

Rumaldita Trujillo tells of Christmas customs in Lincoln County



"Saint Anthony" holding the Christ child. One of the early plaster images given by Rumaldita Trujillo to Manuel Vigil and now owned by his grandson, Benancio Vigil.



The "Santa Cruz" often carried by Rumaldita Trujillo in a procession from house to house with prayers for rain, then hung to a post outside of the Oratorio in Lincoln. (We hung it on the fig tree early last summer during the drought - it rained the next day!) (Owned by Manualita Salas.)



Some real nice holiday happenings have taken place in Zozo this Christmas season. Along with all the wonderful Christmas decorations that brighten the scene...

Methodist WSCS ladies threw a party for the folks in The Annex and everyone had a fine time. With Jackie Spencer as the spark plug, Carrizozo Women's Club invited all the boys from Sierra Blanca Camp to a Christmas dinner Friday. They boys made music, the community chorus sang, each boy had his personal host at dinner, Jackie passed out gifts, finest occasion around these parts.

Hardly enough good words can be said about the community chorus people, and no one knows the many hours of practice they devoted to preparation of Christmas music which was presented Sunday evening to a real good audience.

Equally nice was the Volunteer Fire Department's frolic with Santa Claus and a street full of children Saturday.

Sort of builds up the Christmas spirit in the nicest of ways - all of those goings on.

Nettie Lemon was in church Sunday, looking well, and that makes for a happy occasion.

Town Marshal Choncho Morales was busy enforcing the school zone speed limit last week, stopping several speeders that we saw - and that comes under the heading of good tidings because it eliminates some of the hazards our children experience crossing US 84 down town.

Made a small wager with Dale LaMay on the LSU-Iowa game. We lost, which surely must have made Dale and all the LSU players happy.

The only good program on Sunday night TV was the wild life program - it made us feel good to learn that people are concerned about wildlife in the north part of our continent.

Eleanor got busy and made several batches of candy, two Sunday night, and any persons that sinks their choppers in those goodies will be happy.

Can't hardly ignore remembering, every time we see a beautiful Christmas tree, how as kids we used to work at the fun-job of stringing popcorn and cranberries to make tree decorations. The spirit of Christmas was fully as strong then.

Otis is about over his ailments from his fight several weeks ago. He sure must be happy. Fact is all the dogs up and down our street are enjoying this Christmas season.

Duffy is happy at this time of year, also. His latest report follows:

Have you heard about the quartet who gave up singing and then took up the Tuba? You guessed it - they call themselves the TUBA FOUR. (Think on that a bit)

By the time a man learns to stand up for his rights, his arches have caved in.

If you'd take the advice of the experts, the best way to keep healthy is to eat what you don't want, drink what you don't like, and do what you'd rather not.

Or suburban home is so far out our mailman sends us our mail by mail.

Nearly every day, since just before Thanksgiving (one of our friends is early with Christmas message) we have the happy pleasure of being reminded that good friends in all quarters of the nation are well and enjoying this Christmas season. Christmas cards are nice, by mail, by newspaper, by phone, in person - we like them all.

There are lots more good things to come - good times, good tidings, good fellowship. May the Lord be with you and your Christmas be the best. - PWP.

Weather
By L. Z. Manire

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December 15	36	20	15	00
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December 20	39	24	10	00
December 21	50	22	03	00

By Fredrika R. Powell

For almost thirty years, Rumaldita Trujillo was a familiar figure to the people of Lincoln, New Mexico, but she was never seen without Rita, her little white dog with a collar of bells - for Rumaldita had been blind since birth. Her blue eyes could see only the difference between darkness and light. Born in Manzano, January 1850, she was baptized two months later as Maria Romualda Trujillo.

As she grew older, her parents, Gertrudes and Manuel, read to her for many hours from the Bible and taught her to say the prayers to the saints. Often when the people of the village came to visit the blind child, they brought with them the gift of a statue of a saint, and always the statue was dressed with great care. Rumaldita learned just which dress belonged to each image and the colors which she never forgot.

About the year 1876 the family moved to the foothills of the Capitan Mountains, between Capitan and Lincoln, north of the Rio Bonito. They called the small settlement, Pueblo Colorado. Rumaldita, however, and her two brothers, Refugio and Ramon, went to live in Lincoln. She set up housekeeping in one room annexed to a small oratorio - or chapel dedicated to Santa Cruz. It stood across the canyon from the Torres Ranch, also on the north side of the river and about six miles west of the center of town.

Here along the Salado or Torres "ditch", in what was then called Torres Village, some twenty families lived and farmed. In the village stood a dance hall, bar, a store, and the chapel of Mi Senora del Pueblito, built by Don Antonio Torres - also known as the Torres Mission. Close by, where the Salado joins the Bonito, was the Morada, or chapel used by a small group of Penitentes. (1.)

The oratorio of Santa Cruz was of picket logs, finished inside and out with adobe, as were many of the houses at that time. The inside walls, however, were washed with a white plaster made from a local out-cropping of gypsum, crushed, baked, ground to a powder, then mixed with water. The floor was of hard-packed dirt. Some say that as many as fifty statues hung to the walls.

Rumaldita's room, through which one passed to enter the chapel, was simply furnished. Lambskins covered the dirt floor on which lay a mattress close to the corner fireplace where the iron cooking pots hung swinging over the wood fire. Two long low steps along one wall served as shelves, while a table, seats and several chests made up the rest. Not only did Rumaldita cook for herself, but she could roll out cookies and pies to compare with those of any housewife of the village.

It was the custom at Christmas to give a pumpkin pie in exchange for one received, and surely during the holidays she must have shared in the festivities - dancing and feasting on Christmas Eve and Mass to be attended on Christmas morning.

Refugio Trujillo had a young son named Manuel, and on New Year's Day at any time after one in the morning the people came to pay their respects. Each, as they entered sang a verse of greeting to the boy. All day and all night "there was plenty to eat and plenty to drink" and dancing to the guitar and fiddle. A favorite dance was "La Balsa de la Sia" or "Chair Dance" - when the music stopped in the middle of a waltz, a hapless victim was led to a chair in the middle of the floor. Not until she conjured up a rhyme to please her partner did the waltzing continue. At the next break another victim "fell heir to the chair" etc. until all of the women had pleased their partners!

Whether or not Rumaldita was ever seen dancing, may not be remembered, but her prayers to the saints have never been forgotten. If the earth became dry for lack of rain and crops were in danger of failing, she placed the statue of San Isidro on a small altar outside of the Oratorio. In answer to the prayers of the people - always the rains came. It is told that at one time the winds blew and the rains came and the little image

turned on the altar away from the storm - or again in a drouth, the Santa Cruz (a simple wooden cross, dressed in white) would be carried by the faithful from house to house, then hung to a post outside of the chapel - always the rains came.

Rumaldita spent many days and nights in the homes of the people of Lincoln or on the ranches many miles away. She could be seen traveling in the back of a wagon, her heavy auburn hair braided about her head, and holding an image of the Virgin Mary. The small dog, Rita, sat faithfully beside her - it was Rita who had saved her life. Growing, she pulled and tugged, one day, at Rumaldita's skirts until she angrily groped for a pebble to throw at the dog. Instead, her fingers touched on the stones that encircled a well!

Rumaldita remained with a family for two or three nights and sometimes longer, and as long as she stayed the children made short work of the dishes after each meal - they were sure of a story - to be continued! They could tease Rumaldita, but never enough to forfeit the cookies or candies they knew to be hidden under her two or three petticoats and long full skirt - for under this skirt she wore a belt, and attached to the belt hung two long strips of cloth divided into pockets. In these she kept her money and those good bits of "this and that." Only at night did she neatly roll up the pockets and

tuck them under her pillow. During the evenings she lead the prayers, taught the catechism and sang the hymns. Often the family pinned a bit of jewelry to the Virgin's dress or wound a string of beads about her neck. At the end of her stay she would again climb into the wagon, taking with her the gifts of food or money her friends were able to spare.

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(Above and below) The Virgin - This bust was made by Jose Benito Ortega of Mora County. He worked as a "santero" until 1907. The Virgin is said to have performed many miracles. (Owned by M. Salas.)

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Reserve wins Cloudcroft

Reserve 55 Carrizozo 41
The Grizzlies looked as if they didn't want to play and Reserve was ready, this seemed to be the big difference in the game.

Reserve got the ball in on their second and third tries on the basket while the Grizzlies were getting only one try. The Mountaineers had a height advantage which could have been a factor in the rebounding department.

This was the Grizzlies first loss of the basketball season with a record of 3-1.

Scoring by quarters:
ZOZO 7 10 10 14 - 41
RHS 11 18 12 14 - 55

Carrizozo 63 Hagerman 58
The Grizzlies continued their hex over the Bobcats this time with offensive power and the defensive work of Matt Ellison on Gary Harrell.

Scoring by quarters:
ZOZO 18 20 12 13 - 63
HHS 17 10 13 18 - 58

Carrizozo 64 Cloudcroft 39
The Cloudcroft Bears were no match for the Carrizozo Grizzlies in this contest. The Bears trailed only by 9 at intermission but never challenged. The Grizzlies were led in scoring by Matt Ellison with 18 points followed by Gaby Chavez and Christy Monreal with 11 points respectively. Other Grizzlie scorers were: Leslie (2), Lee (6), Gallegos (7), Marcos Barela (2), Kuco Chavez (4), Wilson (2).

The win upped the Grizzlies basketball record 5-1 and enabled the Grizzlies to capture the 1st place consolation in the three day tournament.

Scoring by quarters:
ZOZO 18 15 20 12 - 65
CHS 12 12 4 11 - 39



Too Far Cathy Bancroft

Kathy Bancroft, Carrizozo Sun Princess, will be guest of honor at a coffee to be given at the home of Mrs. Robert Shafer, Sun Princess Chairman, on Thursday afternoon from three to five. All Woman's Club members are invited.

Kathy will leave the day after Christmas for El Paso to take part in the Sun Carnival activities.

Motors burn out, courthouse cold

People in Lincoln County courthouse were wearing heavy coats and shivering with no heat and prospects not bright that heat will soon be restored.

Micro-film work was shut down and people went home because of temperature. One secretary was going to call Tuesday before coming to work to find out if heat was on.

Moises Sambrano, maintenance engineer, said that two motors which force warm (or cold) air throughout the courthouse had burned out Sunday and he thought probably the power outage Sunday had done the job.

Thermometers in most rooms read 60 degrees and by Tuesday it would be colder, without heat.



Carrizozo plays Rehobeth to start Estancia Invitational

The Estancia Invitational Basketball Tournament gets underway Monday, December 27 and will finish Tuesday night.

Pairings in the opening round are as follows:
Rehobeth vs. Carrizozo 1:15 p.m., Weed vs. Corona 3:00 p.m., Laguna-Acoma vs. Animas at 6:30 p.m., Estancia vs. Hondo at 8:15 p.m.

The experts would probably rate Rehobeth as Number One in this tournament. They went to the state last year and have all their boys back, a real fast team. It should be a toss-up between

Corona and Estancia for Number Two spot. Estancia beat the Cardinals two points recently and naturally the Cards will be looking to even the score.

Carrizozo goes in as a dark horse, the team that in past years has been balled around by most of the teams in the tournament. Things are a little different this year, Zozo going in with good bench strength, good height, two or three deadly shooters, and some boys who can cope with speed as well as put out some. Laguna-Acoma, Animas and Weed are rated pretty close

together, with Animas a bit of a dark horse behind Carrizozo. Hondo is the only team in the tournament not given much chance to spring a surprise, like winning first or second. Zozo Coach Gerald Lee has 13 boys on the varsity squad and all of them will make the trip after Christmas.

Season's Greetings
from
Lincoln County News
Paul, Eleanor, Ron, Alice
Peter, Joy, Arlie,
Beatrice, David

A Child Is Born

So much of our time is spent in preparing for the worst. We anticipate, worry over, and get ready for all sorts of disasters to the degree that we are often unready for many of the joys that come our way. We are so busy preparing for a rainy day that the sunny days go by unappreciated.

Advent is a season in which to prepare for the best - the best thing that ever happened to man. When in the fullness of time the child Jesus was born, we received the best God had to give, the gift of himself. God, the eternal giver, was not content to give us the whole of his amazing creation; he did not stop after giving us life and the good earth to sustain us. His giving was not complete until he had given us his live incarnate. And this he did when Love came down at Christmas, and to us a child was born.

Prayer:
O Lord, help us to prepare our hearts and minds for thy best gift, thy son Jesus Christ. Lift up our thoughts from the littleness of our own world to the glory and majesty of thine. Make ready our hearts to receive the gift of thy love, so that we may feel thy presence with us always. Amen. - Methodist Bulletin.



Governor Bruce King and his family entertained 100 crippled children and mentally retarded children at a special Christmas Party at the Executive Mansion. The youngsters were treated to refreshments, a magic show and a visit by Santa Claus who arrived in a state police car bearing gifts.

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There were those in Lincoln who came to think of Rumaldita as a witch. Many times she was known to have warned a friend of danger ahead on a journey, and she correctly foretold the date and place where her brother, Ramon, would die. One day, as the story goes, she told her two nephews to dig at a certain place on the side of a hill. First they would come to Indian Petroglyphs carved in the rocks, then they would hear voices, a rooster would crow and finally they would find a box of treasure. The two men dug as directed. They found the Petroglyphs, heard the voices and the rooster crowed. Digging further they came on a deep round hole. Beyond this, over which they were unable to crawl, could be seen a room, in the center of which stood a box - but - by the time they could bring the planks to bridge the pit, the "treasure" had disappeared.

Still again when the family had been without meat for some time, Rumaldita directed the men to the far side of the mountain. There at a certain spot they would find a maverick - an unbranded calf, free for the taking! The unsuspecting calf was found as predicted, roped and butchered. And another time - for three days a favorite mare had been missing. The worried family

turned to Rumaldita who assured them the mare would return with foal that afternoon at three o'clock. At three o'clock the proud mare came ambling in with the new-born at her side.

The finding of the maverick and the return of the mare took place in Richardson on the north side of the Capitans, where Rumaldita went to live in about the year 1910. There, in the chapel, the saints found a new sacuary and in three rooms at the rear of the chapel, she lived as she had in Lincoln, still traveling about the countryside. Each year on feast day in May, the chapel bell rang and families gathered to carry the images of the saints in procession to the pasture. Under a flowering cherry tree, Rumaldita lead the prayers, and as the bell rang out again, the little procession filed back to gather in the chapel.

Rumaldita lived in Richardson until 1918 when she died, a victim of the terrible epidemic of influenza that swept across the country. She lies buried in the little graveyard not far from the chapel, of which today there is no trace. Many of the statues have been lost, but a few remain, treasured by the descendants of Rumaldita's family.

1. The Torres Chapel, threatened by floods, was rebuilt in 1884 on the south side of the Bonito. The adobe walls and graveyard may



"Santo Nino." This little image has only the head, hardly the size of a golf ball. The body is made of pieces of material. Pinned on the dress are many offerings, including a tiny replica of a Swift ham and a ladies high boot. The Nino lies in an old hand carved wooden cradle and is clothed in a white-baptismal-dress. (Owned by Mr. and Mrs. Victoriano Fresquez)

be seen along the highway today. When the river flooded again in 1900, the villagers fled across the river, where, close to the new chapel, they lived in tents until homes could be built. The Trujillos, on higher ground escaped the flood as did the Chapel of Santa Cruz.

All of The Statues Illustrated With This Article Once Belonged To Rumaldita Trujillo

Note: To the reader who may as yet be unfamiliar with a "bulto." By the middle of the 18th century not enough holy images found their way north from old Mexico to meet the needs of the many new churches and parishes fast growing up within what was to become a hundred years later the new Territory of New Mexico.

To meet this need, a few of the early Franciscans began to carve in the round from whatever native materials were available - pine and well-seasoned cottonwood root. They coated the figures with white gesso or gypsum, baked, pulverized, dissolved in water, then mixed with animal glue. Water soluble pigments were then applied with brushes of hog bristles and quill pens. "Indigo, cochineal and occasionally vermilion were imported, but other reds were made of native iron oxide. Yellows were sometimes mineral from ocher but more often of vegetable origin. From these, green and purple could be mixed and the dark areas a mixture of all."

For subject matter, the santero or imagemaker, following in the footsteps of the early friars, used

the engravings found in missals and prayer books printed in Antwerp. For the most part, he emphasized one symbol for identification of the image, and put his greatest effort into carving and coloring the face. "As a result many santos seem to look far beyond us into a mystic vision unseen by mere humans."

According to Spanish tradition each image was dressed in a garment and adorned with jewelry - beads, pins or precious keepsakes - costly or otherwise, as the circumstances of the owner might permit.

By the mid-19th century approximately twenty santeros had provided thousands of santos or bultos for the churches, chapels and homes of the people of New Mexico. The santero worked only in his spare time. Often, however, together with his family and many times on foot, he carried his tools to far-away villages and remained until his orders were filled.

Some fifty years later, the santeros ceased to work. Bishop Lamy and his priests from France could see no beauty in the old santos. Imports of plaster pushed them aside. Today however, second only to the American Indian, the santero and his associated craftsmen are recognized as creators of the

most original popular art ever developed in what is now the United States."

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Acknowledgement

I would like to most gratefully acknowledge all those kind friends who have not only welcomed me into their homes, but who have shared with me their childhood memories of Rumaldita Trujillo.

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- Mr. and Mrs. Benancio Vigil (Dexter)
- Mrs. Teresa Fresquez (Dexter)
- Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vigil (Vaughn)
- Mrs. Manuelita Salas (Ruidoso Downs)
- Adonio Montoya (Richardson)
- Mrs. Beatrice Sedillo (Richardson)
- Mrs. Clara Casados (Carrizozo)
- Mrs. Demecio Peralta (Capitan)
- Mrs. Alejandro Trujillo (Capitan)
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- Mrs. Rejuyia Sedillo (Capitan)
- Mrs. Margarito Trujillo (Capitan) - who started me on a search for the "bultos."

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Zozo "B" takes 3rd

The Zozo "B" Basketball team took third place in the Lake Arthur "B" Tournament Thursday and Friday. In the first game, Thursday, Hagerman beat the "B" Grizzlies in an overtime by a score of 51-50. Gilbert

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Sambrano was the high point man with 16 points. Andre Hoff and Michael Vega were second with eleven points each, while Ernie Beltran tallied for 10, Kim Lee for 3 and Charles Baker for one. Carrizozo won the consolation tilt by defeating Lake Arthur by a score of 50-43.

Sambrano received high point honors again with 24 points to his credit. Beltran tallied for 7, Hoff came through for 6, Lee and Vega helped out with 5 each, and Jody Ventura had 3 points to his credit.

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San Miguel

This bulto was made sometime between 1820 and 1850 - name of santero unknown. It lacks wings, hands, and feet. He is known as the messenger of God and captain of heavenly hosts. The complete image should carry a sword in the right hand to subdue the dragon, or Satan under his feet. The left hand carries the scales to weigh souls on judgement day. The story has been handed down that when Rumaldita sang hymns it was San Miguel who played the piano. (Owned by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vigil)



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Dear Santa Claus.
I want a Mother Goose ball. I want a reindeer. I want four sets of dishes. I want a play present.
Love Lanette

Dear Santa Claus, Jacaque
I want a Mother Goose. I want a dolly. I want a locked. I want a set of dishes. I want a candy. I want a play pig.
Jacaque Stevenson

Baca ends training

Ft. Polk, La. - Army Private Evaristo C. Baca, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Baca, Corona, N. M., recently completed a five week light vehicle driver course and three weeks of on-the-job training at Ft. Polk, La. During the course, he was trained in the operation and

Dear Santa,
All my friends are talking about you. I can not wait till you come on Christmas eve. My family will have a nice snack for you. I want a doll house for Christmas. Tell your elves I said hi. OK? I always get excited when you come.
Your friend
Loree Whittaker

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. If you come by my house on Christmas eve will you leave me a talking Crissy and a talking Velvet please.
Love
Brigitte Sandoval

Dear Santa,
I am a good boy. I would like a bike and a play gun.
Gabriel Samora

Dear Santa,
I want a red wagon. I want a play gun. I want a play paypr. I want a red bike. I want a play girl.
Your friend
Larry Beltran.

Dear Santa,
I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! I would like a watch and if you see mother would you tell her if she would get my ears pierced? I would like a t.v. a little one please? Some new pants with matching tops about 2 more pair please?
Love,
Gena Beth Ratliff

Dear Santa Claus,
I want you to know that I'm in third grade. I want Crissy doll for Christmas. We have a tree now for you to put it under. I want some boots too and gloves too on Christmas. Hope you bring them. I going now. Good by hope you a merry Christmas.
Your friend
Barbara Means

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like velvet inch worm and Krissy, and Tubby, and a new born baby, and that's all. I wish you a merry Christmas. I Love you Santa Claus.
Love
Lara Rat
Lynn Liff

Dear Santa,
I wish you bring me a Drum set and a guitar set and. Will you bring me some Boots size 2. and a. baseball and a flash light and. Will you bring me a coke maker and a ice cream maker and. Will you bring me a football shirt football pants and a football shirt number 33 and will you bring a red and white football shirt and will you bring me a color TV and, trucks and trains and a radio and scope and a shirt and pants football shoes size 2.
Your friend
Mark Vega

Dear Santa Claus
How have you ben? I am fine. I have ben a good girl. I am in third grade. I want to get a watch and a dress and a doll. for Christmas. I am still a good girl. and I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Maria Madrid

Dear Santa,
I want a ejetric football game and a Kin and a G. I. Joe and a I wanta smash up derby set and a bick and a toy rifle with caps and a pair of house shoes.
Your friend
Billy LaMay

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll for me to play with. and some candy, too. and snow boots and cowgirl boots, too.
Love
Shirley Simmons

Dear Santa
I've ben a good girl this year. I would like a pair of go, go boots. And a pretty jackit. And some pants for Christmas.
Your friend
Tami Ortiz

Dear Santa Claus
How are you? Fine I hope. I have ben wery good this year. I would, like a barbie doll this Christmas.
Merry Christmas
Your friend
Louann Lucero

Dear Santa.
How are you I am fine. I want a popgun for Christmas and a box of ears I am nice.
Your friend, David Pacheco

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a easy bake oven and a pair of white gogo boots. And a Crisy doll with all her shoes. And a dish set and a bike with a horn.
Your friend
Celia Clark

Dear Santa, How are you? I am fine. Will you bring me a popgun for Christmas I will leave you a piece of cake on the table.
Your friend,
Brett Lindsey

Dear Santa,
I wish had a bike for Christmas. I got a B B and potit gun. I have ben a good boy this year. I wante a football too., I wante cowboy coat.
I am in 3rd Grade.
Your friend
David Wright

Dear Santa Claus
Dear Santa I have ben a good girl. May I please have a Crisy doll and a long dress. And a new bike and a typewriter.
Your friend
Debbie Kay Galle

Dear Santa,
I would like a gun set and a toy truck and a pear of shoes and a pear of pants.
Moses. Sambrano. jr.

Dear Santh Chau
Please bring me a Teddy Bear. Please bring my mother pantsuit and my daddy wants a tool box and my sisters would like every thing.
Thank you.
Monica Lynn Herrera

Dear Santa,
How are you. I am in the third grade and I am 8 years old. I want a easy bake oven and a doll. I want a dress and some shoes.
Your friend,
Ann Beltran

Dear Sata,
I wish for a trajn, and a puppy, and a farm set, and a Johnny west set, for Christmas.
Todd Lindsay

Dear Santa
I want a minibike and some pencils and a bat ball and glue and a rockmeokem and balls Christmas lights and a coat and socks and back it gold and a Back ball and a foot ball. — Your friend
Johnnie

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. Will you bring me a wagon, and a play gun, and a Pinocchio.
Your friend
Larry Martin

Dear Santa.
How is everyone. I will try to be good this year. I hope I will get something for Christmas I have to go now. Have a happy merry Christmas. Your friend Cindy Fenter

Dear Santa Claus
I want velvet that talks. I want a ketten. I want a pin that lights up. I want a toy for my dog. I want a playhose.
From Michelle Welch

Dear Santa
I wish you bring me a Drum set and a guitar set and. Will you bring me some Boots size 2. and a. baseball and a flash light and. Will you bring me a coke maker and a ice cream maker and. Will you bring me a football shirt football pants and a football shirt number 33 and will you bring a red and white football shirt and will you bring me a color TV and, trucks and trains and a radio and scope and a shirt and pants football shoes size 2.
Your friend
Mark Vega

Dear Santa Claus
How have you ben? I am fine. I have ben a good girl. I am in third grade. I want to get a watch and a dress and a doll. for Christmas. I am still a good girl. and I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Your friend,
Maria Madrid

Dear Santa,
I want a ejetric football game and a Kin and a G. I. Joe and a I wanta smash up derby set and a bick and a toy rifle with caps and a pair of house shoes.
Your friend
Billy LaMay

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll for me to play with. and some candy, too. and snow boots and cowgirl boots, too.
Love
Shirley Simmons

Dear Santa
I've ben a good girl this year. I would like a pair of go, go boots. And a pretty jackit. And some pants for Christmas.
Your friend
Tami Ortiz

Dear Santa Claus
How are you? Fine I hope. I have ben wery good this year. I would, like a barbie doll this Christmas.
Merry Christmas
Your friend
Louann Lucero

Dear Santa.
How are you I am fine. I want a popgun for Christmas and a box of ears I am nice.
Your friend, David Pacheco

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a easy bake oven and a pair of white gogo boots. And a Crisy doll with all her shoes. And a dish set and a bike with a horn.
Your friend
Celia Clark

Dear Santa, How are you? I am fine. Will you bring me a popgun for Christmas I will leave you a piece of cake on the table.
Your friend,
Brett Lindsey

Dear Santa,
I wish had a bike for Christmas. I got a B B and potit gun. I have ben a good boy this year. I wante a football too., I wante cowboy coat.
I am in 3rd Grade.
Your friend
David Wright

Dear Santa Claus
Dear Santa I have ben a good girl. May I please have a Crisy doll and a long dress. And a new bike and a typewriter.
Your friend
Debbie Kay Galle

Dear Santa,
I would like a gun set and a toy truck and a pear of shoes and a pear of pants.
Moses. Sambrano. jr.

Dear Santh Chau
Please bring me a Teddy Bear. Please bring my mother pantsuit and my daddy wants a tool box and my sisters would like every thing.
Thank you.
Monica Lynn Herrera

Dear Santa,
My name is Johnny Herrera, I have been a good boy all year. For Christmas I'd like to have a Rock 'em Sock 'em set, Football, Football Clothes, and a Football game.

My brothers, Michael, wants an organ, Gabriel wants a Rock 'em Sock 'em, Eddie wants a cassette Tape Player, Marie wants a big dog, a St. Bernard. Mom and Dad don't want anything special, just us. Love
Johnnie Herrera

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I would like a rock'em sock'em robots and a football outfit with a football. And a game of pool and a NFL football watch of the Dallas Cowboys. I wish I had a bike for Christmas.
Your friend
Ralph Delgado

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Letters to Santa

Dec. 17, 1971
Hello how are you. Here we are waiting for you to come Dec. 25. When you do come I do hope you will bring me a football, bike, and a football set. Bring my brother Rod some Logs and a Dr. Kit. He also wants a 2 wheeler Bike. Bring my sister a D'rese all the toys a little girl wants. Hope you can make it a safe trip for North Pole.
Love You
Jon Todd Aguilar

Have a lovely Holiday ... and thanks.
Merry Christmas
Lucky Star Beauty Salon
Connie O'Rear and Stella

O holy night...
The Star shone brightly to welcome the Newborn Babe. May your Christmas be filled with the Light of His Love.
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Christmas Joy

IT'S THE BIRTH DAY OF THE CHRIST CHILD. MAY THERE BE PEACE, LOVE.

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Carrizozo, New Mexico

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It's the Holy Season, time when hearts are filled with gratitude, love and good will. In this spirit we extend our warmest wishes and thanks.

Central New Mexico Electric Cooperative
MOUNTAINAIR, NEW MEXICO

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LINCOLN COUNTY ABSTRACT
CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO

Carrizozo Schedule

DEC. 3	MAGDALENA	Here	JAN. 22	Eunice	There
DEC. 10	HAGERMAN	Here	JAN. 28	Capitan	There
DEC. 11	Hondo	There	JAN. 29	Ruidoso	There
DEC. 16-17-18	Cloudcroft Tourney	There	FEB. 4	Dexter	There
DEC. 27-28	Estancia Tourney	There	FEB. 5	LAKE ARTHUR	Here
JAN. 7	ESTANCIA	Here	FEB. 8	Corona	There
JAN. 8	CORONA	Here	FEB. 11	CAPITAN	Here
JAN. 11	Moostinlar	There	FEB. 12	Cloudcroft	There
JAN. 14	CLOUDCROFT	Here	FEB. 18	HONDO	Here
JAN. 15	Lake Arthur	There	FEB. 25-26	District Tourney	There
JAN. 21	Jal	There	MAR. 3-4	Regional Tourney	There

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CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO

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Many lights in Capitan

Capitan - By - Margaret Rench
 The last four of this year for the new ones added to the Christmas lighting was made Sunday night. The Chaffins trailer home has flood lights which displays a large silver decorated lighted tree with colored lights around the inside of the picture window in the north. Boney Zamora's east windows really are elegant. The first is in blue lights around the window stationary green lights blinking on that pretty tree. The other window had stationary red lights around inside of window with a small tree with stationary red lights and greenery in among the red lights. Beautiful to be certain.

Post Office colored lights in the back ground with silver tree in the front is pretty. Cummins store beautifully decorated was very nice. Dean home has blinking all colored lights with red lights stationary on a pretty tree. Fletcher Hall has blinking colored lights overhead on the porch front with greenery amongst them and leading to them and the north and south wall tops of the four foot block yard fence had colored luminarias. Truly stood out and I enjoyed them. The Spohn trees lighted blinking and beautifully decorated ornaments give more message. The Peppers lighted star brightly shining inside of the dark red outer lights. Doris Pounds colored lights around the inside of the south picture window with such a pretty lighted tree inside with an angel on top and it looked as if there was a bright star thereon. Virgil Hall blue lighted tree inside with a bright star on top. A pretty silver tree with blue ornaments in the bank and B. LaMay home showed an alternating all colored lighted tree inside. We see from afar the Reamy home a large tree outside lighted in many lights with colored lights on the inside of their west picture window. The Strickland home has a pretty

lighted tree inside and the Tom Lassiter home across the street has a large wreath on the door with a blinking lighted tree inside. The Loss Morris home has colored lights on the inside of their glassed-in porch with a blinking lighted tree enclosed with motifs on the windows, stands out very prettily. Shaw home has a lighted large red star at one side of the door outside with colored lights upper front of the porch. At the Malco Station trailer court blinking lights alternating around the window called our attention to their beauty. Goodrich home displays a red lighted tree inside with a star on top and three blue lights in triangle in the other window. Hollis Cummins home has a large Santa sleigh with a life size Santa standing at south west corner of the house on the lawn, the south window shows a pretty decorated lighted tree inside. Annarotone added red and green lights above and around the west porch with a lighted large candle standing at foot of the stairs. Marguerito Trujillo home blue lights inside and around the picture window with lighted tree. Was very pretty. Coloracco has added two more rows of red lights in the middle of the house with the red gable light on south and blue gable lights on the east. The Batts home shows all colored lighted blinking tree from the inside with a wreath on the door. David Barber has a pretty tree too. Candy Trujillo with few blinking colored lights outside and Santa and his reindeer and sleigh standing in the greenery at the foot of the window with lighted tree inside. Paul Jones has a large lighted star above the house with Santa's face on the door with colored lights around the facing, lighted tree inside.

Pankey home has a large and beautifully lighted tree on the inside of their home in the north window, alternating blinking their happiness to us.
 I wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas with Peace and Love in your heart.
 I do thank the Capitan Roundtable Club for their package delivered to me. I do appreciate it far more than I can express. They delivered 22 boxes to persons who are alone. They do so many nice things where they find they are needed during all of each year.
 Remember, the Eastern Star School of Instruction for this District will be held at 4 p.m. at the Eastern Star Hall in Tularosa Monday January 3, 1972. Dinner will be at 6 p.m. All officers do go if you can for there is so much to be learned there. Our Worthy Matron, Catherine Eaker desires that you let her know if you will go for dinner so that she can advise how many of us are attending.
 Mr. and Mrs. Otho Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw and Mrs. Doris Pounds attended the Eastern Star Installation last Saturday night at 7:30 p.m.
 Thank the carolers who sang such lovely Christmas songs to all of the homes. So many shut ins really appreciate that, as well as all of us others.
 The Capitan Nazarene Church dismissed their Sunday night service and all attended the Cantata at the First Baptist Church in Ruidoso last Sunday night. They will have their Christmas Program Wednesday night December 22 at 7 p.m.

which will be a film "The Other Wiseman."
 Mr. McGinnis of Lincoln and Roswell had a heart attack last Friday night. He is in the Roswell Medical Center.
 The Republicans held their meeting at the Hitchin Post in Capitan last Friday, December 17. Jack McGarry is Precinct Chairman of Precinct Numbers one and two.
 The Forest Service donated a nice tree to the city this year. It is lighted and sends its cheer very brilliantly.
 Miss Lynne Williams finished at Eastern College in Portales last Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Terry Strickland and Rhonda spent last weekend with his parents in Humble City, N. M. last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Jr. and family spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stone at Post, Texas. They attended a family reunion in Temple, Texas returning Monday afternoon.
 Mr. Harold Dean and Sally Ann of Bingham spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hilario Trujillo and their daughter Arcenia, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Castillo and family met their daughter and sister Miss Peggy Trujillo, who flew in from California to Roswell. She lives in Palmdale and will stay here until January 2, as she will be back at work by January 3.
 Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lassiter of Silver City, accompanied by their son, Roger, who has just returned from Vietnam spent two days with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lassiter, then journeyed on to visit their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Drake in Hobbs. Roger has 30 day furlough then will go to Ft. Pike. He still has five more months left to serve in the Army.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pepper are doing just O. K. for an elderly couple in their home. They are worried as they are not able to write and send cards as their vision will not allow but their Christmas greetings are sincere for and to everyone and a Happy New Year too.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aldrich left Tuesday morning for Albuquerque for a few days, then will spend Christmas at the ranch at Gladstone, N. M.
 While Nicholette Nethaway was at work in El Paso the rented trailer home she lived in burned. It was caused by wiring it is thought. She lost everything.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Whitaker and four month old daughter Melinda are spending some time with her father, Mr. Jack Mayfield, then will go to Ohio to visit his parents before they go to Germany with the Air Force. Their guests recently were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Svetlik and Mr. and Mrs. Andre Smith of Clovis. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. James

Nethaway are Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bennett and four children of Lake Luzerne, N. Y., spent several days while enroute to Phoenix, Arizona for the winter.
 The cause of the fire alarm that rang so long at 2:30 a.m. Saturday, was the pump house at the Rodeo Bar.
 Grover Dobbins of Portales is home with his mother Mrs. Doris Pounds for the holidays.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cheney and Miss Patsy Coor returned home last Thursday night after several months vacation in Virginia.
 The Open House at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beck last Sunday was enjoyed by many. They are the owners of The Store of Antiques and just finished their home beautifully. He is our TV man here. A lovely couple which we so much do enjoy daily.
 Mrs. Rench accompanied by Mrs. Maude Kingston, Miss Lou Harris and Mrs. Agnes England spent a day of business and pleasure last Friday on the Ruidoso.
 The Capitan Roundtable Club held their Christmas Party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Titsworth in Tinnie, N. M. last Saturday night, December 18. The members and their husbands. Guests were Maurilda Perry of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peters of Tinnie, Jewel Bonnell of Glenoec, and Mr. and Mrs. Donohue and two children.
 Miss Mary Belle Neatherlin became the bride of Claude A. Smith, 202 Vme, Carlsbad, in a recent wedding ceremony held at the Sunset Church of Christ, Jack McGarry, minister of the Church of Christ in Capitan, officiated at the double ring rites.
 Parents of the couple are Mrs. Julia Neatherlin, 2601 Monte Vista, Carlsbad, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smith, Redmond, Washington.
 Aubrey Ducan, Theron Jay, Brenda Samuels, Pam Cummings, Pat Spence and Becky Garner sang "I Love You Truly", "Wither Thou Goest", "Because", "Wedding March" and the recessional.
 White carnations and greenery accented the 21 branch candelabra which was enhanced by white satin bows.
 The bride given in marriage by her brother, Jim Neatherlin, wore a long white satin gown with lace overlay. She carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations and roses on a white Bible which was borrowed from Mrs. Jim Neatherlin, sister-in-law of the bride. She wore a sixpence in her shoe.
 Julia R. Neatherlin was maid of honor. She wore a street length mint green crepe princess style dress and carried a bouquet of white carnations.
 Jerry Tout was best man. Candelighters were David Stevens and Bennie Neatherlin, nephew of the bride.
 Donnie Peterson and Keith Tidwell were ushers.

Jack McGarry Elected Republicans in Precinct 9 at Capitan met December 17 at the Hitching Post Lodge and elected Jack McGarry as Precinct Chairman.
 Lodge Election Dec. 23 Carrizozo Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M. will hold its annual election and installation of officers December 23 in the lodge hall.



It's Christmas!
 We're chirping out happy holiday notes to greet you and wish you merriment.

Eckland Conoco — Capitan



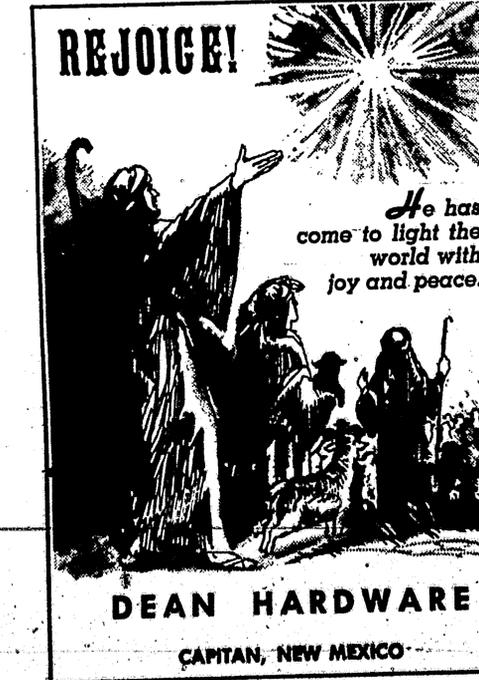
Christ is Born
 Hearts are rich with love and joy this blessed holiday. We hope it holds many fine moments for you.

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 CAPITAN, NEW MEXICO



Merry Christmas
 Santa's sleigh is ready to deliver our season's best wishes.

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 Capitan, New Mexico



HOLY NIGHT
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 Carrizozo, New Mexico



Christmas...
 Bells ring out the mounting joy in hearts and home this holiday.

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Merry Christmas
 We're wrapping it up! Our holiday greeting that is, with A-1 hopes of a season filled with happiness and warmth to all our friends, and our gratitude to patrons we've served.

LINCOLN COUNTY MOTORS
 Johnny Johnson Ford Dealer
 CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO

Pearl is featured

Lincoln - By Hattie Phillips
There is an interesting story in the November-December issue of the American Automobile Association's magazine.
Of particular interest to a lot of us is a picture of Mrs. Pearl Soderbach selling a loaf of her famous "home-made" bread to a young patron, and a paragraph citing Pearl as "one of the most famous and beloved chefs in Lincoln County." He says she

bakes loaves of home-made bread, pies and cobblers each day and as soon as they come out of the oven, it is announced over the speakers system so that guests and neighbors may come right away for her daily luncheon or dinner mouth-watering specials. She also serves special parties. Sometimes there are as many as 200 people at private parties in the restaurant.

Lincoln is very proud of a new gift and antique shop, recently opened by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dockery. They have many lovely things and will, have more in as time permits.

Our spirits are a little low

around this area, because Mr. Fay McGinnis suffering a heart attack last Friday. He and his lovely wife who live about three miles west of Lincoln have endeared themselves to all of us in the community, in the relatively short time they have lived here. He is reported to be doing alright, but will probably be hospitalized for quite a while.

Melvin Bradley has also been in the hospital but hopes to be out soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Zumwalt are back from Tucson, Arizona. Wayne had major surgery while there and is now feeling much better than he has for a long time. We missed them a lot while they were away.

classmate of Truman's at Randolph and Kelly Flying School in Texas.

Captain and Mrs. Steven Spencer, presently stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky., Lt. and Mrs. Stirling Spencer, present with Lubrizol Chemical Co. in Houston, and Susan Spencer, a graduate student at U.T.E.P. will spend Christmas with their families in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Dunbar plan to spend Christmas Day in Albuquerque visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunbar and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Navarrete.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farless will

spend Christmas with Mrs. Farless' daughter, Mrs. H. E. Thomas and family in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ramey and two sons, Trey and Ladd of Dallas, Texas, arrived Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ramey's mother, Mrs. L. V. Ladd. Carolyn Ladd of Las Cruces will also be home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whittaker of Albuquerque are the parents of a baby girl born, Monday, December 20th. They have named her Alison Noel. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Whittaker of Charrizozo are the paternal grandparents.



Santa's ringing out jolliest good wishes to all!

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CARRIZOZO

Around Town

By Eleanor Payton

Students home for the Christmas holidays from Eastern N. M. University are: David Lock, Jim Ham, Mark Ellison, Richard O'Brien, Christine Chavez, Julie Narvaez, and Carol Simmons, Donda May, Scott Shafer, Don Ham, Nancy Lawson, Susan and Dan Harkey, are home from N. M. S. U. and Ginger Armstrong, Bobbie, Michael, and Tommie Ortiz, students at U. N. M. are home. Sherri Lee and Leland Jackson, students at Eastern Arizona Junior College at Thatcher, Arizona, are also home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lacey are expecting Bob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lacey of Chicago to spend the Christmas holidays with them, also their daughter, Sue, and their son and his wife, Robert, Jr. and Jan, students at U.N.M. will be here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arcie Barham are expecting their family home for Christmas. Becky Barham, who is teaching in Las Cruces, Gordon and Jan, students at N.M.S.U., and Joel who is home from Roswell where he is attending Vocational School.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Smith of Yuma, Arizona, will be Christmas guests of Mr. Smith's sister Mrs. Nellie Lee Baker. Mrs. Baker's son, Bradley, wife Jan, and their little daughter, Debbie of Santa Rosa will also be Christmas guests of Mr. Baker.

Mrs. D. R. Calcote arrived home Friday from Arvada, Colorado, where she has been recuperating at the home of her brother, Mr. Rex McGwier. Mr. McGwier brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Boyce, Jr. of Mansfield, Ohio, arrived Sunday to spend Christmas with his parents. They flew in to Albuquerque and Mr. and Mrs. Boyce met them there. The fog was so bad in Albuquerque that the plane had difficulty in landing. It circled the airport several times than went on to Phoenix and came back to land.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stearns and two boys will spend Christmas here and then go to Denver, Colorado for a few days visit with Mrs. Stearns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wilson and Rex and Mrs. B. W. Wilson were in Roswell last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. W. Wilson plans to spend Christmas in Lovington with her son, John and family.

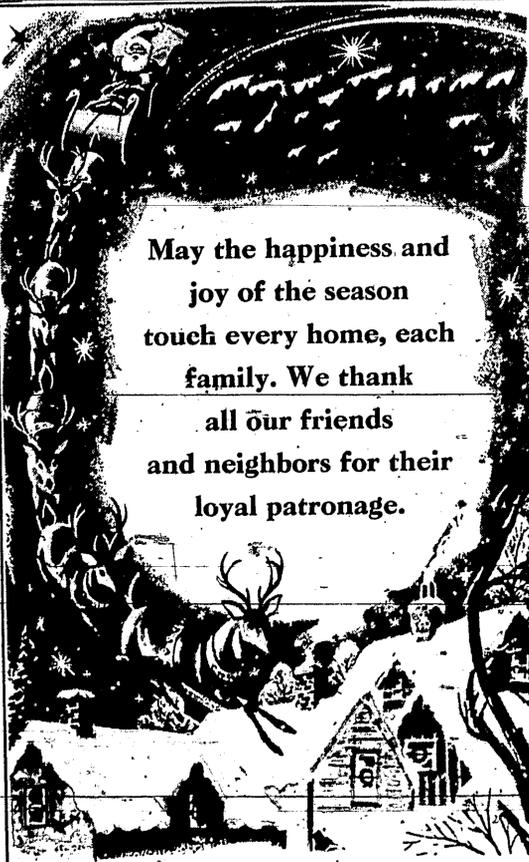
Loretta Rogers who has been attending high school here and staying with her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Appgar, returned to her home Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. S. M. Ortiz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chavez, Christine and Johnny spent Saturday in Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns were in Roswell Saturday to meet their daughter, Mrs. Leon Gibson, Mr. Gibson and their baby daughter, Jonna Sue, who flew in from Meridian, Tennessee for the Christmas holidays. The Gibsons went to House, New Mexico to visit Leon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Biggs, until Christmas Eve when they will come to Carrizozo to spend Christmas with Linda's parents. The Stearns are also expecting their daughter, Judy and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glover of Tullie, Texas for Christmas.

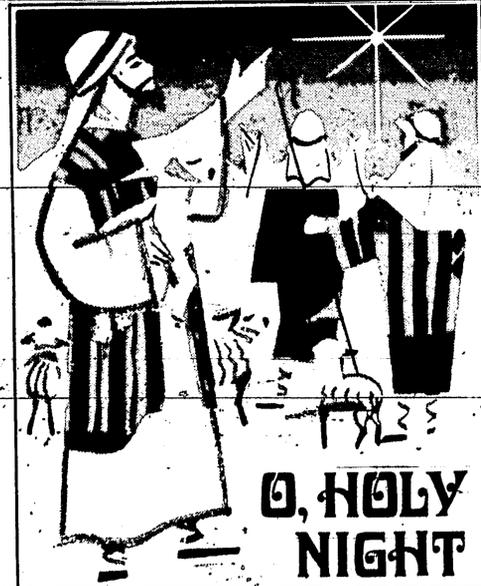
Mrs. Ruth Skidmore of Bellflower, California, is visiting her father, J. F. Fallis this week in Carrizozo.

Col. and Mrs. Ed Bayse visited the Truman Spencer Jr. family last week. Col. Bayse was a



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— Margaret Stearns —
CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO



Across the ages shines the wonder of a Holy Night. May the true meaning of Christmas make your holiday bright.

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May this glorious season reflect the spirit of love in every heart and home.

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Joyous Wishes



May every hour of Christmastide bring increasing happiness to your fireside. Good wishes to all and a sincere thanks for all past courtesies.

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Carrizozo, N. Mex.



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One and All Greetings



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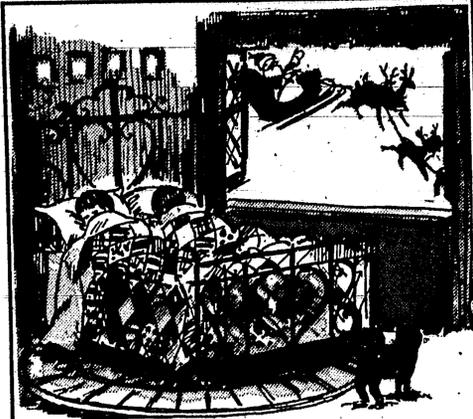
LINCOLN STATION

South Of Corona, N. Mex.

Rotarians and Rotary Anns to Ruidoso

The Carrizozo Rotary Club and their wives met with the Ruidoso Rotarians and Rotary Anns at a dinner on December 9 at the High Country Lodge in Alto. Those making the trip from Carrizozo were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wooten, Mr.

and Mrs. Fred Chavez, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fenter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred English, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payton, and Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Spencer.



'Twas the Night Before Christmas

At this happy moment of the year, we pause to greet you and do wish you a Christmas filled with delight.

GRANNY'S DINNER

South on Highway 54 Carrizozo, N. Mex.

For The Women

By Eleanor Payton

Santa at Xi Beta

Members of Xi Beta Epsilon of Beta Sigma Phi held their annual Christmas party Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sultemeier. Mistletoe and other greens were used throughout the house. The tree was a beautifully decorated Oregon pine. Mr. Sultemeier acted as Santa and passed out the gifts which revealed the names of the year's secret pals. There were conversation and dancing and delicious food including sandwiches, sausages, cheeses, dips, chips, nuts, olives, fruit cake and holiday punch.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Carnell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Perkins, Sherril Perkins, Mrs. Frank Sultemeier, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Tracey, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tyree, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Royce Washburn, Gordon Zucht and the hosts.

CHRISTMAS PARTY IN CLAUDE FOSTER HOME
Gamma Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Claude Foster on Monday December 13th.

A short business meeting was conducted by President Kathy Williams.

Miss Sherril Perkins gave an extremely interesting program about her trip around the world in which she took this summer. She showed slides of Japan, Nepal, India, Pakistan and other points of interest. She also displayed objects representing the different countries she toured.

We were very happy to have as our guest Mrs. Frank Sultemeier, Jr., Mrs. Earl Molder and Miss Perkins.

Everyone enjoyed exchanging gifts and a variety of Christmas refreshments.

Those present were Mmes. Harold Wright, Robert Williams, David Stecker, Tommy Tyree, "Moon" Mullins, Lee Mulkey, Bill Kilgore, Wayne Lightfoot, Clay Crist, Bob Byrd, Randal Burke, Bill Brown, Miss Shirley Daugherty, our guest and hostess.

Pecan sale going good

Xi Beta Epsilon of Beta Sigma Phi held its second December meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. L. L. Carnell. Plans for the Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Melvin Sultemeier were finalized. It was reported that the sale of pecans is going nicely with some nuts still available.

Words for the evening were

importance of the padding, particularly for the woven, tufted, and knitted carpets. Pictures were passed to show different arrangements and floor plans.

Refreshments included candies, nuts, carollers', wassail, cookies, and fruit cake. The table was covered with a Christmas cloth and centered with a large red candle, and mock holly. The holly was a gift from a friend's garden.

Present were Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Rogene Alford, Mrs. Jack Davidson Jr., Mrs. John D. Holleyman, Mrs. R. A. Perkins, Sherril Perkins, Mrs. Frank Sultemeier Jr., Mrs. John Tracey, Mrs. W. T. Tyree Jr., Mrs. Royce Washburn, and Mrs. Carnell. Classes were dismissed at 1:30

p.m. December 21st and will resume Monday morning, January 3rd.

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Joyous Greetings



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DAVE'S CHEVRON

David Ortiz

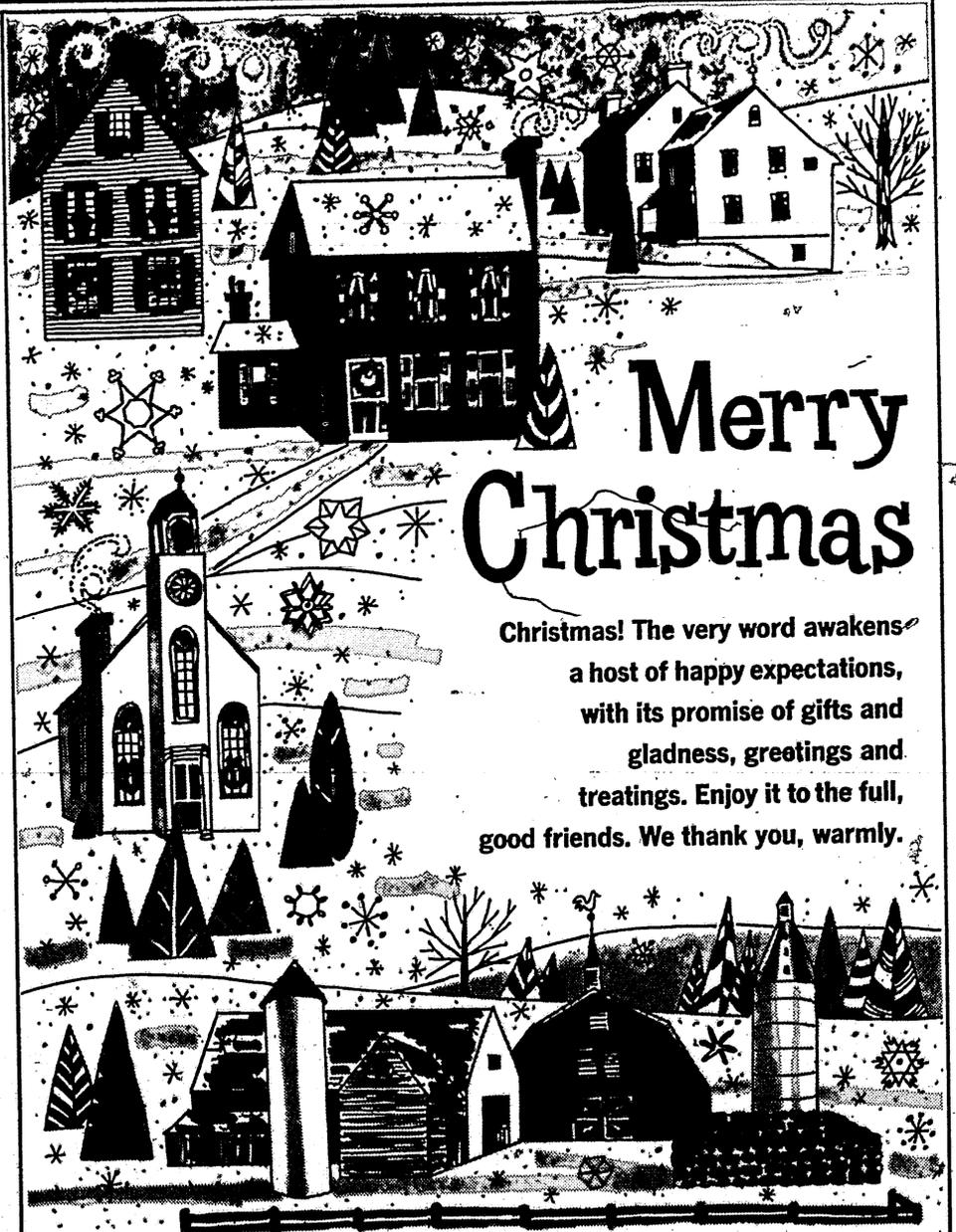
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Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

T.A. SPENCER, JR., PLAINTIFF,
vs.
PAT MURPHY and THELMA WHITE MURPHY, DEFENDANTS.
Cause Number 18799

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Judgment by Default and Final Decree entered on the 13th day of December, 1971, in cause number 8799 in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, entitled T. A. SPENCER, JR., Plaintiff, versus PAT MURPHY and THELMA WHITE MURPHY, Defendants, which was an action to foreclose a mortgage dated July 29, 1969, and filed for record July 31, 1969, and recorded in Book 66 at Pages 202-203 of the Mortgage Records of Lincoln County, New Mexico; said mortgage given by the Defendants PAT MURPHY and THELMA WHITE MURPHY to T. A. SPENCER, JR., covering the real estate below described, the undersigned Special Master will sell at public sale on the 14th day of January, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m., at the North entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real estate situate in Lincoln County, New Mexico, to-wit:

All of the right, title and interest of PAT MURPHY and THELMA WHITE MURPHY, his wife, in and to:

That Part of Lots 1, 9 & 10 lying East of a partition line in Section 25.

The Rhoda Belle Placer Claim, being Lots 3 & 4. Section 25, The Alex M. Lode Mining Claim being in Section 25, The Margaret Placer Claim, being Lot 1 in Section 28.

All in Township 6 South, Range 11 East, N.M.P.M.;

Lots 2, 3, 4, 5 & 9 & NE-4 & NW-4 SE-4. Section 25, Township 6 South, Range 12 East, N.M.P.M.;

EXCEPTING a part of the SE-4 NE-4 conveyed by Carl E. Freeman to Oliver Peaker, described as follows:

Beginning at the SE-4 corner of the SE-4 NE-4 Section 25, thence West 3.38 chs., thence Northeast to Northeast corner of SE-4 NE-4 Section 25, thence South to the place of beginning;

All of Lot 1. Section 30, Township 6 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., EXCEPTING that part conveyed by Carl E. Freeman to Oliver Peaker, lying southeasterly of a line drawn from the Southwest corner to the Northeast corner of said Lot 1;

AND

All of the following lots situate in White Oaks Townsite and Additions:

Lots 1 to 10 both inclusive Block 1,

Lots 1 to 10 both inclusive Block 2,

Lots 1, 2, 3 & 6 to 10 both inclusive Block 3,

Lots 1, 3 & 6 to 10 both inclusive Block 4,

Lots 1 to 10 both inclusive Block 5,

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6 to 10 both inclusive Block 6,

Lots 1, 3, 4 & 6 to 10 both inclusive Block 7,

Lots 1 to 10 both inclusive Block 8,

Lots 1 and 2 Block 9,

Lots 1 and 2 Block 10,

ALL in BUCKHORN ADDITION;

Lots 1 to 8 both inclusive Block 1,

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 to 12 both inclusive Block 2,

Lots 1 to 12 both inclusive Block 3,

Lots 1 to 12 both inclusive Block 4,

Lots 1 to 12 both inclusive Block 5,

ALL in KEMPTON 1st. ADDITION;

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 Block A,

Lots 1 and 2 Block B,

Lots 1 and 2 Block F,

ALL in KEMPTON 2nd ADDITION;

Lots 3 and 8 Block 6,

Lots 1, 2 & 8 Block 8,

Lots 3 Block 9,

HOWEVER EXCEPTING any patented mining claims or portions thereof which might fall within the above described lands;

TOGETHER with all improvements thereon.

THAT out of the proceeds from the sale of said real estate the undersigned will first pay the costs of the sale including a fee of \$50.00 to the Special Master; and out of the remainder of said proceeds, the undersigned shall pay to the Plaintiff T. A. SPENCER, JR., the amount of his Judgment Lien in the sum of \$21,366.44, which includes all interest, attorney's fees and costs due to the date of sale; and any remaining proceeds of such sale shall be paid into the Court for its further order.

That the Plaintiff T. A. SPENCER, JR., is authorized and permitted to bid at said sale and, if the highest and best bidder, to become the purchaser at said sale, and he shall be required to pay cash up to the amount owed him, but shall be required to pay the expenses of advertising and sale including the fee of the Special Master.

That the redemption period after sale shall be one (1) month in lieu of nine months.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1971.

-s-Arsenia Narvaez Special Master
First published in the Lincoln County News - Thursday, December 16, 1971. Last published January 6, 1972.

LEGAL NOTICE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF JUANITA M. ORTIZ and JOAQUIN ORTIZ, SR., Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND REPORT

TO: Salvatore M. Ortiz, Joaquin Ortiz, Jr., Beatrice Ortiz, Leopoldo Ortiz, Jr., Roberto Ortiz, Larry Ortiz, Emma Ortiz, Cecilia Ortiz, Jane Ortiz, Leopoldo Ortiz, Sr., Eugenia Ortiz Vega, Lillian Ortiz, Arthur Ortiz

and all unknown heirs of JUANITA M. ORTIZ and JOAQUIN ORTIZ, SR., deceased; and all persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedents:

GREETINGS:
YOU and each of you are hereby notified that Salvatore M. Ortiz, Executor of the estate of JUANITA M. ORTIZ and JOAQUIN ORTIZ, SR., deceased, has filed in the above entitled Court his Final Account and Report as such Executor, and the Court has set Thursday, the 20th day of January, 1972, in the District Courtroom at the Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., as the day and hour for hearing objections, if any there be, to the approval and settlement of said final Account and Report and the discharge of said Executor and that, at the hour on the day named, the District Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedents, the ownership of their estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

BILL G. PAYNE, Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, is the attorney for the Executor.

WITNESS the Honorable Richard A. Stanley and the seal of this Court the 6th day of December, 1971.

(Seal) -s-Edward Penfield District Court Clerk
First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, December 9, 1971. Last published December 30, 1971.

LEGAL NOTICE IN THE PROBATE COURT NO. 1287 STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN, SS, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ESTOLANO SANCHEZ, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of November, 1971, the undersigned was appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Estolano Sanchez, deceased, in the above named Court, and having qualified as such, anyone having a claim against said estate is hereby notified to file the same within six months from December 23rd, 1971.

-s-Monica Sanchez Administratrix
H. Alfred Jones Attorney for Administratrix Carrizozo, New Mexico
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IN THE PROBATE COURT NO. 1272, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN, SS, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BERTHA GREER, aka, MRS. LESTER GREER, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT OF ADMINISTRATOR
STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Randall Greer, Judy Gallagher, Thomas Frye, William Frye, Valery Frye, and all unknown heirs of Bertha Greer, aka, Mrs. Lester Greer, Deceased, AND to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, **GREETING:**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Randall Greer, Administrator of the estate of Bertha Greer, aka, Mrs. Lester Greer, has filed his Final Report and Account as Administrator of said estate, together with his Petition for Discharge, and for a Determination of heirship of said decedent, and the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico has fixed the 10th day of February, 1972, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the Court House at Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the time, place and day for hearing objections to said Report, at said time and place, the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of those claiming the estate, the ownership of the estate and the interest of each respective claimant therein or thereof, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

is Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico, is the Attorney for the Administrator.
THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object are hereby notified to file their objections with the Court Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, before the time set for hearing.
WITNESS my hand and seal this 17th day of December, 1971.

-s-Alice King Lincoln County Probate Clerk
(Seal)
First published in the Lincoln County News Dec. 23, 1971. Last published Jan. 13, 1972.

IN THE PROBATE COURT NO. 1270, STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN, SS, IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ERMA KATHERINE ADAMS, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT OF EXECUTOR

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: Johnson S. Stearns, Margaret Stearns, Robert J. Stearns, Judith Ann Stearns Glover, Linda Margaret Stearns Gibson, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon, or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent, **GREETING: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Johnson Stearns, Executor of the estate of Erma Katherine Adams, deceased, has filed his Final Report and Account as Executor of said estate, together with his Petition for Discharge, and for the Determination of the heirship of said decedent, and the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, has fixed the 4th day of February 1972, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M. at the Court House, Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the time, place and day for hearing objections to said Report, at said time and place, the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of those claiming the estate, the ownership of the estate and the interest of each respective claimant therein or thereto and the persons entitled to distribution thereof. H. Alfred Jones, whose address is Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico, is the attorney for the Executor.

THEREFORE, any person or persons wishing to object are hereby notified to file their objections with the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, before the time set for hearing.
WITNESS my hand and official seal the 20 day of December, 1971.

Alice King Lincoln County Clerk
By Barbara Lovelace, Deputy (Seal)
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF:

VERA LYNCH CHADWICK SCOTT aka VERA CHADWICK and NELSON JIM CHADWICK aka Nelson Chadwick, deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP
STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

Alexei Cyril Scott, Jim Chadwick, Sybil Luckie Chadwick, Aubrey Rance Chadwick, James Schley Lynch, Audie Lee Lynch, Gary Lee Lynch, Lynda Lee Lynch, and Sandra Sue Lynch; all unknown heirs of Nelson Jim Chadwick, aka Nelson Chadwick, deceased; all unknown heirs of Vera Lynch Chadwick Scott, aka Vera Chadwick, deceased; all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of Nelson Jim Chadwick, aka Nelson Chadwick, deceased; all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of Vera Lynch Chadwick Scott, aka Vera Chadwick, deceased.

GREETINGS:
Alexei Cyril Scott, Administrator, has filed a Petition for Determination of Heirship of Nelson Jim Chadwick and Vera Lynch Chadwick Scott, both

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deceased; and on the 17th day of January, 1972, at 10:00 A.M. at the District Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, the Court will determine the heirship of the decedents, Nelson Jim Chadwick and Vera Lynch Chadwick Scott, the ownership of their estates and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein.
Jennings, Christy & Copple, P. O. Box 1180, Roswell, New Mexico, are the attorneys for the Administrator.
Witness my hand and the seal of District Court this 24th day of November, 1971.

Edward Penfield Clerk of the District Court

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DAVID LEE WINS ORATORICAL CONTEST
David Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Lee of Carrizozo won the local American Legion oratorical contest Wednesday and will be Carrizozo's representative at the Legion district contest which will be held in Carrizozo School on January 18, 1972.

THE FIRST NOEL

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Card of Thanks

We are so very grateful to everyone for their kind expressions of sympathy, the beautiful flowers, the food, and many other kindnesses to all of us in the loss of our loved one, Maggie. We also thank Dr. Spencer, and the nurses, also aides, for kindness and efforts given to her. May the good Lord bless each and everyone.

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read a poem on Keeping Christmas and Frances Degner gave a Christmas Prayer. Refreshments were served and gifts given to the ladies and a delightful afternoon was spent with them.

Those attending besides the guests were: Mrs. Lewis Farris, Mrs. Brack Cornett, Mrs. Wm. Gallacher, Jr., Mrs. Joe West, Mrs. Bert Appar, Mrs. Wm. Gallacher, Sr., Miss Frances Degner and Mrs. John Hein.

**HAPPY HOMEMAKERS HAVE
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**
By Sandra Carfy

The Happy Homemakers 4-H Club held their traditional candlelight installation at the home of Mrs. Truman A. Spencer. The leaders present were Mr. Ralph R. Dunlap, Mrs. Dross and Mrs. T. A. Spencer. As the officers lit

the candles, the girls said the 4-H Pledge and the Creed. After several songs were sang, led by Lois McBride, the girls and leaders were served refreshments.

Christmas Party for 4-H

Happy Homemakers will have their Christmas Party on December 14, at the home of Mrs. T. A. Spencer. Guests are asked to bring a gift. The girls will play games, sing songs, listen to records and dance and have fun around. After the gifts are passed out, the traditional Christmas refreshments will be served.

"Around Town By Eleanor"

Mrs. E. C. Dow is looking forward to having her son, Roy, of Albuquerque and her daughter, Mrs. Esther Lewis home for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lewis and family of Santa Rosa will also be here.

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Cornett expect to have their daughters home for Christmas, Mary Chlene Hemphill of Wichita Falls, Texas and Dolly and Ed Sprouse from Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Degner and Frances will have as their guests on Christmas Day the Degner's son Eugene and his wife, Sharon

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from Alamogordo.

Esther and Frank Hein arrived Saturday from Ft. Mamath, New Jersey to spend Christmas with Frank's mother, Mrs. John Hein and Estler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Samora.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metzger and two daughters of Richardson Texas are expected Thursday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Metzger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King.

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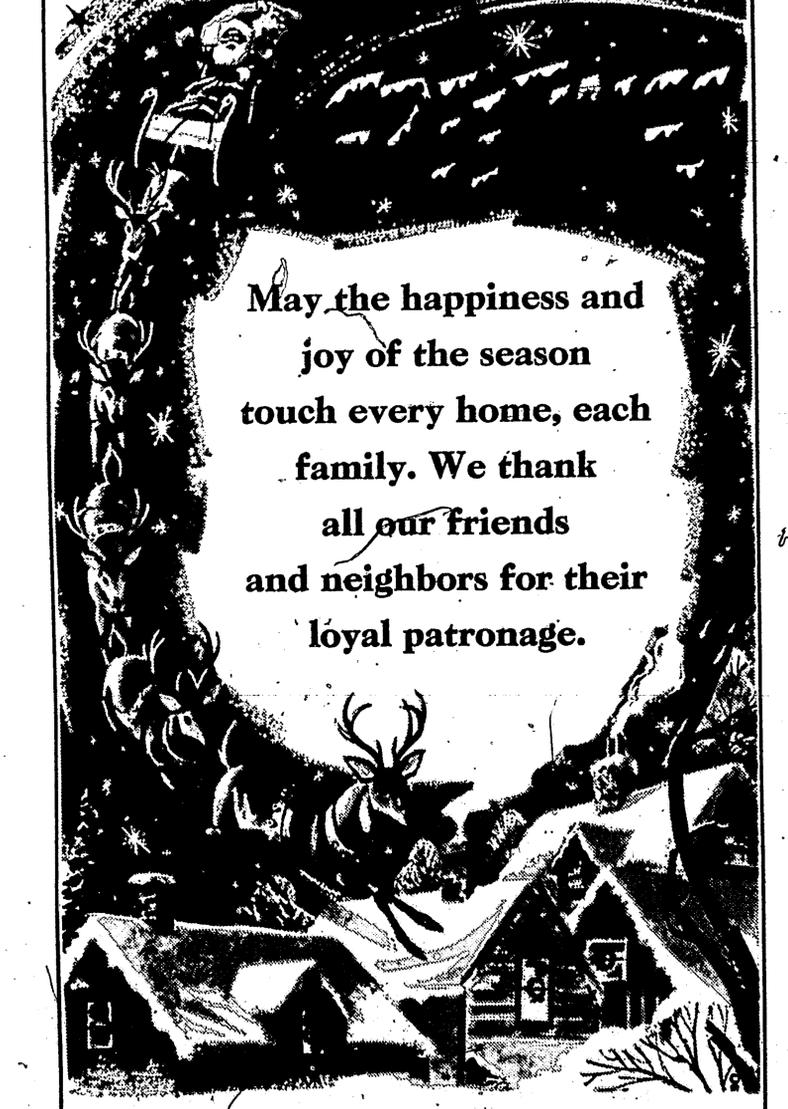
The Women's Society of Christain Service of Trinity Methodist met at the Lincoln County Hospital Annex and had a Christmas party for the following ladies residing there: Mrs. Cora Laird, Mrs. Ora Baldwin, Mrs. Julla E. Henn, Mrs. Estella Withers and Mrs. Nellie Davis.

A Christmas program was given with Mrs. Lewis Farris reading the Scripture and several poems. Mrs. John Hein read the Christmas story, entitled "A Child Is Born." Mrs. Bert Appar

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High Country Lodge is in the midst of all these activities, and it offers many extras of its own. It is located 7,300 feet up the mountain side, in a little place called Alto, New Mexico, beside beautiful Alto Lake. The 32 redwood cabins, each with its own fireplace, are particularly cozy in the winter.

The Lodge is surrounded by the majestic pine and fir trees of the Lincoln National Forest, from which all sorts of wild creatures emerge, timidly or brazenly. The deer are hesitant and curious, but the bears are notorious foragers. Sometimes they are 500-pounders. Often little cubs waddle after them, learning the art of vandalism.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hall are the owners of High Country Lodge. Their sons, Terry and Ron, 19 and 15 years old, are versatile and helpful. Before long they will be part owners, themselves.

Food is understandably important in the High Country, where keen appetites are generated by the crisp air.

"In our restaurant," Mr. Hall says, "we have one of the most famous and beloved chefs in Lincoln County—Mrs. Pearl Soderback. She bakes loaves of bread and homemade pies and cobblers every day. The minute she pulls them out of the oven, it is announced over the speaker system. Guests and neighbors come at once. Her daily luncheon and dinner specials are mouth-watering. Another chef cooks the breakfast since Pearl is too busy baking and preparing for special parties to do it herself." We learned that Mrs. Soderback's cobblers and pies are made from fresh fruit, mostly apricots, cherries and peaches, or from home-preserved fruit picked during a previous season.

"Sometimes the guests like to cook outdoors for themselves," Mr. Hall tells us. "Each unit has an outdoor Bar-B-Q pit. Even when the snow is knee deep, you can see a skier running to and from his pit, cooking steaks outside to eat inside by the fireplace. Sipping hot spiced cider is also a favorite evening pastime."

All the units have indoor kitchenettes, electrically equipped. Guests who prefer to do their own cooking may find the food supplies they need in the village, just five miles down the mountain.

The Sierra Blanca Ski Area has 22 trails and is owned by the Apache Indians. "Guests from Europe say it is comparable to skiing in Austria and Switzerland," Mrs. Hall told us. "The only difference is that you snack on warm squaw bread, not fondue. The Texans flock here by the



A small portion of the area in which the main buildings are located. The restaurant caters to private parties for as many as 200 people.



Everyone enjoys the delicious bread Mrs. Pearl Soderback bakes. Miss Sharon Wilson, a young neighbor, is an eager recipient.

thousands each winter. They ski with big cowboy hats on their heads. We are waiting for them to mount cowboy boots on their skis! They are great, fun-loving guests."

At the Lodge, the guests enjoy an indoor, heated swimming pool and sauna baths. Tennis and archery are mild-weather sports and there are hay rides in the fall.

The large recreation room is a favorite meeting place and over the fireplace a picture of a St. Bernard dog is prominently displayed with the name "Beauregard" beneath it. The dog is one of three mascots, which the owners refer to as "The Saints," all much petted, greatly admired objects of affection.

During the Christmas season, the guests may get permission from the Federal Forest Service to cut a tree in a designated area for \$1.00. They all decorate their units and Christmas Eve is the most beautiful time of the year in High Country. Carols are played from the central music system of the Lodge, both inside and out. Other favorite records include yodeling. The music reverberates over the mountain side.

The High Country is, indeed, an invigorating, exciting place to be and the Christmas music at Ruidoso's High Country Lodge and Restaurant is only one of many attractions that seem to beckon the tourist.

Mrs. Leon Erramouspe of Corona, N. M., has graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando.

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Fla. He is a 1971 graduate of Corona High School.

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Your Weekly Horoscope

Dec. 25-Dec. 31
Aries (March 21-April 19): On first day, you have flash-of-intuition which helps you make decision, Ari. Then you relax. But



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Alamogordo, N. Mex.

December 21): Hang on Saj. You're in for a busy, busy week. Unusual opportunity is presented. Follow your hunches, for they will be strong and correct. You take best advantage of situation by listening to your inner voice - and your heart. As last day ends, love begins.

Capricorn (December 22-January 19): Loved ones welcome you, Cap. You have unusual talent to spread joy. Do so. Take one who has been most generous into your confidence. You've had some rather tacky weeks in the year past, but this one ends on a note of hope. So keep the faith, baby.

Aquarius (January 20-February 19): Travel highlighted. Map plans with car. Olga predicts the unpredictable will happen. But you, Aquari, will relish every crazy minute. Sweetness of friendship offered before week is over. Could be rare relationship based on laughter and the sharing of mutual pleasures.

Pisces (February 19-March 20): Relax on first day, and batteries will re-charge. Reunion scheduled by mid-week. Confused message is sent to you. You decode correctly. On last day, dine leisurely, drink moderately, but love with abandon. Happy New Year, Pisces my pet.

Cadet Peebles Promoted

One Claunch, NM youth was among the sixty-nine New Mexico Military Institute cadets who received promotions in cadet rank this past weekend. Promoted by special order of Colonel Eben R. Wyles, USA, (Ret.), Acting Superintendent, was Cadet Master Sergeant Marshall Albert Peebles, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Maxwell.

Plan ahead for calls to Servicemen

Mountain Bell today reminded the families and friends of American servicemen in Vietnam to plan ahead for holiday telephone calls between the two countries.

"If you have holiday greetings to exchange by phone with a relative or friend in Vietnam,

arrange to have him place the call from there," suggested Wesley Lindsay, manager here for Mountain Bell.

Mr. Lindsay said that trying to reach a particular serviceman quickly by calling from the United States is close to impossible. Servicemen are likely to be on duty or stationed in remote areas where they're extremely difficult to locate, he explained.

To minimize these difficulties, special arrangements have been made again this year to permit servicemen to call home at the times most convenient for them.

The U. S. O., the military, the Bell System and communications people in South Vietnam, Hong Kong and Guam, will be working together to simplify the calling and permit the maximum number of men to talk.

Many servicemen call from the U. S. O. center in downtown Saigon, but calls also can be placed from a number of hospitals and service centers at bases elsewhere in the country.

Mr. Lindsay also advised that families and friends of Americans stationed in other

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 Southeast Asian countries to make arrangements for them to originate their holiday telephone calls, since they too are often difficult to locate.
 Vietnam is 11 hours ahead of New Mexico clocks.

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Christmas Blessings

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The San Patricio Snake Killers

By Harry M. Bartlett
 "The worst accident I ever suffered was a broken right arm, the result of riding into a backhand." For a short time nationally known artist Peter Hurd rested his paintbrushes and reminisced about his polo playing exploits. Half sitting, half



from cadets' quarters at the end of the school year. Ponies were small and tough, seldom over 14-2 hands. A conglomeration of old flat saddles and a collection of helmets in off sizes Hurd bought while visiting in New York City rounded out their equipment. At first, games initiated among local horsemen, whose curiosity about the cloud of dust drifting skyward lured them to the polo field. However, as the prominence of the Snake Killers increased and the caliber of their game improved, other more organized teams invaded the Lincoln County community.

Perhaps the best description of those early games is seen in the rules, devised tongue in cheek, by Eric Knight: "No more than 15 players on the field at one time; no guns or knives allowed; if a player becomes unseated, it shall be considered unsportsmanlike to club him while on the ground."

Horses have always been an exciting diversion for Peter Hurd, and polo is his only athletic endeavor. He first played the game in the 1920's when, while studying painting in Philadelphia, he belonged to B Troop, 103rd Pennsylvania Cavalry.

Today Hurd owns 24 horses—polo ponies, foals, and broodmares. These are better bred and considerably larger than the ponies used earlier.

Hurd no longer trains the horses, a process that may require as many as four years. Hurd's neighbor and team captain, Tom Babers, conducts the training with the assistance of Hurd's 25-year-old son Michael. However, the landscape painter is ever ready for a few chuckers of polo.

Polo at San Patricio is completely orthodox now. The players exhibit greater skill, the sidelines and end lines of the field are easily distinguishable, and regulation-type goalposts have replaced the bales of hay.

The San Patricio team is a member of the U.S. Polo Association. Several tournaments sponsored by this organization have been held at the Snake Killers' field. Last year they were the winners of the Inter-circuit Tournament at Scottsdale, Ariz., returning with an impressively huge trophy to be held until again put up for competition.

Teams from El Paso; Juarez, Mexico; Midland, Tex.; San Antonio; Albuquerque; and Denver have played at San Patricio. Through their love of horses and determination to play polo, Hurd and his teammates have proven that the game need not be reserved for the wealthy.

The railroads are in such bad shape these days that if Jesse James were alive he wouldn't bother to rob one.

Sure, women live longer than men. It takes them that much longer to make up their minds where they want to go.

1912 piano plays again

The problem of what kind of music to have for the Statehood Commemoration Reception in Santa Fe January 6 was settled this week.

The music will be provided by a 1912 player piano. Michael Weber, curator of history at the Museum of New Mexico, located the old piano in a storage room in the basement of the Museum.

It still plays—somewhat out of tune and a bit tinny, but it was sweet music to the ears of the Commemoration Commission.

A note in Editor Jack Sitton's column in the Santa Fe New Mexican located a piano tuner in Los Alamos with a hobby of old pianos.

The old piano will be put back into 1912 condition and on the afternoon of January 6, using the original old music rolls, found in the basement, will click out the old tunes that were popular when New Mexico became a State.

ROSSELL SAVINGS & LOAN OPENS OFFICE IN RUIDOSO

Savings and Loan Supervisor, Snider Campbell, of the New Mexico Department of Banking, after holding hearings relating to the opening of a savings and loan association branch office in Ruidoso, New Mexico, has approved the application of the Roswell Savings and Loan Association—William A. McAlpine, Jr., President of Roswell Savings and Loan, states that a local group of architects is completing the plans for a new and modern facility to be en-

trally located on Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso. Construction will begin in the very near future with the opening estimated for late spring or early summer.

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A despondent old gentleman emerged from his club and climbed into his limousine.

"Where to, sir?" asked the chauffeur.

"Drive off a cliff, James. I'm committing suicide."

PEACE

With deep sincerity, we send Christmas greetings and best wishes to all.

Alamo Boarding Kennels
 2506 White Sands Blvd.,
 Alamogordo 437-9140
 Alice Copeland, Owner

Joy at Christmas

We're on our way... to wish you the merriest Christmas ever.

Etcetera Boutique
 1109 10th Street
 Alamogordo, New Mexico

reclining on a chaise longue in his San Patricio, N.M., studio, he talked about cow pasture polo on bonecrusher field. Despite the injurious sounding term, Hurd admits that most accidents were not serious.

Although the name Peter Hurd stands for a talent with brush and canvas, the artist is an accomplished horseman. On weekend afternoons from April to October, Hurd demonstrates his skill with a polo mallet, to the delight of motorists who frequently pause along Highway 70 to watch the action.

From modest, unorthodox beginnings, polo at San Patricio has grown into an institution. It all began one summer day in 1935 when a young cavalry captain stopped at the artist's ranch on his return to Roswell from a game in El Paso. While Hurd, the captain, an easterner named Chico, and Eric Knight, a close friend, enjoyed cool drinks, the discussion turned to polo.

With his ranch, Hurd had acquired a few saddle horses and one of the few flat pieces of land not under cultivation in the valley. Recognizing this, the captain suggested they take up cow pasture polo.

It took but a few minutes to reach the field, once the site of a pre-Columbian village. They cleared away some prickly pear cactus before the four of them engaged in an impromptu scrimmage, using the captain's mallets and polo balls. Bales of hay served as goal posts.

Thus, in the foothills of the White Mountains on a 700 by 400-foot, grassy, gently rolling field, the San Patricio Snake Killers originated (they looked more like they were killing snakes than playing polo).

"I'm afraid," said Hurd, "we played with more youthful enthusiasm than skill." The polo spirit lassoed them regardless of their style. Of course, the captain had neglected to mention one important ingredient—money. In those depression days Hurd eked out a living from writing and painting, and could hardly afford expensive equipment.

Boldly the New Mexico native and his fellow enthusiasts scrounged used polo balls after games at Roswell's New Mexico Military Institute. Mallets were procured from a janitor who boasted a cache he'd collected

GREETINGS

As the children nestle down to Christmas dreams, we extend happy wishes to you and your family.

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Merry Christmas

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Merry Christmas

Happy holidays! Hope they're packed with spirited, fun times and lots of special Christmas cheer.

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GREETINGS

The days of yesteryear live on with every new Christmas season. May you enjoy your holidays with that good-old-time happy spirit.

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Greetings

We're dashing off to wish one and all a joy-filled holiday.

BARBARA'S HOUSE OF FLOWERS
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Yuletide Greetings

"We wish you a Merry Christmas." The carolers' refrain expresses our thoughts.

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Joy at Christmas

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- Buttermilk Biscuits Pillsbury 10 Count Can 11¢
- Ivory Liquid 10 Free Ounces 32 Oz. Bottle 87¢
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Lb.
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Canned Hams Hormel, Lean, Boneless, Fully Cooked 5 Lb. Can. \$5.49
Canned Hams Wilson Tender Made Lean, Fully Cooked 3 Pound Can. \$3.69
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