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## "Problem areas" could cease to be counties

SANTA FE — With the fiscal session going full force it's going to be interesting to note if any legislation will come forth concerning the abolition of some counties.

Gov. Jack Campbell's committee on local government has prepared a draft of a proposal that doesn't mention any counties by name, but apparently is geared to perhaps do away with some of the areas that have been termed "problems."

The bill reached the Governor's desk late last week and it's open to argument how much further it will go.

It reportedly outlines the "qualifications" that a county must meet if it remains a county. This regards minimum valuation, minimum population, and minimum square miles.

The state often "loans" money to counties that have been in financial trouble, and obviously this policy has not attained a satisfactory conclusion in several cases.

Rumors also are that the plan may fit in with the proposed reapportionment of the State Senate.

If most of the Senators keep their jobs, there must or necessarily be more Senators or fewer counties.

It'll be a good item to watch.

### Rumors Of Trade In Governor's Race Continues

There's been added speculation during the past week that either House Speaker Bruce King or former State Sen. Gene Lusk will decide to "drop out" of the race for the Demo gubernatorial nomination.

The split in the Democratic party appears to be widening into factions of either "anti-Burroughs" or "pro-Burroughs." Former Gov. John Burroughs has apparently gained the support he needs to take a whopline portion of the pre-primary vote.

But the "anti-Burroughs" Demos are figuring that it'll have to be either King or Lusk.

Despite speculation, neither of the two say they will consider dropping out before the primary.

Albuquerque's Roy Walker, who claims to be gaining a strong element among the grass rooters, could also figure into the situation by taking a portion of the "anti-Burroughs" support.

During the current session, King will be able to do some maneuvering, but he's still going to be battling the Governor's forces who are pushing Lusk.

Then on the other hand, Lusk is still going to be battling the forces of U. S. Sen. Joe Montoya, who is throwing his weight behind Burroughs.

### Decision Of 'Our Clint' May Still Be Big Factor

The one big voice from the mountain top that hasn't been obvious yet is "our Clint" Sen. Anderson.

It's been amply proven in the past that at a late minute Sen. Anderson can throw the necessary push behind any candidate and get the job done.

When Anderson decides to start making any positive moves, then it'll probably be a good hint as to who will be gracefully dropping out of the Demo race for the gubernatorial nomination.

And despite stories to the contrary, it's becoming more obvious that the GOP chiefs are waiting to see what will develop among the Demos before declaring any of their top men for any specific job.

### STOLEN HOUSE TRAILER LOCATED IN CORONA

A house trailer parked at the vacant house belonging to Ernest Otero in Corona was reported to the Sheriff's office Friday. State policeman Frank Knoblock and Sheriff Leandro Vega on investigating found that it had been stolen from a trailer park in El Paso. The owner, Thomas Quaid, said it was valued at \$4,000.00. Apparently the thief had gotten cold feet and abandoned it. To date he has not been apprehended.

### Ken Means is new fire chief

The Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Department held its annual election with the following officers being elected: Ken Means, fire chief; Willos Hill, assistant chief; Tino Lopez, second assistant chief; Nat Palomarez, secretary and treasurer.

The board of directors includes: Herman McKibben, R. L. (Friday) Sherrill, Arrell Posey, Wayne Gray, Fire Marshal is Jess Garrison.

## Governor's plan would increase aid to retarded

The Fort Stanton TB Hospital Board meeting with Gov. Jack M. Campbell in Santa Fe last Friday, heard the Governor outline a plan that will allow the state to care for another 250 mentally retarded persons with a net expenditure of only \$200,000 additionally annually.

The plan is— Tuberculosis patients would be moved to Fort Bayard Hospital from Fort Stanton Hospital, the state's present institution for tuberculars.

Fort Stanton Hospital would be used to care for the 250 additional mentally retarded. It would be placed under the jurisdiction of the board of the Los Lunas Hospital and Training School.

### Special Wing

The approximately 125 mentally retarded now at the Las Vegas State Hospital would remain there, and be cared for in a special wing. Personnel from the Los Lunas institution would aid in their care.

The approximately 150 geriatric patients now at Fort Bayard would remain there. The present State Tuberculosis Hospital Board would be renamed the State Special Hospital Board. It would have jurisdiction over Fort Bayard Hospital and also over the Meadows and El Mirador Homes for the aged, now under the jurisdiction of the Dept. of Public Welfare.

### Continue Work

The latter would continue to certify the patients for public assistance, and contract on a per-patient basis to care for the aged.

"Fort Bayard Hospital has excellent hospital and surgical facilities for any kind of medical patients, and has for years taken care of tuberculosis patients when it was a veteran's hospital," commented Campbell.

He said the cost of caring for tubercular patients at Fort Bayard would be less than at Fort Stanton. Net additional cost to the state for the 250 mentally retarded patients at Fort Stanton will be about \$200,000 annually, he said.

### TB Assoc. Favors Plan

Some discussion of the Governor's plan took place. Gov. Campbell had told the Board that he would present legislation to facilitate the plan as outlined, that the question was: "Would the legislature want to take care of 250 additional mentally retarded persons?" Dr. Eugene Mann told the Board that the State TB Association was highly in favor of the plan.

The record admissions, discharges, and census fluctuations at Fort Stanton was presented by Dr. H. C. Jernigan, medical director.

	Adm.	Disc.	Census
1-1-60	242	230	151
1-1-61	181	181	163
1-1-62	172	180	163
1-1-63	233	221	155
1-1-64	220	222	167
1-1-65	243	303	165
1-1-66			105

## Las Cruces Attorney announces for Judge of 3rd Judicial Dist., Div. 1

Subject to the Democratic Primary, William W. Bivins, Las Cruces attorney, has announced his candidacy for District Judge, Division 1, of the Third Judicial District, which covers the counties of Dona Ana, Otero and Lincoln.

In announcing his candidacy, Mr. Bivins stated that it has been prompted by a majority of the lawyers in the District, who in supporting his candidacy, have stressed that the progressive growth of the community demands an efficient, capable and diligent lawyer to occupy the office.

Born in Nashville, Tennessee in 1931, and educated in the public schools there, Mr. Bivins received his B. S. Degree from Davidson College, North

### More Admitted in 1965

This table shows that in 1965 more patients were admitted to Fort Stanton than in any of the previous five years. At the same time, the number of discharges in 1965 was much higher than in any one of the previous five years, outnumbering the admissions by 60 and causing a corresponding drop in census between 1-1-65 and 1-1-66.

The main reasons for this drop are: 1) Change in attitude towards hospital treatment of childhood tuberculosis, resulting in fewer admissions and earlier discharge of children. 2) Increasingly better results in treating previously chronic-positive cases, and discharge of patients who had been hospitalized for many years and had not been expected to be discharged. 3) Shorter periods of hospital treatment for the average adult patient because of availability of better drug regimens and better follow-up after discharge.

### Case Finding Not for Hospital

The matter of case finding was discussed, some comment had been made that if the TB Hospital were to step up case finding its census might be higher. Fort Stanton TB Hospital has no person actively doing case finding, Chairman Mann said this activity was the function of the State Health Department. However, the Hospital does assist in case finding with clinics and mobile X-ray. Chairman Mann asked Dr. Jernigan to contact the TB Association about intensifying case finding, encouraging skin tests in schools.

### Out-patient Treatment Grows

Chemotherapy (out patient) program continues to grow at Fort Stanton. There were 814 patients on chemotherapy last month. These patients have X-rays every six months and are seen in person at the hospital at least once every six months. Average cost per day for out-patient is \$1.90. Cost per patient per day in hospital is \$20.65.

Clinics continue to grow and this program is a big factor in state-wide TB control. Surgical policies were up for discussion, but matter tabled until after decision on governor's plan is made. In past patients for surgery have been taken to Albuquerque. If TB patients are moved to Fort Bayard the surgery could be done there.

Supt. George Bryan told the board that the rate of patient-employee had been one-and-one all last year. Now the employee load is down about as low as it can go (167) and still maintain the property (people who resign not being replaced) and the number of patients continues to drop, 105 at the end of the year. Cost-cutting has been going on for some time, but this program has about reached its limit.

### Cash Position Improves

Cash position of the TB Hospital is good. There was \$33,000 on hand at start of 1965, now the hospital has cash balance of \$47,436. This increase partly due to increase in private insurance income.

Attending the Board meeting in Santa Fe were: Dr. Eugene Mann, Mrs. Lena Pfiffer, Dr. Louis Levin and Mr. Paul Payton, members; Dr. H. C. Jernigan, medical director; and Mr. George Bryan, superintendent.

Carolina, and his law degree from Vanderbilt University in Nashville.

Following graduation, he served for two years in the Army. He has been in private practice in Las Cruces since 1958, during which time he has been associated with E. Forrest Sanders, and more recently also with Joe H. Galvan, who has joined that firm.

Mr. Bivins is a member of the American Bar Association, the N. M. Bar Association, the Tennessee Bar Association, and the Dona Ana County Bar, having been president of the Dona Ana County Bar Association for 1964-65.

Mr. Bivins is married and has two sons. He attends St. James Episcopal Church in Mesilla Park.

## Marine Corporal in Viet Nam cited for rushing to aid injured in battle

Bernard W. Armstrong, 20 year-old Marine Corporal of Tucumcari has been cited for gallantry in Viet Nam. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Armstrong of Tucumcari. Mrs. Armstrong (nee Emma Pfingsten) is the sister of the late Ben Pfingsten and that family is well known in Lincoln County and throughout New Mexico.

Armstrong's citation was approved by the U. S. Department of State for "unhesitatingly" rushing to the aid of three injured Marines during the thick of a battle despite their exposed position.

Armstrong, a Tucumcari High

School graduate of 1963, joined the Navy in June of that year. Later he transferred to the Marines.

In one letter Armstrong wrote to his parents — "At night when we would finally stop to sleep, would lay awake and wonder if this place is worth all the trouble that we are going through. I finally decided it was."

At present Hospital Corpsman Bernard Armstrong is in the Philippines suffering from malaria. From all of his New Mexico friends we send congratulations and wish him a speedy recovery.



RATHER UNUSUAL SIGHT — That Lincoln County is wet and getting wetter right along is proved by this picture of the Rio Bonito just above Fort Stanton . . . running a good stream, probably more today (News Photo)

### Musical program to be presented

The Woman's Club and Rotary members will be entertained at their joint luncheon at the Woman's Club Thursday by the high school choral group under the direction of Mr. Arnold Boyce.

They will present the following program: Give Us Thy Peace, by Mozart, Great is the Lord, by Dr. J. B. Herbert, That Sweet Story of Old, by Roger C. Wilson, Garden of Peace and Prayer, by George E. Patterson, Jacob's Ladder, by Roger C. Wilson.

The group includes: Ist alto, Jeffrey Mackey, Baretones, Paul McKennon, Sally Padilla, Frank Hoff, sopranos, Karen Smith, Polly Walker, Sharon Smoot, and Donna Peebles, accompanist, Minette Smoot.

### Former Resident Dies

A former resident of Carrizozo, Mr. Clyde "Casey" Reed passed away January 11, 1966 of a heart attack in Ozark, Ark.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Reed of Ozark, Ark. Three sons, Hugh and Kenneth of the home, Ray Reed of Roswell, New Mexico, one daughter Mrs. Rex Eartick of Roswell. He was laid to rest in Morton, Texas.

### "Beautification" Discussion at state college Feb. 8

The Governor's Committee to Keep New Mexico Beautiful is inviting county commissioners, mayors, women's clubs and other officials to a meeting at University Park February 8. The meeting will begin with a luncheon at the student center at 12:00 noon and will continue with speeches and panels on "Aids to community beautification" throughout the afternoon.

### Hospital Report

**Admitted**  
Mrs. Joyce Simpson, Mr. R. L. Sherrill, Mrs. Josephita Lopez, Mr. Jacob Hawkins, Mrs. L. Z. Manire, Mrs. Sophia Ortiz, Mr. Joe Perea, Carrizozo; Mr. Charles A. Smith, Ancho; Mrs. Romanita Chavez, Corona; Merry Lynn Murphy, Ft. Stanton.

### Discharged

Rickey White, Mrs. Joyce Simpson, Mrs. Geraldine Vlahovic, Mrs. Bess Dingwall, Charles Montoya, Mr. R. L. Sherrill, Mr. Joe Perea, Mr. Jacob Hawkins, Carrizozo; Mrs. Faye Wooten, Mrs. Dorothy Guick, Mrs. Mayme LaMay, Nogal; Mrs. Rocasmita Chavez and baby girl, Mrs. Lila Benham, Corona.

### Wreck on curve causes one death

Tony Montoya of Roswell, who had been visiting relatives at Encinas, was killed late Saturday night or early Sunday morning when his car failed to make a curve on US highway 380, 8.2 miles east of Captain. He was driving a 1963 Rambler station wagon. The accident was reported by Lucio Zamora about seven o'clock Sunday morning. He notified Paul Gibson, state policeman at Picacho, who with Sergeant Melvin West and Undersheriff Glen Bradley, investigated the

accident. Montoya's body was found in an irrigation ditch, submerged in water. He had apparently been thrown through the windshield of the car into the ditch.

An inquest was held in Captain before Justice of the Peace K. A. Huey Sunday noon. The verdict was cause of death by car accident.

Speaking of trade relations, some of us would be glad to

## January 29 is filing deadline

Lincoln County villages and towns are getting ready for elections to be held the first Tuesday in March (March 1, 1966) and not many candidates in sight at present.

Up at Corona the village clerk, Betty Knox, underwent surgery Saturday and Jane Books is filling in at the village office. Jane said the office of mayor, two councilmen a municipal judge were open, no candidates had filed as of Monday.

Tom Huey is mayor, Ernest Lueros councilman whose terms

expire, Leon Erramouspe has been serving on the council by appointment and will not be a candidate for election, Ernest Yandell and O. B. Simmons are holdover council members. Jim Wherry is municipal judge.

The same situation is pretty much true in Carrizozo. Two Council men, mayor and municipal judge are to be elected here. The terms of Mayor Vernon Petty, Councilmen Arrell Posey and Fred English, and Judge Friday Sherrill expire. Sherrill has filed for re-election, the other offices are open. Zo vlerk Nellie Lee Baker said

the filing deadline was the close of business on January 29.

At Captain the terms of Mayor Gerald Dean, Councilmen Johnny Annarotone and Miles Williams and Judge K. A. Huey have expired. None of these men have announced their intent to serve again. Mrs. Lucille Smith is village clerk at Captain.

Ruidoso has a trustee candidate, Herbert H. Brunell Jr., and H. M. Graham has filed for municipal judge. Mayor, two councilmen and judge offices are open.

### Rotarians to join women at meeting

The regular meeting of the Carrizozo Women's Club Thursday January 20, will be preceded by a 12 o'clock luncheon at which the Rotary Club members will join the Women's Club members for the luncheon. Hostesses for the luncheon are: Mrs. B. K. Stephenson, Mrs. George Maki, Mrs. W. Wolcolum Armstrong, Miss Lola Dooley and Mrs. Morton Murphy.

The regular business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock followed by the program. Mrs. Gladney Stubbs will be program chairman, a film will be shown, "Decorating Unlimited."

### Gamma Theta meets at Lincoln Station

Gamma Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, held its regular meeting January 10, 1966, in the Recreation Room of the El Paso Natural Gas Plant. Sandra Alford was hostess.

A letter for International was read thanking our Recording Secretary for the job she has done so far this year. Nena Stratton was appointed to the office of Vice-President to finish the year in the absence of Katy Tracey. Katy was granted a year leave of absence because of illness. Eva Mae Hollyman reported that Christmas cards had been sent to all of the shut-ins on the list.

The program for the Ritual of Jewel members, "Music Into Drama and Dance" was given by Sherrill Perkins and June Tyree. Recordings from the Opera "Carmen", Victor Herbert's "Kiss Me Again", and records from "The Golden Tunes", were used for the program.

Eva Mae Hollyman gave the program "House and Home" for the Exemplar group. She gave outlines for decorating the home and how to set up a home decorating plan and budget.

After the programs the group enjoyed chips and dips. A clock wearing a crown was used as a centerpiece.

Those attending were Jane Books, Wanda Carnell, Patsy Mulkey, Pat Patrom, Geraldine Perkins, Nena Stratton, Barbara Womack, June Tyree, Sherrill Perkins, Pat Perkins, Eva Mae Hollyman, Pat Davidson, and hostess Sandra Alford.

### Lucas - Lackey vows on Dec. 13

Miss Frederica Deane Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dean Lucas of Farmington, was united in marriage to Paul Daniel Lackey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Lackey of Cedarvale at 6 p.m. December 16, 1965 at the First Baptist Church in Farmington. Rev. J. E. Hopkins officiated at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Tommy Brown was matron of honor and Archie Lackey, brother of the groom, was best man. A reception followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church. After a wedding trip to Cortez, Colo., the newlyweds were home at the Journey Inn apartments in Farmington. The bride was graduated from Farmington high school in 1962, where she was a member of FHA. She was also active in the First Baptist YWA. She was employed at the First National Bank prior to her marriage. The bridegroom is a graduate of Corona high school and a graduate of the University of N. M. He is the mathematics teacher at Mesa Alta Junior High in Bloomfield.

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## Extension Club meets 27th

### Woman's World

Edited by Eleanor Payton

### Many children and patients enjoyed gifts received during holiday season

Many children and bed-fast patients were the happy recipients of such warm, creative and wonderful Christmas gifts at the Fort Stanton TB Hospital.

For the past several years Mrs. Chester Henderson, of Roswell has contacted the merchants of Roswell for their contributions of creative games, toys and clothing.

Mrs. M. J. Hoban of Santa Fe has also sent gifts to the "stay-ins" patients for the past several years. These gifts were always very beautifully wrapped and consisted of useful gifts and creative games. Joining Mrs. Hoban this year were Mrs. John A. Kennedy wrapping the gifts, gifts from Mrs. K. K. Miller and Mrs. Lydia Eicher of Sausalito, California,

donated some money for the Christmas gifts.

The Ruidoso Girl Scouts had a bake sale and with the proceeds brought books, toys and clothing for the children. Father Pitts, Episcopal Church, brought the gifts to Fort Stanton.

The Hondo Extension Club under the leadership of Mrs. Frankie Gibson baked cookies for the patients.

Mrs. Hattie Lacy's school children had their Christmas party on the 17th of December, among the gifts were apples given to them by Wm. Schreengost of Lincoln and candy from the La Hondo Kiwanis Club of Roswell.

The gifts donated by the above people and firms were greatly appreciated and received by the children and adult patients alike.

Corona Women's Extension Club will meet at 10:30 a.m. on January 27 at the recreation room. New officers for 1966 will be installed.

New officers for 1966 were elected last October and the installation was postponed from November to January. The new president is Mrs. June Tyree. After the installation committees and helpers of the club will be appointed. Anyone having new ideas for the various club programs are asked to bring them for discussion. Hostesses at the noon hour will be Mrs. Carl Hiner and Mrs. Jack Davidson Sr. Bring covered dish. All are welcome.



is a house partially constructed of the Mal Pais lava which shows what can be done with the molten formation with some effort.

Altogether it is really something for the Carrizozo people to be proud of and I hope we can show our appreciation by helping to make and keep it an attractive place.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payton were in Santa Fe Thursday and Friday where Paul attended a meeting of the Ft. Stanton hospital board. The board met with Gov. Campbell Friday morning.

Saturday afternoon Florence Empson, June Straley, Lola Dooley and the writer visited with the Truman Spencers. Marion served some luscious cranberry cake and good coffee. The conversation flowed so freely it was dusk before the guests realized it. 'twas an enjoyable afternoon with a gracious host and hostess.

Dr. John Selby a recent visitor in Carrizozo is presently working with the Veteran's Administration under a special University of Kentucky arrangement. He is assistant professor to senior student internists in a 100 bed hospital that treats acute medical and surgical cases. Dr. Selby is a brother of Mrs. Truman Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacVeigh visited their son Bill who is a student at ENMU this weekend. They attended the ballgame Saturday evening between the local team and Wayland Baptist College. ENMU was the victor.

The MacVeighs were accompanied home by Cheryl and Curtis Rickerson who will visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rickerson for a week.

Mrs. Bess Dingwall returned home Friday from a short stay in the local hospital. Mrs. Dan Elliott will be with her a few days until she is stronger.

Mrs. Roy Shafer, Mrs. Robert Shafer and her son Scott were in Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maki left Sunday for Alamogordo. They remained there over Saturday night in order to attend the I. O. F. installation. Mr. and Mrs. Maki will move into a private home at 311-4th St., Alamogordo. Mr. and Mrs. Hub Murray from Tucson, Arizona will take over the management of the Crossroads Motel.

We are very sorry to lose good people, but we welcome the Murrays.



Miscner are showing playing pieces in the Carrizozo Grizzly Band, new instruments that add to the "new sound" directed by Mr. Arnold Boyce.



The grading will stiffen. More individualized work in reading groups is planned. They will write stories and illustrate them, practicing correct punctuation.

Mrs. Parish reports four out of the 6th grade, Kathy Smith, Robert Schlarb, and Bobby Hobbs have chicken pox. Marie Herrera has measles. She hopes they will be back soon.

Mrs. Pherrigo from the fourth grade says she will be busy getting the report cards ready for Wednesday. She had only two out Monday, Adriana Dominguez and Freddie Nava.

Mrs. Lamb is beginning a new project in sixth grade, correlating block printing with social studies.

### While down in the grades

Mrs. Eaker reports that Terry Stewart moved to Menahans, Texas. We wish Terry luck in his new home and school, but we hate to see him go. Tonya Pugh is moving to Hereford, Texas.

All of the children are back in school now, after a bout with the chicken pox, except Jerry Lueras. Jerry is now a victim of chicken pox and is absent from school.

Mrs. Sherrill reports from the second grade that Susan Pugh withdrew from school Monday to move to Hereford, Texas.

Most all the children are back in school this week who have been absent with chicken pox except Ronnie Mirabal and Town Colwell.

We draw pictures and have them in their room showing the relationship of the sun and moon to the earth. This is their work in science.

They are also studying the plant and life and the necessities of sun, water and soil to the plant and using this in relationship to health.

All the Elementary grades have new electric clocks in their rooms. The teachers are very proud of them. They are not only very convenient for the teachers but the children learn time much easier.

Mrs. Halsten says report cards are due Wednesday. The third grade will begin work on a new unit on communication. Mrs. Halsten and the children will be calling on the community for assistance in teaching this unit. The P. O., newspaper, telephone and television.

All the students were present Monday. The third grade is also beginning a unit on electricity. They will do electrical experiments using the dry cell. This is not harmful as it would take 75 dry cells in circuit to give a shock equal to a shock received from a wall outlet.

### "Around Town"

By Minnie Lee Neill

January is a hard month for news. The New Year headaches are gone but the holiday bills are still with us; so we settle down at the beginning of the year so intent on our financial status that there aren't many social activities. If you have any news we would like very much to see your smiling face in the News office or hear your pleasant voice over the telephone, telling us about birthday parties, visits, etc. We need your news items.

Have you been out to look over the new Mal Pais Park. It looks like there's going to be a lot of fun and picnics there this summer. The view is wonderful of the Mal Pais ruins. In the not too far distance there

Donnie Rickerson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rickerson, has returned from the P. I. to Da Nang in Viet Nam where his ship the USS Magoffin will be for approximately one month, after which they will go to Okinawa, Hong Kong and other ports on their way to the U. S. Expected arrival around April 12th.

The Carrizozo Schools made their regular trip up to ski Saturday. As there was no ball game scheduled for Saturday evening some ball players got to go up for an outing of skiing.

Mrs. Fred English went to Las Cruces Sunday afternoon where she was called for Federal Petit Jury this week. She has no idea of the length of time she will be gone.

Mrs. Wm. Gallacher and her son Wm., Jr., were in Roswell Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Frances Lovelace was over from El Paso and spent the weekend at the ranch last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rickerson of Clovis came to town Sunday. They will visit in the W. H. Rickerson home until Tuesday.

Margie Clouse spent the week end in Alamogordo visiting with her niece Barbara Brannum and attended the play "Kiss Me Kate". She went down Friday and came home Sunday. Barbara appears in the play and it will be presented again next Friday and Saturday evening at the Old Theatre Building just off 10th St. Margie recommended the play highly for anyone who would enjoy a good comedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton B. Whitaker have recently moved here from Dallas, Penn. Their son Alton Whitaker Jr., was stationed at North Oscura Peak several years ago. We hope Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker decide to locate here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kindschl of Albuquerque spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Forsythe, Mrs. Kindschl is a sister of Mr. Forsythe.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Strohmeyer spent the day in the Darrell Bodie home in Alamogordo Saturday. Mrs. G. O. Bodie, mother of Mrs. Bodie was a guest in the home also.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hayes went to Las Cruces Sunday to spend the day with their son, Frank, who is a student at the State University.

G. W. Chapman came over from Alamogordo Sunday to stay with his father, Lester B. Chapman while Mrs. Wm. Hayes was in Las Cruces.

Albert Snow was in Lubbock and Rawls, Texas last week. He left Wednesday and returned home Sunday. He stopped over in Hobbs and visited with a niece and nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coble who live in Corona visited in Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells home

### Questions and comments welcome

We want all of our readers to know that their comments are well received, even when they are not in agreement with the editor or staff.

In addition, we'd like our readers to know that their questions, about newspaper policy, community problems, etc., will be answered if possible.

Is there anything missing in your newspaper, that you would like to read each week (Please, no requests for comics, we feel it necessary to print mostly live material used by no other media)?

Would you like to be guest editor for a week or three? If so, you can start now. We invite your participation in The Lincoln County News.

Saturday, Mrs. Coble is a sister of Mrs. Wells.

Mrs. Ray Wells went to Santa Fe last Sunday and stayed until Tuesday taking the State Board Examination required to be a licensed beauty operator. She took Mrs. Bertha Wells with her to be her model.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Halsten drove over to Roswell Sunday

mostly for the pleasure of driving and seeing the countryside.

Two men from Texas who were going to Ruidoso to ski Sunday but, were unable to land at the airport in Ruidoso because of the weather conditions, landed at the airport here in Carrizozo and Mr. Dan Ortiz, Sr., drove them over to Ruidoso.



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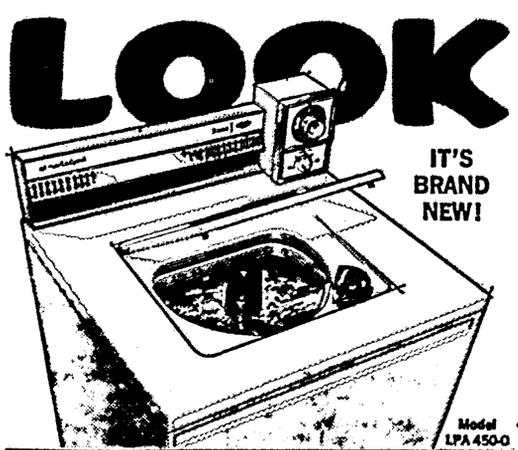
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## Ground work progressing nicely for natural gas in Lincoln County

The Capitan Gas Board, who are Bert Cheney, Valton Hall, Ray Provine and Mayor Gerald Dean which makes a 100 percent attendance at the Carrizozo board meeting Wednesday night January 12 at the school library there. Albert Roberts and Fred English are on the Carrizozo Board were present. Buster Smoot and Mr. Umbolt of the Pat Engineering of Santa Fe were also present. The ground work is progressing very nicely. Each step has been thorough and it looks good.

I am proud of our Gas board. The way they are taking good care of business. That is what it takes. Our Mayor has done a splendid job. Do give me encouragement and cooperation. He attends the necessary meetings and knows what is going on and has done what he has to do about everything. Remember the sewerage and the gas are the two essential things necessary to our development.

Other towns where you have been using those things, had to start one time and you can bet they had just the same kind of things happen as we are going through now. Just remember that and come forward with your cooperation and encouragement. We have to think and work toward that progress.

I was talking to a Fort Stanton person recently, she mentioned something about news. I asked her to send news to me and that I would gladly put it in my column. I have not for gotten Fort Stanton nor any of those nice people there. So if any of you have news, send it to me and I will take care of it.

Mayor Gerald Dean attended the Ruidoso Hondo Valley Hospital Board meeting at Ruidoso Monday night, January 10.

Mayor Dean also attended the County School Budget meeting in Carrizozo at 1:00 p.m. last Friday. Mr. Lovelace also attended that meeting. He is of Corona.

Mrs. Eltha Merrell accompanied by Mrs. Grace Murphy spent Monday afternoon at the ranch home of Mrs. Champ Ferguson. Mrs. Murphy had not seen her since her illness and was anxious to visit her. Lorene is gaining strength and doing very nicely and I am certain she will continue as she does take good care of herself.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dixon returned from six weeks vacation the weekend of the 8th, at Vernal, Utah, with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dixon and family. While there Pat was taken to a specialist in Salt Lake City. They referred to Drs. in Roswell, that he would go to when he becomes ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cummins are the proud parents of a baby daughter born to them at the Methodist Hospital in Arcadia, California. Her name is Kristen Marie. She was born January 7 at 1:45 a.m., weighing 8 lbs. 10 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaMay were notified that they have a new granddaughter born to their daughter Jeanett, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Prince, at the Walker Air Force Hospital in Roswell. She was born Saturday morning January 15.

Many of you readers and old timers, remember, John Kallisen. He entered the Meadows Home at Las Vegas, N. M., the first part of December 1965. Do you send him cards of cheer? It does help to know people are thinking of you. Give him cheer while he is here with us to know.

Patsy called her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Jones Saturday morning and was overjoyed at the news she had just received. She and her husband, Charles Greene of Las Cruces left Sunday January 17 for Hawaii to attend to business. They will return Thursday. They went by plane. The little boys stayed at home during their absence with someone to take care of them and they went to school.

Please, dear readers, send me any news you might have. This is your column. I am just the correspondent. Certainly I'd appreciate any news you have at all times. If you fail to see me, drop it in the post office. It must go in.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Goodloe are the proud parents of a son born January 10 in the afternoon at the Medical Center in Roswell.

The Cotton Butane Gas Company has taken the fence down from their lots and have cleared them with heavy equipment. They are the south side of the highway across from the post office southeast. The progress really does make a big difference in the appearance.

Thursday, January 13 Mr. and Mrs. Otho Lowe, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Jack Shaw and myself attended the Eastern Star at the Ruidoso O. E. S. Hall, Chapter 65. They held their regular meeting and the installation of the officers for the ensuing year. We enjoyed it and their social hour as well.

Rev. and Mrs. George Bishop of Glorietta, N. M., stopped and visited a few of their friends as they were passing through last Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Harris of Ruidoso Downs accompanied by his sisters, Lou Harris, and Agnes England came by early Sunday morning and picked up his other sisters Mrs. Maude (R. D.) Kingston and journeyed on to Roswell to the home of his daughter, Ione, Mr. and Mrs. Coins for dinner at noon. They returned late Sunday evening.

On weekend of January 8th Mrs. N. E. Britton (Pauline) of Mesalero was in Capitan on business and spent that time at their home. Tuesday morning, early, she joined Carlton at Nathalle's, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fort in Ft. Worth and he went with her to Stephenville, Texas to visit her mother, Mrs. Cora Moss until this weekend. She spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fort.

Carlton Britton has enrolled in the second semester at Texas Tech. He has recovered very nicely from that car accident in which he was seriously injured. It looked as if he might carry permanent effects. But, he is walking and gaining strength rapidly. I felt he would as he had that determination to make it. We wish you complete recovery and health and a successful semester at the University.

Mr. Ralph Solether who is forester ranger at the Capitan Ranger Station has been notified of a transfer to Alpine, Arizona. They have to be there by February 13. This is going to be a tremendous loss to Capitan. They have done a swell job for this community in every thing. Barbara, his wife, is the president of the Smokey Bear Club and Ralph has been the treasurer. They have accomplished many things. And have many more plans. Oh, we do so much hate to lose them. But, do wish them success in their new home. They are a charming couple and have two very nice little boys, one of which attends school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gordon have purchased a nice home in the country near Artesia, N. M. and both girls have their own horse. They are very happily located, though, they do miss their friends here. That wonderful couple will soon have a host of friends. I do thank you all for your sincerity and kindness to me.

We are having winter at this time with zero cold weather. Had a light snow last night (Sunday, 10th). It looks as if it might snow today and it is getting warmer. We do welcome this winter and its moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wright and baby have rented the Britton home and will move in, February 1.

Mrs. Wesley Dross and baby son, Randy of Carrizozo, accompanied by Mrs. Wayman Gray visited Mrs. Howard Wright last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and children were gathering wood on the Baca Ranch and as Paul was putting wood on the load, a big knot on a piece of wood caught his leathered gloved left hand crushing the little finger and took some leather as well as over half of the nail with it. It has been very painful but he is doing as well as can be expected at home.

Mrs. Allie Taylor has returned to Capitan and is making her home at the home of her sister, Mrs. Annie McInnes until her own home has been remodeled.

### Capitan School Menu January 17-21

Monday — Corn Dogs, Cole slow, cheese straws, apple pie, milk.

Tuesday — Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, carrot pennies, hot rolls, chocolate cake, milk.

Wednesday — Grilled hamburger on bun, lettuce relish, buns, peach cobbler, milk.

Thursday — Mexican pie, spinach, cornbread, jello, milk.

Friday — Fish portion, buttered corn, hot biscuit, spicy apple bars, tartar sauce, milk.

The obvious is that which is never seen until someone expresses it simply. — Khalil Gibran

### FROZEN FOODS!

## Orange Juice

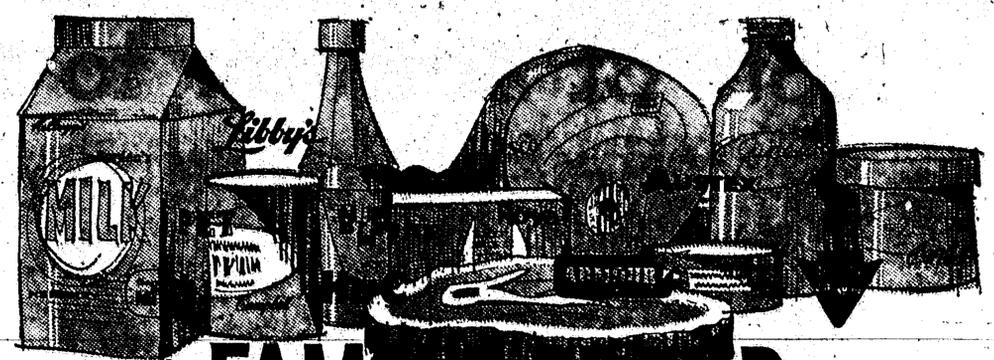
Minute Maid

2 12 Oz. Cans **79¢**

Danish Pecan Twist **2<sup>F</sup> \$1<sup>R</sup>**  
Morton's ..... 12 Oz.

Chocolate Cake **2<sup>F</sup> \$1<sup>R</sup>**  
Morton's ..... 13 Oz.

16oz. Green Beans/Giant Broccoli Spears, Green Giant  
Baby Peas **3<sup>F</sup> \$1<sup>R</sup>**  
Green ..... Reg. Pkgs.



## FAMOUS BRAND WONDERLAND!

These values are good in Carrizozo, Jan. 21, 22, 1966

**Crisco** Shortening **3 Lb. Can 69¢**

**Beans** Stokely **5 No. 303 Cans \$1**  
Cut Green

**Dog Chow** Purina **10 Lb. Bag \$1<sup>19</sup>**

**Gelatin** Royal Asstd Flavors **6 Reg. Pkgs. 49¢**

**Coffee** Chase & Sanborn **7c Off Lb. Can 75¢** **15c Off 2 Lb. Can \$1<sup>49</sup>**

**Crisco Oil** 24 Ounce **43¢**

**Kleenex** Facial Tissue 6 - 150 Count **\$1**

**Plates** Paper-Bondware 9 In. Pkg. of 40 **49¢**

**Cherries** 6 - No. 303 Stokely, R. S. P. **\$1**

**Lux Toilet Soap**  
2 Bath Bars **35¢**

**Lifebuoy Soap**  
2 Bath Bars **41¢**

**Surf Detergent**  
15c Off, Net-Giant **70¢**



## Chuck Pot Roast

U. S. D. A. Choice Heavy Aged Beef **47¢**  
Valu - Trimmed Pound

Franks Poyton Chesterfield Lb. **49¢** Tid Bit Shrimp Kopl. Krusty Breaded, Frozen Lb. **69¢**

Sliced Bacon Poyton English Brand Lb. **89¢** Channel Catfish Whole, 1/2 to 1 1/2 Lbs., Frozen Lb. **69¢**

Cheese Kraft Full Cream Longhorn Lb. **59¢** Round Bone Arm Cut, USDA Choice Aged Beef Swiss Steak Valu - Trimmed Lb. **69¢**

**Rib Steak** U. S. D. A. Choice Heavy Aged Beef Pound **85¢**

**7 Bone Roast** Today's Good Buys Center Cut Pound **57¢**

### HI-C DRINKS

All Flavors **3 4 Oz. 89¢**

### FANCY TUNA

Starkist Chunk **4 No. 1/2 Cans \$1**

### BEEF STEW

Armour's **24 Ounce 49¢**

### LIQUID DETERGENT

Food Mart **22 Ounce 39¢**

### Food Mart Health & Beauty Aids!

V. O. 5, Reg. or Dry Formula - Reg. \$1 **69¢**  
**Hair Dressing Tube**

Deep Magic Tonal Dry Skin Conditioner, \$1 Size **69¢**

Notebook Paper Hylene/250 Sheet Filler - Pkg. **39¢**

### Food Mart Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

**APPLES**

School Boy Size - Jonathan **4 Lb. Bag 35¢**

Fuertes Variety, Salad King **LARGE SIZE AVOCADOS**  
**2 Each For 25¢**



Grapefruit Florida Red Ruby ..... 2 Lbs. **25¢**

Carrots Vitamin Special ..... 1 Lb. Pkg. **3<sup>F</sup> 25¢<sup>R</sup>**

# Lots of activity to start the 1965 year



Joe and Jud Cooper raise champions on Hondo Valley ranch.

## Grizzly Growls

By Slim and Lee

Many things have been going on down at the Grizzly stomping grounds this past week and Slim and Lee are right here to tell you about it.

Two Air Force Recruiting men were here the 18th to test the Seniors, the test covered 4 areas: General, Electronics, Mechanics and Clerical. The Seniors tested all morning long and were very glad when it was over with but it was all worth it.

The man from Marquez Studios was here this past week to retake group pictures and Senior pictures. The groups that were taken were: GAA, Commerce Club, Juniors, Sophomores, Freshmen and some Seniors that missed out when he was here before taking Senior pictures.

We haven't had too many new enrollments this past week, Rafaela Apollaca did enroll last week as an 8th grader. We are so happy to see new faces around the school!

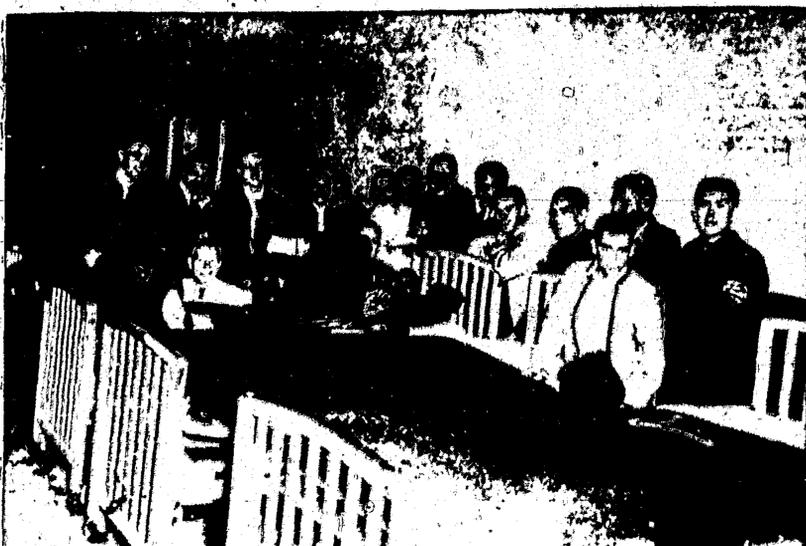
The Office Practice class went to the bank Wednesday, the 19th to view all the procedures and equipment in the new bank, they all had a very interesting trip.

Since the new gym is still under completion, the basketball boys have been having to travel everyday to Capitlan to use their gym to practice in. We didn't have a game this past weekend but we play Ruldoso here this Friday, starting time is 6:30. Support our team this weekend and see the new gym also.

The Junior High basketball boys went to Ruldoso last Thursday, only to lose to them in both games.

Mrs. Bradley was here all day Wednesday to check the grade school children's eyes. She and Mrs. Davis worked in the Audio Visual room and Mrs. Davis will again check the eyes tomorrow.

This is the end of the Grizzly news for this week, and we are sorry to report our 'OL Uncle Wilbur isn't feeling too good this week and didn't give us any sayings. We hope he is feeling alot better next week, we know he will be, you never can keep a good man down. Until next week this is Slim and Lee again say ADIOS.



First class enjoys showing off new camp facilities at Sierra Blanca.



Lincoln County 4-H dairy judging team a winner.



Billy MacVeigh won blue ribbons at New Mexico State Fair.



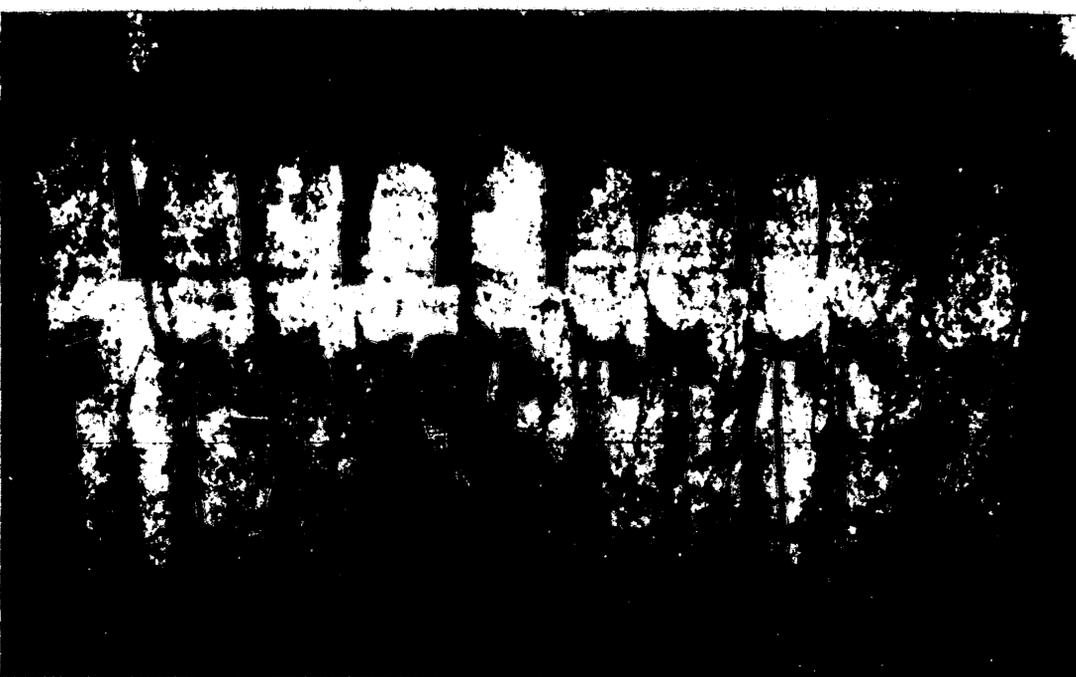
Patient load at Fort Stanton showing gain.



Benefit tea given at Hugh Bancroft Memorial Library.



Crowd at Sierra Blanca Forestry Camp "openhouse".

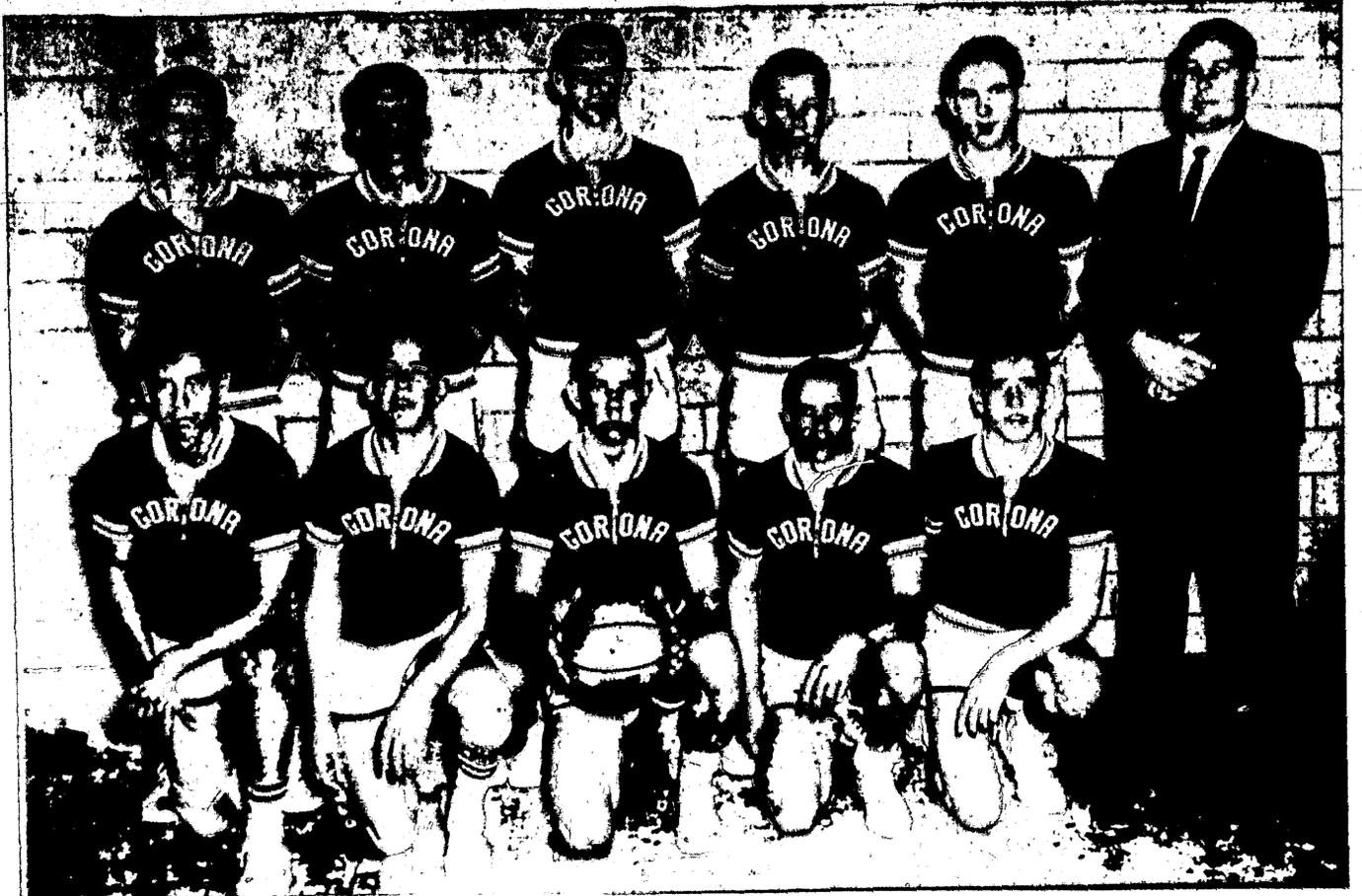


Hondo High School Eagles headed for state playoffs.

# Picture review of events in 1965



Ralph Dunlap is "agent of the year".



Best basketball team in the area . . . Corona Cardinals.



Bloomerbelles and Smokettes tangle on gym floor.



Sheepskin given to Carrizozo Municipal Hospital by Happy Homemakers.



First action in new District Court room.



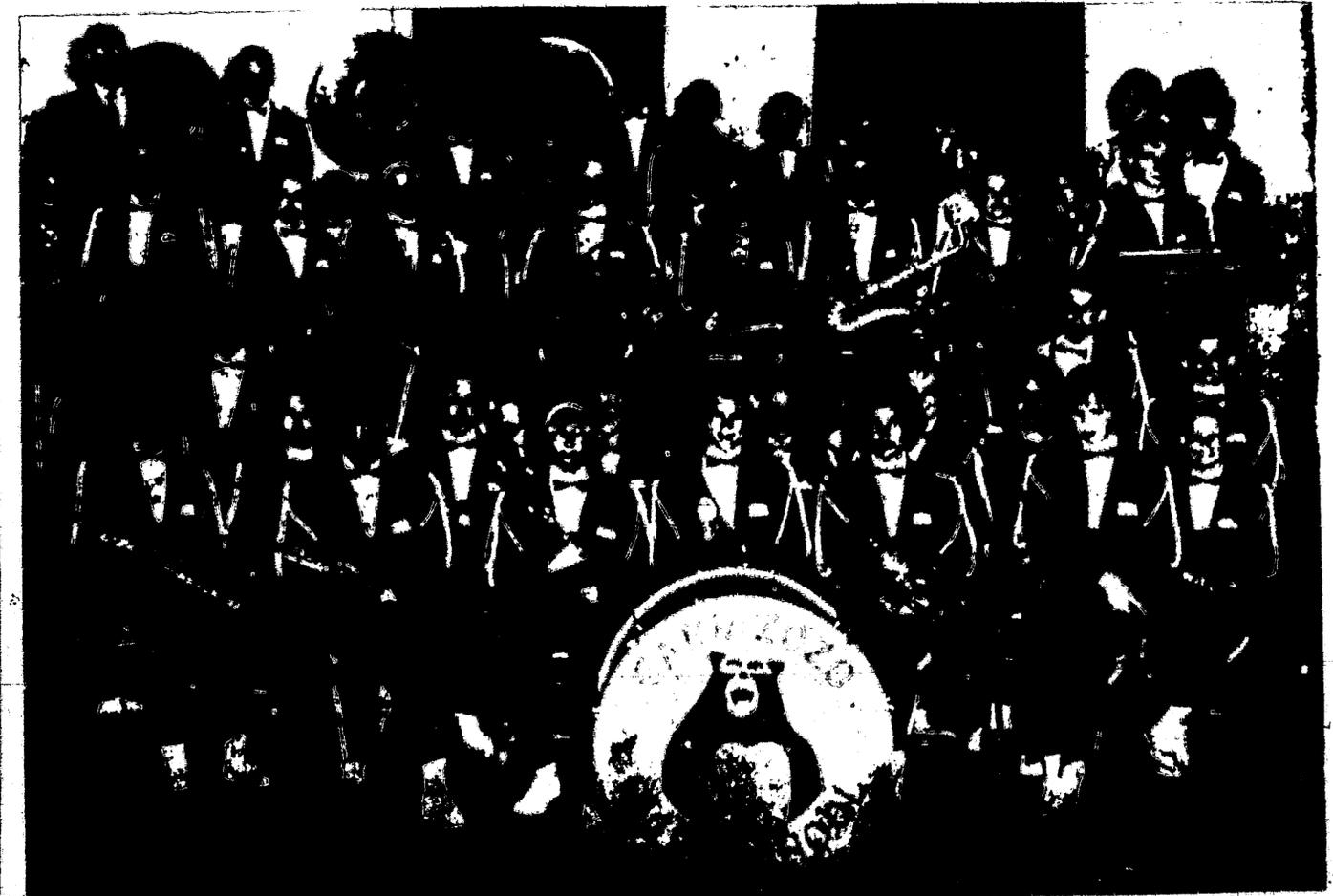
County Commissioners watch (continued below)



Jay Lasater hands Co-op tax check to county treasurer.



Contractor and architect argue courthouse detail.



Carrizozo Grizzly Band, directed by Arnold Boyce, presented spring concert.

# EDITORIAL . . .

"A page for independent thought"

## The challenge of change

The subject of "change" has been on the mind of the Lincoln County News editor and publisher constantly for more than a year. The change we speak of refers to the weekly newspaper and its relationship to its home community and response to the world in general.

Probably the subject of "change" hit us when we first learned how in recent years the Lincoln County News was a handset paper. Dad Payton used a line casting machine in setting type for the Colony (Kansas) Free Press around 1925, maybe as far back as 1920. This switch from handset to machine set was common for weekly newspapers during the late 20's and 30's. According to Bradley Smith, son of former News owner, the Lincoln County News did not switch to machine set type until the 40's.

When Olds and Payton bought the Lincoln County News in 1961 our product was handfolded. Again we go back in years, way back, when as an 8-year old boy we folded papers by hand for Dad, who bought a machine folder by the time we got to high school. Getting the News in the mail was a real chore for Olds and Payton, the hand-folded way. The routine then was to finish printing late Wednesday, and finish mailing late Thursday. From the time the 4-page Miehle newspaper press starts now, until all papers are folded, addressed and in the mail is a lapse of less than two hours.

These two changes, machine type setting and folding, are not minor, they could have happened years ago, and frankly the Lincoln County News only caught up with the 1940's by making these changes.

What should we do to catch up with the 1960's in the weekly newspaper field?

A preliminary remark necessary is that the best and best read newspapers are not always the fanciest looking. It's like the letter from Junior away from home, his writing may be terrible but it is "his" writing, the letter is read and reread. If the home-town newspaper is full of live local news it can still look like a horse-and-buggy product and be a good newspaper fully responsive to its reading public.

A secondary remark necessary is about the "change" picture in the price of Dad's product compared with today. Dad used to charge 25¢ per column inch for advertising and \$1.00 per year for subscriptions — such pricing was common nationwide in the weekly newspaper field during the early 1960's.

Newspaper prices are certainly higher now than any advertiser would say they are too high but Dad was using a \$1,500 line casting machine (though used, no doubt) whereas the Lincoln County News is turning the wheels of a \$15,000 line casting machine each working day. The main message here is that most weekly newspapers have not kept their prices up with the pace of change, and rarely will there be a publisher who has money in the bank enough to buy new equipment to keep up with changing times.

Up to now we've been discussing mostly mechanical changes, actually the least important except that to get news to a reading public fast (the day it happens for instance) a newspaper has got to keep its mechanical department in good order.

The subject of a "Changing World" has been favorite speech material for educators for many years. Your family now has two cars, granddaddy rode a horse. You now have hot water, indoor plumbing, a garbage disposal, color TV, canned fruit for supper, breakfast bacon from Chicago. Your immediate ancestors had none of these.

In addition to many material improvements around your house, life is much different in other ways. The home that used to be the center of all family activity is now split by many changes. Children go, go about tending to all sorts of business, father and mother both work, when people are home they've got to be quiet so the TV can be heard.

The small towns and communities that once thrived in all corners of the United States are either gone, or going, leaving only foundations, a few scraggly trees, and empty buildings as reminders that people once lived there. If Carrizozo did not have a courthouse, there probably would be no newspaper here. There is much more reliance on government now, touching most all phases of life.

You nor any other person needs convincing that our world is changing. The question is how much shall we change with it.

The bread-and-butter-news of weekly newspapers has been country correspondents for a 100 years, this pattern developed and wanted their name in print. The Lincoln County News editor likes this pattern, mostly because it tells about people and people are the most important in this world. We would not want to change our country correspondents, except to have more news from certain areas.

The weekly newspaper, and particularly this editor, has published only the barest details of state news, believing it the task of a weekly newspaper to service its area leaving state-wide coverage to the daily press. Maybe this is an area where change should take place. Maybe we should cut the top news stories each week and print them in digest form.



**SPEAKER** — John O. Koshier, former head of the Berlin bureau and a long time European reporter for the Associated Press, will be one of the featured speakers at the New Mexico Press Association convention in Hobbs, Jan. 21-22. Koshier is a native of Dresden, Germany, and currently is a New York AP executive.

As youngsters become more affluent (spending father's money) they also become more important to store owners and as a result some newspapers are printing a teen-age section. The weekly press is responsive to where dollars are spent, but not so speedily because none of our stores cater particularly to youngsters. Nevertheless, there is a changing condition — we are pushing for more news from this age group.

The picture story is a popular feature in magazine and newspaper these days. A good many weekly newspapers now have equipment to facilitate picture printing, the Lincoln County News does not. We think this area is one where some immediate change could take place — meaning that we should invest some money in new equipment so the News could print more pictures.

Is your local newspaper meeting the needs of the community for what we call "front page" news? Are we printing the kind of news that might help the town, help local business, tell the full story of what is going on around town? We can tell you that this is a tough job, we're not at all sure we're handling well. For instance, there is more dependence on government for urban renewal these days, but such is not wanted locally, news not much

**NEW PROJECT, NEW SIGN** — A number of experiments are now underway in the Fort Stanton area where N. M. State University has established an experiment station. Sid Goodloe, station manager, has completed several miles

value along these lines. Our personal opinion is that job opportunities are deteriorating instead of improving, meaning in general terms that there are less people in town now than a few years back. In this area of news coverage, the best we feel we can do is be responsive to our readers, and maybe just a little out in front.

The Lincoln County News is one of the few weekly newspapers carrying editorials of local origin each week. Such writing takes time, and then not enough time is available to do a top job of editorial writing. We often feel that time spent writing editorials could better be spent out on the street talking to people. Our editorials are confined to local conditions for the most part, maybe we should widen our field to include more state and national affairs.

We found out long ago that people have a way of resisting change believing that tried and tested methods continue to work, why change them. This would be fine except that changes are going on all around us and this weekly newspaper would like to keep up.

There is a challenge in a "change," let us hear from you. — PWP.

## "Just for Fun"

### Ways and Ways

A housewife was interviewing an applicant for a job on her household staff. "Do you know how to serve company?" she asked.

"Yes, ma'am; both ways," was the reply.

"Just what do you mean 'both ways'?"

"So's they'll come back and so's they won't."

### Quite True

Quizmaster: "How many successful jumps must a paratrooper make before he graduates?"

Contestant: "All of them!"

### Keeping Abreast

A reporter from a big city newspaper stopped to visit a friend who ran a little country weekly.

He asked his friend, "How can you keep up your circulation in a town where everyone already knows what everyone else is doing?"

The editor grinned: "They know what everybody's doing, all right, but they read the paper to see who's been caught at it."

### Available

For hours a picket walked up and down a busy street carrying a sign that was absolutely blank. Asked what was the big idea, he replied, "I'm looking for a sponsor."

### Champion Possibilist

One day, after an exceptionally long spell of good weather, a farmer was standing in his field gazing sadly at the bumper crop. A car stopped and the driver leaned out to congratulate the farmer on the fantastic growth of his produce.

"Yes, it's true," the farmer lamented. "The vegetables are bigger and better than ever, and the wheat is coming along well enough, but just think how it's exhausting the soil."

### All Depends

A city boy on a night hike in the Rocky Mountains inquired of the guide, "If it rains, a grizzly won't attack you if you're carrying a flashlight?"

"That depends," said the guide, "on how fast you are carrying it."

of fence with some experimental angles, and is feeding livestock each day on an experimental basis. Other experiments will be carried out by the Department of Game and Fish. This new sign is located at the entrance to Fort Stanton TB Hospital. (News Photo)



We've known of a number of occasions when people attempt to hurt someone in business by boycott methods. Apparently A. A. Webster Jr. of Alamogordo tried to influence advertisers not to advertise in "The Southwestern" published by W. C. McGaw. McGaw was awarded \$20,000 in compensation damages by a 4-man-8-woman jury last week which decided a letter sent by Webster to advertisers was libelous. The New Mexico Press Association invited a John Birch representative to speak at its meeting two years ago. McGaw was real critical of both the Birch Society and the Press Association. The Lincoln County News stood up for the Press Association's right to hear any speaker on any subject, in an editorial at that time. Webster's letter writing followed McGaw's editorial criticism of the Birch Society.

### W • W

Wally Old's town of Red Lodge, Montana, must be close to Zozo in size but certainly not close in size of Chamber of Commerce budget. At Red Lodge they figure to spend \$1,000 on public relations and advertising, \$1,000 for brochures, \$600 for road signs, \$500 for retail promotions, \$500 for conventions, \$100 for bulling funds, \$100 a month for secretary. Members are asked for \$35 to more than \$100 dues based on size of operation and benefit from C of C work.

### W • W

Also from reading Wally's newspaper we'd judged they need more C of C work in Red Lodge than we do in Zozo. High winds blew the roof off a house there Saturday and several store windows were blown out.

### W • W

The "Questions and comments" box in the News last week brought speedy results. One major problem with the results, no signatures and the writers remain unknown to us. Card mailed in Roswell carried this information: USDA announced that it would purchase applesauce for school lunch made only from Arkansas black apples, and that the quartermaster corps would buy meat only from certified Black Angus herds. Presume the writer figures the USDA and quartermaster will be unpopular in Lincoln County . . . if the comments are true.

### W • W

A second message to the editor entitled, "What is a Democrat?" and is not especially complimentary. Not all Democrats are like this anon writer says, especially Lincoln County Democrats. We can't use that unsigned writing.

### W • W

The third piece of writing to the editor is titled "Gossips" and signed "Disturbed." It is good material and we could find a place for "Gossips" in our paper if the writer were known to us . . . and, the writer's name does not have to be printed, but we like to know our authors.

### W • W

Dear Mr. Payton, Thank you very much for the paper. It has been very good reading and keeps me informed on what I am missing over here. It has been getting here within 4 to 6 days which is very good time for 9,500 miles. Thank you again, Merry Christmas and a Happy

New Year!

Mighty glad to get the message from Bill French wherever you are, 9,500 miles seems like a lot of distance. Bill would probably like messages from Zozo people, here is his address:

PFC William E. French  
RA18704844  
HHSB 1st Bn, 7th Arty.  
APO San Francisco, Calif.  
96345

### W • W

Peculiar weather in Zozo Sunday. Looked like real snow-storm on Capitan Mountain and all around to the northeast, but nothing but cold wind came to town. Monday morning was a warm 30 degrees, wind down, and snow started falling shortly after 1:00 p.m.

### W • W

Making good on what's necessary for any business — the way this is done frequently you makes or breaks a business. We figured a major company in Chicago made a bad error handling our business recently, but had no luck in communicating with them. Another Akron, Ohio, company went beyond the call of necessity to make a bad deal with us. Local business people have much the same problems — hope you'll give this subject some attention in the new year.

### W • W

From Duff's Cavern — There's one thing about money. It may not buy you more friends — but it does attract a better class of enemy. Remember the good old days when policemen didn't hide at the side of a busy road, but took their chances in traffic like anybody else?

### W • W

It's not my job to run the train.  
The whistle I can't blow.  
It's not for me to say how far  
The train is allowed to go.  
I'm not allowed to blow off steam  
Not even clang the bell  
But let the damn thing jump the track  
And see who catches hell!

## Letters to Editor

Porterville, Calif.  
Dear Sir:  
Please find enclosed \$8.00 for the paper for two more years. I enjoy the paper very much.  
Thank you,  
Dorothy Lawson,  
1504 So. Kessing St.  
Porterville, Calif.  
93257

Tucumcari, N. M.  
January 2, 1966

Dear Editor:  
Find enclosed check for subscription for the paper.  
I just returned from a trip to California. I visited my son, M/Sgt. Don E. Kelt at Edwards AFB, Edwards, California.  
Spent ten days. While there I visited my nephew, Ven Gal-lacher and family. He is the son of the late Harry Gallacher. It has been a number of years since I had seen him.  
We were gone about 14 days. My daughter-in-law Louise, wife and two children of John J. Kelt, went with me. Had a nice visit, but was glad to get back to New Mexico. So I will close.  
Mrs. M. M. Kelt  
Tucumcari, N. M.

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PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: WARREN MAURES, JACK H. MAURES, GEORGE J. CHEATHAM, DONALD P. DWYER, BETTY M. CHEATHAM, LEE BERKHEIMER, and LARRY W. LYNCH, inpleaded with the following named DEFENDANTS BY NAME IF LIVING, IF DECEASED THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS: OMEGA LOVETT, JAMES G. RECTOR, JIM RECTOR, DAN SHREMAKER, OVENTIN M. DRUNZER, LESTER MILLHOUSE, O. M. DRUNZER, WILLIE HENNESSY, DORIS HALE, CARL SHERWOOD, LARRON MEANS, CHARLIE B. WILLIAMS, J. W. HILL, T. H. HUNT SR., T. H. HUNT JR., J. SIMONS, C. W. CAMPBELL, MRS. MATTIE CAMPBELL, MRS. MARY MANRY, MRS. BONNIE L. BALDWIN, JOHN R. HANS, MRS. J. D. MARTIN, E. J. JONES, J. B. GRAVLEE, E. J. SHEEREN, MRS. E. J. SHEEREN, W. T. ENGLISH, ELLER GRAVLEE, LUTIE RAY, FLOYD ELLIS, W. W. HUNT, G. P. HARVEY, WAYNE SUTTON, J. C. BALDWIN, O. A. BARNES, and E. W. MITCHELL; The defunct, CANNON AND HUNTER, or its assigns; The defunct, GORMAN BROTHERS AND ASSOCIATES, or its assigns; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED DECEASED PERSONS: J. M. WILLIAMS, R. B. MEANS, DOLLIE B. WILLIAMS, JOE HENNESSY, and W. J. BALLOW, and ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF, GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 28th day of December, 1965, The Ancho Mining Company filed in the District Court, Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, a Complaint against you and each of you, Cause No. 7833 on the Civil Docket of said Court, the general object thereof being to quiet and set at rest in Plaintiffs the title to certain real estate situated in Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, as follows, to-wit:

That certain group of unpatented placer and lode mining claims being situated in Sections 2, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, and 25, Township 5 South, Range 12 East, N.M. P.M., in the JICARILLA MINING DISTRICT of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and being more particularly described in Plaintiffs Complaint. You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before February 21st, 1966, judgement will be rendered therein against you by default.

Attorney for Plaintiff and his address is H. Elfred Jones, Box 415, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court on this 28th day of December, 1965.

/s/ Edward Penfield District Court Clerk First published in the Lincoln County News Dec. 30, 1965. Last published Jan. 20, 1966.

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO WITHIN AND FOR LINCOLN COUNTY. IN THE MATTER OF) No. 7832 THE ESTATE OF) ELMER S. WOOD, DECEASED

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON PETITION FOR PERMISSION TO SELL REAL ESTATE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, TO: MINEOLA SPIRES, WILLIE BELLE SCOTT, JOHNNIE ROGERS, ALBERT C. WOOD, NORA MAE POWERS, LORETTA OWENS, LOUISE DUGGAN, DOUGLAS WOOD and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest, in or to the estate of said decedent.

GREETINGS: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mineola Spires, Adminky, tratrix, has filed a petition for permission to sell certain real estate, including the personality, belonging to the Estate of Elmer S. Wood, Deceased and the Court has set the 28th day of February, 1966, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. in the Court

room of the Lincoln County Court House at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing on said petition.

The name and address of the attorney for the Petitioner is H. Elfred Jones, P. O. Box 415, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the District Court on this 4th day of January, 1966.

Edward Penfield District Court Clerk First published in the Lincoln County News January 6, 1966. Last published January 27, 1966.

## Oil and Gas Law set for Feb. 9-11

The seventeenth annual institute on oil and gas law and taxation, presented by the International Oil and Gas Educational Center, Dallas, has been scheduled for February 9 - 11, 1966 according to Judge Geo. L. Zimmerman.

Judge Zimmerman, resident representative of the Southwestern Legal Foundation which sponsors the institute announced that attorneys from Washington, D. C., New York, Illinois, Oklahoma, California and Texas will address the meeting to be held at the Southwestern Legal Center on the campus of Southern Methodist University.

## Tour taken of Upper Hondo

Tour of Upper Hondo Pilot Watershed project by Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District — January 6, 1966 left SCS office at Capitan at 10 A. M.

Individuals on tour: Bert Pfingsten, Upper Hondo SWCD; Mrs. Bert Pfingsten, Tres Valles Garden Club; Ernest McDaniels, Upper Hondo SWCD; Ralph Bonnell, Upper Hondo SWCD; Charles Jones, Upper Hondo SWCD; Jack Higgins, Upper Hondo SWCD; Valton Hall, Lions Club, Capitan; Daulton Morgan, Soil Conservation Service; Mrs. Daulton Morgan, Ladies Auxiliary, SCD; Luther McDougal, Soil Conservation Service; E. J. Myers, Soil Conservation Service.

The tour left Capitan at 10:00 A. M. and toured the structures on the Spencer property north of Capitan. They found the spreader dams to have quite a lot of water in them. The next stop was south of Capitan at the Ralph Pearson Ranch. The Debris Basins there are doing a fine job. At the Salado Dam, east of Capitan, part of the group went on an inspection through the principle spillway pipe of the dam.

This pipe is 720 feet long and 4 1/2 feet tall. There was no damage found in the pipe from settling or floodwater. E. J. Myers of the Soil Conservation Service in Capitan gave the group a rundown on the Salado Dam: It is 78 feet high, 690 feet long, and 750 feet thick through the base. When this dam is full it will hold 4,990 acres feet of floodwater and sediment. It will release the floodwater at a rate that will run only 1 1/2 feet deep in the creek channel below it.

A delicious luncheon was enjoyed at the Wortley Hotel in Lincoln. After lunch the group went down the Bonita River and inspected flood damage to the stream revetments and debris Basins on the Bert Pfingsten Ranch.

The next stop was to the Robert O. Anderson Ranch below Hondo for inspection of stream revetments along the Hondo River. Some of the revetments were still in good condition and some heavily damaged by the flood last June. The group decided what work should be done to the structures and revetments in order to make them operational again. Tour ended at 5:00 P. M. at the Robert O. Anderson headquarters.

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# Corona

By Effie Mulkey

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Keelin recently visited relatives and friends at Pampa, Busco, and Wheeler, Texas. Weekend visitors at the Keelin Ranch last week were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keelin and sons, Kenny and Danny, of Santa Fe, Mr. and Mrs. Alvic Keelin and boys, Joe, Drew and Tim of Alamogordo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and daughter, Teresa, of Olatha, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Bruso of Apache Junction, Ariz., were at Corona this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Willie E. Tracey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kilpatrick of T or C were here this week visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Winchester and family. They were enroute home after being six weeks at Tehachapi, California visiting their son, Henry Kilpatrick and family. Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick have bought Mrs. Amella Atkinson's home place in Corona, and as soon as they have sold their home at T or C they will move back to Corona. Mr. Kilpatrick retired from the State Highway Dept. a few years ago, and moved from Corona to T or C.

Mrs. Elene Means and children, Alan, Adis, and Clay of Carrizozo spent Friday night and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mulkey at Corona.

Miss Dell Mae Roberts is reported improving at Presbyterian Hospital in Albuquerque, following a serious attack of pneumonia. She is missed at Roberts Mercantile by her family, as well as her many friends. It is hoped she will soon be well and home again.

Mrs. Luella Porter returned last week from Iola, Ill., and Albuquerque after an absence of nearly four months, caring for her father who passed away December 29 in Illinois. Her daughter, Mrs. Delbert Yandell and son Delbert Jr., came home with her last week, and returned to their home near Grants Sunday. Her son, Pete Porter and family of Las Lunas were here the past weekend, and Mr. Porter took his sister, Mrs. Yandell back to her home Sunday. Charles Porter of Albuquerque is here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Lucille Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warf of Lubbock stopped by Corona recently enroute home from a week's stay at T or C.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thomas and Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. Wonna Fleming, of Mountainair visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rand Perkins the past weekend.

Phillip Austin and family from California were here last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Jack Davidson Jr., and family Phillip and his sister, Mrs. Davidson Jr. went to Artesia this week to be with their mother, Mrs. E. Austin, who has been very ill recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dishman went to Claude, Texas last Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Joanne Stewart and family. They were expected back home the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dimmitt Bond made a business trip to El Paso one day last week.

We always like to see our neighbor's names in the Corona column once in a while at least that way we know they are still "among the living." We are interested in ALL our neighbors, but sometimes loose contact with many of them, therefore we would like you to write, call, or stop by to see us whenever possible.

## Obituary

David L. Garcia

David L. Garcia, 68, long time resident of Bisbee, Arizona, died January 4, at the Copper Queen Hospital in that city. He was born to Jose and Refugia Garcia in Tularosa, New Mexico and came to Bisbee in 1922, he had worked as a miner for the Phelps-Dodge for many years. He served with the U. S. Army overseas in World War I, was a member of both the VFW and L. A. Engle Jr. Post #16 of the American Legion.

Survivors are five daughters, Betty Longoria, Margarita Renteria, Josie Nunez, Mrs. Jose DeLeon, Mrs. Victor Lopez, all of Bisbee, three sons, George of Los Angeles, Ramon of Miami, Arizona, Jerry of Bisbee, six brothers, Louis of Bisbee, Lorenzo and Ray of Oxnard, California, Domingo of Roswell, Joe of Alamogordo, and three sisters, Chana Herring of Albuquerque, Petra Torres of Alamogordo, Juanita Brustelas of San Francisco, also surviving are 34 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Wake service was held Thursday, January 6 at 8 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Church with Requiem mass at 9 a.m. Friday. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery with full military honors.

## Church Notes



### First Baptist Church

Bob Curtis, one of our deacons, spoke at the Mt. Valley Associational Worker's Conference last Tuesday (January 11, 1966). The meeting was held at the Mt. View Church of Alamogordo. Mr. Curtis' subject was "The Use of the Bible in Christian Witnessing." Twelve persons from the church here made the trip for this program.

The pastor's home was the scene of many beautiful Navajo blankets, jewelry, and other products on Thursday, January 13. The ladies of the Women's Missionary Society met at that time for a program on Baptist Missions to the New Mexico Indians. Many of the ladies wore costumes of our native Indians. Those in attendance were Mmes. McCollum, Berry, Carl, McDaniels, Don Means, Curtis, Clegg, and Misener.

After the evening services, Sunday, January 16, the Terry Lewis family was given a farewell fellowship tea in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Terry will be entering Eastern New Mexico University this spring semester.

As the pastor will be in Albuquerque for the Evangelistic Conference the three days of January 17-19, Don Means will lead the Wednesday evening Bible study and prayer service. Too, Frank McBride will lead the similar service in the Capitan church on Thursday evening, because the pastor will attend an Associational Executive Council meeting the same night.

Our church invites you to attend January 24-27 Bible Study in our church. The adults will study John's Witness to Christ, the young people will study Letters on Christian Living and the Juniors will study Men Who Told his Story. A nursery will

be provided for the younger children. The teachers for this study are the pastor for the adults, Ed Davis for the Young People and Intermediates, and Mrs. Milford Misener for the Juniors. The time for the study each night will be 7:00 to 8:45 p.m.

### Trinity Methodist Church

The church school program got off to a good new year start. All ages were well attended; we are glad the chicken pox is over now and will expect many more this Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

A nursery is provided each Sunday at our 11 a.m. worship, with one adult and two youths in charge.

MYF will meet at 5 p.m. The Sub District WSCS meeting was held at Grace Methodist Church last Wednesday the 12th. Those who attended were Mrs. Wm. Gallacher, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Burns, Mrs. C. A. Snow, Mrs. L. Z. Manire and Mrs. Alfred Kline.

Chaplain Kline attended the annual retreat for all El Paso District Methodist ministers Jan. 18 - 19 at a rancher's home out of Van Horn, Texas.

### Capitan Methodist Church

The WSCS met last Tuesday Jan. 11th at the home of Mrs. Virgil Loomis. Mrs. Bob Gates and Mrs. Alfred Kline lead the program on the words of Paul and Peter referred to us in "The Book of Acts." Mrs. Gates also spoke of her great opportunity to hear Dr. E. Stanley Jones prior to the Christmas holidays. Our group is most certainly growing spiritually as we work, study and pray together. All ladies are welcome to our next meeting Feb. 8th at Mrs. Herbert Traylor's home.

Plans are made for a Valentine Bake Sale to be held Saturday, Feb. 12th, 9 a.m. at Miles Sundries.

Church School each Sunday at 8:30 with morning worship following at 9:30 a.m. All members and friends are welcome.

## Alto Country

By Alleen Lindameed

Monday of last week Mrs. Lyda Peebles of Alamogordo visited at the Peebles' Ranch on Little Creek and stopped at the store to see the Lindameeds.

Mrs. Bill Venable spent the day Friday in Roswell.

## San Patricio News

By Lola R. Chavez

Mrs. Sonny Wright and Pat went to Alamogordo Tuesday of last week.

Bryan Cazler from over Bonito way stopped in for a visit last week.

Bill Venable and F. B. Lindameed were in Roswell Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Ogden and daughter Linda of El Paso were recent weekend guests of the Sam Allens.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Banks-ton of Midland were here the past week enjoying the fine skiing at Sierra Blanca.

For several days the weather man threatened us with snow — on Sunday it arrived and chains were needed to go to the ski slopes and snow tires were quite helpful in driving highway 37.

The new bridge in San Patricio is almost finished. It still needs lots of work on it.

Mr. and Mrs. Amarante Chavez and Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Montano and Mr. and Mrs. Anselmo Lopez gathered up a party and decided to go to the dance at Lincoln, all had a good time.

San Patricio has improved, we have a new grocery store in the valley. Steve's Grocery is now open, it is located at Ernest Sanchez's place.

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Tests conducted under a doctor's observations proved this to even in cases of 10 to 20 years' standing. The secret is the new healing substance (Bio-Tone) - now offered in

both ointment or suppository form called Preparation H. In addition to actually shrinking piles, Preparation H lubricates and makes bowel movements less painful. It helps to prevent infection (a principal cause of hemorrhoids).

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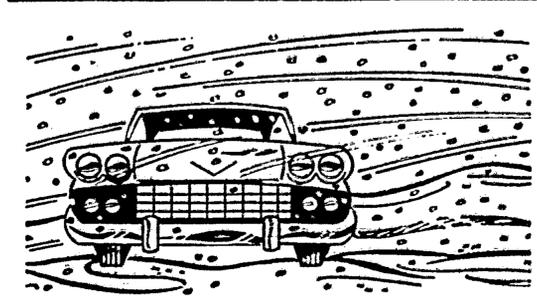
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**DEADLINE NOTICE** — Wednesday noon is the deadline for receiving news copy at the Lincoln County News. Thank you. tnc

**NOTICE**

The Hospital Board is offering for sale one Underwood typewriter, \$35, used drapes, \$2.50 pair, used hospital mattresses \$7.50 each. Contact business manager at hospital office. 4-3c

If you have a drinking problem contact Alcoholics Anonymous Ruidoso Downs, Box 469 or Phone 378-4300. Meetings every Tuesday night at 8:00. tnc

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**Icy roads believed to be cause of accident at Hondo.**

Paul Salas, 17 and Albert Gallegos, 19, both of Hondo landed in the Ruidoso Hospital when the car in which they were riding skidded off U. S. Highway 70 near Hondo last Sunday. The driver, James Salas, 18, also of Hondo, was not injured. Paul Salas has a bruised spine and scalp lacerations and Gallegos a cracked rib and multiple face and scalp cuts as a result of the accident.

It is believed that the driver hit a slick spot in the road. He was cited for failure to keep his vehicle under control. Icy roads were believed to be the cause of another Sunday accident. Else Hammons, 21 of Walker Air Force Base escaped injury when his car plunged over and down a 200 ft. embankment on U. S. 70, 10 miles west of Ruidoso Downs.

**4-H Member of the Month**



**Rebecca and Ritzy make up project**

Rebecca Lynne Simeros pictured above with "Ritzy" the colt she broke for her Horse-Colt project, has won several blue ribbons at the 1965 Lincoln County Horse show. Her other projects are Baking III, Horse-colt and Knitting.

Rebecca attends Hondo High school where she is in the 8th grade and is on the honor roll. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Simeros.



**Hondo Eagles out in front**

Some ballups in scheduling occurred last week which slowed up activity. The Zozo Grizzles were in the Santa Rosa tournament but had to withdraw and had an idle weekend. Due to difference in date of game Ruidoso did not play Hagerman last Saturday and the game will be played February 8.

Of the teams in action, Hondo Eagles are leading the field by a nice margin. The proved it on the Capitan Tigers Friday, 63-23. Bobby Richardson had 26 points and Harold Radcliff 19 to lead the Eagles. Chesser hit 10, Runnels 6, Herrera 5 and Peralta 4 for Capitan. The Capitan Bee squad won 65-51.

Saturday night the Goddard B squad played at Hondo and they were swamped even worse than Capitan. Radcliff hit 21 and Richardson 20 against Goddard. The Goddard Bees won 76-70.

The Eagles have Vaughn at Hondo Friday, open date Saturday.

**Warriors Take Cloudercraft**

Scoring was pretty well spread around but the Ruidoso Warriors had the most spread and beat Cloudercraft 59-50 Friday night. Baker hit 14 and Leftwich 11 to lead the Warriors. Fuller had 20, far out in front of Cloudercraft.

Coach Bob Lee said his Warriors figure on a tough go when they play in Carrizozo this Friday. Lee has one senior, four juniors and six sophomores a lot of action. Allan Ross may hit 20, maybe not. Franklin Joseph (6:1) hits in double figures, and so does Candelaria for the Warriors.

The Zozo Grizzlies beat Cloudercraft 60-55 in their last game January 8.

**Tigers lose two over the weekend**

The Capitan Tigers are in the midst of a rough season with few wins to their credit.

Following a 63-23 loss to Hondo Friday night they got overtimed when Cloudercraft came to town Saturday and lost 76-63. The game was deadlocked 67-67 after regulation time had expired but the Bears were hot and outscored the Tigers 9-2 in the OT session. Greigo scored 20 for Capitan, Fuller had 16 to lead Cloudercraft.

The Capitan Tigers play Jal Friday and Lake Arthur Saturday, both games at Capitan.

**Four good teams in Bean Valley**

The Bean Valley basketball tournament starts January 28 and Coach T. L. Brooks of Corona says that four teams are about equal. Vaughn and Estancia will be in the upper bracket, Corona and Moriarty in the lower bracket, the winner should come out of these four.

The Cardinals were not playing good ball when Manaul came to town last Friday and got beat by one point 40-39. One Cardinal was sick, the others not up to snuff.

Tenorio hit for 10, high on the Cardinal side, only two Manaul players were in double figures. This was Manaul's second win of the season.

Saturday at Moriarty the scoring was hotter, Moriarty winning 77-65. Tenorio had 17, Will Locke 15, Darrel Carnel 15 and Allan Brunson 10 for Corona. Lester and Williams both were hot for Moriarty.

The Cardinals have Ft. Sumner and Mountair at home this weekend.

**SPECIAL BUDGET HEARING HELD LAST FRIDAY**

At the special budget hearing held last Friday at one p.m. in the high school library, Carl Whitmore, a representative from the State Finance Dept. approved a budget of \$75,000.00 to complete payment for the annex to the gym which is expected to be finished this week. Those present were taken on a tour of the new building.

**Land management board to meet**

The Advisory Board of the Bureau of Land Management, Las Cruces District will meet at the District Office Friday, January 21, J. W. Young District Manager announced today.

Purpose of the meeting will be to elect officers for the year to recommend on grazing privileges on public land for the coming year and to discuss other matters concerning the administration of the 5 1/2 million acres of public land within the District.

Advisory board members from this area are J. B. Runyan, Charlie T. Leo and E. P. Harvey.

**THE WEATHER**

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January 13	55	30	20	20
January 14	48	18	5	5
January 15	46	20	15	15
January 16	45	27	30	30
January 17	31	22	8	8
January 18	35	23	08	8
January 19	39	27	33	10

**WALKER ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION**

Congressman E. S. Johnny Walker made the following statement in Washington today: "I am announcing my candidacy for re-election as your United States Representative, Position 2, and ask for the support and vote of the people of New Mexico."

"My years of experience in State government and during the past year in Washington as your Congressman, have prepared me to serve the people of New Mexico and to provide the leadership in Congress that our people deserve and want."

**Corona School Menu January 17-21**

- Monday — Veg. & beef soup, lettuce leaf, cornbread & butter, milk.
- Tuesday — Fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, sweet peas, hot rolls & butter, cherry cobbler, milk.
- Wednesday — Chili beans, sopapillas, carrot sticks, spice cake, milk.
- Thursday — Roast beef & brown gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls & butter, oatmeal cookies, milk.
- Friday — Peanut butter sandwiches, tuna sandwiches, lettuce leaf, potato chips, peach pie, milk.

**FARM NEWS**

By County Agent Ralph Dunlap  
 A meeting has been scheduled for the Community Ditch Owners, to be held at the Hondo School Gym at 7:00 p.m., Thursday evening, January 27, 1966. As per phone call from Mr. Peter Hayes from the State Planning Office in Albuquerque, Friday, January 14, 1966, the Soil Conservation is not going to be able to repair all the

ditches as originally planned. Therefore, as district applicants, those ditches involved, must do their own work or arrange for it to be done according to specifications yet to be received.

Gene Ott, Extension Farm & Business Management Specialist, has agreed to try to make the necessary arrangements to be present at the meeting to help with any questions you might have. Mr. Hayes is also being asked to be present.

Seven New Mexico 4-H members will represent their state at the annual 4-H Roundup and International Livestock Show at Denver, Colo., January 14-20. They include members of the state champion livestock judging team and 4-H home economics achievement winners. Members of the livestock judging team are Eldin Leighton of Clayton, Larry Sowers of Clayton, Marvin Gard of Gladstone, and Ernest Gard of Gladstone.

Herne Economics achievement delegates are Carol Willis of Carlsbad, Lois Dunlap of Nogal, and Barbara Johnstone of Albuquerque.

The 4-H Roundup begins January 18. Delegates from Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Utah, and Colorado will attend the Roundup which includes tours of Denver businesses, a visit to the state capitol, discussion sessions, and recreation.

Income from farming may vary greatly from year to year, price changes, depending on weather, farm and other factors. In some areas, it is not unusual for a farm to produce relatively little income for several consecutive years, and then make it up in one favorable year.

Farmers in these areas must depend upon their earnings in good years to carry them through bad years. Heretofore, the revenue laws, by taxing income received in the occasional highly profitable years at high rates, in effect penalized individuals with such fluctuating incomes.

The law now contains an income averaging provision which benefits individuals with large fluctuations in income. This provision extends the current practice of permitting taxpayers to reduce the amount of income subject to taxation by carrying back current net operating losses for 3 years and, if not fully absorbed, carrying them forward for 5 years.

The tax saving from averaging depends upon the amount a taxpayer's income varies and the size of this income. The averaging provision applies to income received in any year that exceeds by more than one-third the average income of the previous 4 years. The provision does not apply unless at least \$3,000 is to be averaged; in cases involving only a moderate fluctuation in income, averaging relief is not very important.

**Claunch News Betty Hobbs**

Mrs. Mildred Johnson of Roswell was an overnight guest in the Roy Montgomery home on Monday night. She is a niece of Mr. Roy Montgomery.

Mr. Berle Tally was in Mountair on Wednesday to have some dental work done.

Wess Mauldon of Mountair was a guest in the Roy Montgomery home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gallagher and family of Lubbock, Texas are visiting in the Monty Bussey home, Jim is Mrs. Bussey's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Talley and family were in Corona Friday night to attend the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Montgomery of Roswell visited his mother, Mrs. Mattie Montgomery, over the weekend.

Mr. Warden Maxwell left on Friday to return to his home in Othello, Wash. He has spent the last two weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. Zada Maxwell, also his brothers and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Montgomery, Mrs. Mattie Montgomery and Mrs. Berle Tally visited in the Monty Bussey home for a while on Saturday night.

Mr. M. N. Tally left Sunday afternoon with the Alton Montgomerys for Roswell where he will visit a few days with his granddaughter and family, the Tommy Ausleys.

Mrs. The Hobbs and son Waddy made a business trip to Belen and Los Lunas on Friday.

ley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straley and children. The meeting was preceded by a friend chicken luncheon.

The Canyon Cowbells will meet in the home of Vernelle Hightower, on Monday Jan. 24 at 7:30. There'll be a workshop to make a poster to be exhibited at the New Mexico Cattle Growers Convention. All members urged to attend.

The 2nd study on the Westminster Confession will be held this Thursday, Jan. 20 at 7 p.m. in the Howard Harkey home.

Congratulations to Sid and Shirley Goodloe on the birth of a 10 lb. 1 oz., baby boy born Monday, the 10th in Roswell.

Mrs. Vernelle Hightower and her aunt, Mrs. Catherine Calley were in Roswell on Wednesday of last week, to visit Mrs. Shirley Goodloe and new boy, Mrs. Calley is caring for the Goodloe children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young of Santa Fe visited with Bryan Hightower over the weekend. Mary Pickett is Bryan's sister.

Paul Wahl and Tom Knight were in Albuquerque on business Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wilson left Monday by train for Los Angeles where they will enplane for a Western Regional Farm Bureau Convention in Hawaii. Rex and Alton are staying with grandma and grandpa Wilson, while their parents are gone.

**"Around Town"**

By Minnie Lee Neill

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallacher left for Phoenix, Arizona Monday to take Mrs. Gallacher's mother, Mrs. Gray, for a visit with another daughter.

Mrs. John McCallum and son Johnny, Mrs. Milford Miscner, Mrs. Bob Curtis and Mrs. Don Means were in Albuquerque Monday.

Sonny and Agnes Shrum were in Carrizozo this weekend visiting with Sonny's mother, Mrs. Mary Shrum and with friends. They arrived Sunday and remained over until Tuesday morning. They were driving from San Diego to New London, Conn. Sonny will be employed by Welx Electronics in New London.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Petty left Saturday for Denver, Colo., and then were flying on to Dallas, Texas. They are expected to return to Ruidoso Tuesday. We hope they make it ok and are not grounded because of the snow storm.

Mrs. F. E. Richard who underwent surgery in the Medical Center in Roswell last week is getting along fine. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roy Richard who had been with her since last Sunday returned home Monday. Mrs. Richard's address is Medical Center Room 226 Roswell. I know she will appreciate hearing from friends.

Joe West Jr. left Alamogordo by plane Monday at 6:35 for Frankfurt, Germany. He will go by way of Chicago. The only lay over was in Albuquerque for 2 hours. Joe will reach his destination Tuesday morning at 3:30. He is employed by RCA, started working there last January and will be located there at least six more months.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Withers had as their house guests this weekend a nephew of Mrs. Withers', Harvey Myers from Wairdail, Can. He came Fri., left Monday at noon. He was going on to Victoria, Texas to visit Mr. Myers sister, Agnes Balda. Agnes stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Withers and attended school here the latter years of her high school.

Waynette (Withers) Allen will begin school at midterm at Tooele, Utah. She will finish her senior year in the spring and she plans to return here and graduate with her class.

Mrs. Wayne Withers has her grandson, Clay Lightfoot with her this week. The parents are busy painting their house and Clay would not be much help.

Mrs. Kino Ortiz had as her guest Sunday her sister, Miss Alice Orasco of Alamogordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sabino Vidaurri spent two weeks in Los Angeles, California. They made the trip by train. They visited with Mrs. Vidaurri's two sisters and also her brother-in-law who was ill and in the hospital. They report a very nice trip but the weather conditions were not so good as it was rainy and cold. They returned last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Stephenson left last Tuesday to visit in Oklahoma, Longview and Dallas, Texas. They came home Friday accompanied by Mr. Stephenson's sister, whose home is in Dallas.

Mrs. Mabel Rentfrow was in Alamogordo Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Johnson who has made an extended visit in Santa Maria, California, with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald King and children returned home Saturday evening. We have missed you Mary, and glad you are home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payton will leave Thursday and spend the weekend in Hobbs attending the New Mexico Press convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Payne from Sacramento, California are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rickerson. Mrs. Payne and Mrs. Rickerson are sisters. They arrived in Carrizozo Tuesday evening and will be here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mooney of Springfield, Mo., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moss at the Frontier Motel. While here, he has put in a display of his paintings at the new Holiday Inn in Alamogordo.

He is a well known artist in Missouri and also sold many of his paintings at Lake Tahoe last summer. They left Monday for their winter home in Florida.

Billy Hernandez from Colorado Springs entered the 5th grade here, Monday. He is the son of Mrs. Felipa Christ. Felipa is the daughter of Mrs. Rosa Chavez and Billy will make his home with his grandmother while here.



About this question: "Snow and ice of winter greatly increase the auto accident rate. Auto repairs and court awards for injuries are tending ever higher. Does a \$50,000 auto liability policy cost less than \$5 more than a \$10,000 policy, from the Moore Agency?"

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