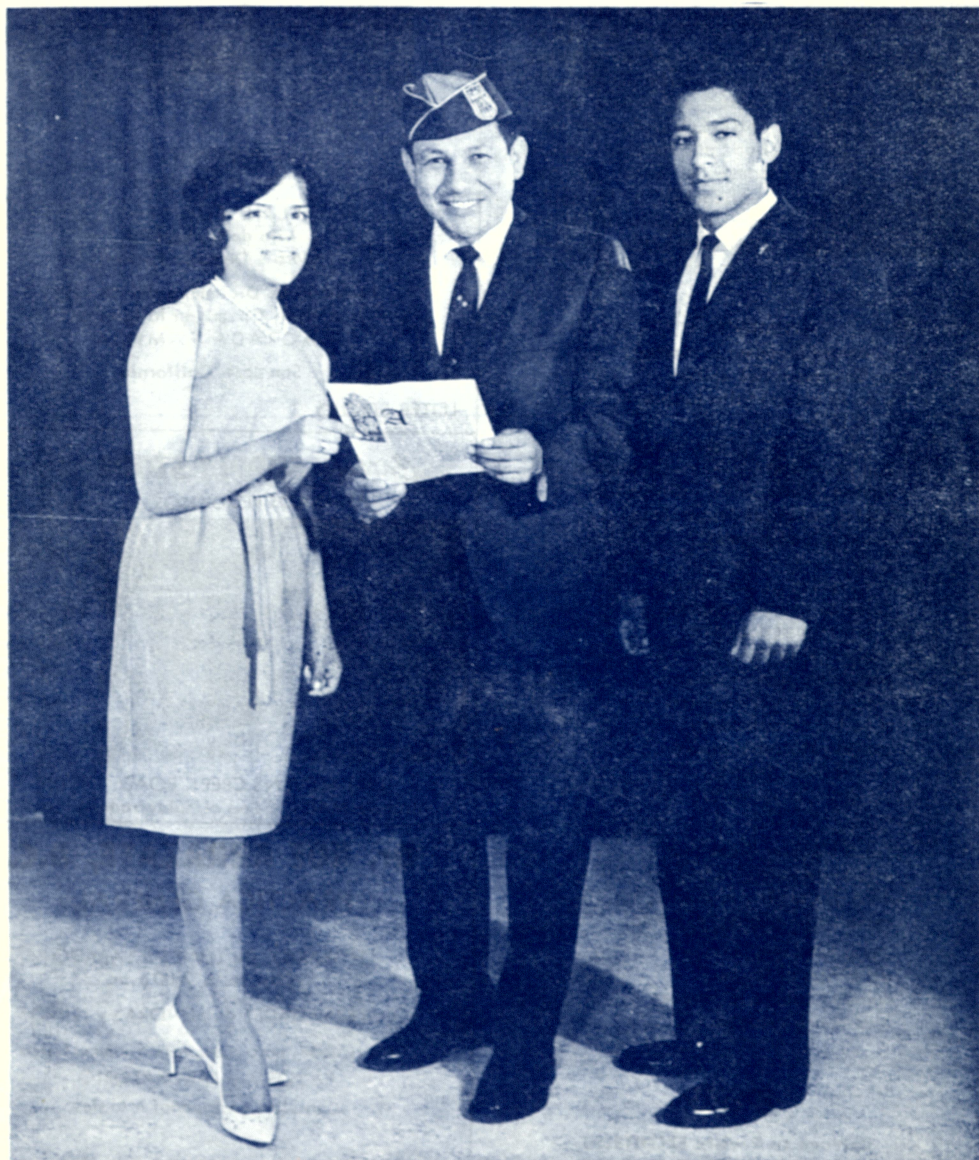




Ernie Vasquez A. G. Forum Scholarship chairman presents awards



Simon Villa



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En la foto aparece la simpática señora Guillermina Aguilar, lectora de nuestra revista EL EXCENTRICO quien nos suplica atentamente le hagamos el favor de dar publicacion a la siguiente composicion de M. Gutierrez Najera:

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Cuantas nieves en la cumbre,
en la cumbre del volcan,
y en la alcoba falta lumbre,
y en la mesa falta pan!

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cae la noche*-----blanca ausente
vuelve pronto vuelve luz,
vuelve anima al desgraciado,
que camina fatigado,
bajo el peso de su cruz,
esta helado el muchachito,
quien su cuerpo arropara,
y se queja el pobresito,
mas se queja muy qedito,
porque no oiga su mama..

si la luz consoladora
mas el niño rubia aurora,
con el alba llegara
ya tus rayos no vera,

Tiene hambre, tiene frio
esta triste entre los tristes,
para que sepas que existes,
manda a la muerte, dios mio,
Debil niño que pareces
sin abrigo ni jergon,
cuanto, cuanto te pareces
a mi pobre corazon.....



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"LESS OF ME, MORE FOR THEE"

You may have noticed the same strange similarity I noticed the other day when I picked up the morning paper. There was the article of the rapist whose victim was an 11 year old girl; one about the unfaithful marriage partner who because of his actions, the marriage bond of 15 years was broken and resulted in divorce. There was also a paragraph about the thief who for \$250 spent a night in jail. There was a lengthy description of the supposedly-clandestine rendezvous of a glamorous married actress who thought not of the embarrassment her children will suffer later in life.

Regardless of what the existing circumstances were behind each case, I cannot help but feel that the major motivating factor behind each act was selfishness.

All of us must have some regard for self, this is required for self-preservation. The extremist in this theory, however, becomes the egocentric—a person who causes much unhappiness and who, basically, is unhappy himself.

The overly selfish individual, or egocentric, is primarily interested in one thing—self. His life, his decisions all center around him. He is self-conceited, self-complacent, self-opinionated and self-righteous. Written all over him are the words "I", "Me", and "Myself" and this is clearly proven when he begins to speak. He may have consideration for others, if, of course, it doesn't conflict with his desires, he may be warmhearted and attempt to win friends, when he thinks that perhaps later these friends will be of some personal gain to him; he may be generous and benevolent only when he sees himself admired by his benefactors.

The selfish person usually lacks confidence in himself and often is living with inferior feelings. Oftentimes his actions are the result in trying to prove himself. Some desire to do good deeds to be thought of as great, selfishly, for it satisfies the ego; some will not admit their wrongs or apologize for they are contradicting their selfish selves, and others will take that which is not rightfully theirs to prove to themselves it can be done.

True, there is no person more important to someone than himself, but there is also a time to think of others. The way society is set up, we eat and sleep with others; every year, day in and day out. We

must give and take. We cannot be happy only taking, never giving. The egocentric would find greater satisfaction in concentrating on the feelings and wishes of others. To forget self and treat others with genuine and sincere unselfishness with no thought of recompense would make for happier living.

They say there is really no solution to the world's problems and happiness, but if they were to ask me where to begin I would say:

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The Scholarship Committee this year was fortunate in having as its advisor Mr. Pete Mesa, English teacher and baseball coach at Sunnyvale High School. Mr. Mesa was extremely helpful to the committee contributing valuable information in the examination of the school records of the candidates and assisting in the very difficult task of selecting the final winners. The committee wishes to express its gratitude to Mr. Mesa and hopes that he will continue to assist us in our Scholarship program.

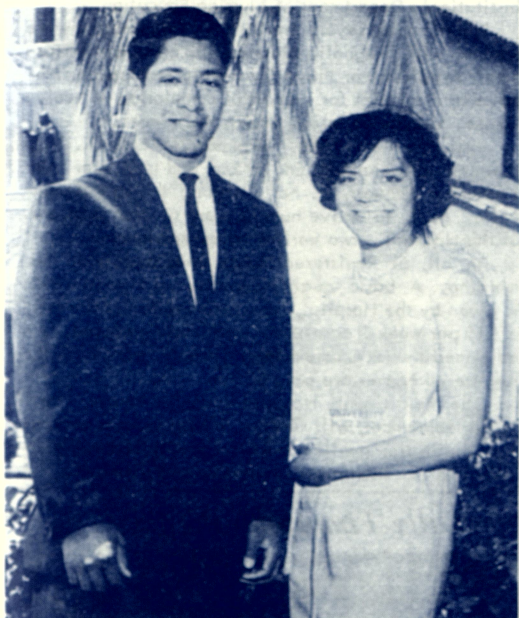
The San Jose Unified and East Side High School districts were chosen to participate in our program.

The following schools submitted candidates:

Samuel Ayer	James Lick
Andrew Hill	San Jose High
Abraham Lincoln	Willow Glen

A total of eight students participated in our program. Certificate of Merit winners were:

Lydia Martinez, Willow Glen High School
Ramon Lopez, San Jose High School
Elizabeth Olague, San Jose High School



Winners of American GI Forum San Jose Chapter Scholarship Awards for 1962.

Manuel Chelius, age 18, Samuel Ayer High School and Maria Elemen, age 17, Andrew Hill High School. Awarded on the basis of Scholarship, extra-curricular activity and financial need, the two hundred dollar grants are designed to aid and further the education of outstanding students of Mexican-American ancestry.

Lydia Nogalez, Abraham Lincoln High School
Manuela Valdivia, James Lick High School
Frank Torres, James Lick High School
Our thanks to the participating schools and students for their interest and cooperation.

Designed to award Scholarships to deserving students of Mexican ancestry, this nationwide program of the American GI Forum was initiated in Santa Clara County in 1960 when a \$250 award was given to Miss Dolores Garcia of San Jose High School. The following year, awards were presented to John Quiterrez from San Jose High School and Lupe Garcia from James Lick High School. Including the 1962 awards this represents over a thousand dollars which the Forum has donated to this worthy cause. We wish to express our gratitude to individuals, business firms and labor organizations which have contributed generously to our program.



Presenting the awards to Manuel Chelius and Maria Elemen are Mrs. Pete Gonzales, Chairman of Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Committee, (left), and Mrs. Dan Campos, Chairman of Ladies Aux. (right).

EXCENTRICO photography.....

For the 3rd consecutive year the American GI Forum and its Ladies Aux., San Jose Chapter, are proud to present their Scholarship Award to Manuel Chelius and Maria Elemen.

Maria Elemen, 17, is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Santos Elemen, 234 Sunset Ave., San Jose, and the oldest of seven children. The following offices were held by Maria during her term as student at Andrew Hill High School. Associated Student Body Secretary, Secretary of Freshman Class, Sophomore Secretary, Jr. Red Cross Vice President, Science Honor Society Corresponding Secretary, Pep Club Member and Secretary of Coquette Club, all this while maintaining an enviable B average throughout her high school career. Her neat appearance, quiet poise,

(continued next page).....

personality and her ability to express herself plus her knowledge of the aims and objectives of the American GI Forum strongly impressed the selection committee in her favor. Maria has expressed a desire to become an Elementary School Teacher and will enroll at San Jose State College in the fall semester.

Manuel Chilius, 18, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Soto, 324 Sylvia Ct., Milpitas, California, and the oldest of six children. Born in Amecameca, Mexico, Manuel came to the United States at the age of 4 years. On April 26, 1962, through his initiative and desire he became a citizen of the United States by action of the Superior Court of San Jose. Through his ability to be justly and sincerely proud of both his American culture and Mexican heritage, he has demonstrated the capacity of contributing to the finest aspects of both cultures.

In addition to maintaining a B average throughout high school, he has served as Class President during his Freshman, Sophomore, and Senior years. He has served as Honor Society treasurer and has received the French and Italian Awards. His scholastic and leadership ability has been supplemented by his athletic ability which enabled him to become a track star and weight lifting champion of his school. A better than average speaker who thinks well on his feet, Manuel was very impressive when making his presentation before the selection committee. He has shown a sincere interest in the American GI Forum and a desire to assist the Mexican-American in his community. Manuel will use his scholarship to further his ambition of a medical career and will enroll in San Jose State College in the fall.

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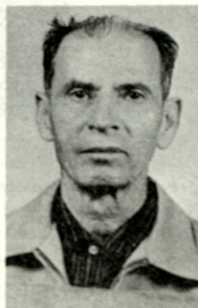
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Awarding Certificates at Graduation Tea was Floyd Sorensen, Hospital Administrator.

Nurses, left to right, are: Mrs. Gladys Cross, R. N., of Sunnyvale; Mrs. Joan Olivier, R. N., of San Jose; Mrs. Lillian Suparko, R. N., of Los Gatos and Mrs. Margaret Rea, R. N., of Santa Cruz.

The nurse shortage was further reduced last Friday, June 8th, as Santa Clara County Hospital awarded Certificates of Completion to its third class of nurse refresher trainees at a Graduation Tea held in the institution's Department of Nursing Education.

The normally severe professional surroundings were decked with magnolia blossoms and bouquets as Hospital Administrator Floyd Sorensen presented Certificates to the ladies for successful completion of twelve weeks' training in latest nursing techniques.

Assisting were Mrs. Mineola Pollack, R. N., Director of Nursing Education, and Instructor Mrs. Katherine Schnorr, R. N. Standing by to welcome ladies back to active nursing were several graduates of the Hospital's two earlier refresher classes.

In all, 51 Registered Nurses have completed the training. A basic qualifying course of twelve weeks is given by the Hospital, for which the nurses are paid a \$15 per week "earn while you learn" stipend. An advanced 8 week course is also given during which the Registered Nurses are paid \$25 per week.

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She was born in "pachuco" territory or grammatically better said El Paso, Texas. Has been residing in San Jose for the past 16 years, attended College Park grammar School, Peter Burnett, Jr. High and at the present is a Senior at Abraham Lincoln High.

Like most teenage monsters she entertains notions of how retarded and ununderstanding parents are in our modern days, about the only thing that deflated Excentrico boss man can do to keep her in check is the threat of handing her over to Miss Lois Veith Foster Home recruiter with the Welfare Department.

Yvonne has three brothers, Bert Garcia, Jr. doing his stretch in the U. S. Navy Air Corps, Cesar who just stepped out for a bit of fresh air and has not returned, Anthony 10 years old who resides with his mother.

Yvonne's portrait was taken to use up some leftover film in the camera after a shooting session, he is still hopeful and patiently awaiting reimbursement for his services. (Hope Never Dies.).



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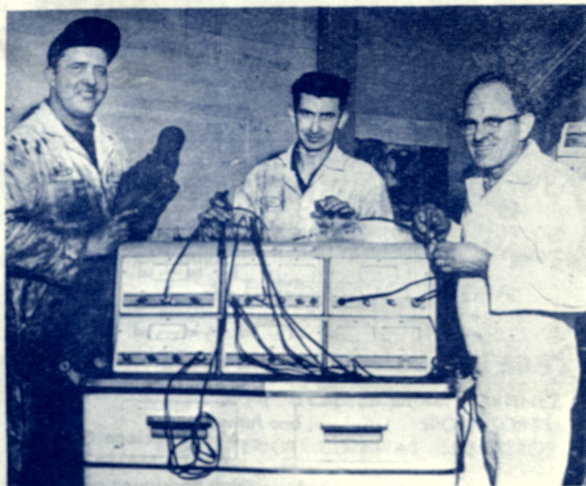
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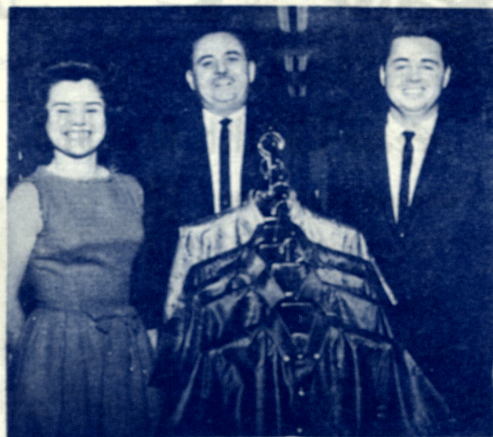
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De iz. a der: Sra. Armida Solarez Rivera esposa de Ruben Rivera y orgullosos padres de cuatro hijos Ruben, Jr. 9, Hortencia, 7, Rosalinda Leonor 6, Susan, 5 años. ELENORE SOLAREZ celebra su cumpleaños el 23 de Mayo exactamente 21 primavera, HELEN a la derecha: termino sus estudios en este mes de Junio en la escuela Abraham Lincoln High cuenta con 18 años de edad. Uno de los hermanos de estas damas es Gilberto (EL AGUERRIDO).



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Views & Reviews



Bob Rodriguez

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The Union City GI Forum Chapter was chartered a couple of weeks ago and Danny Campos, Ike Hernandez and yours truly had to take off for the airport to pick up "Teen" Flores our State Chairman. We were to meet our wives later at the banquet. Anita Campos came over to our place to pick up my wife Elsa and then proceeded to Ike's house to pick up Maria. The girls were wearing their coats and little did they know what they were wearing. They arrive at the banquet, take off their coats and panic!!!!!! Anita had a bright red dress, Elsa had on a white one and Maria had on a green one.

Mejicanos al grito de guerra.....

LETTERS RECEIVED

The Roving Reporter dropped me a line giving me the straight poop on Club San Joaquin. Sorry Robie, this column doesn't print unsigned material.

Thank you for your letter Mrs. Soto, I'll hold it back for awhile. We don't want to rock the boat as things are bad enough but if things don't improve with this magazine, we'll let it loose.

It was very constructive.



DINO VINO MARTIN
"MONROE SI, REMICK NO"

IS DINO MARTIN PARTICULAR?

Dino Vino Martin refused to continue with the film "Somethings Gotta Give" on account Marilyn Monroe got fired. They substituted Lee Remick who is not a bad tomato. Dean said that she's okay but the con-

tract called for "La Monroe" and that's what he's gonna get or forget it. Marilyn was put out of 20th Century Fox on her famed derriere for not showing up for work. They should have done that a long time ago. She's spoiled rotten and if Dino wants her he can have her. They're not going to push her off on me.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE VOTERS!

Congrats to Humberto Aguirre, a good ole San Felipe High grad, who missed being elected by 14 votes County Superintendent of Schools in Del Rio. With Chris Aldrete as County Attorney and Manuel Arranaga on the City Council Del Rioans know one thing.....and that's how to vote.....anywhere!

WRITE FOR FIESTA MAGAZINE??

Thanks Don Quixote Solarez for volunteering my services to Fiesta as a columnist. I'll wait for the offer. But if Candy and I leave who's going to keep you and Sancho on the straight and narrow.

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DELEGATION

The delegation to Union City from San Jose: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campos, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rodriguez, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hernandez, Al Pelayo, Ed Camuniez and Bill Lopez. Santa Clara Forumeers included Mr. and Mrs. Monty Amador, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Ybarra, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Castro, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mendias and Mario Vazquez.

Honorary member and organizing aide, Mr. Simon Villa, was unable to attend due to illness in the family. The Forum thanks Mr. Villa for his help in organizing Union City.



GI FORUM QUEEN

Anita Maldonado, Miss GI Forum of San Jose, was part of the Forum's entry in the Memorial Day Parade sponsored by the United Veterans' Council on May 30th. The Forum was complimented for this entry.

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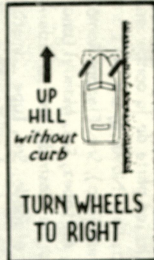
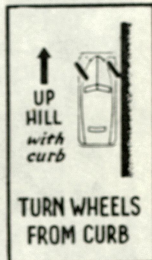
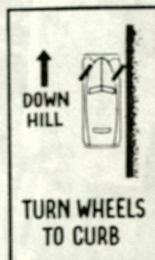
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HOUSE WARMING

Los esposos Jess e Isabel Rey fueron agasajados en su residencia 3431 Mt. McKinley Dr. con motivo de su nueva adquisicion, la reunion fue organizada por sus compadres: Sra. Joe Castrida y Sra. Robert Rodarte.

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En la grafica parte de la concurrencia: Mrs. Robert Perez, Sra. Pete Navarro, Sra. Al Cardova, Sra. Isabel Rey- (la festejada), Sra. Elenore Ramos, Sra. Eddie Romero, Sra. Art Lopez, Sra. Manuel Luna, Sra. Albert Moreno, Sra. Joe Castrida, Sra. Armida Arellano, Sra. Ed Brito, filia al fondo: Sra. Lupe Zamora, Sra. Robert Rodarte, Sra. Jose Apodaca, Sra. Chano Zamora.



Mr. Pompeyo Garcia on right presented Senator Jack Thompson with an inscribed plaque on behalf of the Mexican Chamber of commerce.



Monty Amador member of the A. G I Forum of Santa Clara (with hat) extends a welcome band to Joe Lopez President of the C. S. O. San Mateo County Chapter and to Miss Ramona Gonzalez President of the C. S. O. San Jose Chapter. The event NOCHE RANCHERA consisting of BBQ STEAKS and Dancing was held on May 26 at Senter Park. Objective: Raise Funds for Scholarship Program.



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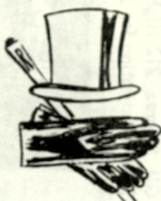
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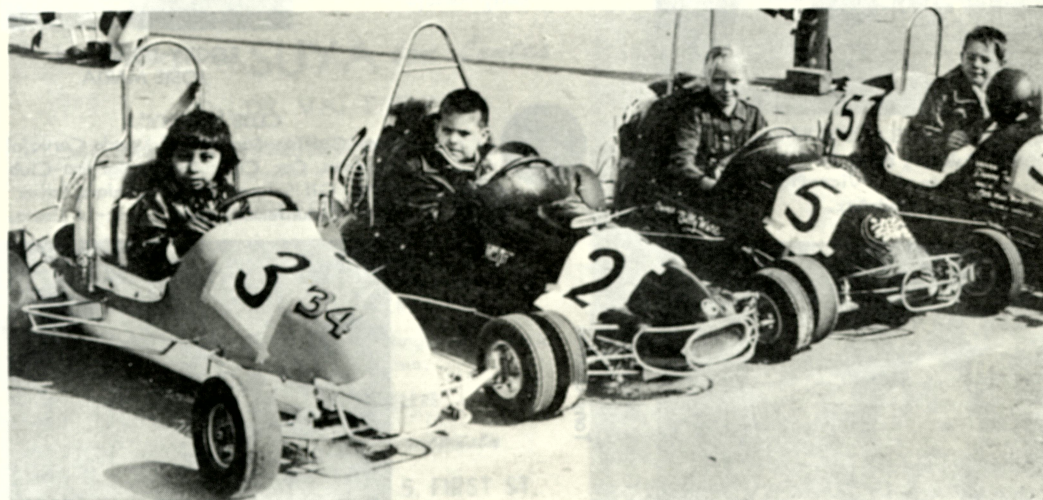
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CLUB *Bachelors*



Gilbert Solarez

This page presents the closing of the Mexican-American BOWLING Tournament, which was followed by an award BANQUET at the Hawaiian Gardens in the month of May guest-photographer was Mr. Humberto Garcia.



League Champs - Club Cuauhtemoc
Al Rodriguez-Pres. Anna Dominguez, Joe
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Ambos son procedentes de Eagle Pass Texas. La Recepcion se verifico en la casa de la novia, Luna de Miel en en esta. En la grafica de iz. a der: Mike de Hoyos, Eloisa Berume, Virginia Carrasco - madrina, Antonio Carrasco - padrino.

Pajecitos: Jorge Carrasco y Rene Reina.

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En la grafica: el Er. Val E. Sneed y la guapa recepcionista Srita. Susan Molina.

En Seguida de KAY JEWELERS

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CLUB *Elite*



Diane Barrera

MITA:

Who you called a metichie is going to meterse mucho mas. As a columnist for the Excentrico, it's my business to do so. Below are just a few comments, notice I said a few, because there isn't enough room in this column to print all the comments about you!!

Rosie Gutierrez:

If gossiping is all you can do to satisfy your ego, then more power to you.
Friday Aguilera:

Puerto Ricans aren't the only ones who can love, I'm a Mexican and I do pretty good myself.
Alaska:

She should come out in the open and let the public know who she is. Nevertheless I know who she is. (I know her quite well).

Ofelia del Rebozo:

I think "Mita" shouldn't be writing the way she is in regards to Rudy and Rachel, because the sentiments of human beings often the public doesn't know. No one has the right to get into the lives of these two. In my opinion they are both in love and Rudy will soon find out that it is difficult to find another girl with the qualities of Rachel.

Diana Barrera: (Here I come, Mita)

I have a few things to say to you, they are:

(1) Please learn how to read. (Ask Rudy to teach you). In my column I stated that a certain Puerto Rican was interested in Miss Andres and that he wanted to take her out, not that he did.

(2) It's a true fact that you're a lost case. If the Excentrico was to print your letters the way they receive them, you would never be able to get your point across to the public. Furthermore, if you have anything to write directly to me, please write it in English, because I don't understand Puerto Rican, or was that Spanish you were trying to write????

Hot Stuff:

Heard someone called up Rudy at his apartment and ask for the lady of the house. Rudy, are ;y

and ask for the lady of the house. Rudy, are you hiding now?? Naughty, naughty, Mita is going to get mad....

Congratulations:

To all those who graduated

San Jose High:

Lita Medina Angie Perez

Sunnyvale High:

Guz Mendibelle Terry Harriett
Junior High:
Gloria Cortez Tony Chavez
Graduating in cap and gown from nursery to kindergarten school were the following:
Candelario Veliz (and I do mean Candelario)
Hank (The Kid) Paramo
Rudy Belluomini
Tony Carvajal
Gasper Espinosa (Scholarship to Maria's) & (Beer Scholarship)
George Plata (Scholarship to Maria's) & (Scholarship to Carmen's)
Joe Rodriguez (Driver's Permit)
Carmen Molina Rosie Gutierrez Ed Baltierra (Tiny)

Congratulations To:

Mr. & Mrs. Rudy Arreola (former Miss Helen Molina). They exchanged wedding vows on June 9th. The couple is honeymooning in Mexico City. Lots of luck to both of you.

Congratulations:

Mr. and Mrs. Gonzales on the arrival of their baby girl.

Special for Candelario Veliz:

So no one tells Miss R.M.R. where to get off, huh! As far as Alaska is concerned, he has put this well used book on the shelf for others to read.

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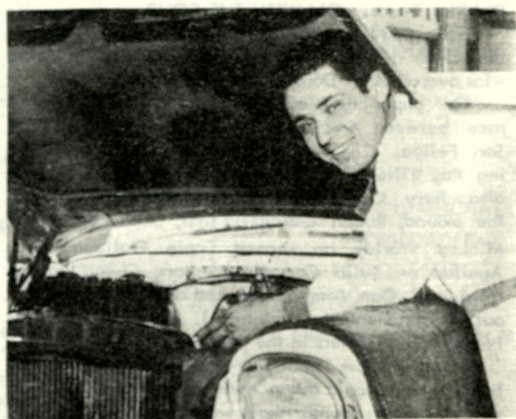
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This column is dedicated to a dedicated man, RALPH MORAN, an old classmate of ours at Woodlake High, who graduated from the University of the Pacific on June 10th. Graduation ceremonies for the class were held in Pacific Memorial Stadium, Stockton, California. Congratulations, Ralph!

Mrs. Vera Diaz would like to thank her friends, Mrs. Esther Caloca, Mrs. Esther Perez, Mrs. Vangie Navarro, Mrs. Eleanor Ramoz and Mr. & Mrs. Ray Garcia, for the beautiful flowers they sent during her recent stay at Doctor's Hospital, San Jose.

BACK TO THE OLD GRIND

I was extremely gratified to learn that my people behaved well while I was gone. We went out of town for a few weeks on a vacation. I won't bore you with details on Oregon, Washington, and the World's Fair because I'm sure you'd rather read of Mario's trip to Del Rio, Texas. ON WITH THE SOUP.....

Club SAN JOAQUIN won the first two games of the 1962 U.C.C. League softball campaign, posting wins over Club El Dorado and Casa Mañana.

On paper the league appears to be a three-way race between San Joaquin, Casa Manana, and Club San Felipe. CSJ presents an improved lineup featuring Ray Villegas catching, Enos Moreno, Dave Navarro, Jerry Cook, Jess Aguilar, and Eddie Plata on the mound, Ruben Garcia on first, John Zamora and Mickey Worley on second, Eppie Gallego or Jess Aguilar or Julio Camacho on short, Cheno Plata at third, and Dan Vasquez (backed after being farmed out to Sacramento for seasoning), Ken Saucedo, Alex Navarro, and others in the outfield.

I don't know what you other clubs are gonna do but if San Joaquin doesn't win we're gonna hang our coach! If this sounds like a warning, it is.

Casa Manana has the usual sterling bunch of ball-players led by hard hitting second sacker Tom Silva, shortstop Pete Rojas, third baseman Dan Brady, 1st baseman Ron Blenders, and pitcher Manuel Martinez.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24TH
CLUB SAN JOAQUIN STARS
VS.
LOS TOROS
COLUMBUS PARK, SAN JOSE
1 P.M.

San Jose Councilmen Narcissistic

In a "monumental" decision, probably involving much thought, San Jose City Councilmen decided on naming a batch of city parks after themselves!!!!

The Councilmen who have chosen to immortalize themselves are Robert Welch, Roy Butcher, Paul Moore, Louis Solari, Robert Doerr, and George Starbird.

I wonder which of these Narcissists got the idea that the people of this community want to remember them forever.

I sincerely believe that if the aforementioned gentlemen tried real real hard, they could think of someone that is more deserving of the honor than they. Maybe this humble taxpayer (and I'm still madder than hell about the Callison money-stealing case) can offer a few helpful suggestions. Why not name one of those parks, if the name ABSOLUTELY MUST be changed, after some of the World War One, World War Two, and Korean War heroes of the community. Or how about some of those schoolteachers in the San Jose School System who have put in 20, 30, or 40 years of dedicated service to our youth? How about the famous "Glacier Priest" of the University of Santa Clara who died recently? Shouldn't he be honored? How about some of our early pioneers like J. S. Williams who owns a clothing store downtown and who has been a member of the Native Sons of the Golden West for over FIFTY YEARS?

The Callison case was a low blow at our pocket-books. The Councilmen naming city parks after themselves is an insult to our intelligence. They are determined to get the last laugh. Should we let them?

I ask the City Councilmen this question: Why do you think that you, personally, merit having a city park named after you? Keep a straight face, men.

CLUB SAN JOAQUIN PRESIDENT RICHARD GALLARDO

Richard Gallardo, President of Club San Joaquin, is shown with a group of mariachis who entertained at CSJ's recent tardeadas at Trader Lew's Park.

Mr. Gallardo would like to thank the thousands of people who attended these gran fiestas on behalf of the organization.



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