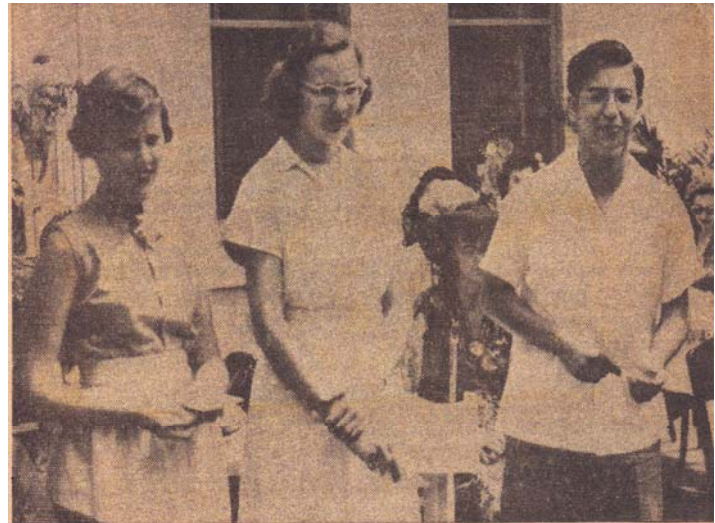


Pan American Round Table of McAllen, Texas
History
1950 to the 1959

1950

Essay Writer's Contest Winners
April, 1950

Prizes were awarded by the Pan American Round Table to McAllen High School students who wrote the best essays on Solidarity of Western Hemisphere and its part in promoting world peace. First prize of \$15.00 was awarded to Gail Bostelmann, center. Second of \$10.00 to Betty Slaton, left, and third prize of \$5.00 to Danny Alvarez, right



THREE PRIZES WERE AWARDED to McAllen High School students who wrote the best essays on "Solidarity of Western Hemisphere and its part in promoting world peace." First prize of \$15 was awarded to Gail Bostelmann, center; second of \$10 to Betty Slaton, left; and third prize of \$5 to Danny Alvarez, right. The prizes were awarded by the Pan American Round Table Monday. (Monitor Photo)

1951



Officers L-R: Mmes. Joe Pate, Assistant Director; R.D. Cox, Jr. Director; L. B. Weed, Corresponding Secretary; W.H. Moon, Parliamentarian



H.L. Gunn, Custodian; Clarence Grimes, Recording Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Grimes, Mrs. R.D. Cox, and Mrs. D.V. Guerra sponsored an exchange of plants between Latin-American & Anglo-American gardeners.

1952

Student Forum-McAllen High School



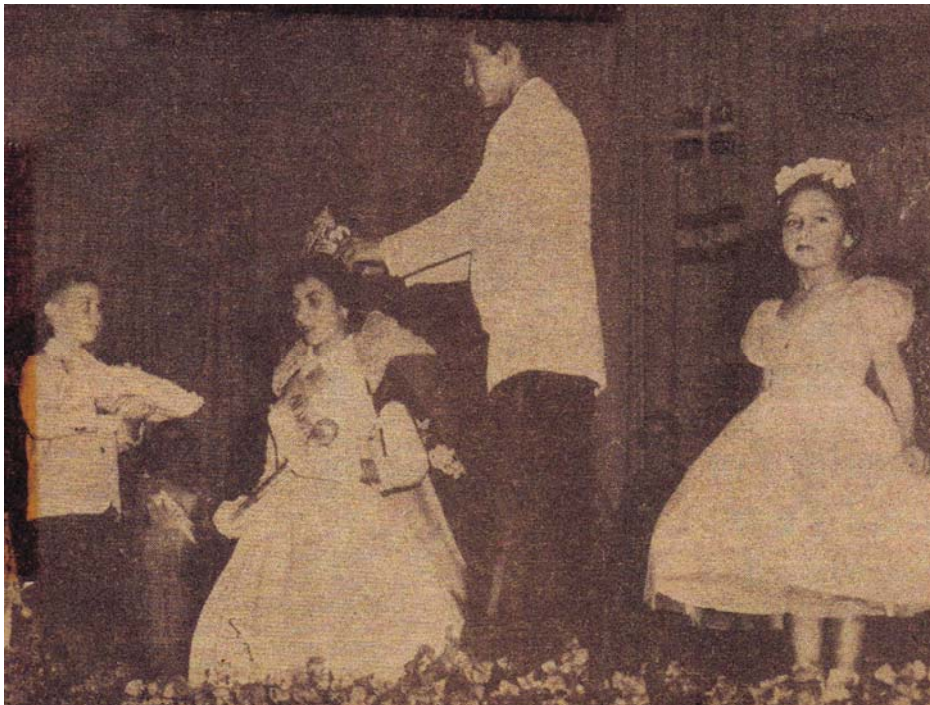
Mrs. Jeff Coffee addresses students; Front row: Mrs. Joe Pate, Sandra Holden, Roel Trigo, Club President, & Mrs. Cliff Brown, teacher.

State Director Pays Visit



L-R: Mrs. L.G. Waltrip of Dallas, Mrs. J.E. Pate, Mrs. Gordon Baxter, Mrs. Homer L. Gunn, and Mrs. Tom Jones

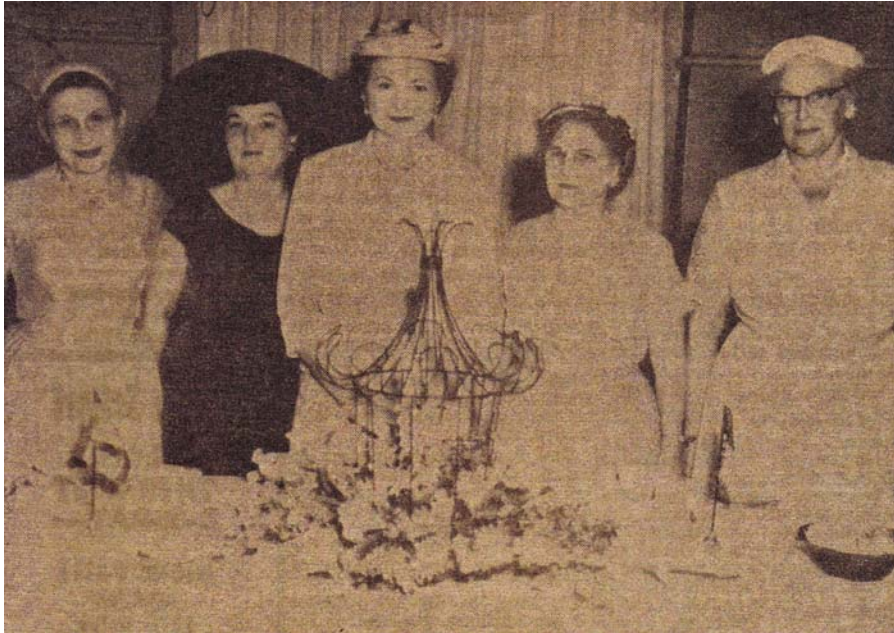
Pan American Day – April, 1952



Queen Elda Guerra, King Rudolfo Ayala. Little Tommie Joe Sellers and Irma Garza were the pages.

1954

Installation of Officers, May, 1954



L-R: Mmes. J.A. Cardenas, Treasurer, Orville Cox, Assistant Director, T.J. Coffey, Director, Joe Pate, Outgoing Director, and Mrs. Noel C. Ice, Recording Secretary

1956

Officer Installation May, 1956



L-R: Mmes. C.L. Klinck, Secretary, J.E. Wilkins, Associate Director, Fletcher Rawls, Director, C.M. Barton, Treasurer, and J.E. Pate, Installing Officer

1957

Installation of Officers 1957



Seated from L-R: Mmes. Mike Groom, Recording Secretary, J.E. Wilkins, Director, C.L. Klinck, Jr., Assoc. Dir, M.H. Laycock, Parliamentarian, T.P. Braselton, Custodian, & R.L. Harris, Chaplain

Scholarship Presentation -1957



Mrs. A.F. Vannoy presents scholarship to Elia Hinojosa

1958

Planning for Pan American Observance Day 1958



McAllen, SJ/A/P, Edinburg and Reynosa will have a joint Celebration at a seated coffee.
L-R: Mmes. R.T. Cuellar, Dario Guerra, C.L. Klinck, and C.M. Barton

Scholarship Presentation - 1958



Recipient of the scholarship is Sylvia Acevedo, center, with Mrs. J.E. Wilkins, Director and Mrs. C. L. Klinck of the Scholarship Committee.

1959

Installation of Officers May 19, 1959



Mrs. Groom, Director, Mrs. Cox, Associate Director, Mrs. Martinez, Recording Secretary, Mrs. Jackson, Treasurer

25th Jubilee at Casa De Palmas – Nov. 16, 1959



Seated: Mrs. G.W. Johnson of Brownsville, Organizer, and Mrs. Mike Groom, Director.
Standing: Mmes. Orville Cox, State Historian, A.F. Vannoy, Past Director & Charter member, J.A. Hawkins-First Director, F.W. De Stafano, State Parliamentarian, Paul Vickers, Charter member, L.B. Weed & H.J. Houser, Charter members and Past Directors.

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