

HERE 'N THERE

The N.O. Opera Guild presented the delightful Canada Royal Winnipeg Ballet recently with Arnold Spohr as Artistic Director and Walter Babiak as Music Director. Highlights of the fine company included "Our Waltzes," "Le Corsaire Pa De Deux", "Moncayo I", "Tangos" and other charming works. Next up for N.O. Opera Guild is foremost pianist Joaquin Achucarro on March 9....The gracious Consul General of Argentina Adolfo Saracho, and Mayor and Mrs. Dutch Morial co-hosted a beautiful and glowing reception at the Plimsoll

Club recently in honor of Jorge Borges, who is among Latin America's most beloved and reknowned writers. Nominated 18 times for the nobel Prize and recipient of the Forementor Prize, the blind writer at 82 is still going strong. Spotted among the many prominent guests were Dr. Joseph Cohen, Ruth and Max Barnett- that devoted mother and son team, Dr. Peter Jaeger, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Gordon, the celebrated Thelma Toole-mother of Pulitzer Prize winner John K. Toole, Dr. Ricardo Vinas and his Naomi Dr. Juan and Ana Gershanik, Russell Rocke, and jillions more.....A recent gala and memorable event was Brandeis New Orleans Chapter's Auction Funtastic, held amid splendor at the K & B Plaza. Felice Tillman served as chairman of the big event, and very much in evidence were many "beautiful people" who contributed to the splendid evening: like Felice Harlow-Tillman's vivacious daughter, Carolyn and A.J. Levy, Linda and Richard Friedman, C. Tillman IV, Donald Meyer, Peter Meyer, Elaine Mintz, Claire Wise, Selma Hormats, Regina and Frank Mauberret and jillions more.....Congratulations to our dear friend, TV personality, Marcia Kavanaugh, who marries Leonard Radlauer on March 19.