senate at SU is putting together class evaluation sheets. The sheets will be given to the teachers who wish to participate. Students will evaluate the course and instructor on the sheets, which will then be filed in the classes.

Southwest Texas State University - A fight broke out between four male studetro UT Ansersity and fraternity members two from UT-Ausin) and some SWI witness the four were party because according to one witness, the four were not members of a fraternity. A girl attending the aprty said she was criticized when she took up for the victims and told she would be "cool if she was in a sorority.

Midwestern State University - "Letter-to-the-Editor" in THE WICHITAN from a custodian in Wichita Falls, advises students to receive their degrees and set their sights no experience and no college, his job hunting was "uphill all the way.




## ${ }^{6}$ Traditions In Christmas

## By JEAN DARNALL

There are many traditions associated with the celebra tion of Christmas. In mosi countries, a traditiona Christmas meal is prepared and served on Christmas Day
In the United States and Canada, families feast on urkey, chicken, goose ham, or duck. Potatoes, sweet potatoes, green vegetables, dressing, gravy and cranberry sauce usually accompany the main dish. The dessent is made up of fruit cake, plum pudding. pumpkin or mince pie.
Great Britain's traditional old English dinner includes brawn (headcheese), boar's head, roast peacock and mutton pies. For dessert, mince pie, plum pudding or oatmeal cookies are served,
The French serve Stras bourg (liver) pie and black pudding.
A German Christmas din net features toast goose They also make a kind of al mond candy which can be
colored and shaped to look like meat, fruit or toys. This candy is called lübecker mar zipan.
In Italy, Christmas Eve is a day of fast (people go with day or last (people go with

Christmas Day, they enjoy baked Magi cakes (small wafers) with fried eels chicken and pork.

In Sweden, lutisk is the main dish. This is fish served with a special sauce. For dessert, Juulgrot is pre pared, a pudding made of rice and milk.
In Finland, a feast of lipeakala (fish), baked ham and stewed prune and mashed turnip casserole are served. Dessert consists of a rice porridge.
In Albania a unique custorn is observed. A Christmas Eve meal of pancakes prepared without oil or butter are served. They leave a spoonful of food on their plates at the end of the meal to display how grateful

## A Celebrated Affair

## By JEAN DARNALL

Christmas is celebrated by millions of Christians around the world. It is one of the most cheerful, lively, exciting holidays of the year. Preparation for Christmas Day begins weeks in advance and people seem to get in the
Christmas Spirit.
People in the United States and Canada wish those around them a Merry Christmas. But this wish is extend ed by people all over the world. The following is a list of the translations of Merry Christmas in various countries

Feliz Navidad - Mexico
Felices Pascuas - Spain
Blijde Kerstdagen - The Netherlands
Slijde Kerstdagen - The Netheriands
Gledelig Jul - Norway
Zailg Kerstfeest - Belgium
Foas Festas - Portugal
Froehiliche Weinnachten - Germany
Joyeux Noel - France
Sheng Tan Kuai Loh - China
Glaedelig Jul - Denma
Buon Natale - Italy

## Movies At UCPC

The University Center Program Council of Pan American University is sponsoring a Shakespeare Film Festival Jan. 16, 17, and 18 at 8 p .m. in the PAU Fine Arts Auditorium.
Jan. 16 is Franco Zeffirelli Taming of the Shrew starring Richard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor. Jan. 17 is Romec and Juliet with Olivia Hussey and Michael York. There will also be a matineé of Romeo and Juliet at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18 is Roman Polanski's Macbeth starting Jon Finch and Francesca Annis.
Admission is $\$ 1$ for PAU and high schools, $\$ 1.50$ for PAU faculty or staff and senior citizens, and $\$ 2$ for general admission.

hey are for having more hen they need. Then, they all rise and swing the table back and forth, and sing May there be plenty in this house. May the time for a wedding be near
People in the Philippines prepare a dish of cooked ruit with various roo prouts called colación.

In Armenia, a meal made up of fried and boiled spinach is served on Christmas Eve.

These are the meals served traditionally in some of the countries that celebrat Christmas. They are all uni que in their own way; how ever, they are not observed by all. Many families in stigate new and origina traditions each year.


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The Christmas spirit has reached Pan Am. Even hough snow doesn't blanket our lawns or sleighs rush through our streets, it has definitely arrived. Bells ring ou popular Christmas carols thoughout the campus, decorations have been put up in offices and dorms and students are already planning their Christmas holiday activities. THE PAN AMERICAN asked a number of PAU students, "If you could have anything you wanted for Christmas, what would you ask for; most of them had to hink awhile before deciding what they'd like most.
Santa Clause, if you are reading this, please take note
Julio Buendia, Los Fresnos, would like "a Stingray,"
Letty Diaz, Edinburg, "A diamond mine, and MG
idget, and an " $A$ " in Spanish."
Carlos Arredondo, Hebbronville, "A car,"
Johnny Guerra, Raymondville, "To have my grand-
Ester Peters, Santa Maria, "Clothes,"
Florence Waite, Santa Maria, "Money."
Mary Lou Ayala, Mission, "Happiness,"
Demetrio Rodriguez, Alamo, "A new car,"
Guillermo Guajardo, Matamoros, "I really don't know omething good.
Juan Garza, Detroit, "Some nice girls, one on each
Edna
Edna Longoria, Edinburg, "Health for next year,"
Fredo Garcia, McAllen, "A new pair of boots."
Fredo Garcia, McAllen, "A new pair of boots."

Marivel Elizondo, Edinburg, "A queen-sized brass ed.
Jorge E. Fuentes, San Juan, "To visit my father in Mexico City, I haven't seen him in years
Anonymous, "An engagement ring."
Holly Runge, Alamo, "More happiness in the world."
Anna Guzman, Edinburg, "A stereo, a whole new war Frobe, and everything.
Estrella Zarate, Edinburg, "A maroon MG Midget
assing grades, and a handsome prince."
Lupe Astorga, Honduras, Central America, "A Ph.D. child psychology and a clinic to go with it,"
Gloria Villarreal, Paris: "A diploma."
Helen de la Garza, Edinburg, "A million dollars, a silver Rolls Royce.
San Juanita Chavaz, San Juan, "A white Christmas." Ben Trevino, Edinburg, "A 30 foot yacht."
Pam Simpson, Edinburg, "Bar stools and a 30.06 rifle,"
Linda Brown, McAllen, "To win a million dollar
Oscar Garza, McAllen, "To go on the air on Ch. 4 to prove to everybody that I work on the best station in the alley and a bevy of women.
Jean Ann Darnall, Edinburg, "A horse,"
Lety Perez, McAllen, "A \$2000 stereo system, my own recording studio and a new wardrobe.

## Statistics Improve

By Kelly Lelmon

Although many students do not participate in the Learning Assistance Center, the ones who do definitely are mproving their grades. Statistics have proved that the LAC's tutoring programs have brought about good grades, according to Juan Andrade, LAC assistant coordinator.

In 1975 the first statistics were taken which were conducted by Vern Vincent, the statistician in the School of Business, Al Kaufman, Bureau of Business and Economic Research and David Glaser, programer. This study was conducted by matching the population of LAC students with non-LAC students according to ACT composite and ethnicity scores.
It showed that 58.8 percent of non-LAC students remained in school compard with 74.4 percent of LAC students who remained during the same period of time. This study was started at that beginning of the fall semester of 1975 with beginning freshmen and ended at With of the Spring semester in 1977
With the same study, they broke it down comparing

grades on non-LAC students to LAC students here was that finding:

| grades | non-LAC | LAC |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | 5.0 | 5.7 |
| B | 16.6 | 18.7 |
| C | 26.8 | 29.8 |
| D | 15.0 | 15.5 |
| DROP | 12.8 | 11.3 |
| I | 2.4 | 3.2 |

"This summary of grade distribution percentages of LAC tutored courses proves that a greater advantage of better grades are acquired with the help of the LAC," said Andrade.
In a progress report of the Student Affairs Division a PAU that was presented to the Board of Regents, showed that out of 3,261 LAC students and 24,158 contacts with hem that 31,711:46 hours were spent on tuforing those students.

This study was taken from July 1, 1977, through July 31, 1978, which consisted of tutoring, group and in dividual counseling, reading labs, audio and study skills along with orientations

The futoring sessions are held in buildings E, F, G, and H , accroding to courses. This program is set up so that the students can get tutored when free time is available to them, Andrade said.


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Forensic
cont'd from page 1 minutes; and Debate, where contestants competed in two different judging categories, N.D.T. or C.E.D.A., and contestants were required to se prepared to debate both sides or the resolution in two person teams
Neal Rieke, tournament director, speech communications instructor, and director of forensics at PAU, said that the toumament was a success, ran on schedule and provided "keen competition."

## Stage Band Performs

The Pan American University Stage Band, directed by Wallace Tucker, will present a concert Dec. 15, at 8 p.m. The concert will include a wide range of jazz music from the '50's to the present.
The music selected represents the big-band styles of Stan Kenton, Maynard Ferguson, Thad Jones, Doc Severinsen and Count Basie. Stage Band arrangements of the early "beboo style of Charie Parker and Anter Bossa-nova" style also included. also included
The total Stage Band personnel is called upon to present their improvisatory skills, expecially Edwin Vidaurri, piano-flute; Steve Lanphier, flugel-horn, trumpet; Leo J. Leo, trumpet; Joe Valadez, trombone; David Ramos, tenor; Domingo Porras, guitar and Frank Cazares, alto Soloistic styles of Bobby Garza, trumpet; Vidal Flores, bari; and Curtis Jenkins, trombone, will also be presented.
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7:45 a.m. - $\quad$. $.30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Math 1335 classes
12:45 p.m. $\quad 11: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Math 1300 classes

7:45 a.m. $\quad$ 9:30 a.m. MWF-4, classes ( $10: 45-11: 35$ )
$12.45 \mathrm{pm} \quad 2.30 \mathrm{pm}$ MWF. classes ( $1: 00-2.15$ )
$2.45 \mathrm{p.m}$. $4: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. MWF. 9 classes ( 3.45 F .35 )
Tuesday, Dec 19
7:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. MWF-3 classes ( 9:45-10:35)
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12:45 p.m. 2:30 p.m. $\Pi$.1 classes ( 7:45-9:00)
2:45 p.m. - $4: 30$ p.m. TT.7 classes ( $5: 15-6: 30$ )
Wednesday, Dec 20
7:45 a.m. 9:30 a.m. MWF-2 classes ( 8:45- 9:35)
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12:45 p.m. : $\quad$ 2:30 p.m. MWF-1 classes ( 7:45-8:35)
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## Pan Am Holds Off USA-Oklahoma

USA- Oklahoma, not a big basketball power, still, the Pan Am Broncs had rouble disposing of their fiesty guests as the fans were hesty guests as the fans were treated to a na
victory Dec. 9.

Many times during the contest, the basketballers hot as cold as the weather vutside and this gave the Drovers the chance they had hoped for.

At times the first half was a fext book performance by the Broncs as times as they ed at one point, 32-23. It was at this point that the Drovers made their move as they cut the lead to a scant free points, $36-33$ at the half.
USA-Oklahoma seemed to warm in their locker room is they came out as hot as a Valley summer day. With a the game, the Drovers had saptured the lead at $41-40$
and the Broncs looked prime for an upset.

Each team kept trading baskets down the stretch of the game, but PAU was still behind, 60-59

It was not until the roundballers put together a string of three straight baskets with only two minutes that Pan Am grabbed the lead for good at 65-63.
The two point lead grew to four with the help of Jeff Smallwood putting in two free-throws. The Drovers added the final basket of the game and the Broncs had broken a two game losing
streak, $67-65$ streak, 67-65.

Guard Billy Bailey led the team in scoring with 19 points. Rex Spain and Danny Salisberry each canned 14 markers and Smallwood cracked the double figures mark with 10 .
PAU used the strong rebounding combo of Spain,

Salisberry and Larry Corbin, as they gathered 14, 11 and 12 respectively.

The next few games for the Broncs are going to be big ones. Pan Am could play

Houston University twice in the span of a week

The Broncs could play Houston in the Bluebonnet CLassic this weekend, but
they will play the Cougars Dec. 20.
In comparative scores, the Broncs and the Cougars both lost to the NevadaReno team, but the Cougars
played a closer game than Pan Am did.
Right now, the Cougars are not playing in the form that won them the Sournamest Conference Gournament last year.



## Bronc Spotight

## Spain Fills Big Role

After the graduation of Henry Taylor, the second ranked rebounder in the nation with a 14.2 average per game, the Broncs faced the season of finding a replace ment for him. This came with the strong development of second year man Rex Spain.
"I knew I could do the job," Spain said. After the first four games, Spain has pulled down 14 caroms a game and with the NCAA statistics coming out in the next few weeks, Spain should be high in the rankings.
Playing since in the fifth grade, Spain arrived from ablicme Christian University and Ranger Junior College they (the basketball team)
travel, they play a good schedule and I like the said $\stackrel{\text { said, }}{\text { At }}$ At his other schools, Spain played in the forward positions, but under Head Coach Bill White's strategy, Spain has moved into the center position.
The 6-7 center likes a rough brand of basketball because he admits," there is no finesse in grabbing people, and like to hit people." at 6-7, when Spain has a bigger man to guard he bigger man to guard, he
fronts his man, while he gets weakside help from hets team. help from his After playing on 22-4 team last year, Spain hopes this year's team can win 20 games.

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## Up For Two

Feeling little pressure, guard Jeff Smaliwood shoots from the corner over a Drover defender.


A Helping Hand

Rex Spain aids fellow lay in another twoteammate, Donnio Thompson as the Broncs
pointer.

## Cheerleaders Build Spirit

If you went to the first Pan Am basketball game this year，you probably noticed flashy green and white out－ fits cheering the Broncs on their first win of the season These girls are the 1978 Bronc cheerleaders．
The ladies are Becky Gar－ cia，Pam Rendon，Nellie Garza，Margot Lopez，Sherri Cunningham，Norma Alvi－ ar，Leslie Spruell，Nelda ar，Lesile Spruell，Nelda and Yolanda Salinas． Besides cheering at the Besides cheering at the
home basketball games，the home basketball games，the cheerleaders have plans to
attend some baseball games as well．
Behind all the beauty on the sidelines，there is quite a bit of hard work and thinking that goes on．The cheerlead－ ers put in long hours of prac－ ers put in long hours of prac－
tice in order to perform their tice in order to p
cheers correctly．
Although the cheerleaders are thought of as a group， are thought of as a group，
they are each separate in－ they are each separate in－
dividuals． Becky Garcia，the head cheerleader，is from San Diego，Texas a small town was a cheerleader all through high school and is now in her first year of now in her first year of
University life．Garcia is 19 years old and is majoring in years old and is
Pam Rendon，one of four freshmen on the squad，is a freshmen on the squad，is a
native of Edinburg．The native of Edinburg．The school cheerleader for four years and for three years has been a National Cheerlead
ing Assn．，instructor，She has been involved in several beauty contests and says her favorite pastime is dancing． Nellie Garza is a 20 －year－ old sophomore from Edin－ burg and she has numerous honors to her credit．Among them are the Miss Edinburg crown of 1977 and Home－ coming Queen her senior year in high school．She is yoar in to be crowned the soon to be crowned the Citrus Fiesta days．She plans to become an elementary teacher plus active in Kappa

Twenty year old Margot Twenty year old Margot
Lopez is one of the six new additions to this year＇s additions to this year＇s
squad．The sophomore，$a$ squad．The sophomore，a
marketing major，has two marketing major，has two years of high school cheer－ leading experience．Lopez is from Edinburg，and is active
in Kappa Delta sorority

Sherri Cunningham also hails from the All－American hails from the All－American
city．The blonde 18 year old city．The blonde 18 year old ing in PE．She has two years experience in cheerleading experience in cheerleading and she is considered to be
the best tumbler on the Bronc cheerleadina squad

Freshman Norma Alviar is a 19 year old from Edinburg． She has four years cheer leading experience．She is presently majoring in dental
hygiene．

Leslie Spruell is one of the four returning members
a senior and is 21 years old She has been involved in numerous beauty contests，
and she is a former Miss Paris，Tex．，plus she was a contestant in the Miss Texas pageant．She was named first runner－up in the Miss The PE major plans to enter the Miss Texas competition the Miss Texas competition
this year．

Twenty－one year old Nelda Villegas also returns from last year．The senior from Donna has received a variety of honors．For exam－ ple，she is a former Bronco ple，she is a former Bronco Pan American．She has been in Delta Zeta sorority for four years．The English for four years．The English
major plans to graduate in May with a minor in history．

Mary Lou Pecina is anoth er returning cheerleader The San Juan native is 21 years old and is a senior． The PE major is a former Miss San Juan．

Yolanda Salinas returns for her second year after be－ ing a freshman on the 1977 squad．Salinas is a 19 －year native of Mission．

Sponsoring the cheerlead－ ers for the season are Mrs． Jerry Baldwin，new head of the Alumni Association while Cindy Petch，a PE reacher，helps out the cheer

Tickets for the Bluebonnet Basketball Tournament in Houston this Friday and Saturday now are on sale at the Pan American University Athletic Department．

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Pan American＇s Broncs meet the University of Houston Cougars Friday night at The Summit，home of the Houston Rockets tles Rice in Friday＇s other

## ＇A Night Of Dance＇

game．The two winners and two losers will play Satur－ day．
Anyone wishing tickets can contact Bill Shirley，
PAU＇s athletic business manager，at 381－2224．

The Cougars are coming！ The Cougars are coming！ Yes，the University of Houston Cougars will pay their first basketball visit to the PAU Field House nex Wednesday night，Dec． 20. This invasion of the Southwest Conference fournament champions 1978 will highlight Pan from 1978 will highlight Pan
Am＇s entire home schedule Am＇s entire home schedule． coming up during the coming up during the The B

The Broncs，who are tak ing a $2-2$ record into the Bluebonnet Classic this weekend in Houston，will
stay busy while everyone stay busy while everyone
else at PAU is enjoying the else at PAU is enjoying the from classes．
After Houston＇s big visit After Houston＇s big visit
next Wednesday－－when the next Wednesday－－when the Broncs will try to avenge their tough 85－81 loss on Houston＇s home court last season－the Broncs will play again at home on Saturday Dec． 23 ．That＇s the nig
before Christmas Eve．
The Dec． 23 opponent will be another tough rival Lamar University of Beau－ mont．Lamar was co


After a year absense，the Pan American PE classes put on＇A Night of Dance＇Dec．12．The routines rang－ ed from tap，square and folk dances


## BasketballersHaveGames Scheduled

champion of the Southland Conference and has most of its ballclub back．
Then on Wednesday， Jan．3，the Broncs will enter－ tain the Southland＇s other defending co－champion， McNeese State of Louisiana． 20 those three games－Dec． 20 and 23 ，and Jan． $3-$－will give PAU basketball fans
their only chance to catch
the Bronc act here in the Valley during the next month．Because the Broncs face a bunch of road games， including trips to Georgia Dec， 27 and Kansas Wichita）Dec． 30
After Christmas，for the next month the Broncs play six times on the road versus the one home game agains
McNeese State Jan． 3 ．


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## Road Games Are A Part Of Basketball

## By REX SPAIN

It is $7: 45$ a.m. and 13 sleepy-eyed Pan Am Broncs pack their bags in preparation for another trip. No matter how much sleep you get the night before, $7: 45$ is always too early.
We get on the bus that will ake us to the airport at 8 a.m. sharp! Most of the guys eye's are shut as the bus pulls away. Our flight leaves McAllen at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. We are usually a few minutes early so some of us head for the airports cafe to get something to eat before we ake off
The plane is late as usua so we have plenty of time to sit around before it arrives This time we find out ou plane is not going to arrive bill 6 p.m. So the airline books us on another fligh which leaves in five minutes

We quickly get boarding passes and board the plane or take off
Our final destination is Reno, Nev., but we have to fy to Dailas and change airlines and then go from here to Reno. We arrive a approximately 11 a.m. On arrival we are told we have about a 45 minute layover. Good! Just enough time to grab a hot dog and coke. Three or four of us find the nearest snack bar while others are busy calling riends and relatives in Dallas.
After 45 minutes has turned into an hour wait, we board the plane for Reno Once on board we get the flight instructions from the stewardess, who was the same as on the last flight Once we are airborn, some of the fellows recline their seats and get ready to grab a
ew $Z$ 's as we have a three hour flight ahead of us
The stewardesses are busy serving, and some of the guys order some juice, coke peanuts. A quick glance around the plane finds three players are asleep and a few others are sipping on their Cokes and the rest of us are alking to each other or ex plaining that we are not part of a circus act, but that we play basketball for Pan American University. After we say that we are from Pan Am, we usually spend the next 30 minutes trying to ex plain just exactly where Pan Am is. After the lengthly explanation we usually get a responce of, "oh that's nice Hope you guys win you game.
The captain's voice come over the loud speaker and informs us that well have

Las Vegas. After a 30 minute stop in Vegas w continue to Reno
Finally about $2: 30$ p.m we arrive in Reno and w get aboard a bus that will ake us to the hotel. After big hassel with the luggage we leave for the hotel. When we get to the hotel our bag are brought up to ou ooms. We change quickly into our practice uniforms because we have practice 4:30. After we return from workout, Coach White give us some money on which to have dinner.
After dinner everyone strolls around the city. Reno has plenty of flashing ligh and casinos. Not adjusting to the time change very well everyone heads back to the hotel to relax or go on to bed.
The next morning everyone awakens by 10
a.m., because we have prac tice at 10:30. During prac tice we do some running drills, so we can get adjusted to the altitude. After running for awhile we shoot a bit so we can adjust to the goals. Returning to the hotel, we grab a light bite to eat, because at about 4 p.m. we will have a pregame meal. The pregame meal consists of any thing from hamburgers and fries to steaks, it s up to each person to decide what he wants to eat After the meal, the players go back to the room and rest and get ready for the night's We
We leave for the game at 6 p.m. The game starts at $7: 30$. We go to our dressing oom and wait until 7:00 so we can take the floor
The tirme comes, we take the floor and go through our warm up routine. The horn

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## Roundballers's Season Stats Out

The statistics are improv ing as Pan American University's basketball Broncs take
a $2-2$ record into the a
Bluebonnet Classic Tourna-

ment that starts Friday in Houston.
Three Broncs are scoring in double figures--Billy Bailey 20 points, Danny Salisberry 18,3 and Rex Spain 10.8
Spain is averaging 14 re bounds, Salisberry 7.8 and Larry Corbin 7.0.
Jeff Smallwood's 30 assists and 10 steals top those departments
Bailey has 15 assists and eight steals.
Pan Am's shooting percentage, after a spotty start on the road, has improved to 42.4 per cent. Sam Scott is shooting 53.8 per cent. Spain 50.0 and Salisberry 49.2
Bailey's 76.9 per cent leads the free-throw shooting among regulars. Denzil Dean is 2 -for-2 at the line.
blows for the game to start. After the introduction of the starting five, the game begins.
The
The first half goes by rather quickly, and as the horn sounds ending the half, we are seven points behind. We have 15 minutes to regoup and to plan our game for the second half.
When the half time is over we take the floor once again. We follow our plan fairly well until about six minutes remain in the game then things start to go bad, and what was once a good close battle, turns out to be one the Broncs can enter in their loss column.
We return to the hotel, get dressed and go out for a late meal. After the meal some of the fellows return to their rooms to relax, while others try their hand at some of the games offered by the local hotels.
The next morning we are awakened by the hotel operator informing us it's time to wake up. We have practice at $11 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. We wake up and grab a quick glass of juice and go to practice. Returning from practice we each lunch and explore the town furner
Night comes slowly. After dinner, further exploration begins. We can't afford to stay out too late because practice is at 10 a m . The nexi day we go to practice. After workout we return io for the return trip. Finally at 2:15 p.m. the bus picks us up and takes us to the airport. Our flight is due to We board for take off. As we faxi to the runway we are told we will stop in Las Vegas for fuel. We arrive in Vegas, and a 15 minute stop turns out to be a hour and 15 minute lay-over. Finally we leave for home. Once in the air the seats go back, and this time almost everyone is trying to sleep.
After a long flight to
McAllen we find out that the McAllen we find out that the weather will not permit us to land there. The pilot turns the piane around and fysinto Harlingen. Naturally when we arrive, the bus is thinks we are going do land thinks we are going to land in McAllen. Coach calls the driver in McAllen, we get our bags and wait
Finally after a wait for another hour and 15 minutes the bus arrives. The ride home is 45 minutes, so we all try to get a few minutes sleep. We were awakened by squeaking brakes of the bus. Enduring ail the trouble and travel we finally arrived home at $12: 45 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$
Once again 13 sleepyeyed ball players head for to are told to go home and get some sleep because classes begin at $8: 45$ a.m in the morning and practice begins morning and practice begins SHARP!!!



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