

Ramblin' Around Lincoln County

Tape Recorded Interviews With People Who Helped Build Lincoln County

(An account of territorial life at Fort Stanton, Tularosa and the Mesquero Indian Agency, in a tape recording made at the Old Lincoln Court House Museum. It has been loaned to the News through the courtesy of John Boylan, curator.)



NELLIE ZAMORA

The houses in Tularosa were all adobe when I first came. Some of the houses had windows as small as a 10 lb. or a 5 lb. can because they were so afraid of Indians. And they made the walls thick because, I was told, they were afraid the Indians would take a rope and pull the walls down. In the 16-inch walls they put the adobe in double, first cross ways and then cross ways again.

My father-in-law, Mr. Gomez, was the one who did the carpentry. He made the doors two and three inches thick, and they had iron cross bars. Sometimes they put the little windows way up near the ceiling so the Indians couldn't look in. The doors had bolts so they could lock them good on the inside. Then they commenced to make wider windows with lumber because it was faster, but they had iron cross bars on them.

Wagon trains coming up from El Paso stopped at Tularosa and went on to Mesquero. One time the Indians attacked a train just this side of Tularosa, maybe six miles or more. There was a sick lady along and another had a baby. The Indians were hiding in big rocks on top of Cerro Mountain. They killed everyone except the baby and Benito Montoya. He ran away to the Tularosa river. They say the Indians grabbed the baby by the feet and knocked him against the wheel and thought they had killed him. But he lived and grew up with a scar above his ear. They took the horses and the bedding and everything, leaving only the wool from the mattresses.

The Indians used to come to the settlements of Tularosa to trade moccasins, baskets, beads and such. The Spanish people liked those baskets. The baskets were made like the plates they put their corn tortillas in. They put fruit in the big baskets. Some of the baskets were shaped to haul water in and the Indians put the wax of the pines on them. And they did bead work. I learned how to do bead work.

One time Pablo Duran and some of his friends went to a big battle not too far from Tularosa in the San-Andreas Mountains. They were gone all night. They say that was the last battle with the Indians.

I used to be a cook at the Indian agency in Mesquero. By that time the Indians dressed up like white men. When the older ones went out on the street they had to wear their shoes and dresses. Their customs were different from the people you usually meet, but they had to do what Washington told them to do. One day they were told to clean their teepees and their shacks. The women came to me to hide their shawls, their fancy shawls.

No, I said, what they mean is for you to clean the trash you have around your yard, the cans and such. They used to come to me for advice. I made friends with the Indians. When they'd help me in the kitchen they were nice and clean, only kind of lazy.

I did the cooking for nearly a hundred Indian school children. Everyone showed up for meals except the sick ones and they'd get hungry and send for milk. They'd come and beg me for a slice of bread because they were afraid of the matron. She was very strict.

We had to cook everything the old way — boil everything on wood stoves and bake our bread. I baked three times a week. We used 600 pounds of flour a week, 75 pounds of beef a day and beans, tomatoes, sugar, coffee, syrup and milk. We baked pies and cookies once a week.

To help me I had three Indian girls, one about 16 years old and two small ones, Martina Lily, 10 and Florence Negro 10. Two boys helped me in the morning and built the fire at 8. I had four girls who washed the dishes at noon, breakfast and in the evening. Two little Indian boys would make bunk out of the left-

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Nebraska Officials Visit Red Canyon

A large delegation of dignitaries from Nebraska paid a three-day visit to the Anti-aircraft Artillery and Guided Missile Center Thursday, November 15 through Saturday, the 17. The party arrived at Holloman Air Force Base Thursday afternoon and traveled from there by bus to Red Canyon for the Nike shoot. The dignitaries seemed quite impressed with briefing and performance of the Nike.

Accompanying them was Major General Robert J. Wood, who flew to Red Canyon from Fort Bliss to extend his welcome. Saturday morning they received a fire power demonstration at Hueco Range Number 3. The ground-air show used the facilities of both the AAA & GM Center and those of Bleggs Air Force Base. Over 60 El Paso school teachers and others from the El Paso area witnessed the demonstration.

Among those who attended Red Canyon and the Fort Bliss demonstrations were Nebraska Senator Roman L. Hruska; five Nebraska mayors, Major General Guy N. Hanninger, adjutant general of Nebraska; Harold D. LeMar, civilian aide to the Secretary of Army; Major General David H. Buchanan, chief of staff of the Fifth Army with headquarters in Chicago and nearly forty other prominent citizens.

NEW MEXICO RANCHERS INSPECT CENTER

Ranchers from southern New Mexico recently got a look at the brain, muscle and heart of the Antiaircraft Artillery and Guided Missile Center at Fort Bliss.

The ranchers, some of whose homes are on lands the Army wants to acquire, took a tour of Fort Bliss and a guided missile firing range at Red Canyon.

In addition to several briefings, the ranchers witnessed the firing of the Nike guided missile, one type missile the Army wants to test and fire on ranges it will establish where the ranchers' spreads now sprawl over the semi-desert land just north of El Paso.

The visitors had a rare treat on the first firing of the Nike when the antiaircraft missile circled away from its intended target and was exploded in the air by a safety officer. The second Nike fired, however, successfully tracked, located and destroyed the radio-controlled drone plane used as a target.

The ranchers apparently were impressed and, from outward appearances, indicated a willingness to cooperate with the military in its moves to acquire additional land for firing ranges.

Through the heart of McGregor Range runs State Road 33, a farm-to-market type road. The anticipated blading of this road has been a point of contention between some ranchers and the Army.

The road runs "squarely through an impact area," Col. Lockhart said. "We'd like to leave it open, but the importance of our training to the nation's security precludes this," he said.

Services in Hobbs For R. L. Manning

Word has been received of the passing of R. L. Manning of Hobbs, N. M. Mr. Manning is the father of Mrs. Bert Pfingsten of Hobbs.

His death occurred Sunday afternoon, November 18, after he had been struck by a car while walking on the highway near his home west of Hobbs. Mr. Manning was 89.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pfingsten attended funeral services for Mr. Manning Tuesday afternoon of this week in Hobbs.

over beef for breakfast the next morning. Two girls used to come and fill the salt shakers and the syrup pitchers in the morning. That was the help I had when I worked in that kitchen from 6 in the morning until 6 at night. I never got mad at them, but just told them in a nice way what to do and kept them from stealing my rations and pies when they were made, and to count the slices of pie and make them a little smaller so they would go around.

I knew one of their chiefs, called Domingo, who was going wild all the time. They couldn't do anything with him and they had to turn him loose. He came and went as he pleased. He used to come to Tularosa to buy fruit. When I knew him he had five wives. They were at my home one morning. I didn't know it was Domingo until my neighbor told me. But I was not afraid of the making.

Carrizozo Officials Sign Sewer Bonds

The money necessary for Carrizozo's new sewer construction will be available as soon as it is needed, the News was informed this week.

Mayor Wayne C. Withers, Town Clerk Johnson Stearns and Town Attorney H. Elfred Jones were in Santa Fe last Friday to sign State of New Mexico bonds which will provide the money for construction.

The required amount of funds will be made available as soon as Ashley G. Claasen, project engineer, completes his report. Bids for construction of the project will be opened November 27.

Earl E. Allman, public accountant, of Roswell, this week was making the final audit for the town of Carrizozo for the year ending June 30, 1956. He is making a similar fiscal audit for Lincoln County.

Girl Hospitalized After Jeep Accident

One girl was hospitalized and others riding in an Army jeep were shaken up when the vehicle went off a forest road and spilled its occupants. The accident occurred Saturday morning at the Bates Ranch in the Galinas mountains.

The girl, who was not seriously injured, was Shelby Crocker of Corona and Albuquerque. Her companions were Nora Ann McCloud and Sandra Fox of Corona, Ste. Burdette, S/S Bob Bush and Boyce Martin.

All were brought to the Carrizozo hospital by Cleve Brown and Ernest Dishman in the Corona ambulance. The accident was investigated by Army authorities.

County Savings & Loan Reports Growth

Directors of the Lincoln County Savings and Loan Association met in regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon.

They heard a financial report from J. G. Moore, association secretary.

The statement showed that the organization, in less than a five-month period, has shown a growth of 15% in total assets and an increase in loans of 30%.

HEARING WEDNESDAY ON NOGAL ROAD EASEMENTS

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners have scheduled a hearing Wednesday afternoon regarding easements the Highway Department is seeking for road improvement from Highway 830 into Nogal.

No Interest Charged on 1956 Taxes Until January 1, 1957

S. E. Grelsen, county treasurer, stated this week that, by authorization of the board of county commissioners, his office will charge no interest on the first half of 1956 taxes until January 1, 1957.

For Christmas Seals



Ernest Borgnine speaks for Christmas Seals in a special TV show to be seen throughout the country during the current Christmas Seal Sale of the tuberculosis association. The Academy Award winning star urges everyone to join him in the fight against TB.

Ruidoso Man Held Following Stabbing Near Hunting Camp

Ernest Burgess, 53, of Ruidoso is being held in the county jail in Carrizozo as the result of the death of Leo Wesley Martin, 32, Friday night, near a hunting camp on West Capitan Mountain.

Burgess is being held without bond pending a preliminary hearing in Carrizozo Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Sheriff W. G. Bradley took Burgess before Justice of the Peace Clarence E. Shaw Tuesday afternoon, where the charge of first degree murder was read. Burgess asked for a preliminary hearing and sufficient time to engage an attorney.

Monday afternoon Sheriff Bradley and State Patrolman James Clayton took Burgess to Albuquerque to submit to a lie detector test. Burgess had signed a waiver and submitted to the test willingly.

The polygraph test, conducted by A. H. Hathaway, confirmed, according to Sheriff Bradley, the findings of his office which led to the filing of a first degree murder charge against Burgess. Sheriff Bradley informed the News that he received a call Saturday morning at 1:15 from Ernest Burgess in Capitan, stating in an excited and almost incoherent voice that Martin had stabbed himself and that "he might be dead."

When Sheriff Bradley arrived in Capitan, Burgess stated that he and his 13-year-old son and Martin had been hunting on West Capitan Mountain and that Martin had tried to force him (Burgess) to drive him into Capitan. Burgess stated that on the way down the mountain, he and Martin climbed in the cab of the truck, that he stopped the truck and got out and that Martin in trying to follow him, fell from the cab onto his hunting knife.

AUTOPSY PERFORMED

(A coroner's jury later went to the scene of the death. The stab wound was examined; also bruises and lacerations on the victim's head. An autopsy determined that the stab wound, which penetrated the heart was the cause of death.)

Under questioning, Burgess changed his original version of the stabbing. Sheriff Bradley stated Tuesday night that Burgess now states that he does not know how Martin got stabbed and that he does not know if he did it.

Martin had gone to Capitan earlier on Friday and returned to the camp with two bottles of whiskey. It has been determined that both men were drinking at the time they started back to Capitan.

Sheriff Bradley states that the two men were good friends. He attributed their difficulty entirely to drinking. Martin's widow is a niece of Burgess.

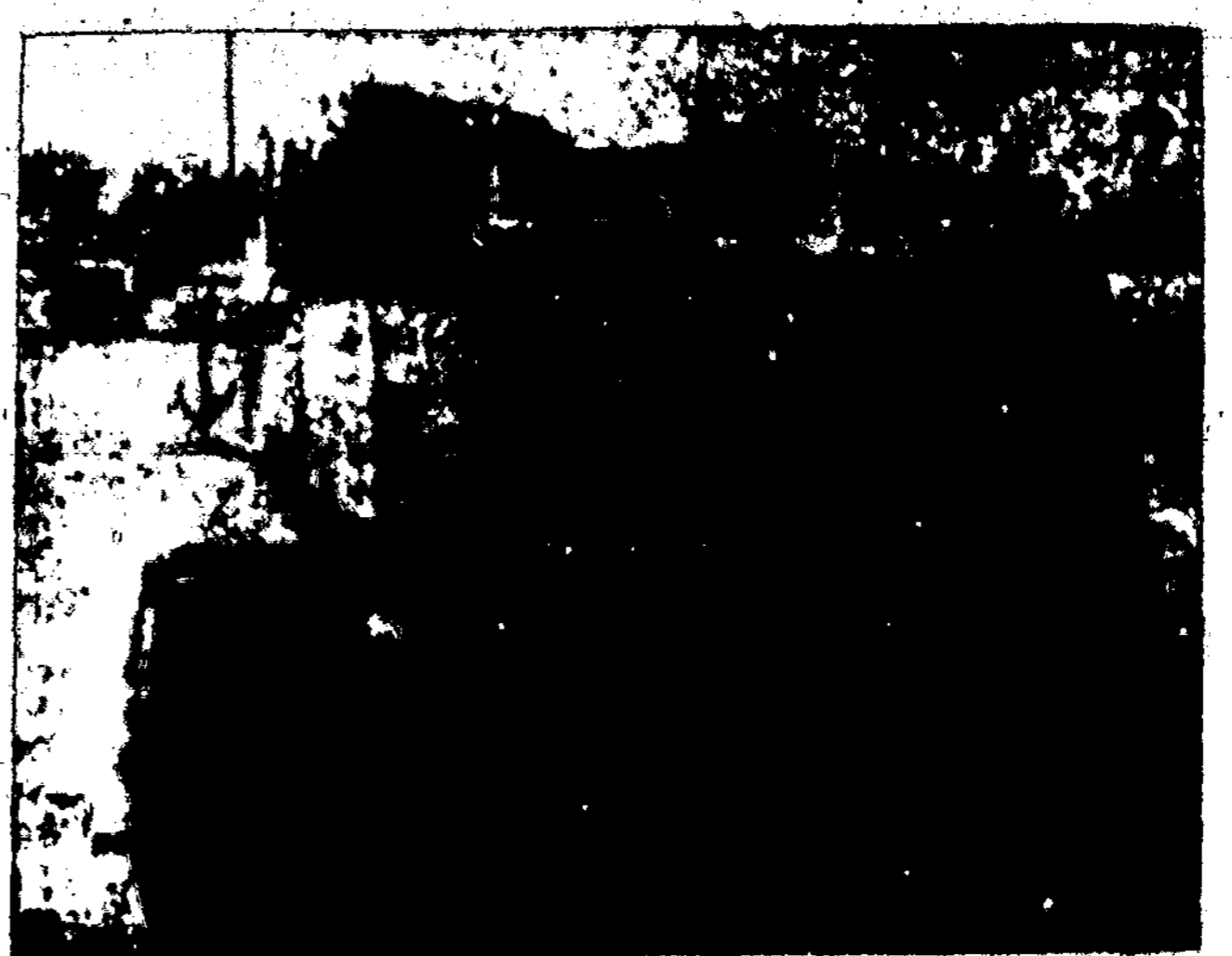
EVIDENCE OF SCUFFLE

Sheriff Bradley states there was evidence of a scuffle around the truck. A whiskey bottle and contents was found in a clump of grass nearby. The fatal weapon, a hunting knife, belonged to Martin. He was a robust man of 6 feet, 1 inch and weighing 215 pounds. Burgess is five foot 10 1/2 and weighs 143 pounds.

The Burgess family have lived in Ruidoso most of the time during the past 16 years. They have 11 children, one son being in the service. Burgess is a rock mason by trade.

Martin's body has been sent by the Shaw Mortuary to DeKalb, Texas, for interment on November 10. He was born in DeKalb December 5, 1914. His present home had been State College, N. M. He was employed at White Sands Proving Ground.

He was a veteran of World War II, having received his medical discharge January of 1946. He is survived by his widow Christine, two children, Claudia and Timothy, and other relatives.



The deer head above, being held by Floy Skinner, has a total of 20 points. The buck, which weighed out over 200 lbs., was brought down by Mr. Skinner on his Nogal Mesa ranch. Other successful hunters in the party were Sam Cox (125 lbs.) and Dick Cox (160-lb. buck.)

New Band Man for Carrizozo Schools

The Carrizozo Public Schools have acquired a new band teacher — Robert William Sherman, who has been hard at work since the beginning of the month. Mr. Sherman came to Carrizozo from Athens, Ga., where he had served on the faculty of the University of Georgia.

He grew up in Michigan and received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Michigan State University. He later acquired a Ph.D. at the Eastman School of Music in 1935. Dr. Sherman was a member of both the Michigan State marching and concert bands and of the Eastman School symphony and woodwind quintet. He is a specialist on the oboe.

At Michigan State he had a half-time teaching assistantship and served as assistant professor of music at Converse College in Spartanburg, S. C. He has also composed a considerable number of works for piano, orchestra and voice. He served in the Army Air Force as a high-speed radio operator from 1943 to 1946, reaching the rank of sergeant.

The Sherman family is now sharing half of the Lela Brewster home. In addition to Mrs. Sherman, there are three small children and Mrs. Sherman's mother. Supt. Firman states that the schools are very fortunate to have acquired the services of such a distinguished musician.

To Play in All-State Band

Robert G. Firman Jr. is going to play with an all-state (all-boy) band at the University of New Mexico's football game on Saturday, Nov. 4. The boys will assemble on the campus Friday noon and will be housed in university dormitories. They will be under the direction of Mr. Rhoads, director of the university band.

LICENSE TO WED

A license to wed has been issued by the Lincoln County Clerk's office to Margaret Lucille Eblevin, 32, of La Luz and Joseph Allen Davis Jr., 31, of Holloman. The couple were wed November 18 by Justice of the Peace Clarence E. Shaw.



HUSBAND AND WIFE AT U.N.M.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Nowace are among several husband and wife teams attending the University of New Mexico. Fred and Barbara have been married for two years. They both graduated from Nogal High School in 1955. Fred is a sophomore in the College of Arts and Sciences while Barbara is a sophomore in the College of Education. Barbara has been awarded a tuition scholarship while Fred has been named to the Honor Honor Roll and is a member of Delta Sigma Pi. According to Barbara, studies come first in the Nowace household.

Along the Way..

By PAUL BAKER

Federal employees in Texas will observe Thanksgiving this week; State employees and school children will have their holiday next week. We prefer Thanksgiving the way it used to be, on the last Thursday in November, but whether it is earlier or later, the main thing is that we have set aside a special day for thanks giving that we live in America.

In Hungary the light of freedom shone for a brief time and before darkness settled down again, 5,000 Hungarians made their escape. They have been granted asylum in America and have already started to arrive. We admire the courage of these people from Hungary. They remind us that America had its beginning because people wanted to escape from tyranny. Life was difficult for America's pioneers and it will not be easy for these Hungarians as they adjust themselves to modern America. But their children and their children's children will be forever grateful that they were given the chance to live and grow in freedom.

Because of Hungary's tragedy Americans can be especially thankful this Thanksgiving. We can give thanks because the Creator has, been kind to us, that we are a tolerant people, that we respect our fellow man and that we have the ability to govern ourselves. All is not lost in Hungary. Tyrannies have come and gone since the world began. In the end, the forces of right and justice will win the battle.

The 1957 State Legislature may or may not adopt the recommendations of the Senate Interim Legislative Committee on Welfare, but the recommendations, totaling 17 in number, merit the serious consideration of the state legislators.

Among the suggested changes are repeal of the relative responsibility law, amendment of the lien law, reorganization of the health and welfare departments, changing and strengthening the compulsory school attendance laws and truancy and establishment of vocational schools above the high school level.

The latter proposals strike at the heart of the welfare problem, in that the goal is education and training for every youngster in New Mexico wherever he may live. A young person who starts out in life with a basic education and knowledge of a useful trade would not often become a welfare problem later in life. New Mexico has a good school system and means should be found to see that children, however far they live from schools, are provided with transportation to and from school.

Vocational trade schools would be another long step forward in preparing many of our boys and girls for useful citizenship. Newly elected Governor Edwin Mechem has the welfare committee's report before him. It was presented him last Saturday by Sen. J. G. Moore, Jack Dangle and members of the committee's staff.

DISTRICT COURT

In district court this week, Judge W. T. Scoggin presiding, the case of the I Bar X Ranch vs. W-S-Ranch (damages re. live stock) was continued until the Spring term of court.

Three juvenile traffic cases from Ruidoso were disposed of. A divorce was granted Anna Belle Duncan from James C. Duncan.

Jose Franco of Roswell (driving while intoxicated) was assessed \$100 costs and put on a year's probation.

James S. Barney (reckless driving) assessed \$150 costs and put on six months' probation.

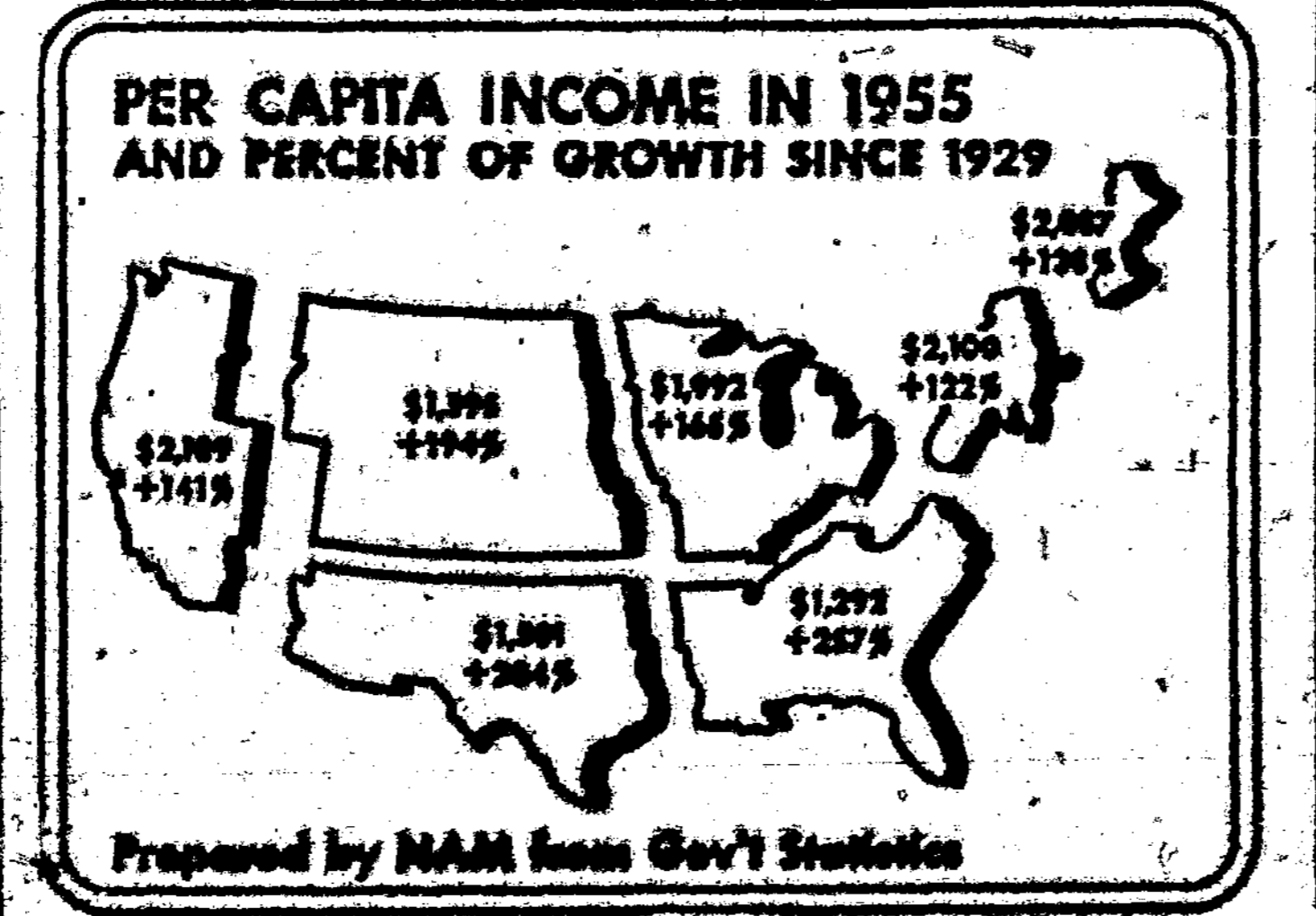
FRANCES ROMERO The death of Frances Romero, 53, of Tinnie, occurred Saturday afternoon at the Carrizozo hospital. Mrs. Romero, a widow, had been ill for some time.

She was born September 16, 1898, in Lincoln County. Interment was to be in the Picocho cemetery. Among her survivors are a daughter, Rose Crain, of Fort Stanton, a daughter in Albuquerque and a son in Alamogordo; also sisters and brothers.

Mrs. Manuel S. Chavez is in Los Angeles visiting two daughters and their families. She will return to Carrizozo around December 1.

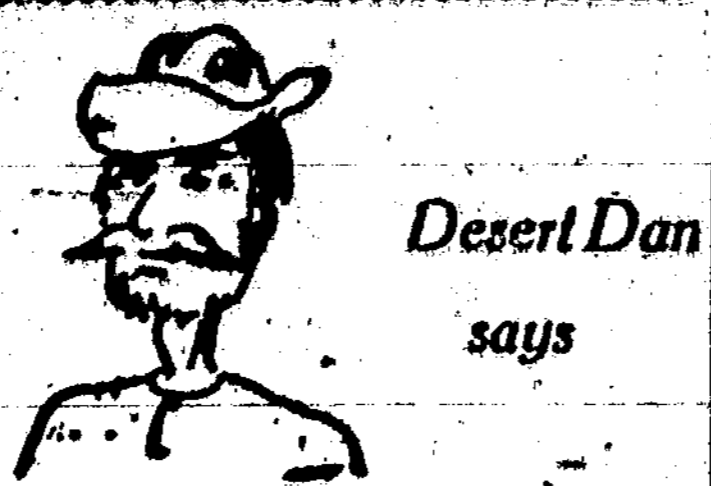
THE WEATHER

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Prepared by NAA from Gov't Statistics

Arrives in Honolulu
 Mrs. Vincent Reil has received a telegram from their daughter, Joy Dawn, telling of the safe arrival of her party in Honolulu.



Desert Dan says

Have noticed th' wimmin folks around these parts bringin' in a lot o' nice deer. While I ain't sayin' they're better hunters than th' men, this is a note o' warnin'. Th' gals kin draw a fine bead.

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THE INVISIBLE FAMILY Regularly as clockwork each week, Mr. "X's" pay check is deposited in his checking account with us. Mrs. "X's" savings from her household money are deposited in her savings account with us—yet we may not actually see Mr. or Mrs. "X" for weeks at a time. It's as though they wore cloaks of invisibility; but the real answer is that they bank by mail. You see, Mr. "X" has to travel a great deal on business, and when he's away his wife has no one with whom to leave the children; so the "X's" can't come into the bank as often as they might wish. But they can—and do—let the postman serve as their emissary. Try banking by mail yourself—we'll supply mail deposit forms on request.

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ST. PETERS EDGES GRIZZLY CAGERS

St. Peters defeated the Grizzlies Friday, Nov. 16, by the score of 37-34. The young and little experienced Carrizozo team held St. Peters to a 8-8 deadlock at the end of the first quarter. The score at the end of the first half stood 20-17 in favor of the Grizzlies.

The St. Peters Crusaders came back strong in the 3rd quarter to go ahead 28-27. The Crusaders held onto the lead and the final score stood 37-34 in their favor.

The Grizzlies showed good form defensively with a very young team and only 13 practices. Their basket shooting was poor, only hitting 20% of their shots.

The Carrizozo five meet Weed on the home court in Carrizozo this Wednesday.

Carrizozo—	fg	ft	pt	tp
Hicks, B.	6	1	1	13
Pino, G.	1	4	1	6
Ortiz, L.	0	2	0	0
Greer, L.	1	2	0	4
Beltran, A.	0	1	0	1
Pope, R.	2	2	4	6
Firman, R.	0	0	0	0
Lewis, S.	1	1	3	3
Saucedo, M.	0	1	1	1
Petty, J.	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	12	15	34

St. Peters—	fg	ft	pt	tp
Pankey, A.	5	2	5	12
Shirreff, D.	3	0	1	6
Smith, J.	4	0	1	8
De Pale, J.	2	3	3	7
Duran	0	2	3	2
Gate	0	2	1	2
Totals	14	9	14	37

Score by quarters—
 Carrizozo 8 12 7 7
 St. Peters 8 9 11 9

Hunting Season Guests
 Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gray of Clifton, Ariz., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gallacher during the hunting season. All in the Gallacher camp in Tortolito Canyon, got a deer, including their daughter, Miss Anne Gallacher.

Carrizozo Man in Marine Div. Exercises

Camp Pendleton, Calif. (FH-TNC)—Sgt. Erineo Vallejos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fran Vallejos of Carrizozo, participated in "Aglex STE" during the period Oct. 29 to Nov. 4 at Camp Pendleton. The six-day AGLEX (Air Ground Landing Exercise), involving 15,000 Marines from the 1st Marine Division, was highlighted by a combined land, sea and air assault on "aggressor" territory on D-day, Nov. 2.

The attack featured a conventional amphibious landing, a helicopter-borne troop assault launched from an aircraft carrier against inland objectives and Marine jets flying close air support.

Buster Walker, formerly of Carrizozo, was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Reil last week.

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Chairs to Be Bought For Camp Meeting

Mrs. Henry Peebles, chairman of the chair committee for the Ranchman's Camp Meeting, has arranged for the purchase of a hundred new chairs for the tabernacle.

The chairs are all-metal and of durable construction. The name of the donor is placed on the chair, or the gift may be made in memory of a friend or relative.

Mrs. Peebles may be contacted at Nogal.



LINCOLN COUNTY IN BYGONE YEARS

20 Years Ago
 (From the files of the Lincoln County News, Nov. 20, 1936.)

A play "Don't Darken My Doors," was to be presented at the Carrizozo high school auditorium.

Among successful deer hunters were Ward Leslie, Albert Snow, Dr. Clyde Snow, Charles Snow and Paul Aguayo.

Borh to Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Olivas, a son, November 13.

George Straley of Ancho won the gun given away by the T. E. Kelley Co. for the biggest buck. Mr. Straley's deer weighed 221 1/2 pounds. Other big bucks weighed in were Harry Straley's (212 lbs.) and Dewey Stokes (201 lbs.)

Mrs. T. Laramie gave a reading on Armistice Day at the Lincoln school.

An Armistice Day dance was given by the James A. Hipp post at the new Buckhorn hall in Capitan.

Mrs. C. O. Garrison left for a month's visit with relatives in Des Moines and Brooklyn, Iowa. Ben Dow of the USS San Pedro was home on 30 days furlough.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Lucas left for their Kansas City home, accompanied by A. L. Burke who was to spend a week there.

40 Years Ago
 (From the files of the Carrizozo News, Nov. 24, 1916.)

Apple Day was observed November 10 at the school house in Oscura. Johnnie Gorman won the apple biting contest and Gladys Calfee won the apple paring contest.

Conductor I. E. Schaeffer had a foot crushed by a moving train at Coyote station, where his train was moving out of a switch en route to Carrizozo.

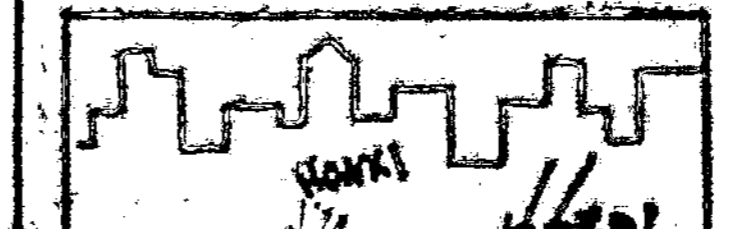
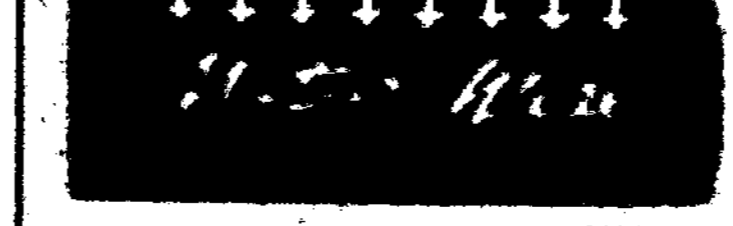
The Doctor Lucas hospital was nearing completion. J. B. Mocho, ranchman of Encinas, was a Carrizozo business visitor.

The controversy over freedom of the seas and the U-boat flared anew as the British liner Arabia was sunk, without warning, according to the British.

Carrizozo had a light snowfall and three to six inches fell in the mountains.

Hal Young was in town from his ranch in Tortolito canyon. June of this year he purchased the Miles B. May place and later bought the Tom Moore and E. C. Lane holdings.

Ed Hannon, proprietor of the local bakery, told a News reporter that it was "the hardest thing in the world to make wages out of a bakery these days the way the prices of eggs, flour and butter were going up. We live in hopes that a change for the better will take place soon," he said.



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S. P. First Half Tax Bill is \$73,667.39

The Southern Pacific Railroad last week paid the first half installment of its total 1956 Lincoln county tax bill of \$74,667.39, according to S. E. Greisen, County Treasurer.

This amount represents an increase of \$2,557.79 or 3.55% over last year's taxes levied against

Southern Pacific Railroad. E. L. Taylor, local freight agent for S. P., reports that a breakdown of the total taxes levied against the Southern Pacific Railroad in Lincoln County indicates that \$35,780.20 will be spent for support of schools, \$2,050.14 for county hospitals, \$17,822.21 for State purposes and \$19,451.84 for the operation of local city and county governmental agencies.

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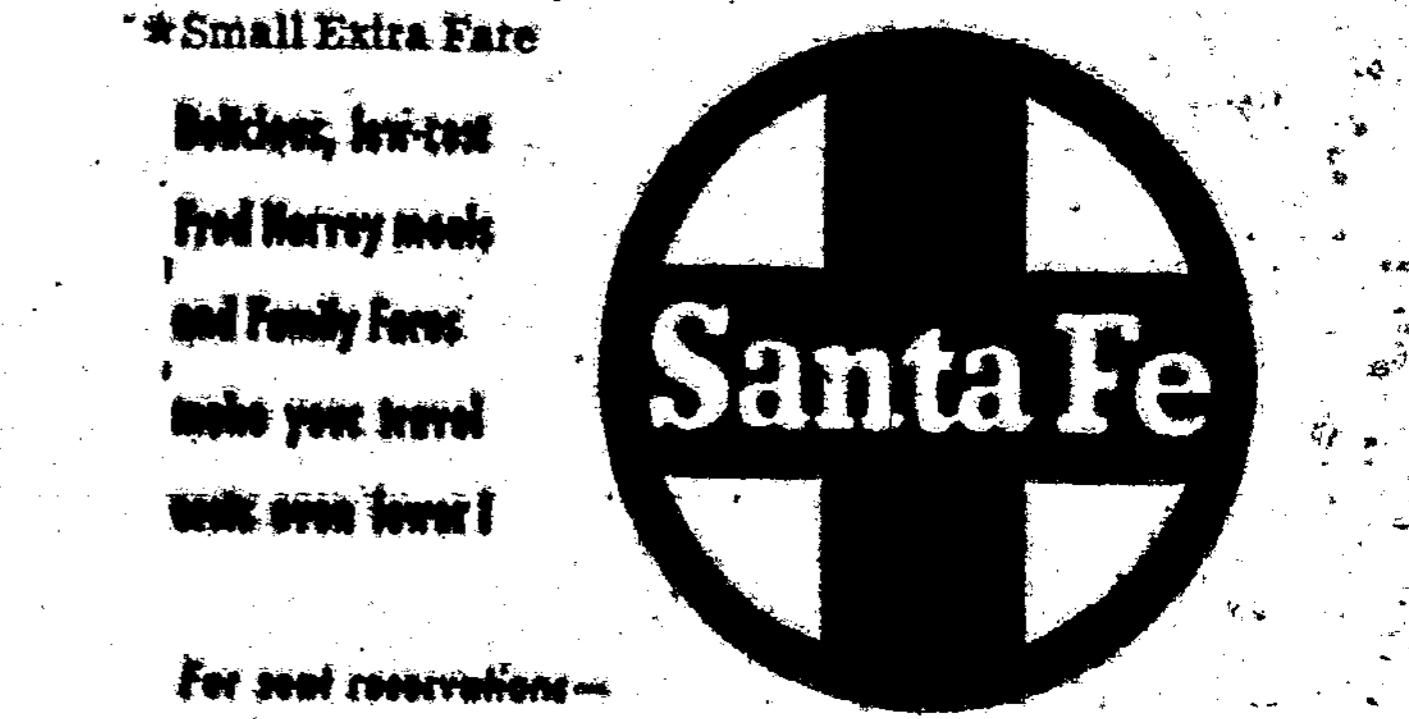
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FOLKLORE CORNER

By TED RAYNOR

(Editor's note: The following items are from the Folklore Archives of New Mexico Highlands University at Las Vegas.)

Witchcraft

Two men were shepherders. One was a Mexican and the other an Indian. They used to take their herds out every day but to different pastures. For several days the Mexican noticed the Indian disappeared and was gone for long periods of time.

He followed the Indian. The Indian led him to a cave. He followed the Indian in and there he watched him poke pins into dolls resembling people of the village. The Indian looked around and saw him and was frightened. He said to the Mexican, "Don't tell, and I will show you my art." The Mexican answered, "Okay." So the Indian said take the image of the priest and poke this pin into its stomach. The Mexican did.

That night when they took the herds in, people told them how sick the father was and that he was about to die from a pain in his belly. The next morning he pulled the pin out and the priest became well.

The Mexican became frightened and told the townspeople. That night the people went up to the cave and destroyed the dolls. They caught the Indian. He was tied to a wild horse that dragged him to death.

When the Mexican went to confession, he told the priest why he had become sick. The priest called him a fool for believing such trash, and the man was thrown out of the church. (This story was told to Charles Stevens by Juan Ortiz in January 1953.)

"La Llorona"

One time there were four men coming home from a dance in Buena Vista, a little village about 13 miles from Mora. As they approached a bridge, they heard someone crying. It sounded like a small child, and they stopped to investigate. One of the men saw a little girl about two years old running towards him and she was crying. He got off his horse and picked her up. She was very pretty and she was dressed in white. He decided to keep her until he could find out who she belonged to.

When he took his leave from the other three men, he started towards his home and was admiring the beauty of this child. He said, "My, you are a pretty little girl. I wish that you were

mine." She replied, "Yes, and I also have teeth." This astonished the man and he immediately dropped her and got off his horse. He picked up a stone to throw at her, and she was still muttering, "Yes, and I also have teeth." He threw the stone and she disappeared.

Some time later these men were coming through this bridge again. They again heard the wailing of a little girl. Today, they call her "La Llorona." (This story was told by Natividad Romero to Mora.)

The Bags of Money

Many years ago a beautiful maiden would appear at the edge of town. The borrachitos (drunkards) would follow her. She would lead them across the cornfields; but when she came to the graveyard and started to walk across it, the borrachitos would lose their nerve and go back into town. Beyond the graveyard was an arroyo. The maiden would go down into the arroyo and disappear. She would reappear the following night. Again the borrachitos would follow her as far as the graveyard and then turn back.

Now there was an old man who made his living by preparing (burning) lime in this arroyo. He was asked, "Have you seen the maiden?" He answered "No." He only went to prepare his lime in the daytime.

One day there was a big storm. The water rushed through the arroyo. The following day the old man went to see how his ovens were. (He burned his lime in great ovens.) But when he arrived, his ovens were gone. The water had washed them away. He saw a piece of wood which appeared to be the corner of a box sticking up through the earth where his ovens had once been. He started to dig and found that the box was full of money. He took the money and put it in his bag.

Strange as it may seem, the beautiful maiden did not appear again. Many say that many years ago this girl died and left her money buried. She could not rest in peace till someone found the money. That is why she kept appearing, trying to get someone to dig up her money. (This is a Mexican story, as it was told to Jennie Garduno of Espanola by her stepfather.)

If your door stop is too short to keep the knob from striking the wall, remove the rubber bumper and replace it with an inexpensive small, solid sponge rubber ball. Extends the door stop, prevents damage to wall.

ALTO BRIEFS

By AILEEN LINDAMOOD

The Charlie Peebles were in Roswell on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fox of Roswell hunted in the area last week and came by the store on Tuesday.

Leslie Young of Las Cruces, who spent a few days during the hunting season with the Buddy Guthries at Green Tree, stopped by on Thursday.

The Donald Dingwalls of Sherman, Texas, stopped over night with his uncle, George Dingwall and Mrs. Dingwall, on their way to Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. J. P. Turner of Carrizozo was an Alto visitor last Thursday.

R. Jack and J. D. Stewart of El Paso spent Friday night and Saturday at the Stewart home at Eagle Creek.

The Jim Bradburns of Las Cruces were with her parents, the Lineal Whites, over the past weekend.

The Charlie Peebles had many relatives and friends during the hunting season. The following came from Roswell: Jim and George Parkhill, Ivan Johnson, Claude Carruthers and Bill Smith and R. W. McAnally of House, New Mexico.

Walter Rodgers of Portales came for the week end to hunt with his son, Joe.

B. J. Willhite and Glenn Davis of Borger, Texas, hunted with Lineal White during the season.

The Hank Britts were in Las Cruces for the day last Sunday. Carolyn Dabney visited the George Dingwalls on Sunday.

The R. O. Pittillas of Carrizozo spent the day Sunday with her mother Mrs. Laura Creel.

The Jim Parkhills of Roswell were Sunday guests at the Charlie Peebles.

Chris Starr of Portales was in the area hunting over the past weekend.

Mrs. Harry Orme-Johnson and daughters Helen and Mrs. Malcolm Marsh, Mr. Marsh, Ann and Harry Marsh of El Paso were stop in guests at the George Dingwalls last Sunday.

Top Grade Calves Improve in Price

In its November 17 market report the New Mexico College of A&M states that good to choice steer calves reported at \$17.50 to \$19.50, good to choice heifer calves \$18.50 to 17.50. The calf market was reported steady to a little stronger for top grade with lower grades perhaps showing a little weakness. The yearling market appears to be about the same as last week with the bulk of the good to choice steer yearlings moving at \$18.00 to \$17.50.

The cow market in general appears to be about the same as last week, with steady to stronger reported in some areas while other areas reported some signs of weakening. There was a wide spread in prices reported, depending on quality, age and amount of flesh. The bulk of the cows reported at \$6.50 to \$8.50.

SALE of SALES Winners:

Final List of Winners will be announced Next Week

CHUCK ROAST	U. S. CHOICE BEEF LB.	43¢
ROUND STEAK	U. S. CHOICE BEEF LB.	73¢
ROAST ROUND BONE	U. S. CHOICE BEEF LB.	49¢
SAUSAGE	GLOVER'S 1-LB. LINK	59c
PURE PORK SAUSAGE	GLOVER'S CHUCK WAGON LB.	33¢
SKINLESS FRANKS	GLOVER'S CHUCK WAGON LB.	39¢
SLICED BACON	GLOVER'S CHUCK WAGON LB.	49¢
PORK ROAST	LEAN BOSTON BUTTS LB.	43¢

FRUIT MIX	RADIANT GLAZED 1 LB.	45c
FLOUR	PHILSBURY 5-LB. BAG	43c
APPLE CIDER	MARTINELLI'S 1/2 GAL.	65c
COFFEE	SCHILLING 1 LB. CAN	99c
COCOA MIX	NESTLE'S QUIK 2 3-8 LB.	89c
PRESERVES	PEACH — GARTH 20 OZ.	3 for \$1
SYRUP	KARO BLUE LABEL QUART	43c
PRUNES	MEDIUM — PLIO BAG 2 LBS.	49c
DOG FOOD	RED HEART 2 for	27c
CRANBERRY SAUCE	OCEAN SPRAY 303 CAN	23c
BREER RABBIT SYRUP	BLUE LABEL 12-OZ. BOTTLE	23¢
WHITE KING CLEANSER	REGULAR SIZE CAN	11¢
EGG NOODLES	AMERICAN BEAUTY 12-OZ. PKG.	7¢
BEADS O' BLEACH	LARGE BOX	39¢

POTATOES	No. 2 RUSSET 10 lb. BAG	49¢
GRAPEFRUIT	Indian River Red	10¢
APPLES	ROMES 1 LB.	17¢
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CAPITAN

By MARGARET RENCH

I wish everyone and happy and thankful Thanksgiving.

WALLY FERGUSON TOP GAINER ON A&M TEAM

In a news item from State College last week, Wally Ferguson of Capitan, is credited with having the highest rushing average of all A&M gridlers.

The hard driving fullback had carried 88 times for a net of 412 yards, an average of 4.7 a try. He has been charged with only three yards loss in the current season, less than any other major ball carrier on the club.

In last week's win over Nebraska Wesleyan, Wally scored two Aggie touchdowns.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson of Roswell visited the Gilbert Peters this past week end.

Vernon White and E. F. Luvaux were Albuquerque and Santa Fe business visitors last week. On their return they left for El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Herrera are driving a beautiful 1937 2-door Chevrolet, in dusky rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wigley and two children of Alamogordo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peters at their ranch home on the Mesa this past week.

Band Booster Club to Sponsor Game Night

The Capitan Band Boosters Club is sponsoring a game night November 30, 7:30, at the high school gymnasium.

There will be bridge, forty-two, dominoes and canasta. Everyone is cordially invited.

Any game of your choice may be played for the small fee of 50 cents. Coffee, punch, cake and cookies will be sold.

The band children and club members are giving away a lamb. All proceeds are to go toward buying new uniforms. Help the band get new suits by buying a ticket.

The drawing will be December 19 at the Christmas program.

Birthday Party Honors Mrs. Mary Werner

Grace Murphy and Lorene Ferguson gave a birthday party for Mary Werner at the home of Mrs. Don Murphy last Friday night.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Earling, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ferris, Pat Flatley, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy.

After enjoying Canasta, cake and ice cream were served. We wish you the happiest birthday, ever, Mary.

Mrs. Edna Laramie left for Wyoming last Wednesday. She will be away a few days.

Lieut. and Mrs. Lloyd Albro and children, recently of Okinawa now stationed at Baltimore, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peters last week.

Magnetite Company Moves to Wyoming

The Magnetite Mining Company moved last Wednesday to Wyoming — the Merrimans, the Brentons, Andersons and Lester Wright, Bishop and Martinez, and others connected with the company.

We have enjoyed having these nice people with us. We wish them great success in their work in Wyoming.

4-H Award Night Nov. 24 in Capitan

4-H members and parents and leaders are invited to attend the annual Award Night on November 24, at 7:30 p.m. It will be held in Capitan at the school's music room. Slides of 4-H activities during 1956 and a movie will be shown. Members completing their projects will receive pins. Musical games will also be played.

Families Gather for Robt. Leslie's Birthday

Mrs. Roy Freeland and her sister, Mrs. Bud Payne, gave a birthday party for their father, Robert Leslie Sr., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Freeland, last Tuesday, the 20th. Mr. Leslie was 71.

All the children and their families, except Bob, were present to enjoy the happy occasion.

Thanksgiving day all of the family enjoyed a nice day and dinner at the homes of Mrs. Leslie's sisters, the Bon Walker and Phelps Walker families, in Roswell.

FORT STANTON

Mrs. Alice Satterlee of Santa Fe and Miss Iona Ise LeNoir, formerly of Frankfurt, Germany, are new additions to the Fort Stanton nursing staff.

Adolf Wilson and son "Chuck" visited Fort Stanton and got their deer.

Dan Kusanovich, business manager of Fort Stanton, has been invited to submit his biography to "Who is Who" in New Mexico.

Mrs. Ethel White, widow of the late Chief Engineer Ed White, visited friends Sunday afternoon. Mrs. White maintains a home in Tucson, Ariz.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Kunkel visited the Kusanovich family recently. Dr. Kunkel was the commanding officer of Fort Stanton for five years. The Kunkels now live in Tucson.

A traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served on Thanksgiving day and souvenir menus printed by the Lincoln County News were sent by the patients to their families and friends.

Because of the extremely mild weather hunting was not as good as in the past or maybe too many hunters came. Next year may be even worse because of so many fawns and does killed this year. Some "sportsmen" were carrying little fawns over their shoulders.

Giant sequoias, earth's largest living things, sprout from seeds so small that one ounce, in theory, could produce 6,700 trees.

Farm and Ranch

By RALPH DUNLAP
County Extension Agent

Brucellosis Testing to Govern Shipments

Livestock owners are in for an abrupt awakening after January 1, 1957, when they try to ship breeding stock over 6 months of age out of the state.

After January 1, 1957, any breeding animal must be tested for brucellosis unless they come from a certified brucellosis-free area. For an area (usually a county) to become certified free, every livestock owner must test at least 20% of his breeding cattle 3 years old or older.

Although this situation may not hurt the ordinary breeder, the immediate effect of this regulation will be felt by all livestock owners in the near future.

At present, Dr. Bob O. Bond is available to test any livestock in the area free. Contact Dr. Bond early to have your livestock tested.

State Apple's Yield Increased in 1956

The state's commercial apple production for 1956 will top last year's crop by about 105,000 bushels. Although late spring frost caused some damage, production will be above the 1945-54 average of 536,000 bushels.

Productionwise, some of the

larger commercial apple-producing states didn't fare so well, and U. S. production estimated at about 90 million bushels will be about 17 percent under last year's crop of 106 million bushels. Because of reduced supplies, growers through September, received an average of \$2.66 a bushel this year. Last year's prices averaged \$2.01 a bushel.

Apple prices in New Mexico fluctuate widely. Prices are usually better in areas where grading and packing facilities are available. One of the big marketing drawbacks in the state is lack of storage facilities. Without adequate storage, growers are obligated to sell their crop at harvest time or shortly afterwards, and take whatever they can get. In some years, it might be more profitable to store and hold the crop. This, in fact, is a year in which prices are apt to go higher because of the shorter crop.

Movement of apples into storage for fresh market sale in 1956-57 will probably be much lighter than last year, yet there are prospects for a continued strong demand for apples this fall and winter.

The 1957 apple crop will probably be moderately larger than the below-average 1956 crop, if the weather is favorable. Increases can be expected in all principal areas, though production may be smaller in some states where growing conditions in 1956 were unusually good. Production in Washington in the next few years may be reduced because of freeze damage to trees last winter.

Trout Fishing May Be Endangered at Clayton

Self-styled conservationists have been dumping catfish into Clayton Lake, according to a report given Elmo Taylor of the Department of Game and Fish. Taylor discovered evidence that three barrels had been dumped at the water line, and one stranded bullhead was found. Several "balls" of young bullheads were observed during an inspection by the Fish and Wildlife Service.

"The limitations on trout production which these warm-water fishes will bring about remains to be seen," comments Ray Heas, who made the inspection.

"Careful planning by fisheries biologists can be completely upset by introduction of fish by well-meaning but poorly informed persons," reminds Director Pickens of the Department of Game and Fish.

JEST IN-FUN

Johnny: "Dad, it says here that a certain man was a financial genius. What does that mean?"
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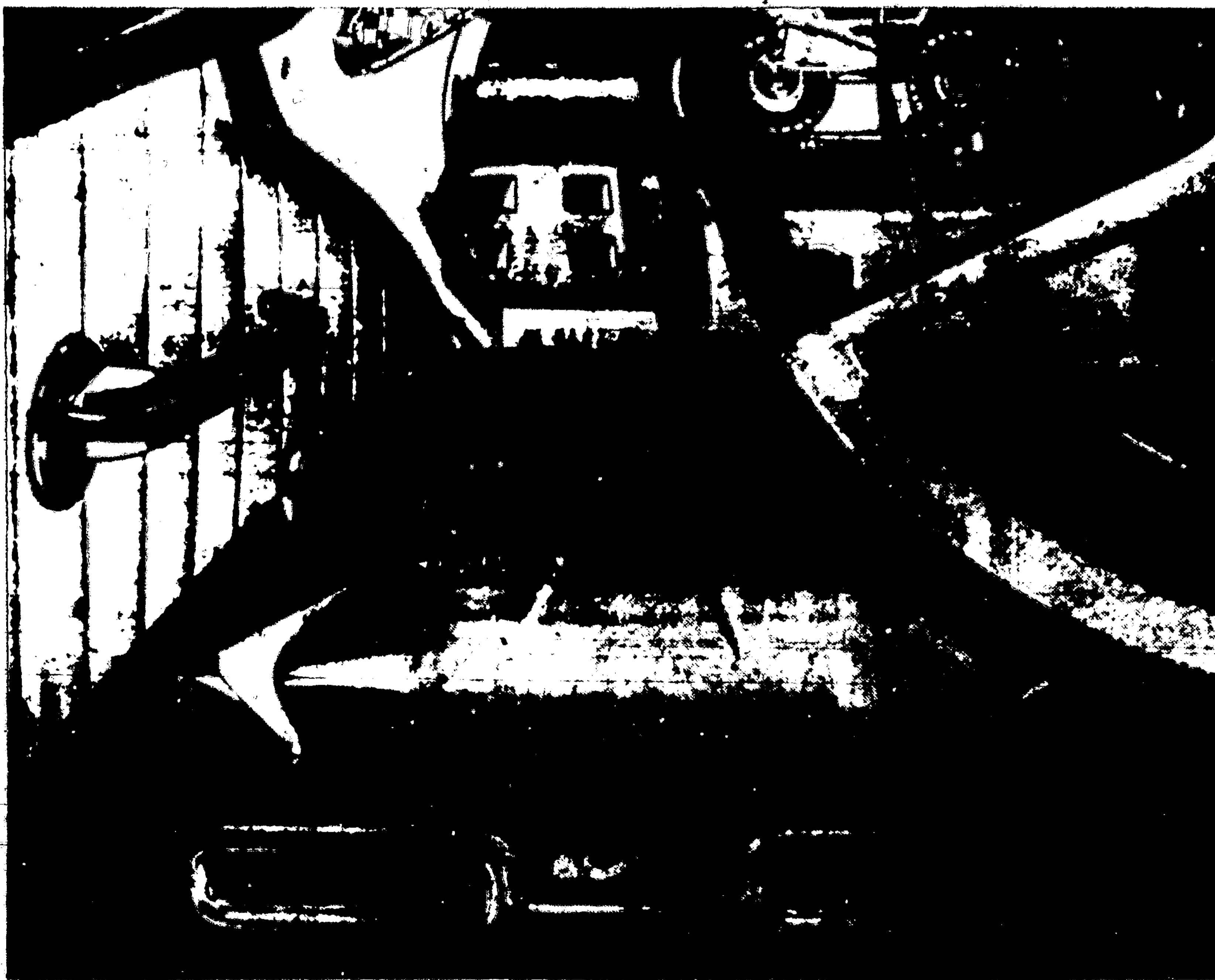
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP OF ALLEN PATTERSON, DECEASED

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP TO: Lela M. Gibson (formerly Patterson), William Henry Patterson, Hettie Ellen Patterson Dodson, and all unknown heirs of Allen Patterson, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or any right or interest in or to the estate of the decedent.

GREETINGS: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing upon the Petition for Determination of Heirship filed by Lela M. Gibson (formerly Patterson) has been set for the 28th day of December, 1956, at 10:00 A.M., in the Lincoln County District Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the property owned by the decedent at the time of his death and described in the Petition is located in Lincoln County, New Mexico and is described as follows: Surface estate only to Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4; the South One-Half of the North One-half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$); and the South One-Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$) of Section 1; all in Section 1, Township 1 South, Range 15 East, of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 620 acres and 60/100ths of an acre.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that at such time the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of the above named decedent, the interest of each claimant to his estate, and the persons entitled to the distribution of his estate, and unless you appear on or before such date and set forth your objections to such petition, or plead such other matters as may be pertinent, then the Court will enter such order as it deems appropriate in the premises based upon the petition on file herein.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the attorneys for the petitioner are T. T. Sanders, Jr. and James L. Brulin, P. O. Box 039, Roswell, New Mexico.

SHEILA E. WILLIAMS, Clerk of the District Court for Lincoln County, New Mexico. Publ. Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 1956.

AMENDED NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to A. T. PFRINGSTEN, implicated with the following named defendants against whom substitute service of process is hereby sought, to be obtained: Ylaro Peres, also known as Elario Peres; Concepcion Peres; Anselmo Pacheco; Termito Gallegos de Pacheco; Silvestre Baca; Olojto G. de Baca; Maria M. de Mandanona; also known as Maria Mirabal; Teodoro Baca; James M. Dow; Teodoro Gamboa; Marcelino Lopez Gamboa; Lupo Baca; Leopoldo Lujan; Escudal Lujan; Tomita S. Lujan; Abelino Lujan; Eliza L. Chavez; Marcario Trujillo; Esther Lujan; Felicitia Carrillo; Manuel S. Carrillo; Marjain Carrillo Juarez; Joe Carrillo; Ramona Carrillo Najera; the unknown heirs of the following named deceased persons: Ramon Lujan; Dorotea Carrillo; and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the estate of the plaintiffs: You are hereby notified that there is pending in the District Court of Lincoln County, N. M., a Civil Cause No. 6506, in which you are defendants and Henry G. Sanchez is plaintiff. The general object of said action is to quiet the plaintiff's title in fee simple to the property more particularly described in the complaint in said action, being the Henry G. Sanchez land, in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and Lots 2 and 3 in Section 19, Township 9 South, Range 16 East, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the

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R. W. McBRIDE, A. C. TIPTON.

Publ. Sept. 21 thru Dec. 21, 1956.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

IN THE PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LUCIA W. CHAVEZ, Deceased

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of October, 1956, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the Estate of Lucia W. Chavez, deceased, in the above named Court, and having qualified as such, anyone having a claim against the said estate is hereby notified to file the same within 6 months from November 23rd, 1956, and make proof as required by law.

YSIDRO CHAVEZ, Administrator.

H. Alfred Jones

Carrizozo, New Mexico Attorney for Administrator. Publ. Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 1956.

office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, November 25, 1955 in Book No. 1 of Plats, at Page 182. Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 17th day of December, 1956, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default. Plaintiff's attorneys are BRENTON & BOYCE, Box 1537, Alamogordo, N. M.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, N. M., this 23rd day of October, 1956.

(SEAL) LAURA CRAIG, Clerk of the District Court, Lincoln County, New Mexico. Publ. Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 1956.

LEGAL NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SYSTEM OF SANITARY SEWERS AND A SEWAGE TREATMENT AND DISPOSAL PLANT FOR THE TOWN OF CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:

Sealed proposals, addressed to the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, for the construction of a System of Sanitary Sewers and a Sewage Treatment and Disposal Plant for the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, will be received at the office of the Town Clerk in the Town Hall, until 7:30 o'clock, P. M., Mountain Standard Time, Tuesday, November 27, 1956, and then publicly opened and read aloud. A Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond executed by some reliable corporate surety company, authorized to do business in the State of New Mexico, in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the largest possible lump sum bid submitted, payable without recourse to the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, must accompany the Bidder's proposal, as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a Contract and execute the required Performance Bond and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after the notice of award of Contract to him. Bids or Proposals without the Bid Guaranty will not be considered.

Complete copies of the Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined in the office of the Town Clerk of Carrizozo, New Mexico, and may be obtained at the office of Claassen & Kistenmacher, Consulting Engineers, 504 North Kansas Street, El Paso, Texas, upon a deposit of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00), which deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of such documents in good condition within ten (10) days after receipt of bids.

Attention is directed to the fact that there must be paid on this Project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the State of New Mexico. A schedule of such prevailing wage rates is contained in the Specifications and Contract Documents covering the construction of this Project. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to inform himself thoroughly of all State, Federal and local laws and statutes pertaining to the employment of labor and conditions of employment.

The Bidder's attention is directed to the fact that bids or proposals shall be submitted only on the forms provided therefor in the Contract Documents and must not be submitted in letter form or in any other form provided except by filling out in ink in both script and figures the proposal form provided in the Specifications and Contract Documents which set forth in detail the various items and approximate quantities thereof contained in the Project and Contract to be bid upon. Bids submitted in any other form will be considered irregular and will be returned to the Bidder without receiving consideration by the Mayor and Board of Trustees.

The Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals or Bids, to waive technicalities, to make any investigation deemed necessary of a Bidder's ability to perform the work covered by the Plans and Specifications, and to accept what in the judgment of the Mayor and Board of Trustees is the best bid.

THE TOWN OF CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO
By W. C. WITHERS, Mayor

Publ. Nov. 9, 16, 23, 1956

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LEGAL NOTICE

OWNERS OF CATTLE, HORSES, MULES AND ASSES

Notice is hereby given that under authority of the Statutes of the State of New Mexico and by Resolution of the New Mexico Cattle Sanitary Board, duly adopted, all brands of cattle, horses, mules and asses of record in the office of the Cattle Sanitary Board of New Mexico must be re-recorded beginning February 4, 1957, and ending July 1, 1957. Application blanks will be mailed to all brand owners and should be filled out in accordance with the instructions thereon and returned to the office of the Cattle Sanitary Board together with the fee for re-recording. PLEASE DO NOT SEND MONEY UNTIL BLANKS ARE RECEIVED. JOHN MESECK, Secretary CATTLE SANITARY BOARD OF NEW MEXICO Nov. 2-9-16-23

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,)

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.) ss.

IN THE PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HATTIE MERCHANT, Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT OF EXECUTORS

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: Elbio Merchant Spencer, Lon D. Merchant, J. LeRoy Merchant, Wallace Merchant, Don Merchant, and D. E. Spencer, and to all unknown heirs of Hattie Merchant, deceased, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, GREETINGS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Elbio Merchant Spencer and Lon D. Merchant have filed their Final Report and Account as Executors of the Estate of Hattie Merchant, deceased, together with their petition praying for their discharge; that the Honorable Bryan Hendricks, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico, has set Monday, the 7th day of January, 1957, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the Courtroom of the Probate Court at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to the Final Report and Account; that at the said time and place the Final Report and Account and will proceed to determine the heirship of said Hattie Merchant, deceased, the ownership of her estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereof or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

The name and address of the attorneys for the Executors is Brenton & Boyce, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Probate Court on the 9th day of November, 1956.

(P-C. SEAL) INICE HUST, Probate Court Clerk. By /s/ ALICE KING, Deputy. Publ. Nov. 16, 23, 30; Dec. 7, 1956.

CORONA NEWS

Mrs. A. E. Mulkey

Correspondent

Corona Cagers Won First Two Games

The Corona Cardinals have won their first two games of the basketball season. The score in the first game with Moriarty was 64 to 40, November 9, and with Hondo, 62 to 54, November 10. Another game with Vaughn is scheduled for this week.

The American Legion sponsored a dance after the Hondo-Corona game Friday, Nov. 16.

Fair Crochet Entry Awarded Loving Cup

Mrs. Callie Franks received a blue ribbon on her fillet crochet entry, a buffet scarf in a rose motif, at the recent Lincoln County Fair. She also received a beautiful loving cup given by the National Needlecraft Bureau. It was pronounced the Best of Fair crochet award for 1936.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Porter of Alamogordo were visiting at the Proctor ranch the past week end.

Mrs. J. M. Shelton is home from the hospital and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley King of Santa Fe were visiting old-time friends in Corona the past week.

Jimmy Sheffeld will be leaving Friday after a two-week furlough. He will return to Camp Ord, California, and from there he expects to be sent to New York and then to Germany. His sister, Mrs. Eather Swieger of Jal, was here visiting during the hunting season.

Several people are having the mumps in Corona. Among them this week are: Bruce Stewart, Eddie Knight, and Miss Margie Cothran. There are also many cases of the flu.

Presbyterian Manse Moved to Corona

The Presbyterian manse was moved from Claunch to Corona last week, and is being improved and modernized. It was placed on the two lots adjoining the church.

Thanksgiving Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Corona Presbyterian church.

Corona Basketball Schedule
 Nov. 20—Vaughn at Corona
 Nov. 23—Stanley at Corona
 Nov. 27—Enclito at Corona
 Dec. 7—Corona at Hondo
 Dec. 8—Corona at Capitan
 Dec. 14—Corona at Stanley
 Dec. 15—Estancia at Corona
 Dec. 18—Corona at Encino
 Dec. 21—Christmas Holidays begin.

Jan. 4—Capitan at Corona
 Jan. 11—Corona at Carrizozo
 Jan. 12—Tularosa at Corona
 Jan. 15—Corona at Mt. Air
 Jan. 19—Menaul at Corona
 Jan. 25—Carrizozo at Corona
 Jan. 28—Mt. Air at Corona
 Feb. 5—Corona at Estancia

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Priscilla Hernandez, Hondo; Frances Romero, Tinnie; Shelby Cromer, Albuquerque; Bill Hightower, Ancho; Josephine Padilla, Capitan; Margie Douglas, Shamrock, Texas; Mrs. Beatrice Ortiz, Ray Warner, Lt. James Ziffirin, Oscar Rasmussen, Waters L. Burdette, Lucinda Silva, Betty Ray, and Thelma Apper, Carrizozo.

DISMISSALS: Ray Warner, Margie Douglas, Lt. James Ziffirin, Oscar Rasmussen, Frances Romero, Bill Hightower, Mary Ann Tenorio, Mrs. Claudia Bookout, Mrs. Shirley Thorp, Mary Whitmyer, Parr Mertman, Henry Romero, Billie MacVough, and Priscilla Hernandez.

DEATHS: Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Douglas, of Shamrock, Texas, a daughter, November 15, 1936, at 11:00 a.m., weighing 7 lbs. 14 1/2 oz.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hernandez, of Hondo, a daughter, November 17, 1936, at 1:07 a.m., weighing 6 lbs. 3 oz.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Doll Ray, of Carrizozo, a daughter Colleen Adele, November 18, 1936, at 1:45 a.m., weighing 8 lbs.

October Savings Bonds Sales Set New Record

More dollars were invested in U. S. Savings Bonds during October by residents of New Mexico than in any corresponding month since 1925. S. E. Grelson, Chairman of Lincoln County Savings Bonds Committee has announced.

A total of \$1,534,100.60 was invested in Series E and H Bonds last month, an increase of 25.8 per cent over October, 1935. Although Series E's show an increase by 49.9 per cent to \$1,365,000.00, Series H declined by 10 per cent to \$164,500.

County residents invested \$3,212.50 in Series E and H, during October of this year and \$15,531.81 in the same month of 1935. The total for the first ten months of 1936 is \$119,103.50. Nationwide, sales of E and H Savings Bonds were \$39 million, about the same as in October, 1935. Sales have exceeded redemptions by \$241 million this year.

Chairman Grelson reminds residents of this County that Savings Bonds make ideal Christmas Gifts—"The Gift that Keeps on Giving." Available at cost as low as \$18.75 for a \$25 Bond, they fit all requirements of the perfect gift.

Spirit Tunes
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"But Darling, won't old wine look out of place in our new cellar?"

Back in 1746, the Green Tree Tavern was built in Philadelphia. It rapidly became a social center. It is now the Parish home of the First Methodist Church.

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 WILL BARRY
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Hunters Take Out Large Number of Deer

Hunters from all over the state and many from other states took out a large number of deer, both bucks and does, between the 10th and 18th of this month. It seems this was a very successful deer season.

Mr. and Mrs. Librado Alirez received word their daughter Frances was able to come home from the children's hospital at Hot Springs.

Mrs. George Hanson's father, L. N. Curry, was killed in a railroad accident near Amarillo, Texas, Saturday night, November 17. Funeral services were at Clayton the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Owens had as their guests the past week end his niece, Mrs. Elba Green and four children of Albuquerque.

Walter Parker of Albuquerque, brother of Mrs. Alex Jenkins, was here hunting the past week end. He got his deer.

Check Writer Wins Release On Habeas Corpus Writ

A man being held at Montahans, Texas, to answer a bad check charge in Lincoln County, was released on a writ of habeas corpus, Sheriff W. G. Bradley was informed this week by W. B. McErlin, sheriff of Ward county. Appearing before the Ward county judge, G. D. Armstrong promised to make good on a check written for \$150 to Monte Gardenhire of Buldoso, and was released.

Attend Basketball Meeting

Wendell Watson, Carrizozo High School principal, and John Volt, basketball coach, attended a meeting in Dexter to settle problems concerning the district basketball tournament which will be held in the St. Peter's gymnasium in Roswell this February. It was voted to abolish the consolation bracket, at least for this year.

PARAKEETS FOR SALE

PARAKEETS (Love Birds) for sale. A nice gift for Christmas. Blakely's Studio, Carrizozo, New Mexico. 11-23-36

STATE GAME DEPARTMENT

"WARM WATER" TROUT ARRIVES

In a quest for rainbow trout that will withstand waters warmer than our New Mexico trout can take, 710 rainbows have just been imported from Old Mexico. These trout, ranging in size from two to eight inches, were taken from the tributaries of the Rio Truchas in the Sierra Madre Mountains, in Durango, Mexico, some 150 miles southwest of the town of Durango.

The first leg of their northward trip included 100 miles of dirt road, and it was rough going, according to Joe Gallegos who shared the driving with Alfred Miller. Then came a non-stop trek of 673 miles to the Hot Springs Fish Hatchery at Truth or Consequences. The men felt well enough rewarded for the long hard trip when it was discovered that only ten of the fish had died on the way.

The expedition had set out from Albuquerque on October 23. Supervisor Charles L. Fuqua of the Branch of Game Fish and Hatcheries, Fish and Wildlife Service, with Lynn Hutchins, Tom French and Raymond Johnson, also of the Fish and Wildlife Service, in two vehicles; and Gallegos and Miller driving the fish distributor of the Department of Game and Fish.

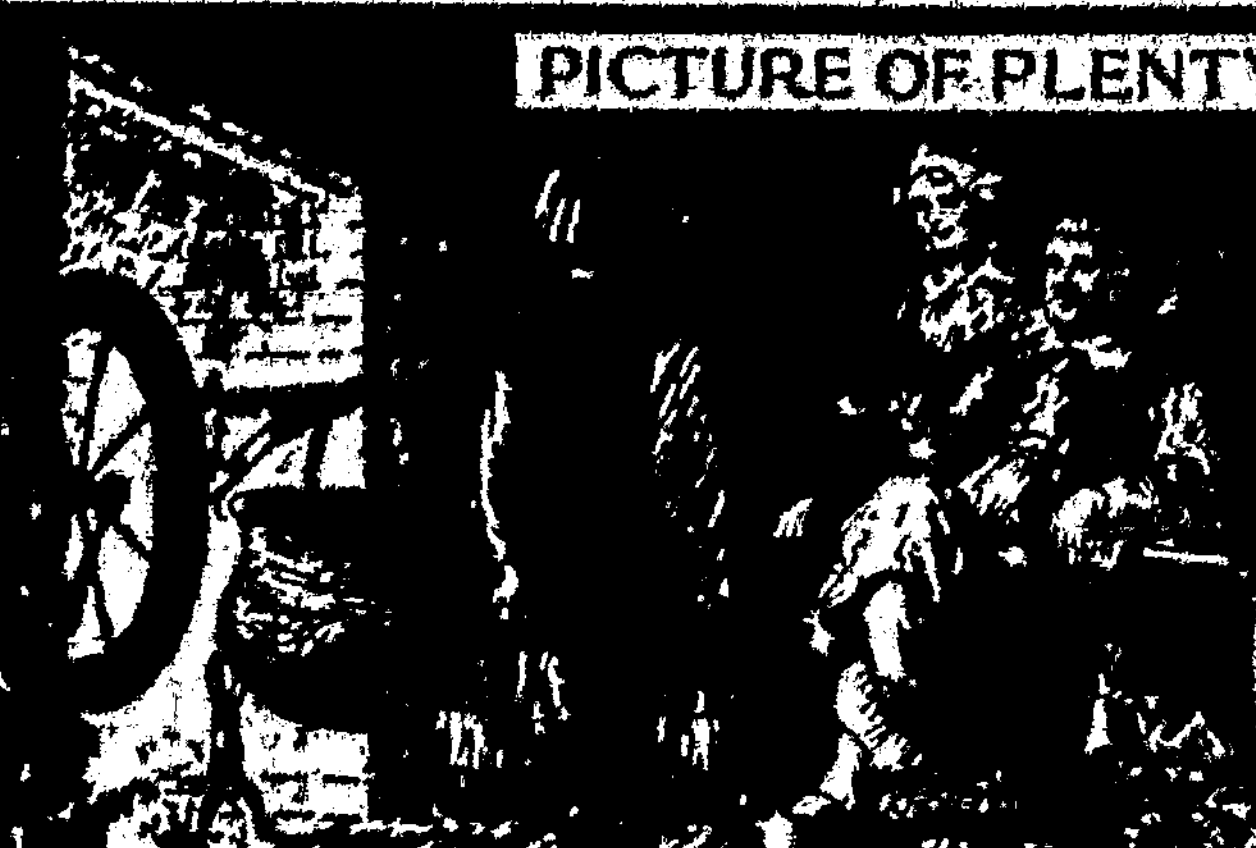
The party was received in San Miguel by two officials of the Mexican Ministry of Marine, a biologist and a fish culturist; and assistance in shocking and taking the trout was given by employees of lumberman Nunez in the area. Sr. Nunez also provided houses for the visitors while they were in the San Miguel area.

Rio Truchas, a river the size of our Red River, did not yield any trout in the mainstream and it was necessary to work the tributaries. That part of the operation came off routinely but the ticklish job was to bring 'em back alive. With good luck all round, no breakdown of motor or aviation equipment, and with steady hard driving, the 537 miles were negotiated between 2 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. on Nov. 1. Roy Barker, Chief of Fisheries with the Department of Game and Fish, does not expect any appreciable number of eggs from this stock for about two years. These rainbows are May and June spawners. The New Mexico variety spawn chiefly from February to May in the wild. New Mexico trout survive in streams at 78 degree minimum, while the trout from Old Mexico come from waters that get as high as 88 degrees.

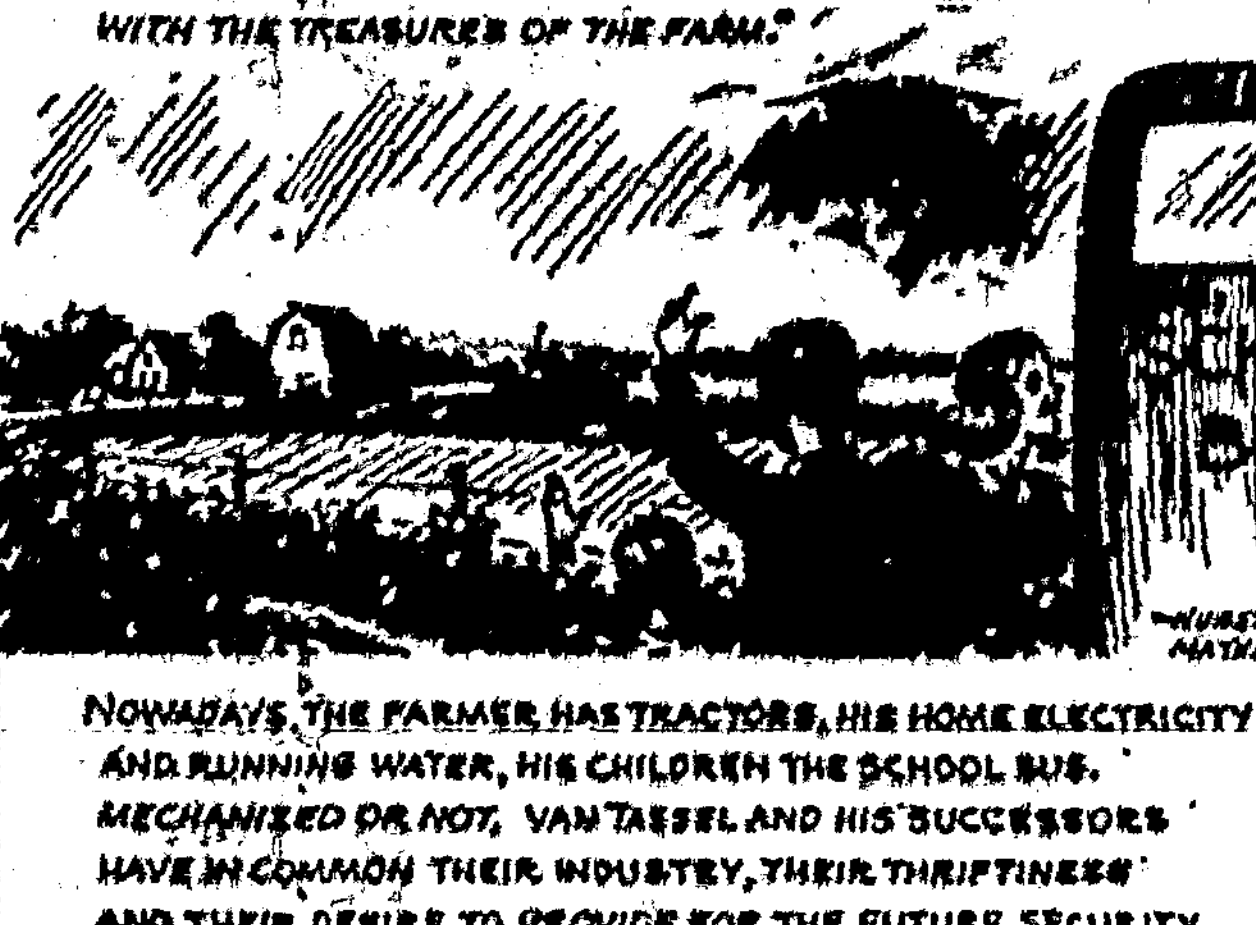
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PICTURE OF PLENTY



WASHINGTON IRVING DESCRIBED BALTUS VAN TASSEL, IN "THE LEGEND OF SLEEPY HOLLOW," AS A THRIVING, CONTENTED, LIBERAL-HEARTED FARMER, WHO WAS A PICTURE OF ABUNDANT LIVING IN THE DUTCH COMMUNITY ALONG THE HUDSON. IN THE VAST VAN TASSEL BARN "EVERY WINDOW AND CERVECE SEEMED TO BURST FORTH WITH THE TREASURES OF THE FARM."



NOWADAYS THE FARMER HAS TRACTORS, HIS HOME ELECTRICITY AND RUNNING WATER, HIS CHILDREN THE SCHOOL BUS. MECHANIZED OR NOT, VAN TASSEL AND HIS SUCCESSORS HAVE IN COMMON THEIR INDUSTRY, THEIR THRIFTINESS AND THEIR DESIRE TO PROVIDE FOR THE FUTURE SECURITY AND WELL-BEING OF THEIR FAMILIES.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Mrs. Gladys Morris and Mrs. Daisy Burns and daughter, Clara Nell attended the first annual Pecos Valley Work Clinic of New Mexico Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Half Fashion Forum in Roswell, last Sunday. Hosts for the occasion were the CARLEBAD, Astesia and Roswell units.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Firman and sons Robert and Paul, attended the University of New Mexico-Montana football game in Albuquerque last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shrecon, just returned Sunday, Nov. 4, from a trip to Wyoming and Washington. At Wenatchee Wash, they visited friends of the family who showed them apple orchards, packing plants and the Washington State Experiment Station. Mrs. Maggie M. Pflingsten went as far as Laramie with them and visited her granddaughter and family.

the Hal Taylors. The Shrecon-gosts picked her up on their return through Laramie.

Commissioners Meet Dec. 6

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold the last regular meeting of the present board Thursday, December 6. Two newly elected county commissioners, Emmett Reese of Buldoso and Clint Sultemeier of Corona, have been invited to attend the meeting.

JEST IN FUN

The guest finally arose to leave. "Well, good night. Hope I haven't kept you up too late." "Not at all," replied the host, "we would have been getting up soon anyway."

A small boy gave the following explanation of a broken window to a policeman: "I was cleaning my slingshot and it hit my granddaughter and family."

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ANCHO

A number of deer were taken out of this area. The hunters were congenial.

Mrs. Walt Wilson and Alton are visiting in Las Cruces this week.

Little Bill Hightower had his tonsils removed Monday at the Carrizozo hospital.

If the weather permits, the men of the community plan to work on the Community Building Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roper of Ft. Sumner were here for two week ends visiting the Clyde Stone-mans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lusk of Las Cruces visited his sister Mrs. Esther Grimaley and Jackie and Jimmie last Friday. Mr. and Mrs.

Lark were returning from a visit with their son Vance at Raton.

Sparky is back on his S. P. agent job after a week's vacation for hunting season. His brother Earl and his sister and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Doble Adams, all of El Paso, were guests of the Hatkeys.

Amos Prather, relieved Sparky at the depot. After Sparky's return to work Mr. Prather was sent to Roy, N. M., to relieve as agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Aragon of Morenci, Ariz. were here last week visiting home folks.

Mrs. Walter Smith of Columbia, N. M., and daughter Mrs. Glen Zumwalt of Nogal visited with Jackie, Jimmie, and Julie Straley last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Current and Mrs. Edna Littleton of Carrizozo visited Ancho Saturday.

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Chinese Checkers
 Actually consists of two games in one. The reversible playing board is 15 1/2" in diameter, with 6 individual marble clearers for 6 players. One size for Chinese checkers, other for regular checkers. 1.98

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Thursday - Friday
 November 29 and 30
RICHARD EGAN and DOROTHY MALONE
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 — PLUS —
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Saturday
 December 1
RUESS TAMBLYN and GLORIA TALBOTT
 —in—
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 — PLUS —
CARTOON