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Pistol shot starts the pony express



SOME CALL IT TEA — Deputy Ted Hill of Ruidoso and State Policeman Andy Benavidez of Carrizozo are showing the haul of marijuana

that Benavidez bagged when he stopped van truck and arrested three men on the White Oaks road. There's approximately 200 pounds in boxes and plastic tarp value around \$1,000 a pound.

One of the most interesting events of Lincoln County's Centennial Year will get under way about 8:00 a.m. July 26 in Lincoln County's most historic ghost town of White Oaks when Truman Spencer fires a shot from an old pistol to send seven entries in the pony express race down a 40-mile course.

People who want to see the start and finish of this race can easily do so by being in White Oaks east of the old Exchange Bank building shortly before 8:00 a.m. and then driving back to Carrizozo and taking US380 to Lincoln for the finish. The race is expected to take close to two hours so there will be plenty of time for the trip.

Race Manager Bill Ward of Lincoln requests that people stay off the race road which winds around from White Oaks to the first change at John Robinson turnoff then to Encinosa School, to the south base road for third change of horse and on to US380 for the final dash in to Lincoln.

All riders will dismount at the pageant grounds and run on foot the short distance to the courthouse to cross the finish line.

Lincoln County people will know most of the seven entries, and know that they have handled and rode horses all of their lives - they are all in this race to win which means the centennial pony express race will be a real contest.

The first entry to sign up, Barney Aldaz of Lincoln and Roy Payton of Captain are well known in the county. Barney has cowboied most of his life, and Roy Payton works pretty much full time with horses right now. This pair has a lot of confidence, plus the horses they say will go the route in good time.

Fernin Chavez of San Patricio is a horse breaker and trainer, has worked around Peter Hurd's ranch for years, is training his horses each day. He expects to ride the full 40 miles himself and is sure in the race to win.

Preacher Dobbs of Carrizozo has been a Lincoln County rancher for many years and folks tell us he sure has the horses that can win the race. Preacher has been known by that name as far back as any Carrizozo lifetime resident knows.

Zane Leslie Jr. is in the US Army but prior to that kind of service grew up on his father's ranch and probably knows a lot more about cowboying than he does army life right now. The Leslie's have a lot of horses and Zane Jr. is likely the youngest rider of the seven, maybe no more eager but sure in there to win himself the race of this centennial year.

Charles D. Taft and Eddie Hill of Jal, New Mexico have been corresponding with Bill Ward right along and their entry money is in now. Bill does not know much about their capabilities except that they told him they were training real hard for the race.

Joe Lively of Ruidoso Downs is a trainer at the track, should know horses as well as any man in the race. He will ride the full course.

Clifford Lambert of Ruidoso is a horse trainer, ex-jockey and one that won the first All American Futurity at the Downs. He should know what it takes to win a race, even a 40-mile pony express race.

The race committee composed of Bob Scribner, Bill Ward, Nancy Knight and Truman Spencer will supervise the race, checking the horse change points and the finish line.

The distances go like this, 9.7 miles from White Oaks to Robinson turnoff for first change, 10 miles to Encinosa School for second change, 8.3 miles to south base road for third change and 13 miles to edge of Lincoln Town for finish. This gives the riders a chance to spot their horse a bit for the different distances.



Don Stark

Starks resigns C of C job

Lincoln County Commissioner Chairman Don Stark tendered his resignation as manager of the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce so that he can devote more time to personal business.

Mr. Stark has served as chamber of commerce manager since 1963. He has been very active with many civic organizations including Elks Lodge, American Legion, Lincoln County Development Association, White Mountain Jeep Club and others.

Don and his wife Sara have two children, a son in Amarillo and daughter in Mineral Wells.



STREET GETTING SAND SEAL — Foreman Hubert Atkins is running a state road crew putting sand seal on all of Carrizozo's celled streets to fill the cracks and stop water penetration. Oil is already down and you see sand spreader at work here. Crew members are Ben Thompson, Luciano Gutierrez, Bob Hill, Dick Graham and contract truckers A. C. Stowell, John Wooley and Lloyd Ward.

Special program for polo matches features original art by Peter Hurd

The Lincoln County News has completed printing of a special program for the polo matches at Peter Hurd Field in San Patricio July 26-27. The front cover of this program shows polo player, sketched just for this program and showing the initials PH in lower left hand corner. It will be a collector's item for a lot of people who are gathering up Lincoln County Centennial materials.

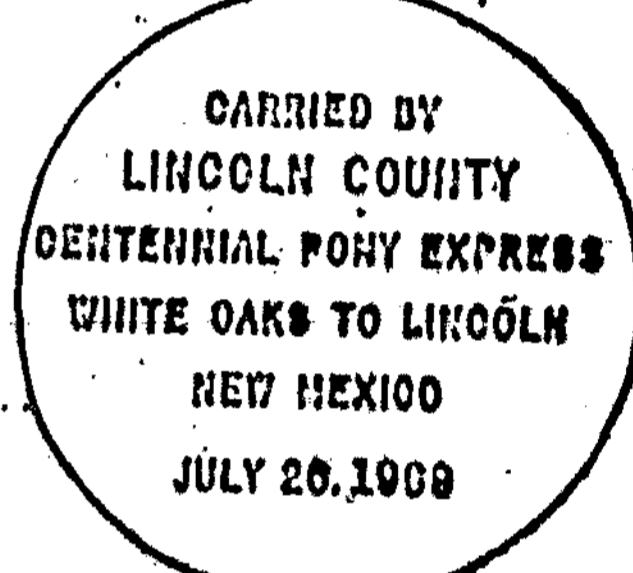
Polo at San Patricio got started this way: In 1935, a frivolous remark over a round of tequilas at the home of artist Peter Hurd had the curious effect of firmly establishing a sport in New Mexico, that 33 years later, is still going strong. It was a chance visit by a player enroute home from match at Ft. Bliss that got polo started on Hurd's San Patricio property.

Handicap match games will be played Saturday starting at 3:00 p.m. Players will be: Bobby Holt, George Landreth and Windy Curley of Midland, Texas; Claudio Barry, E. V. Higgins, Ross Easterling and Tommy Higgins of El Paso del Norte Polo Club; Bill Barry of San Antonio, Mickey Samuels of Corralos, J. T. Michelson Albuquerque, Louie Naida of Pictown, Buzz Easterling of Pictown and Pat Joyce of Picocho.

Announcers will be Bobby Holt, Peter Hurd and others. Referees are Danny Thompson of El Paso and Quinton Marchall of Roswell.

The International Centennial Invitational Match Game will be played Sunday on the San Patricio field. The two teams will be the Juarez sixteen goal team composed of Jaime Bermudez, Huberto Bermudez, Oscar Bermudez and Beto Mueller. The San Patricio Eight Goal Team includes Tom Babers, Terry McNatt, Bob Chipman and Floyd Hines.

Special centennial guests will be introduced by Ralph Dunlap. The ladies of St. Jude will serve a Spanish dinner from 12 to 8 in the parish hall near the polo grounds.



SPECIAL EMBOSSED STAMP READY FOR PONY EXPRESS

The News has delivered an engraving (permanent lettering) type stamp to Postmaster Roy Harman in Carrizozo who will receive mail to be pouches and carried by the seven or more Centennial Pony Express riders this Saturday.

Any person interested in sending mail by this route is asked to address their outside envelope to Pony Express, Carrizozo, New Mexico. The inside letter may be addressed to person anywhere in the nation, or world that a six-cent stamp will take it. This letter will be engraved with information shown here, placed in one of the several pouches and will be carried by the Pony Express Riders to Lincoln where they will be put in the Lincoln Postoffice and continue their journey to indicated destination.

In order for the Carrizozo postoffice to properly handle such mail the Pony Express letter should be in the hands of Postmaster Roy Harman by close of business Thursday, though some Friday mailing probably will be processed if time permits.

Marijuana load spotted

Lloyd Kirkpatrick, running grader on County Road 349 east of White Oaks, saw a VW van with Missouri license plates along this road. He had recently vacationed in Missouri and stopped to talk to the people. Before conversation got started the vehicle left in a hurry -- but not before Lloyd had spotted a tarpful (see picture) of what appeared to be marijuana leaves in the van.

Mr. Kirkpatrick came on to White Oaks and phone the state police office in Carrizozo. State Policeman Andy Benavidez intercepted the van on the White Oaks road at 10:00 a.m. July 17. They were arrested and

brought to Carrizozo to face charges of possession of approximately 200 pounds of marijuana, worth as much as \$200,000 when manicured into smoking material.

Charged were Marcos Lee Roe 19 of Laguna Beach, California, Jeffrey Allan Spreen and Virgil John Bland Jr. of Maplewood, Missouri. They will have preliminary hearing in Judge Friday Sherrill's magistrate court, and bound over to district court. Willie Garcia, narcotics agent

Karen Holleyman to National Rodeo

Miss Karen Holleyman of Corona, New Mexico State Representative to the National High School Rodeo will attend the rodeo to be held in San Antonio, Texas August 5 - 10. Karen will participate in the barrel race and pole bending events, riding her horse "Little Satan". She will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J.D. Holleyman and her sister, Lois Ann.

Horse tour around Lincoln County

The 1969 New Mexico Horse tour starts this morning at 9:30 a.m. at Pat Dunning's Milliron Lazy Three ranch where visitors will see horses brought in from many parts of the state as well as Dunning quarter horses.

Expected to exhibit will be: G.B. Oliver, Alamogordo; Fletcher and Deborah Deerman, Anthony; Caroyin Bader, Bosque; Fred McDaniel, Claunch and Frank McBride of Carrizozo.

From the Milliron Lazy Three the group will move across US54 to Gary Lovelace Malpais Livestock Co. for a barbecue lunch at noon and competition between top New Mexico cutting and roping horses in the Malpais indoor arena. Some matched stags are a part of the program for Thursday afternoon.

Thursday night the entire party of visitors will be guests of Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce at supper and dance in the country club building.

On July 25 the tour caravan goes to the Spencer ranch at Capitan where Fletcher Hall will show his horses, then on to the Peter Hurd Ranch at San Patricio, and the Robert O. Anderson Arabian farm in the same area. The last stop will be at Bob Scribner's High Mesa Ranch near Alto to see some of the nation's top racing horses.



Karen Holleyman

Alto To Get New Post Office

Postmaster General Winton M. Blount announced yesterday that a contract has been awarded to build a new main office at Alto, New Mexico.

The building will be owned by Kent F. Marquardson who will lease it to the Post Office Department for nine years with renewal options running through twenty-one years.

It will be located at Lake Shore Drive. Preliminary estimates indicate that the initial investment in the project will total approximately \$30,500.

The accepted bid was the lowest of three bids received by the Department on a competitive basis.

The one-story building will offer more working room than the present building. It will have 960 square feet of interior space, compared with a total of 292 sq. feet in the present building.

The new main office is expected to be completed in eight months. Space in the building now occupied also on Lake Shore Drive will then be abandoned for postal purposes.

CADET JOHN A. COPPER ATTENDING ADVANCE CAMP
Army Reserve Officer's Training Corps (ROTC) Cadet John W. Cooper, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cooper, Arabella Route, Tinnie, N.M. is attending ROTC Advance Summer Camp from June 4 to July 18 at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Cadet Cooper is a member of Scabbard and Blade Military Society. His wife, Charianne, lives at 120 East Valencia, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

THE WEATHER

By L.Z. Manire			
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July 17	93	64	12
July 18	91	65	10
July 19	85	57	15 .04
July 20	87	62	12
July 21	85	63	8 .07
July 22	90	63	12 .80
July 23	87	61	8



GREEN MOUNTAINS, BLACK ORE — Water Canyon in the background southeast of Carrizozo is turning a beautiful green color from two or more rains that blanketed the area. Two thousand tons of ore in foreground will turn out a stream of black tongue ore when the Scott-Tex mill gets in action next week. Frank Lindsey said they were about through with final adjustments on crusher and jigs and would be making trial runs this week.

EDITOR'S CORNER

Joy on two planets

The successful trip of astronauts Neil A. Armstrong, Col. Edwin E. Aldrin Jr. and Michael Collins to the moon, and Armstrong and Aldrin walking on the moon, has meant so much to people of America in so many ways we could not begin to account them.

Not too long ago we read good account by person who had visited many European countries and was comparing lives of those people with ours. In short, people of America are way ahead in the things that people of all countries strive for. Critics can easily say that we are far enough ahead that we've turned back on another rocky road -- but they will have few listeners this week.

Our mind runs to the use of and perfection of machinery almost as much as it does to the use of words in the communication of thought and along that line we were deeply impressed with the fact that Americans can turn out flawless equipment... this thought coming at time when new subs sink at a dock, and

arms in Vietnam have had reputation.

There has never been any doubt in our mind about the courage of American people, Armstrong, Aldrin and Collins, proved this to a high degree.

What were you thinking during the few seconds the LEM was nearing the moon on automatic control and the pilot took over to manually fly this machine to smooth landing spot. Man, that shows cool, more than ever on the hot surface of a strange planet.

We'll go along with those people thinking that our space program needs be taken out of a "crash" schedule and put on a schedule that American people will want to stay with, at the same time devoting funds to solution of our home problems -- but space exploration does needs to continue.

Here's cheers for the three astronauts, a moment of silence for the three who perished, and congratulations to all the thousands of people who contributed to this triumph.

A source of chuckles

Dagwood and Blondie ought to strike a real chord in hearts of all New Mexicans with their comic frolic Tuesday. Dagwood saying I hope you used plenty of chili powder, I like my chili hot, and Blondie saying, try this and see. Dagwood tries it, lets out a Yow and yells Help. Fire with his head under the sink tap. Then walks back to table saying, That's the way I like it.

It's only the first bite of chili that really gets you, after that you're eating the most delicious of food.

Andy Capp is equally choice most days, telling his wife to get herself off to bingo or something. Then getting answer that she is broke and why don't you get yourself out for a drink. Answer coming back from Andy, Because yer broke, that's why. Andy is come British, but being broke is cure a common experience.

Snuffy Smith is another character that strikes our funny bone right. On Tuesday maw had bad case of hoo-cups, doc told Andy to go home and scare the daylight out of her. Andy says, that

female don't scare easy. Doc says, then you got to do something drastic, tell her ye look a job at the sawmill. How true to life can a comic get?

Pogo got out of tune with our humor button for months but he's been back in the swamp and carrying on with Miss Mampelle who is so upset that she's havin' another pot of Aunt Granny's bitter brittle root. Friend mouse says she needs comfortin' and gets the pot on his head for his efforts. All of which proves that a man has to be careful how he comforts a female.

Sorry about those other comic strips, too many cops, robbers, hippies, and characters of intrigue. We just like the funny ones.

The Wizard of Id is devoted to humor of a wry type and Skeezix is homey most days. All of which is good because those other pages have such sad happenings -- a couple of laughs really makes a day brighter.

What the folks at home think!

Congressman Ed Foreman sent out questionnaires to people in his district and received real good response. Almost 30,000 answers received and many with additional comments. The answers came from every single community and all 18 counties in his district, from Democrats, Republicans, and Independents alike.

(Answers in percent)

1. Should the Federal Government develop laws to prevent strikes by public employees?
Yes 61.0
No 32.6
No response 6.4

2. Do you favor lowering the voting age to 18?
Yes 30.0
No 66.7
No response 3.3

3. Do you favor legislation which would return to the States and local governments for use as they see fit, a percentage of the money now collected in Federal income taxes?
Yes 70.2
No 23.0
No response 6.8

4. Do you believe the Federal Government should guarantee an annual income to heads of families, whether or not they are working?
Yes 5.2
No 90.5
No response 4.3

5. Do you support the proposal to convert the Post Office into a government-owned corporation on a self-supporting operation?
Yes 70.9
No 21.3
No response 7.8

6. Red China -- Do you favor U.S. support for admission of Peking to the United Nations?
Yes 21.2
No 72.4
No response 6.4

7. Do you agree with President Nixon's desire to install a network of anti-ballistic missiles to protect our ability to strike back at an aggressor?
Yes 74.6
No 19.0
No response 6.4

8. Should Congress approve a constitutional amendment to permit voluntary nonsectarian prayer in public schools?
Yes 44.3
No 42.0
No response 3.7

9. Do you favor the Administration's action which takes potential appointments, promotions and transfers out of politics and puts them on a merit basis?
Yes 82.3



OLD TANK STILL HOLDS WATER -- Some years back Carrizozo's source of water was this big open tank now used by Fay Harkey for rock storage. This area has received at least two hard rains which put several inches of water in the tank. Some Carrizozoans can remember that the tank held several things besides water, such as geophers, skunks, sheep, dogs, snakes and the like.

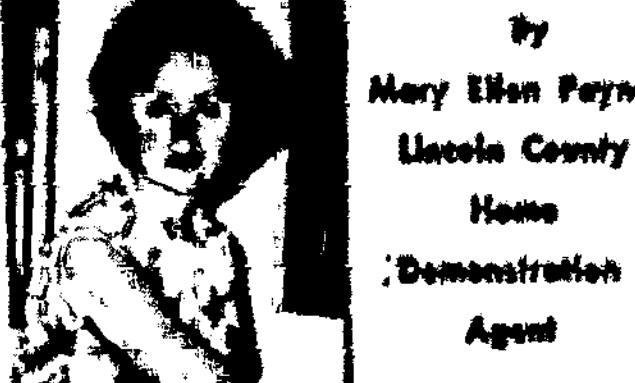


'GOOD RESPONSE' -- Congressman Ed Foreman ponders over a portion of the 30,000 questionnaires returned to his Washington D. C. office by residents in the 2nd Congressional district. Nearly 10,000 of the questionnaires contained additional comments.

- No response 4.0
- No response 3.7
- 10. Do you favor the Foreman bill which would cut off all U.S. aid and trade with nations trading with or aiding North Vietnam?
Yes 88.7
No 7.5
No response 3.7
- 11. Concerning Vietnam, should continue the Paris negotiations
..... 15.7
Commence the withdrawal of US troops 21.7
Move to win militarily 60.7
No response 0.0
- 12. Would you rate President Nixon's overall performance since he took office?
Excellent 25.5
Good 50.3
Not so good 13.7

What's Cooking

IN LINCOLN COUNTY



By Mary Ellen Payne
Lincoln County
Home
Demonstration Agent

No matter how you cook it, summer squash is delicious. Many people with home gardens are enjoying it already and more will be maturing in the next two weeks. July is the perfect time to take advantage of the abundant supplies of squash and treat your family to some distinctive dishes.

For a foreign flair only a French chef could dream up this savory dish combining squash and tomatoes:
1 large onion chopped
2 green peppers chopped
2 tablespoons tomatoe paste
1 cup stewed tomatoes
3 tablespoons vegetable oil
1/2 cup water
1 pinch sugar
salt and pepper to taste
1 pound summer squash, coarsely chopped

Lightly brown chopped onion in vegetable oil. Add chopped pepper, tomatoe paste, stewed tomatoes, water, sugar and seasoning. Simmer for five minutes. Add coarsely chopped squash and cook together slowly for 20 minutes. Garnish with chopped parsley.

When shopping for summer squash, look for vegetables that are tender and well developed, firm fresh-appearing, and well formed. You can identify a tender squash because the skin is glossy instead of dull, and it is neither hard nor tough. A very stale or overmature squash, which will have a dull appearance and a hard, tough surface. Such squash usually have enlarged seeds and dry, stringy flesh.

A simple and quick dish that takes very few minutes to pre-



Talking with Morgan Maxwell and Dutch Cox Tuesday we found they've got about the same idea we have -- very few small towns have a postoffice of the size and beauty that Carrizozo will have soon. All three of us were in the building under construction to give J.B. Roberts advice on how to do the job.

Carrizozo town employees were solving water problems two ways early this week. Juan Jiron, Alfred Silva and Marcos Villegas Sr. were fixing water line break out near Myrtle White's house, and Nasario Montes was running a grader to help water move out of town, down back of the school grounds.

People out at Scott-Tex mill have made short trial runs of their equipment, enough to collect an ounce or so of gold. Unusual thing was finding some small chunks of ore that would run \$10,000 a ton or better of gold -- that the mill people at White Oaks must have missed 50-60 years ago. Lots of shaping up and fine tuning to do yet but the mill is not far off from full production.

Late afternoon Tuesday Dan Ortiz, Herman McKibben and horse were standing out in Herman's yard probably swapping lies and embarrassing the horse.

Schnappes died last Tuesday morning, best dog we had in many ways. This dog wouldn't back off from anything, but also had more sense and would quickly make friends with other dogs. Question now, do Otis and Waldo miss him. They don't talk as much as Schnappes.

Swiped from Duffy -- Punctually is the art of arranging to keep an appointment just in time to be indignant at the tardiness of the other party. Heard the story of the Texas oil millionaire who had well-to-do well carpeting? Soap Operas: Entertainment. From Jack Willie, Atlanta, Ga., comes the story of the incubator who stood at a busy corner starting at the "Walk" sign. "Watsa matter?" he demanded of it. "Are you afraid to pitch to me?" Some woman's idea of guaranteed wage -- alimony. About work -- Recession: Neighbor out of work. Depression: You're out of work. Panic!

LETTERS

Star Route
Washburn Mo.
12 July 1969

Dear Mr. Payton,
We want to let you know how much we enjoyed "Aqui" and hope there will be sufficient favorable comments concerning the little paper to keep it coming. It is so very interesting.

We just returned from my sister's in Northern Arkansas where the Keller Family reunion was held the week of the 4th of July. Six of us were there. One sister (Sarah) who lives in California was not able to come, due to illness but two sisters (Marion and Pat) were there from New Jersey. One sister (Lenor) from California, two from Arkansas (Dorothy & Hester) and myself. The reunion was at Dorothy's.

It is hot here now and our garden is badly in need of water. Thanks again for Aqui and keep it coming.

Hein K. Pfingsten
(Mrs. Fritz Pfingsten)

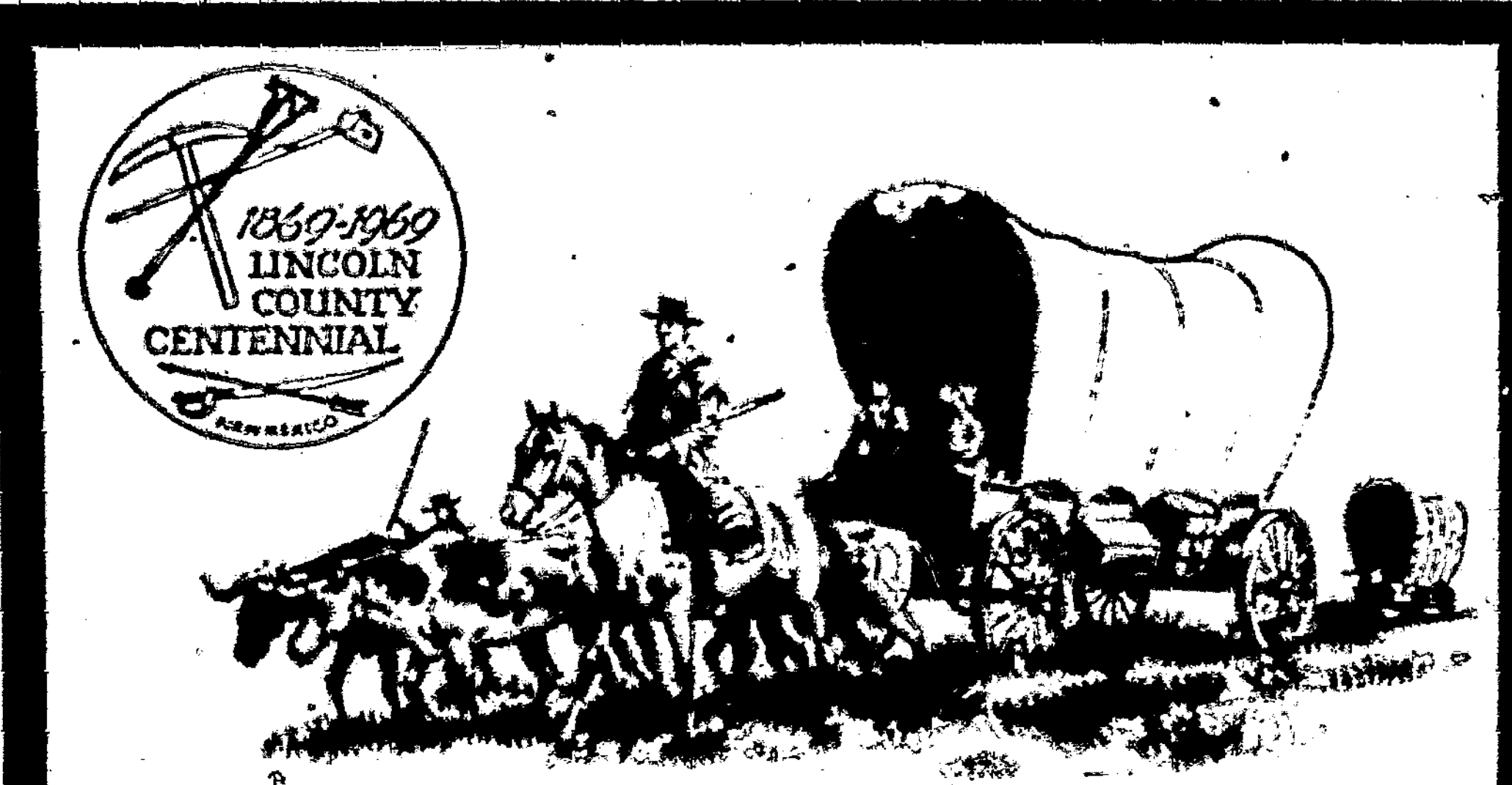
Dear Mr. & Mrs. Paul Payton:

We, the boys at Camp Sierra Blanca would like to thank you for the ream of paper you gave us to write our letters on. Also to say that we enjoy the Lincoln County News which we receive once in a while, and to invite you all to visit us.

Yours truly,
The Boys at
Camp Sierra Blanca

go...

Service Center
Intersection - Carrizozo



Since those days . . .

When parents and grandparents of many people now living in Lincoln County crossed the plains and into the mountains and valleys of Lincoln County . . . and communication was mostly by Pony Express . . . banks were taking care of their customers much as we are today. With faith in their good word, and trust in their performance this bank is doing all possible to help people of this area with their many projects.

WE SALUTE ALL OF THE CENTENNIAL PONY EXPRESS RIDERS AND WISH THEM THE BEST OF LUCK IN THEIR RIDE!

Citizens State Bank

CARRIZOZO - VAUGHN - ESTANCIA
We WILL Take Care of Your Banking Needs!

Wife-out of work. Always trust a fat man. He'll never stoop to anything low.
-W-W

Only one big question remains now that man is on the moon -- will the moon team play in the National or American football league.

After all those months and years of bragging about good tasting meat coming off our grill we got a bad setback Saturday night. In company with Elfred Jones we put two steaks in iron fry pan at his house--they beat anything we've eaten this summer.

DEAN FREDKIND ATTENDS SCHOOL FOR CATTLEMEN

July 14, Dean Fredekind, Nogal New Mexico, enrolled as a student in the Graham School for Cattlemen (Beef & Dairy), Garnett, Kansas, for a week of intensive training in artificial insemination, practical methods of cattle care and herd management.

Classes are held the second full week of each month. All students are given individual help and instructions and are provided opportunities to work with live animals and warm carcasses under the supervision of instructors who have had many years of experience and training with cattle.

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1/2"	3.55
5/8"	3.99

Aluminum Windows

3x2	8.65	5x3	13.07
4x2	9.59	6x3	13.45
4x3	11.30	6x4	20.66

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CHAMBER OF HORRORS

JULY 27 - 29

PLUS

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PLUS

NOT WITH MY WIFE YOU DON'T

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JULY 24 - 26

At last! A film that does to shock you with a new kind of love, hatred, power and passion!

SEDUCERS

THE WICKED DIE SLOW

A BOLD NEW WESTERN

Bill and Bronny go to Jamboree

By Margaret Rench

Bill Scragg and Bronny Cummings of Captain John's 33 Boy Scouts and three Scout Masters in Roswell July 11 where they left by chartered bus for the National Jamboree in Farragut Park, Ida. To be gone 15 days. The Jamboree lasts one week. They toured the Air Force Academy in Colo. Stayed one night in Laramie, Wyo. Two nights at Yellowstone Park. They reached Farragut Park night of the 15th. Bronny and Bill both called their parents that night. They will tour Salt Lake City on their return trip.

Mrs. Ellen Faye Cornelius is now taking one week vacation from her duties as checker at Cummins store. She and two daughters went to Arizona to visit her sister for a few days. We miss her but do wish her a happy time.

Mr. Hollis Cummins enjoyed his birthday last Monday July 21. I wish you many more very happy birthdays.

Mr. Frank English of Bonita entered the Carrizozo Hospital early last Saturday morning very ill. We do wish you a quick recovery very soon.

Miss Cindy Sue Harris State President of FHA returned last Saturday from one week at the National FHA Convention held at Ft. Collins, Colorado. 2300 attended. She met the Ohio State President whose name was the same as hers Cindy Harris. She enjoyed it very much and learned lots.

Miss Myrna Pfingsten went too as an FHA Delegate from this district.

At this time, it is raining. This is the first shower in one week. It has been very dry and hot. Our country is refreshing and green from the past rains.

The Captain Roundtable Club met in the home of Mrs. Eltha Merrell Thursday July 17. All the members except one were present. Maggie Eldridge, Pat Flatty and Clara Lower were guests. The members were Marie Edgar, Geraldine Randle, Lorene Ferguson, Mary Dean, Bessie Jones, Amelia McKnight, Corrinne Province, Vera Beall, Maxine Wright, Eltha Merrell and Frances Shaw.

Barbequed Chicken was the main course. It was a delicious meal enjoyed by all of them. This was Mary Deans birthday and wedding anniversary month and Maxine Wrights wedding anniversary. A cake was for their honor.

Pat Flatty won the raffle. Hattie Phillips invited all of the members and their families to their ranch house for a picnic July 27.

Bonita Lake area is like a City with the many fisherman and vacationers enjoying its cool and lovely altitude. It looks as if there are more fishing than fish but many, many have had good luck.

Large crowds attended the Ranchers Camp meeting. The food was delicious as always and sermons great. Many old friends

from everywhere met and enjoyed those moments together. Mr. Robert Runnels is attending the Forest Fire School for three months in Redding, Calif. He writes, he likes it even if it is 100 degrees but thinks of the cool at home. He said hello to his many friends and he would appreciate hearing from them. His address is US Forest Service NCSC, Hotshot, Air Port Road, Redding, Calif. 96001.

Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Trujillo are the proud owners. That, they enjoy with their family camping and fishing. Its great.

Mr. Benny Runnels of Bonita and Miss Brenda Pittman of Jal were united in marriage in Jal June 27 with close family and friends and family attending. They spent their honeymoon on Ruidoso and the Bonita. He is employed with the Texaco Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holmes of Tularosa spent last weekend with her brother Mr. and Mrs. James Howard at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Trullit of Bonita accompanied Mr. Bryon Casler to Captain on business last Thursday.

Mrs. Tom Patterson and three daughters Tommie Jo, Susie and Linda visited Tom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alkie Hicks for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Mary Dozier 82 years passed away in El Paso Monday 22 and was laid to rest at Angus.

Mrs. Rench and Mrs. Maude Kingston attended the family dinner of Maude's brother Mr. Jess Harris at their home in Ruidoso Downs Sunday 20 honoring Jess 77 birthday. Ethel's birthday will be July 29. I do wish you many more such happy birthdays together.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Copeland of Alamogordo were Captain business visitors last Wednesday.

Miss Jean Alice Montes is coming home July 22 from San Francisco on a 30 day furlough to be with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Montes. She then will go to Belgium. She is in WACS. She likes it and enjoys her work.

Captain and Mrs. Edwards Sanders arrived July 13 to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Miles Williams at Noyal. They left Wednesday 16 for Ft. Banning, Ga. They have been stationed at Kilteen, Texas for over one Wednesday July 16 was Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfingsten better known as Peg and Leo's 29 wedding anniversary. I wish you many more happy ones ahead.

Old Lincoln Town

By Mrs. Edgar Phillips

It was so nice seeing one of my favorites Marjorie Titworth Slaton one day last week. She and her husband were at the Wortley for a luncheon and business meeting. The meeting was a training session for local consultants who work for her company Beauticontrol. Marjorie is vice-president of the Dallas, Texas based cosmetic firm.

Marjorie was born and raised in Tinsie, graduating from the Hondo High School in 1951. She was active in many of the school activities and appeared in the Billy the Kid pageant on several occasions. She was also one of the contestants for the Cotton maid title at Ruidoso one year.



STAMPEDE PARADE — The Chaves County Posse is an annual visitor at the Smokey Bear Stampede in Captain and add a lot of color to the parade event and

grand march in the rodeo arena. Wives of the posse came along in the white vehicle shown in front of the mounted posse.

Beauticontrol cosmetics have been marketed since 1933 and valued from a hide-tanning process developed by John W. Heath in the hills of Arkansas which struck me as being both unusual and interesting. They are now sold through over 500 Beauty consultants in states. Mrs. Slaton sales last year exceeded \$700,000.

Local consultants attending the meeting were all recruits of Mora Tits worth. They are Corina Montes, Glencoe, Margaret Hudgins, Roswell Corene Clements, Tinnie, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Poole of Carlsbad and Mrs. McGuire of Ruidoso. Its always so nice to hear a success story of one of our area high school graduates and we have many.

Mr. and Mrs. Slater also had their daughter Cheryl and her cousin Melanie Werner with them. They had to return to Dallas but Cheryl is spending the summer with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman Maas are enjoying having their grand son Ray Maas of El Paso with them for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cristobal Zamora took their son Joe to Albuquerque to return to his ship and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore and children who had just returned from Germany came for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beall spent the long week end with Vera Beall.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Pfingsten had several members of Clarke family for a reunion last week. I haven't heard who was here but will later.

The Tom Mann family has started to gather for a family reunion in Lincoln.



GEORGE V. SANCHEZ STATIONED AT SAN DIEGO

George V. Sanchez, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sanchez, a 1969 graduate of Valley High School in Albuquerque is in the Navy stationed in San Diego, California. George is the grand son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vega of Carrizozo and visited here with his grandparents for several weeks before he joined the Navy.

Lucero in Vietnam

Armu private First Class Gilbert L. Lucero, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lucero, Carrizozo, N.M., was assigned June 17 to the Americal Division in Vietnam as an infantryman.

His wife, Mary, lives at Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Mirabal With MCAS

Marine Pfc. Michael Mirabal flew in from Yuma, Arizona to attend his sister's wedding. Michael is working in Administration for MCAS in Yuma where he has been stationed for the past several months.

Corona

By Zelpha Kuykendall

Roman Tenorio Jr. visited his parents in Cedarvale for the 4th of July week end. He is employed at the Tyrone mines for the summer. Roman is a 1966 graduate of Corona High School and is now a senior at NMWU majoring in psychology. Dean, Virginia and Eric were also visitors in the Tenorio home in Cedarvale. Dean is employed at the Sandia Peak Tramway and Virginia is a stenographer at Kirtland Base in Albuquerque.

Rachel was the only one missing. She works for the TWA and spent the 4th of July week end in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Las Vegas, Nevada.

They are all children of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Tenorio Sr. is employed by Torrance County operating a grader in the Cedarvale area.

ETNS Loren Tracy arrived July 7 from Great Lakes, Ill. where he has been going to Electronics Technician school since April 68. He is on his way to the Naval Communications station in Honolulu, Ha. for a 2 year tour of duty.

Mrs. G.L. Hicks of Dallas, Texas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Wetzel, Mr. Wetzel, and two granddaughters, Zondra and Sara.

Mrs. Floyd Proctor and her mother, Mrs. Susan Slack of Belen left Friday for a visit with relatives and friends in Duncan, Okla. They returned Tuesday.

Bruce Scales is home from Odessa, Texas for a few days to recuperate from chest injuries received while loading pipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown are parents of a son, Chad Aaron born July 26th in Roswell. Grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Owen are smiling, and we are sure Dale's parents are, too. Congratulations.

Rhonda Tracey has spent a few days with her sister in Rutheron, N.M. Her sister, Dawn and her brother-in-law Phillip Black moved to Rutheron from L.A., Calif. a few weeks ago.

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Miss Maria Celani Pacheco

Pacheco-Dominguez wedding Aug. 30

Mr. and Mrs. Leopoldo A. Pacheco of Arabela Route, Tinsie, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Maria Celani to Domingo Dominguez, son of Mrs. Domingo Dominguez of Roswell.

complete work toward a masters degree this year.

The wedding is planned for August 30 at St. Jude's Catholic Church in San Patricio.

The bride-elect is a 1969 graduate of Hondo High School and plans to enter UTEP at El Paso in the fall. The prospective bridegroom received a B.A. degree from the University of Texas at El Paso and plans to

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Our View Of LINCOLN COUNTY



GREEN THUMB POINTS AT CARRIZO — Manuel Lueras is Carrizozo's number one gardner and he will have plenty of squash, chili, corn, Cucumbers, to eat this year. Manuel says that all it takes is some work and water.

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CLOSED SUNDAYS

are parents of a daughter, Heather Nadine, born July 13 at Las Cruces. Congratulations. This is the fifth granddaughter for Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wade.

Around Town

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller of Lombard, Ill., are spending a two week vacation with Mrs. Miller's father, Mr. L.Z. Manire. The two Miller daughters remained in Lombard planning for a Hawaiian trip in August. Lois is working at the Elmhurst Memorial Hospital and Susan, just graduated from Willoughbrook High School, is preparing for entry in Eastern Illinois University at Charleston, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Manire and daughters Beth and Laura, were week end visitors at the Manire residence. Mr. Manire and his family have moved from Albuquerque to Grants where he is employed.

Mr. Joe Herrera is taking care of the Texaco Station No. 2 for his son, Bobby who is on training maneuvers with the National Guard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns are in Bishop, Texas this week visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

Gibson. Mrs. Don Means spent from Wednesday to Sunday at Camp Meeting on the Nogal Mesa. Joan who was on the hospitality committee during the four-day meeting reported nice crowds and good fellowship with lots of good food and just two little showers, not enough to dampen anyone's spirit. Don joined her Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McCollum and family moved to Estancia last week end. Having lived in Carrizozo more than 15 years they made many friends by taking an active part in community affairs and will surely be missed by them. Although we hate to see them go we wish them the best of everything in Estancia.

Overnight guests in the home of Mrs. T.E. Kelley on Saturday were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bryson Corbett from Albuquerque.

Mr. Tony Hernandez, daughter Christine and baby daughter, from Kansas City, Mo visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hernandez and family on Wednesday and Thursday. Albert took them to Hondo on Thursday afternoon.

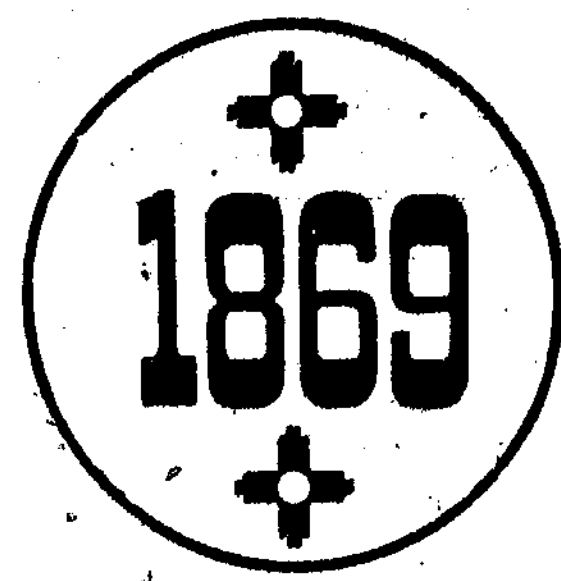
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnett and family of Littleton, Colorado are visiting with Jim's mother, Mrs. Patsy Barnett a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckley Zubawalt and children were in Albuquerque one day last week.

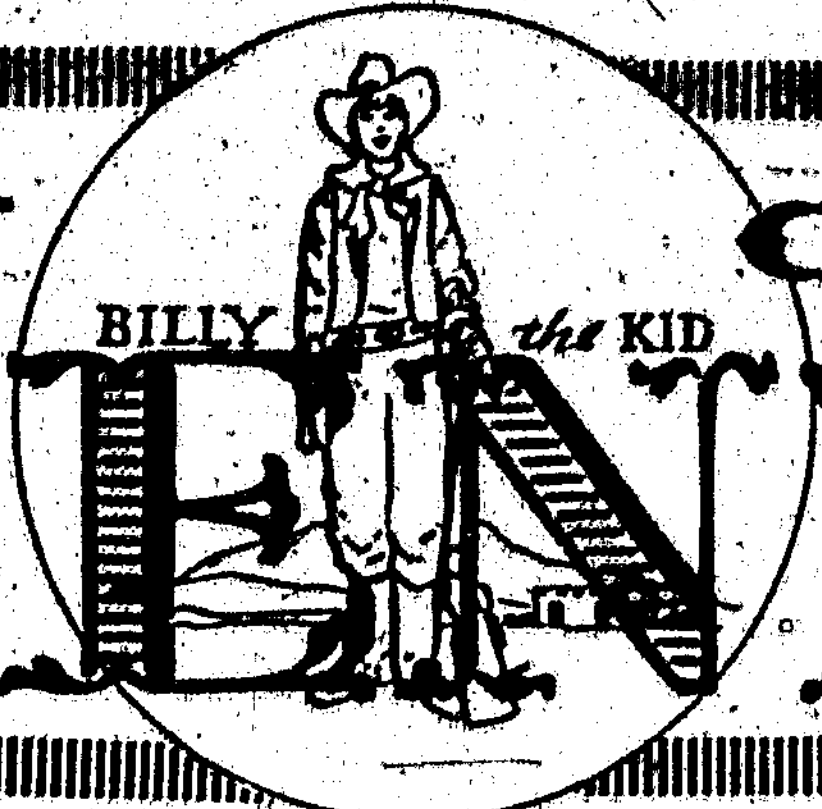
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LINCOLN COUNTY CENTENNIAL



Calendar of Events FOR LINCOLN COUNTY CENTENNIAL 1969

JULY 26-27

Centennial Polo Game, Hurd Polo Field, San Patricio

JULY 24

Old Fiddlers Contest and Ice Cream Social Carrizozo

JULY 26

Pony Express Race, White Oaks to Lincoln Town

JULY 26

Bazaar and Exhibit, Holy Mount Episcopal Church, Ruidoso

JULY 27

Billy the Kid Handicap Race, Ruidoso Downs

AUGUST 1-2-3

Last Escape of Billy the Kid Pageant, Lincoln Town

AUGUST 9

County 4-H Horse Show, Rodeo and Dance, Corona

AUGUST 16

Billy the Kid Ballo, Carrizozo Country Club

AUGUST 17

Old Timers Reunion and Picnic, Capitan

AUGUST 17

Billy the Kid Rodeo, Carrizozo

AUGUST 23

Corona Centennial Day, Tours, Exhibits, Roping, Dance

AUGUST 30

Centennial Fiesta, Lincoln Town

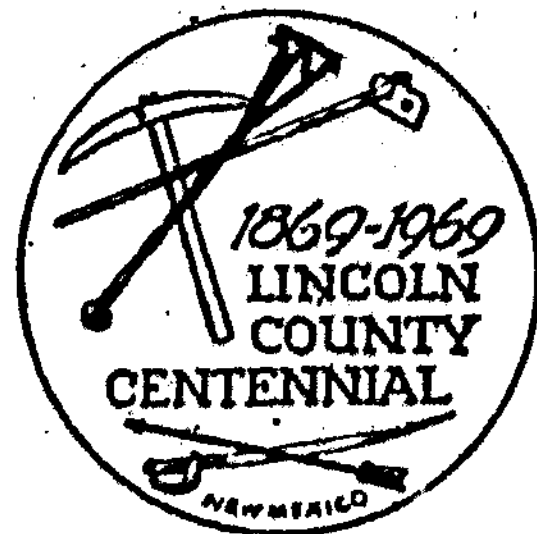
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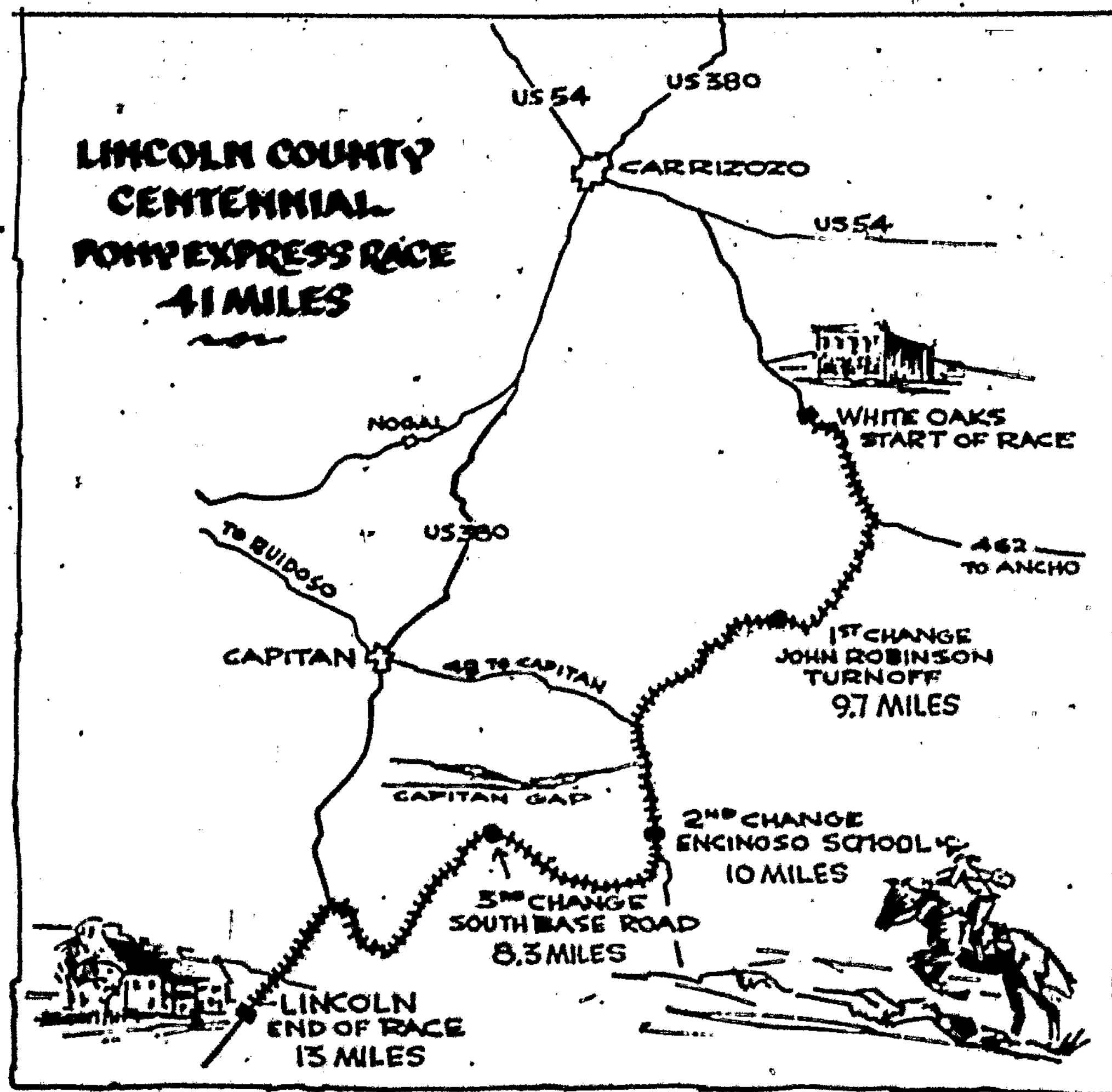
Centennial Pony Express Race

Starts Here

East of old Exchange Bank
building in White Oaks
Starting Time 8:30 a.m.



**Saturday
July 26
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Johnnie's Bar & Package
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Malpais Grocery
Cresroads Motel
Central Restaurant
McBride Propane
Harky Realty Co.
Ritter Distributing Co.

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Payne's Petty Motel
Lincoln County Abstract Co.
Erma's Beauty Salon
Means Motor Supply
LaMay Distributing Co.
Otero County Electric Co-op
The Lincoln County News
The Nike Tavern

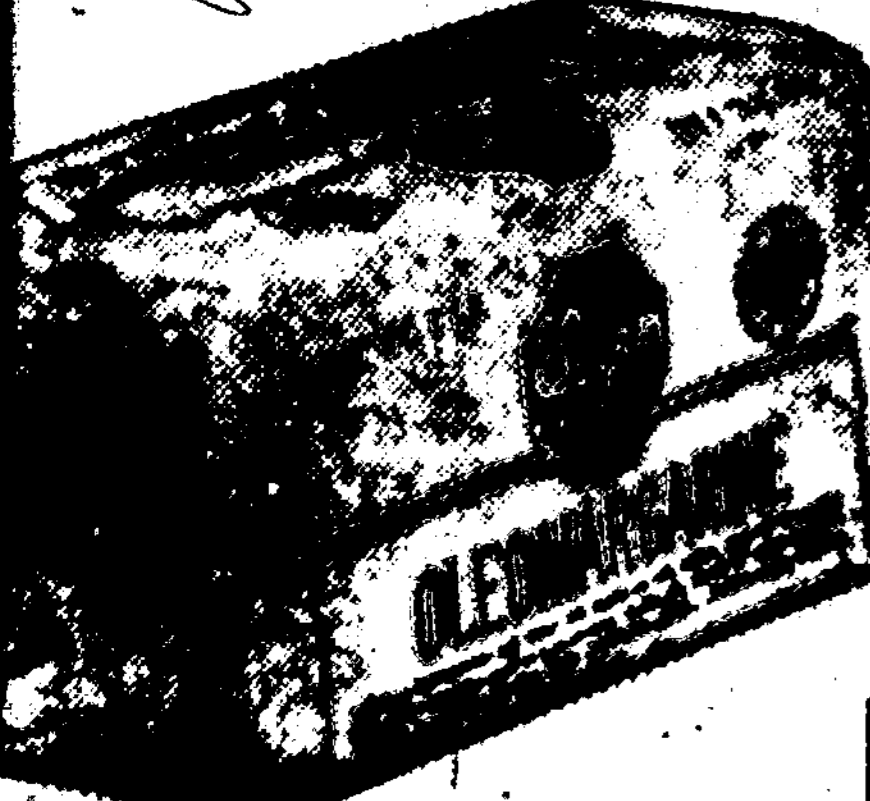
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 Deceased.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned was, on the 7th day of July, 1969, duly appointed Ancillary Executrix of the estate of LOYD L. PRICE, deceased, by the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and, having qualified as such Ancillary Executrix, all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified and required to present the same to the undersigned in the manner and within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 7th day of July, 1969.

/s/ Lillie Mae Price
 Lillie Mae Price
 Attorney for Ancillary Executrix

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"Around Town"
 Mrs. Frank Vega visited her son, Frank Jr. in Tularosa last week, while he was ill.
 Mrs. Martha Sanchez and son, Gerald were here from Albuquerque and Mr. Tranquillino Vega who is working in Belen with Mr. Louise Erramospe.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Alford spend the past week end Albuquerque.
 Erma Alford and Ann Stephenson were in Alamogordo on business Tuesday.
 Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Degner were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dean and two-sons of Boulder, Colo.



CHRISTMAS IN JULY -- Is the theme of dinner and bazaar Saturday, July 26 at Episcopal Church in Ruidoso. In this picture the Rev. James Eubanks is holding a chalice and paten used by Angelican chaplains at Ft. Stanton over 100 years ago.



MANY GIFT ITEMS -- The Episcopal bazaar at Ruidoso Saturday will feature many gift items, some displayed here, such as green chili jelly, sheep felt flowers, ceramic Christmas angels, tree ornaments and pinatas. The bazaar will be held in Stony Hall.

A Tribute to Roger O. Gray

This poem written by his niece Susan Joyce Smoot, was read at the funeral service.

I hear a calling, a soft calling,
 From angels on high,
 They have taken my loved one
 To his home in the sky.
 A soft voice, it beckons
 A sweet melody descends
 His troubles now are ended
 Let his happiness begin.

I lift mine eyes upward
 My praise goes to Thee
 A paradise Thou hast prepared
 him
 And together, sharing it, one
 day we shall be.

How hard it is to love freely
 Knowing one day we must let go
 But I trust Thee, my Heavenly
 Father
 I know that Thou knowest things
 we do not know.

Twice Thou hast called home
 My precious ones to Thee
 Is it not but a breath
 That Separates my Creator & me

So in love we lay him
 Neath these whispering pines
 In faith, never doubting,
 Through love he was taken by
 our Father Divine.

Mustangs Meet With Mullins
 The Corona Mustangs met in the home of Corrine Mullins, 4-II leader on July 18. They worked on their veterinary science. Members present were: Eunk Mullins, Karen Holleyman and David Brunson.
 Following the meeting Mrs. Mullins served home make ice cream.

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Fun and relaxation on schedule for Farm and Livestock people

Emphasis will be on fun and relaxation, with only a minimum of business, when members of the New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau gather in Farmington next week for their Golden Anniversary Convention.

The three-day meeting opens on Wednesday, July 30, at the Town House Motel and continues through Friday, August 1, when the delegates and their families drive to Durango, Colorado for a day-long trip on the famous narrow-gauge Silverton train.

"More than 350 tickets have been purchased by Farm Bureau members for the train ride, and we're expecting quite a few more at the convention," said A. W. (Bill) Langenegger, of Hagerman, president of the 9,500 member state farm organization.

Besides the train ride, another highlight of the convention will be a tour and reception at Tom Bolack's B Square Ranch, which is noted for its multiple use of land and its man-made lakes which serve as wild-life sanctuaries.

The ranch tour will be at 5 p.m. Wednesday, followed by a free barbecue, courtesy of the San Juan Farm Bureau, at McGee Park in Farmington. Next will come the annual Talent Find Contest, also at the park, followed by an awards program which will recognize outstanding county Farm Bureaus from around the state.

Most of Thursday will be devoted to business, with the first general session starting at 9:30 a.m. Langenegger will open the business meeting with his annual president's report, and then Dr. Kenneth Hood, general manager of the American Agricultural Marketing Association, will speak on "Marketing in Farm Bureau".

Closing out the morning session will be a discussion, "Can Farm Bureau Survive Another

50 Years", with Ken Ashby, of Delta, Utah, chairman of the American Farm Bureau Young Farmers and Ranchers Committee, serving as moderator. Making up the panel will be several members of the New Mexico Young Farmers and Ranchers Committee.

Thursday afternoon will be devoted to various commodity meetings, with discussions on natural resources, livestock, cotton and field crops, and problems of the dairy industry.

Traditional vesper services will kick off Thursday evening activities at the Farmington Elks Club, followed by a banquet and dance. Speaker for the banquet will be Charles B. Shuman, of Sullivan, Illinois, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The theme of this year's convention is "Golden Opportunities for a Golden Year".

Official convention activities will end the Silverton train ride on Friday so that Farm Bureau members and their families will have the week end free to visit various points of interest.

No Smiths in ZoZo phone book

It is safe to say that Carrizozo does not follow the average of other towns in very many ways. We're just different around these parts and it is good. Better climate, better view, better people, better recreation, more fun and more of all the good things in life that really count.

Whereas the name Smith leads the listing list in most phone directories, there is not even one Smith in the Carrizozo set of listings.

If you want to start at the top here you start with Ortiz, there are 10 listings and 9 of them different families. Next in line would be the Vega families, 9 in the book and 8 of them different families.

The number of phone listings in Carrizozo grows slightly each year, in spite of a declining population. Local manager Bill Kerby says we have 650 listings in the 1969 book vs. 641 in the 1968 list.

The last letter in the alphabet goes good in Carrizozo with three Zamoras and two Zumwalt. Only one Z at Clouderoft, and one at Tularosa, none at Mayhill including Sacramento, Weed and Pinon.

There are more families of Harkeys in this new book than any other after the Ortiz and Vegas are counted, 6 being the total. The Chavez families outnumber the Chavez families five to one, then you get down to four Wilsons, four Straleys, and after that comes the one of a kind like Aguilar, Aldez, Anderson, Apgar, Archuleta and Armstrong.

Quite a few number changes in this new book from the old which is always the case.

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PROBLEM HERE -- With new potheoles going up on north side of this street, the puddles that gather from each rain and stand until they evaporate will be a worse hazard than ever because of much traffic. Road seal crew had to detour this part of Carrizozo's streets with their sand seal work.