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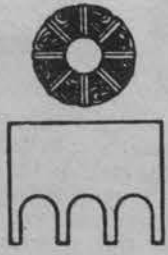
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**COVENANT PLAYERS** - A special appearance by the Covenant Players, International Repertory Theatre, was given Pan Am students Jan. 27 at the University Circle during activity period. Good weather and plenty of sunshine gave the Los Angeles-based group the opportunity to use dramatic material in order to stimulate the audience into responding to the role and responsibility today's individual has in society. The Players were sponsored by the United Methodist Campus Ministry under the directorship of Rev. Jose Palos.

## BEOG Distribution To Begin Today, Continue Tomorrow

Basic Educational Opportunity Grant (BEOG) checks for the 1977 spring semester will be disbursed at the ballroom today and Thursday Feb. 3-4, according to Raul de la Garza, associate director of financial aid at Pan American University.

"Students whose last names fall from A-K pick up their checks today from 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.. Students whose last names fall from L-Z will pick up their checks tomorrow from 8 a.m.- 4p.m.," de la Garza said.

This is the second time the BEOG checks have been distributed after the 12th day of class. According to de la Garza, the government made the changes and not the financial aid office. The change should benefit those students taking more than 12 hours and dis-

qualify those students not taking the required minimum.

"I believe this year things will go much smoother," he said. "The big difference will be the split into two days instead of just one. Last year we had a little trouble with long lines," he explained.

The procedures for the students to pick up their BEOG checks are simple according to de la Garza. "Students will just have to go to the ballroom and take some identification with them. There will be a section there where the Financial Aid Office will have some documents for the students to sign.

Once he has signed and showed his identification he will receive a check release card. Then he takes the card to the Business Office section, also in the ballroom.

The student will then actually receive his check from the Business Office section, de la Garza continued.

If students who were scheduled to go by the ballroom to pick up their checks today fail to do so, they may not pick them up Friday. They are to go to the Financial Aid Office to sign the documents and then go to Office Building A to get the check, according to de la Garza.

### Senate Vacancies Total 18

There 18 vacancies in the Student Senate which need to be filled during the upcoming elections, according to Sam Saldviar, PAUSA vice president.

Filing dates for the positions and election dates were set during the Jan. 27 Senate meeting. Filing dates were set for Jan. 31-Feb. 4, 1977. Candidates may still file today and Friday until 4 p.m. at the PAUSA office on the

third floor of the University Center.

The Senate elections will be held Feb. 8-9. Polls will be at the Liberal Arts Building, the Science Building and the Snack Bar.

The schools and the number of vacancies for each are as follows: Education 8, Science and Math 2, Business 5, Allied Health Division 1, social Sciences 1 and Graduate school 1.

## PAUSA Senate Delays Resolution Approval

By Rosalinda Cruz

The two Student Senate resolutions brought up for voting at the Pan American University Student Association senate meeting didn't get very far. Instead after lots of discussion, a motion was made that the Senate wait for the next Senate meeting to vote on the resolutions.

The meeting was held Jan. 27 at the TV room of the University Center. The first resolution in question was a senate resolution calling for a "Four Day Week" submitted by David D. Garza, senator from the School of Humanities. The other was the resolution calling for the qualifying rules for Bronco Queen candidates to be changed, submitted by Kathi L. Cooper and Charles Carr, senators from the School of Business.

Apparently the first resolution was not voted on because a few of the senators had some details they preferred to know about before they could cast an informed vote. Voting on the second resolution concerning the Bronco Queen was delayed because there weren't that many senators present to decide a major legislation.

One thing that did pass with a unanimous vote of 25-0 was a proclamation calling for a merger between PAUSA and the University

Center Program Council for the Pan American Week activities and the UCPC Presidential Ball. The proclamation was submitted by Lydia Zamora, special events committee chairman.

Since the activities scheduled for Pan American Week scheduled for Apr. 11-16 are to focus on the 50th anniversary commemoration, of Pan Am the committee felt the Pan Am Week activities could receive more student participation, therefore enhancing that

tradition if they were to merge.

Later in the meeting when not all of the original quorum present at the start of the meeting was present, an election committee report was approved by a 18-0 vote.

The committee with the senate approval set the senate elections for Feb. 8-9. Filing deadline dates were set for 4 p.m. Jan. 31-Feb. 4.

The general elections were set for March 29-30 with filing dates being March 21-25.

## English Teachers Workshop Feb. 5

The Rio Grande Valley Council of Teachers of English, an affiliate of the Texas Joint Council of Teachers of English and the National Council of Teachers of English will sponsor a workshop for all teachers of English in the four county area of Starr, Willacy, Cameron and Hidalgo, Saturday, Feb. 5, beginning at 9 a.m. in the PAU ballroom.

The workshop offers training in grade kindergarten levels - 12 and the freshman level in college. The training involves evaluating and teaching composition and language arts.

Featured speakers for the workshop include Dr. Howard J. Holliday, associate professor of English at PAU; Ann Forrester, Lincoln Junior High, McAllen; Ann

Hopkins, Brown Junior High, School, McAllen; Gene Kirby, Mission High School; and workshop teachers, Barbara McLeod, Marjorie Fisher, Ruth Morgan, Visalam Subram, Wayne Moore and Henry Sears. RGVCTE hopes Valley administrators will cooperate by granting in-service training credit for all teachers participating, according to Ted Daniel, English instructor at Pan Am.

Besides the professional training the workshop offers, "take-away" book displays will be available as well as statistical information on student achievement in Valley Schools. Hundreds of teachers and prospective teachers of English throughout the Valley area are expected to attend.

## Faculty Senate Elects Chairman

Dr. Carl Grantz, professor of English at Pan Am, was elected chairman of the faculty senate Wednesday.

Elected vice chairman was Dr. Tom Semper, associate professor of education; Dr. Frank Judd, associate professor of biology, is the new parliamentarian; and Clara Buitenbos, assistant professor of Business Administration, continues as secretary of the organization.

New senate members chosen in a recent election for two year terms include Dr. Bill Platzer, representing the School of Business; Drs. Robert Reeve, Semper and Thomas Simmons, School of Education; Maria Huerta, Health Related Professions; George McLemore, Edward Nichols and Sandra Swenson, School of Humanities; Virginia Mounce, Library; Dr. Norman Savage,

School of Science and Math; and Valerie Ruder and Manuel Lopez, from the School of Social Science.

The function of the Faculty Senate is to approve recommendations to proper places, according to Secretary Buitenbos.

The next Faculty Senate meeting is scheduled for Feb. 23 at 3 p.m. in the Business Auditorium. Meeting are open to students, Buitenbos indicated.

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"Don't think of retiring from the world until the world will be sorry that you retire. I hate a fellow whom pride or cowardice or laziness drive into a corner, and who does nothing when he is there but sit and growl. Let him come out as I do, and bark."  
--Samuel Johnson

# Pick Up BEOG Checks In Ballroom

**Guest Viewpoint**

**PAU-B "Going Strong"**

Can a 3-year-old institution be ready for independence and what problems must be over come to insure success?

Recent reports have indicated that Pan American University - Brownsville expects to be funded as an autonomous institution during the 1976-77 legislative term.

PAU-B was originally denied independent status by the Texas College and University Coordinating Board in September 1973. However, the coordinating board did approve a PAU extension program for the Brownsville area.

In May 1973, the state legislature approved a budget for operating expenses. In June of that year PAU Board of Regents named the vice president of Academic Affairs, Dr. J. C. Nichols, as acting director of the Brownsville Center. The following month, the regents named Dean of the School of Business Administration Dr. Ralph A. Penington, as director of PAU-B.

Three-hundred ninety eight students enrolled in approximately 55 courses in the fall of 1973. Three years later, 780 students enrolled in 114 PAU-B classes. Thus, the number of students has nearly doubled. More than twice as many courses were offered last fall than in 1973. The number of full-time faculty has increased from 11 to 25.

Last July the former dean of the School of Education at PAU, Dr. Fred Cunningham, was named new director for PAU-B. Armed with new statistics, he and other officials appeared before the coordinating board in October. The result of that meeting was a board recommendation that the proposal for PAU-B independence be taken to the Texas legislature in January.

Dr. Cunningham says, "We are very optimistic. We will be reading about this bill when it comes before the education committee of the house. A liaison person

will be working to get it out of committee and before the legislature. The legislature looks at the numbers. That's what counts!" Undoubtedly, it was the numbers which most influenced the decision of the Coordinating board.

Numbers smile favorably on Dr. Cunningham's reputation. While he was dean of the School of Education, the education faculty was increased from nine to 50 in just four years. The student enrollment in the field of education was increased from 2,000 to 4,500 during his tenure.

The PAU-B Committee for Self-Study was aware of numbers when it summarized some projections in 1974: "With increased enrollment there will be an increase in faculty and in courses, programs, and services available to the PAU-B student. Increased faculty will have less preparations (a small faculty spreading itself thin and some members having to teach out of their areas of expertise was noted in other reports as a problem). There will be more choice variety of professors for students. Increased enrollment will also increase the feasibility of the creation of an autonomous campus."

In a recent issue of The Texas Observer, Paul Willcott, a former English instructor at PAU-Edinburg, criticized the general quality of education at PAU. He maintained that grades had little significance since students were rarely failed. To fail a student would be to discourage student enrollment. Thus, the numbers would decrease.

This is a problem which must be dealt with, but it is not exclusively a problem of PAU, or of education. In a society of computers and increased government hand-outs with more strings attached, success or failure is measured in numbers.

It will be up to individual administrators, faculty and students at PAU-B to maintain a high quality of education. If each person does his best, everyone will be proud of his affiliation with that institution.

Of course, in every endeavor, there are a few dead-beats. In such cases, inspirational leaders help.

PAU-B can't lose. It's gaining in numbers and it has a leader at the top who is bubbling with enthusiasm.

Patricia Dirks

**Collegiate Forum**

**Tradition Versus Change**

It has been said a woman is the best judge of another woman. In the latter part of 1976 the decision was made to dissolve the cheerleaders activities that has become tradition at all Bronc home games.

This move brought about much resentment and disillusionment both among the student body and within the Physical Education program.

As of this date feelings have remained strong yet unpublished.

The new group—the PAU Dancers a song and dance quartet - has since provided half-time entertainment at the home games.

Should basketball game spirit be aroused with a semi-burlesque show or should the traditional means be used is this week's topic for Collegiate Forum.

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**Letter to the Editor**

**Dancers**

**Strike Back**

Editor's Note: The following letter concerns a letter published in the Dec. 9 issue of The Pan American. Its author, Rigo Ordaz, a Pan Am student commented about a dance routine performed by the Pan American University Dancers at the International Media Conference held in Edinburg in November 1976.

Editor:

The Pan American Dance Group had the privilege of performing in front of severa audiences from different sections of the Valley, as well as in border towns of Mexico.

It is quite a compliment to be invited to dance for any group, but especially when the invitation comes from Mexican officials. Since the Mexican audience can judge expertly if the dances represent a true picture of "bailers folkloricos" of their country, I would like to inform Rigo Ordaz, and, others who agree with him, that the Pan American dancers have been congratulated for doing the dances in traditional Mexican style.

People from Reynosa, Rio Bravo, Matamoros and

even Mexico City have come up to the dancers to compliment them and to say how astonished they are that the dance group is not from Mexico. They especially like the group's version of "La Cucaracha," the dance Rigo Ordaz objected to so much.

I am pleased to see that they and most of our audiences have not taken this version as an insult to Pancho Villa or the Mexican people. The man in the huge sombrero is meant to represent the jalopy of this famous song, not Pancho Villa. If one listens to the lyrics, he can see why it is a well-liked song.

"La Cucaracha" a representation of the Mexican sense of humor, is a humorous song and a crowd pleaser.

Since no one can presume how some individuals react to certain activities unless they vocalize their opinion, I would like to thank Rigo Ordaz for bringing to our attention how some people can misconstrue things. Mr. Ordaz recommends the dance group research Mexican dances.

He does not know that our instructor and assistant director, Elizabeth Contreras, have taken several years of Mexican dancing from Mexican dance instructors. One of her instructors belonged to Amalia

Hernandez's Ballet Folklórico de Mexico, the official dance group of Mexico.

She has also been invited to join this famous dance group. Fortunately for us, she has remained here. Dr. Amilda Thomas is well known for her dance background, and has researched extensively the customs and dance from Mexico.

Thanks to them, the PAU dancers have expert advisers. So we invite Rigo Ordaz and others to come and see the trophies Mexican judges have presented the dance group and also to see the group practice.

-- Belinda Flores



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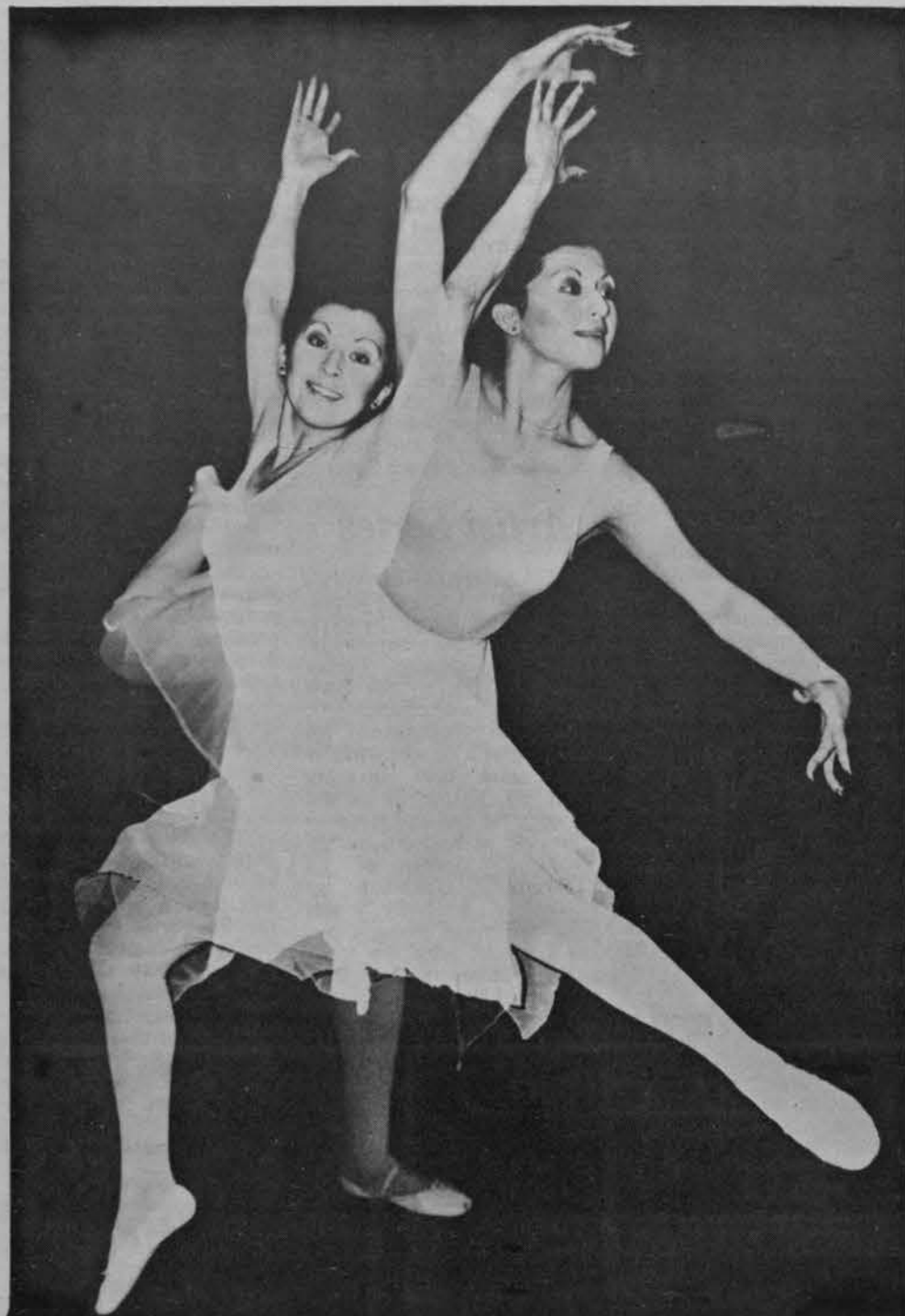
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**LIZCANO**



**CLASSIC BALLET** - Alma Abrego, a Pan Am speech and drama major, is scheduled to perform this evening at the Club Musical in Reynosa, Tamp., Mexico. A dance student under Dr. Amilda Thomas, professor of Physical Education at PAU. Abrego has devoted most of her life to ballet dancing. (Pan Am photo by Rigo Ordaz)

# New Theatre Group Given Birth At PAU

A new theatre group was born on the PAU campus this week according to Jan Courtney, assistant professor in the Communications Department.

Students who have been active in the Poor People's Theatre decided other students might also be interested in producing plays, and they have banded together under the name of Journeyman Players of The Poor People's Theatre.

The Poor People's Theatre became active last summer under a grant from UCPC and the bicentennial committees of Pan Am and Edinburg to produce a revolutionary theatre piece called "La Vida Libre." The group has since put together two separate productions of "Flowering Peach" which they will keep in their repertoire for possible future production. Currently they are preparing the musical "Cabaret."

Though the Journeyman

Players are interested in theatre, most of its membership have majors in other areas such as business, history, or English and want to recruit members on campus from all academic areas.

"Theatre in itself is a synthesis of all the arts, visual and performing, and to produce theatre wide and varied backgrounds and talents are needed. It is just as important to be able to sell a program ad, do a layout, to make posters and distribute them, to design a costume and build it, to rig sound equipment, to know how to create something that works out of nothing as it is to sing a song, dance a dance, and make the audience laugh or cry. That's why the Journeyman Players has a place for anyone who is interested and wants to contribute to the cultural life on campus," said Courtney.

Interested students may come by Southwick Hall

209 during the day or attend the group's first on-campus meeting today in the Math Building 121 during activity period.

## Talent Show Set

The University Center Program Council will host a talent show at the University Ballroom on Tuesday, Feb. 8, according to Tony Vela, UCPC director.

Persons wanting to participate can sign up at the UCPC office on the third floor of the University Center or call Vela at 381-2611 or 381-2601.

### Study in Guadalajara, Mexico

The GUADALAJARA SUMMER SCHOOL, a fully accredited UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA program, will offer July 1-August 12, anthropology, art, economics, bilingual education, folklore, history, political science, Spanish language and literature. Tuition and fees, \$220; board and room with Mexican family, \$280. Write to GUADALAJARA SUMMER SCHOOL, 1530 Gamma Apartments, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 85721.

## Coed To Perform Classic Ballet

Twenty-two year old Alma Abrego, a PAU speech and drama major, will perform a classic ballet rendition of Feelings and other dances tonight at the Club Musical de Reynosa.

Abrego, a dance student at PAU under Dr. Amilda Thomas, will be choreographer for upcoming musical productions at Pan Am assisting Dr. Marian Monta, head of the PAU Communications Department. Alma has studied tap, jazz, flamenco and Mexican folklore, and has dedicated most of her life to ballet dancing. She is one of the assistants at the Gretta Sullivan School of Dance at McAllen.

At one time she was a component of the well known Ballet Folklorico de Mexico, which had a recent presentation here in the Valley.

Abrego, a freshman at

PAU, resides in McAllen with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eugenio Abrego. Her father is a member of the musical group, Los Alegres de Teran.

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Feb. 7	Los Angeles City Schools	Elementary, All-Level, Secondary.
8	Lubbock Public Schools	Elementary, Special Ed. (EMR), All-Level Secondary.
9	Houston I. S. D.	Elementary, Special Ed. (EMR), Secondary Biol., Chem., Math, Physics.
10	Harlingen I. S. D.	All areas and majors except Hist. & Govt.
11	Amarillo I. S. D.	Elementary, Spec. Ed. (EMR), All-Level, Secondary-All majors except French and Govt.
15	South Texas I. S. D.	Special Ed. (EMR), All-Level Music and Health & P. E. (Men and Women).
15	Ector County I. S. D. (Odessa)	Elementary, All-Level, Secondary.
16	Austin I. S. D.	Special Ed., Elementary, Secondary.
18	Fort Bend I. S. D. (Stafford, Tx.)	Elementary, All-Level, Secondary.
18	Ysleta I. S. D. (El Paso)	Elementary, Secondary.
Feb. 3	National Bank of Commerce (San Antonio)	Management Trainees. Majors Finance Gen. Business, Economics.
3	Xerox Corporation	Business, Management, Psychology.
3	First National Bank of Fort Worth	Finance, Management, Gen. Business.
3	Conoco Oil Corp.	Bus. Admin., Management.

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# UCPC Sponsored Marijuana Lecture

"Marijuana: The New Prohibition," was the theme of a lecture presented by the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws (NORML) at the Pan American University Ballroom Feb. 1.

Two films, "Marijuana: Assassin of Youth" and "Highlights of Reefer Madness," was also shown. Sponsored by the University Center Program Council, the films and lecture were part of a comprehensive examination of the historical, medical, social and legal aspects of marijuana use, according to Lee Roy Perez, UCPC representative.

## Rare Art

Some rare art pieces were displayed recently in the Pan American University University Circle.

Valentin Alejandro, student at Pan Am, said the rare art pieces which were on display are reproductions of the Indian Maya and Aztec art.

"There are very few Hispano art shops here in the Valley," Alejandro stated, "it is for that reason I say they are rare."

## Pineda, Jackson Concert

Cecilia Pineda and Zane Jackson, PAU music majors, will be featured in recital, Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 8:15 p.m. in the Fine Arts Complex Recital Hall.

Pineda is the daughter of Moises and Delia Pineda of McAllen. She is a member of the band, orchestra, Stage Band, Renaissance Players and Woodwind Chamber Ensemble. For the recital, she will perform on bassoon and bass clarinet, works by Vivaldi, Rasse, Marty and Mendelssohn, assisted by Linda Gilbert, piano.

Jackson, the son of Mrs. Elsie Mullett, of Rochester, N. Y., is a junior bass student of James A. Stover, associate professor of music at Pan Am.

An active participant in Pan Am programs, he has had roles in "Guys and Dolls," "The Atonement," "Down in the Valley," "La Serva Padrona" and "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to The Forum."

He has been an active

member of the Curtain Call Players and Mid-Valley Theater. Jackson will perform works by J. S. Bach, Wolf, Hahn and Faure, assisted by Eugenia McMullen, piano.

The recital is open to the public and free of charge.

## Contest Winners Announced

Winners in the "Name the Juice" contest sponsored by Alpha Kappa Psi business fraternity in conjunction with the PAU Business Research Bureau and held at the end of the 1976 fall semester were announced over the spring break, according to Elizabeth Glasgow, club spokesman.

First place was awarded to Joe Chapa for "Citrus Cider," second place to Anna Adame for "Sweet and Tangy," and third place to Rosa Hernandez with "Fruit Twist."

Glasgow said AK Psi members will take a field trip to study the management of the Port of Brownsville on Feb. 18.

## Computer Center

The Pan American University Computer Center will host a two-day meeting of the LOTALUG computer user's group on Feb. 7-8, according to Jim Post, director of the PAU Computer Center.

LOTALUG is a group of users of DEC-system 10 computers from Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas.

Agenda includes sessions on new transaction processing packages, query languages, recent developments in text processing, DEC's maintenance and a special session by Dr. Bob Crane, vice president of Business Affairs at Pan Am on the broader informational needs of higher management.

All faculty, staff and students are invited to attend the sessions and copies of the meeting agenda are available from Estela Ortiz at 381-2651.

## Bates, Ward

Drs. Peter Bates and James Ward, both assistant professors of Mathematics at Pan Am, lectured at the annual meeting of the American Mathematical Society Jan. 27 in St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. Bates spoke on "Non-linear Nodal Problems and Approximation by Projection Methods" and Dr. Ward on "Boundary Value Problems for Differential Equations in a Banach Space."

Dr. Bates is co-author, with G. B. Gustafson of the University of Utah, of a paper appearing in the Nov-

ember 1976 issue of the SIAM Journal on Mathematical Analysis, entitled of Green's Function over Classes of Multipoint Boundary Value Problems.

Dr. Ward has published a paper in volume 15 of the Bulletin of the Australia Mathematical Society on Existence of Solutions to Quasilinear Differential Equations in Banach Space.

## Artist Series

Pan American University's visiting artist series will present Jorge Rangel Guerra, tenor, and Juan Sepulveda, pianist, in concert, Friday at 8:15 p.m. in the PAU Fine Arts Auditorium.

Guerra completed his training as a dentist while at the same time studying painting, history of art and music. He has appeared in the role of Rodolfo in "La Boheme," Alfredo in "La Traviata," Pinkerton in "Madame Butterfly," and has performed many times as a soloist with the Symphony Orchestra of the University of Nuevo Leon.

He is currently the director of the University Extension Department of the University of Nuevo Leon. Guerra will perform works by Obradors, Salmantino, Granados, Turina, Guridi, Alvarez, and Montsalvatge.

Sepulveda began his musical studies with Maria Terry McDowell and continued studying with Dorothy White, Andrew Mihalso and Carlos Vasquez. He has been a soloist with the Symphony Orchestra of the University of Nuevo Leon and with chamber groups from Boston and the University of Texas Austin.

As an assisting artist, he has been accompanist to all the singers in Monterrey. He is presently finishing his studies at the University of Nuevo Leon.

The concert is open to the public and free of charge.

## Dr. Lemaster

Pan Am physical science head, Dr. Edwin LeMaster will attend a meeting of the National Science Foundation to participate in reading and evaluating proposals submitted for support of undergraduate science education programs.

Dr. LeMaster will spend four days in Los Angeles, evaluating proposals on scientific and educational merit.

The evaluation is the first step in the foundation's program (CAUSE) for Comprehensive Assistance to Undergraduate Science Education.

## Engineer's Banquet

The Rio Grande Valley chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers will host a banquet today for Pan American University's pre-engineering students at 7:30 p.m. in the University Ballroom.

Dr. Parker Lamb, academic dean of the engineering college at the University of Texas, Austin, will speak on "The Future of Engineering."

All students will be admitted free.

## Enterprise System

The Pan American University Free Enterprise System students will sponsor a Texas style pit barbecue on Feb. 13 at the Palmer Pavilion in McAllen.

Tickets can be purchased from any member of the enterprise group or on Feb. 4-6 at La Plaza Mall in McAllen.

Proceeds will go toward promoting free enterprise awareness in Valley high schools, civic and other interest groups.

## Cindi Hooper

Cindi Hooper, a Pan Am Speech and English senior major from Harlingen, gave a lecture entitled "Stereotypes in Advertising" at the McAllen Memorial Library on Jan. 30.

Hooper is an Intercollegiate debater and a member of the PAU Student Speakers Bureau.

According to George McLemore, instructor in the Communications Department and Forensics coach, any organization and clubs desiring speakers on a variety of topics can contact him at 381-3581.

## Bob Fatherree

Bob Fatherree, a senior drama major at Pan American University, has had one of his poems published in the latest issue of "Nitty-Gritty," a professional literary magazine.

Fatherree's poem was written as an assignment in a creative writing class, according to Seth Wade, instructor for the course and assistant professor of English.

Fatherree is the tenth of Wade's students to have work published.

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By Rev. Jose Palos

"Give me a fish, and I will eat for today; teach me to fish and I will eat for the rest of my life," so says an ancient proverb. A unique opportunity is being offered to anyone interested in learning how to fish, with respect to the most difficult task any person faces in life: The Job-Hunt (whether it be a hunt for a career, or for a way to "do your own thing" or just for bread, to make ends meet).

Beginning Tuesday, Feb. 8, a revolutionary process will be introduced through an informal course which attempts to en-power the job-hunters so that no matter how many times he or she may have to go about the job-hunt during life, the process will be familiar.

According to experts, the average worker under 35 years of age goes about the job-hunt once every year and a half. Experts also estimate the average worker will change careers three to five times in a lifetime.

Our society has invented all kinds of help for the job-hunter and career-changer including employment agencies, ads, counselors, job banks and so forth. None of these work very well. But even when they do work, they at best give the jobhunter a fish. For the time being the job-hunter's predicament is somewhat solved, although often the worker may find himself in a job which is vastly below his abilities or which is boring. In all these helps no clues are given on how to job-hunt next time.

The National Observer has commented that Richard Bolles, who with the assistance of John Crystal, a career counselor, developed the new process, "has devised a revolutionary job-search procedure that enables the job seeker to turn the tables and screen out the employers who do not interest."

Using Bolles methodology, a Career Planning Seminar is being offered to anyone - persons beginning the process of job-hunting or persons facing retirement, or persons somewhere in between these two experiences.

The United Methodist Campus Ministry is sponsoring the seminar at no cost to the public. It is scheduled to begin Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. at the Student Center for Social Involvement, 1615 W. Kuhn.

Interested persons should contact Rev. J. L. Palos at 383-0133 or 383-5133 for registration forms.

# Baseballers Tangle With National Foes

The most challenging baseball schedule in Pan American University's history, featuring teams like Michigan State, Texas, Houston, Indiana and Oklahoma State, will begin its 75-game run Friday, Feb. 11.

Coach Al Ogletree has put together a national schedule for the Broncs. New opponents this year include South Dakota State, Sam Houston State, Oklahoma City, Rice and Wright State of Ohio, all of which will visit the Valley.

The slate also includes old rivals from last year's schedule when a young Pan Am team posted a 53-17 regular-season record. The Broncs lost to Arizona in the NCAA Midwest Regional Tournament but some of the pain was eased when Arizona soared from there to win the College World Series.

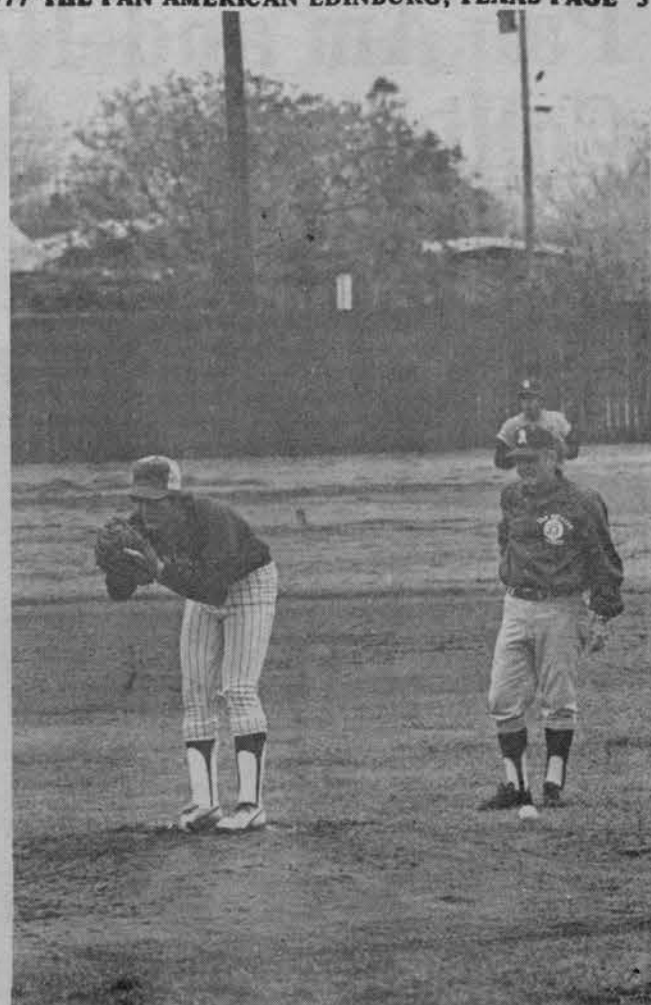
The Texas Longhorns have rejoined Pan Am's regular-season schedule for

the first time since the Broncs' College World Series team of 1971. Pan Am will play a four-game series against the Longhorns in Austin Feb. 28 - March 1.

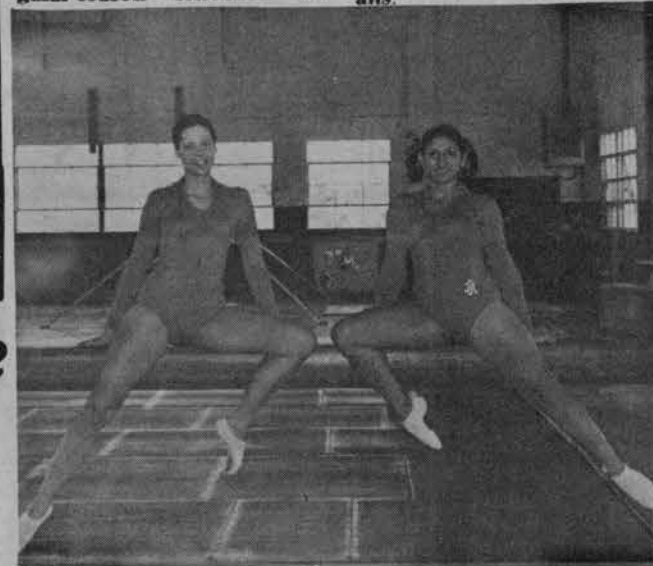
The Broncs' schedule begins Feb. 11-12 with daytime doubleheaders against Hardin-Baylor. Pan Am then goes under the new lights of Jody Ramsey Stadium for the rest of its home campaign.

Other Broncs home opponents include Northern Iowa, Arkansas State, Morningside of Iowa, John Brown University, Lubbock Christian, Texas Wesleyan, the University of Dallas and Trinity University.

The schedule includes three tournaments when several northern teams will make extended stays in the Valley. Michigan State's Spartans will stay 10 days and play Pan Am five times, besides several other tests against other "winter Texans."



LOOKING FOR THE STRIKE ZONE - Coach Al Ogletree sizes up pitcher David Runkle's stuff during practice. Pan American's baseball team opens its season against Hardin-Baylor Feb. 11.



IN TOP FORM - PAU gymnasts, Joyce Perez, right, and Peggy Morgan, recently placed first and fourth respectively in a dual meet with Southwest Texas State University.

"A serious writer is not to be confounded with a solemn writer. A serious writer may be hawk or a buzzard or even a popinjay, but a solemn writer is always a bloody owl.

-Ernest Hemingway

# Insurance Available To Students

Pan Am students get accident insurance automatically when they register and it will pay for medical expenses in excess of \$10 and up to \$750, according to Dora Castillo, coordinator of Student Health Services.

All students pay for this insurance as part of their fees at registration.

Coverage is for bodily injuries sustained while on campus or while participating in any campus-sponsored activity. Commuting students are covered while driving directly from home to

Pan Am or from Pan Am directly home.

"Many students do not understand what we mean by directly home or directly to the campus," Castillo said. "By direct we mean there can be no stops along the way. This includes a store, car wash or just anything. A student must be going straight home or coming directly to the University."

Insurance coverage entitles each student to death,

dismemberment and loss of sight benefits up to \$1,500. Damage payment for injury to sound, natural teeth is limited to \$100. Eye glasses for prescriptions for glasses, hernia or any kind of dental X-rays are not included.

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# Pan Am and Houston Baptist Collide Here Saturday Night

The Pan American basketball Broncos entertain the Huskies of Houston Baptist Saturday at 8 p.m. in the fieldhouse.

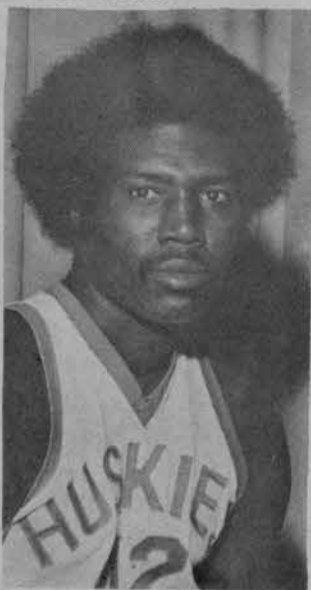
The Broncos played the Huskies Jan. 13 in Houston, beating them by an 84-70 margin. Vernon Freeman, the Huskies' 6-9 standout, who is considered a "good pro prospect" by basketball experts, will again face the Broncos in Edinburg. Freeman burned the Broncos for 22 points and 12 rebounds in their first meeting.

Pan Am, which stood at 13-4 before Tuesday night's encounter with Portland State of Oregon, was upset by Texas A&I Jan. 26 before an 87-70 victory over Hardin-Simmons on the road two nights later.

The Broncos figured to beat the Javelinas, but were spoiled by sub Anthony Garner who came off the bench to go 11-for-11 from the field and three-for-three the charity line for a game-high 25 points.

Pan Am shot a poor 44 per cent from the field in that one while the Javs shot just more than 50 per cent.

The Broncos were led by Henry Taylor, who had 21 points and 11 rebounds, and guard Michael Edwards, who had 20 points.



**Vernon Freeman**  
At PAU Saturday

would have tied the contest. John Wilbanks, Randy Woods and Billy Bolts had 10, 12 and 8 points for the Broncos.

Just as the Broncos did not expect to lose at Kingsville, they did expect to have a tough game at Abilene against Hardin-Simmons.

The Cowboys upset the Broncos last year in Abilene to blemish Pan Am's record. PAU ended the season at 20-5 and was not invited to any national basketball play-offs.

This year, however, Henry Taylor and Michael Edwards hit for 22 points apiece as Pan Am used teamwork to beat the Cowboys before a partisan crowd of about 750.

Besides Taylor and Edwards, Billy Bolts and Randy Woods also scored 14 points each. Play-making guard John Wilbanks had a game-high 19 assists in helping to avenge last year's loss of 25 points.

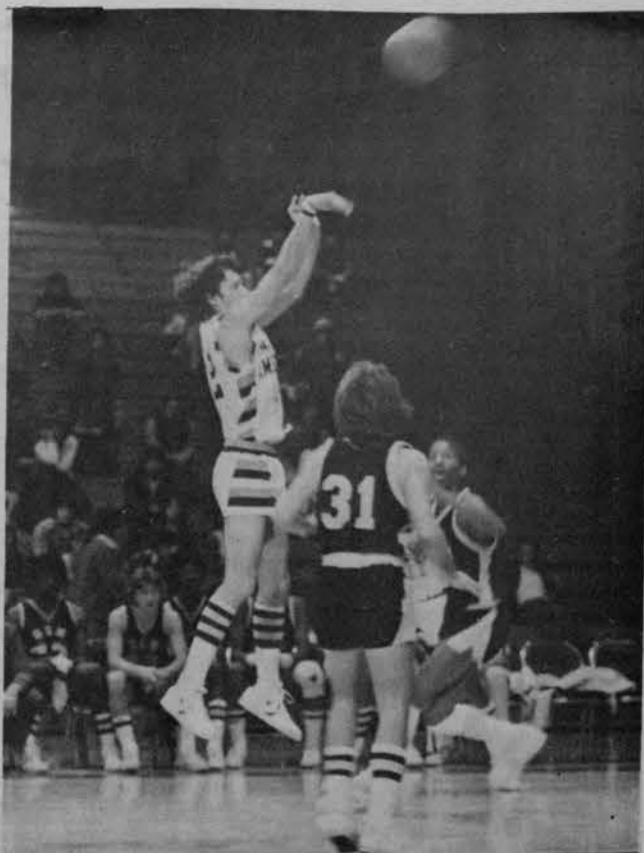
Besides Wilbanks' 19 assists, Pan Am had another 20 assists in scoring their 42 field goals.

The Broncos shot 42 of 75 field goals for 55 per cent. Center Henry Taylor was the hottest Bronc, shooting 10 for 11 from the field besides his two free throws.

Taylor also had 10 boards, but was surpassed by Edwards, who had 12. Bolts also had seven rebounds.

The win boosted Pan Am's road record to 5-4.

After Saturday night's home game, the Broncos have only three contests remaining in PAU fieldhouse. The Broncos host Hardin-Simmons Feb. 26 and Wisconsin-Milwaukee Feb. 28 in their next to last game of the season.



**A RARE MOMENT** - Junior guard John Wilbanks (12) puts up a rare jumper for Pan American University in a recent game against the University of Southern Mississippi.



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# Student Female Trainer Breaking Barrier

By Juan Castillo

Carol Barr has an unusual job for a girl and she enjoys it.

Barr, a 21-year-old junior from Selton, Del., is an apprentice athletic trainer for both men and women athletes at Pan American University. She, along with Jimi Cantu, another student trainer, and Al Shuford, PAU's licensed athletic trainer, share the formidable task of tending to approximately 200 athletes.

How did Barr acquire this job normally reserved for males? "I was playing soccer one day and came in for treatment in the whirlpool. The place really fascinated me. Out of curiosity, I asked Al for the job," she says.

Shuford and Abe Lemons, then the head basketball coach and athletic director, gave Barr the go-ahead and she began working in the fall semester of 1975, knowing little or vir-

tually nothing about her new job. Today, she hopes to become certified as an athletic trainer in Texas, the first state to license members of the profession.

According to Shuford, Carol's responses to his questions were the determining factor in his decision to give her the job. "It was just one of those things that you just know or you let 'em have a chance," he says.

Shuford has turned down students before who were apparently reluctant to relinquish too much spare time or who wanted to participate in sports and be an apprentice at the same time. Carol, however, was different. "She seemed to say, 'If it takes that much time, well then, that's what it takes,'" Shuford says.

Indeed, Carol devotes considerable time to her job. She works anywhere from 23 to 25 or 30 hours a week and in addition travels with the girls softball, volley-

ball and basketball teams on road trips.

As an apprentice, Barr must major or minor in PE, take a required course curriculum and work at least 1,800 total hours. "I won't have any trouble getting those," laughs Barr, who is minoring in PE and majoring in biology and secondary education.

Clearly, Barr is happy with her work. In the beginning, however, there were plenty of adjustments to make.

"The first week I was here, a baseball player refused treatment from me and insisted on waiting for the male trainer. Now, they don't bother me," she adds.

As Shuford sees it, "their (the athletes') confidence in her was a little shaky." But, he explains, being around a female trainer is uncomfortable for many athletes because "a lot of the guys have never been around one."

Getting along with her

fellow employes, on the other hand, has been no problem. "Jimi (Cantu) and I get along well," she emphasizes. "We do the same things. I love him to death. I mean it, I love him to death and you can print that."

Jimi apparently is allowed to do one thing Carol cannot, that being entering the men's dressing room. "The only time I'm in there is when they're not. They come dressed to the trainer's room," she explains.

Barr has two pet peeves, one being that few people understand what she really does. Many people believe she literally trains the athletes, showing them how to do things and giving them pointers.

"I had a girl believing I had taken physics and logic and all those courses. She thought that's what I did and I had her believing it for a whole night."

Actually, trainers' work lies along three basic areas - preventative medicine,

emergency treatment and rehabilitative treatment. "An athletic trainer is a physician, a therapist, nutritionist, psychologist and janitor among others," says Al Shuford.

Barr's other pet peeve is the way she is often referred to. As she explains it, "I don't object to being a girl. In fact, I love being a girl, but I hate being introduced as Carol Barr, the girl student trainer."

Despite being a complete greenhorn when she began, it seems Barr is well on her way to fulfilling her goals. Just last semester, she was awarded partial scholarship on the basis of a merit system.

"She's helped us out tremendously in what we're trying to do," says Shuford. "I think she's added a new dimension to our program. She shouldn't have any trouble finding a job."

Barr admits, "I think I was fortunate to get in

here but I've still got a lot to learn."



Carol Barr

Dislikes Girl Label

## Intramural Volleyball Nears Championship Playoff Matches

A total of eight volleyball games were played Jan. 26 in men's and women's intramural action.

Alpha Phi Omega began the night's action with a two-set victory over Semper number one, 15-3, 15-4. Semper number two also had no luck as they were totally wiped out by the Vagos, 15-0, 15-0.

In the night's third game, Semper number one avenged their earlier loss with a three-set triumph over the IK's, 15-11, 2-15 and 15-10.

The Schmoofs took the final men's game with a victory over Camp Demolition, 15-7, 15-8.

In women's action, HEP defeated APO, 15-9, 15-8; Dorm Debs fell to the Camp Spikettes, 15-5, 15-4; FCA lost to the Camp Spikettes, 15-13, 12-15 and 15-10; and APO defeated the Dorm Debs, 11-15, 15-3 and 15-10.

Eleven games were scheduled for last night but results were unavailable as of press date.

Four teams of officials students are officiating at the volleyball matches. Officiating at the southwest corner of the gym are Ruth Jasso, Raul Valerio, Rogelio Adame, Gerald Gathright, Joe Henry Mayo and George Gibson.

Arturo Cobarubias, Rosa Rodriguez, Mark Savarino, Jose Olivarez and Ricky Yanez are officials at the southeast corner and Yolanda Alvarado, Delia Molina, Gil Tello, Robert David Garza and Richard Salinas are blowing whistles at the gym's northeast corner.

The final team of officials includes Hector Martinez, Herlinda Garza, Rubebel Contreras, Romeo Luna, Pascual Rangel and Glenn Cunningham.

The volleyball playoffs begin Feb. 9. All games begin at 6 p.m.

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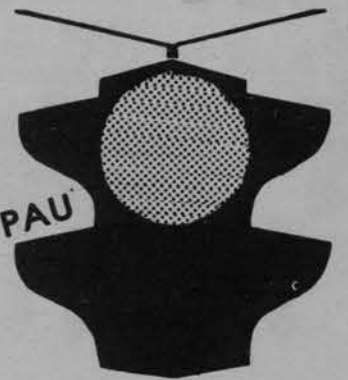
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Gymnasts Capture Titles At San Marcos

Pan American's women gymnasts recently captured first and fourth all-around titles in a dual meet with Southwest Texas State University.

Joyce Perez led all the way in winning the first place title. Perez took first place in vault, beam, bar and floor exercises. Placing fourth in the meet was Peggy Morgan with a second place finish in floor exercises, fourth in vault and beam, and fifth in uneven parallel bars. Both gymnasts are junior physical education majors.

The Pan American team dominated the floor exercises, winning first and second places in the event.

PAU's women gymnasts will compete at Tarleton State University, Stephenville, Tx. on Feb. 4, followed by TIAN Bi-Zone Feb. 18-19 at Southwest Texas State University. They will also compete in the state meet March 4-5, which will be held at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

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At Southwest Texas and UT

# PAU Netters Open With Road Dual Matches

By Juan Castillo

The Pan Am Broncs tennis team, which can no longer "sneak up" on its opponents this year, opens its 1977 campaign Feb. 4-5 with successive dual matches at Southwest Texas State University and the University of Texas.

The Broncs return all but two players from last year's squad which defeated six school ranked among

the top 20 in the nation at one time or another. The Broncs eventually ended the season ranked twentieth by a panel of ten NCAA tennis coaches.

"They'll be expecting us this year. It going to be a little tougher," said PAU tennis coach A. G. Longoria.

This year's pre-season rankings are scheduled to be released soon. "It'll be interesting to see if they're going to slight us again in the

polls. I don't see how they can," said Longoria.

One senior, three juniors, one sophomore and two newcomers make up this season's edition of the PAU netters. Ricardo Eynaudi, a senior from Chile, will captain the squad.

Other members include Rob Hubbard, Robert Bettauer, Sean Sorenson and Omar Lopez. The newcomers are John Picken of Vancouver, Canada, who

has posted wins over the number one players from Baylor, the University of Houston and TCU, and Brian Liverman, a transfer from the University of Tennessee who hails from South Africa.

"Picken's a welcome addition and I'm very pleased with his play considering he's so young," said Longoria. "Liverman's an outstanding doubles player and he'll give us a lot of depth in singles."

According to Longoria,

depth is something the Broncs lack this year. This was compounded when Antonio Hartmann, who would have been a senior, and Jose Damiani, who would have been a sophomore decided to turn pro. "If we would've had those two back, we'd be competitive with every team in the country," insisted Longoria.

The Broncs did not play SWTSU nor the Longhorns last year. Texas was ranked number 11 in last year's final rankings.

Southwest Texas returns all of its players and "should be strong," said Longoria. "Texas is loaded. They have two boys from South Africa who are so outstanding they replaced their number one player of last year. We're going to have to play very well to beat them," he concluded.

Longoria had yet to decide on two of his double's lineups as well as his player rankings as of Tuesday. The only established doubles team as of press date was

that of Bettauer and Sorenson.

The Pan Am netters face a busy schedule this season as they will compete in 20 dual matches and six tournaments including the matches against Southwest Texas and UT. A total of six singles matches and three doubles matches comprise dual match play with the team winning any five events taking the competition.

After their competition in Austin, Pan Am returns home for two consecutive home dual matches on Feb. 12 and Feb. 19, against Texas A&M and Rice. All of the Broncs' home matches will be played on Saturdays this season for better crowds.

The Broncs defeated the Aggies at College Station, 6-3 and beat Rice two out of three times last season. Pan Am' February schedule ends with competition in the Corpus Christi Team Invitational Tournament Feb. 24-27.



PAU NETTERS - Pictured above are members of the 1977 Pan American University tennis team. L to R are Mike Hodge, manager, Coach A. G. Longoria, Ricardo Eynaudi, Sean Sorenson, Rob Hubbard, Robert Bettauer, John Picken, Brian Liverman, and Omar Lopez.

## Mixed Volleyball

### Deadline Is Today

The deadline for entering co-recreational volleyball is today at noon.

Entry forms can be picked up at the intramural office in the old gymnasium. The entry deadline for men's and women's softball is Feb. 12 at noon.

One of the earlier entries in co-ed volleyball is Student Publications. The team features great talent at spiking and serving from the staffs of the El Bronco and The Pan American.



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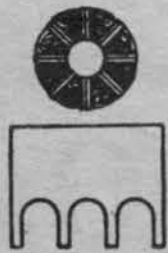
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**FINANCIAL AID** - The lines at the University Ballroom were not as long as they were first semester when students made time to pick up BEOG checks and

scholarships. The associate financial aid director, Raul de la Garza, said 4,800 BEOG checks were distributed during the two-day distribution period, Feb. 3-4.

## Two Major PAUSA Resolutions Up For Vote Today At Meeting

By Gina Evins

At today's Pan American University Student Association Senate meeting two new resolutions will be brought up for a vote, one calling for the restoration of a four-day week at Pan Am and a change in the qualifying rules for Bronco Queen candidates.

The resolution calling for a four-day week was submitted by David Garza, senator for the School of Humanities, while the one seeking a change of rules was submitted by Senators Kathi Cooper, School of Social Sciences; and Charles Carr, School of Business.

A substantial number of students were talked to and found to favor a four-day week, according to Sam Saldivar, PAUSA vice president, and these students believe that through the implementation of a four-day week they will have more time to study.

Saldivar said the students believed a four-day week would help them attain better grades and would be beneficial to the commuter student in terms of transportation expenses.

The substantial number of students who were talked to is based on an opinion

poll taken last September and covered 1,853 students of the 8,230 enrolled. Only 645 actually agreed on a four day week, 878 disagreed and the other 407 had no opinion on the matter.

Dr. Ralph Schilling, university president, said the regents would certainly go along with a four-day week if they had an expression from the entire student body concerning a four-day week, and if the faculty, staff and student groups also agreed.

The student senate also proposed the qualifying rules for Bronco Queen be changed. The current rules for qualification disqualify 40.31 per cent of female students due to the fact they are freshmen, 28.75 per cent due to marital status, and silently permits men and women to run for the position of Bronco Queen, according to Saldivar.

The current rules for Bronco Queen are outmoded because they encourage classification, thus eliminating potential applicants from aspiring to the honor of being popularly elected Bronco Queen, and changing the rules will guarantee equal opportunity among the whole female student body,

according to the new resolution.

The senate resolution for rules changing proposes these new rules:

1. All contestants must be full time students as stipulated by university policies.
2. All contestants must have an overall grade point average of at least a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale.
3. All contestants must not be on disciplinary probation with the university.
4. All contestants must be sponsored by an on-campus organization.
5. No contestant may represent more than one organization.
6. All contestants must be dressed in western wear at all times during Bronco Days.
7. All contestants must participate in related functions unless written notification is presented at the student association office 24 hours in advance.
8. Entry forms must be returned with a five dollar entry fee and a photograph.
9. All candidate's campaign expenditures cannot exceed \$25.
10. All contestants must be female.

The reasons for the proposed change of rules as sub-

## Reader's Theatre Drama Dedicated To Col. Fogarty

A special reader's theater production of Stephen Vincent Benet's "John Brown's Body" will be dedicated to the late Col. Joe Fogarty, who died on Jan. 20 the victim of a heart attack.

Friday and Saturday's production is set for 8:15 p. m. in the Studio Theater at the Fine Arts Complex.

Dr. Marian Monta, head of the PAU Communications Department, said admission is free but donations will be sought to start a memorial fund to provide an annual prize to the stu-

dent judged to have written the best article on drama criticism, an area Fogarty was interested in.

Dr. James Hawley, associate professor in the Communications Department, will direct his own adaption of the dramatic poem.

The poem traces the Civil War through the spirit of John Brown and his raid on Harper's Ferry. It includes the raid, the fall of Fort Sumter, the battles of Bull Run and Gettysburg and the end at Appamattox.

The presentation will be by Reader's Theater in

which the characters read their parts from texts rather than reciting them from memory.

Members of the cast will be Adriana Chapa, Diana Burton, Norma Ochoa, Connie Valentine, Harry Dancey, Albert Garza and Zane Jackson.

Fogarty had starred in many campus drama productions, and had the lead role in the December presentation of "That Championship Season."

Reservations may be made by calling 381-3581.

## Financial Aid Figures Show \$1.25 Million Dispersed

Approximately \$1.25 million was distributed to Pan Am Students in the form of loans, Basic Educational Opportunity Grants (BEOG) and book vouchers this semester, according to Raul de la Garza, associate director of financial aid at Pan American University.

A total of \$919,342 in BEOG checks was distributed on Feb. 3-4 in the University Ballroom, according to de la Garza.

The distribution marked the second time BEOG checks were handed out in the ballroom, and according to de la Garza, 4,800 BEOG checks were distributed to students this semester.

De la Garza indicated the distribution had gone smoother over the two-day period than during the fall when one day was allowed for students to pick up their checks.

"Comments about the check distribution from students are welcomed by the Financial Aid Office," de la Garza said. However, he expressed that rather than calling his office, students refer their comments in the form of letters to the student newspaper, this he indicated would give everyone a chance to be familiar with them and at the same time relieve the number of calls to his office.

BEOG applications for the 1977 fall semester will begin to be handed out Feb.

15. Deadline for filing for fall and spring grants is June 1. Basic grants will not be available for the summer session.

## KRIO Awards Scholarship

A mass communications major at Pan American University, Jose Angel Villa, was the winner of the KRIO \$200 scholarship for students interested in radio broadcasting.

Charles Trubb, general manager of KRIO gives this award annually to help encourage promising mass communications graduates in their chosen field.

The requirements for the scholarship contest were that applicants had to be mass communications majors with a 3.0 grade average in their major and write a 250-200 word statement about why they were interested in broadcasting as a career.



**ENGLISH TEACHERS WORKSHOP** - The Rio Grande Valley Council of Teachers, an affiliate of the Texas Joint Council of Teachers of English and the National Council of Teachers of English, held a

workshop on Feb. 5 in the ballroom. The teachers, which numbered approximately 95, were given the chance to look through "take-away" displays of English books as shown above.

# COLLEGIATE FORUM

## Ex-Cheerleader, Dancers Speak Out

### Bring Back the Cheerleaders

Editor:

In view of tradition at Pan Am, I feel that cheerleaders should arouse the spirit at the basketball games. I cannot see how four dancers are going to promote spirit. From what I have seen all they do is dance. The question seems to be whether the audiences are going to the games to see the Broncs or the dancers.

The dancers do add entertainment to the game but if this is what the fans want why not open up a semi-burlesque show in town. I personally go to the games to see the Broncs in action and to see them win.

Last Thursday my instructor let the class choose between the dancers and the cheerleaders. Almost everyone went for the dancers but it was after he had put the cheerleaders down in saying that they never learn new cheers and that no one wanted to see fat cheerleaders out on the court. Along with this he commented on how cheerleaders started involving the male gender.

As of today the band seems to be doing most of the spirit boosting but it is not enough. I say let us bring back the cheerleaders and do away with the dancers.

-PAU Bronc Fan  
Name on file in The Pan American Office

### Viva the Dancers

Editor:

Being a member of the Pan American cheerleaders and also a member of the new Bronc Dancers, I have

an insight to the situation, "Tradition Vs. Change," that most people don't.

I'll give my views on both and I'll start with cheerleading. I tried out and made it in the fall of 1975. Before tryouts there was a lot of excitement but when it got down to it, there were only a handful of decent girls trying out. One of the main problems was that no one really had the time to fully sponsor the cheerleaders, which was part of the reason the administration did away with the group this year because no one offered to sponsor them.

Well, when it got down to cheering at the basketball games, we might as well have been yelling to our reflection in the mirror—that's how much support we got

from the total crowd. I agree that the administration might have asked the student body how they felt about eliminating the cheerleaders but they wanted to try something new.

How do you find out what is best if you don't try out new ideas? That brings me to the dancers, when the athletic department decided they wanted to try dancers, they got in touch with Mr. Canty, (pep squad director) and he said he would take the girls under his wing as a so-called part of the band.

He in turn talked to Lyn Cramer (a dancer with a solid 10 to 12 years of dancing behind her) and she chose the three remaining girls. She was limited to the choice of only three girls

—because the group was new, the administration didn't want too many girls. If they continue the Bronc Dancers next year, there will be screening tests and try-outs. But once again, it is up to the administration.

I personally feel the dancers got a better response from the crowd. Maybe if PAU can come up with a better program for the cheerleaders, then they'll be worth having. Up until last year the cheerleaders, based on personal experience, were laughed at.

The administration might even work it out where they have both dancers and cheerleaders. From observance though, the crowd yelled just as much if not more without the help of cheerleaders. Either is fine with me but the student response leans toward the dancers; which by the way is not a semi-burlesque show.

--Thank You,  
Lois Brown

### Cheerleader Comments

Editor:

I was very sorry to hear that this year there wouldn't be any cheerleaders for it was my intention to be a cheerleader for another year. As it turned out I did not have the extra time needed to be a cheerleader. Even more depressing was the fact those individuals who did have the time and had planned to try out for cheerleader didn't get the opportunity to do so.

I am not sure who actually made the decision to dissolve the cheerleaders; but the point is that the ones who were to be affected by the decision did not have a part in making that decision. It is up to the student body to decide whether they

want to have cheerleaders or not. No one else can decide for them.

If it is entertainment the public wants then to keep the PAU Dancers but don't exclude the cheerleaders from performing their function. A cheerleader's primary objective is to arouse spirit and give support to the home team not to entertain the public.

Entertaining the public comes second to a cheerleader. There is enough room in the PAU Fieldhouse for both the cheerleaders and the dancers. If you attend any one of this season's games, the first thing you will notice is the cheerleaders' absence.

The big question at every game is "Why aren't there any cheerleaders?": No one knows why there aren't cheerleaders. All we know is

that we have four cute PAU Dancers that never have enough time to perform properly.

I hope the people that decided to dissolve the cheerleaders have realized that they made a big mistake. Hopefully next season we will see a squad of cheerleaders as energetic as last season's cheerleaders were.

-Ricardo Yanez  
Cheerleader 75-76

Copy for the Collegiate Forum should be turned in at Emilia Hall 100 by 4 p. m. Friday. Mailed entries should be addressed to Collegiate Forum, c/o: The Pan American, Emilia Hall 100, Edinburg, Tx. 78539.

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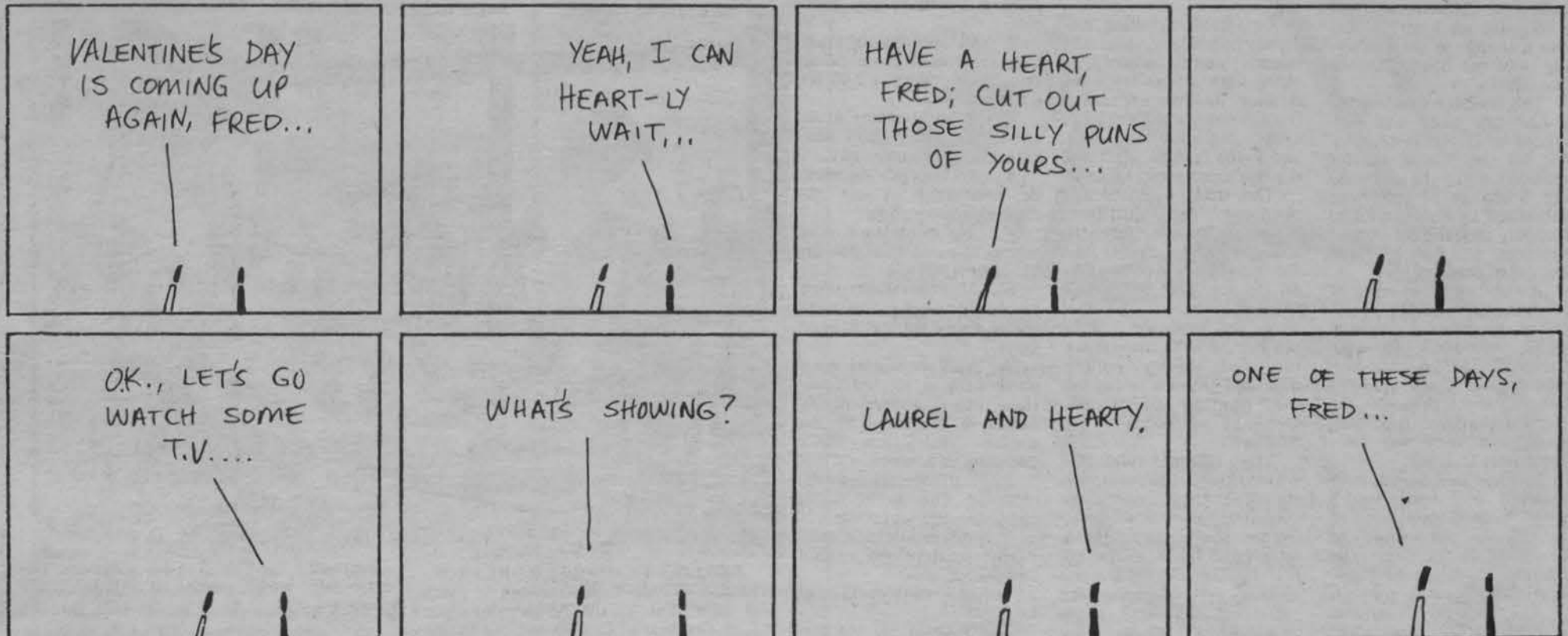
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# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Reader Rebutts

To the Editor:

In response to the letter sent to The Pan American by Miss Belinda Flores I would like to set the matter straight.

First of all, I did not misconstrue anything. If you have a copy of the particular program you will notice the fourth item reads like this; "Revolution 1910-1917 - The period of the Revolution is represented by two dances. The first one recalls the arrival of the flamboyant Pancho Villa in his territory driving his Model T Ford, affectionately named, LA CUCARACHA. Local peasants cool the overheated engine and mend the flat tires in order that Villa and his troops may continue their journey."

Now, I ask you Miss Flores, how is one man with a big sombrero stumbling over a bottle of liquor supposed to represent all of that? So you state in your letter he does not represent Pancho Villa that he is supposed to represent "La Cucaracha." There is no way a man with a huge sombrero is going to represent a Model T; just the same way that a stumbling Gerald Ford does not represent a certain type of car.

Secondly, and in spite of redundancy in your letter, I did not quite grasp your meaning about the lyrics of the song "La Cucaracha." If one listens to the lyrics, one can notice there is a mention the Cucaracha does not and cannot run because it needs marijuana. Is that the reason it is a crowd pleaser and a well-liked song?

In the third and last place, I will inform you that I am not trying to discredit the PAU dance group. I think they are doing a good job and I like most

of their dances. I am sure they have worked hard to earn those trophies.

I can also understand your bias, since it seems you are part or closely connected to the group or so it sounds in your letter. I thank you for your invitation to see them practice; but I am sure they are at their best during an actual performance.

Belinda, we must keep in mind that the state of the art is always changing as it reflects the needs and aspirations of the masses. Constructive criticism is the only way the artist has to find out what changes are needed to better his work. A lot of times what the artist would hope his work means is totally different seen through the eyes of the spectator. He can try to explain his or her work but a good work of art doesn't need any explanation. Granted, there is a certain amount of imagination in considering any work of art, but for the most part "what you see is what you get."

As a parting thought, I will tell you that I am no less and no more than any other Mexican judge you mention in your letter. I am simply a spectator, and I presume the dances are for the most part performed for the benefit of the spectator, not the judges.

You can tell your friends that a Mexican kid told you this.

-Rigo Ordaz

## In Memory Of "Joe"

To the Editor:

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players. They have their exits and their entrances. And one man in his time plays many parts..."

Sometimes, painful though it may be, the curtain must fall, and so it has for Joseph C. Fogarty.



We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the students and faculty of PAU for the enriching experience that he shared with you as a student, friend and enthusiastic thespian.

Joe so very much loved the time that he spent with you all, and his life—though already extremely full and active for more than 50 years—took on an even greater dimension and fulfillment with you.

A man of many faces, many talents, many moods—an endlessly flowing stream of strength and compassion—the proverbial Irishman—a man's man... Joe.

We take great comfort in the fact that he was so loved and respected and that on the beaches of your hearts, as on ours, his footprints won't quickly fill with the sands of Time. A sorrow shared truly becomes lighter.

-The Fogarty Family  
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## Keep The Women Out

To the Editor:

The federal government's Title IX regulating its programs imposes a hardship upon the male members of Pan American University's weight training classes because this law decrees women must share the same weight-lifting facilities with men.

No doubt there is discrimination against women in jobs, wages and promotions, but when the sanctity of the men's side of the gym is violated, it is time to act.

Women have abused for centuries, and like the she-cat of the jungle, she has learned to be aggressive while acting coy and retiring.

Macho laws in Texas don't help the male of our species. In divorce court the woman usually winds up with the house, car and kids. The man gets the debts and the headaches.

When the child support payments are delayed, the woman runs down to the local district attorney and

signs a complaint. If the man wants to see his children and she won't allow it, he must spend money to hire an attorney to secure a court order enforcing his visitation rights. He pays; she gets free services.

In this society, the male is looked upon as the abuser and the vilifier. Women are treated as the sweet and innocent "Rebeccas of Sunnybrook Farm," who must be wary of the conniving male.

Women want the protection of the law, want courtesy and generosity from men and want privileges "sans limitees," but they don't want to bear the responsibilities borne by free and equal citizens.

So PAU, let's get the girls out of the men's weight room and get separate accommodations for them. Better yet, get them out of the weight rooms and back into the kitchens.

I'd rather know how many chocolate tollhouse cookies a woman can bake within an hour, not how many pounds she can press

in her weight lifting class. Title IV, you have gone too far.

-Sincerely,  
Lloyd Garza Ray  
620 N. 7th  
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# Deadline Nears For Fall Student Teaching Applications

Pan American University students wishing to do student teaching during the fall semester must submit applications to the student teaching office by Feb. 20, according to Amadita Muniz, director of the program and instructor in the Elementary Education Department.

Application forms may be obtained from Muniz in of the Education Building 116.

## Poetry Reading

Eight Pan Am students read poems they wrote to an audience composed of students and faculty on Feb. 3 during activity period, according to Ted Daniel, English instructor at PAU.

Daniel said the poem readings, whose topics ranged from love to nature, were well received.

Students reading poems were Trisha Nules, Juan Arriolla, Tyran Fox, Phillis Brand, Fidel Casas, Darlene Washington, Terri Villarreal and Luis Moreno.

The next reading is set for Feb. 17 during activity period in the new Liberal Arts Auditorium, Daniel indicated.

## Barbecue Dinner

Texas pit barbecue, beans and potato salad will be the menu for a fund raising event Feb. 13, sponsored by the Pan American University Free Enterprise Students.

Proceeds from the dinner will go for promoting free enterprise awareness in Valley high schools, civic organizations and other interested groups, according to the students' sponsor, Duane Smith, the university's city manager in residence.

Carry out plates will be available and tickets may be purchased from any member of the club, at DeLeon Auto Accessories in McAllen.

The barbecue will be from noon until 4 p.m. at the Palmer Pavillion in McAllen.

## Student Leaders

Three campus student leaders attended a National Leadership Conference in Dallas on Feb. 4-6.

Sam Saldivar, Pan American University Student As-

sociation vice president; Tom Collins, Interfraternity Council president; and Leroy Perez, University Center Program Council chairman of the Ideas and Issues Committee; were the recipients of a scholarship awarded by the Southwestern Life Insurance Co.

The conference consisted of a training program used for training students, faculty members and deans for major colleges and universities throughout the United States.

Approximately 100 stu-

dent leaders from across the nation attended the leadership conference.

## Dr. Williamson

Dr. James Williamson, professor and head of the department of elementary education at Pan American University, will address the Permian Basin School Boards and School Administrators Association in Midland this month.

The subject of Dr. Williamson's address is "Curriculum Imperatives for Texas Public Schools."

## AAUW Coke Party

As a token of admiration, the McAllen branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will host a series of coke parties to honor women graduates of Pan Am, according to Josephine Forgarty, graduate assistant of history at PAU.

The first party is set for activity period on Feb. 15 in the University Center 305. An evening party will also

be given Feb. 16 from 7:30-8:30 p.m. at 724 J-K Avenue in McAllen.

AAUW is an organization comprised of women who hold a bachelor of arts degree and offer educated women a chance to continue their learning experiences outside the classroom, through meaningful programs, cultural and community projects and provides the chance to associate with women of like interests.

All female seniors are urged to enjoy a coke and good conversation with AAUW members, said Forgarty.

# UCPC Schedules 'Cromwell'

By Johnny de la Vina

Historical drama springs

to life on film this Sunday, Feb. 13 as UCPC presents the highly acclaimed film

"Cromwell."

The movie, starring Richard Harris and Alec

Guiness, deals with the life of Cromwell, the commoner, who wielded more power than any other ruler. He is determined to rescue the England he loves from the corruption of a weak greedy court; to set up a parliament that would be truly democratic, that would speak for the people and not be puppets of King Charles. The King, obstinately believes in the divine-right of the crown, and is led by his misguided concepts and his followers into treachery. The confrontations between Charles and Cromwell plunge the country into two civil wars and into a decade of tragic and disillusionary events for both men and all Britain.

This four star drama will be shown in Science Building Auditorium II at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be 75 cents for students and \$1 for general admission.



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## Renaissance Players To Perform In San Antonio

The Pan American University Renaissance Players and Singers have accepted an invitation from the College Division of the Texas Music Educators Association to perform on today at San

Antonio for the annual convention of that association.

TMEA is the largest association of music educators in the state and one of the largest in the country. The group will attend lectures, recitals, concerts and workshops during their four-day stay at the convention. The concert prepared by the PAU group features music composed before 1600.

The instrumental music is performed on replicas of the ancient instruments, and the entire ensemble will perform in costumes of the period. The PAU Renaissance Players and Singers directed by Carl Seale and Ruth Crews of the Music Department is one of only two groups ever to represent Pan American University at this state convention.

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# Placement Office Is Career-Minded

By Vicky Day

What am I going to do after I get out of school? This seems to be the question most students ask when they become juniors or perhaps sooner.

The place to go to find the answer is the Career Planning, Placement and Testing Center in University Center 116.

The staff in this office helps you plan your course selections according to your major. The career planners will give you advice and will help you contact employers to get a job.

Two students who have gone through the career planning program are Rolando Silva and Ventura Gonzalez Jr., both are December 1976 graduates. Both students strongly support the planning and placement program, according to Romulo Martinez, director of the Placement Office.

Silva started work on Jan. 3 with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Corpus Christi. His advice to seniors is "attend all Placement seminars scheduled by the Placement Office before you reach your last semester as a senior."

"Get all credentials and applications into the PAU Placement Office by at least the first semester of your senior year. Also, make appointments with company interviewers to gain knowledge and experience in interviewing," said Silva.

Gonzalez accepted a position with the Superior Oil Co. "I'm pretty sure you have heard how important registering with the Placement Office is. This fact cannot be stressed enough. You have to register and take advantage of all the help the placement office is offering you," Gonzalez said.

The next thing to do is to sign up for as many

interviews as possible. Jobs are not easy to find and they are much harder to find if you do not use the placement office to your advantage. The more interviews you get, the greater the chance of getting a job.

The career planners in the Placement Office are willing to help you find the answers to your future employment problems, indicates Martinez.

For each school on campus, there is a career planner. They are specially trained to help you, and, according to Barbara Mitchell, career planner for the School of Social Sciences, "We are happy to see students any time it is convenient for them."

Martinez said he is very proud of his career planners.

"We are very careful in selecting our planners. They all have a very good attitude and they all enjoy talking with students."



**CAREER PLANNERS** - Pan Am has seven career planners located on campus to serve students. The planners are (l to r) Sylvia Landa, School of Humanities; Dora Soto, School of Business; John Hext,

School of Science and Math; Suzanne Solis, career developer; and Barbara Mitchell, School of Social Sciences. Not pictured is Rosa Hernandez, School of Education; and Chris Kidd, Vocational Psychometrist and career developer.

## Federal Grant Initiates Transportation Program

A Valley-wide transportation and traffic safety program will be initiated at Pan American University with \$36,000 in direct grant money from federal sources through the State Department of Highways and Transportation to finance the operation of the project, according to Duane Smith, the university's city manager in residence.

The project, operated in conjunction with Pan Am's business research, enables

the university to offer additional services involving street improvement programs, signal lights, traffic signs and other areas of assistance involving the safety of motorists and pedestrians.

Smith said the primary function of the project through his office is to assist Valley cities and other organizations such as public schools in the documentation and definition of projects and application for

financial assistance primarily from state and federal highway funds.

## Literary Contest To Be Sponsored

The English Department at Pan American University will offer a prize of \$25 for the best short story and \$25 for the best poem written by a Pan Am student, according to Dr. Clyde Miller, associate professor of English.

The contest is now open and interested students are asked to turn in their manuscripts to one of the following members of the Department, who are located in the Liberal Arts Building, who will serve as judges: Dr. Clyde Miller, room 207 H; Seth Wade, room 222; Jan Seale, room 318 and Dorothy Schmidt, room 226.

Manuscripts may also be turned in to the secretary of the English Department room 208 in the Liberal Arts Building.

Closing date for the contest is April 11. Winners will be announced April 18. Rules for the contest are as follows: all manuscripts must be typed; short stories must be between 1,500 and 3,000 words in length; poems must be between 10 and 30 lines in length.

Entries must be restricted to one poem or to one short story, though students who wish to compete in both

categories are urged to do so by Dr. Miller.

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## YOUTHBEAT

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# Baseball Season Opens Tomorrow

## Broncs Begin 75-Game Campaign With Doubleheader Against Hardin Baylor

Mando Reyes and Louis Whetstone have been named as Coach Al Ogletree's probable starting pitchers Friday when the Pan American University baseball team opens its season at home with a 1 p.m. doubleheader against Hardin Baylor.

The same two teams meet again Saturday in another doubleheader also at Jody Ramsey Stadium. Coach Ogletree said Saturday's pitchers remained uncertain.

The Broncs, who play their all-time busiest schedule which includes 75 games, travel to Houston and Austin for their next series against Southwest Conference teams. A total of 51 of the Broncs' games are at home, but Pan Am does not play at home again until March.

Schedule cards are available at the ballpark or at the athletic office.

Pan Am returns five veteran pitchers from last year's 53-19 club. Reyes, one of Friday's starting pitchers, is an 11-game winner from 1976. The righthander from Corpus Christi recorded two losses and 19 straight innings of no-hit pitching.

Louis Whetstone (3-0), John Caskey (2-1) and Joe Sanchez (0-1 with one save) also return as pitchers as does Doug Wood, a junior, who posted a 1-0 record last year.

Other squad members who might get in mound time are Ronald Canales of Corpus Christi, Cliff Crowell, David Runkle, Glenn Cunningham, Jim Modlinski,

Doug Gastrop, Dagoberto Pena and Hector Rios.

The Broncs pitchers will throw to three catchers this season. Marty Dolfuss, a sophomore from Dallas, and Tom Gregory, a senior from Woodward, Okla., return from last year's squad. Gregory hit .311 as a junior but missed three weeks in mid-season due to an injury.

John Thomas, a transfer from Hill Junior College, is the other Bronc receiver.

Pan Am also returns many of the men who helped turn 50 double plays in 1976.

All three Bronc captains are infielders. Shortstop Jaime Alvarado, third baseman Steve Deskin and first baseman Steve Dunn return as senior infielders and tri-captains. Second baseman

Mark Savarino, a junior, rounded out the starting foursome in the majority of last season's 72 games.

Six other Bronc infielders also gained experience on last year's winning ballclub. Charles Yoachum, Gary Lauer, Bunkley Morris, Richard Pena, Horacio Pena and Henry Mayo give the Broncs added depth around the infield.

The three newcomers to the infield are Herb Espinosa, Homer Guerra, a freshman from Edinburg and David Widenfeld, a freshman from McAllen.

Last season's infielders posted several impressive statistics. Alvarado played in 71 of the 72 games and

ranked second on the club in drawing walks. Deskin had 29 RBI's as compared to Dunn's 37. Dunn also hit four homers, two of them grand slams.

Savarino hit .252 with 32 RBI's as a sophomore when he set an all-time Pan Am record by making 13 game-winning hits.

The outfield looks like a bright spot for the Broncs this season. Six veterans plus two talented newcomers give Pan Am solid depth at all three outfield positions.

Wes Thomas of Dallas batted .376 last year, collecting 64 hits and 25 steals and making the Major Independents All-America Team.

Bobby Rutledge, of Edinburg, hit .304 and had four homers and 21 steals. Roy Sosa of Austin topped the team in official times at bat with over 200 and rarely walked as he came up swinging for 60 hits and a .286 average.

Leonard Tyrone of Alice celebrated a good freshman year by hitting .291 in 31 games. Albert Garcia, a transfer from Temple Junior College, Ray Gonzalez and Oscar Garza, transfers from Hill Junior College, also give the Broncs experience in the outfield.

Experience and depth are two factors that the Broncs will need to utilize this year in their effort to reach the NCAA playoffs once again.

## Pan Am Golfers In Mexico For International Tourney

A young Pan American University golf team with "good potential" is host of the fifth annual Pan American University International Intercollegiate Invitational Golf Tournament which got underway Wednesday at Monterrey, Mex., and continues through Saturday.

The tournament, which is being played on the Campestre de Monterrey golf course, began Wednesday with a practice round. Actual competition was scheduled to begin today.

More than 20 NCAA schools fielding five golfers each are participating in this year's event. Some of those are Texas A&M, Texas Tech, University of Houston, Brigham Young University, Lamar University, Louisiana State University, New Mexico State University and Oklahoma University. Oral Roberts University, North Texas State University, Monterrey Tech, University of Monterrey and

and the University of Mexico City are also competing in the tourney.

The top four scores of each team will be tabulated to determine the first, second and third place team champions. Individual trophies will also be presented to the tournament's top two medalists.

The tournament's champion last year was Brigham Young University. Past team champions include the University of Texas in 1973, the University of Florida in 1974 and the University of Texas again in 1975.

Some of the tournament's notable entries include Oklahoma State, last year's NCAA champions, and Texas A&M and Texas, perennial Southwest Conference contenders.

## Gymnasts Place At TSU

The PAU womens gymnastics team recently participated in a dual meet with Tarleton State University of Stephenville, Texas.

Gymnasts placing for Pan American in the meet were Yolanda Garza, Ruth Jasso, Cherie Martin, Peggy Morgan and Joyce Perez. Garza took third in the vault, fourth on floor exercises, fifth on beam and second on the bar. Jasso was sixth on vault, seventh on floor exercises, sixth on beam and seventh on the bar.

Morgan took fourth in vault, first on floor exercises, third on beam and sixth on the bar. Perez came in sixth on vault, second on floor exercises, third on beam and fifth on bar. Martin placed eighth on the bar for the Pan Am team.

The gymnastics team next travels to San Marcos to participate in the bi-zone meet. Winners will advance to the state meet, at Texas Christian University on March 4-5.

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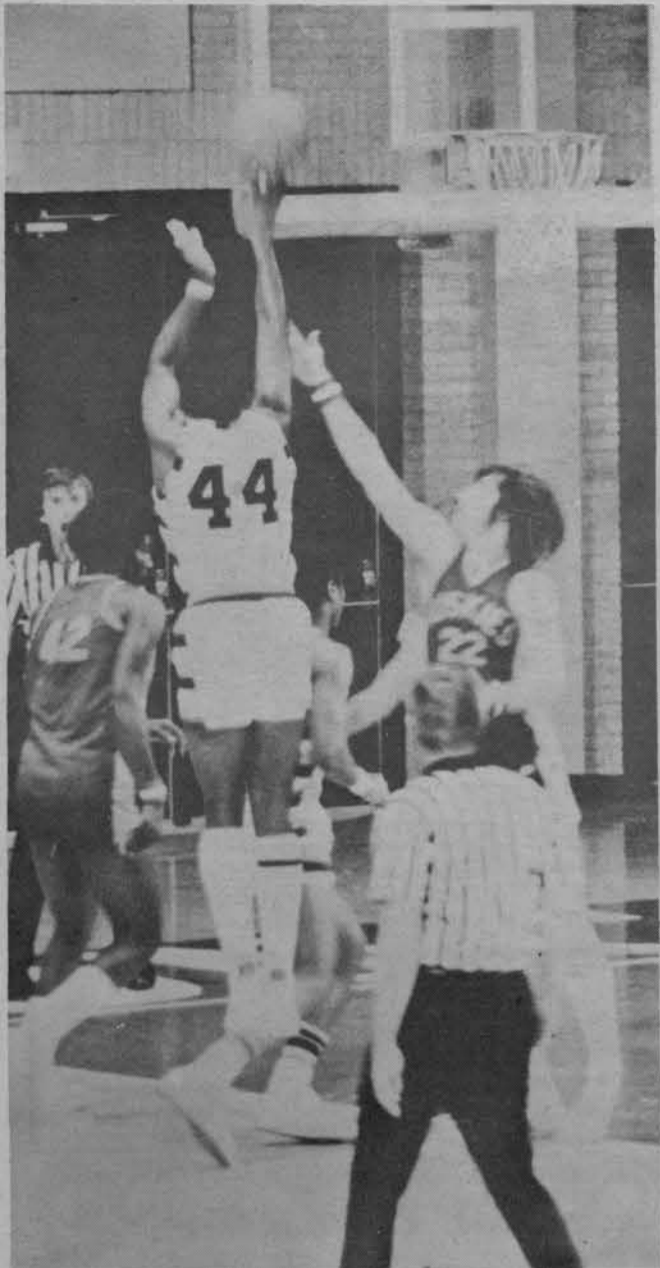
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**AIMING FOR TWO** - Randy Woods shoots a ten-footer for Pan Am in a recent game against Houston Baptist. Woods had 17 points in the game as the Broncos won, 89-72.

## For Next Four Games

# Basketball Team On The Road

The Pan American University basketball Broncos tangle with new opponent New Mexico State in Las Cruces, NM, tonight in the first of four successive games on the road.

The Broncos, 14-5 on the season after splitting a home stand last week, then take on the nationally-ranked University of Nevada at Las Vegas Feb. 17, the University of Denver Feb. 19, and the University of Wisconsin Feb. 21. Pan Am does not play at home again until Feb. 26 on Lettermen's Night.

A home victory over the Cowboys that night will improve Pan Am's consecutive home win streak to two games.

Portland State University, led by the nation's leading

scorer Freeman Williams, broke Pan Am's 20-game home winning streak Feb. 1 with a 78-72 victory. The Broncos had not lost a game at home since a 77-76 defeat to Texas Christian University in December of 1975.

Portland State, down at the half by a 43-33 margin, was spearheaded by the 24-point second-half performance of Williams. The sharpshooter had been held to a mere six points by the Broncos in the first half, but came alive in the second stanza, hitting several jumpers from 15 feet and beyond as well as scoring on impressive drives down the lane and the baseline.

A baseline drive by Williams with just over eight

minutes left in the contest pulled Portland State to a tie. Williams put PSU ahead to stay 30 seconds later with a 20-foot jumper. The nation's leading scorer then had eight of his team's final 15 points to seal PSU's victory.

Henry Taylor scored 23 points in a losing cause for Pan Am and was followed by Michael (Byrd) Edwards, who had 17.

Four nights later, Pan Am began another home winning streak with an easy 89-72 victory over a lowly Houston Baptist team. The Huskies fell to 5-15.

Billy Bolts and Michael Edwards led the Broncos with a combined total of 47 points. Bolts' 24 points were game-high. The 6-5 forward scored 14 in the first

half as the Broncos shot out to a 46-39 lead at halftime.

Pan Am outscored Houston Baptist in the second half, 43-33. Both teams shot 54 percent from the field for the game with the Broncos canning 39 of 72 field goal attempts and the Huskies sinking 35 of 64.

Pan Am capitalized on more free-throw opportunities, cashing in on 11 of 15 attempts. Houston Baptist hit on two of three charity shots.

Besides Bolts and Edwards, Randy Woods, Henry Taylor and John Wilbanks also added 17, 13 and six points respectively. Wilbanks also had a game-high 21 assists, a mark just one short of the PAU field-house record set by the point guard himself.

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## Intra Volleyball Ends, Co-recreational Begins

Results of men's and women's intramural volleyball matches were reported by the intramural office of the Health and Physical Education Department last week.

In the second week of competition, a total of eleven matches were played including five men's and six women's games.

Playoff matches were held yesterday but results

were unavailable as of press date.

Twelve teams and four leagues have been organized for co-recreational volleyball, the next intramural sport beginning Feb. 16.

Entry deadline for the following intramural activity, softball, is Feb. 17 at noon. Entry forms can be picked up at the intramural office in the old gymnasium.

## Tennis Coach Denies Articles Misleading

Pan American University tennis coach, A.G. Longoria, denied Monday accusations made concerning tennis articles furnished by him in a letter to the editor which appeared in Sunday's edition of The Monitor.

The letter, signed by several board members of the McAllen Tennis Association, alleged that recent Valley tennis newspaper articles, one of which appeared in The Pan American last semester, contained "gross inaccuracies and misrepresentations."

According to the letter, news stories concerning the indoor men's professional tournament held at Pan American last month were inaccurate because they reported that the Association of Tennis Professionals had approved the tournament for ATP computer points.

The letter stated that the Rio Grande Valley Pro Classic had not been approved

for ATP rankings. Longoria admitted Monday that the recent classic was indeed not an ATP tournament, but said Larry Riggs, the circuits director, had sent him "press material" approximately six months ago stating that the tournament would be ATP-approved.

The tournament, however, was not approved by the ATP because it did not meet the \$5,000-prize money requirement. The Valley tournament only offered \$3,000 in prize money.

Longoria said he was notified of this by the ATP office and he immediately issued retractions and apologies to the office.

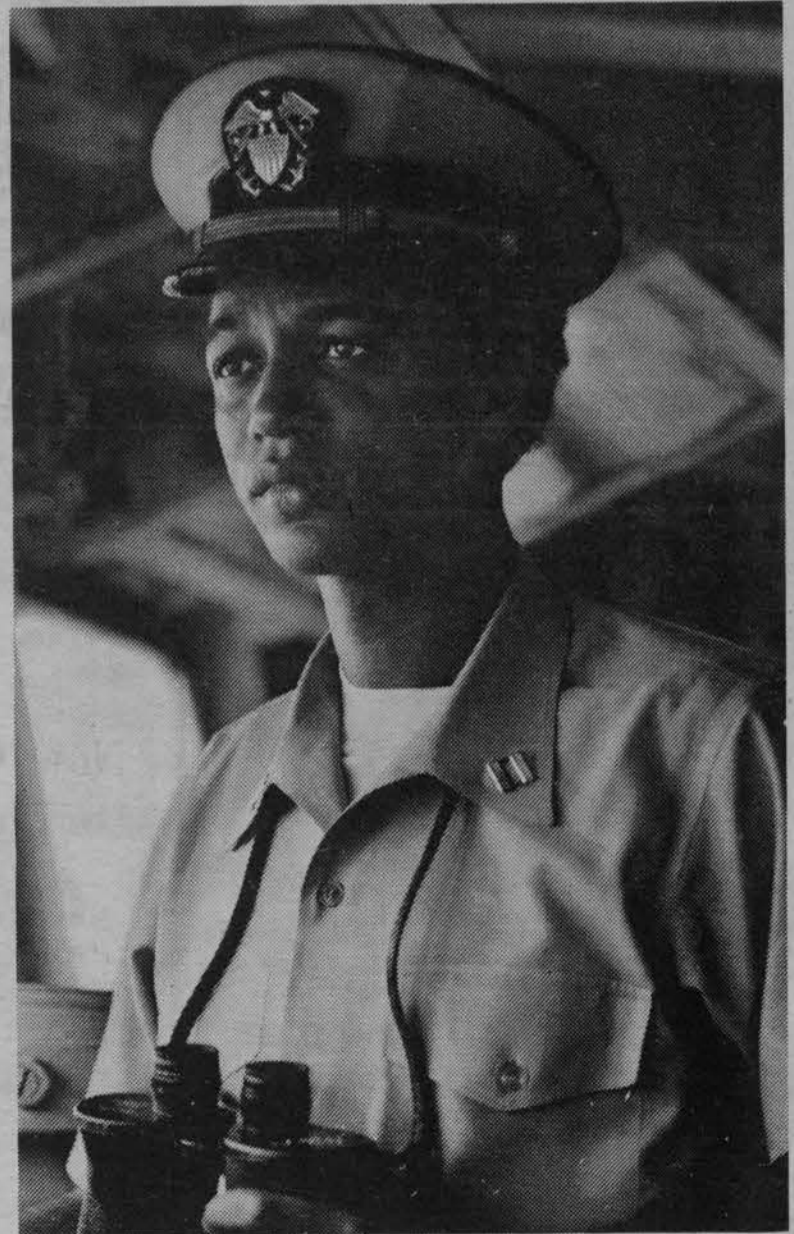
Longoria said the Valley classic was described only once as an ATP-approved tournament in a story which appeared about four and one-half months ago in Valley daily newspapers and The Pan American.

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# Broncs Tennis Team Splits Dual Matches

The 14th-ranked Pan American University Tennis team, which came within a match point of defeating eighth-ranked Texas last Saturday, host Texas A&M this Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in dual match competition.

The Broncs received their No. 14 ranking last week by the Intercollegiate Tennis Coaches Association before traveling to San Marcos and Austin for dual matches.

Pan American demolished Southwest Texas 9-0, Feb. 11, taking all of their singles and doubles matches. Captain Ricardo Eynaudi, Pan Am's No. 1 player, paced the Broncs with a three-set victory over Gary Seymour, 7-6, 6-7 and 7-5.

Pan Am's Rob Hubbard won No. 2 singles over Tom Davenport, 6-1, 6-1 and Robert Bettauer won his No. 3 match over Brian Lewis, 6-3, 6-1.

Sean Sorensen of Pan Am defeated Dominiqu Dumillon, 6-2, 4-6, 7-6 in No. 4 singles. Brian Liberman defeated Kurt Thomas, 6-1, 7-5 and John Picken downed Dave Edwards, 6-2, 7-5 in the other singles matches.

The Broncs swept their doubles matches in straight sets.

The Broncs next traveled to Austin for a dual match with the University of Texas. Although they lost, 5-4, Broncs tennis coach, A. G.

Longoria, was not disappointed.

"I don't think the loss will hurt us," he said. "If we do well against Texas A&M here Saturday, we might even move up in the rankings."

Pan Am's Rob Hubbard, who played No. 1 singles against the Longhorns, defeated Paul Avis, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4. Eynaudi was defeated by Gary Plock, 6-4, 6-2.

No. 3 singles player, Sean Sorensen, fell to Kevin Cuppen, 6-3, 6-0, and No. 4 Robert Bettauer defeated Brad Nabors, 7-6, 6-1.

Texas' Stewart Keller defeated Brain Liberman, 7-5, 6-1 and John Picken defeated Steve Denton, 6-7, 6-4, 6-3 to round out the singles matches.

Texas won two of the three doubles matches. The Broncs' team of Hubbard and Eynaudi, who played together for the first time in dual match competition, defeated Texas' Plock and Cuppen in three sets, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Sorensen and Picken lost to Nabors and Keller, 6-4, 2-6, 7-6 and Bettauer and Liberman lost to Avis and Denton, 6-2, 6-4.

Coach Longoria commended No. 1 singles player, Rob Hubbard for his play in both dual matches. Longoria

also said Rob Bettauer and John Picken "had outstanding wins and played very well." Picken is the only Bronc yet to lose a match.

Longoria said his Broncs should be favored over Texas A&M Saturday, but added that the Aggies possess a very balanced team which features last year's Southwest Conference singles runner-up, Charles Emley.

Emley defeated Pan Am's No. 1 player of last year, Antonio Hartmann when the Broncs defeated the Aggies, 6-3, in dual match competition. Hartmann, who would have been a senior this year, has since turned professional.

The Broncs, who so suffered no injuries except for John Picken who developed hand blisters, host Rice University here again next Feb. 19.



**BRONCS LINKSTERS** - Pictured above are members of the 1976-77 Pan American University golf team coached by Tony Guerrero. Standing, left to right, are David Steffan, John Aguillon, Wiley

McIntyre, Robert Beeching, Harold Friga and Coach Guerrero. Kneeling, left to right, are Rodolfo Casaubon, Robert Purdy, John N. Vaughan, Mark Esposito and Carlos Pamplona.

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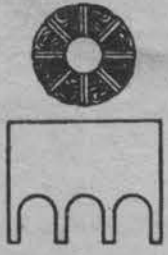
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## Elections Fill 13 Vacancies

Of the 18 vacancies up for grabs during the Student Senate elections Feb. 8-9, 13 were filled, according to Jesse Arriola, Pan American University Student Association attorney general.

"Due to the inclement weather our turn-out of votes was not as good as was expected by the election committee. But after seeing the open participation at last week's senate meeting I feel that although the number of votes was not extremely high that the people elected were qualified and articulate," Arriola said.

During the Feb. 10 meeting of the Student Senate, Arriola announced 245 votes had been cast on Tuesday and Wednesday, election days. Arriola stated there are still four vacancies. The School of Business has three vacancies, the Graduate School has one vacancy and the Division of

Allied Health has one vacancy.

Two out of the five School of Business vacancies were filled. Mark Gonzales and write-in candidate Joe Reyna Jr. were elected.

All eight vacancies from the School of Education were filled. Elected were Esther Pena, Velma Menchaca, Cindy Morales, Daniel Reyna, Maria Antonieta (Nannette) Lopez, Marcela E. Ardonez and write-in candidates Rosemarie Rodriguez and Cindy Griffin.

The School of Social Sciences filled its only vacancy by electing Sonia Saenz.

Pedro Pacheco and Frank Ambriz were elected to fill the two vacancies in the School of Science and Math.

Also elected during the same voting was Cindy Morales as University Center Program Council vice presi-

dent. Arriola noted that this election came about after the president, Juan Garza, resigned and the vice president, Albert Vasquez, was elevated to the post of president.

### Enrollment Up

Final enrollment figures for the spring semester have been released by Bill Morris, director of admissions at Pan American University. An 8.8 per cent increase over last spring's is seen with the official final total of 8,976 students, Morris said.

There are 3,270 freshmen, 1,653 sophomores, 1,359 juniors, 1,311 seniors, 238 special students and 1,145 graduate students.

Of the total, the Brownsville campus has 876 as compared to 537 last year for a dramatic increase of 63 per cent.



**U. S. NAVY BAND** - The U. S. Navy performed two performances on Feb. 10 Band, internationally known for its classic, contemporary and orchestra music,

in the PAU Fieldhouse. The performances, which from the proceeds were to be used for the Easter Seals Chapter located in McAllen, were ushered by the Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity at PAU.

## PAUSA Senate Votes Down Four-Day Week Resolution

The Student Senate Resolution Calling for a Four Day Week at Pan American University was put up for a vote during the senate meeting Feb. 10 and with 23 voting members present one voted in favor, 18 against and four abstained.

The resolution, submitted by David D. Garza, senator from the School of Humanities, caused a great deal of discussion.

After more than 15 obstacles or "what ifs" were presented to Garza from various senators, Ponce Duran, president pro-tempore of the senate, said, "There's a state law against a four-day week unless there's an emergency." After Duran's comment the question was

called and the Four Day Week proposal was voted down.

One resolution voted on also during Thursday's meeting was the resolution calling for the Qualifying Rules for Bronco Queen to be Changed. A unanimous vote of 22-0 passed that proposal.

The new Dean of Students, Dr. Gilbert de los Santos, was introduced to the senate as were the 13 new senators elected two days before.

Patty O. Navarro, Pan American University Student Association president was recognized by Sam Saldivar, PAUSA senate president, after the senators

expressed no disapproval to her speaking.

Navarro asked the group to consider endorsing some legislation up for voting at the Texas legislature. With a vote of 21-1, the senate voted to endorse House Bill 714 which called for insurance companies not to charge rates on the basis of age but rather on driving ability.

A vote for two resolutions will be coming up at the next Feb. 24 meeting of the Senate. The first one is Student Resolution Calling for PAUSA to Obtain Typewriters for the PAU Library, submitted by Edna Ornelas, senator

of the School of Social Sciences.

The other item is Student Resolution Calling for a Public Relations Program Hereto Referred to as Rotary Student of the Month submitted by Judy Flores, PAUSA secretary-treasurer and two senators from the School of Humanities.

A vote of confidence from the senate was granted to the Election Committee which came up with dates for the 1977-78 Miss Pan American elections. The approved dates for the election are April 12-13.

The meeting was adjourned after the group

heard apologies from Jesse Arriola, attorney general, and Saldivar. The apologies concerned the exchange of words during the Jan. 27

meeting about a position in the elections committee. Saldivar asked the group to move on to a more productive year for PAUSA.

## Regents Open Bids On Tennis Courts, Bookstore

Pan American University will soon be getting eight new lighted tennis courts and a new bookstore along with some expansion of the present cafeteria.

This action came about at the Feb. 9 meeting of the PAU Board of Regents which met at the conference room of the Administration Building. All nine of the board members were present for the meeting which was chaired by Leonel Garza, of Brownsville.

Pan Am will award a \$176,712 contract to Pan-Tex Corporation of Edinburg for construction of eight new lighted tennis courts. Members of the school's board of regents authorized the \$176,712 contract, provided a favorable recommendation is forthcoming from architect Kenneth Bentsen of Houston. The contract calls for a metal halide lighting system for the court area which will be located just to the west of the Physical Education Complex.

The board also took an initial step to provide funds for a new university bookstore and expansion of the cafeteria. The board voted to employ Sam Maclin of San Antonio and Hobby McCall, of Dallas to prepare for a revenue bond issue in the amount of \$750,000 to

\$1 million. Maclin will act as fiscal agent for the bond sale and McCall, the bond attorney.

The board expressed a desire to get the project moving and instructed university president, Dr. Ralph Schilling, to inform Bentsen to proceed with working drawings for both construction projects. A tentative schedule calls for a bond sale in April and construction starting in May, with facilities ready for use in the summer of 1978.

In other business at the February session nearly 300 faculty members and administrators were re-employed at PAU for another year beginning Sept. 1. The only two exceptions were two-year contracts going to Al Ogletree, baseball coach, and Bill White, basketball coach.

The largest number of re-employed faculty members is in the School of Humanities, where 71 positions were approved for the Departments of Art, English, Communications, Foreign Languages and Music.

There were 49 faculty members re-hired in the School of Education. The school is composed of the Departments of Elementary Education, Secondary Education and Health and Physical Education.

The School of Science and Math which includes the Departments of Biology, Chemistry, Physical Science and Mathematics, has 40 re-hired faculty members.

The School of Social Sciences has 40 faculty members re-employ. The School includes the Departments of Behavioral Science, Political Science and History.

The School of Business Administration, has 25 re-appointments. The school includes the Divisions of Research, Continuing Education, Graduate Studies and Instruction and Administration. In the Nursing Department, 10 were re-hired.

The board of regents also granted leaves of absence without pay to three faculty members. The faculty are Doug Cummins and George McLemore, instructors in the Communications Department; and Raymond Welch, assistant professor of the History Department.

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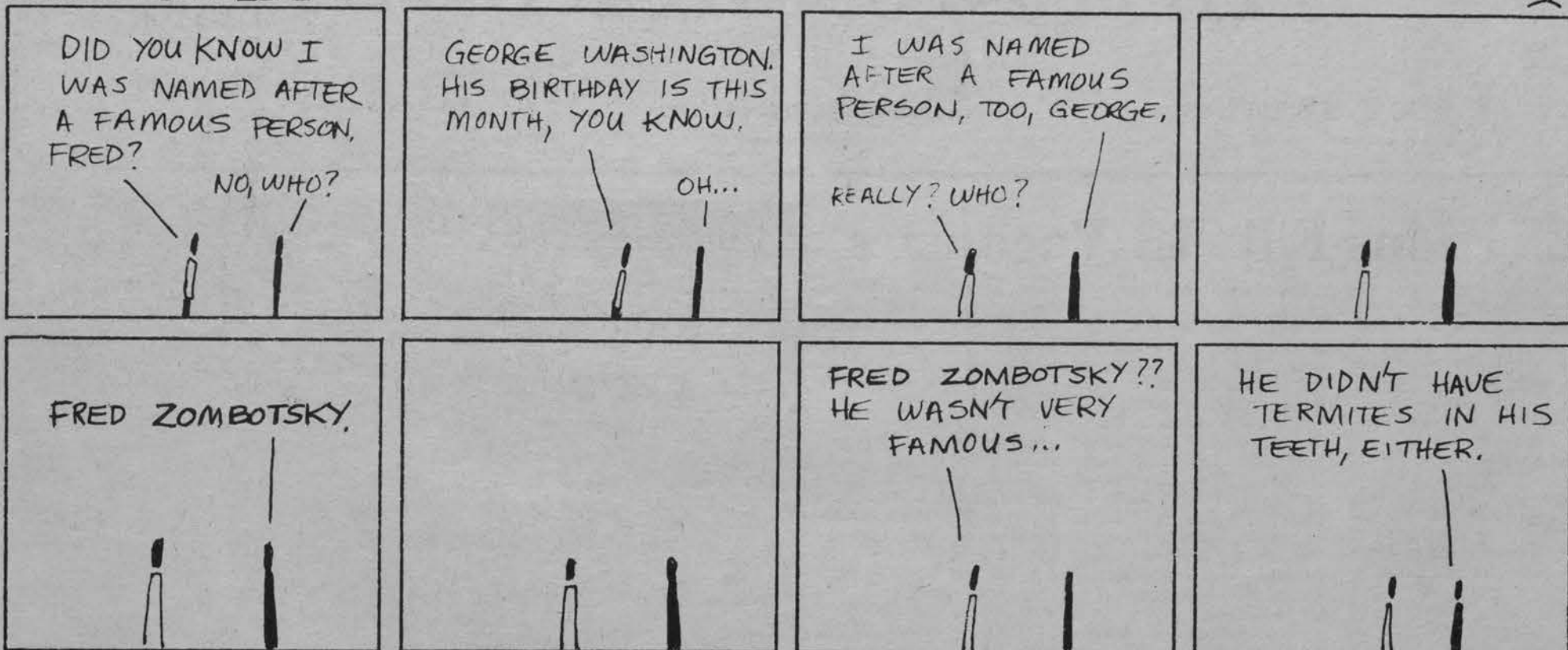
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**RENAISSANCE PLAYERS** - Pan American University's Renaissance Players and Singers performed in San Antonio on Feb. 10 at the annual convention of the Texas Music Educators Association. The

group performed instrumental music on replicas of ancient instruments while dressed in costumes of that period. Dr. Carl Seale, associate professor of music and Ruth Crews, music instructor, direct the Valley group.

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# COLLEGIATE FORUM

## Tough Female

To the Editor:

In the last issue of The Pan American, I read a letter by Lloyd Garza Ray that irritated me.

I agree that women have been discriminated against, and sometimes they go a little far, but it only serves men right.

The trouble with men is they think that women should stay behind them instead of moving up in the world and even accomplishing more than males. The latter statement being the most absurd.

I haven't yet heard a girl in the weight-lifting class who is fighting for different facilities. What's wrong with the guys anyway? Are they afraid the women are going to start bench-pressing more than them? Or will the guys not be able to uphold their image of a "he-man?"

Lloyd, what really riled me up into writing this letter was your statement: "Let's get the girls out of the men's weight room and get separate accommodations for them. Better yet, get them out of the weight rooms and back into the kitchens."

It's about time women start doing things they want instead of doing what is ex-

pected of them. Frankly, I hope girls here at PAU become more interested in athletics.

By the way, if you would like to know how many cookies a woman can bake within an hour, why don't you try getting into the kitchen yourself. Remember, men and women are equal?

You are just as capable as any woman on this earth, who knows maybe even you can out-do a woman in the kitchen. Why don't you give it a try Mr. Macho?

-Sincerely,  
Sandra Anna Leal

## Stud For Womanhood

To the Editor:

An open letter to Lloyd Garza Ray:

This letter is to let you know that the Drama Department at PAU is behind you 100 per cent. We are glad that someone has finally had the courage to speak out. For years now the left wing element has been striving to destroy the grace and dignity of women. We have watched in dismay as feminists have sought to "equalize the sexes," which has done severe damage to every strata

of society. Our mental institutions are overcrowded; our divorce courts are a log jam of familial schism and tragedy.

We note with chagrin that even the Drama Department is contaminated by the presence of ALREADY MARRIED women (some with children) who, having fulfilled their destiny as women, have no business in this college at all.

Enough! Let us return to basics. If only women would realize the wisdom of that great male author (a Departmental favorite) William Shakespeare: "Thy husband is thy lord, thy life, thy keeper, thy head, thy sovereign... etc."

We real women in the Drama Department heartily concur and we have the toll-house cookies to prove it.

We think Lloyd Garza Ray is a true American, a red-blooded two-fisted paragon of masculinity, (we see but too few these days). We would like to take this opportunity to endorse him as our candidate in the Student Senate.

He'll put the STUD back in STUDENT government.

Yours for total womenhood,

-- Kitty Bodenhamer,  
Debbie Thomas,  
Neo Canales, Kent Smither, Jim Wilson  
and Jocelyn Shirah

## Irritated Lady

To the Editor:

I would like to express my concern about the hardships males of this university are enduring because females are allowed to share the same weight-lifting facilities. According to Mr. Ray's letter, there are many other situations in which males suffer because of females. I would like to reply to Mr. Ray's remarks.

Mr. Ray made several statements concerning divorce laws and the rights of

women in the state of Texas and he is obviously confused. I suggest Mr. Ray check his sources before he makes any further comment. And incidently, raising a child as a single parent is not considered an example of shirking responsibility.

The major point of Mr. Ray's letter dealt with restricting the use of the weight room to males only. Weight-lifting is an individual sport and involves no physical contact. There is no real competition between participants because individuals work at their own pace and ability. It is apparent Mr. Ray feels threatened by the presence of females in the weight room, perhaps because he feels the "competition" is getting too rough. (Care to arm wrestle, Mr. Ray?)

My experience in the weight room has been wonderful because I have not been unfortunate enough to meet Mr. Ray there. The people I have encountered were very pleasant and often helpful. My weight-lifting experience is limited to the course I took last semester, but it was so enjoyable I have continued to lift weights on my own.

Since I started lifting weights my physical condition and attitude have improved, I have made new acquaintances and learned new skills. You can't do all that in the kitchen baking cookies.

In closing I'd like to express one final thought to Mr. Ray, if baking cookies is the most important contribution a woman can make in this world, your mother should have spent more time in the kitchen.

-- Sincerely,  
Penny McCormick

## Unreasonable Reasoning

To the Editor:

In response to Lloyd Garza Ray's letter, "Keep the Women Out." Mr. Ray,

why should the women be removed from the weight training room and be sent back to the kitchen? What's your reasoning? They have as much right to be in that room as you do. Removing them from the gym would be as discriminating as not allowing them entrance into the university.

Mr. Ray, I somehow cannot comprehend why your statement, "They have learned to be aggressive while acting coy and retiring," has any validity whatsoever nowadays. Have you forgotten that women are aggressive and do have all the right to be so without relying on such antiquated tactics.

I believe your knowledge on the issues on discrimination of women today is vague. Where have you been? Have you not read the numerous literature which has been published on the issues of discrimination of women. I somehow feel that you, Mr. Ray, an intelligent human being, should be able to comprehend that women are an equal to the species of mankind.

The woman being an equal in all respects has as much right to do whatever she pleases without being told.

I for one cannot see your reasoning; when have

you ever treated women like that? Nowadays, the women's role is to be an equal, where her own capacities are to her fullest potential such as her intelligence, aggressiveness, etc., without thinking she is like a man, because such a statement would be contrary to her aims, beliefs or goals in trying to establish the identity of being the equal woman that her abilities are just as equal to that male.

Furthermore, your comment on why the women should be sent back to the kitchen is one of the most archaic pieces of jargon I've ever heard.

There must be a way to comprehend the logic behind his reasoning as to why women should be inferior while in fact she is his equal. The only valid reason being such irrational thinking would be that the male's insecurity is his fear of his ego or superiority being deflated when he realizes that the woman is his equal.

Idelma Saenz  
McAllen, Texas

## Letters

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# News And Views From Other U's

By Lloyd Garza Ray

## WOMEN EATERS ARE PICKIER . . .

Reporter Kerry Kerr of the San Marcos University Star tells his readers that "off-campus eating exceptions are rare."

In a news story, Kerr reports that the director of residential living, Sue Blair, will exempt students from their eating contract only for medical reasons.

The food service director, Leonard Fielder, most complaints about the food are vague and unfounded. He adds " . . . I had a girl tell me she could not eat the food in the dining hall. When I asked why she told me it tasted funny."

Students aren't specific with complaints, but Fielder says the "food service offers more of a variety than any other college . . . and offers seconds and the only one that permits students to take out as much food as they like."

There are 4,620 students eating in the dining halls; of this number, 2,821 are women. Blair says, "Women tend to be pickier."

## KNOW YOUR MEAT . . .

Tarleton State University offers a meat science course taught in two parts: an introductory and an advanced class.

In the introductory portion, the economics of beef cuts and the curing of meats such as hams, bacon and sausage are learned.

The advanced course is mostly processing and merchandising; the student learns the preparation of meats for retail display.

Times are hard and a course on meats will pay off.

## BASKETBALL TEAM MINUS 3

For the first time in three years three women were cut from the University of Texas at El Paso's basketball team.

According to expelled player, Cathy Dickason, the head coach's techniques were "never questioned . . . or anything like that."

In response to a meeting called by the three women to discuss team confidence with their co-players, women's coach, Carol Ammerman, pulled the trio from the team.

Ammerman was contacted and stated, "I did what I thought was best for the team. I'm running the team . . . a lot of people should have done some thinking before talking."

## WOOL OVER THEIR EYES . . .

Angelo State University's wool judging team placed second, seven points behind the winner, Colorado State, in the National Western Stock Show in Denver, Colo.

In ASU's first year of competition, the team came in ahead of Texas A&M University and teams from approximately 25 universities from Texas, Nebraska, New Mexico and Kansas.

The Denver meet is the only national wool judging contest in the U.S.

## MORE BEOG FOR ASU

An additional \$314,674 has been earmarked for Angelo State University under the federal government's Basic Education Opportunity Grant program.

A total of \$699,404 will provide students with financial aid during the 1976-77 academic year.

## KOJAK WHERE WERE YOU? . . .

Two television sets bolted to the floor at North Texas State University's Kerr Hall lounge were stolen recently, according to its student newspaper, The North Texas Daily.

Bill Boulden, assistant director of housing, said the sets were worth about \$400 and were removed with bolt cutters.

The sets were on the second and fifth floors on the men's side of the dorm. Boulder believes the sets were stolen around 1:30 - 7:30 a.m.

## A NEW BUILDING FOR BEE . . .

A new library is planned for the Bee County College, but the unpredictable weather might postpone groundbreaking slated for March 1.

The new structure will be four times the size of the current library and seating will be double that of the old building, and contain more informal furniture.

# By-Line

By Patty O. Navarro  
PAUSA President

Rep. Arnold Gonzalez, PhD. from Nueces County, has introduced House Bill 714 in the 65th Legislature which would forbid the charging of higher insurance rates to young people, or any other form of "discrimination based on age in setting motor vehicle insurance rates."

It is my opinion insurance rates should be based on the driving record of the individual, and not of the age group he or she happens to be in. Under our current system of setting insurance rates, a young person may have an absolutely impeccable driving record, yet be paying higher premiums than an older person with a poor driving record.

Section I-Article 5.01 of the insurance code reads: "no rates determined, fixed, prescribed and promulgated under this article may discriminate between classes of insured on the basis of age."

The bill has been referred to the House Committee on Insurance. Any letters you could send to the members of the Committee or your own Representatives should help the bill's chances for passage. Mailing address is: House of Representatives Committee on Insurance, P. O. Box 2910 Austin, Texas 78769.

Next week I'll focus on H. B. 373 introduced by Rep. Sarah Weddington



"CABARET" CAST DANCERS - The Poor People's Theatre has cast dancers for the drama musical "Cabaret" which is set to be produced in April. The dancers are back row (l to r): Pepper Powers, Cindy Gonzalez, Douglas Woodall, Michael Guerra, Debbie Van Noy; sitting (l to r) are Willie Shives, Trisha Myles and Bonnie Bazar.

## Development Laboratory

The Elementary Education Department at Pan American University is seeking 20 pre-school children for a laboratory which will serve as a training center for students in the child development associate program.

Children in the age bracket from 3 to 5 are needed for the program, which will run for seven weeks, beginning Feb. 21. There will be

three sessions per week - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 5:45 - 7:45 p.m.

The laboratory will offer an enrichment program of children's experiences in language, literature, creative dramatics and movement, art and the process approach to science.

An enrollment fee of \$10 will be charged the parents

of each child and further information may be secured by dialing 381-3302 in Edinburg.

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**Newsbits**

# PAU Forensics Squad To Compete In Arkansas

The PAU Debate and Forensics squad will travel this week to the University of Arkansas to participate in the third annual "Razorback II Debate-Forensics Tournament."

Forensics directors George McLemore and Neal Rieke, both instructors in the Communications Department, indicated that eight PAU students will compete in Original Oratorical, Extemporaneous Speaking, Prose and Poetry Interpretation, Television Speaking and Debate.

Participating will be Joe Salazar, Virginia Rodriguez, Norma Ochoa, Adriana Chapa, Cindy Hooper, Marco Adams, Albert Gonzales and Gilda Barbosa-Wise.

## Brian Robertson

Brian Robertson, director of Helpline, will conduct a lecture to the PAU Psychology Club on Feb. 17 at

7 p.m. in Science Building Auditorium I, according to Dixie Rainey, club president.

Robertson was graduated from the University of St. Thomas in Houston and he taught at the University of Houston community classes.

He has participated in poetry readings at libraries and on KPFF-FM in Houston and has published in numerous magazines.

## Dr. Gatica

The Pan Am Math Department will sponsor a lecture on Friday at 3 p.m. in Southwick Hall 3.

Dr. J. A. Gatica of the University of Iowa will talk about "The Application of Fixed Point Theorems to the Existence of Periodic Solutions to Differential Equations."

On Feb. 25 at 3 p.m. Dr. John Neuberger of Emory University will speak on "Iterations for Systems of Differential Equations in Engineering Building 159."

## Eddie Cano

Eddie Cano, a McAllen beverage distributor, will speak on various aspects of his trade to Alpha Kappa Psi, a coed business fraternity at Pan Am, on Feb. 22.

Cano received his bachelors degree in accounting from St. Mary's University in San Antonio, belonged to the National Economic Development Association and was a managerial consultant for the Small Business Administration.

The public is invited to the talk, which begins at 10:30 a.m. in the Business Administration Building Auditorium, according to committee chairman, Rosa Hernandez.

## CAMP Dance

The College Assistance Migrant Program organization held its favorites dance Feb. 13 in the University

Ballroom, according to Delia Benavides, CAMP counselor.

CAMP students nominated and voted for student favorites at a meeting Feb. 1 in Science Building Auditorium I. Each vote cost a cent and no limit was placed on the number of times a student could vote, said Benavides.

The money raised from the voting will be used for a trip planned by CAMP during the spring break.

Lucas Hinojosa, project director for CAMP, presented ribbons to the favorites. Selected as favorites were Cele Ortega, Sylvia Olivarez, Dago Barrera, Ninfa Lee Rodriguez, Oscar Vasquez, Maria Garza, Roy Garza, Estella Navarro, Roy Salas, Joe Valenzuela, Rosa Alvarado, Norabel Gonzalez and Benavides.

## Investment Seminar

A one-night investment seminar entitled, "What Every Investor Should Know About Bonds," was hosted by Pan American University on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Business Administration Building 110.

John Martin of A. G. Edwards and Sons will conduct the two-hour seminar. There will be a nominal charge for the event, which will include a discussion on how bonds are bought and sold, different types of bonds for investors and investment annuities.

Reservations may be made by dialing 381-3366 in Edinburg.

## Pan Am Mentioned

Eight million families in the United States, Canada, Mexico and many other countries have been exposed to Pan American University through the monthly publication, Better Homes and Gardens, published in Des Moines, Iowa.

In the February travel section subtitled "Texas: The Endless Sands of Padre Island," on page 178, a paragraph reads: "Also on South Padre, be sure to visit the Pan American University Marine biology laboratory,

whose tanks display all sorts of exotic sea life (1 p.m. - 4:40 p.m. weekdays, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sundays; free)."

The article is a part of the travel section entitled "Great Springtime Vacations Along the Gulf of Mexico."

## Mu Epsilon

The local service-oriented organization, Mu Epsilon, is seeking new members, according to Rene Garza, president.

Garza said the organization, which began in 1973, has contributed over \$2,000 and offered help to the community in many ways.

Over the four year period of its existence, membership has risen to more than 100 members, he indicated.

Pan Am students interested in joining the service fraternity should contact Garza at 383-3066; Jesse Soto, at 383-4249; or Frank Garza at 383-5661, extension 78.

## International Club Meeting

The International Club of Pan Am will hold its first meeting of the spring semester today, according to Enrique Alvarez, vice president.

The meeting will begin at activity period in University Center 306.

## Dr. Raymond Welch

Dr. Raymond Welch, assistant professor of history, will speak at the Baptist Student Union luncheon on Feb. 23 between the time of 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Lunch will be provided by ladies of the local Baptist churches, according to one BSU spokesman, and all Pan Am students are invited.

## Dr. Flores

Dr. Roy Flores, associate professor of economics at Pan Am, has been notified of his appointment to the board of editors of the professional journal, "Scholar And Educator."

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## Bahai Club

The Bahai Club of Pan American University held an informal discussion Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the University Center.

The Supreme Gift of God to Mankind was the topic. It included selections from the Bahai's writings on the value, development and use of the intellect.

The next club meeting is scheduled for Feb. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in University Center 307.

The film strip, "A Voyage on the Orinoco and Ventuari Rivers of Venezuela" will be shown.

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**PAN AM ARTIST** - Adolfo Gustavo Martinez, a Pan Am junior and art major, paints murals. He has painted several murals in several Valley establishments.

His artistic images are described as surrealistic and often appear to be suspended in space, with eternity as the time element. (Pan Am photo by Lupe Vasquez)

## Pan Am Artist Is Mural Specialist

**Editor's Note:** This is the first in a series of articles dealing with active Valley artists enrolled and working in the Art Department at Pan American University. The series is presented by the PAU Art Club.

Among the covered walkways at Pan Am, walk students of many talents and abilities. One such student is Adolfo Gustavo Martinez, a PAU junior who is a well-known artist in the Edinburg and McAllen area.

The recipient of an art scholarship, Martinez came to the Valley in 1973 and began his college work at Pan Am in the spring of 19-

76. His specialty is mural painting.

Martinez has painted wall scenes in The Crooked Cue; The Study Hall; No Right Turn On Red; and Shortline Station.

Martinez said he prefers to paint scenes that relate to the surroundings - a western scene at Shortline Station and a game of billiards at The Crooked Cue.

One spokesman for the PAU Art Club describes Martinez's painting, drawing and printmaking as unique and fascinating. His work follows that of Escher and Salvador Dali and according

to the club spokesman, Lupe Vasquez, it could be classified as surrealistic, which means objects are drawn or painted in a real fashion but are given varied and often symbolic meanings.

Martinez said he is interested in experiments in perspective and the relationship between time and space as is often seen in his art images.

In addition, to mural painting, he has designed record album covers for a recording company and is presently working on an illustration for a book of poetry which is due to be published as well as two other murals.

## Retired Gentleman Tutors HEP Students

A retired man with several experiences in various fields is now tutoring voluntarily for Pan American's High School Equivalency Program, according to Clementine Cantu, HEP counselor.

Louis Richardson, once a high school drop-out himself, is now helping others continue their educations. He said he felt the doors were closed to him without his diploma, so he got his General Equivalency Degree 20 years after he dropped out of high school.

Richardson came to the Valley in November after travelling extensively through Mexico.

Working in a box factory, driving a truck, sell-

ing real estate in Oregon, being recorder-treasurer in an Oregon city, and working with missiles while in the U.S. Army, are among some of the jobs he held before retirement. He developed two rural water systems in Alabama, and has traveled through 49 of the 50 states and 10 other countries.

Now, he devotes about six hours a week helping some of the HEP students in any way he can, be it listening to someone read or helping them write.

"Maybe just being here is important," said Richardson. He indicated that he thought the presence of someone who cared might help students out.

## A Night At The Coffeehouse

### Coffeehouse Provides Talent Show

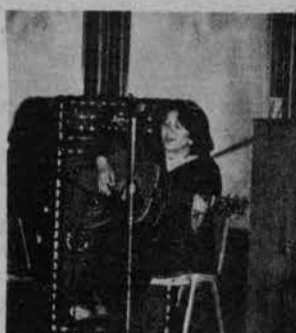
Various kinds of music, free coffee, soft drinks and donuts were only part of the University Center Program Council "Talent Show" Coffeehouse Feb. 8 at the ballroom.

A \$50 cash prize was awarded to music major Terry Ewing as winner of the talent contest, sponsored by UCPC. His music was versatile while his only instrument was a guitar.

Arnie Cavazos, master of ceremonies at the coffeehouse, explained second and third place prizes were combined and split between the two performers who tied.

Tying for second place were music major Mary Jane Anderson and Robert Mata. They were each awarded a \$25 cash prize. Anderson wrote two of the songs she presented to the spectators at the coffeehouse. Cavazos reported there were about 100 persons in the audience.

One contestant expressed her desires that UCPC keep having such activities as talent shows. She explained more participation is needed to help out the young musicians practice.



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# Pan Am Faces No. 7-Ranked Nevada At Las Vegas Friday

The Pan American University basketball Broncs, who played perhaps their best game of the season last Thursday but lost anyway, face a tough test tomorrow night when they play at nationally-ranked University of Nevada at Las Vegas.

The Broncs dropped a heartbreaker to New Mexico State University in Las Cruces in their only game of last week, 107-105. It was only the second time the Broncs have scored over a hundred points this season.

Pan Am took a 52-49 lead at the half despite being outrebounded, 27-19, and making less free throws, 11 to two. New Mexico State did commit more turnovers, chalking up nine compared to Pan American's three.

The Broncs were also outrebounded for the game, 52-34, and made fewer free throws, 17-27. The Broncs shot 25 free throws compared to the Aggies' 33.

The Aggies committed more turnovers for the game also, committing 22 to the Broncs' 12.

Pan Am got off to a shaky start, dropping back

quickly, 6-0, but scored the next eight points of the game to take the lead. Forward Billy Bolts scored the Broncs first six points with two shots from the left baseline and a 12-footer from the left side.

Bolts scored his first six baskets, all from long range. The junior had 14 game points before fouling out.

Pan Am was led by the 38-point performance of Michael (Byrd) Edwards, his highest output as a Bronc.

Besides Bolts and Edwards, Center Henry

Taylor had 26 total points. John Wilbanks and Randy Woods also added 14 and five points respectively.

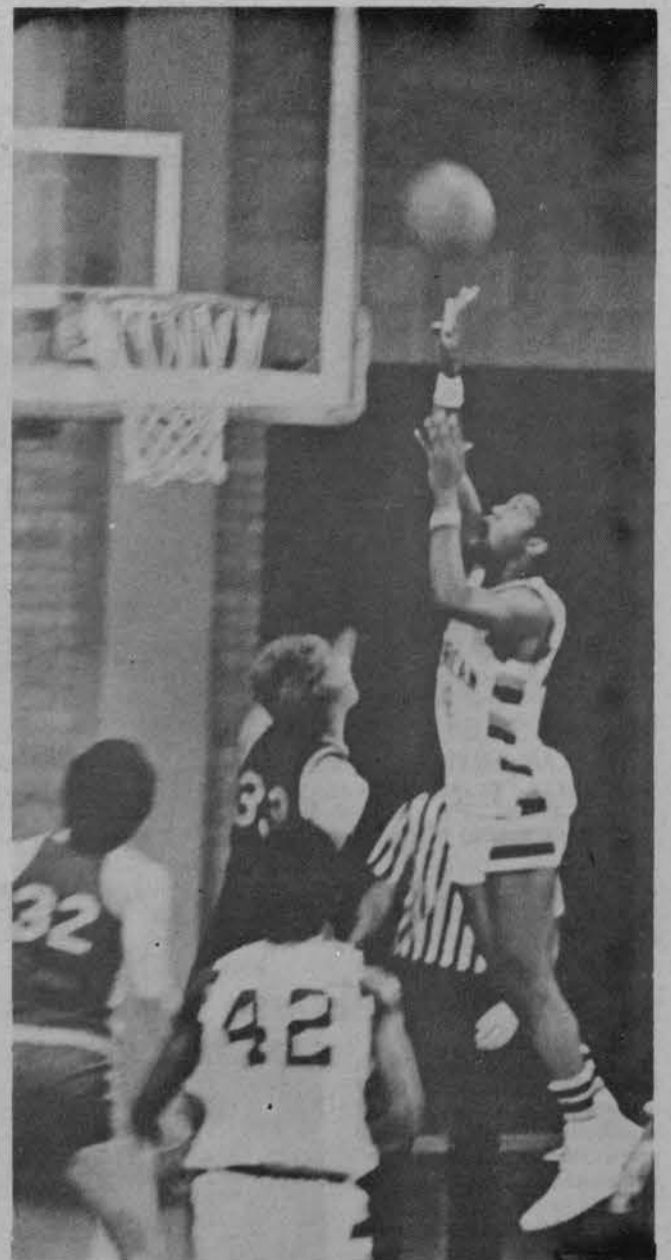
The lead changed hands several times in the first half but the Broncs managed to take a seven-point lead with just under three minutes left in the first stanza. They increased the lead from three at the end of the half to eight with 17 minutes to play when Edwards hit a 20-foot shot from the baseline.

Four players scored 20 points or more for the Ag-

gies. Dexter Hawkins, Notie Pate, Richard Robinson and Slab Jones scored 20, 22, 25 and 20 points to pace the Aggies.

The Broncs next face the Running Rebels of Las Vegas in what figures to be their toughest game of the year. UNLV is ranked seventh in this week's UPI board of coaches poll and stands at 20-2 for the year.

The Rebels' latest win came Saturday against third-ranked Louisville. Louisville, as a result, dropped down to two notches to number five.



**6-5 Postman Henry Taylor**

... Steady junior leads balanced Bronc team against seventh-ranked Running Rebels of Las Vegas tomorrow night



## Team Balance Reflected In Broncs Basketball Statistics

By looking at the statistics, it would seem the Pan American University basketball team would be fortunate

### Baseball

### Home Opener

### Washed Out

The Pan American baseball team found itself with a wet field and no opponent last Friday as their season opener was rained out.

The Broncs were scheduled to play a doubleheader against Hardin-Baylor, but the condition of the playing field brought about the cancellations.

The games have been rescheduled for Feb. 24-25 at Jody Ramsey Stadium, according to the PAU athletic department.

The baseball team will travel to Houston this week to take on two Southwest Conference opponents.

They face the University of Houston Feb. 19-20 in what has now become the lid-lifter, and are also scheduled to play Rice University on Feb. 21 before returning home.

to win half their basketball games.

After checking the records, however, the basketball team stands 14-6 at the present time.

Team balance and team hustle have kept the Broncs winning, along with the fact that all five starters are scoring in double figures.

Michael (Byrd) Edwards upped his average a full point to 19.2 by flipping in 38 points during Pan Am's tough 107-105 loss to New Mexico State. Henry Taylor moved up to 18.5 points and 11.0 rebounds per game. Randy Woods is scoring at 15.2, Billy Bolts 13.6 and John Wilbanks 10.1.

Pan Am's team defense is reflected in one statistic-steals. The Broncs have stolen the basketball 211 times

to their opponents' 94. This offsets the fact PAU is being out rebounded and has barely outshot its 20 opponents.

The Broncs face the prototype part of their schedule this coming weekend. They play three games in three states within four days.

First, they face nationally ranked Nevada-Las Vegas (19-2) in Las Vegas on Friday night. Then they fly to the University of Denver on Saturday night, and move on to Wisconsin Sunday to play Monday night at the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee.

The Broncs play their last pair of games of the season Feb. 26 and 28 against Hardin-Simmons and the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee respectively.

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## For Second Tennis Shutout Win

# Bronc Netters Rip Aggies, 9-0

By Juan Castillo

Playing in a brisk, gusty weather, the Pan American University tennis team blitzed Texas A & M, 9-0, in dual match play last Saturday.

The Broncs, coached by A. G. Longoria, next face another Southwest Conference opponent in Rice University this Saturday here at Pan Am.

The 14th-ranked Broncs were led by the play of No. 1 singles player and captain Ricardo Eynaudi, who defeated Tom Courson, 6-2, 7-5. Teammate Rob Hubbard won his No. 2 singles match against Mark Silberman, 7-6, 6-0 and Robert Bettauer posted a No. 3 singles win over A & M's Mike Moss, 6-1, 6-2.

Freshman John Picken remained the Broncs only

undefeated player as he defeated John Kirwan in straight sets, 6-1, 6-2. Picken also teamed up with Sean Sorensen to defeat the team of Silberman and David Moore, 7-6, 5-7, 6-2, in Number one doubles play.

Brian Liberman scored a three-set victory in number five singles over Robin Baker, 6-2, 6-7 and 7-5. Sorensen completed Pan Am's singles streak with a 6-2, 6-3 victory over David Moore in number six singles.

Hubbard-Eynaudi and Liberman-Bettauer also scored straight-set doubles victories for Pan Am to seal the shutout. Hubbard and Eynaudi defeated Courson and Kirwin, 7-6, 6-1, and Liberman and Bettauer won over Moss and Baker, 7-5, 6-1.

"I was impressed and very delighted with our win," said tennis coach Longoria. "If we'd beaten them 7-2, I'd have been very happy with that."

Longoria anticipated moving up a notch or two in the national rankings, which should be released later this week. Pan Am stands 2-1 in dual match play, winning 9-0 against Southwest Texas University and Texas A & M Saturday.

Pan Am's only loss has been at the hands of the University of Texas at Austin, 5-4. The Longhorns are ranked eighth in the nation in the early pre-season poll.

Besides being pleased with his 9-0 over the Aggies, Longoria was also pleased with the play of several of the Bronc netters in particular. "John Picken is playing very well and Rob Bettauer is undefeated as

is Rob Hubbard in singles play. They're also playing very well," said Longoria.

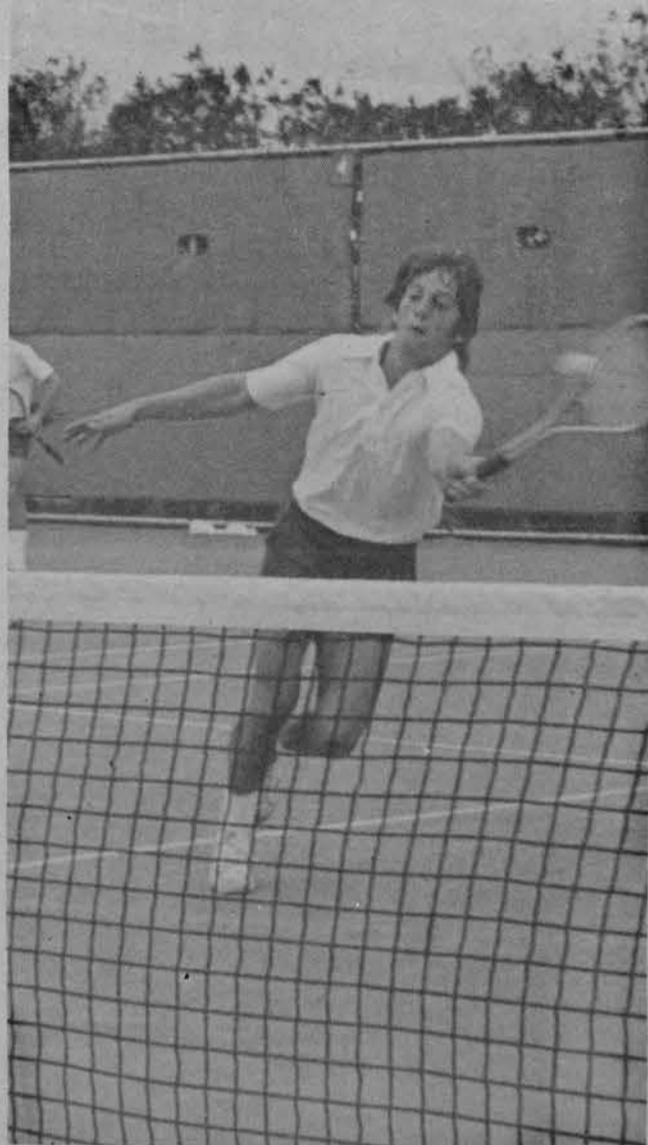
"Ricardo (Eynaudi) played excellent in his match and I was very proud of him," he added.

Longoria expects a "tough" match from Rice on Saturday. "Rice will be pretty tough but we'll probably be favored," he said.

The Owls made honorable mention in this year's early pre-season rankings. Pan Am played Rice three times last year, taking two out of three.

Longoria said Hubbard would probably play No. 1 singles against the Owls instead of Eynaudi. Hubbard played No. 1 singles against Texas.

Longoria also anticipated moving the doubles team of Hubbard and Eynaudi to No. 1 in place of Picken Sorensen.



**RUSHING THE NET** - PAU Tennis player Brian Liberman stretches for a return in his match against Texas A&M team member, Robin Baker. Liberman defeated Baker, 6-2, 6-7, 7-5, as the PAU tennis team shut out A&M, 9-0.



**Bronc Freshman John Picken**

serves against A&M opponent John Kirwan during Saturday's dual match at Pan American.

## Roadrunners Stress Fun Not Competition

The Rio Grande Roadrunners will participate in runs of two, six and 16 miles Feb. 19 at the Pan American University gym as part of their first half 1977 "fun run" schedule.

The Road Runners was organized in 1973 as a non-affiliated, non-profit group dedicated to the promotion of running for physical fitness, fellowship and fun for all ages and both sexes. Membership is not required to participate in events.

After Saturday's events, the Roadrunners will participate in other runs on Feb. 27 at Bentsen State Park and March 5 again at the PAU gym. A \$1 entry fee is required for some runs including the Feb. 27 event.

According to Bob Reeve, a spokesman for the group, the Road Runners is for everyone - youngsters, oldsters, high-schoolers, middle-agers, men and women of all ages and both sexes.

"The most important and attractive things about walking, jogging or running are they are cheap, easy and simple. They require very little equipment, can be done alone or with others and they can be lots of fun," he said.

The Runners emphasize personal achievement, encouraging members in self-development rather than competition. Accordingly, activities are oriented primarily toward awards based on participation rather than performance.

The group strives to help each individual find the fitness program and activities he or she enjoys. "Each individual, being different of course, will want to do his or her own 'thing.' Some walk, others jog and run," said Reeve.

Pan American students are encouraged by Reeve to join the organization. Reeve can be contacted at 381-3418 for more information.

## Intramural Volleyball

Alpha Phi Omega and CAMP captured the men's and women's intramural volleyball championships last week with straight-set victories.

CAMP defeated Semper No. 1, 15-3, 15-4, and APO beat Schmoofs, 15-12, 15-7, to wrap up the intramural volleyball season. Co-recreational volleyball got underway yesterday with a slate of eight games.

Besides the championships and consolation-winners, HEP and APO took third and fourth respectively in women's action and CAMP and Semper No. 1 placed a final third and fourth in men's action.

Results of last night's co-recreational games were unavailable as of press date.

Entry deadline for entering intramural softball is Feb. 17. Entry forms must be secured and returned to the intramural office by noon that day.

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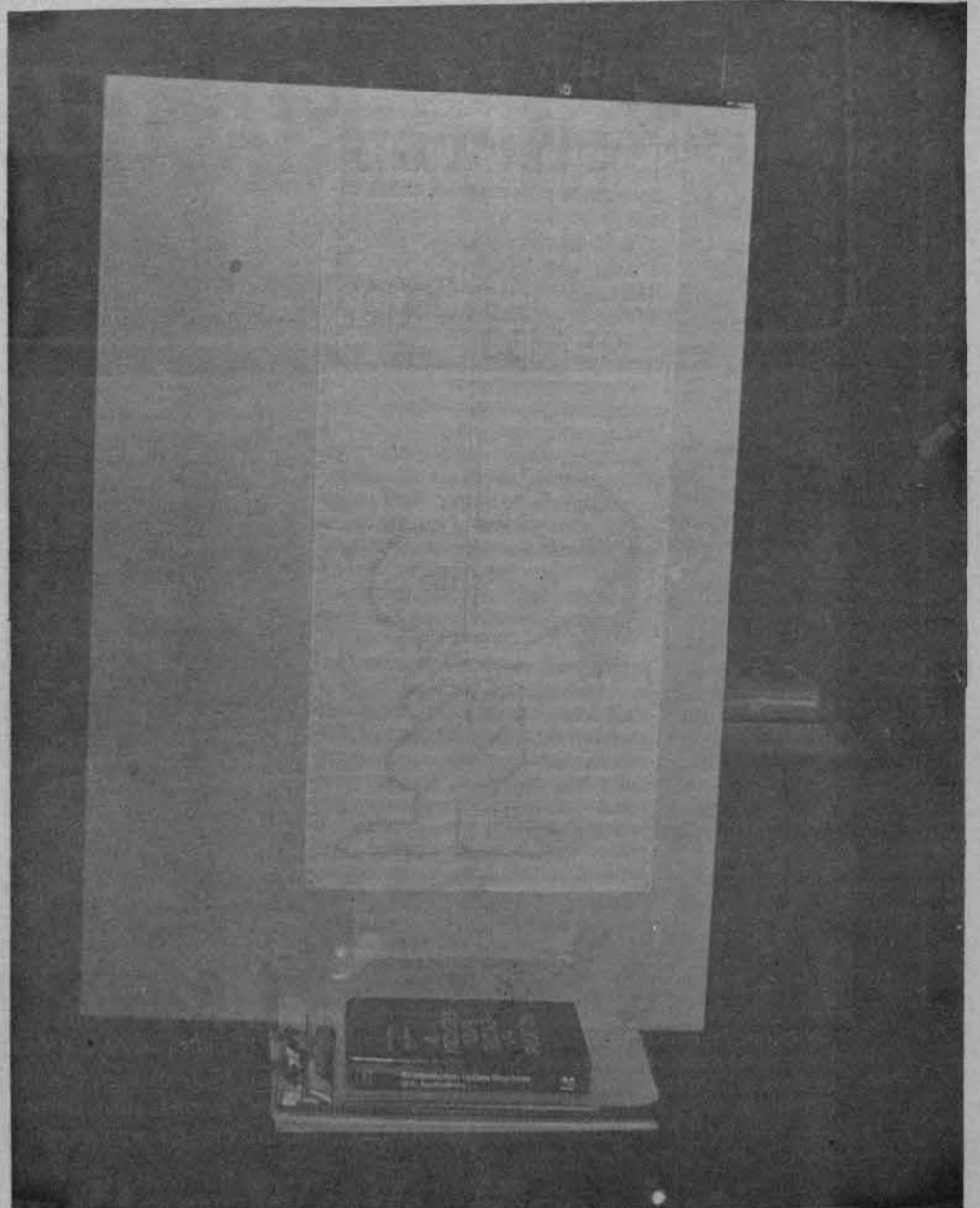
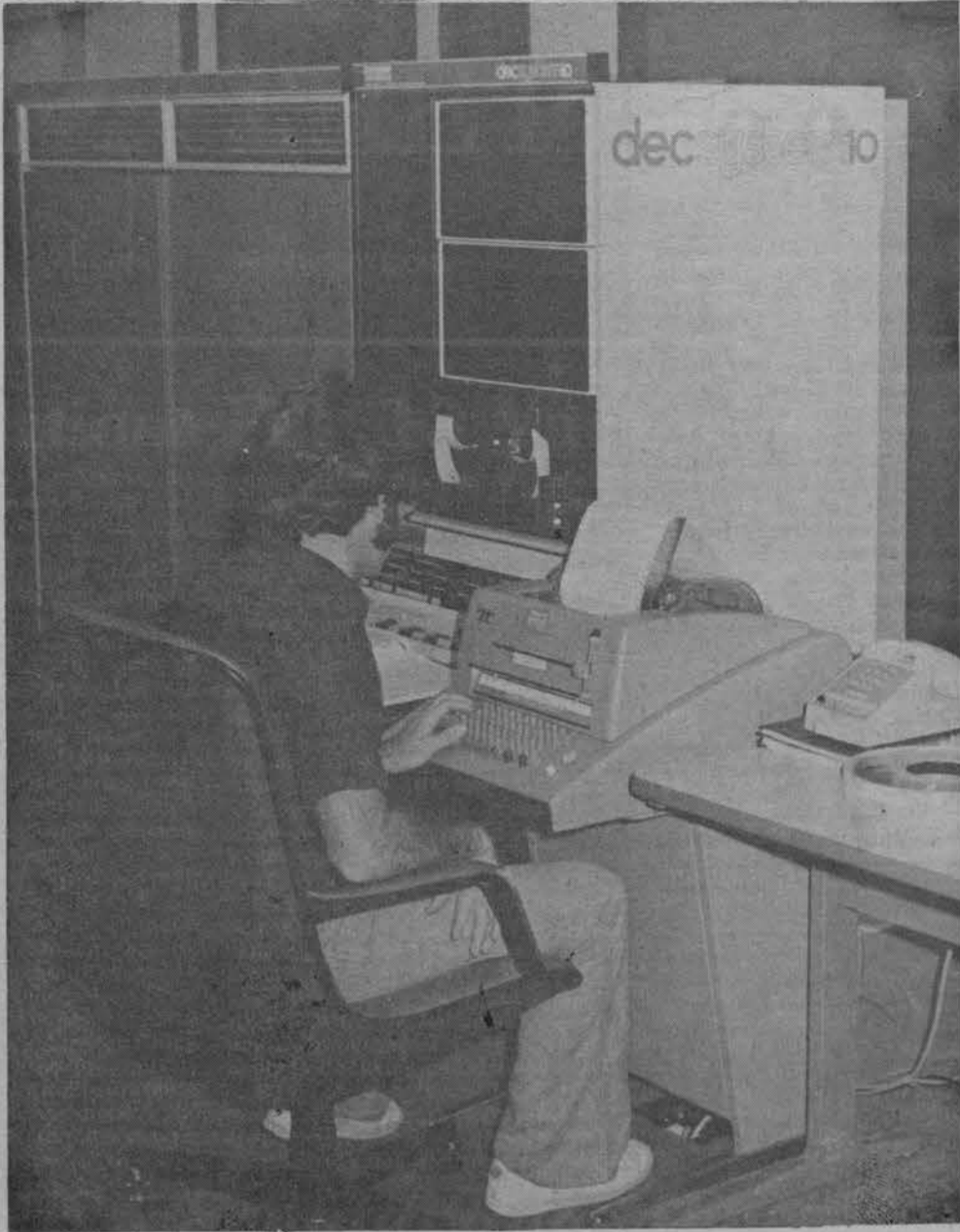
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## Pan Am Computer Performs Variety Of Duties

By Margo Hicks  
PAU Information Office

Computer aided instruction, registration of students and financial aid business are all a part of the duties of the largest computer of its type in South Texas, located at Pan American University.

The DEC System-1040 computer was acquired by the university in August 1973 and a computer network consisting of 32 remote terminals has been installed on through a typewriter-like

the campus. These terminals react with the computer keyboard and TV screen.

One of the newest functions of the computer is registration of students attending classes at the university. On a trial basis, graduate students were registered by the computer for the 1976 fall semester.

Termed a success by university administrators, full computer registration was attempted for the student body during spring 1977 registration. According to Helen Snider, registrar, at

PAU, administrators will meet soon to determine the success of the full-scale operation.

In 1973, when the computer was acquired, nine courses were offered through the Business Department concerning the computer. Today there are 14. A computer center spokesperson said that some math, physics, chemistry, biology and economics courses soon will require that students take some sort of computer course.

A pilot program using the computer was started in

the fall semester. According to Bud Frankenberger, director of special services for the disadvantaged, the computer was used to determine how well it could teach basic concepts of beginning math and English courses. There were 120 students participating in the fall and there are presently 120 students taking part in the spring semester program.

The program is designed for each student to work directly with the computer as quickly or as slowly as he wants. The computer is capable of working with three students at once, while also giving each student individual attention in the concept of a subject, drills him on the concept and then gives a quiz.

The student is able to see immediately whether his responses were right or wrong. If correct, the computer

takes the student on to the next lesson. If the student responds incorrectly, the computer will go back to the concepts, drills and quizzes before moving on to something new.

Frankenberger said the pilot program should give administrators answers to questions about computer aided instruction before a full-scale project is adopted.

Another department of the university using the computer is financial aid. Raul de la Garza, associate director of that office, said the computer is used from the very beginning, when a student's need is determined, all the way through the process until a recipient's check is printed.

The library is another division using the computer. It utilizes the computer for the circulation system to

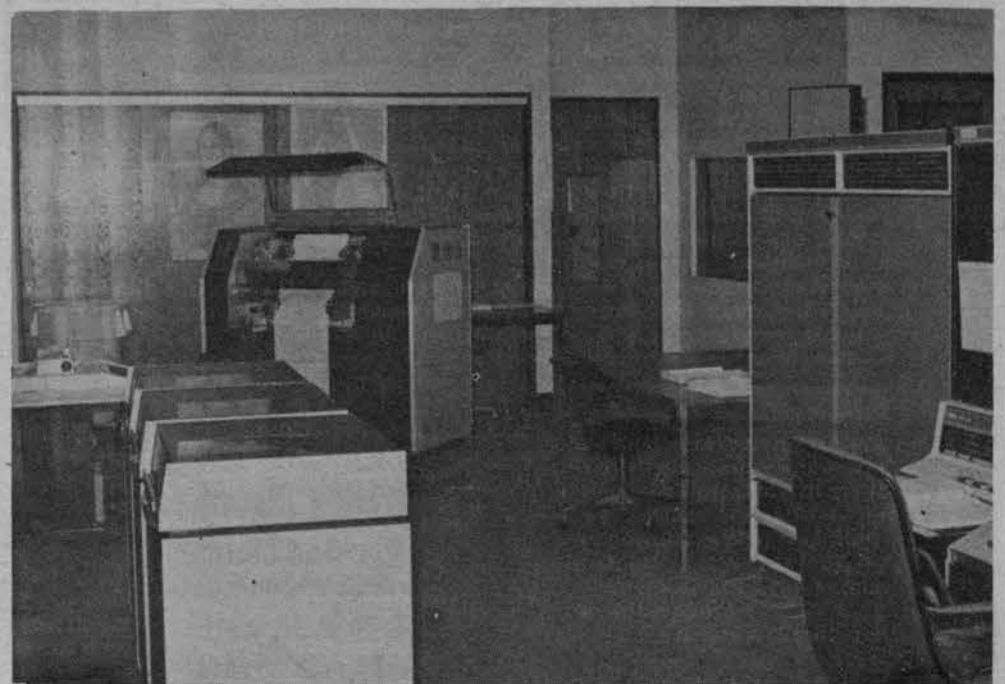
record and control the circulation of books; in its serials system to record the holdings, location and media of periodicals; and in the acquisitions system to assist the process of acquiring new library holdings.

The computer operates 24 hours per day, seven days a week, except during scheduled maintenance periods. Although the computer room is not always open, the computer is available to those who have access to one of the remote terminals at all times.

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## Lettermen's Day Festivities Begin At Noon Saturday

Pan American University's golden anniversary activities will officially begin Saturday with the Lettermen's Day.

Robert de la Garza, anniversary committee member, said approximately 300 invitations were sent to former athletes, coaches, managers and cheerleaders.

Registration will be Feb. 25 and activities will begin at noon Feb. 26 with a golf tournament at Monte Cristo Country Club. The Edinburg Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a border buttermilk party there from 2-4 p.m. for non-golfers.

A barbecue for all lettermen will start at 4:30 p.m. at Monte Cristo, with the Pan Am/Hardin-Simmons basketball game highlighting the activities at 8 p.m.

Dr. Marian Monta, head of the university's Communications Department, and Dean Canty, head of the Music Department, told of their investigations into presenting a musical in honor of the school's 50 years. Although nothing definite was decided, Dr. Monta and Canty found a musical written in 1927, the same year Pan Am was founded, entitled "Good News."

The anniversary committee also agreed to help the International Media Conference, scheduled for Nov. 16-18, bring a well-known journalist to the meeting as a speaker and award recipient. Dr. Bruce Underwood, associate professor in the Communications Department and head of the IMC, will locate an appropriate speaker.

Bronco Days, scheduled for October, will carry an anniversary theme, as will a sorority and fraternity song fest and Pan American Days, Dr. Martha Cruz, associate dean of students at Pan Am, reported.

The anniversary committee discussed the possibility of the 1977 graduates being recognized during graduation ceremonies as 50th anniversary graduates, with their degrees showing some sort of recognition.

Also suggested was the possibility of obtaining and displaying photographs of the past and present Pan American University presidents, possibly in the new Learning Resource Center when it opens during the fall semester of 1977.

Plans for the Lettermen's Banquet were finalized at a

February meeting of the anniversary committee, headed by L. A. Youngman, director of the Cooperative Education Program. Youngman reported that a banquet for alumni from the School of Business Administration has been scheduled for April 16, in conjunction with the anniversary. Speaker for the group will be C. L. Brown, vice president and director of auditing for the J. C. Penny Company in New York City.

## Riding Exhibition Set For Activity Period

A horse riding exhibition sponsored by the University Center Program Committee will be held today at the Science Building parking lot during the activity period, according to UCPC Chairman of Concerts, Jim Lambert.

The exhibitions will feature English riding methods, primarily in the discipline of equitation requiring a rider to control his mount with the least visible effort.

Lambert said that the horses will exhibit their ability to walk, trot, canter, volte, halt and back quietly and obediently.

Another event will be the exhibition of the jump-

Other plans for celebration of the anniversary include a time capsule for placement in the new LRC, an alumni day at a Bronco baseball game, special gifts for some of those participating in the anniversary, souvenir items available in the University Book Store and an anniversary theme carried out in the campus yearbook, El Bronco and the student newspaper, The Pan American. The anniversary issue of The Pan American will be published March 3.

ing horse which is suitable for galloping cross-country in a game of catching the red fox with the help of hounds.

"A jumper," said Lambert, "is any breed, color or size of horse." "Also," he continued, "it must be able to jump heights of up to six feet with spreads up to five feet."

UCPC is sponsoring the exhibition for horse enthusiasts who are interested in classical riding, "but," said Lambert, "it takes many years to gain the experience necessary to be an olympic rider."



ENGLISH RIDING METHODS -- UCPC is sponsoring a riding exhibition today at the Science Building parking lot during activity period.



H.M.S. PINAFORE COMING -- "I'm Called Little Buttercup, Sweet Little Buttercup" sings Mary Garza (C) to sailors of the H.M.S. Pinafore (l to r) Mayo Caceres, Larry Oubre, and Bruce Stroud in a scene from H.M.S. Pinafore to be seen in the Fine Arts Auditorium Mar. 10-12. Students, faculty and staff are free for this exciting musical production!

## Pan Am Profits \$1,800 From Company Movie

The January filming of a company movie by the Phillips Petroleum Company has brought good things to Pan American University.

Two representatives of the petroleum company - Bob Lewis of Houston, Phillips district marketing manager, and Glen Shelton of Corpus Christi - presented checks totalling \$1,800 to the university during a brief ceremony. Shelton is an area marketing representative for Phillips.

A large portion of the money was earmarked for unrestricted funds while \$600 was designated for use as a mass communications scholarship for journalism students.

A photography team headed by Gene Hill of the Bartlesville office of Phillips, was in the Rio Grande Valley in January to film scenes at Pan Am, Dean Porter park in Brownsville and Padre Island.

The information office at the university assisted with the university segment, which in brief, portrayed a graduation scene with the spotlight on a female graduate and her family. All parts in the graduation scene were played by faculty members, students and several off-campus actors.

Eventually, the scenes will become part of several Phillips video programs and booklets designed to provide some 30,000 employees with information on the com-

pany's benefits package, Hill said.

Receiving the money in behalf of the university were Dr. Ralph Schilling, university president, and Dr. Bruce Underwood, associate professor of communications.

## PAUSA, UCPC Need To Fill 11 Vacancies

Six senate and five committee positions are still vacant, according to Pan American University Student Association president, Patty Navarro.

The Graduate School, School of Social Sciences and the Division of Allied Health each have one senate vacancy and the School of Business has three.

In Addition, several positions are open for committee memberships. They are: two positions on the Committee on Student Organizations, two on the Speakers Co-ordinating Committee and one representative to the University Center Program Council executive meetings.

President Navarro said recently, "The vacancies occurred last fall and have not been filled. They have to be filled and any persons desiring to participate in student government should contact me."

Dr. Schilling had a part in the movie - portraying himself as president of the university and presenting diplomas to the actor-graduates. In all, some 40 Pan Am students and faculty members took part in the production.

She also said that application forms can be picked up at the student government office University Center 314.

Only full-time students, not on disciplinary or scholastic probation, having a 2.0 grade point average are qualified to apply.

The deadline for both senate and committee applications is Friday.

## Spring Break Set For March 14-18

The spring break has been set for March 14-18, according to Martha Sheives, executive secretary to the university president.

The university calendar which originally appeared in the 1975 university catalog had published the date as being March 21-26.

The change is the only one made to date.

# ★★★ COLLEGIATE FORUM ★★★

## Bake Your Bra Women

A reply to the "Drama Department" letter to Lloyd Garza Ray:

We were shocked and appalled when we saw the letter from the so-called Drama Department in the last issue. Just who are these people anyhow? We have never heard of most of them and those we do know are mostly flunkies and hangers-on who don't know a fram-mis from a gargantuan. Some have had very minor roles in past unimportant productions. As for this Kitty Bodenhamer (or whatever she calls herself-it sounds like an alias to us), she is not even a drama major. If we could get a word in edgewise perhaps we could discover what she thinks she is doing here.

But worse than the letter is yet to come. Now these reactionary elements are threatening to give lectures at activity period to such young women as wish to abdicate their personhood and become the object slaves of cookie-maddened vermin.

Friends we scorn to call ourselves "real men and women." Nay, fellow students, we are real people and we hope you are, too. At this critical moment in our history we must fight for liberty for all. Will you stand by and see Pan Am corrupted without a heartfelt cry of horror and protest? Will you allow our women students, your friends, nay, sisters, to drained of their life blood by the pandering parasites of a perverted populace? No, no! A thousand times, No!

But there is hope. We of PALL (Pan American Lectural Libbers) have added a new weapon to the arsenal of feminism. A certain garment has too long been associated with female suppression.

In the interest of delicacy we will use the French term: brassiere. Mr Ray would have women baking cookies, but we have a better use to which you may put your oven. Take that bra, and bake it! Freedom now! Up

against the wall, Maiden-form!

Bra-baking is the wave of the future. By such truly noble acts of "civil disobedience" (as Dr. Polinard so aptly calls it), we may attain yesterday's bright promise and search for tomorrow, one day at a time.

We will close with a word of warning. As Shakespeare put it "Caesar had his Brutus; Charles I, his Cromwell . . ." and Kitty Bodenhamer, Debbie Thomas, Jim Wilson, Kent Smither, Neo Canales and Jocelyn Shirah "may profit by their example." They warned in their letter of the dangerous schisms caused by feminism. Let them beware lest they cause a worse schism closer to home - a schism in the Drama Department!

Yours in the bonds of sisterhood,  
 Connie Valentine,  
 Paul Tessmer,  
 Debbie Thomas,  
 John Donohue,  
 Chris Herrera

## Machines Or Animals

To the Editor:

To the Drama Department and Mr. Lloyd Ray.

Since I know most of you personally, I feel that both of your letters could be nothing more than a great put-on or joke. Unfortunately both were done in poor taste and with no class concerning a very serious issue.

But, if both letters were written with serious intent, here is my reply to you. In the past I had thought the Drama Department at PAU reflected a great deal of class because of everyone's ability to stage and present drama. Your remarks concerning Mr. Ray's letter last week (Feb. 17) showed that there is no correlation between class and understanding. I would hope your letter was done in jest, but if you were serious one wonders because drama is made up of both males and females. Where are the lines of equality drawn? Women set up

the lights, make props and men make costumes and put on make-up better than women.

If the Drama Department has the real men and women, then we are in bad trouble, because life is not spent on the stage pretendings to be someone else and ego tripping.

Mr. Ray, there is no correlation between the level of intelligence and cookie-making. Even a moron can achieve this after appropriate training. Life does not guarantee a lady can remain in the kitchen making cookies, being totally oblivious to the things around her.

What if the stud dies, what does the lady do-sit and twiddle her thumbs or go on welfare to take more tax dollars, that you have to have to help pay if you work and pay taxes? If a cookie-maker is the ultimate woman, why do men fool around and choose the lady who has some thing to say and is bright, aware and vital?

My question to everyone who considers themselves educated, thinking human beings-why reduce the potential of both men and women by stereotyping them as cookie-makers and studs. This implies they are either mindless machines or animals. Think about it.

Sincerely,  
 Janis L. Fuller  
 Senior 1977

## Misinterpretations

To the Editor:

The main thrust of my letter printed in the Feb. 10 issue of The Pan American dealt primarily with governmental interference in our lives and the social mores of conservative Valleyites. However, misinterpretations by some students reveal total non-comprehension.

Unfortunately, as women often do, the replies were written without thought or intellect-no specific reasons why I am wrong were offered.

There are some misconceptions which I must clarify.

Sandra Leal believes men and women ought to lift weights together and that women should become interested in athletics. I agree, but they should compete among themselves.

As far as getting into the kitchen, as Leal suggested, I do. I can cook and I do it very well. Among my culinary repertoire, are such dishes as cog au vin, chicken Kiev, stuffed pork chops au gratin, boef a la forestiere, various Mexican dishes and I can make corn tortillas.

Penny McCormick believes Texas divorce laws are equitable, but I encourage her to search out the truth and investigate actual cases. Theoretically, community property is divided equally, but unfortunately judges of the old school keep giving women more edge in divorce arrangements. Divorced women wind up with most of the property and in many instances, they receive one-half of the man's social security and retirement benefits.

And my mother did spend and still does spend hours in the kitchen. But most of her time was spent raising two sons in Rio Grande City after her divorce in 1952. She also worked as a teacher in Starr County at the height of the country's political harrassment and economic reprisals. She was a victim of these reprisals and was forced to commute and teach in La Joya. In 1960 she remarried and raised two step-sons, besides her own two sons.

Finally to Idelma Saenz I say. . . I am not afraid that my ego or superiority might be deflated because women are not equals. The law and male society treat women in a manner which makes them superior. They get away with almost anything by shedding a few tears or showing off physical attributes.

In weight-training classes, males are discriminated against because they must lift heavier weights in proportion to body weight and

they must run greater distances than the females. Is this equality?

Evidently the differences are noted by the physical education curricula directors

because women are not required to live up to men's weight training criteria.

Sincerely,  
 Lloyd Garza Ray

## Government By Students

How much influence can a university's student body and its representatives have on its administration and board of regents?

Three weeks ago the Pan American University Student Association held elections in an attempt to fill 18 vacancies in the Student Senate. Final enrollment figures for the 1977 spring semester indicate 8,100 students enrolled for classes at the PAU-Edinburg. Final election figures show 245 votes were cast on Feb. 8-9 by Pan Am students in the senate elections.

Who is to blame for so small a participation? PAUSA officers and student senators say the fault lies with apathy, a word that is about as abundant as are buildings at Pan Am, say alumni.

Apathy, according to Webster, is the indifference to what appeals to feelings or interest. One philosophy says a government is only

as effective as the people want it to be, likewise, a student government at a university institution can only be as effective as the students make it - or can it?

How much influence can a student government that was supported by 3 per cent of the PAU student body in recent senate elections have in dealing with the administration on issues that concern the benefit of the students and the university?

The Pan American welcomes viewpoints, but stipulates that all entries be limited to 300 words, signed by the author, typed and double-spaced.

All copy is due Friday at 4 p.m. the Friday before publication. It should be turned in at Emilia Hall 100. Mailed entires should be addressed Collegiate Forum, c/o: The Pan American, Pan American University, Emilia Hall 100, Edinburg, Tx. 78539.

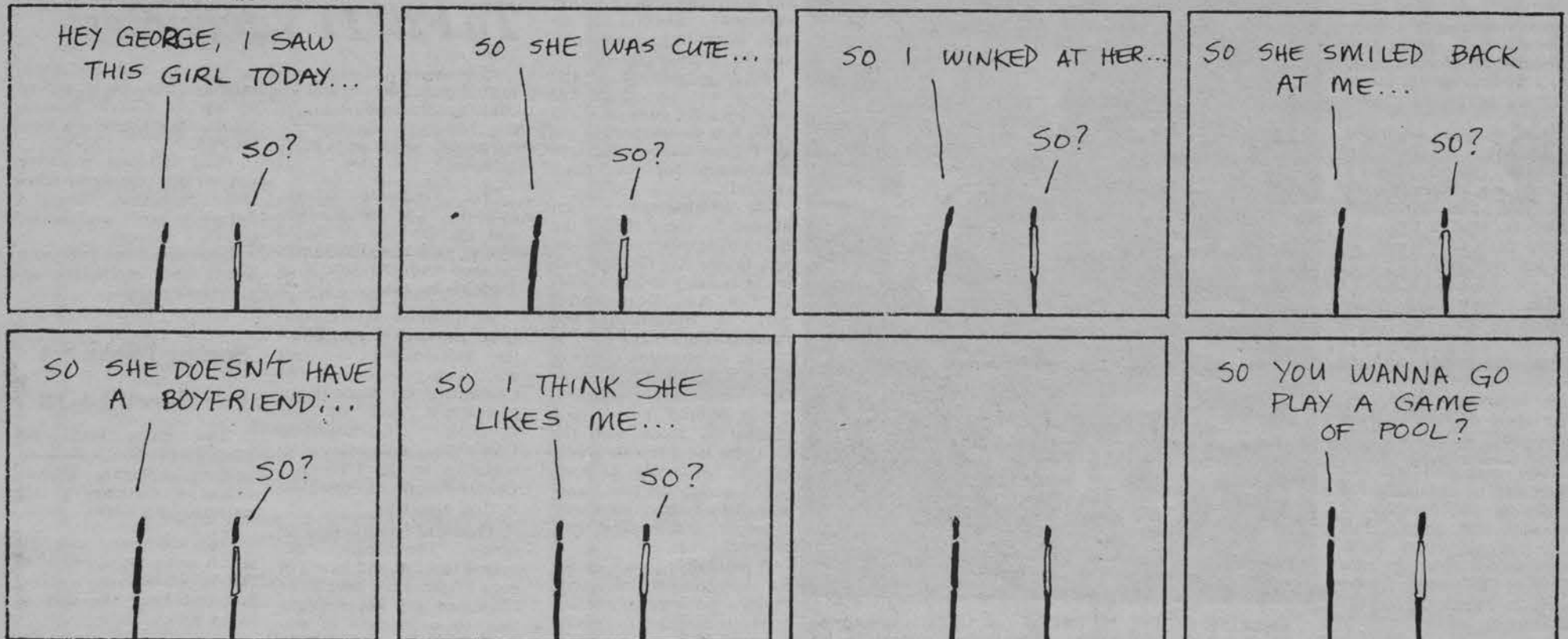
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## LIZCANO



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# News And Views From Other U's

By Lloyd Garza Ray

## AWARDS TO A&I JOCKS...

Head football coach Gil Steinke and Livia Diaz are winners of the first annual Male and Female Coaches of the Year Award given by The South Texan, the student newspaper.

Steinke has coached at his alma mater for 23 years, helping his teams notch a 182-64-4 record.

He began his football career when he donned A&I's blue and gold colors in 1938.

Diaz has been with the university women's athletic department for six years and has helped guide a viable physical education program. She believes female athletics "are more competitive today."

## A NEW FEDERICO FELLINI???

"Jesus Christ Superstar" has been a tremendous stage success at A&I after long months of rehearsal.

Director Luis Munoz of Roma said "We've been working steadily since early October; any less time would have resulted in a slipshod spectacle.

The production was not slipshod; the long lines proved it.

## GOOD FIGURES AT EAST TEXAS U...

The East Texas State University student newspaper reports a record enrollment of 9,770 for the 1977 spring semester.

An editorial by the student newspaper, The East Texan, published on Jan. 19 declared the newspaper would continue to express students' desires and demands; they have met resistance from the university's administration.

## BARLEY AND HOPES...

Regents at Denton's North Texas State University passed a resolution recently calling for the sale of beer and wine on campus, setting a one-year probation period.

Conservative elements opposed the alcoholic sales, but seven of the nine regents thought that if campus beer sales are "good enough for the University of Texas, it's good enough for NTSU."

## By Line

# Presentation Of Bills

By PATTY O. NAVARRO  
PAUSA President

In recent years, members of the Texas Student Association have pushed extensively for bills directly affecting students in higher education.

In order for student leaders and TSA to be effective, we must have your support and coordinate our efforts. We encourage all students to write their representatives and senator in Austin giving them your direct input. Listed below are bills now before the Texas Legislature:

1.) S. B. 131 - Representative Doggett  
This bill calls for the appointment of one student representative and one faculty representative by the Governor of Texas. These appointees shall serve out six year staggered terms. The provisions in this bill are effective for appointments made in 1979 and thereafter to the UT system Board of Regents. If not amended, this legislation applicable only to those institutions within the UT system.

2.) H. B. 391 - Representative Garcia of Bexar  
This bill provides for a student and a faculty member with one alternate each to serve a one year term as ex-officio non-voting members on the governing boards of each state supported institution of higher learning. Both representatives would be elected by their peers for the campus they will represent. (TSA will go on record as supporting this bill)

3.) H. B. - Representative Sarah Weddington  
This bill defines "student service fees." This legislation calls for the establishment of a student service fees advisory committee in each institution of higher education. The committee which will be made up of a majority of students, will decide whether or not student service fees shall be allocated in a certain area. The students serving on this committee must be appointed by the student government.

4.) H. B. - Sarah Weddington  
This bill relates to the computation of the official grade point average of a student enrolled in a state-supported institution of higher education. The student's official grade point average will be computed so that if a course is repeated, the failing grade will not be recorded.

5.) H. B. 102 - Mickey Leland; SB 307 - Truan  
This legislation relates to the establishment of programs of recruitment and support services for educationally disadvantaged students in public institutions of higher education. In order to finance the program, the governing board may either use general funds or collect a special fee from each enrolled student. If a fee is charged, it may be either voluntary or compulsory as determined by the Board. However, no new compulsory fee will be administered to the student.

6.) H. B. 110 - Hall of Harris  
This bill is relating to the voting residence of students. Simply states that a student may claim his residence to be where his home was before he became a student or to be where he is living while attending school.

# JOB INTERVIEWS

All interviews will be held at the Placement Office in the University Center. For further information contact Romulo Martinez at 381-2473.

DATE	COMPANY AND AGENCY	Majors
Feb. 24	Prudential Insurance	All Majors
Feb. 24	Dept. of Agriculture	All Majors
Feb. 25	Edgewood I.S.D.	All Majors
Feb. 25	Dressar Industries	All Majors
March 1	Mary Knoll Fathers	All Majors
March 2	Mary Knoll Fathers	All Majors
March 2	U.S. Dept. of Justice (FBI)	All Majors

## Library Hours

The Pan American University Library is open to serve students during the following hours:

Monday	7:45 a.m.-10:30 p.m.
Tuesday	7:45 a.m.-10:30 p.m.
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Thursday	7:45 a.m.-10:30 p.m.
Friday	7:45 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Sunday	2:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

# Senate Activities Meeting Today

By Sam Saldivar  
PAUSA Vice President

The next PAUSA Student Senate meeting has been scheduled for today at University Center 320 promptly at 5:30 p.m.

- Some of the items on the agenda will include:
- Resolutions up for a possible vote are:
    - Student Senate Resolution Calling for a Public Relations Program Hereto Referred to as Rotary Student of the Month submitted by Judy Flores, Nelda Rodriguez and Sylvia Lozano.
    - Student Senate Resolution Calling for PAUSA to obtain Typewriters for the PAU Library submitted by Edna Ornelas, School of Social Science.
  - Student Senate committee appointments to update and reorganize the present committees by Sam Saldivar, Jr., PAUSA Vice-President.
  - State of the campus message by Patty O. Navarro, PAUSA President. The address is to present a review of those programs and proposals that have determined PAUSA's position on campus issues.
  - Update and review of Student Senate committee actions undertaken throughout this student administration.
- These are some of the issues that are scheduled before the PAUSA Student Senate, where we hope through our efforts we are achieving a more progressive and responsive student representation.
- Student Senate meetings are open to everybody. Do not hesitate to come by the Student Association office at University Center 314 if you have any questions or suggestions.

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## "Cabaret" Cast Selected

The cast for John Van Druten's musical drama, "Cabaret," which is set to be produced in April, has been selected, according to Marie Yvonne, director of the Poor People's Theatre.

The production is being jointly sponsored by the University Center Program Council and the newly organized Journeyman Players at Pan Am.

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# UCPC Schedules 'SEX MADNESS'

By Johnny de la Vina

The age old problem that has plagued mankind since the beginning of time is brought to light in UCPC's next film presentation Sex Madness, featuring the original Minsky's Girls of Burlesque fame. This now hilarious 1939 film, in the tradition of "Reefer Madness," was done as a serious piece of work to scare small town audiences.

The story revolves around a sweet innocent young girl, Millicent, who leaves her country home and goes to the skyscraper wilderness called New York. The "pleasures and opportunities" of New York give Millicent and her friends virtually every social disease on record.

Along with "Sex Madness," a short featurette will be presented. "Love Letter To Edy" is a film made by John Waters who is the

director of the now infamous "Pink Flamingoes" and other ventures into the world of reversed morals such as "Mondo Trasho," "The Diane Linkletter Story," and "Female Trouble." "Love Letter To Edy," stars Edy "the egg lady" from Pink Flamingoes and deals with the life of a very burned

out old woman.

The films will be run Sunday Feb. 27, from 7-9 p. m. in Science Building Auditorium II. Admission is 75 cents for students with ID and \$1 for non-students.

If you liked "Reefer Madness" you'll like "Sex Madness." Remember, you can get it too!

## 'El Bronco' Off To Publisher

The "Golden Anniversary edition" of the El Bronco is off to the printer.

The 288-page book, 32 pages fewer than the 1976 edition, is structured around the 50th anniversary of Pan American University.

The "old" and "new" are represented in photographs and copy in the opening section. That section also has a greater number of color pictures than last year's book.

Instead of a chronological order, the book has been divided into sections. Group pictures of student organization section is more extensive than usual, with more organizations covered.

Students will be able to receive an annual without charge if they have taken at least nine semester hours in either the fall or spring semesters. Notification of the arrival of the yearbook will be made in The Pan American.



**THE FIRST ROTARY COLLEGE STUDENTS** - Lucas Hinojosa, chairman of the Rotary College Student of the month for the Edinburg Rotary Club and Director of CAMP at PAU, is seen presenting certificates to Ponce Duran and Jane Cross Melton both of Edinburg.

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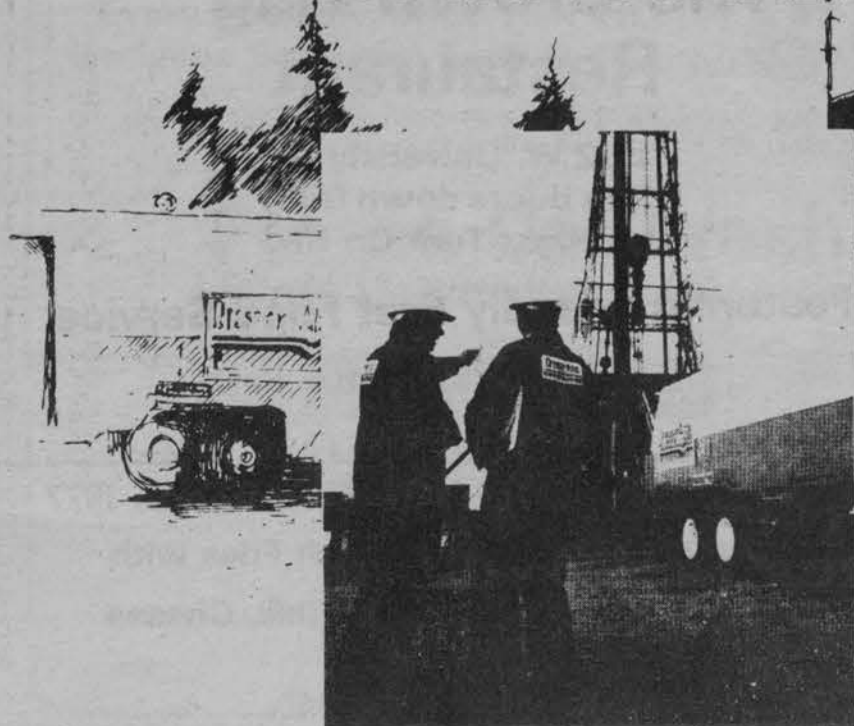
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**Newsbits**

# Financial Aid Applications Due June 1

The deadline for filing for 1977-78 fall and spring financial aid is June, according to Raul de la Garza, associate director of financial aid.

He explained there is no guarantee that the student will receive money by registration, or at all, if he does not meet the June 1 deadline.

Applications for BEOG are being accepted now and will be processed through October.

Basic grants will not be available for the summer session, de la Garza said.

## Career Day

Romulo Martinez, director of Career Planning, Placement and Testing, noted that only two weeks remain until Career Day 1977.

Martinez said the all-day event scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. in the PAU Fieldhouse, will give students an opportunity to meet representatives from companies, school districts, federal, state and local agencies.

All students are invited to attend Career Day, commented Martinez.

## Income Tax Workshop

The School of Business Administration at Pan American University, in conjunction with the Lower Rio Grande Valley Chamber of Commerce, sponsored a two-night workshop on "How to Prepare Your Income Tax Return."

The workshop began, in the Pan Am Nursing Building 112 Feb. 23 and will continue March 2 from 8-10 p.m. Royce Brough, a certified public accountant and accounting professor, lead the workshop and assisted participants in preparing their own tax return during the second meeting.

## Virginia Mounce

Virginia Mounce, reference librarian at Pan American University, has been appointed chairperson of the newly created Mexico projects committee of the Southwestern Library Association.

Mounce selected Virginia Haynie of the Pan Am cataloging department, as one of eight committee members from New Mexico, Arizona, Texas, Mexico and the organization of American States.

Mounce said the purpose of the committee is to work with the Mexican library community to improve library service in both Mexico and the United States.

The first report of the committee was presented by

Mounce at the mid-winter American Library Association meeting in Washington, D.C.

## AAUW Conference

Gloria Bliss Moore, PAU English instructor and president of the Edinburg branch of the American Association of University Women; Dr. Lilliam Noyes, assistant professor in the Department of Political Science and AAUW legislative chairman; and Patsy Gayken, graduate student in the School of Business Administration and AAUW second vice president, attended the Legislative Days Conference of the Texas Division of AAUW in Austin on Feb. 13-14.

The Texas AAUW reaffirmed its support of the state's Equal Rights Amendment and pledged support of the ratification of the ERA to the U. S. Constitution, as well as continued resistance to any state level ERA recession movements.

## Science Workshop

The Behavioral Science Department at Pan American University hosted a two-day introductory level workshop concerning the availability and use of printed census data, according to Dr. David Alvarez, head of the department.

Participants learned how to use the data in assessing needs, planning programs, educating the community and preparing fund request proposals.

In addition to the workshop, there will be an open meeting today at 10 a.m., with David Buentellos of the U.S. Bureau of the Census discussing problems related to the undercount of Mexican-Americans.

Valerie McFarland, data user services officer from the census regional office in Dallas, conducted the workshop.

For further information, contact Dr. Alvarez by dialing 381-3321.

## Copold Publishes

Steve Copold, a 30 year old Pan Am junior, of Mission has recently completed a book entitled "Hounds, Hares and Other Creatures." The book is available now by order only.

The book is about coursing sighthounds. Sighthounds are dogs that hunt by sight instead of smell, Copold said.

Coursing breeds are Afghan hounds, borzoi greyhounds, Irish wolfhounds, Scottish deerhounds, salukis and whippets.

Copold, a mass communications major, has been raising dogs for over ten years and has been writing about dogs for seven years.

The book was illustrated by Rena Wheat, a coed sophomore art major from Pharr.

## Frank Casares

Frank Casares, a Pan American University music major, was featured in a Senior Recital, Feb. 22, at 8:15 p.m., in the Fine Arts Recital Hall.

The recital was presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for a degree in applied music.

An active participant in Pan American music department programs, Casares has been president of the student chapters of Music Educator's National Conference, National Association of Jazz

Educator's, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, and the Concert Band. He is also a member of the Stage Band and Renaissance Ensemble.

Cazares was a member of the All-Valley Band for four years and has won numerous medals in solo and ensemble contests.

As a saxophonist, and student of Harold Worman, Cazares performed selections by J. S. Bach, Gordon Jacob, Paul Creston, Arcangelo Corelli, Joseph Barat, Pierre Lantier, and Bernhard

Heiden. He was assisted by a woodwind quintet, and Eugenia McMullen at the piano.

## Barbecue

The University Center Program Council will sponsor a barbecued fajita sale at the University Circle on March 1, at activity period, according to Albert Vasquez, UCPC president.

The Tumbleweed Band will play.

## Federal Internships

During the summer of 1977, federal departments and agencies will employ a limited number of students under the Federal Summer Intern Program. Selected students will receive practical experience in some phase of federal activity related to their individual career field.

One internship is open to liberal arts majors; however, there are no positions available for students majoring in chemistry, engineering, physics, biology, music or physical education.

One internship is open in accounting and one in management or business. The business and accounting interns will serve in Fort Worth. The Liberal Arts intern will serve in Baltimore, Md.

Students interested in one of the internships should go by the Office of Career Planning, Placement

and Testing, University Center 116, or see Suzanne Solis for an application.

## CAMP Visited

On Feb. 16 a group of students from La Villa Junior High School visited Pan American University. The College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP) counselors, Susan Soliz from the Placement Office and Sylvia Pena of Upward Bound, addressed the students and stressed the importance of a college education.

The purpose of this activity was the orientation of the students in obtaining a higher education, said Pena.

Counselors and CAMP students involved in this activity were Delia Benavides, counselor - coordinator; Felipe "Flipper" Lozano; Ignacio Torres, Carmen Dominguez, and Ruben Gonzalez, peer-counselors.

Students involved were Dagoberto Barrera, Rosie Casares, Elisa Flores, Felipa Guerra, Estella Molina, Rogelio Garza and Hermelinda Villarreal.

## Music Workshop

The Gamma Delta chapter of Mu Phi Epsilon will sponsor a music therapy workshop Saturday in the Recital Hall of the Fine Arts Complex at PAU.

Guest speaker and demonstrator will be Erleyne Bradley of Houston. She is the Mu Phi Epsilon national chairman for music therapy.

The first lecture is scheduled from 9:30-11:30 a.m. and the second will begin at 1 p.m.

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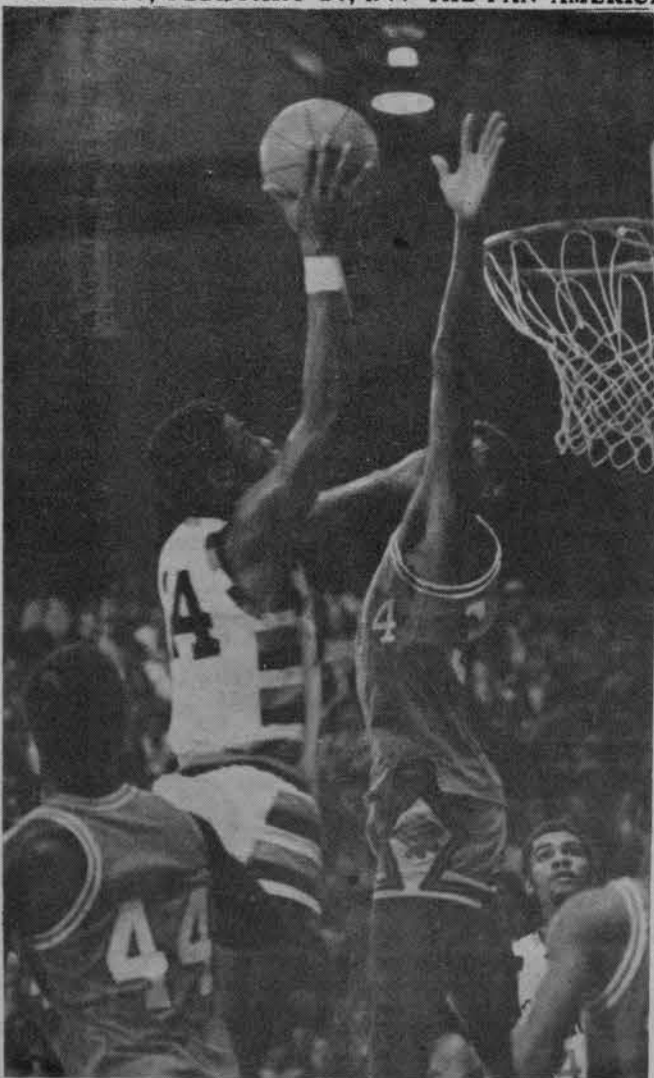
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# Broncs Fail Road Tests

## Host Hardin-Simmons Saturday

The Pan American basketball Broncs try to change their losing ways Saturday night when they take on the Hardin-Simmons Cowboys 8:30 in the university fieldhouse.

Saturday's night's game will also mark Lettermen's Night, an occasion set to honor ex-Pan American athletes as a part of the 50th-year anniversary celebration of the university.

Pan American's season record dropped to 14-9 as the team failed on all three parts of a crucial three-game road trip. The Broncs first lost came to then seventh-ranked University of Nevada at Las Vegas last Friday, 135-106, then to Denver University, 92-74 the following night and again to the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, 86-71 Monday night.

The three road losses combined with an earlier road loss to New Mexico State ran the Broncs losing streak to four games and dropped their road record to 5-8. Pan Am is 9-1 at home.

Despite scoring its highest point total of the year, Pan Am lost last Friday night to Las Vegas, which upped its season record to 21-2. The Running Rebels were led by the 12 for 18 shooting performance of Reggie Theus.

Besides the 24 points from the 6-7 guard Theus and the added 26 from 6-7 Eddie Owens and 25 from 6-6 Glen Goodrozick, UNLV's bench outscored PAU's bench, 58-6. The Broncs were led by Henry Taylor, who had 36 points and 19 rebounds. Guard Michael (Byrd) Edwards also added 30.

The opposition's bench strength hurt the Broncs again the following night as three Denver substitutes scored 22, 20, 11 points to defeat the Broncs.

Jim Ranson, a 6-5 guard, scored 22 points to lead all Denver scorers. Michael (Byrd) Edwards also scored 22 for the Broncs.

Edwards led the Broncs again Monday night in a losing cause by scoring 24 points against Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

The Broncs were down 47-37 at the half and fell behind as many as 15 points with about seven minutes to

go. They managed to cut the lead to four in the closing minutes and failed on a chance to reduce the margin to two. Wisconsin scored 11 unanswered points in the game's final two minutes to seal the victory.

The Broncs final home game is Feb. 28 when the same Wisconsin-Milwaukee team visits the Pan American University fieldhouse.

The final home game will mark the end of the first "Valley Superstars Contest." The previous winners of the contest will compete in a free-throw tournament with the victor winning an expense-paid trip to Acapulco.

# Baseball Team 0-6 After Disastrous Road Trip

The Pan American University baseball team tries for its first win of the season here today at 1:30 in a doubleheader against Hardin

Baylor, after suffering six straight losses on the road.

This afternoon's doubleheader marks the first time the 0-6 Broncs have appeared at home. The contests against Hardin Baylor were originally scheduled for Feb. 11 and 12 but were postponed due to wet grounds at Jody Ramsey Stadium.

The Broncs' dismal start began last Saturday with a twin-bill loss to the University of Houston Cougars. Mark David's two-run homer sparked the Cougars to a 7-0 shutout over Pan Am in the second game to give the Cougs a sweep. Houston won the first game, 3-2.

The following afternoon, Houston defeated Pan American, 7-5 and 5-0 to sweep the four game series. The Broncs' most recent pair of losses came in Houston again on Monday against Rice University.

The Broncs managed a mere two hits in two games as they dropped both games to the Owls. Rice's Alan Ramirez held the Broncs to just two hits in the first game in defeating Pan Am, 9-1. Starter Jeff Hays and

reliever Mike Maxwell combined for a no-hitter in the second game to defeat the Broncs, 1-0.

Mando Reyes and Louis Whetstone, two returnees from last year's pitching staff, suffered the first two losses for the Broncs. Reyes went the distance in suffering the Broncs' first loss. The right-hander gave up 10 hits while walking three and striking out four Cougars.

Whetstone worked only five innings, giving up five hits and six runs, one of which was unearned.

In Sunday's doubleheader, the Cougars scored three runs in the sixth inning of the first game to break a 4-4 tie and seal the victory. The Cougars ripped Pan Am pitcher David Runkle for 11 hits to shutout the Broncs in the second game.

The Broncs had 13 hits compared to the Cougar's 21. Wayne Rutledge, Pan Am's centerfielder, and Roy Sosa, the left-fielder, went three-for-four and two-for-four respectively to lead the Broncs offensively in the first game. Second baseman Mark Savarino had a perfect game, going two for two in the final game of the Houston series.

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## Baseball Barrel Contest To Resume

A few lucky baseball fans can win an expense-paid trip to a major-league game again this year at Pan American University. All they need to do is throw a baseball from home plate into a barrel that will be laying atop second base.

Pan Am calls it "The Bronc Big-League Baseball Bull's-Eye."

John Brattin of Gallagher's Travels is underwriting the contest this year. Whoever wins, among the three throwers picked at each home date, will be given an expense-paid trip for two persons to watch the Houston Astros play at the Astrodome.

The contest begins when Pan Am launches its home season Feb. 24 and 25 by playing 1 p.m. doubleheaders against Hardin-Baylor.

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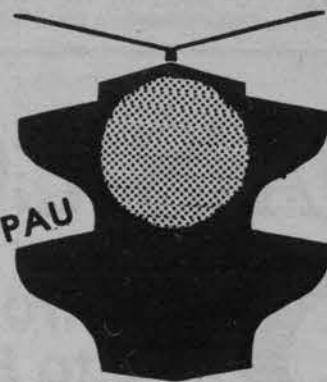
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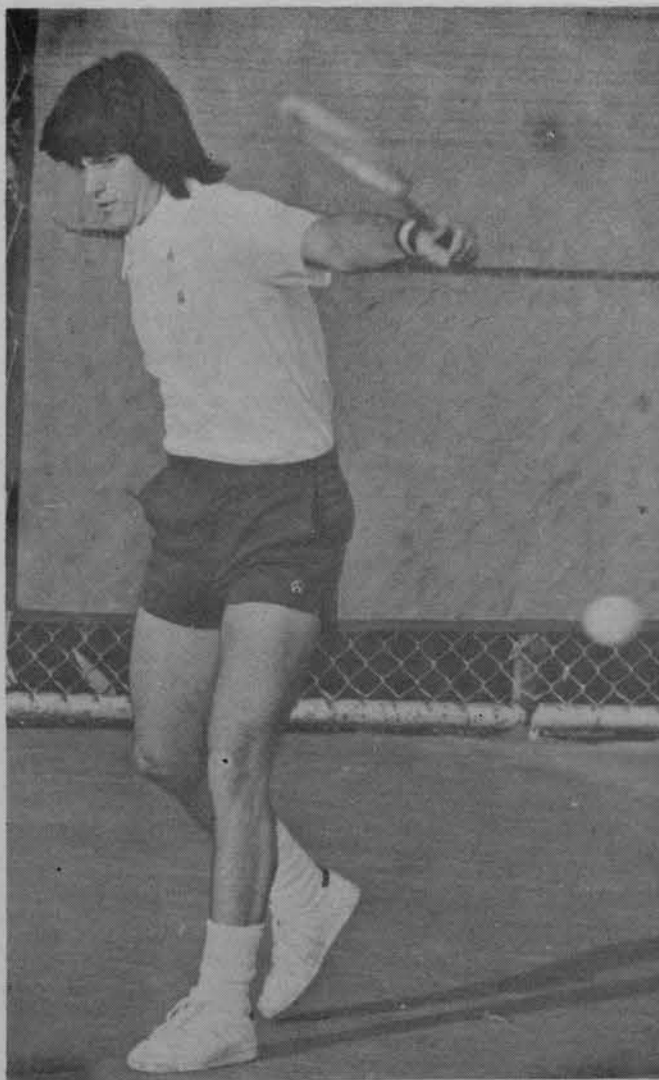
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**Tennis Captain Ricardo Eynaudi**

# Eynaudi Has Chance For All-American Award

Pan American's Ricardo Eynaudi has been elected captain of the Bronc tennis team for the 1977 season.

Eynaudi, from Santiago, Chile, begins his senior year at Pan American, with the best over-all record in the school's history.

The only Bronc to be elected team captain all 4 years, Eynaudi has already won more matches in singles and doubles than any other

player in PAU's history.

A Latin American business major, Eynaudi has also represented his country in Junior Davis Cup competition and in the Pan American Games in Mexico City. He holds a number 11 ranking in Texas in singles and number 1 ranking in doubles.

A May graduate, Eynaudi plans on turning professional after the NCAA national tournament in Athens, Ga., should the Broncs get a bid to the prestigious tournament.

Eynaudi, whose GPA is 3.4, is a prime contender for the coveted Lou Hassell Award, the award given every year to an outstanding PAU athlete with leadership qualities, good marks, and outstanding achievements. Only one tennis player, Eddie Mathews of Santa Rosa, has ever won this award.

"I hope we get an invitation to the NCAA's," noted Bronc net Coach A. G. Longoria. "Ricardo has an excellent chance to make All-American, if we get to go. We've never had an All-

American in tennis; and 2 years ago Ricardo compiled an 18-3 record in singles and came within one point of being an All-American when he played a nine point tie-breaker in the third set in the NCAA's to get to the quarter-finals. The tie breaker went to 4-all, sudden death, with the winner of the next point in the match advancing to the quarter finals. All quarter-finalists in the NCAA tournament are automatic All-Americans."

The Bronc captain had a somewhat disappointing year last season when an ankle injury hampered his mobility. Eynaudi dropped to 8-8-6 in singles but still maintained a 15-3 record in doubles.

The PAU captain will be playing at 1 or 2 singles this year and will team with junior Rob Hubbard in the number 1 or 2 doubles position.

Eynaudi's season record for the year stands at 2 wins, 1 loss in singles, the loss being to Texas Longhorn's number ace Gary Plock; and 2 wins, 1 loss in doubles, the lone loss again at the hands of UT's number ace team.

Pan American University's 14th-ranked tennis team travels to Corpus Christi today to compete in the ninth annual Corpus Christi Team Invitational Championships.

Pan American, 3-1 in dual matches for the season, is seeded fourth in the tournament behind tennis powerhouses Trinity, Texas and SMU.

The Broncs come off another shutout win, this time over Rice at Pan American last Saturday, to increase their season record to 3-1. All of the Broncs wins have been 9-0 shutouts, their only loss coming to eighth-ranked Texas, 5-4.

Pan American plays New Mexico State this afternoon and will meet the winner between Houston and West Texas State in the quarter-finals, should they win. Last year, the Broncs lost their first dual match to eventual finalist Houston, but came back to defeat Rice, West Texas State and Texas Southern to take the consolation team title.

In last Saturday's dual match against the previously undefeated Rice Owls: Rob Hubbard, def Ogi Mitra, 6-1, 6-3; Ricardo Eynaudi def Ross Persans, 7-6, 6-3; John Picken def Brice Alexander, 6-1, 6-2; Rob Bettauer def Bob Paulson, 6-1, 6-2; Sean Sorensen def Chris Mullen, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3; Brian Liberman def Frank Wolak, 6-1, 6-1.

In doubles action: Hubbard-Eynaudi def Mitra-Alexander, 6-3, 6-3; Picken-Sorensen def Persans-Paulsen, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3; Bettauer-

Liberman def Mullen-Wolak, 6-1, 6-2.

"I wish we could play all the matches at home, the weather was great and the crowd was just great," said Broncs tennis coach, A. G. Longoria.

Longoria said the victory was especially pleasing for him because his first loss as a coach came at the hands of Rice last year.

"I hope we're in shape for it," said Longoria about today's tournament which runs through Saturday.

"We've had good weather, so we've been able to work out. I just hope we don't get anybody injured because we just don't have any depth."

The Bronc coach added his team's 9-0 shutouts over A&M and Rice should improve the Bronc's standings in the national ranking.

"As an independent, we have to do well in these kinds of tournaments. If we can beat one of these schools in the top 10, I'm sure we'll move up (in the national rankings)."

# Women's Basketball Championships Here

By Blanca Salazar

The 16 top notch women's basketball teams in Texas will meet at Pan American's University gymnasium March 3-5 for what will be a historical moment for PAU and Valleyites, as they battle for the No. 1 spot in the women's state championship.

The winner in this three-day tournament, sponsored by the Texas Association for Intercollegiate Athletics for Women (TIAAW) and directed by Dr. Amilda Thomas, coordinator of Women's Athletics at PAU, will advance to national competition.

"This tournament represents the first time that women basketball players of a high level of skill have been assembled in the Valley," said Dr. Thomas.

The women's basketball tournament will be held concurrently at the PAU and Edinburg High School gymnasiums March 3-4 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

The 16 teams attending the state championship will be determined by the top three winners of the zone games. For competition pur-

poses TIAAW is divided into four geographical zones.

Zone games will be held Feb. 24-26 at north zone: Baylor University at Waco, south zone: Texas A&I University at Kingsville, east zone: Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches, and west zone: Abilene Christian University at Abilene. The first, second, and third place winners of each zone plus four teams chosen at large will compete at PAU.

PAU's women's basketball team, under Coach Georgia Durham, is currently battling other south zone teams at Texas A&I for the chance to compete statewide in their homeland.

Last year's winner Wayland Baptist College, who took the No. 1 spot in Texas and returned from national competition with third place honors, will be tough competition as they try for a consecutive winning year.

## Intramural Sports

A total of eight games were played Feb. 16 to complete the first week of intramural co-recreational volleyball.

In last Wednesday's play, Schmoofs defeated El Bosque Backers, 15-11, 15-12, and Lambda Alpha Epsilon, 15-3, 15-6. Semper F number one scored a two-set victory, 15-7, 15-10, over the Animals in another contest. The Animals also lost to Chavos and Chavas, 15-10, 15-6.

FCA Bumpers won twice, beating the IK's, 15-0, and 15-7 and APO, 15-3, 15-11. De Feet had no luck, losing to HEP, 15-1, 15-8 and to FCA Bombers, 15-3, 15-10.

Two men's leagues and one women's league have been organized to compete in intramural softball, the next intramural sport beginning March 7.


Future intramural events include track and field and co-recreational bowling. Entry deadline for track and field is March 21 at noon. Deadline for entering co-recreational bowling is March 30 at noon.

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# Learning Resource Center Is Really Library In Disguise

**Editor's Note:** This is the first in a two-part series on the nearly completed Learning Resource Center being built on the east side of the main campus.

By Rosalinda Cruz

The word library means one thing to somebody and it means another thing to somebody else. But Pan Am's new library is going to be called the Learning Resource Center. Some people might ask why label it with such a name?

Ken Brock, media coordinator of the Learning Resource Center at Pan American University, talked with this reporter about Pan Am's nearly completed Learning Resource Center.

"When people say library, they think of books, magazines, newspapers, in other

words, printed material," Brock said. "But when we say LRC, we're talking about a place where all of the resources for learning are housed which include non-print as well as print resources," he said.

The new building is about 80 per cent complete and probably will be furnished and dedicated in December of this year. The building itself is costing about \$4.5 million and will cover more than 141,000 square feet.

The new LRC will be the biggest building on campus. It will be four stories high with each floor approximately the size of a football field. It will house the library, a graphic art facility, a photographic center, an audio-visual department, a radio station, a television studio and a media center.

"For all practical purposes the LRC will be finished June 1, 1977. The target date for opening the building for student use is fall semester of 1977. Maybe it will be earlier, or maybe it will be later. It depends on how fast we can move out of the present library and into the new LRC," Brock explained.

According to Brock, the new building will be a very quiet facility. It will have a glass wall which divides the section of the building where noise is inevitable. On each floor the elevators, restrooms and student lounge will be separated by a glass wall from the rest of the building.

The ground floor is for non-print material. The second, third and fourth floors are the traditional library services, Brock said. He said the traditional library would be expanded not only by allowing more space for books and other items but also it will have more services available. As an example of the services, Brock mentioned study carrels which would be assigned to graduate students. Faculty members would have carrels and rooms reserved for them for their research work.

The first floor of the LRC has a large lobby running the length of the building. Here paintings, sculptures and other forms of art will be displayed. In the lobby there also will be places to sit. There will be north and south entrances to the building. Immediately to the right if one is

entering through the north side of the building, there will be a student lounge. Vending machines will be available in the lounge and students may eat there.

The reserve book section will be on the first floor and will have its own circulation desk. The main circulation desk will be on the west central section of the LRC. Architect Kenneth Bentsen of Houston has designed the building so all students would have to go through the library lobby where detection system will replace the present human system of inspection. Brock said this system will save the library thousands of dollars on book losses.

The semi-circular section extending southwest in the building will house offices and conferences rooms. These conference rooms will be to the left if entering through the south entrance of the building.

The east side of the building on the first floor is the non-print area. There is a large amount of space which will be used as study carrels or cubby-hole study sections all along the glass wall.

In the center of the east side of the first floor are the media control room, the media usage area and the audio booths. In this part of the first floor all non-print materials are stored and used. This includes such things as films, film strips, video tapes and other materials.

All floors will be carpeted and will have restrooms, student lounge, typing room with typewriters, study areas, seating areas, group study rooms and public telephone booths. The four stories will have seven exits, four of which are stairways and three are elevators. In an effort to control book loss, students will be able to use only two ele-

vators and two stairways, located on the west side of the building.

"What's interesting about

the building is that it's going to be colorful. Each floor will be in earthtones such as brown, yellow,

orange, blue and purple. The backs of the chairs will match with the color of the wall," Brock said.



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