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SANTA LETTERS

Margaret Means wins 'Countdown'

Mrs. Ken Means was the winner of the RCA Whirlpool Count-Down Contest that was sponsored by the Carrizozo Hardware Company during the past couple of weeks.

Store owner, Fred English told the News that he mailed all entries to the RCA Whirlpool home office in El Paso and they judged the contest.

He received word from them on Tuesday evening of the winner.

Mrs. Means, who was reported speechless when learning the news, chose an 11 cu. ft. Whirlpool up-right freezer as her prize.

Baby Contest.
Don't miss next week's paper for details on the New Year Baby contest.

Benny Sandoval found dead

Services for Benjamin Francis Sandoval, 38, who spent most of his life in New Mexico, were held on Dec. 22, under the direction of Father Hyatt.

Sandoval, a World War II and Korean veteran, was born Dec. 3, 1924 at Clovis and he died in Phoenix, Ariz. on Dec. 15. He resided in Alamogordo at 708 Texas Avenue.

Sandoval was in the Normandy Invasion and Battles of the Bulge, and Rhine during WW II. He was attached to Gen Patton's Third Army. He received the Bronze Star and Purple Heart with a cluster.

Sandoval is survived by his son Kenneth, of San Antonio, Texas; his mother, Lucy L. Sandoval of Alamogordo; a brother, George A. Sandoval, Alamogordo; two sisters, Mrs. Candido Roman, Alamogordo and Mrs. James Ramsey, Orlando, Florida; and an uncle, Andres Sandoval, Alamogordo.

Sandoval was raised in Carrizozo and attended school here. He was cousin to members of the Vega family.

Oscuro liquor transfer OK'd

SANTA FE — State Liquor Director George Franklin approved the transfer of a liquor license from Oscuro in Lincoln County to a site 5.1 miles north of Ruidoso.

Villa Corp., owned by Midland, Texas businessmen, applied for the transfer. The corporation bought a license owned by Joe M. Dominguez, operator of the Atomic Bar, Oscuro.

The firm executed an agreement with Dominguez June 30, pledging to pay him \$10,000 for the license when approval of the transfer of ownership and location was given.

An earlier location chosen by Villa Corp. was found to be within the 5-mile limit of the Ruidoso corporate boundary and was ruled out of consideration. The new site was picked and approved by Franklin and Lincoln County commissioners. W. E. Chaney, Midland, a chemical company executive, is president of Villa Corp.

Mrs. Sanchez seriously burned

Mrs. Salaman Sanchez was seriously burned in a freak accident at her home on Saturday afternoon.

As Mrs. Sanchez was removing paint off of the floor with gasoline, some spilled and was ignited by the stove's pilot light. When she jumped away from the flames, the can of gasoline which she was holding splashed on her setting her clothes on fire.

Mrs. Sanchez's daughter, Mrs. Lorene Baroz who was in the next room heard her mother's cries and rushed to her aid, extinguishing the flames with a blanket. Mrs. Baroz suffered slight burns on her hand. Mrs. Sanchez was taken to the Ruidoso hospital suffering from third degree burns of the hands, stomach and legs. The doctors expect that she will have to remain in the hospital for two weeks.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am worried because: I know you can't not fit through any of our chimneys so mama will leave the door open for you. Be sure and lock it after you go out so nobody will get us. And I would like a cowboy hat and boots. I am four years old,
Love
Vicki Pres

MERRY CHRISTMAS, AMIGOS!

'Tis the night before Christmas, and all through the casa
Not a creature is stirring, Caramba! Que pasa?
The stockings are hanging, con mucho cuidado.
In hopes that St. Nicholas will feel obligado
To leave a few cosas aqui and alli,
For Chico and Chica (and something por mi!)
Los ninos are snuggled all safe in their camas
(Some in camisas and some in pajamas).
Their little cabezas are full of good things
Todos esperan que Santa will bring!
Santa is down at the corner saloon (muy borracho since mid-afternoon)
Mama is sitting beside la ventana, shining her rolling-pin, para manana,
When Santa will come en un manner extrano,
Lit up like the star on the mountain, cantando,
Y mama lo manda to bed with a right
Merry Christmas a todos y a todos goodnight!

Jury hung in robbery case

Christmas lights judged Friday

As reported in last weeks paper, the Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a residential outdoor lighting contest for the Christmas season.

Judges will be guests from the motels around town. They will travel around town viewing the displays put out by home owners.

Approximate time will be 7:00 p.m. on Christmas eve night.

Three prizes will be given for the most outstanding displays. First prize will be \$25.00, second, \$15.00, and third prize of \$5.00

Billing From Carrizozo
Otero County Electric Co-op has started a new billing system that will include Nogal, Oscuro and surrounding areas. The new system went into effect for the December billing period. All bills are payable at the Carrizozo office.

Paulina Junior Paul of 307 New York Street, Alamogordo and Norman Lee Morris of 309 Pennsylvania Ave., Alamogordo entered pleas of not guilty to the charge of breaking and entering a place other than a dwelling. They are both suspects in the attempted robbery of the Food Mart on November 26th.

H. Alfred Jones was appointed by the court to represent the youth. And their case went before a jury on December 17th. After several hours deliberation, the foreman for the jury, Tennis Smoot, informed Judge W. T. Scoggin the jury was deadlocked. Judge Scoggin ruled it a mistrial and dismissed the jury at 12:15 p.m.

Members of the jury were Mrs. Paul Wilson, Mrs. Evelyn Gresswell, Mrs. Joe L. Barber, Mrs. Senovio Chavez, Luciano Gallegos, Mrs. Mac McCoy, Mrs. Dorothy Quillen, Mrs. Walter Zinn, Joe Maloy, Billy Patrom, Tennis Smoot and Abe Sanchez.

Ball for Paul and Morris was reduced to \$2,500 and the next possible trial date will be in October, 1963.

District Court will be held on December 20th and 27th.

Programs planned in Christmas spirit

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE TO BE HELD AT NOGAL

The Presbyterian Church in Noga is holding a candlelight service on Dec. 23, at 7:30. Light refreshments will be served after the services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TO HOLD ANNUAL PROGRAM

The first Baptist Church of Carrizozo will hold its annual Christmas program on Dec. 23, at 7:30. The program has been planned and directed by Mrs. John McCollum and Mrs. Troy Sadler. All Sunday School departments will participate in the services.

December 31 — Community Watch Night Service will be from 8:00 p.m. till 12:00 midnight. The program will consist of speakers and music from the Methodist Church, Assembly of God Church and the Spanish Baptist Mission.

METHODIST CHOIR SINGS AT FORT STANTON

The Methodist choir of Carrizozo went to Fort Stanton, Wednesday to sing Christmas carols for the patients.

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS TO GO CHRISTMAS CAROLING

The high school chorus will go Christmas caroling on Friday night under the direction of Mrs. Veda Lou Colwell, at 6:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to join the Carolers should be at the school before 6:30. Al Seay is furnishing the singers with a hay wagon for their trip. Placed on the wagon will be a revolving Christmas tree.

Methodist Program Friday

Trinity Methodist Church — The small children of the Methodist church will put on a short Christmas pageant, Friday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the church.

The MYF choir will sing carols with Minette Smoot piano accompanist.

Official ruckus at Ruidoso Downs

When the grand jury adjourned on Dec. 10, one of their recommendations was that the affairs of the Village of Ruidoso Downs be thoroughly investigated by the office of the District Attorney, with special attention being given to the utter lack of cooperation between the village officials and the Ruidoso Downs fire department.

The dispute between village officials of Ruidoso Downs and their fire department was climaxed last week with village officials moving their office into the Chaparral Hotel. The village office had been in a room behind the fire hall. Filing cabinets, desks, official papers and the village clerk office of C. A. Culver, were included in the move.
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In the merriest spirit of the Yuletide season, the Carrizozo volunteer firemen, in the disguise of Santa Claus and helpers, and Carrizozo merchants will bring much good cheer to the park on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.

The firemen have prepared 500 cakes of goodies for the children 8 years and under. The Carrizozo merchants pooled together with prize money for the adults.

Six prizes of each will be given away to come lucky persons in town or from the surrounding area. There will be five prizes each of \$5.00 and the grand prize of \$75.00.

In order to be eligible for the drawing, you must deposit coupons listed in last week's paper at the stores named on the coupons.

Second and third prize winners were drawn on December 12. They were \$35.00 winner Mrs. L. H. Merrel, Box 224, Capitán whose money is waiting at the bank for her and \$15.00 winner Mrs. Lora Giles of Lincoln who collected her prize money.

Don't forget the day, time or place. YOU must deposit coupons listed in last week's paper at the stores named on the coupons.

Bring all the kiddies, Santa will be waiting to give them their prizes.

San Patricio Youth Killed
Ray Sanchez, 19, of San Patricio was killed in a head-on collision Nov. 2, near Apache summit southwest of Ruidoso.

Santa will be here Saturday



LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS PARTY — Staff members of the Lincoln County News gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payton for a Christmas party which included lots of food, presents, visiting and fun. In the picture left to right are Bill Baker, Rosalie Dunlap, Margaret Rench, F. B. "Lindy" Lindameed, Alben Lindameed, Ralph Dunlap, Effie Mulkey, Lee Straley, Dorothy Straley, Betsy Hooker, Albert Mulkey, Tom Kearns, John Hooker. Kneeling or sitting in front are Wayne Dunlap, Gilbert Montes, Andy Lopez, Trudy Baker, Eleanor Payton, Agnes Kearns, and Minnie Lee Nellie. (News Photo by Payton)

School boards asked to answer questions on school needs at root level

Tom Wiley, superintendent of public instruction, department of Education, for New Mexico, has asked all local school boards within the state to answer a set of questions which are expected to give Mr. Wiley and his co-workers a better concept of educational needs.

1. What changes do you anticipate with respect to the number of people you employ. Answer: There should be a slight increase in the number of teachers employed at Carrizozo in order to give the pupils the educational advantages which they should have.

2. Do you anticipate dropping or adding any programs? Answer: We do not anticipate dropping any courses — we feel they are all most essential. The following should be added or increased:

(a) In addition to our present wood working shop, we should have auto mechanics, radio repair, electronics and some metal welding.

(b) Band and instrumental music should be added to our present vocal music program.

(c) Our art department should be extended into Junior and Senior high school.

(d) Our foreign language program should be modernized with some of the new equipment which is now available.

(e) We have a new T. V. set and plan to use it in keeping with the State Department's recommendations.

Rising education costs present problem

Mr. John Gott, Chief of the Public School Finance Division was guest speaker Tuesday night at the Hondo High School. The program was sponsored jointly by the Hondo P. T. A., the Hondo chapter of the Farm and Livestock Bureau and the Hondo Optimist Club. Districts represented along with Hondo were Ruidoso, Capitán, Carrizozo and Corona.

Mr. Gott explained that the rising cost in education has presented many problems. First, he discussed the problems shared with all schools, these being the rising costs to staff our schools and the changing demands on education. He explained that since our economic pattern has changed, the tool with which to control our destiny is our education. There also has been a failure of the educators and the public to communicate.

Next he discussed the unique problems of a small school, explaining they cannot educate children as economically and efficiently as a large school. A recent proposal by the State Board will be considered and decided upon in the near future. The proposal is as follows: That there be consolidation of administration of Hondo with Ruidoso and Corona and Capitán with Carrizozo. The result being that the existing boards will cease and a new board will be elected in each of the two new districts. The schools will be carried in the same manner and location except under only one Superintendent in each district. With respect to consolidation these districts have three alternatives: Accept the proposal as made, reject it or to consider the problem and propose their own recommendation to the State.

He stated that the general fund would definitely be short at the end of the fiscal year, and that as newly appointed Director of Finance Administration, he has prepared material for the Legislature to consider at the up-and coming session and it will be for them to determine the means by which this deficit can be overcome and the anticipated increased revenue obtained.

Grand Opening Winners

Six lucky people had their names pulled for the open house drawing at Alice's dress shop on December 15th.

First prize winner for a \$75.00 gift certificate was Agnes Kearns, followed by Dorothy Current, Carolyn Wells, Rosa Chavez, Roy Gallacher and Mrs. Chevo Baca.

The names were drawn by Mrs. Ralph Currie's daughter, Tina.

Capitan BEATS Carrizozo Grizzlies

Pat Murphy - Reporter	FT	F	Pts
Capitan 63 FG	3	5	15
Cozzens	0	1	0
Eldridge	0	2	2
Lujan	1	5	15
Silva	7	2	23
Carabajal	4	2	8
Grigo	0	2	8
Zeta 59 FG	11	0	22
Ortiz, B.	0	1	2
Lovato, J.	1	4	6
Lovato, E.	1	3	9
Wrye	0	2	0
Posey	0	5	8
Gallegos	0	1	0
Vigil	2	2	8
Voss	1	2	4
Griffin	1	2	4

Fort Stanton

By J. S. C.

One day last week, plumber Elmer Votaw presented the kitchen with some nice cuts of venison from the big deer he killed, so we all had our share of wildlife, for which we thank Mr. Votaw most kindly.

Cook Cipriano Hernandez spent several days in El Paso with the home folks, and we might add without fear of contradiction, taking in the bright and gay spots in Juarez, where you can participate in a bull, or cock fight or even a clandestine love affair. But look out for the gendarms, both on this side of the International bridge and on the Mexican side. Hernandez knows the ropes and every angle and going with him on the rounds, would be like being escorted by a squad of detectives from the Burn's Agency.

Patrick Coors of Capitan is one of the new carpenters in Fort Stanton. He was doing repairs one day in No. 3, and we asked him if he was related to the Coors of Golden, Colo. "No," he said, those Coors make beer

and downgrade characters, while I try to upbuild them by mending and repairing broken homes. Some are beyond repair, but I try anyway."

"What a mess!" exclaimed the housewife. "This is nothing, came back the greasy plumber, I have to tear up the floor and finish up in the bedroom. Then you will have cause for alarm." "Pack your tools and let's call it a day," said the exasperated, soaking-wet lady.

María Rodriguez of Socorro has been discharged and she wishes to thank Doctors Jernigan and Rosenblatt and all the hospital personnel for the wonderful care and kindness given to her during her four year's stay in Fort Stanton.

The Robert V. Dean General Contractors of Alamogordo have been in Fort Stanton for several days, installing aluminum window frames in the large Nurse's Home. All the wooden frames around the building were taken down. The new windows add to the beauty of the home, and the nurses build fires in the big fireplace in the T V, reading and writing lounge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Silva and two sons of Alamogordo were here Saturday to visit Fred's mother in the Tucsons and Dorothy's sister at Indian Divide and Capitan. They came over to say hello to us. Their middle son, Eddie Joe, has enlisted in the Navy and will leave soon for San Diego, Calif.

Tragedy befell two Fort Stanton employees during the year of 1962. In the early spring nurse's aid Edith Willingham was burned in her trailer home and died a few days later in a hospital at Galveston, Texas.

In the early morning hours of Dec. 9, Erlsteo Gomez, a cook in the Fort Stanton kitchen, died of a bullet wound inflicted at Lincoln, and was dead upon arrival at the Fort Stanton hospital. The funeral was held at Lincoln and sympathy is tendered to relatives.

Painters Navarro, Cooper and Griego painted the housekeeper's supply room one day last week, to the consternation of Lela and the other girls. Rosa Armijo left for Albuquerque on emergency furlough when she was called home due to the serious illness of her father.

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Harry Fahrenbruch, Rehabilitation District Counselor of Las Cruces was in Fort Stanton last week, counsellor with patients.

Our sympathy to Mesdames Vera Rowland and Maggie Esby and families. John Rowland was our schoolmate in Carrizozo many years ago.

Your age and old time Carnivals

You are old if you can remember Soldier's scalp ointment, Arbuckles coffee, pink and red garters, stay-corsets, pantalettes, the Schottish and the Varsovjanna.

You are middle-aged if you can remember the Kaiser, dime hamburgers, knee-high dresses, the shingle-bob, the Shimmy and the Charleston. The difference between the Shimmy and the Twist, was that you did not overtax the muscles from the waist to the knees, where it inflicts the most damage.

And there was the Hoochey-Koochey, but that was only to lure the bachelors, and sometimes papa, if he was not scrutinized too closely by the ever-alert and watchful eye of mama and mama-in-law.

If he happened to sneak inside the tent unnoticed, he had better raise the tent and make his exit in the other direction, for they would be waiting out front for him with billy clubs and a notice of eviction from his nice, warm bed. Yes, girls, we talk from experience, as we were soaked once for looking up at the girls on the ferris wheel. No evil intentions, mind you, just for curiosity and to see their skirts flare up with the wind. A girl dropped her scarf accidentally and it had to wrap around our shoulders when we weren't looking, but believe you me, our body automatically snapped to attention when we felt that stinging clap across our ear. "Don't ask why you were standing at the right spot at the exact moment!" The poor, innocent girl lost her heart under the grinding cog of the ferris wheel and we lost our sense of hearing for a week. She was only one of many girl friends, before we were caught in a snare and accepted of our own free-will to repeat from the good and most sacred book, to cherish, respect and obey.

To use the old adage, "You can't teach an old dog new tricks," and when a frisky pony has led a care-free life on the open range and green pastures, he finds it most difficult to be penned up on choice oats and bran. Agree with us, fellows, but hide behind the curtain when you say yes, and don't leave yourselves an open target. As for us, we have been smitten, tramped and abused and it makes no difference now, but as we have said before, we only seek peace and goodwill with our fellowmen and our many nice lady acquaintances.

So thanks to everyone for putting up with our nonsense, and let us wish you a Merry Christmas and a Very Happy New Year!

God bless all of you! Not so many years ago, one of those old-time Carnivals came to Tucumcari, which had a tent pavilion with a player piano and a dozen beautiful girls to dance with. The dozen fellows who got on the floor to dance with these cuties, were charged so much each for the set and they had to treat the girls to drinks at the bar on one corner of the platform. A waitress who worked the night shift in a nearby Cafe was informed through the grapevine where her spouse was spending the evening. One night after the show, when the Carnival girls went to the Cafe for a late snack, she gained the confidence of one of the girls and told her that she would like to dance there with a certain fellow without being recognized. The Carnival girl told her to come over and she could wear one of her costumes and a face mask for a disguise. The next night, the top girl announced that the masked Beauty would be there to pick the man of her choice for her dance partner, after which she would be allowed to step out with him.

Madame X stepped in most gracefully, pulled her glamorous costume up to her knees and sat in a chair. The unsuspecting victim stared at her in awe from head to foot, as if to ask himself, where have I seen such a delicacy before?

No! That's the most shapely figure and the most beautiful legs I have ever laid eyes on!

When she had her many admirer's eyes popping out of their sockets, she arose and motioned to him with her finger to come on. He shoved the boys out of his way and almost tripped going up the platform. He clung to her like adhesive tape and was in his full glory, when all of a sudden she pushed him back and pulled the mask from her face. That fellow stood there as if a bolt of

lightning had stung him from the ceiling of the tent, and finally his knees buckled and he sagged to the floor as if he had been hit with a sledge hammer on top of the head.

The girls panicked, but not the wife; she ran to the Cafe and called the ambulance. When she told the doctor her story, he admonished her for putting her husband in such a state of shock. "Honey, she said, let me join that Carnival and you come along to dance and make love to me!" Join blazes, he said, you are quitting that night job at the Cafe before I have a heart attack! You are more beautiful, than all of them put together, and I'm suing that carnival tomorrow!

He didn't sue but the incident prompted the City Council to draw up an ordinance forbidding Carnivals with dance girls to stop in Tucumcari.

The Christmas Party for patients and Nativity Play was given last night and particulars will appear next week. The pa-

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tients will start going home for the holiday vacations Saturday, Dec. 22, and we ask them to not indulge to excess in Merry-Making, return in due time in bright spirits and feeling grand.

Feliz Navidad y Prospero Año Nuevo a Todos!

CHRISTMAS WRAPPING — We suggest you use the Lincoln County News, to wrap a Christmas gift, the issue of any week in December — then arrange to send it for the coming year. 51-60



A Sleighful of Good Wishes


Here comes a load of good wishes for a merry Christmas.

Shafer Feed Store
Roy Shafer — Carrizozo



Here comes Santa Claus with our warmest Yuletide greetings.

Lucero Barber Shop
Jimmie Lucero



Christmas Greetings

The Christmas candle reflects the bright spirit in which we send you our best wishes for a Season filled with Joy and Happiness.


J. G. Moore Agency
Phone 22
Carrizozo, New Mexico



GREETINGS

May your remembrances of this holiday season bring you everlasting recollections of joy and friendship.

Means Motor Supply
Bob — Don — Hank
Billy — Myrtle
Carrizozo, New Mexico



GREETINGS
of the Christmas Season

Christmas! The word awakens a host of happy expectations... stirs the imagination with visions of turkey and treats, gifts and greetings, laughter and friendship. It's a sparkling season, a joyous season... a season that beams a spiritual light into our hearts. We wish all its delights for you.

Lincoln County Branch
Citizens State Bank
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
Now paying 4% on savings that have been on deposit a full year;
3 1/2% on savings that have been on deposit six months.

Turkeys

Since Fancy Broad Breasted
U.S.D.A. Inspected
HENS 12-16 Lb. Average
Pound 43c
TOMS 14-22 Pound Average Lb.

39¢

**OVEN-READY
TURKEYS
FOR CHRISTMAS**



Chicken Hens

Fancy Baking Size
5 to 8 Pound Average
U.S.D.A. Inspected
Pound

39¢

Sausage

Peyton Whole Hog
Pound

59¢

Bacon

Wilson Corn King
Pound

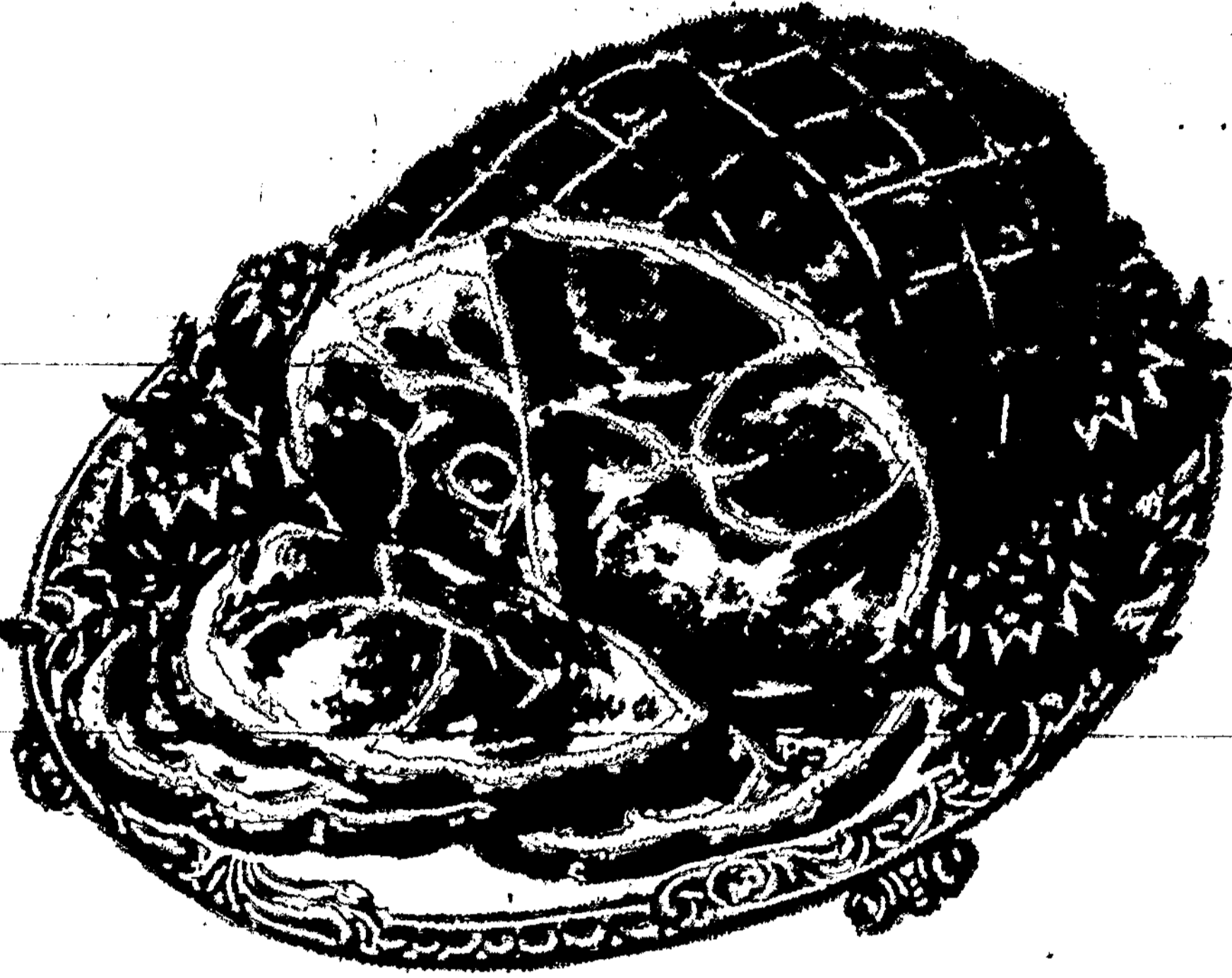
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Hams

Swift Premium or
Peyton Del Norte
1/2 or Whole - Pound

Prices Effective
Friday - Saturday - Monday

53¢



Cream Cheese 35c
Philadelphia 8 Oz. Pkg.

Game Hens 69c
Cornish 14 Oz.

Large Size Shrimp \$2.99
Peeled and Deveined 1 1/2 Lb. Bag

Chicken Gizzards 19c
Chesher 8 Oz.

Shop Food Mart for other extras
Young Geese - Long Island Ducks
Stuffed Turkey - Oysters, Etc.

- Marshmallow Creme Hipolite Pint **19c**
- Morsels Nestle 6 Oz. Pkg. **23c**
- Krispies Rice 9 1/2 Oz. Pkg. **33c**
- Shelled Pecans Azar's 10 Oz. Pkg. **85c**
- Cashew Nuts Azar's 14 Oz. Pkg. **85c**
- Salted Peanuts Azar's Virginia Roasted, Salted 12 Oz. Pkg. **49c**
- Ground Nutmeg Schilling 1 1/2 Oz. Can **45c**

- Ground Sage Schilling 1 Oz. Can **19c**
- Pumpkin Pie Spice Schilling 1 1/4 Oz. Can **27c**
- Cake Decorator Pillsbury's 4 1/2 Oz. Can **59c**
- Tomato Soup Campbell No. 1 Can **2 FOR 25c**
- Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray No. 300 Tall Can **2 FOR 45c**
- Sweet Pickles Mother's Whole 22 Oz. Jar **39c**
- Apple Cider Gold Medal 24 Oz. Bottle **33c**

- Asparagus Green Giant All Green No. 300 Can **49c**
- Tomato Juice Hunt's Finest 46 Oz. Can **2 FOR 59c**
- Corn Meal Aunt Jemima White or Yellow 5 Lb. Bag **43c**
- Flour Pillsbury's Best 5 Lb. Bag **49c**
- Stuffed Olives Don Juan 6 Oz. Jar **29c**
- Ripe Olives Libby's King Size No. 1 Can **29c**
- Xmas Hard Candy Brock's Novelty Mix 14 Oz. Pkg. **29c**

Canned Hams
Rath Black Hawk and Corn King and Morrell Pride
3 Lb. Cans Each **\$2.89**

SHORTENING FRESH EGGS POULTRY STUFFING SPICED PEACHES

- PURE VEGETABLE Food Mart 3 Lb. Can **59¢**
- Food Mart Grade A Large Dozen **47¢**
- Cubbison's Regular or Cornbread 13 Oz. Box **39¢**
- Hemet Whole In Syrup No. 2 1/2 Can **2 For 45¢**

- MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing Quart **49c**
- EGG NOG MIX Prices, Quart **59c**
- GOLDEN CORN Niblets Whole Kernel 12 Oz. Can **2 FOR 35c**
- ICE CREAM Price's Meadow Gold All Flavors 1/2 Gal. **79c**
- CHOCOLATE CHERRIES Brock's Light or Dark Chocolates 12 Oz. Box **49c**
- NUTS - IN - SHELL Pecans, Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil or Filberts Lb. **49c**
- BEAN DIP Frito - 10 Oz. Can 23c 2 1/2 Oz. Can **10c**
- TOMATO PASTE Hunt's 6 Oz. Can **2 FOR 29c**
- POTATO CHIPS Morton's Lb. Pkg. **59c**
- CHIP-O-S Morton's Giant Pkg. **49c**
- LEMONADE MIX Wylor's Pkg. **9c**
- PUREX CONCENTRATE New Powdered Bleach - 26 1/2 Oz. 79c 13 Oz. **39c**
- HAWAIIAN PUNCH Red or Yellow 46 Oz. Can **37c**

Frozen Food Items

FRUIT PIES
Libby's Pumpkin, Mince, Apple, Peach, Cherry, Boysenberry or Pineapple
8 Inch Pie **3 for \$1**

Libby's Finest
GREEN PEAS
10 Oz. Pkg. **3 for 49c**

Libby's
SLICED STRAWBERRIES
10 Oz. Pkg. **2 for 49c**

- ## Cranberries
- Ocean Spray Lb. Pkg. **25c**
- FRESH CRISP STALKS CELERY Each **9c**
 - FANCY PORTO RICAN BAKING YAMS Pound **2 for 17c**
 - LARGE SWEET NAVELS ORANGES Pound **2 for 25c**
 - EXTRA FANCY Red Delicious Apples Pound **2 for 33c**
 - RED EMPEROR GRAPES Pound **2 for 29c**
 - U.S. NO. 1 RUSSET BAKERS POTATOES 10 Lb. Bag **49c**
 - CALIFORNIA FINEST Jumbo Size AVOCADOS Each **2 for 25c**
 - SWEET RIPE D'ANJOU PEARS Pound **2 for 35c**

GREEN STAMPS

For the Big Difference

FOOD MART

GREEN STAMPS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green, Mike and Wally will arrive Saturday from Corvallis, Ore., where they have made their home for the past 4 1/2 years, to spend Christmas with Patsy's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and her brother Mr. and Mrs. Walt Jones and Yvonne.

Mr. Green has his PHD in AG ECON. and will be with the N. M. S. U. in Las Cruces after the first of the year.

Our Christmas lighting is growing. More added to some who had a tree last week are at Smokey Bear Motel, The Cables are lighted and a nativity scene near the tree, at Wares more color lights in the west window of the trailer home, and at Boney Zomora all of the front of their home facing the highway has been decorated with bows and lights.

One west First street Annaratonas tree shines out so beautifully with a greeting at the door, then Ray Provine home has a lovely one in their south picture window. The Walker home at the Walker apts, tree greets us out the north window. Perhaps I should mention now that our city has a very beautiful tree in front of the City Hall with plenty lights.

As you enter the city on the west the lights-up-high-across the highway and they are all the way across the town. The last one being as you leave on the extreme east end. Certainly makes us realize it is Christmas. We entered the east Second street and Jack Young's

tree inside greeted us in the north window and across the street the Hatley home sends its message from the south window. The Ellis Campbell home picture window on the south has a tree, its size, Annie Petree home a candle and a Santa Claus lighted in the window send their message. Bowden tree and at Soderback home a large Santa has been added inside on the tree at the near top. At the Aldrich as you enter the porch it is covered with cedar boughs etc. And Santa is lighted in the south window. The Callaway home has colored lights inside the north window with a Christmas greeting written inside.

The Jerry Lobb tree at the west Taird street, the McBride tree in their big picture window tells us gaily of this grand season and at the back door on the east their trellis is decorated and lighted. Santa waves at us from it, then Frank Garcia's silver tree, and Lucky Padillas tree. Here Hueys tree reaches out and across the street the Aloisa Padilla and the Malcom Petree homes attract us and then the Tom Current home on the other side. The Chavez home gives its joy and the Lowe home has a silver tree with its decoration and lighted in the south window. D. Chavez, Lester Lockhart and the Fred McDonald homes too have beautiful lighted trees.

As we cross Main street, the Lano store attracts us with its blue lights. The Dalton and Haley homes shine out too and

the Montoya trailer home helps us know it is Christmas.

The Flora Peralta tree inside their home on the south, the Preclad home with its candle in the window and the pretty tree inside. Franky Montoya's tree and window lights, and the McKnight tree send us on to Fifth street to find the beauties there. Coming in the extreme west end we see the Gerald Dean home with tree in the north window. The soleleather tree at the Ranger Station greets us. Then the Hollis Cummins home has a tree the size of their picture window. The Pfingsten trailer house, Kenneth Lacy, Salomon Trujillo home, Sherman Willis, Anita Chavez and Mose Mayfield home send their messages. The Miles Sundries at the time has a small lighted church in the north window. Cummins store greets us with window motifs fitting this joyous season.

Now we go north and enjoy the Cloud-Mantle-lighted-tree, the Pat Murphy and Albert Gallegos trees and the goldens at the Sparks home. Then the Dee Hickman home has Santa and his reindeer at the base of the picture window and very pretty lighted tree outside on the east. Virgil Hall's home has a large lighted tree in their south window.

We go up the north hill and we find the Corrine Provine's gaily lighted tree in the south window and it sends us on to the Bill Randle home where their south picture window gives a merry Christmas on the window with their pretty lighted tree just back of it. We travel on north and there Wally Ferguson's tree greets us in their east window with a pretty lighted tree inside. There will be many more trees and decorations this week and we will mention them next week. I thank all of you for helping me extend this grand feeling and spirit to everyone for this joyous season. Our little town does convey its message and I am proud my message to all of my neighbors and friends and everyone everywhere is that you have the Merriest Christmas ever. May His Spirit Guide and Bless you Always. Merry Christmas to one and all.

The Soil Conservation moved all of their office equipment to the new building Saturday. The Postoffice will move January 1. What a nice permanent building we have just finished on east First. All of the parking space is black topped. It is strictly modern in lighting, heating and airconditioned. We are very proud that Hollis Cummins, the owner has that kind of confidence in our future.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wallace purchased the lots west of the Dee Hickman Station where the Soil Conservation has been. It joins them on the east. The buildings were purchased separately and are being moved. One of the big buildings is gone and the other is being taken down at this writing. Soon that will be only a memory. The lots will be ready for the future.

Alfred Padilla and Susie Espenza were united in marriage Friday, December 14 in Roswell and they will make their home their as he is employed at the Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Hartley and three children of El Paso spent last weekend visiting his sister the Miles Williams family and the Champ Fergusons.

Mrs. Jess Harris accompanied by Miss Lou Harris of Ruidoso Downs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kingstons Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Floyd and their granddaughter Gale Grimes were Roswell business visitors last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cummins are the proud owners of a 1963 white 4-door Impala Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Gerald Dean, Sr., and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Jr., were business guests in Roswell Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. McNew and two children are now moving in the Parsonage. His first services are December 23. Welcome to Capitán.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Snow of Carrizozo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson at their ranch home last Sunday.

Barney Ward came home from several months in the Veterans' Hospital in Albuquerque this past week. Good health to you.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean of Bingham spent Monday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean here at their home.

The Service Property formerly Ackerman has their north windows colored in red, green and yellow. It fits in with this season. Gives more joy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norwalk are happily anticipating a Christmas visit from their children and families from Calif. and Albuquerque.

Several of us heard on the radio this Monday morning of the sudden death of Elmo Trailer at Raton by a heart attack Saturday night. He leaves a wife and little daughter. There will be services at Angus Wednesday at 2 p.m. He was employed by the game dept. Mr. and Mrs. Golden and four

little daughters live in the Sparks house and he is employed at the Ski Run.

Travis Werrier visited his mother and his brother and family in Alamogordo last Friday.

Reedie Taylor is here visiting friends at this time.

Judy Lockhart is home for the holidays from College at Las Cruces.

Charles Lockhart will not be home for Christmas as he plays ball and has to many activities at the Oklahoma Christian College but he is going home with a friend to Kansas which is near by. Charles made the

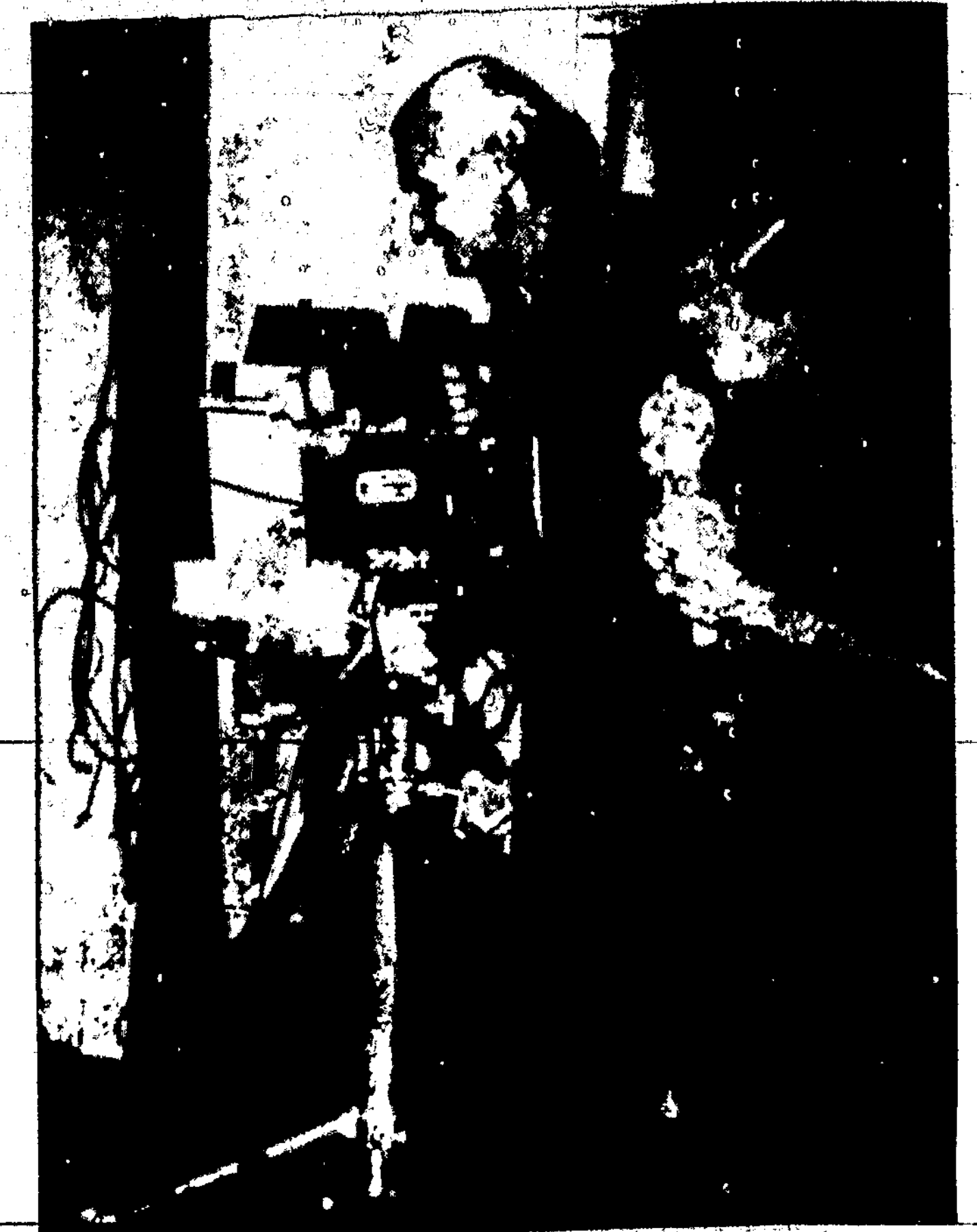
honor roll for the fall semester. We are very proud of that.

There were six lots sold here in Capitán by a Roswell Realtor last week. The last of the papers are being processed. And the lots west of the Shaw home were sold. More details will follow later. I am happy to know the interest from the outside. Shows the confidence others have in our town.

Sheriff Office's News

Jack Bryan, undersheriff from Ruidoso and Ray Provine, deputy have been working at

the sheriff's office this week. Tuesday by Sheriff Glen Bradley and Deputy Sheriff Leandro Vega.



May you enjoy an abundance of the good things in this holiday season — health, happiness and enduring friendship!

Louis Philippe of Ruidoso

Phil and Helen

For Happy HOLIDAYS

We recommend . . .

- Jack Daniels
- Old Grand Dad
- Walker's Deluxe

TAYLOR'S WINES

- Rose
- Sauterne
- Claret

A Merry, Merry Christmas to Everyone!

Rolland's Store
Cheve Baca — Carrizozo

Hi, and Merry Christmas!

Best wishes to you for a wonderful holiday.

Lincoln County Sheriff Department

Glen Bradley, Sheriff
Laandro Vega, Chief Deputy
Jack Bryan, Under Sheriff Nat Chavez, Jailer

GIFT SUGGESTIONS
For filling the stocking

- Bing Crosby Filter-Drip Coffee Maker
- Arvin & Toastmaster Electric Heaters
- Milk White Anchor Glass (Candy dish, cake plate, candle holders)
- Beautyware Chrome & Copper Can. Sets
- Can-o-Matic Knife Sharpener & Opener
- Universal, Sunbeam Mirror Percolators
- FULL LINE Pyrex & Corning Ware
- Plastic & Crystal Chip & Dip Sets
- Procto Stainless Steel Cookers
- Early American Precut Crystal

LARGE SELECTION

- Manning-Bowman Waffle Iron
- Deacware Cast Iron Skillet
- Revere Stainless Steel Set
- Reed's Rocket-Nut Sheller
- Teflon Ironing Board Cover
- Crestwood Electric Blanket
- Lennox Ware Dinnerware
- Oriswold Aluminum Sets
- Mirre Cooky-Pastry Press
- Foley Measuring Cup set
- Antique Coffee Grinder
- Sta-Hot Insulated Mugs
- Candy Thermometers
- "Can't Be Burned" Libby Tid-Bit Server
- Texan Nut Sheller
- Plastic Cake Covers
- Little Red Wagons
- Mirre Cocktail Set
- Casco Bridge Sets
- Sea-shell Salad Set
- Hamburger Press
- Casse Tea Server

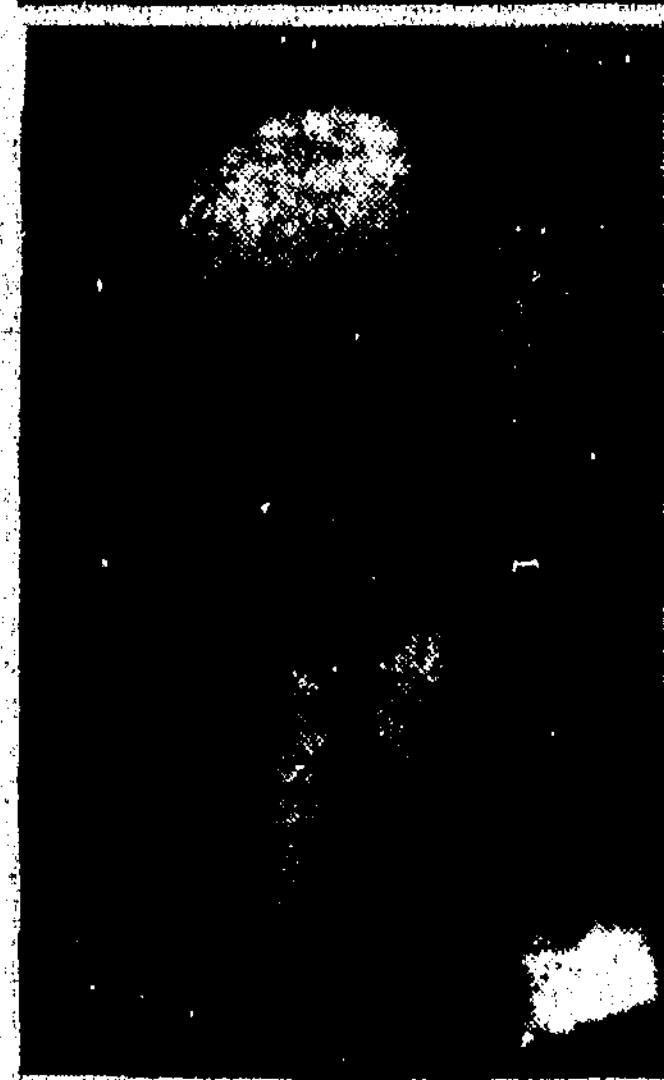
Dean Hardware
Capitan, N. M.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Again, at this happiest of all seasons, may we extend our heartiest wishes to you all . . . hoping that every joy and delight of the Yuletide will be yours to enjoy to the fullest. Merry Christmas!

FROM CAPITAN MERCHANTS

El Piasano Cafe Tony and Herman Otero	Virgil's Garage Virgil Hall
Continental Oil Company Capitan, N. M.	Hickman Chevron Station Dee Hickman
Miles Sundries Miles and Florence Williams	Speed Queen Laundry Clyde and Joe Gochenour
Murphy Mercantile Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy	Jenkins General Store Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jenkins
Natural Soft Water Laundry Margaret Rench	Smokey Bear Motel Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wallace
Arrow Gas Company Capitan, N. M.	White Mountain Insurance Agency Frances Shaw
Dean Hardware Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean	Malco Lucky Seven Station Marcel Miller, Jr.



Albert Scharf

Albert Scharf, age 71, passed away suddenly Saturday evening from a heart attack at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. William Gallacher, Sr.

Mr. Scharf was born July 27, 1891 in Springville, New York and came to New Mexico in 1913 where he homesteaded 9 miles south of Carrizozo.

He served in the Army overseas during World War I.

He started working for Southern Pacific railroad in 1923 and retired as an engineer in 1956.

He was married to Beula Gokey in October of 1963. His wife preceded him in death in December 1943. There were no children born of this marriage.

Mr. Scharf was the past commander of the American Legion Post 11 and a member of the V. F. W. 2575 in Roswell. He was active in civic affairs and a member of the Carrizozo Country Club.

He is survived by two sisters; Laura M. King of Roswell and Florence Tallchief of Silver Creek, New York; two brothers; Leo E. of Orange City, Florida and Joseph of Ellicottville, New York and several nieces and nephews of New York.

Funeral services were held at the Trinity Methodist Church in Carrizozo with Rev. Conrad Nugent officiating. Interment was made in the Evergreen cemetery.

Pallbearers were Alva Sitton, C. D. May, Roy Shafer, Joe West, Henry Hoffman of Carrizozo and Bill Norman of Albuquerque. Honorary pallbearers were Albert Saur, L. Z. Manfro, J. C. Plamor, Henry Bosch, Fred Dawson, Roy Long, Albert Snow, R. L. Huffmeyer and William Gallacher.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. Scharf's sister, Laura King and his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scharf of Florida and two nephews, Donald and Germain Scharf of New York.

Ancho Tracks

By Dorothy Straley

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Jackson, Deco Ann and Leland Cope were in Ancho over the weekend visiting with Jackie Silvera. On Saturday Sara and L. Y. and Tom Knight were El Paso business visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarlton Bond were Roswell visitors last week. Among those attending the 4-H party Saturday night at Carrizozo were the T. A. Knights and Bill and Garry Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson and boys were visitors at the B. W. Wilson ranch last week. The boys stayed with their grandparents while Charlie and Irma made a trip to Roswell.

Leo and I spent a most delightful evening Saturday in Carrizozo, the event being a Christmas get together of the staff and correspondents of the Lincoln County News. We enjoyed a tour of the printing office and saw the various presses, etc. demonstrated. We then adjourned to the Payton Residence where Paul and Eleanor were hosts to a buffet supper. After the supper we all enjoyed singing Christmas carols.

FARM NEWS

Ralph Dunlop - County Agent

Annual Extension Conference. This last week at the Annual Extension Conference, several interesting facts were brought up. First, in the bull testing, last years records show that fancy type bulls were both top and bottom in the daily gain records, proving that quality can be obtained along with weight for age.

One of the highlights of the Conference was a talk by Henry Alhgreen, Extension Director from Wisconsin. The history of this nation shows that you cannot develop the land and the promise it holds, unless you develop the people. As proof he cited Africa it has plentiful natural resources but lacks the know how to develop them. The county agents were brought up to date on the Peace

Corps. This is based on helping people help themselves. In this the requests are for over twice the number available. One of the major helps asked for, are those related to agriculture.

I had an inquirer recently from a person interested in setting up an artificial breeding service for cattle in this area. If you are interested, let me know.

Here are some dates to put on your calendar.

Fruit and Vegetable Short Course at the New Mexico State University, Jan. 18-19. Important sessions on frost research and control.

Lincoln County Woolgrowers Association at Carrizozo, Jan. 26. Major emphasis on sheep diseases.

Cattlegrowers Short Course, at N. M. S. U., Feb. 26-27. The subject for this year is ranch equipment and layout.

Farmers and Ranchers - Everybody's best Customers.

We generally think of farmers and ranchers as people who have something to sell — and who sometimes have a good bit of trouble selling it.

But if we are to understand the real place of agriculture in our national economy, we must remember that in addition to being sellers, farmers also are buyers and consumers. They are the biggest single group of buyers and consumers in the United States, which is the reason why the welfare of the rest of our economy still depends so heavily on how agriculture is getting along.

Some interesting facts along this line are mentioned in a leaflet brought out recently by the Federal Extension Service. The leaflet, "Agriculture A Big Customer," points out that farm people, who make up only about eight percent of the population, buy:

1. Thirteen percent of all the petroleum produced in the United States, more than any other industry.

2. Eight percent of all the rubber, enough to put tires on all the automobiles manufactured in the United States.

3. Twice as much steel as the railroad industry, or about 5 million tons.

4. More electricity than is used by the cities of Washington, Baltimore, Chicago, Detroit and Houston combined.

In 1961 farmers bought \$42 billion worth of goods and services of all kinds, including about \$27 billion worth of sup-

plies equipment and so on, needed to grow crops and live-stock, and about \$15 billion worth of the things we all buy to live.

Many other such examples could be cited. In addition to

the people employed on farms, about 6 million work at supplying goods and services—farmers buy and about 10 million at transporting, processing, storing and selling farm products; so that about 4 to 10 jobs in private employment are related to agriculture, about 40 percent

of all Americans get all or part of their living from pursuits related to agriculture.

That's a lot of customers. FALLOUT Shelter Booklet, av. Persons wishing to build their own fallout shelter can now obtain the most up-to-date information through a hand-

look, "Family Shelter Design," recently distributed by the Department of Defense.

The booklet, prepared by the Office of Civil Defense, provides designs and detailed construction data for eight different fallout shelters.

They range in cost from \$75 to \$650. All would reduce to at least 1/100th the amount of

outside fallout radiation reaching occupants.

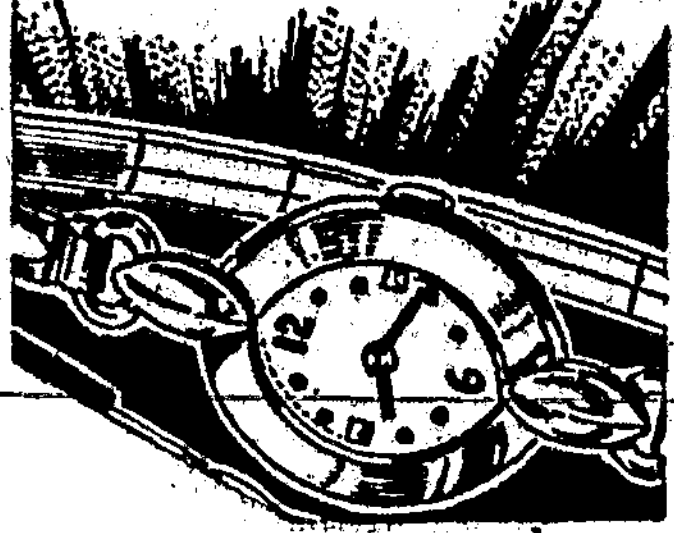
These shelters, the county agent says, are designed "for use by families who do not have access to community shelters or who prefer that their shelters be at home."

The booklet may be obtained from the Lincoln County Extension Office.

MEN

Let us help with your Last minute shopping

She needs a new watch?



Or a new ring set?



A Christmas Wish

We're wishing you and yours packages of everything good at Christmas... especially good health, good friends, good cheer.



DIAMONDS WATCHES



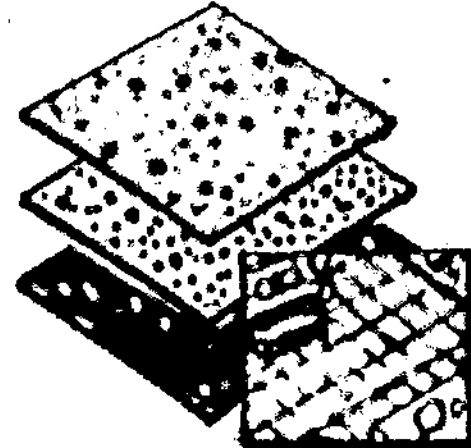
Joy, peace and good will... that's our wish to you... have a Merry Christmas!

A special greeting and thanks to the Lane Sisters, June Straley and everyone for the encouragement in my new store!

ALICE'S DRESS SHOP
Alice Scott

A new floor makes a fine gift!

We have... Vinyl floor covering, Inlaid linoleum, Plastic tile, Duplex Felt underlay, "INSTALLED IF DESIRED"



It's Christmas! May your day be merry and bright!

Posey Lumber, Inc. Phone 105 Carrizozo, N. M.

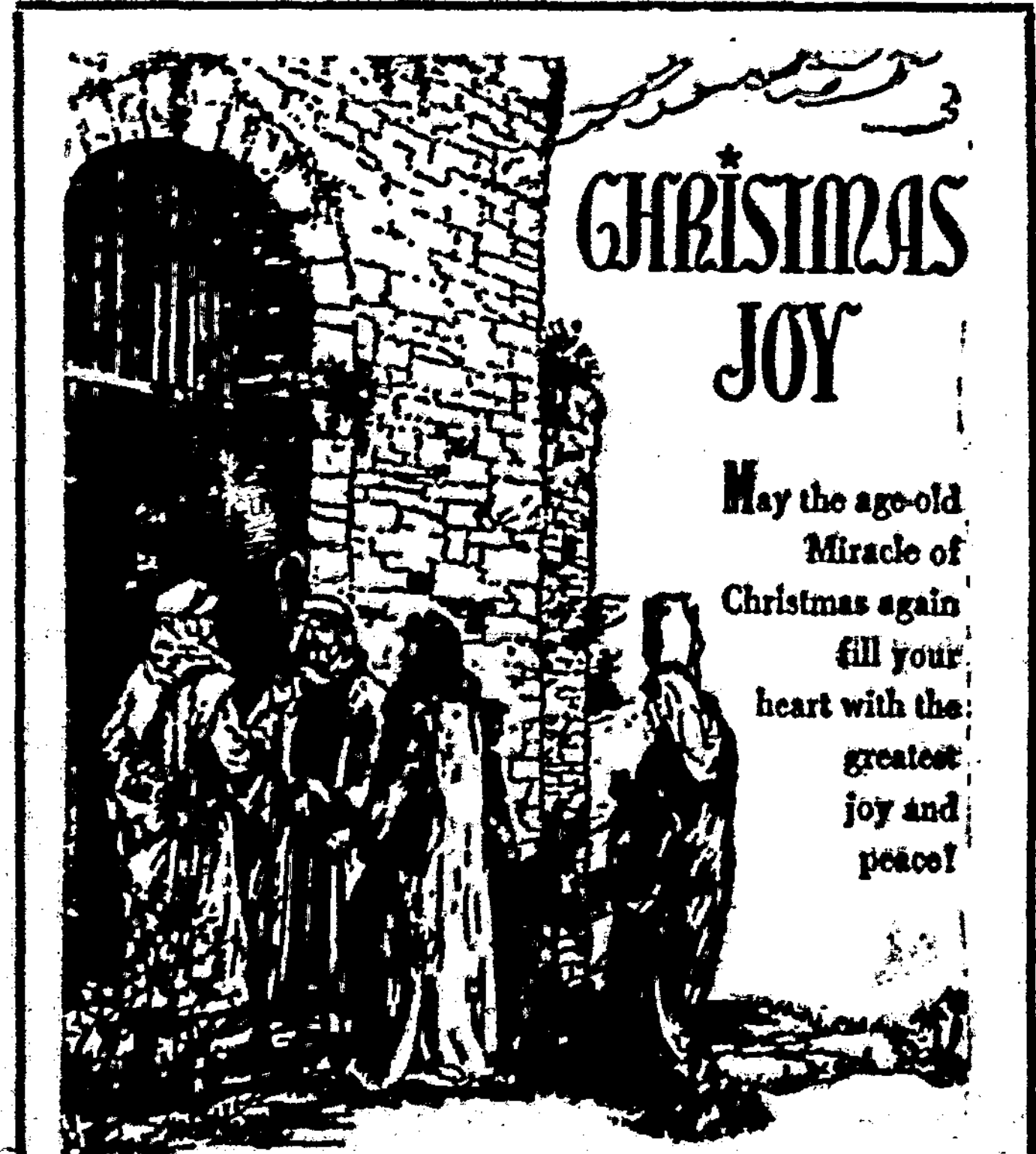


A Blessed Christmas

May the Star shine anew in your heart, bringing you all the deep and abiding blessings of Christmas.

Bob's Service

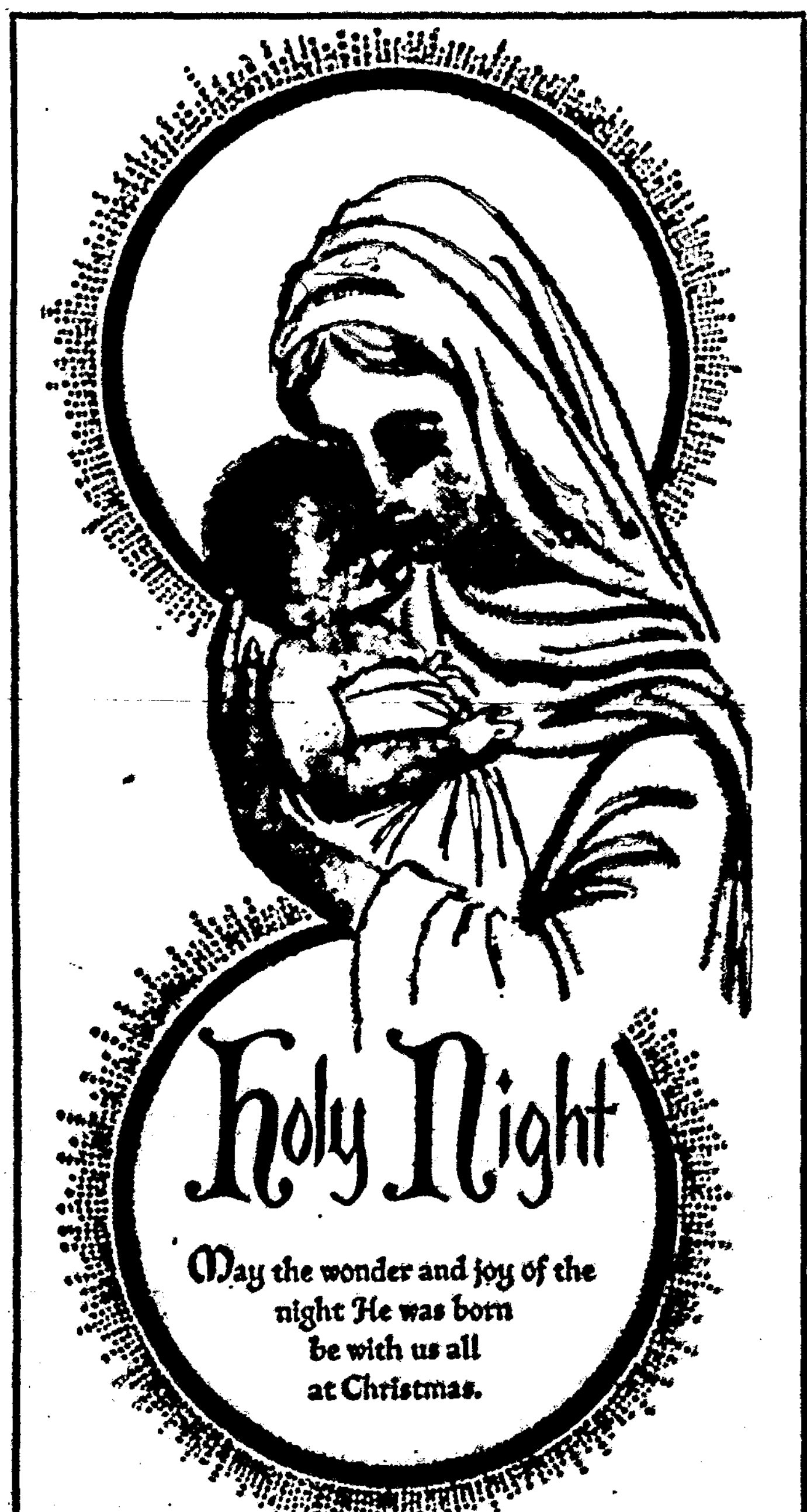
Phone 87 Carrizozo, N. M. Box 125



CHRISTMAS JOY

May the age-old Miracle of Christmas again fill your heart with the greatest joy and peace!

Arrow Gas Co.
Carrizozo



Holy Night

May the wonder and joy of the night He was born be with us all at Christmas.

J. B. Ritter Distributing Co.
A. T. Roberts — Carrizozo

Western Texaco Truck Stop No. 2
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Monte Vista Service Station
W. H. Rickerson

Ruidoso Company

Serving Lincoln County for Five Years
Free Estimates Throughout the County

All Types Roofing Work
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Ruidoso, New Mexico
Alumination especially for metal roofs
Company guaranteed for eight (8) years



The Spirit of Christmas

Born on that silent night so long ago, the Christ child brought into the world a spirit of love and peace. May His eternal life and presence enrich your heart through all the years ahead!

Otero County Electric Cooperative

Serving Lincoln — Otero — Chavez Counties

CLOUDCROFT, N. M.

"Around town"

Mr. and Mrs. James Pente-coat of Artesia were here over the weekend visiting with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kruse and Barbara. Mr. J. E. Thornton will have a very happy holiday with his two sons home, Carl from U. N. M. in Albuquerque and Glenn from Hawthorne, California. Mr. and Mrs. Don Means spent the weekend in El Paso visiting with Mrs. Means' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tilch and son, Fred. Paul Baker was in the News office on Saturday morning. He came to wish everyone goodby as he and his wife were on their way to Ouray, Colorado where they will operate the Ouray Herald. Mr. Baker told us that he arrived at the tragic accident south of Three Rivers minutes after it happened and stayed with the dead and injured until help arrived. He then came here and wrote an account of the tragedy. Definitely a newspaper man. We send our best wishes with The Bakers and hope that they will stop to see us once in a while. Mrs. Russ Eddings of Hatch was a visitor to town last Thursday and Friday. She said that she hopes to be back during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Al Windman plans to fly (weather permitting) to St.

Louis, Missouri to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Edward Windman.

Manny and David Ortiz and Bobby Rickerson will arrive home on Friday from N. M. W. at Silver City to spend the holidays with their families.

Mr. W. H. Rickerson left last week to be with his father, L. C. Rickerson of Dallas, Texas. His father is quite ill after falling and breaking his hip. Mrs. Rickerson and sons will keep the stalloh going.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott are expecting their son, Bobby who is in the Air Force, home for the holidays from South Carolina. From here he will leave for the Philippine Islands for his next tour of duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemon enjoyed a visit this week with their granddaughter, Jeannette and her husband, Lt. John Olson.

They were married December 8th at Bolling Air Force Chapel in Washington, D.C. and were on their way to George A. F. B. where Lt. Olson is stationed.

I also received a letter from Mrs. Titsworth saying she is much better this year, and sends greetings to her many friends as she can't write to each. She is comfortably located near her son and brother and sees them each week.

Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Odell of Glendora, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Layne of San Fernando, Larry Stuben and Linda visited with the Lemon's Tuesday. They also visited White Oaks to see the old home place.

Mrs. Odell will be remembered as Helen Canning whose father had a store in White Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Caton and daughter, Lynn of Carlsbad will be here to spend part of the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Caton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burns. Also spending the holidays with her parents is Jerilyn Burns who attends E. N. M. U. in Portales.

Post office employees, Roy Harman and Fred Chavez, look very official these days with their uniforms. Post Master Harman said all post office employees in first and second class post offices throughout the states started wearing the new uniforms on December 17th.

The Baptist Church is sporting a very attractive front door. Work on the new front was finished about two weeks ago.

Bill MacVeigh went to Alamogordo on Monday to have dental work done.

Otero County Electric Co-op is sure in the Holiday spirit and they are helping the town feel the same way. They are broadcasting over a loud speaker system all the beautiful Christmas carols.

Latest word from the Sanchez family about their mother, Mrs. Salamon Sanchez, is that she is feeling much better. Mrs. Sanchez was burned at her home on Saturday afternoon. We send our best wishes for her speedy recovery and hope that she will be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Sanchez and daughter, Christina, arrived from Orlando, Florida on Tuesday to see Mr. Sanchez's mother, Mrs. Salamon Sanchez.

Rev. Jesse Ellen pastor of the Baptist Church in Vaughn was in town recently visiting friends. Rev. Ellen was a former pastor of the Baptist Church here in Carrizozo.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King will have a happy holiday with all of their daughters coming home for the festivities. Mary Alice will arrive from T. C. U. at Fort Worth, Sandra Kay from U. of Kansas, Laurence, Kansas and Mrs. Frank Metzger (Sue) and her son, Kirk, from Dallas.

Mrs. Lora Giles of Lincoln left for Springville, Ariz. for a visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Sloan.

Larry Ortiz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ortiz, and a senior at N. M. S. U. in Las Cruces will go to Denver on Thursday where he will be a guest of Shell Oil Company. From Denver he will arrive home for the holidays.

Mrs. Jim Pashall was in El Paso on Monday and stayed over until Tuesday. She received ear treatment while there.

O. D. Lovelace and Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels all of Albuquerque.

Dinner guests of D. H. Deans Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Talley and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hooker of Claunch and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bagley of Corona.

Mrs. D. H. Dean and Sharon Talley shopped in Albuquerque Saturday. On their way home they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook in Belen.

Mr. Everett Stapps left Monday for a visit with his sister Mrs. Charles Speer and family in San Bernadino, Calif. Also his son, Homer Stapps and family in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Marion Pherigo and daughter, Paula spent the week end with Mrs. Pherigo's mother, Mrs. Nora Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hooker of Silver City visited the Johnny Hooker a couple of days this week.

Leonard and Tracy Montgomery—of Roswell—were here Wednesday and Thursday to see their father, Mr. Jim Montgomery who is hospitalized in Mountainair.

Alto Country

By Aileen Lindamood

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fortenberry from Happy Acre Ranch on the Mesa stopped in Monday.

Tuesday Mrs. Lydia Peebles of Alamogordo was in the community.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nobles of Ruidoso were over on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Johnson and Mrs. George Dingwall came up last Monday from Carrizozo.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith of Roswell visited the Charlie Peebles last Tuesday.

Jennings Blaylock stopped in Friday. He and Mrs. Blaylock have been living on a ranch near Ft. Sumner but are in the process of selling it and returning to Roswell to make their home.

Saturday Mmes. Jim McEuen and Sidney Preston made a trip to Alamogordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shamburger of Tucumcari flew in Saturday to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Peebles.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Leverett of Hobbs were here on Sunday.

Former Carrizozo resident dies

A former resident of Carrizozo and a member of an old pioneer family of Lincoln County, John Rowland, passed away suddenly of a heart attack in El Paso on Dec. 7. Mr. Rowland, age 62, lived at 4506 Vulcan Drive in El Paso.

Mr. Rowland was born in Angus, on May 28, 1900 and was a resident of Carrizozo until 1959 when he and his wife moved to El Paso. He was employed by Southern Pacific for the last twenty years as a signal maintenance man. Mr. Rowland served in the Navy for eight years and was a member of the Baptist Church in Carrizozo. He was also a member of the Carrizozo I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 30.

Mr. Rowland is survived by his wife, Verma B.; one daughter, Mrs. E. F. Henley of Alamogordo; his mother, Mrs. Maggie Espy of Carrizozo and two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Perkins of Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Ella Woody of Fresno, Calif.; one brother Lawrence of Tucumcari and five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday at the First Baptist Church in Carrizozo with Rev. Harold Ely officiating. Interment was made in the Evergreen cemetery. Pallbearers were Fred Current, Elmer Hunt, Marvin Roberts, Tom O'Rear, Roy Harman, Tom Bingham and J. T. Longley.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were Ufa Mostellere, Mrs. Nickolas, Mrs. Gasten Zuber, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hall from El Paso; George Hunt and Mrs. Marion Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bingham from Tularosa; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Worley, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Henley and daughter, Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. O'Kelley and Ed Kimmons from Alamogordo; Mrs. J. V. Hobbie and Mrs. Eliza Taylor of Ruidoso; Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Capitan; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Rowland and son, Dale, of Tucumcari; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie McCants of Lordsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Laing of Tucson, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Perkins of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Ella Woody of Fresno, Calif.



Lincoln County News

4-H CLUBS

El Capitan Business

The El-Capitan 4-H Club held its meeting on Nov. 12. The new business and main purpose of the meeting was the election of new officers. The officers elected for 1963-64 are: president: Willa Edgar, vice-president: Pam Hall, secretary: Alma Walker, song leader: Mary Lockhart, reporter: Betty Jones. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by host Jane Dean.

Junior Rancher meet

The Ancho Junior Ranchers' meeting on Nov. 8th was called to order by Tommy Straley, president. The roll was called with each member answering with a disease or their symptoms. Minutes of the last meet-

ing were read and approved. The results of a quiz from a previous meeting were returned to the members. First place was won by Lois Dunlap, followed by a tie for second between Stirling Spencer and Gary Hightower. Four members tied for third place. They were Tommy J. Straley, Scott Shafer, Pete Gnatkowski and Waddy Hobbs. Gordon Barham is the song leader. Treasurer's report was given. Award night held Nov. 3rd and projects for each member for the coming year were discussed. The meeting date was set for the second and fourth Thursday of each month so that 4-H members participating in athletics would be able to attend. The next scheduled meeting will be December 13th. The subject of that meeting will be a discussion on horses and horse diseases.

Business Education rennovated at Corona

Business Education has been rennovated in the past few years. We can no longer teach the students typing, bookkeeping, and shorthand. Business has asked for a worker with a much wider scope. Corona is meeting this challenge by revamping its program. The first year General Business is offered. General Business has changed from a check writing course to one of studying problems of economics, distribution, advertisement, storage, and transportation. It is being altered to fit the consumers needs, as well as business. Speakers and field trips are being introduced to make the course as realistic as possible. Next year a course will be offered in economics. Students will take typing 1 during their junior year. This course will be given as a personal-use course. The rigors of using 4 letter forms is narrowed to two. Long outside assignments are avoided. More time is spent on the fundamentals of typing. It is given for all students whether they plan to work in business or some other field.

- Such as:
- Income tax returns
 - Sales Invoices
 - Purchase orders
 - Application forms
 - Accounting forms
 - Voucher checks
 - Price lists
 - Itinerary forms
 - Telegram blanks
 - Reports
 - Financial statements
 - Bills of lading
 - Notice of Resignation
 - Financial statements
 - Legal forms
 - Index cards
 - Rough draft
 - Form letter
 - Withholding tax
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We will round the course with bookkeeping. We are planning to produce a good informed citizen, as well as a student who can meet the problems of an ever changing world. — By Charles Page.

TO WISH YOU ALL THE JOYS OF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

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Christmas time
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LINCOLN COUNTY ABSTRACT
Mr. and Mrs. Jefe Voss

BEST WISHES FOR Christmas

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We sing our warm greetings and best wishes for a very joyous Christmas!

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Carrizozo, N. M.

Claunch News

By Betty Hooker

Plum Pudding — 1 1/2 lb. pure white suet, chopped fine, 2 cups sifted flour, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1 cup granulated sugar, 3 eggs, well beaten, 1 cup sweet milk, 1 tsp. nutmeg, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1/2 cup citron, 1/2 cup orange peel, 1/2 cup lemon peel, 1/2 cup cherries, 1/2 cup (or more) pineapple. Cut citron, orange peel and lemon peel very fine. Cut cherries and pineapple. Steam three hours in a coffee can. Put small bottle in center of can.

Mrs. L. W. Wieland spent last weekend in Earth, Texas visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Parrish. While she was there she attended a get acquainted tea and bridal shower, honoring Mrs. Parrish.

Weekend guests in the W. Wieland home were Mr. and Mrs.

Sincere Good Wishes

We wish everyone a holiday filled with joy and pleasure.

TASTEE FREEZ
WADE — MARGARET — ALMA

Greetings and Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas

May the blessings of this beautiful season bring you joy and happiness!

From all the folks at the courthouse!

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Soliloquy of a Christmas tree

By Kit Carson

A man went into the woods. He carried upon his shoulder a sharp ax. Snow was all about, and the leaves had fallen from all the timber except the evergreens. It was near Christmas. The man walked over the hillside, upon a spirited mission. He paused, observingly, near a clump of beautiful evergreens. A lone rabbit jumped from his den underneath the sheltering branches, and struggled away in the snow. The ruddy-cheeked man paid no heed to the rabbit. He studied the timber about him.

A lone, spreading evergreen occupied a position a short distance from the evergreen cluster. The singular growth was outstandingly attractive. It was staunch and serene. It seemed to have spent all its years developing into a perfect Christmas tree. The lone man in the woods that December day was searching for just such a decorative.

A whisper seemed to come from the lone evergreen. The surrounding atmosphere seemed filled with whisperings from the little tree. The man paused. He gazed admiringly upon the specimen, and seemed to meditate deeply. Words could have come from the spreading branches of the little tree which he fronted,

humbly and magically spoken.

"Choose me. Chop me down and carry me to your home. I'll make You and Yours a very Merry and Happy Yuletide," soliloquized the little evergreen and the gleeful, observant man paused, and reflected.

"All these years I have struggled to be a perfect Christmas Tree, to bring joy to some happy family in its celebration of the Birth of Christ," continued the soliloquy.

The tree's very components its beautiful branches adorned with marvelous green foliage; the trim and shapely trunk; and the very roots so firmly implanted underneath the snow-covered, good soil, all seemed to swell with pride as they tensely, in unison, poised to please the one who might choose it as a Christmas Tree.

"I will gladly give my span of life here midst my loved ones to bring happiness for You and Yours. Then I shall feel that I

have spent my time on this earth for goodly cause," the tree continued.

"May I go with you to your home, Mister, and bring joy to your family. May I stand gracefully by while Old Saint Nicholas descends the chimney and amply stocks my sturdy limbs with toys for the children and gifts for all the family, and all visitors that may come your way on that joyous occasion."

"May I stand gracefully by and adorn a place of your choice while everyone partakes of the joyous celebration of the eventful day."

"May there be no mis-givings, no mishaps, no tragedies during my short sojourn in your home. May everyone be cheerfully pleased with the gifts as they are taken from my humble branches and passed to each and all the happy participants of the Holiday celebration — whether the gift be small or large."

"And, Mister, when you let

your sharp ax sever my life-line, do not disappoint me. Believe in me; I desire your happiness! I only want to sacrifice my numerous future years in exchange for a few short hours of joy in pleasing You and Yours."

"And when I shall have served my time for your happiness, as Christ certainly did, I shall be content to be removed from the happy home and sacrifice my last withering remains to a bountiful fire to mark the end of my existence on earth."

"Yes, Mister, it shall be my

pleasure and happiness to fore-felt my life to serve You and Yours for a Happy Yuletide!"

As if the murmurs of the little evergreen had gravely become a part of the man, a decision was made. He un-shouldered his sharp ax and chopped down the little tree. Under the heavy load, he made his way toward his happy home with a mark of pleasure on his beaming countenance.

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT IS — A Merry and Happy Yuletide to You and Yours! May Peace and Goodwill reign upon earth!

Open house for pioneer family

Mathilda Krueger always called Lady and Monroe Howard were married on a ranch in Colman County, Texas, Dec. 29, 1892. For some time the young couple made their home on the banks of the Colorado, farming and breaking horses for a living. Crops were poor and they later moved to Kent County in west Texas.

Ten years and four children later, lured by the promise of free land for homesteading, in Lincoln County, N. Mex., they loaded covered wagons with all their worldly goods and headed north.

Lady drove one wagon with a baby on her lap, and Jim, their older son, took turns with Monroe in riding horseback and herding their small bunch of cattle and horses. It took them four weeks to make the trip and Monroe and Lady can tell you many interesting happenings on the way.

They homesteaded in the White Mountains and lived in that beautiful mountainous country for many years. Monroe worked for the Cree family owners of the "Y" ranch, breaking horses, and all the strenuous work incident to early cattle raising. He also worked at Fort Stanton for a few months.

Two more children were born on this homestead, making 6 in all. The older children went to school in Angus, walking across the hills. But changing times made it necessary to bring their children to town for further education, so about 1920 they moved to Capitan into the house where they now live.

Monroe maintained the ranch and as ranch land was free and unfenced, cattle ran where grass was best. You might say they commuted as each weekend found Lady and the children at work on the homestead. The only means of transportation was by horse and wagon, or on horseback.

Monroe was quite a fiddler in those days and he and the two older boys made music for many of the all-night dances over the county.

Lady was first of all occupied with her family. She could mend a fence or roof, milk a cow, or officiate at the birth of a stubborn calf, and do all the many tasks required of those early pioneer women.

They had six children but lost two daughters, Martha in 1936 and Estelle in 1933. One grandson gave his life for his country in the Korean conflict. Their life has not been all roses as whose is? After they sold the ranch and retired they continued to live in the old home on third street in Capitan, a house originally moved from Colo.

They have four living children, eight grandchildren, and seventeen great grandchildren, besides several in-laws to whom they are mother and dad.

There will be an open house to greet these old pioneers at the school cafeteria in Capitan on Dec. 29th from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m.

Development Or Stagnation?

By Walter Hubbard

Action, — Implementation of ideas, not talk alone can bring developments and progress. The greatest potential for capital-growth and expansion in Lincoln county lies in rich natural resources, particularly in its mineral wealth. But minerals must be removed from the rock masses by crushing, milling, and concentrations to make ore profitable for industrial mining and marketing.

A burnt child fears the fire, but as a man, reason and an intelligent approach by right thinking enables him to turn all things into useful and good purpose. Indeed the world would be desolate with out fire (heat) and without minerals (metals and elements from the earth). There would be no civilization.

The serious proposal of marriage even requires courage, adjustments, and a sense of responsibilities. Building a marital security demands considerable unselfishness, often a struggle and a self-forgetfulness for its success. It can be no one-sided affair. Industrial mining is also a marriage between interests to bring public developments by public participations, just as does good government. Ore is available. A concentrator-mill with refining to follow is the very first need to convert ores into mineral concentrates. Refining can the follow to bring maximum benefits however talk, good wishes, and worse yet, apathy, neglect thinking and ignorant denials build nothing, not even a church. The real test of any sincerity lies in doing.

The United States came from 13 small colonies who could not stand alone, or go ahead without each other. The westward wagon trains formed and held together for common protection and strength thru a mutual interest to reach a common destination, a greater individual prosperity and opportunity in new frontiers. Others could then follow the trails they blazed. The cities they founded, a greater United States. The great moral lesson left us lies in each putting his shoulder to the wheel so the wagon train can get moving again, to reach a destination. Their was not to expect pay for never planting. They left a priceless heritage and lesson, but what have we done with it?

Let this be said and realized A sincerely dedicated group of progressive residents can easily unite to form an organization. Then the more general public participation can follow with its attendant wide spread activity and benefits with civic growth

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The Carrizozo Woman's Club was entertained at their Dec. 5 meeting with a style show of Western wears, presented by Mrs. Lola Gentry of Dell City, Texas. Pictured with the models are Mrs. Frank Phillips, luncheon hostess and Mrs. Veda Lou Colwell, program chairman and daughter. Tawn. Far right is Mrs. Lola Gentry.

their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John McCollum.

Mrs. Wayne Withers entertained the Town and Country Bridge club on Friday for a 1:00 o'clock luncheon and bridge. Mrs. Johnson Stearns and Mrs. Paul Payton were guests at the Christmas bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shrivies will go to Albuquerque on Thursday to meet their son, Jerry, who is arriving from Portland, Oregon to spend the holidays with his family.

Mrs. Elfrido Lovato and children will spend the holidays in Alamogordo with Mrs. Lovato's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Graclano Aragon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelley and four children from Harlingen, Texas will arrive on Sunday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Kelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harte.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roundtree from New Bedford, Massachusetts will spend the holidays with Mr. Roundtree's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harman. Also home for the holidays is Bill Harman from N. M. S. U. in Las Cruces.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Larson from Alamogordo were here on Sunday visiting Mrs. Larson's mother, Mrs. Aster Jacobs.

They also visited with Mrs. Myrtle White and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kearns.

Birthday celebrants for the last part of December 1962 are Gladys Alexander, Austin Snow, Shirley Taylor, Tom Sidwell, Kelley Stephenson, Edna Gallacher, Abe Sanchez, Martha Najjar, Nina Taylor, Gordon Barham, Marlon Pherigo, Bryce Duggar, Fred Chavez, Sabino Vidauri and Johnny Chavez.

Those celebrating their anniversaries are: Mr. and Mrs. Will Ed Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nagey, Mr. and Mrs. A. B.

Sanchez and Mr. and Mrs. Brack Cornett.

Mrs. Dallas Keller and three sons, Dallas, Jr., and Dwayne of Mosquero and Dwight Page from Fayetteville, Arkansas will arrive on Thursday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Kelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bays.

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Carrizozo, N. M.

Wishing you all the happiness only Christmas can bring.

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"Around town"

Mrs. Tom Knight of Ancho was a guest of Mrs. Ralph Currie at the Woman's Club luncheon meeting last Wednesday afternoon.

Rex Wells, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wells, who had the misfortune to break his arm while playing on the school grounds last week, is getting along fine. It hasn't slowed him up a bit, his mother reports.

Mrs. Charles Hodgkin left on Monday for Clifton, Ariz. where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Viola Hagan.

Mr. Ralph Currie and sons, Walter and Claud will make a business trip to El Paso on Saturday.

Joquin Ortiz was released from Southwestern hospital in El Paso on Monday after undergoing eye surgery. The family reports their father is doing just fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Currie and family were recent visitors to Albuquerque. They reported that Christmas shopping is in full swing in the Duke City.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shafer visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shafer at their ranch on Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Carl of Alamogor-

do was a Carrizozo visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. A. N. Spencer, Mrs. Fred English, Mrs. Truman Spencer, Mrs. Bryce Duggar, and Mrs. Kelley Stephenson will go to Alamogordo Friday where they will attend a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Al Sadowky and Mrs. Ralph Lee.

Mrs. Franklin H. Loughead of Decatur, Ill., was here to visit with her son and daughter-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loughead. She enjoyed her stay, the wonderful country and the beautiful mountains. She and her husband are planning to visit here again in the near future.

W. S. C. S. of the Trinity Methodist Church had their December meeting at the church on December 12. After a short business meeting, Mrs. J. T. Clegg gave the Christmas devotional. Maximo Roberto sang a lovely Christmas carol, "The Christ Child". Mrs. Clegg also gave a book review on the story of the other Wise Man while Mrs. Bob Shafer played back ground organ music. The Christmas decorations and refreshments were served by Mrs. Mildred Moore.

Mrs. Jack Brandenburg and children, Jack and Susan arrived from Anchorage, Alaska

to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Brandenburg's parents Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Brown. They will leave in mid-January for Hawaii where Mr. Brandenburg is an engineer for North Electric.

Mrs. Glen Bradley is home from St. Mary's hospital. She is feeling a little weak but cure is glad to be back. Her sister, Mrs. Elaine Brazel from Farmington is staying with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Romello Chavez and daughter, Marcela from Corona were in town last week. They were here to see the doctor and stayed to visit with Mr. Chavez's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Chavez.

After the Wade Lane family escaped certain death on Dec. 4th from carbon monoxide fumes in their Ruidoso home, the entire Lane family says this will be their Happiest Christmas.

Mrs. Amada Vega is spending the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gorgonio McKinley and four children in Las Cruces. Mrs. Vega will stay over until the New Year.

Bobby Dan Crenshaw is home from N. M. S. U. to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crenshaw of White Oaks.

The Otero County Electric Co-op will have a Christmas party for employees and families on Friday evening at the Steak House in Mountain Park. They will have a Christmas dinner and the members will exchange gifts.

Mrs. Tom O'Rear and Mrs. J. N. McDaniel went to Alamogordo Saturday for medical appointment.

Bobby Stearns is home for the holidays from Kingaley, Oregon, where he is stationed with the Armed Forces.

Judy Stearns will be home Thursday to spend the holidays with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns.

Joe Petty is expected home Thursday from Hastings College, Nebraska to be with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Petty for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shafer visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell in Roswell on Sunday and returned on Monday.

M. V. Jones went to Carson City, Nevada, last week for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Sharon Ferrera, and brought grandson, Andy, age six months, back to Carrizozo for a visit.

C. B. Zumwalt left December 19 for a visit with his son and family Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zumwalt and daughters, in Mason, Ohio. Mr. Zumwalt will fly from El Paso to Dallas, to Cincinnati.

Louise Rannels stopped in at the News office on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Searcy and son, George, are going to spend Christmas day with her mother Mr. and Mrs. Frank Melton in Artesa.

Mrs. Marian Spencer and Miss Minnie Neill made an overnight trip to El Paso last week.

Glenna Stoneman and Maude Bussy went to the dances in Corona Saturday, December 15. Boy Scout Troop 53 under the leadership of Wayland Hill went on a 3 mile hike to Boy Scout Cave west of Carrizozo on Sunday, December 15.

Those attending Mary Lynch's "Sweet Sixteen" birthday party in Ancho were: Minette and Sharon Smoot, Margaret and Waynette Withers, Bill Meg and Marsha French, Roger McDaniel, Linda King, Robert Baker, Garvin Griffin, Buddy Groves, Johnny Roberts, Billy and Benny Murfin and Helen Hill.

Mr. John McCollum of Carlsbad was a weekend visitor at the home of his son Mr. and Mrs. John McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Clayton spent the weekend with

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Enforced Safety

The biggest blot on an otherwise joyous holiday season will be the number of dead bodies laying around under several Christmas trees with more being added at the altar as a sacrificial welcome to a new year.

Total dead for both Lincoln County and the State of New Mexico is already more than a year ago and the most hazardous traffic season right at hand.

This situation may be likened to the farmer who hit his mule in the head with a club. When asked by a neighbor why, the farmer told his friend that when you want to reason with a mule, you've first got to get his attention.

"Drive safely" signs are everywhere but at the scene of accidents and in the minds of drivers who cause them. Some of these drivers should be hit over the head, first, before the accident occurs.

Do it this way — make every driver in N. M. pass the normal written test for drivers license, and then pass a test actually driving their vehicle, do this once a year on every driver. This would have the unique effect of getting hit in the head, it would focus attention on the ability to drive "safely."

Have You Paid Your Taxes?

The abuse of Congressional privileges is nowhere better illustrated than in the annual spate of overseas junkets to which the members so freely treat themselves at this time of year. More than 100 members have either departed, or are preparing to depart, on affairs to every part of the globe.

All expenses are paid by the Government, including night

clubs, Alpine resorts and monuments — the folks back home. There is no effective check on how a junketing legislator uses his time overseas or what he does with his generous expense allowance.

There is without any question, abundant good reason why members of Congress should go abroad from time to time provided that it is in honest fulfillment of their legislative duties. Each year they pass laws and appropriate billions of dollars to further this nation's military, economic, and political interests in every part of the world. The Congress has not only the right but also a straightforward obligation to inform itself at first hand on how these commitments are being discharged.

It is not this wholly legitimate Congressional travel that we question, but the frequent abuses committed by some members. As a prime example, at least ten of those authorized to go overseas at Government expense this year are so-called "lame ducks." What earthly contribution can they make to the legislative process when they return?

Congress has surrounded these activities with a self-protecting wall of secrecy. This enhances the conviction in many quarters, which we share, that a great deal of the junketing is capricious, self-serving and inadvisable — in other words, free-loading at public expenses.

Congress should impose upon its own members some of the same standards of responsibility it so proudly demands of the executive department. It could be requiring probative justification for all overseas travel and a rigorous public accounting of funds spent — contributed.

SANTA LETTERS

Dearest Santa,

I have been a rather good girl this year and I'd like to ask you to give me these few things for Christmas. First of all I would like a Bicycle and a nurse set. I would also like a new coat, dress and shoes.

Thank you Santa and if you bring these things I will be a good girl forever.

Patti Otero

P. S. I love you.

Dec. 7, 1962

Dear Santa Claus, I would like to have a transistor radio if it isn't too much trouble. Also a truck and two trailers, a King Zor, and a set of building blocks. I am 9 years old.

Billy Baker

Dear Santa,

I want a Buggy and a stocking for Christmas.

Merry Christmas to you—and all my school mates in the first grade and to my Teacher.

Love
Iva.

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Sincerely
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Dear Sir:

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We the people of Lincoln County were very much asleep or Bonito Lake would not have been lost to Lincoln County.

So lets write our Commissioners and let them know that we are behind them in their fight for our water rights. And if possible meet with them on Dec. 5th at Carrizozo.

And how about trying to get State road 37 paved on to Nogal and also around Bonito Lake.

Sincerely
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corder
Angus, N. M.

W • W

The latest wrinkle in selling "estates" (an estate is at least 66'x165') is to give the estate away free. You pay only for title transfer fee which runs about \$50.

W • W

J. H. Hoffman is the holder of a Big Game — Resident hunting license which is an antique few people will know about. Mr. Hoffman paid \$1.00 for this license in 1912, the year New Mexico became a state. He also has a road tax receipt from 1915, cost \$3.00, and a poll tax receipt from 1915 which cost \$1.00. The poll was paid in school district No. 7.

W • W

M/Sgt. Herbert Clappett sent us a couple of newspapers from Teheran, Iran, where he is stationed, along with a letter we are pleased to print.

Teheran, Iran
To the Editor of Lincoln County News

Dear Sir,
Here are two new papers from our club. I thought they might interest you and sort of show you how we pass our off duty time, for you see Friday is the Moslem Sunday and then our own Sunday gives us two days a week off. And as the club is about the only place where we can go we spend a lot of time there, but in the past year a bowling alley was built and we have started a bowling league. Also Foremost dairy has a plant here now so we can have fresh milk and ice cream, before that the only milk we could get was powdered, so things are a lot better than when I first came here in 1960. Please tell me when my subscription is about to run out for I don't want to miss one issue of the paper we enjoy it so much.
Thanking you I remain
M/Sgt Herbert T. Clappett
Ord, Adv. Sect.
ARMISH/MAAG APO 205 N. Y.

American Ambassador to Iran Julius C. Holmes is pictured accepting Honorary Membership in the Association of Regular Army Sergeants and in conversation with M/Sgt. and Mrs. Clappett. The newspapers are well printed, with four-color masthead, lots of pictures and information about the Armed Forces.

W • W

We've had two recent notes from Lois Telfer in New York. Lois is kin of Billy the Kid and has visited in Lincoln County a number of summers. One of her letters told of the death of Marion Teiva, leading soprano at the Metropolitan Opera and widow of Elmer Ray Jones, one-time president of Wells-Fargo Co. Her Christmas card reads in part: "Congrats on new L. C. News. Great new headline and style!! Can be made best county paper in west by more historical info, and letters to editor, which numerous people have written me. Good luck and success — Lois." Thanks kindly for those nice words and we hope you get back to Lincoln County real soon — The Editor.

W • W

Ted Raynor has sent us an autographed copy of "The Gold Lettered Egg and other New Mexico Tales, a small volume which should interest a lot of people. The contents include such as "Of Eternity," Cedarvale Cemetery, The Lost Mine at White Oaks, White Oaks Anecdotes, Two Tall, but short Tales, The Peaky Telephone (Carrizozo) July Fourth Picnic on the Bonito," all about Lincoln County, Fact is, it looks as if Lincoln County made this book.

Lincoln Co. News

THE LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS — THURSDAY, DEC. 20, 1962

Dear Paul,

Our Co. Commissioners have given the citizens of Lincoln Co. a chance to speak up about the water situation of Bonito Dam which is a reservoir of EAST watershed from the highest peak in our area. Otero County has the constitutional rights to the WEST watershed on the west side of old Baldy. We'll admit we were sleeping when Bonito water was diverted to Alamogordo in Otero Co. Our Commissioners can develop, purchase, or acquire water rights, lets help them in their efforts to get Bonito water back in growing Lincoln County, by writing promptly or meeting with them in the Carrizozo Court house on Dec. 5th. Also, the road situation is due some consideration Highway 37 should be paved to Nogal and around Bonito Dam. This may take time, so please write letters or meet with the Commissioners.

Sincerely,
Louise Rannels

For seven years I have been looking for a school which would train my daughter. She is retarded and is now 13 years old. I have been sending her to school with Mr. and Mrs. Julio Nunez for three hours in the morning. Already she has shown improvement.

I teach her what I can, religion, love and obedience but, of late children of town, especially of our own religion, are ashamed and afraid of her. I have seen this myself, nobody has to tell me. Even my other children are looked upon because of my retarded daughter but nobody

has ever helped me with the problem.

I have talked to people about my problem but have been unable to even get help. I am going to continue sending my daughter to this school. I must, because there is no other means to help my child in town.

I am a native and a Catholic of Carrizozo and if anyone has any suggestions about the situation or would like to talk to me about it, I am home. Thank You.

Mrs. Frank Loughead
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Angus, N. M.



Christmas Blessings

...on you all! That's our sincere Yuletide wish.

Ancho Truck Terminal

Evelyn & Ray Fisher

"We Never Close"

Ancho, New Mexico



GOOD

Wishes

for

Christmas



Bells and baubles, candlelight
...folks so merry, spirits bright
...rush and bustle, scheme and
hustle...joys to make the Season
right! Thanks for letting
us serve you thru the year.

4 Winds Restaurant

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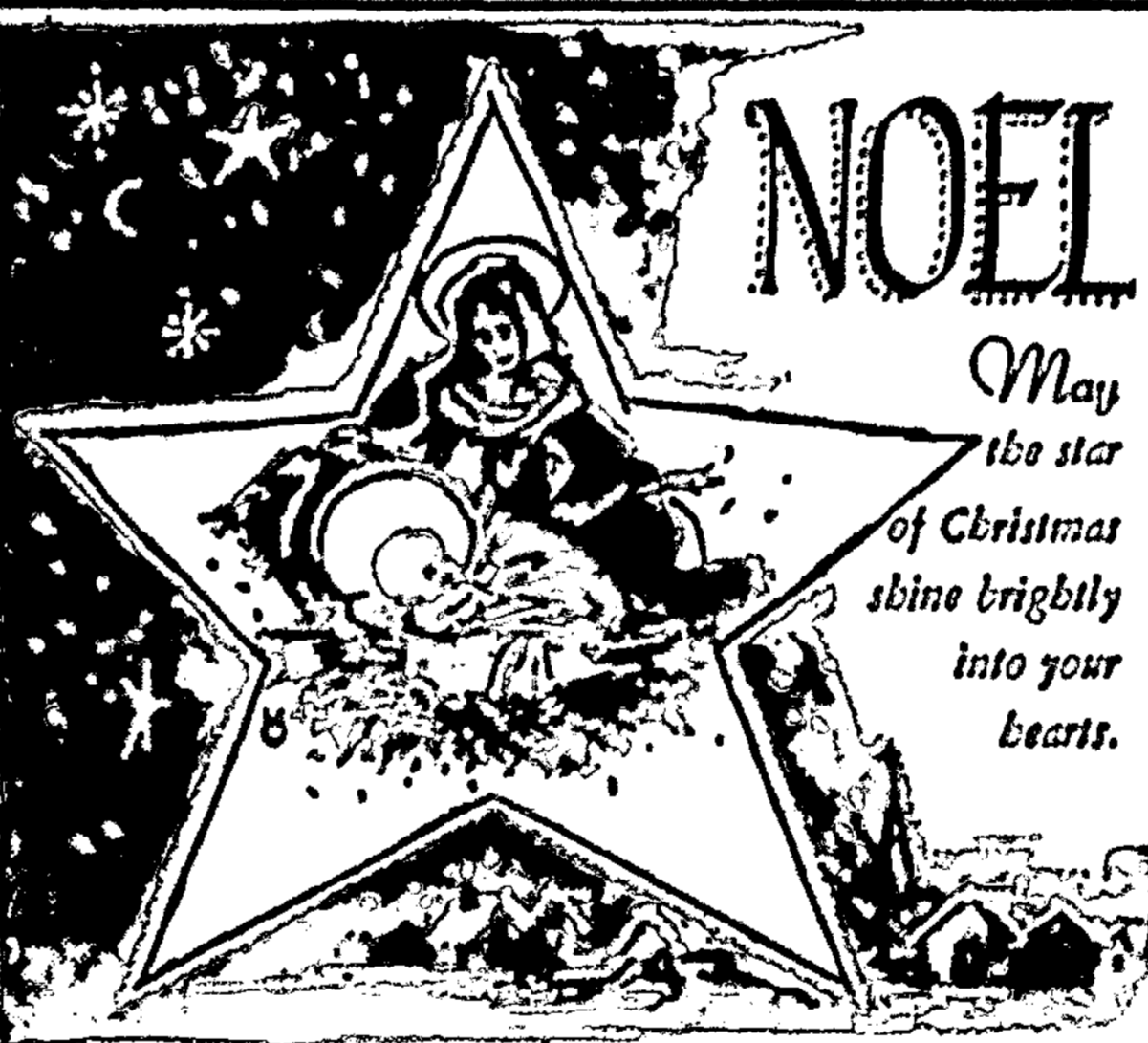


All systems are "go"
... and so are our
wishes to you, for
a "way-out"
Christmas
Season!

C. B. Zumwalt

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Something Special In Santa's Bag??



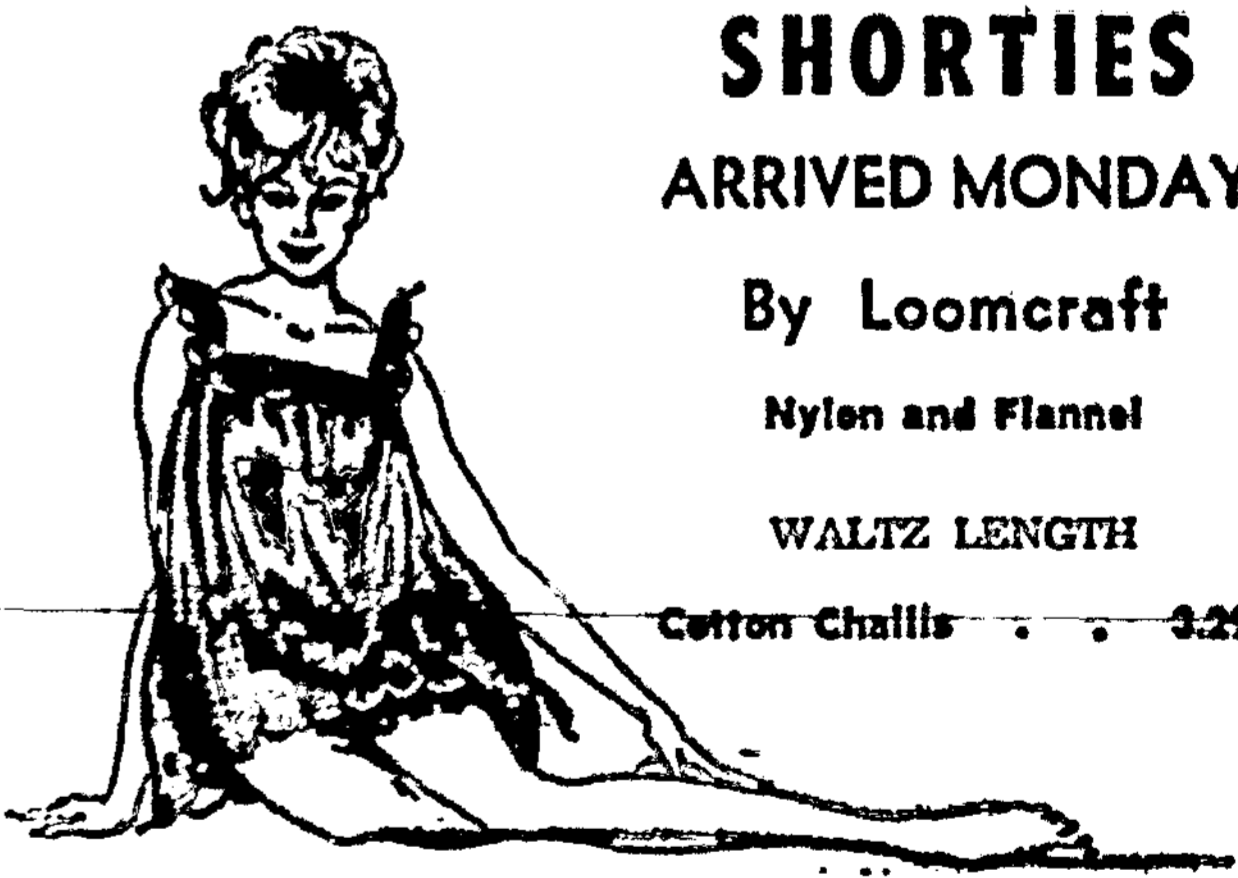
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A Blessed Christmas...

LET US REJOICE ANEW IN THE SHINING WONDER OF CHRISTMAS... MAY THE PEACE AND HOPE AND LOVE OF THIS HOLY SEASON BE WITH US ALWAYS.

Ortiz Bros. Chevron
Mal Pais Grocery

Carrizozo, N. M.

Corona

By Effie Mulkey

Dean Minor, son of Mrs. Beasie Minor of Corona and a graduate of Corona High school 1961, is making good at Navarro Junior College at Corsicana, Texas to which he won a scholarship. His picture appears in



May the true spirit of Christmas shine in your heart and bring you joy.

Vega Feed Store

Leandro Vega

the Navarro Junior College newspaper along with others of his basketball team. The team called "The Bulldogs" have won four games and lost only two so far this year. Dean Minor is reported as leading high-point man against Temple Junior College, Jacksonville Baptist, Cisco Wranglers, and Hill Junior College all in Texas. Dean is to be congratulated! His home town is proud of him. Keep up the good work Dean. With 17 days vacation time, Dean is now home and looking forward to returning to college after the holidays.

Seasons Greetings

It is impossible to send Christmas cards to all those we know and like so much, this year. So, we, Effie and Albert Mulkey, wish to say THANKS to all our customers of Corona Motor Co. And to all our friends, and to all who read this everywhere, we wish you a

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Mrs. Paul Porter, a former resident of Corona, is working at Clines Corner. Her son, Fred, and his family live at Tijeras, N. Mex. in Tijeras Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Handcock and son, Jim age 17 months, have sent greetings to Corona friends from El Salvador where "Toolie" is director of the Peace Corps Project.

Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Moore and son, Raymond, of Lingo, near Portales, were in Corona Sunday, December 9. Rev. Moore brought a message to

members of the Corona Baptist church who are without a Pastor. Rev. Claud Stovall and his family recently moved to Albuquerque.

Effie Mulkey spent several days last week visiting her daughter, Elene Robertson, and her grandchildren, Alan and Adis and her brother, Carl Harris and family, all in Albuquerque. Enroute she also visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lundy who live 18 miles northwest of Estancia on highway 10.

Corona Postoffice will be open Saturday afternoon, Dec. 22, for the convenience of the people in mailing and receiving packages.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allrez of Roswell have twins, a boy and a girl born December 14. They also have one other child, a girl who was one year old the 14th. Mr. Allrez is a son of Mrs. Mollie Allrez and a brother of Miss Francis Allrez, both of Corona.

Corona Presbyterian Church will hold a candle-lighting service December 24 at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kessler of the Rainbow Cafe have a new son born December 13 at Vaughn. Mrs. Kessler is the former Miss Jeanie Babb, a daughter of Mrs. Elsie Snodgrass. The Kesslers have two other sons and a daughter, making them three boys and one girl, four children in all.

George Ryberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ryberg of Clovis is attending State University at Albuquerque. He is a graduate of Corona High of 1956, and attended Eastern N. M. University four years. This year will be his fifth year of higher education. He is studying to be an archaeologist. George is a nephew of Harry Ryberg of Corona.

George Petrol, baseball coach at State University in Albuquerque, and Mrs. Petrol were guests in the Archie Peridns home Sunday.

Col. and Mrs. Frank Shelton and daughter, Terry, and son, Tex, of Roswell spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shelton at the El Rancho hotel, home of the Sheltons. A pre-Christmas dinner was served at noon Sunday.

On Nov. 26, the El Capitan 4-H Club met at the home of Pam, Zana and Buddy Hall. Willa Edgar, President, called the meeting to order with Jane Dean leading the 4-H pledge. The main business of the meeting was the discussion of the party on Dec. 8 to be given jointly by the Happy Homemakers, Ancho Junior Ranchers, and the El Capitan 4-H Clubs.

Alma Walker demonstrated her wool dress and how to cover a belt. A most interesting talk was given by County Agent, Ralph Dunlap, on Animal Breeding. Singing was led by Mary Lockhart and was enjoyed by all.

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A delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings was enjoyed by all.

Following the dinner a Christmas program under the direction of Donna Currie with the able assistance of Leora Zumwalt attended the Ancho Junior Ranchers meeting Thursday evening at the home of leader Mrs. Nancy Knight.

Lols was judged the outstanding 4-H member of the year and was presented a 4-H jacket by the club. This is to become an annual affair.

The members presented their leader with a lovely western blouse and hostery for Christmas.

Mrs. Mamie LaMay returned home from El Paso Wednesday where she had been in the hospital. She entered the hospital in Carrizozo on Thursday. We all wish you a speedy recovery Mamie.

Mrs. Blye Cox, Mrs. Mae Sharpe and Mrs. Charlotte Forsythe went Christmas shopping in Ruidoso Saturday.

Recent visitors of the Leonard Sharpes and the Ralph Forsythe was Mrs. Jan Welch and Mrs. Betsy Hoestra of Albuquerque. Jan is the sister of Mae and Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greer made a business trip to El Paso last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randell Greer and Lester Greer made a business trip to Albuquerque Saturday.

Lester bought a 58 1/2-ton red and white pick-up.

Walter Snell visited his granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Harcrow at Artesia over the weekend. He also got to see the new addition for the first time, his 3 months old granddaughter Mary Dell.

Mamie Snell and family of Belen visited her father and son, Walter and Tommy Snell over the weekend.

Gladya Robinson visited her

daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin King at Roswell Saturday thru Monday. On Tuesday she left for El Paso to visit her other two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sales and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Duncan and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison of Boyina, Texas, are at their cabin in Philadelphia Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Winton Friend of Yuma, Colorado are here with us in their trailer house for an indefinite time. Glad to have this young couple back with us.

Mrs. Peggy Taylor of T or C visited the David Alexander's Monday.

A. P. Sitton and Ralph Dunlap attended the RAD meeting in Capitan Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Zumwalt have a new Fairlane '63 Ford station wagon.

Among those who attended the Teen-age school dance at the Country Club Friday were: Janet Greer, Charles Barnum, Wayne Dunlap, Mary Lockhart, Lols Dunlap, and Mrs. Ralph Dunlap.

Ralph Dunlap attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Corona Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bosh returned from a trip to T or C over the weekend. They saw Ben Pflingsten while over there. They report that he is very happy out of the hospital and is putting on some weight.

Randall and Lewis Greer are progressing right along with Randall's fireplace.

Everyone either coming into Nogal or living here have a beautiful sight to greet them every evening. A. P. Sitton and

Tommy Gail Zumwalt put up a lovely tree with lights and spot lights on top of the school house hill. It is such a lovely sight and gives everyone in Nogal a wonderful Christmas lift for the holidays.

Every home in Nogal can see it from somewhere at their homes. Thanks so much for this Christmas gift to Nogal, A. P. and Tommy Gail.

This is to remind everyone of the candlelight services to be held at the Nogal church, Sunday night at 7:30. The teenagers are putting up luminarios along the drive way with a history of their beginning to be part of the services.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies will follow the evening services. Everyone is cordially invited.

... for a Happy Holiday Season, and a special "thank you" to our many good friends. Hope we continue to serve you!

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Nogal Canyon
By Rosalie Dunlap

Nogal woke up this morning (Tuesday) to a nice rain and drizzle. We have been so fortunate to have had the lovely warm and still days that we have had this fall.

Leonard Sharpe took Tom Bragg up to the Helen Ray mine Thursday afternoon. This had been the first time in years that Tom had been to the top of the Helen Ray and thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon. Tom and Leonard had a grand time.

Tom recalled that he had worked at the Five Pines, which is just below the Helen Ray when he was 14 years old.

Leonard has worked hard to get the history of the mining operations in this county and is full of information of the various mines. The only information he can't seem to locate is the person after whom John Ray named the Helen Ray mine. Do any of the readers know anything as to whom it was named?

The Nogal UPW met at the home of Mrs. Gladys Alexander for their annual Christmas dinner and meeting.

walt, Margaret Stearns and the beautiful singing of Eva Zumwalt was presented. Following the program a short business meeting was held, among which Mrs. Ralph Dunlap agreed to take over the sec-treasury position, which had been ably held by Eva Zumwalt. Eva just to busy to keep it.

The afternoon was ended with a grab bag of Christmas gifts.

There were 15 present with Mrs. Mae Sharpe, Mrs. Betty Quinn and Mrs. Charlotte Forsythe and Susan and Tina Curry as guests.

Mrs. Gladys Alexander and Mrs. Opal Greer attended the Rebekah meeting.

Mrs. Ralph Dunlap, Lols and

at Christmas!

This happy time of year fills all hearts with the spirit of good will, good wishes and good times!

Our best wishes for a Very Merry Christmas!

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