

Famed Tres Ritos ranch for sale

by LYMAN JONES

THREE RIVERS -- A famous and historic Tularosa Basin ranch -- perhaps the area's most famed and colorful -- is for sale.

It is Hacienda Tres Ritos -- the Three Rivers Ranch owned by Thomas F. Ryan, III, himself about as colorful and as well known as the ranch he operates.

Ryan confirmed this week that the ranch is for sale -- even as he scotched rumors that a sale had already been consummated with a Texas development syndicate bent on dividing the huge property for a resort-type operation.

Ryan said he is negotiating with a "major contractor" for sale of the ranch. He did not identify either the firm or its location.

He indicated talks had been going on for some time, but emphasized that "nobody's signed anything yet."

Ryan, a man as merry as a leprechaun and graceful and hospitable as Tuesday's child, recited some of the history of the 60,000-acre ranch he acquired for \$90,000 in 1941.

The present ranch is a piece of a once much-larger Three Rivers property once owned by Albert B. Fall, the Harding Secretary of the Interior who went to federal prison in connection with the Teapot Dome scandal.

After Fall lost the place, it was acquired by interests headed by Edward L. Doheny of Pan American Oil Company, a Falls crony and one of those he was subsequently accused of favoring in the Teapot naval oil contract scandals.

The Doheny firm sold the ranch to the Palomas Cattle Company.

This company eventually sold it to such well-known Basin cattlemen as Will Ed Harris, Jesse York, A. D. Brownfield and Truman Spencer.

The "big Four" disposed of it in pieces, Ryan acquiring one of these, the headquarters area where Fall himself lived.

Ryan tore down the old Fall house -- all but a wing that was once Fall's library.

Ryan, although he grew up and went to school in the East, considers himself a Southwesterner.

He was born in Chihuahua, Mexico, where his father, W. K. Ryan, had railroad interests.

Ryan recalled he began as a cattleman in the 1920s, buying cattle in the United States and taking them, with partners, to Mexico for sale. "Nobody else would bother with all the customs regulations," he said.

Later, he met the late Oliver Lee, a legendary figure of New Mexico Territory and an early statehood days.

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Malpais arachnids under scrutiny



AGELENOPOSIS APERTA -- The "grass spider" of the Malpais, near Carrizozo, a territory-defending spider under study by Miss Susan Riechert of the University of Wisconsin.

Miss Riechert is in the midst of a second-summer study of the spider, its use as a destroyer of harmful insects now being controlled by poisons.

There is a lady possessed, in a sense, of arachnids at work in the black-lava Malpais north of Carrizozo and if that sounds like the opener of a horror movie, you couldn't be wrong, as they say.

Arachnids are spiders and the lady in question is a pretty, young blond candidate for a doctorate at the University of Wisconsin -- Susan Riechert of Milwaukee.

She's working with grants from the American Association of University Women and the National Geographic Society. Previously, in Wisconsin and in New Mexico, she has been funded by the University of Wisconsin Zoological Museum and the UW Graduate School.

The "spider lady," who once abhorred what is now her chief interest, is an ecology major and it is partially because of her inquiries into that discipline that she spends long, hot days scrambling up and around the gritty flanks of the Malpais' piled-up lava.

Spiders, for example, may offer a pollution-free method for controlling insect pests, thus obviating any need for poisons.

And spiders that can "make it," so to speak, that can survive the harsh stresses of existence in an environment like that of the Malpais, may furnish clues for helping man -- in his increasing numbers -- to learn new survival techniques, perhaps, even, on another planet.

Miss Riechert picked the Malpais because it has a heavy population of a spider whose true name is "Agelenopsis aperta," more popularly known as the "grass" or "funnel-web" spider.

Basketball coach wanted at Zozo

Carrizozo school board met last week with a book full of problems needing solution, one being the hiring of a man to serve as assistant football coach and coach-varsity and girls basketball, plus 7-8-9 football, drivers ed. No action taken on this matter.

One other teaching position was open, that of half-time home economics and science teacher. Mrs. Willa Stone, former Willa Edgar of Capitan, was hired to fill this position. Mrs. Stone taught at Vaughn two years, is a graduate of N.M. State.

The board approved hiring of Mrs. Brenda Gossett as third grade teacher and Mrs. Winiferil Wilmore as language teacher in mid-school.

The resignation of Gerald Burns was accepted. He will coach varsity football at Dexter this year.

The decision was made for Carrizozo school to drop from the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools because it is impossible for Carrizozo to meet all criteria of the association.

Bus routes were approved. The administration was asked to draw up a youth involvement plan for school board meetings. Student handbook discussed.

Carrizozo will participate in the state tournament for girls basketball this year, held in February in Albuquerque same time as the boys tournament.

Teacher aides will be interviewed on August 17. Hiring of luncheon personnel was discussed, and method of purchasing petroleum products. Items priced under \$50 will be dropped from the school inventory.

The school has purchased three lots from Frank English, east of the school. Appliance exchange program was explained to the board. Title I Part C has bank balance of \$438.

Last order of business was oral resignation by board member Paul Ortiz. No action taken pending resignation in writing from Mr. Ortiz.

Good seats for state fair rodeo

ALBUQUERQUE -- Because of the strong interest in seats for the all-state rodeo coming up at the 1972 New Mexico State Fair, ticket offices at the fairgrounds will start staying open on Saturdays, in addition to regular weekdays.

Fair Manager Finlay Mac Gillivray said the ticket offices would be open each Saturday, starting this weekend (August 12).

He said they will be open this Saturday from 9

a.m. to 2 p.m. and they are open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The fair officials said the Saturday hours are to provide a service for those persons who cannot obtain tickets on weekdays, due to their work schedules.

Mac Gillivray also reported that, despite rumors to the contrary, there are plenty of good seats available for all 10 nights of the popular rodeo.



SUSAN RIECHERT -- at work in her University of Wisconsin office, surrounded by jars containing 40,000 spiders. Miss Riechert, a UW doctor of philosophy candidate, has spent two summers studying spiders indigenous to the black lava country of the Malpais north of Carrizozo.

Agelenopsis, Miss Riechert says, "builds a flat web over the ground with a funnel leading from its web to some protected spot.

"The funnel serves in several capacities -- as the spider's house, food cache, and for humidity and temperature control."

Miss Riechert believes she has determined that Agelenopsis occupies a "territory," respected by its fellows -- no grass spider ever builds its web, she has found, within four feet of another's web -- even though another species of spider builds webs and hunts between those of the grass species.

Miss Riechert's work this year aims at determining what role a population of spiders plays in its environment taken as a whole -- what kinds, how many insects it eats, the amount of energy it supplies, in inexorable turn, to its own predators.

Thus can be determined whether a grass spider might be used as biological weapon against unwanted insects now controlled by pesticides.

It is already evident, Miss Riechert says, that this kind of control of insect populations cannot be so simple a matter as gathering up a mass of grass spiders and dumping them on a farm and expecting this to control its pests.

"Species must be selected that prey upon a specific insect pest present and that will accept the plant type they are supposed to protect as a home.

"Since most spiders are cannibalistic, more social species should be chosen so that they can survive under the crowded conditions that may be necessary to control insect pests."

In a written summary of her 1971 work in the Malpais, the "spider lady" put the importance of her work like this:

"I guess the obvious question is of what importance is this study. Besides the fact that I enjoy doing the work and find the results interesting. The ultimate goal is to obtain some much needed information for biological pest control.

"If we know the optimum densities under which a spider species thrives, how it is coupled to its environment, and what determines how much and what it eats, then we can make some attempting chemical pesticides with this polyphagous predator in insect control."

It is a quantum leap -- but the information the young Wisconsin scientist seeks may, conceivably, lead to vast improvements in the quality of life for man."

Weather Report

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August 9	87	54
August 10	87	52
August 11	88	50
August 12	90	56
August 13	89	57
August 14	87	60
August 15	86	60

'ROUND THE CAPITOL

by FRED BUCKLES

SANTA FE -- A 28-member New Mexico delegation will head for Miami Beach this weekend for the National Republican Convention opening a 3-day stand Monday.

Alternates on the delegation include Dr. Thomas M. Prescott, 52, of Tumcumcari; Dr. Prescott's son Michael, 20, and Paul Alan Fell, 21, of Deming.

Dr. Prescott recently bought a motor home 27 feet long for the long trip to Miami Beach. Last weekend he was still making alterations and was unsure whether he would drive the big unit to Florida.

The New Mexico delegation hotel is 12 miles north of Convention Hall. If the Prescott motor home goes to Miami Beach, it could provide needed transportation to convention sessions.

Five of the 14 New Mexico delegates are women. Included is Mrs. Juanita Marcus

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Ambulance buy is delayed

Carrizozo town council opened bids for purchase of new ambulance at its August meeting. No bid was accepted and the matter taken under advisement. Lincoln County Motors bid, 14,375.00, Tyro Safety Co. of Cimarron 14,375.00, Thunderbird Sale made three bids, 15,686.44, 16,568.44 and 14,136.68.

Transfer of liquor license from John Vlahovic to Raymond Sanchez was approved. Arnold Boyce was reappointed to serve on the Capitan-Carrizozo natural gas board. Bills were paid.

Present at this meet was Mayor Johnson Stearns, Councilmen Earl Fenter and Duff May; Atty. Bill Payne, Fire Chief Bud Payne, Marshal Choncho Morales and Clerk Nellie Lee Baker.

A special meeting was held August 10 to discuss request from Joe West for land around TV tower and highway frontage. The council agreed to stay with its original long-term lease. Request of installation of electric substation on B Avenue across from tennis court was heard. The electric people were invited to be present at the next meeting of the council.

Hospital Report

Aug. 9 Petra Sandoval, Aug. 11 Mollie Bosh, Nogal, 14, Cresencia Osorio, Ferris Gresham. Discharges: Aug. 9 Rose Harkey, Aug. 11 Herbert Trailer, Roswell, Aug. 12 Petra Sandoval.



MASSIVE WALLS of the ruined mission at Quarai State Monument near Punta de Agua in Torrance County provide a perfect backdrop for the 200-300 persons who attended the candlelight mass at the ancient site last Saturday evening.

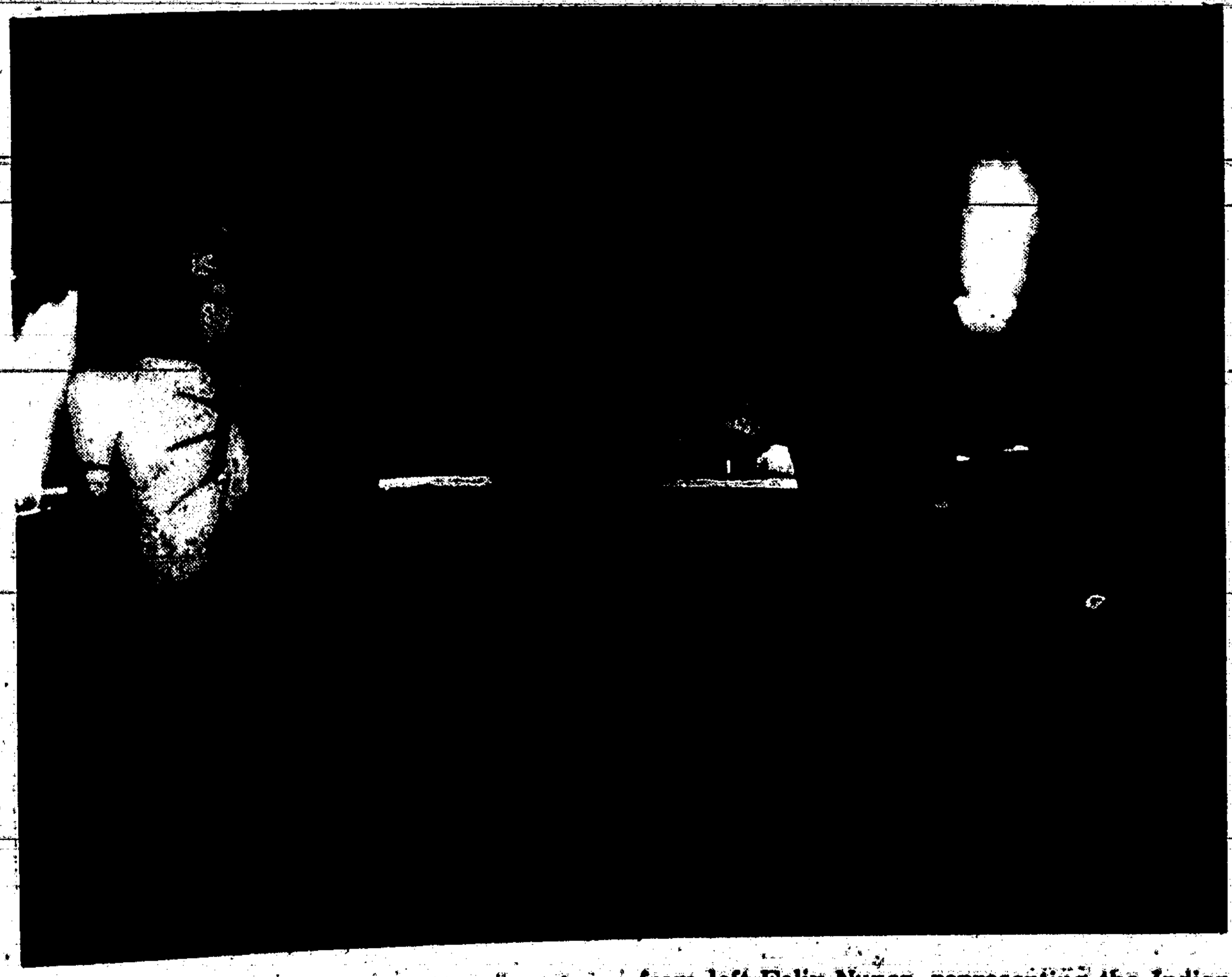
Quarai mass first in three centuries

An impressive torchlight procession and candlelight mass were conducted Saturday evening at the Quarai State Monument in conjunction with the annual Fiesta Mass at the Punta de Agua Catholic Church. Between 200 and 300 persons assembled at the Punta de Agua Chapel at 8:00 p.m. and, after a brief service there, walked by torch light to the site of the Quarai Mission Ruins where a candlelight service was recited by the Reverend Father C. Joseph Doyle.

A lovely, starlit evening added to the beauty of the event with musicians playing guitars, accordions, and singing Spanish melodies while riding in horse-drawn farm wagons.

It was probably the first time in approximately three hundred years that the Quarai Mission had been used for such a service: Experts place the abandoning of the mission between 1670 and 1674. The mission had been used regularly for about 40 years with mass said usually every morning, and often at other times during the day, by the founding Franciscan Priests.

Following the service Saturday evening, light refreshments were served under the gigantic cottonwoods south of the ruins.



CANDLELIGHT MASS was recited by the Reverend Father C. Joseph Doyle (center) Saturday, August 12, in the ruins of the Quarai mission near Punta de Agua. Assisting him are from left Felix Nunez, representing the Indian culture, Roy Nunez, assisting at the altar, and Alfonso Lopez, representing the Franciscan Priests. (Photo by Bob Klintworth)

For The Women

by Eleanor Payton

Corona ladies at arts & crafts fair

For their annual club trip a group of Corona Extension Club ladies attended the arts and crafts fair recently held in Albuquerque. A tour of Old Town and lunch at the La Placita were part of the agenda. Rain cut the trip a bit short at the arts and crafts exhibits but a most enjoyable trip was reported. Those making the trip were:

Mary O'Brian, Arabelle Molker, Jo Hiner, Ruby Davidson, Gladys Keelin, Lucille Penix, Susan Huey, Vera Cato, Juanita Sultemeier, Denese Bird, June Tyree, Birdie Burke and Johnnie Bond.

Mrs. Brown of Mountainair invited the Corona Extension group to attend the "Torrance County Craftorama", on Friday August 18th, 10 am to 5 pm in Estancia. The ladies are ask to bring crafts to show or sell. Lunches may be purchased in the area.

Mrs. Chilton from Mountainair will be program leader for the August 24th meeting of the Corona Extension Club. Her program will be on the making of Ojos. Guests are welcome.

Around Town

Mrs. Ernestine Germany returned last Tuesday from Jacksonville, Florida where she spent the summer with her son and family. One of her summer experiences was to experience the hurricane that hit Jacksonville, although it was not too bad in their area. The call of the southwest brought her back two weeks before school starts. She will be teaching second grade again this year.

Mrs. S. A. Appgar returned last Wednesday from a vacation spent in Red River with Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hurley and their daughter Donna. On the home trip she visited with her son and family at Los Alamos.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Osborne of El Paso were in Carrizozo last weekend on business and visiting friends. Mrs. Osborne is the former Myrtle White. Ricky White is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barnes for a couple of weeks.

Dan Armstrong who has been at the Naval Training station in Orlando, Florida, flew into Albuquerque and spent the weekend with his wife Glenda and baby daughter. He is being transferred to Corpus Christi, Texas.

Mr. Orin Strobel and son, Stephen, of Bucklin, Kansas, visited the Paul Paytons last weekend. Mr. Strobel is publisher of the Bucklin Banner. Mrs. E. C. Dow returned last week from El Paso, Texas, where she had been visiting relatives. Her son, Earl Dow and family of Colorado Springs are visiting her now.

The Town and Country Bridge Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Withers. Following a one o'clock luncheon the afternoon was spent at bridge. Mrs. L. W. Harte received high score and Mrs. Alton Whittaker, second high.

State Policeman, Andrew Benevisez left Tuesday for Gallup where he was on special assignment during the Indian Ceremonials. He returned to Carrizozo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Spencer Jr. and Mrs. Loyd Harte were guests of Mrs. Carl Meriwether for lunch at Alto Country Club after church services on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shafer, Scott and Billy Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Slernes, and Miss Rose Mary Casabonne of Hobbs enjoyed a fishing trip last week near Alpine, Arizona. They report lots of fun and good luck at fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mitchell and family of Benton, Arkansas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jaoy Barnes last week. The two ladies are sisters. Janet Barnes who had been visiting in Benton accompanied them to Carrizozo. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Barnes joined the group for a picnic at Valley of Fires Park.

Mrs. Wm. Gallacher, Sr., Wm. Gallacher, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Wally Ferguson and family are in Arizona this week on a fishing trip.

Scott Shafer is in Logan, Utah, this week where he is a delegate to the National Convention of the AGR Fraternity. On his return he will go to Las Cruces where he has been awarded an assistant professorship at N. M. State University and will also work on his Master's Degree in genetics.

Ginger Armstrong is in Albuquerque this week arranging for enrollment for her second year at N.M.U.

Mr. and Mrs. James Steinpreis were in Las Vegas last weekend visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Florian and baby son returned last week from Decatur, Texas, where they visited Mrs. Florian's mother. Mr. Florian will teach in the Carrizozo Schools again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCollaum and children, Eva and Brian of Estancia visited in Carrizozo last Wednesday with the Bob Curtiss family and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McGregor of Houston, Texas, arrived last Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chisholm and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Eaker. Mrs. McGregor is a sister of Mr. Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wooten returned Friday from Roswell where Mr. Wooten has been a patient at Eastern New Mexico Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacVeigh returned last week from a vacation trip. The 2,200 mile trip took them to Las Vegas, Nevada, Hoover Dam, the Grand Canyon and back through Utah and Colorado.

Out of town relatives here for the funeral of Mr. R. E. Lemon last Thursday included Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lemon of Falls Church, Virginia, Marilyn Simak, Las Cruces, Don Queen, Las Cruces, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lee and son of Tyrone.

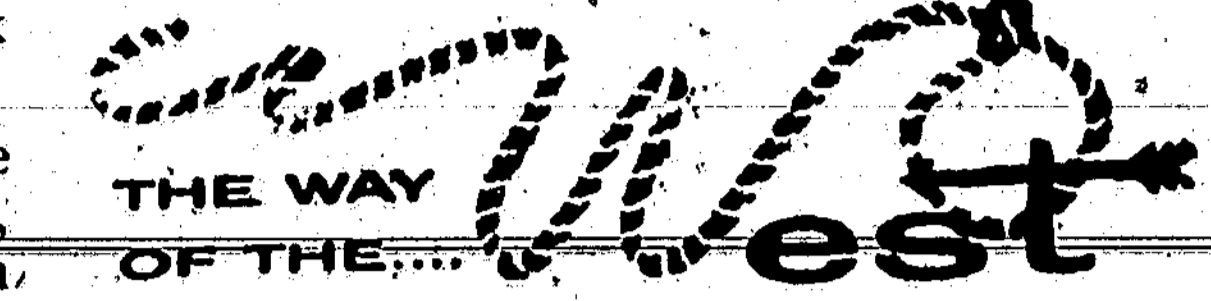
Grandchildren in Griffin Family

Mrs. Clarencé Griffin of Alamogordo was in Delta, Colorado recently getting acquainted with a new granddaughter, Amy, born July 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Griffin. Garvin and Clarencé, Jr., operate a Lomix business in Delta. Right after that trip she went to Chandler, Arizona, for another new arrival, a grandson named Trey, born August 6, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Griffin. Their great grandmother is Mrs. Cleve Griffin of Corona.

The other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bagwell in Rodeo, N. M.

Mrs. Maggie Jump had as her guests last Sunday her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. and Dorothy Robinson of Socorro.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hayes were in Albuquerque Saturday and Sunday where they attended a school of instruction for the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary.



We heard four young ladies talk about their activities recently and part of the discussion was on a favorite subject - home remedies. Won't be surprising to a lot of old-timers what you can do with baking soda, but might surprise the younger generation. Like... wash fish or onion odor from hands with baking soda, or keep box of baking soda in your car to extinguish engine fires, and lots of other soda uses such as cleaning grease stains from rugs or most anything in the house. The speakers were Wilda McKinley on making Ojo de Dios, Mona Payne on poisons in home, Deborah Vega and Lois McBride on use of baking soda.

Could be a lot of Carrizozo people noticed their lights or electrical appliances dimming Tuesday afternoon. It happened in the News office with serious results. The power supply assembly on

our Compugraphic keyboard blew which flat put that machine out of business, maybe for two or three weeks. Besides being expensive, makes our work hours long with just one keyboard in operation. Can't have everything perfect but sure wish we had better controls on our electrical system.

Friend up at Conchas Lake served us some Royal Dutch beer, first real beer we've tasted in years. Came right home and poured out another brand for the dogs - they wouldn't drink it either.

That guy on TV all the time talking about cattails being edible then going into pitch on grapenuts, leaves us wondering why he doesn't eat cattails for breakfast.

Month or two ago Otis got in bad fight, neighbor saw big dog in the area. Last week it happened again only this time Waldo had his ear chewed and Otis' lost couple of patches of skin. May be that Otis and Waldo aren't friends any more.

His short unhappy life ended at 47. The widow, inconsolable at first, finally got a dog to ease the loneliness. The sorrow mellowed as she became more attached to the dog. "She's happy because she has gotten back into her old pattern of living," reported a neighbor. "That dog is a perfect substitute for her husband. He is out all day, sleeps all evening, and she feeds him out of tin cans," the neighbor said.

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Carrizozo is rapidly losing its links with past that includes a lot of history in White Oaks and the Lincoln County area. Ray Lemon was such a pioneer. He was here when passenger business was big on the railroad, when highways were dirt or gravel, when mining was going at White Oaks, and Carrizozo more of a going town than at present. Besides all that Ray Lemon was a fine gentleman, friend of all who knew him and a good citizen of Lincoln County.

Hiring a basketball coach will probably be done after school is in session, doesn't seem possible now.

Congratulations to G. L. Straley of Ancho and Carlos Pacheco of Tinnie, big winners in the district 4-H contest at Clovis.

Swiped from Duffy - The honeymoon is over when a man discovers his wife is not made to order.

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'Around Corona'

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman have recently returned from Dayton O, Ohio, where they attended an Army reunion of John D's squadron. On the way home they stopped off and visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells in Chicago.

Karen Holleyman went to the National High School Finals in Henderson, Colorado, Near Denver with the Pete Garnett family. New Mexico did well in the Finals and placed in several events and took seven contestants to the Top Ten in the Finals. Karen really enjoyed the rodeo.

Karen Holleyman won the goat tying at the NMJRA this week-end at Melrose with a 12.49 and Loh Holleyman and Ty Herring of Albuquerque won fourth in the team roping with a 17.16. Bunk Mullins won fifth in the 16-19 tie down with a 14.80 and also fifth in the team roping with John Stallard of Fort Sumner with a 22.49. The All-Around Cowboy went to Bud Bell of Clovis and Wandá Blackburn of Melrose won the All-Around Cowgirl. Buckles were awarded to the event winners and saddles were awarded the All-Around Cowboy and Cowgirl.

Mrs. Elmo Shelton and Johanna were here from Las Vegas for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hutchison and children, Oklahoma City are vacationing at the Bryan ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Fuller and Amanda were here from Santa Fe over the week end so that Amanda could enjoy a "table picnic" with her grandparents.

Mrs. Ward Thomson and boys were over from Laguna Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Perkins visited with friends and relatives in Colorado last week.

Mrs. Dee Martin celebrated her 84th birthday Thursday. Her daughter, Mrs. Clelland Donohue and Mr. Donohue were here from Clayton to mark the occasion.

Professor Graves of the UTEP Political Science Dept., Mr. Graves, and two daughters were on a vacation trip and stopped here hoping to add to their collections.

Jesse Wade returned Thursday from T or C and reports that he is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchel Tyree are the parents of a son born Friday morning in Ruidoso. Mitchel Ray, Jr., weighed in at six pounds one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Duke, Gallup, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Simmons, Carol Ann and Shirley, spent the weekend at their home in Corona and were doing yard work.

Mrs. Erdine Kiefer and children returned Thursday from a summer in Indiana, and Erdine

has resumed her duties as the high school secretary.

Donald Hampton was killed in a plane crash near Farwell, Texas, Saturday morning. Services were held in Clovis Tuesday. Attending from Corona were Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yancey.

Guests of the A. F. Winchesters over the weekend were Mrs. Winchester's niece, Mrs. Bob Clinton and Mr. Clinton, Clinton, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Campbell, Crystal and Nancy, Pueblo, Colo. The Campbells were enroute to and from Alamogordo where they attended the wedding of Mr. Campbell's sister, Terry Sue, and George Allen Roden.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Vick and David spent the week end with Mrs. L. L. Vick.

Mrs. Sam Stewart and children, Claude, Texas are spending a few days at the Atkinson ranch. Joining them for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lindsey and children, Albuquerque.

Ward Tomson took first place in Class SS-H with speed of 103.9 mph in the Drag Races at Albuquerque Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sultemeier and daughter, Beth, Espanola spent the weekend with the Corona Sultemeiers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Keelin were in Pampa, Texas, Tuesday to attend funeral services for a nephew who drowned in a accident Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Binyon and Mitch, Albuquerque, stopped by Monday on their way to fish at Bonita. They were going on to Silver City for a visit and some fishing with the Raymond Binyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Enemencio De La Pena and sons, Damon and Duran, Lincoln Station, have moved to a station at Arlington, Arizona. We are sorry to lose this Family.

Guests at the Dishman home last week included Mr. and Mrs. George Bower and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner, Cleveland, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Othell Simmons, Sanford, Texas. Mr. Bower and Mr. Simmons are nephews of W. S. Dishman.

Lane Wallace and Ernest Dishman made a business trip to Hobbs Friday. Lane has just returned from his second trip to Australia, a land which he finds fascinating.

Mrs. R. J. Bagley has returned from a three week trip to Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Robinson have been spending a few days at the ranch helping with some building projects.

Mrs. Cleve Griffin has returned from a summer visit to Hunt, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Keelin were in Santa Fe Sunday to see the Paul Keelins.

Cedar Temple No. 26 Pythian Sisters held their regular meeting Tuesday night at the home of Mr. L. L. Vick with Mrs. W. T. Keelin, MEC presiding.

The Sharps spent the week end in Albuquerque to celebrate birthdays for four of the family. David Vick has returned to Las Cruces after visiting with his grandmother here.

Julia and Dorothy Kerr arrived Wednesday from Westpoint, Miss., to visit with friends. Sunday Bunny flew to Mt. Pleasant, Utah where she teaches at Wasatch Academy, but Julie will remain for a couple of weeks before returning home to teach.

The Robinsons and Mrs. Griffin spent the weekend with their sons in Grants.

The Lyndon Robinsons M, Greeley, Colo. and Mrs. Lyndon Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klein, Oaks, So. Dakota joined them there before continuing their trip to Disneyland.

Byron Yancey reports 3.31" rain for the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Buchtel have adopted a son, John Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kuykendall are smiling over the arrival Aug. 3rd of a granddaughter. She is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kuykendall.

Roland Lackey flew Thursday to Washington, D. C. for a business interview. He has been teaching science at Escalante High School.

Sharon and Scott Kimball were over from Albuquerque for a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pfeiffer.

Debs Kelly, a former teacher here, stopped by briefly Wednesday. He was en route from his home in Tucumcari to Carrizozo on business.

Republicans at Pacheco Ranch

The Paul Pacheco's hosted the August meeting of the Lincoln County Republican Women's Club with a barbecue and covered dish supper.

Over 75 members and guests gathered at the Pacheco Ranch on the Arabela Road last Tuesday evening. Special guest was Mr. John Bigsbee, candidate for Representative from Lincoln, Torrance, Otero, and De Baca counties. Mr. Bigsbee discussed his background as a legislator and highlights on different issues facing the state today.

Miss Pam Tully gave a report on the Republican Youth Seminar which she attended recently at Albuquerque.

The County Agent says:

The Lincoln County Fair will have its first Junior Livestock Sale on Saturday, August 26th, starting at 11:00 a.m. They will sell thirty-six animals. Plan to buy an animal and help the local boys and girls out.

R-R-D

The month just completed was the worst July livestock producers have suffered through since the screwworm eradication program began back in 1962. It was nearly twice as bad, in fact, as the next worst. In New Mexico this year, things were bad enough as it was. There were 124 confirmed outbreaks in New Mexico, two in Lincoln County, a figure surpassed only by the 162 cases in 1963. New Mexico hadn't had a case in July since 1969.

Texas' situation is so bad as to be almost incomprehensible. The state recorded an astronomical 15,331 infestations last month. That's double the previous mark of 8,300 the first year the Screwworm Eradication Program was established at Mission, and an incredible 900 times worse than a year ago when a meager 17 cases were discovered. In fact Texas' AVERAGE of 500 cases a DAY during July was higher than the total for an entire MONTH since 1962.

The live-meat-eating screwworm, struck during the month in 197 Texas counties, 16 in Oklahoma, 10 each in Arizona and New Mexico and two in California.

The Mission Center released 791,880,000 flies over seven states and Mexico. Texas got 662,248,000 and Arizona 69,266,000 to account for more than 90 percent of the total.

R-R-D

The second generation of fall webworms is starting to infest trees. Fall webworms are the woolly caterpillars that make the large, unsightly webs in cottonwood, poplar, elm, mulberry, pecan, fruit, and willow trees. Some people mistakenly call them tent caterpillars or bagworms.

Most of the caterpillars that made the webs in trees this spring and summer have dropped to the ground. When they get to the ground, they crawl till they protected spots. Some even crawl into houses. The caterpillars change into a resting stage, and after about two weeks, they emerge as snowy-white moths. These moths which are emerging now, will mate and lay eggs which will produce the second generation of fall webworms.

The moths lay their eggs in masses of 50 to 200 on one leaf. When the eggs hatch, the very small caterpillars feed together on the leaf and start spinning a web. As they grow, they move to new leaves, enlarging the web as they go. Webworms can be controlled by cutting out infested leaves or by spraying with an insecticide.

Trees that were sprayed for the first generation may have to be sprayed again. The moths are strong fliers and will reinfest trees that were sprayed a few weeks ago.

If you have several large trees that will require the services of a pest control operator, then have your trees sprayed a week to ten days after the first new webs are seen.

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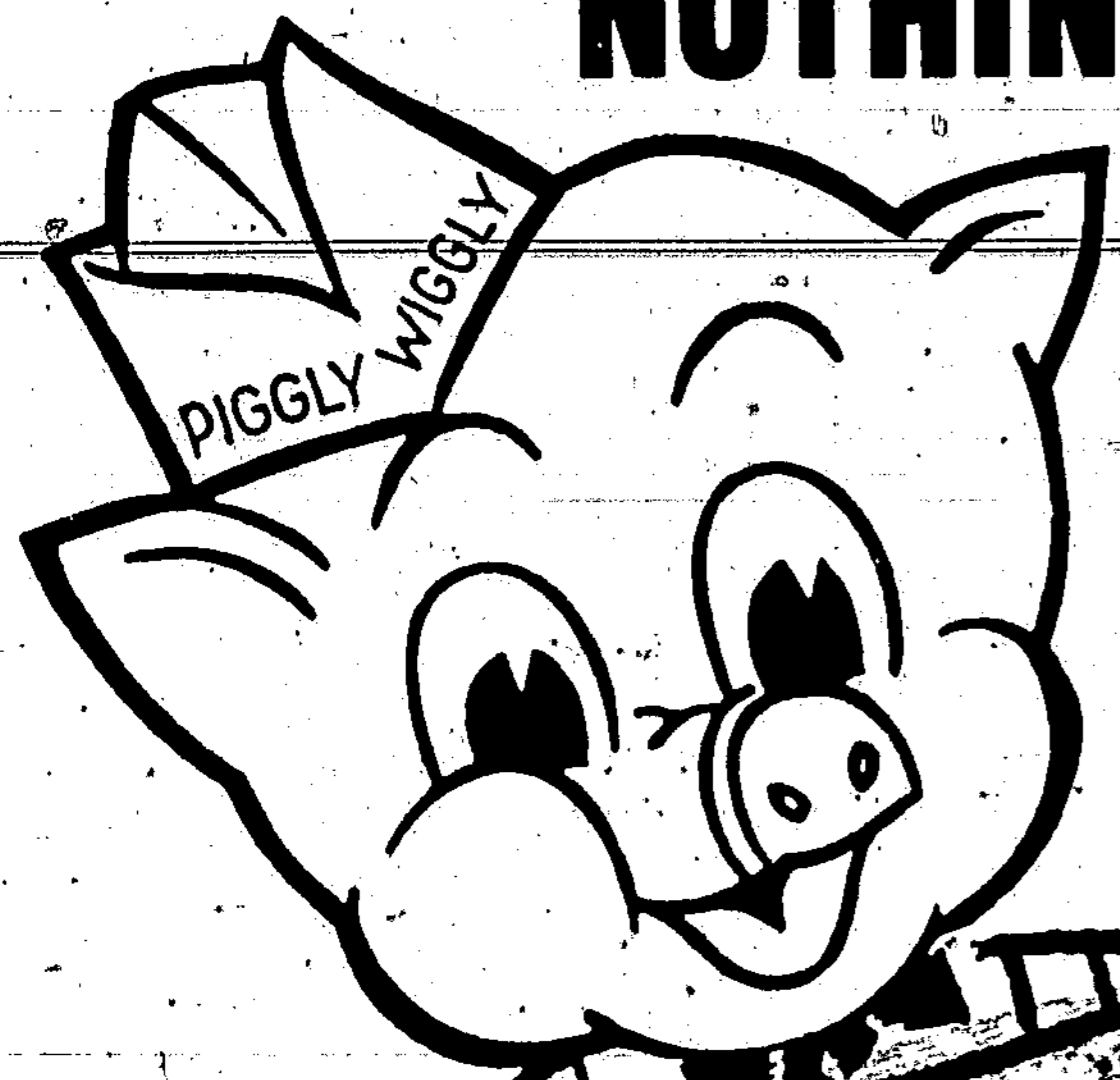
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A—Purchase a Registration Card and then punch your Jackpot Day Card for first award of \$100.00.
- Q—How do I continue to participate?
A—Punch your Jackpot Card at our store each week for each new award.
- Q—How big is each award?
A—Never below \$100.00. Award increases \$50.00 each week if not claimed, then begins again at \$100.00.
- Q—Do I have to buy anything to punch my Jackpot Card?
A—No. There is no charge or obligation of any kind.
- Q—Do I have to be present to win?
A—No. Winner will be notified or name posted in our window.
- Q—How many times can I register?
A—One time. Your registration Card remains in our Jackpot Day container.
- Q—Who is qualified to register and obtain a Jackpot Card?
A—Any adult person.

- Q—When and where will the drawings be held?
A—At our store each Friday at 6:00.
- Q—If my name is drawn and my card is punched for week before but not for week of drawing, can I win?
A—No. **YOUR CARD MUST BE PUNCHED FOR WEEK YOUR NAME IS DRAWN.**
- Q—Can card be punched in advanced or ahead of time?
A—No. Cards punched in advance are VOID.
- Q—Can one person punch Jackpot Day Card for another person?
A—No. Each person **MUST** punch his own card.
- Q—Who does the drawing?
A—Some disinterested party not connected with the store.
- Q—If I lose my Card, or if it gets ruined, can I get another one?
A—Yes, but it is not necessary to register again. We do not pay on card that has been punched ahead or name erased.
- Q—Is this program secret?
A—No, please tell everyone.
- Q—How long do I have to claim award?
A—Until Tuesday at closing.

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Piggly Wiggly **Soft Drinks**

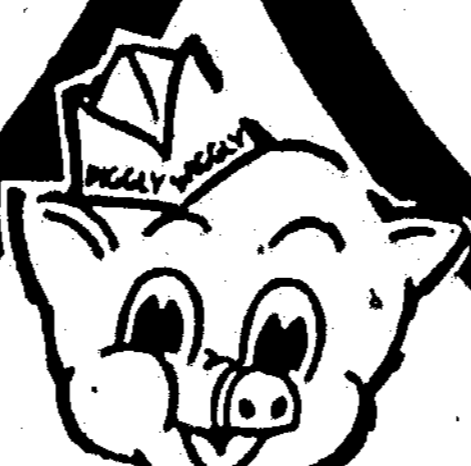
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16 Ounce, No Return Bottle

Each

K-V **Charcoal Briquets**

10 Pound Bag **65¢**



Ice Milk

Assorted Flavors

69¢

1/2 Gallon Cartons

Cold Note **Margarine**

Lb. **20¢**



Oxydol Detergent

69¢

49 Oz. Box

On First 49 Oz. Box Price Thereafter Piggly Wiggly, Flavors **79¢**

3 \$1

46 Oz. Cans

Lettuce
19¢

Large, Firm Heads Pound

Filler Paper **39¢**

Regular 99¢ Top Quality Amphon

Panty Hose Each **79¢**

Bath Tissue **27¢**

2 Roll Pak

Pineapple **\$1**

4 15 Ounce Cans

Frozen Dinners **43¢**

Morton's All Varieties Except Beef & Ham

11 Oz. Pkg.

Frozen Pizza **73¢**

Fox Deluxe, Cheese, Sausage, Hamburger, Pepperoni

14 Oz. Pkg.

Flour **45¢**

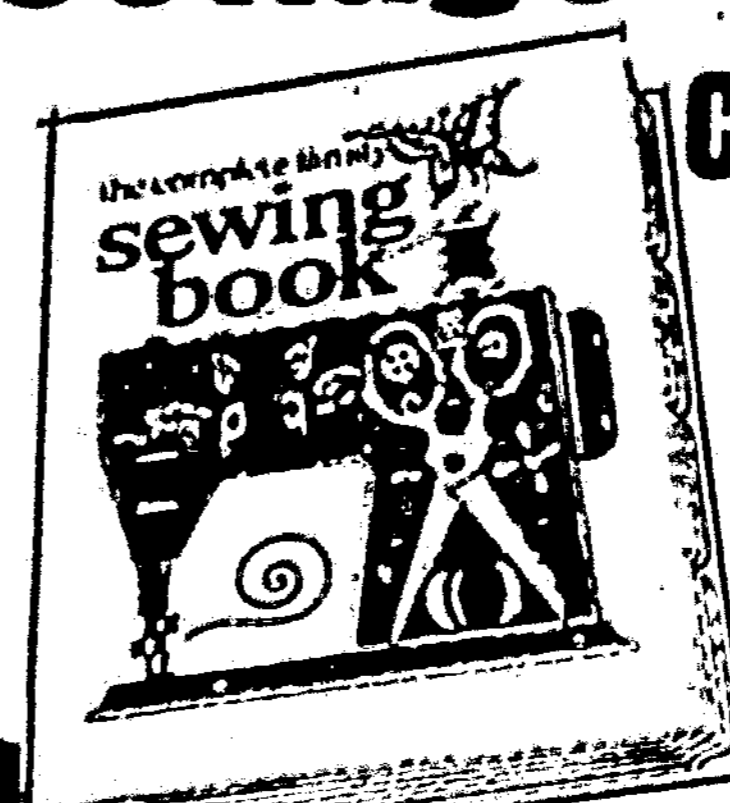
5 Pound Bag

Farmer Jones, Small Curd

Cottage Cheese **39¢**

16 Oz. Cartons

Chapter 10 on sale this week **33¢**



Toothpaste **55¢**

Close-Up

3 Oz. Tube

USDA Choice Beef, **Swiss Steak**

Round Bone Arm Cuts

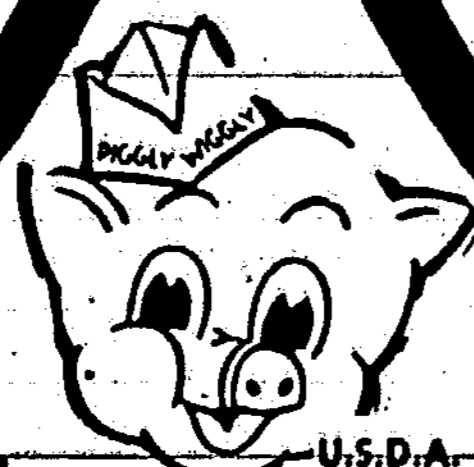
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Pound

Ground Beef

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Lb. **68¢**



USDA Choice Beef, **Chuck Steak**

78¢

Pound

USDA **Fryers**

Grade A

Lb. **38¢**



Full 1/2 Pork loin **Pork Chops**

Family Pack,

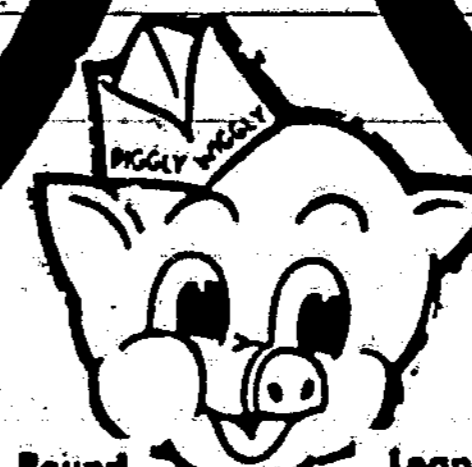
94¢

Lb.

Chuck Cut **Boneless Roast**

USDA Choice Beef Center

Lb. **98¢**



Payton's English **Sliced Bacon**

78¢

Lb.

Cubed Steak

Boneless Beef

Lb. **\$1.48**

Farmer Jones, 5 Varieties **LUNCH MEAT** 39¢
Tender Made, Chicken Fried **BEEF or PORK PATTIES** 89¢
Boneless **BEEF CUBES** 98¢

U.S.D.A.—Choice Beef, Full-Cut **ROUND STEAK** \$1.24
Extra Lean Quality **GROUND ROUND** 98¢
Farmer Jones, 5 Varieties **SLICED MEATS** \$1.00

Wafer Thin **PORK CHOPS** \$1.38
Glover's Chuck Wagen **CHORIZO** 68¢
U.S.D.A. Choice Beef, Blade Cut **POT ROAST** 74¢

Lean Beef **SHORT RIBS** 44¢
Japanese **TURBOT FILLETS** 89¢

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50 EXTRA With This Coupon And Purchase of One 3 Lb. Can of **FOLGER'S COFFEE** Good at Piggly Wiggly Through August 20, 1972

SAVE 15¢ At Piggly Wiggly With This Coupon When You Buy One Lb. Can **FOLGER'S COFFEE** Offer Expires August 20 Price With This Coupon 76¢ Offer #1071

50 Extra Stamps With this Coupon and Purchase of One 12 Ounce Package of **American Beauty Med. or Wide-EGG NOODLES** Offer Expires August 19, 1972

50 EXTRA With This Coupon And Purchase of One 20 Count Box **ZIPLOC BAGS** Good at Piggly Wiggly Through August 20, 1972

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

Bear swore not to be treed

By - MARGARET RENCH

Mrs. Jane Morton of Grand Prairie killed this 450 pound black bear up South Fork in the White Mountains last Thursday.

Jane and her husband came from Texas to hunt with Tom Chffins and Ray Clark and their dogs. Their dogs treed the bear for her and she shot him. They wanted a big bear and her wishes were granted.

This bear has been chased and sworn never to be treed as he was run many times before. He has been tearing up camp, tents, etc., in the South Ford area for some time.

He was hung in a tree near Rusty Anchor Bar and skinned. It did have a legal tag on it.

This makes three bears for Tom, Ray and their dogs. One on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. They rested Wednesday to let the dogs and horses rest as they had been on a twelve hour bear race Tuesday and they did get him.

All hunters were from out of State.

Capitan Municipal School will hold open house Sunday, August 20, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The public is invited, do come and tour the building, including the new one, and meet the new teachers. Mrs. Lela Jo Townley is the new worker in the Cafeteria and Louise Runnels also works there. Mrs. Melba Allen is the head cook.

School starts Monday, August 21, at 8:25 a.m. Friday, August 15, is the first school holiday due to the Lincoln County fair which starts and goes thru Saturday.

The Fair Parade will begin 10:30 a.m. Saturday. There will be nice cash prizes on floats, costumes, bicycles, best dressed cowboys and cowgirls.

Each Band member will receive 50c to help on their lunch. Each Band will receive \$20 toward their traveling expense.

The old high school building at this time is being restuccoed in the front and on the sides which it needed badly for some time. The elementary building has been repainted on the inside and six rooms in the high school also was painted. All of the floors have been refinished. There have been many new text books ordered.

We are happy to learn that Leota Pfingsten is going to teach again.

Gaylea Louise McDounough of Colorado Springs spent three weeks with her father, Bartley McDounough. They had a great time and she returned to her home Friday. She is a third grader. She enjoyed riding horses here and also enjoyed her new friends here.

She hopes to return next summer for half the summer.

Mrs. Bursay Jones has resigned from head cook at the school cafeteria and is going to Reserve to make her home. I wish her success and happiness where ever she may be.

Jack Mayfield painted his home and garage a charcoal trimmed in white and it is beautiful and those beautiful dahlias are out of this world. Just breath taking beauty. His work and love of those flowers truly shine out.

The Standard station has its new coat of white paint trimmed in blue. Certainly looks nice.

Forty attended the Werner family reunion at Cloudercroft Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Mr.

and Mrs. Ralph Werner of Hawthorne, California are at this time spending several days with his brother Travis Werner. Before their arrival their son, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lee Werner and two sons visited him. Their home is in Oregon. Ellen Faye Cornelius has resigned as checker at the Cummins store and she is training Karen Richardson for her duties. Ellen Faye has been there for nearly seven years. We will miss her but do wish her happiness. She is a very lovely young woman and we truly do love her.

Karen is a pleasant and smiling lady and we do wish her happiness there.

Mrs. S. M. Cozzens went to Albuquerque last Friday morning to meet Jane who had spent the summer in California with her sister Miss Marilyn Cozzens. They attended the wedding of their granddaughter and niece Friday night at the Nazarene Church there. She is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cozzens. Jane and her mother returned home Saturday night. Sunday Jane returned to Alamogordo to start her duties teaching Monday morning.

Mr. H. Lee Miller and grandson, Randy, is spending a week here at his home here. I know they will enjoy that.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cummins, David and Danny returned home Friday from their weeks vacation.

Jimmy Padilla, and Jr. Guebara went to the Army at Ft. Ord, California, July 19.

Abby Allen, Kaye Cornelius and Patsy Walker will attend the Eastern N. M. University in Portales and will leave Capitan August 27. Study hard girls. We are proud of you.

Ellie Gutierrez and Veronica Najjar announced their engagement this last week.

Miss Kathleen Runnels of Clovis spent last weekend with her aunt Mrs. Lula Runnels on the Bonita.

Mr. and Mrs. LaMoyné Peters have enjoyed their granddaughter Renee for three weeks and they took her home to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Armstrong at Roy, N. M., and will spend a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Durham of Arlington, Texas, attended the Nazarene Church here Sunday. He preached due to the absence of Rev. Harold Cartwright who is now on his vacation with his family.

Rev. and Mrs. Durham have a cabin at the Nazarene Camp at Angus where they spent the summer with lots of enjoyment. They enjoyed dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cummins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Riska and daughter of Salt Lake City, Utah, surprised Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw with their visit for a short time Monday morning while enroute home from visiting his brother Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Riska in Clovis and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drews Riska of Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith and Mr. Danny Drum are new teachers who have arrived in Capitan. Welcome.

The Howard Wrights returned home Thursday night from a weeks' vacation and attending their Wright family reunion which 23 attended at Blue Lake near Grants. Fishing was poor, country was beautiful and truly it was cool.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Jr., and family returned from one weeks' vacation in Arizona last week end. They fished, visited the petrified forest, Painted desert, Grand Canyon and other points of interest and report a grand time that passed too quickly.

Mr. Lloyd Vigil of Carrizozo underwent surgery in the Ruidoso Hospital three weeks ago and is still very ill. I wish you a good recovery Lloyd.

The Parker family reunion was held at the Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parker home this last weekend with 14 attending; Parkers and their families.

Mrs. Doris Pounds returned last Saturday evening from Buena Vista, Colorado where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Turner, her brothers and her daughter and husband. Wesley had been there most of the summer and he returned home with his mother. Jiff and Vickie Shaw of Demming spent one week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw. They visited his sister Daine, Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Riska in Clovis and returned as they were going home Sunday.

Mr. Jack Shaw made a business trip to Roswell last Monday.

Mrs. Clara Lowe returned home Monday afternoon from St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell where she had been for a week. I wish you good health Clara.

Guests of Mrs. Vera Beall in Lincoln for one week were her daughters Jenny Lou Gesting and Gail of Alamogordo, Ranell Abby of Santa Clara, Calif. She is on crutches as her foot has been broken. Mrs. Jack (Dorothy) Beall and Daughter Janet Routten, of El Paso, Texas.

Vera was just bubbling with happiness. She is proud of her girls and thrilled to have them.

Raymond Padilla went to Osteopathic Hospital in Roswell August 9 for one week. His wife Noami is still there. His leg was infected. Mrs. Padilla is still very ill. She has been in the hospital for over two months. I wish you both a good recovery.

She is some better.

Edith Meckly and son Glen, Jr., of El Monte, Calif., spent two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Isabel Aldaz and Sherri and visited her grandmother. Mrs. Dorothy Ravis of Phoenix, Arizona, also came and spent two weeks with her mother at the hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth D. Huey (Stubby) in the Roswell Medical Center Wednesday, August 9, weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz. His name is Heath Nighbert.

Mr. Jimmy Racher of Hondo entered the Ruidoso Hospital August and spent one week. I wish you a good recovery.

Jack Aldrich entered the Ruidoso Hospital Tuesday. Jack, I wish you a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cummins made a business trip to Roswell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duniap happily announce the birth of their granddaughter, Patricia Elaine, born to their daughter, Lois; Mr. and Mrs. David Coleman of Lone Star, Texas, July 31, 1972. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz.

There was a one car accident just west of Capitan last Thursday morning about 7:30 a.m. Two girls were in it and neither received injury. Pickup had to be towed in by Virgil's garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spohn of Route, Indiana arrived Wednesday to spend several days with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spohn and family.

Mr. and Tommie Hill and three children were called to the bedside of her father Mr. Lloyd Parham in Las Vegas, N. M., hospital where they spent two days before their return to their home near Lincoln. I wish him a good recovery.

The picturesque brick home of Mr. and Mrs. Fay McGinnie near Lincoln stands out so beautifully. Their landscape fits in with the natural grass and shrubs. It is just beautiful.

Mr. Tyler's home on north hill in Capitan stands out too. The natural grass and the way he has the arrangement truly is beautiful. He keeps it mowed which lets the natural shrubs stand out, just as the McGinnis's do. Truly is lovely.

Last Saturday, Mrs. Maude Kingston and Miss Lou Harris accompanied me to Cloudercroft thru the mountains on Highwas 24 which was under construction five miles. The country was so beautiful. We attended the REA annual meeting and enjoyed friends as well as the meeting. They had the largest attendance ever. The barbecue was delicious and everything was well organized. The crowd was not the litter kind which made it nice. They gave many door prizes. It always makes me happy to see the faces light up when their number was called. This year many from all points of our county did receive a gift. That is good, til. Everyone did enjoy every moment. This year it was dry and hot.

After the meeting we drove to Burketts' Floral and enjoyed a short time and then back to eat a delicious dinner at a nice cafe this side of Cloudercroft. Then drove home at a nice speed where we enjoyed the cool of the evening. The lazy cattle would stand in the highway and let us honk and then move on slowly. We arrived home after 8 p.m. So you can know we did enjoy the cool part of the day on that drive home. It was so relaxing. So much traffic. But felt grateful for that lovely day.

Security for working women

Close to 30 million women are earning social security protection for themselves and their families through their own work, according to Mr. Christine Graves, social security Field Representative.

Here in Lincoln County, 541 women 60 and over actually receive social security benefits.

"The working woman has both disability and survivors protection," Mrs. Graves said. "If she becomes unable to work for a year or longer because of a disabling accident or severe illness, she and her dependents may be eligible for monthly cash payments from social security."

If a working woman dies prematurely, monthly cash payments from social security can help her children through school (until they're 22, if they remain full-time students and unmarried).

"If a working woman's husband is 62 or older and dependent upon her for his support, he also can be eligible for monthly social security payments on her work record," Mrs. Graves said.

"Even though her husband may be working at a full-time job, her children are still eligible for benefits on her work record," Mrs. Graves noted.

On her own work record, the working woman can retire at 62 with reduced monthly cash payments. Or she can wait until she's 65 and get full monthly cash benefits, Mrs. Graves said. But, if she could collect higher benefits as a wife on her husband's record, she can choose to collect the higher payment.

Mrs. Graves may be contacted at the County Commissioner's Room, Lincoln County Court

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Capitan school lunch at 35c

Capitan Municipal School District has long recognized the need for helping meet the nutritional needs of its students. All schools serve a well-balanced nutritious lunch and-or breakfast each school day. The charge to students who can pay is 35c. However, since some families find it difficult to pay this full price, the school will provide these meals free of charge or at a reduced price to those children determined by the Capitan Board of Education to be unable to pay the full price for their meals.

Families who feel that their children may be eligible for free or reduced price meals are urged to apply. Copies of the application form were sent home in a letter to families earlier this week. Additional copies may be obtained at any school in the district. The completed application, signed by an adult member of the family, should be sent to the office of school Supt. Such applications will be reviewed promptly, and within 10 days the family will be notified as to the decision made. Families may appeal this decision by contacting County Welfare Agent to request a hearing as established in the Fair Hearing Procedures set forth by law. All information provided on the application will be held in the strictest confidence.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION
NOTICE IS GIVEN HEREBY that a civil action has been filed in the DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, No. 8922, in which the CITY OF ALAMOGORDO, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO, is PLAINTIFF and A. T. PFINGSTEN, ET AL., are DEFENDANTS; and the names of the DEFENDANTS against whom substituted service is sought to be obtained by this Notice are: Mary Helen Lemay, a-k-a Mary Helen Keilsen; Judy Gallagher, a-k-a Judith E. (Frye) Gallagher; Thomas Frye, a-k-a Thomas M. Frye; William Frye; Valerie Frye; Mildred Huff; J. Dillon Cole; Eagle Mining and Improvement Company; Colonial Trust Company; Chase National Bank, New York; Farmers Loan and Trust Company; City Bank Farmers Trust Company, New York; Parsons Mining Company; The Unknown Heirs of the following named Deceased Persons: Benjamin R. Robinson; Kate Shafer, a-k-a Kate Robinson; H. A. Severin; John Greer. The following named Deceased Defendants by name, if living, if deceased their unknown heirs: Ethel Long; Eula Greer; Mamie Greer; Frank Greer; James Greer; Charles Berry; Cleophas Monjeau; Julia A. Greer; Ethel Skinner; Lola Cain; Ira A. Greer; James R. Greer; Nellie Wheatly; Harriet E. Kelly; William Shafer; William Charles Shafer; Joseph Shafer; James Shafer; Orlan Shafer; Nulin Shafer; Albert Shafer; T. E. Peters; Jasper F. Rommel; Martin May; Mrs. H. A. Severin; Josephine Peters Cooper; Mattie Peters; Mildred Peters Sears; and All Unknown Claimants of interest in the premises adverse to Plaintiff.

The general object of the action is to quiet the fee simple title of the Plaintiff against the Defendants and each of them in and to real property of the Plaintiff which is the property described in the Complaint in said cause, Lincoln County, New Mexico, and situate in the following Sections, Townships and Ranges:
 Sections 2, 11 and 12, Township 10 South, Range 11 East, N.M.P.M.; Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12, Township 10 South, Range 12 East, N.M.P.M.; and Sections 7, 8, 9 and 16, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M.
 The above named Defendants are notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or before the 2nd day of October, 1972, Judgment and Decree will be rendered in said cause against them by default.
 The name and office and Post Office address of Plaintiff's attorney is JACK T. WHORTON, 905 10th Street, P. O. Box 594, Alamogordo, New Mexico 88310.
 WITNESS, the Honorable Richard A. Stanley, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, the 9th day of August, A.D., 1972.
 -s-Edward Penfield
 Lincoln County District Court
 To be published four times: August 17, 21, 31, September 7, 1972

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:
 ALTA M. BRITTON, deceased.
NOTICE OF HEARING FOR PROVING WILL TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of July, 1972, the Last Will and Testament of ALTA M. BRITTON, deceased, late of the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, was offered for probate in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico. Any and all persons objecting to the probate of the said Will are hereby notified to be present on the 22nd day of August, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and show cause, if any they have, why said Will shall not be admitted to probate.
 WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, by order of the Judge of said Court at my office in Carrizozo, New Mexico, this 25th day of July, 1972. (D.C. SEAL)
 -s-Edward Penfield
 Clerk of the District Court
 Published in the Lincoln County News July 27, August 3, 10 and 17, 1972.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 In the Matter of
 ANNIE MARIE GILBERT; RONALD BURNETT; JOSEPHINE PENA; LEROY THOMPSON; VIRGINIA COSIAS; ANDREITA WEATHERS; RICHARD HILL; KENNETH DAVIS; PAUL SWEETER; GENEVE LOPEZ; and LARRY MORRISON, Alleged Incompetent Persons, Lincoln County Cause No. 65 Incomp.
 You are hereby notified that Cause No. 65-Incomp. will be heard on the 28th day of August, 1972, at 9:30 A.M. in the District Court Chambers of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico; Petitioner in said cause is Norman D. Bloom, Jr., District Attorney for the State of New Mexico; purpose of said action is for a full hearing on the issues in said cause.
 UNLESS you enter your appearance on or before the 28th day of August, 1972, which is the time and date set by the Court for disposition, you will have been determined to have consented to the action.
 WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court on this the 19th day of July, 1972.
 -s-Edward Penfield
 Ed Penfield, Clerk
 Lincoln County District Court
 First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, July 27, 1972. Last published August 17, 1972.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
 In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of
 Mary Ellen Stidham, Deceased. No. 1303
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTOR
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Mary Ellen Stidham, deceased, on the 17 day of July, 1972, by the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and that all persons having claims against the said estate should prepare and serve the same upon the undersigned at the offices of Darden and Sage, 200 West Las Cruces, P. O. Drawer 578, Las Cruces, New Mexico, within the time and in the manner provided by law; otherwise, the same will be barred.
 DONE this 17 day of July, 1972.
 -s-Noble Martin Stidham
 Noble Martin Stidham, Executor
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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 30th 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 Dec. 23rd, 1971. H. Elfred Jones
 -s-Monica Sanchez
 Attorney for Administratrix
 Carrizozo, New Mexico
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Letters

Nogal, N. M.
 Bonito Dam
 8-10-72
 Letter to the Editor
 Lincoln Co. News
 Carrizozo, N. M.
 Dear Sir,
 Wondered if ther majority of your readers and outdoor enthusiasts know how much of their tax money is in a dumb proposal to be spent? Ones who are famaliar with Bonito Dam road know the dust flies and how long we have been promised the paying of hiway 37 from hiway 48 will be interested to know there's a proposal to make a short cut on hiway 37 to hiway 48 -- leaving 37 to may be never be paved. Please take time to write a letter of protest to: ALL THESE: H. W. Adkinson, Div. Engineer, Fed. Bldg. Adm., U. S. Court House Room 117, Santa Fe, N. M. on project S 1226(G) Jet. SR 48 & SR 37 ++ L. G. Boles, State Hiway Dept, Santa Fe, on same project -- and Kenneth Fowler State Hiway Dept, Hobbs, N. M. on same project Do it now --
 Sincerely,
 -s-Louise Coe Runnels
 Alias Bonito Lou

Vernon Payne
 212 W. First St.
 San Angelo, Texas 76901
 Aug. 10, 1972
 Dear sirs,
 This note to congratulate you on the essential chapter of Pat Garrett's book you published in 8-3-72 L.C. News. I would very much like to see the whole book in a serial form, and for that matter, every book written on the L.C. War, which books are passing into public domain, and doubtless passing out of print. I know of no institution so well positioned as your's to refine the rich historical heritage of New Mexico - especially the heartland of the Enchanted State.
 I, myself, am working on it, and can promise you a running commentary on the stories, and you doubtless will receive authentic commentaries from frail, fragile sources that are rapidly disappearing. Whether you find place to publish all such or not, they can become a part of the records of a most important journal, and may indeed be found of great interest at some future time.
 Enclosed, a tear sheet from Ciclo-Flame, part of which was epitomized from L.C. News. Again, my best wishes for your continued growth and service,
 -s-Vernon Payne

Court Record
 Statutory Warranty Deed
 Thomas C. and Sue C. Niblett to Juanita L. Clark. Lot 25 Blk. 4, Paradise Canyon Subd., Ruidoso.
 MARRIAGE LICENSE
 Harry Franklin Sproat to Katrina Mary Johnson both of El Paso.
 DISTRICT COURT CLERK
 City of Alamogordo vs. A. T. Pfingsten, et al. Suit to Quiet Title
 WARRANTY DEEDS
 W. Kirby Smart, a-k-a Wesley K. Smart to Ben E. and Carol Straghan. Lot 19, Blk. 10, Ponderosa Heights, Subd. No. 2, Ruidoso.
 Calvin E. and Valeria Jordan to Ralph W. Douglas. Lot 27, Blk. 9, Unit II; Lot 49 to 52 Inc., 58, 59, Blk. 20, Unit III. Lots 30, 31, 32, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 56, 57, 58, Blk. 15, Unit IV. Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, Blk. 30 Unit V. Lots 7 to 14 Inc., Blk. 31 Unit IV. Lots 59, 60, Blk. 15, Unit V. Lots 28 to 32 Inc., Blk. 30, Unit V. Lots 3, 6, to 14 Inc., 16, 40, 41, Blk. 32, Unit V. Lots 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 33, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, Blk. 34, Unit V Ponderosa Heights Subd.
 United States Marshal for the District of New Mexico to the Secretary of Housing and Urban development - Lots 1 through 101 both inclusive of Eldorado Villa Estates, Ruidoso. -s- D. R. Baca
 James E. and Dian H. Bruemmer to Carl T. and Billie L. Everett. Lot 5, Blk. 4, Pinescape Subd., Ruidoso.
 Cash T. Skarda to David H. and Helen L. Cowell. Lot 1, Blk. 16, Unit 2, Town and Country, North Subd., Ruidoso.

Floyd D. and Helga W. Haake to Harlan E. and Theta M. McCraw. Tr. of land, part of SE-4 and NW-4 of Sec. 25; T11S, R13E NMPPM.
 W. H. and Anna M. Daubs to Louie-Austell, Jr., and Louise-Virginia Austell. Lot 7, Blk. 2, Loma Grande Acres Unit II, Lincoln County.
 Pearl A. Soderback and Johan A. Soderback to Mariano M. and Cecilia T. Garcia. Lots 17 and 18, Blk. 80, Town of Capitlan.
 Ruidoso Realty Company, Inc., to H. B. and Willa B. Mundell. Lot 16, Blk. CC, (CC-16), Singing Pines Subd., Ruidoso.
 R. B. and Louise Sinclair to R. R. and Agatha O. Neergaard. Lots 28 and 29, Blk. 4, Paradise Canyon Subd.
 W. B. and Margaret S. Cochran to Raymond E. and Cora Emma Crow. Lot 4, Cochran Subd., Ruidoso.

Mountain Investments to Jack J. Osborne and Iola C. Osborne. Lot 4 Blk. 2, Lookout Subd.
 Hubert D. and Lillian C. Crook to Robert L. and Mamie R. Boren. Lot 17, Blk. 5, Green Meadows Addition, Ruidoso.
 Mary Barnes and A. L. and Maudie Barnes to E. L. and Betty Von Duncan. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. 6 and 17, Blk. 7, Hamilton Terrace Subd., Ruidoso.
 E. L. and Betty Von Duncan to Edward L. Wimberly and Mary M. Wimberly. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, in Blk. 6 and Lost 7 in Blk. 7, Hamilton Terrace Subd., Ruidoso.
 Edward L. and Mary M. Wimberly to Osie and Stella V. Roberts. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. 6 and 17 Blk 7, Hamilton Terrace Subd.
 Osie and Stella V. Roberts to Leon W. and Tommie Barker. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. Hamilton Terrace Subd., Ruidoso.
 Union Industrial Corporation to Leon W. and Tommie J. Barker. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. Hamilton Terrace Subd., Ruidoso.
 Union Industrial Corporation to Robert E. and Virginia A. O'Kelley. Lot 16, Blk. 3, Lake Side Estates.
 Robert E. and Virginia A. O'Kelley to Charles Neel. Lot 16, Blk. 3, Lakeside Estates.
 Charles Neel to Charles A. and Bettie K. Neel. Lot 16 Blk. 3, Lakeside Estate Subd.
 East Lakeside Corporation to Pauline Halley Sator Lot 24, Blk. 2, Unit 1, High Mesa Subd.
 John W. and Rosemary R. Hillin; Oscar V. and Geraldine R. Dar; Tom C. and Shirley P. Phodes to Leo John and Zelma Jane Kramer. LOTS 1/4 & 21, Blk. 8; Ponderosa Heights Subd.
 Walter L. and Marcella S. Andre to George H. and Betty A. Mize. Lot 14, Blk. 3, Young Heights, Ruidoso.
 George H. and Betty A. Mize to James A. and Agnes A. Williams. Lot 14, Blk. 3, Young Heights, Ruidoso.
 Andrew A. and Helen L. K. Bradford to Noble J. Taylor. Eot 37, Blk. 6, Unit II, Alto Lakes & Country Club Subd.
 Mary Gilliam to T. W. and Betty Jo Moore. Lot 6, Blk. 2, Country Club Estates Subd.
 Reynold J. and Yvonne S. Dazza, Jr., to Dennis D. and Mary J. Stewart. Lot 2 Blk. 8, Sun Valley Subd.
 Warren H. and Annie C. Barrett to Joan C. Deming. Tr. B, Lots 122, 123, Blk. BB, Flume Canyon Subd., Ruidoso.
 Jack and/or Frances G. Shaw to Jeff and Carolyn Shaw. Tr. 50 Mesa Verde Acres, Unit 2.
 Jack and/or Frances G. Shaw to Michael Riska and Diane Riska. Tr. 51, Mesa Verde Acres, Unit 2.

Sammy L. and Sandra S. Gholson to Floyd W. and Bertha E. Siegrist. Lots 9 & 10, Blk. 3, McDonalds Addl., Carrizozo.
 Charles L. and Kathryn S. Campbell to Jack W. and Ruby Lucille Cox. Lot 6, Blk. 11, Paradise Canyon Subd.
 Zia Land Sales, Inc., to Dr. W. O. and Elizabeth D. Teynolds. Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 8, Country Club Estates, Ruidoso.
 Zia Land Sales, Inc., to William A. and Thetus H. Smith. Lot 3, Blk. 11, Country Club Estates, Ruidoso.
 Jim Bruemmer, John Hall, Ed Sanders to Allison P. Koelling. Tr. No. 2, 5 acres, in Sec. 4 and 9, T11S, R13E, N.M.P.M.
 Stout Holmes, Inc., to Pauline Wilson Peters, Ronald Morris Benson, and Richard Alan Benson. Lots 8, 9 Blk. 22, Unit Ponderosa Heights Subd.
 White Mountain Development Company, Inc., to C. E. and Velma M. Mills. Lot 9 Blk 3, Town and Country Estates, Ruidoso.
 Longhorn Development Corporation to Julian L. and Darlene Horst, Jr. Lot 7, Blk. 9, Unit 2, Alpine Village Subd.
 Western Resources of America, Inc., to Lloyd W. and Lillie F. Stratton. Lot 13, Blk. 3 Unit 2, Black Forrest Subd., Ruidoso.
 H. J. and Dora Sandoval, Sr., to Warren O. Hastings. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 Blk. 8 Ponderosa Heights Subd., Ruidoso.
 W. H. and Anna M. Daubs to Robert E. and

Mary C. Turner. Lots 4, 5 Tr. C, Loma Grande Acres Subd.
 Quit Claim Deeds
 Mark J. D'Elia to Louisa S. D'Elia. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. 5, Ruidoso Gardens Subd., Ruidoso Downs.
 Robert W. and Georgia Duncan to E. L. and Betty Von Duncan. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. 6 and Lot 7, Blk. 7, Hamilton terrace S-D Ruidoso.
 Edward C. and Norma K. Hughes to Jack P. Lowery and Elizabeth Lowery, John Paul and Dolores Young, Sr., and Fred L. McDaniel and Cindy McDaniel. Lot 4, Blk. 1, Unit 2, Villa Madonna Subd.

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 CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19): Oh me, oh my, Cap, how can you be helped if you try to do EVERYTHING your own way. Take some advice from a friendly Taurus. You'll be wise if you do.
 AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18): You've been working too darned hard, Aquari. Take off your shoes and wiggle your toes in the dust, look at the trees and the clouds and forget those ledgers and unmade beds for a few days. Once you have made contact with nature and yourself, even dull chores won't be as soul-draining as they seem now.
 PISCES (February 19-March 20): Week begins with A (for Ardor and Adventure) and it goes on like that almost to week's end. If you're smart, dear Pisces, you'll end it with Z (for Z-z-z-z-z).



Your Weekly Horoscope

August 19 through August 25
 ARIES (March 21-April 19): Drift with the tide first three days of week. Then the seas and row for your goal. Hard influential friend will help you on if you aren't too proud to accept assistance. Fun will follow and on last day you will be told something almost too good to be true.
 TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Clouds gather and look frightening, Taurus, but get a grip on yourself and they will thin out by the end of the fourth day. Then is the time to cultivate that new acquaintance (a Virgo?) who will lead you into an exciting new phase which will bring joy to both of you.
 GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Hoh, Gem! That sneaky act last week backfired, didn't it? And you have no one to blame but yourself. This week mend the broken fences. If you do it neatly, you will be surprised at how quickly you are forgiven. Next time, it won't be so easy.
 CANCER (June 21-July 22): You have let your self be led off into paths of nettles and briars. Moonbaby, this week you can see the road you should have been on all the time. Get back on it and it will stretch out before you with clear going as far as the eye can reach.
 LEO (July 23-August 22): This week isn't one for roaring, Leo. In the first four days, at least, it will be better to pretend you're a mouse. Later, that Capricorn's tantrums will die down and you can act more like the King (or Queen) of the Jungle who isn't afraid of anything - well, almost anything.
 VIRGO (August 23-September 22): Wow! What a week for you, Virgi! It starts out fast and furious and goes that way all week long. Take a few breaks in it to figure out where you've been and where you're going. Next week will be calmer. It will HAVE to be if you had to keep up this week's pace, you'd be one frazzled Virg.
 LIBRA (September 23-October 22): A tall Ms. or Mr., probably a Sagittarius, will cross your path. If you crave a while and excitement, let your trails merge for a while and dance along. But if you want rest, let this wild-cat pass you by with only a cut nod of your head.
 SCORPIO (October 23-November 21): This is a week to open all your pores and let the joy of living wash over you. If you do, Scorpio, those very real troubles you have had will diminish and you will be happier and more friendly to someone who needs your friendship badly.
 SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): Back in May, Sag, I warned you about a new character on your stage, one who's both treacherous and lecherous. All right, this cat's prowling around you again and it's no better now than then. Don't say old Olga didn't tell you, because she did and you know it.

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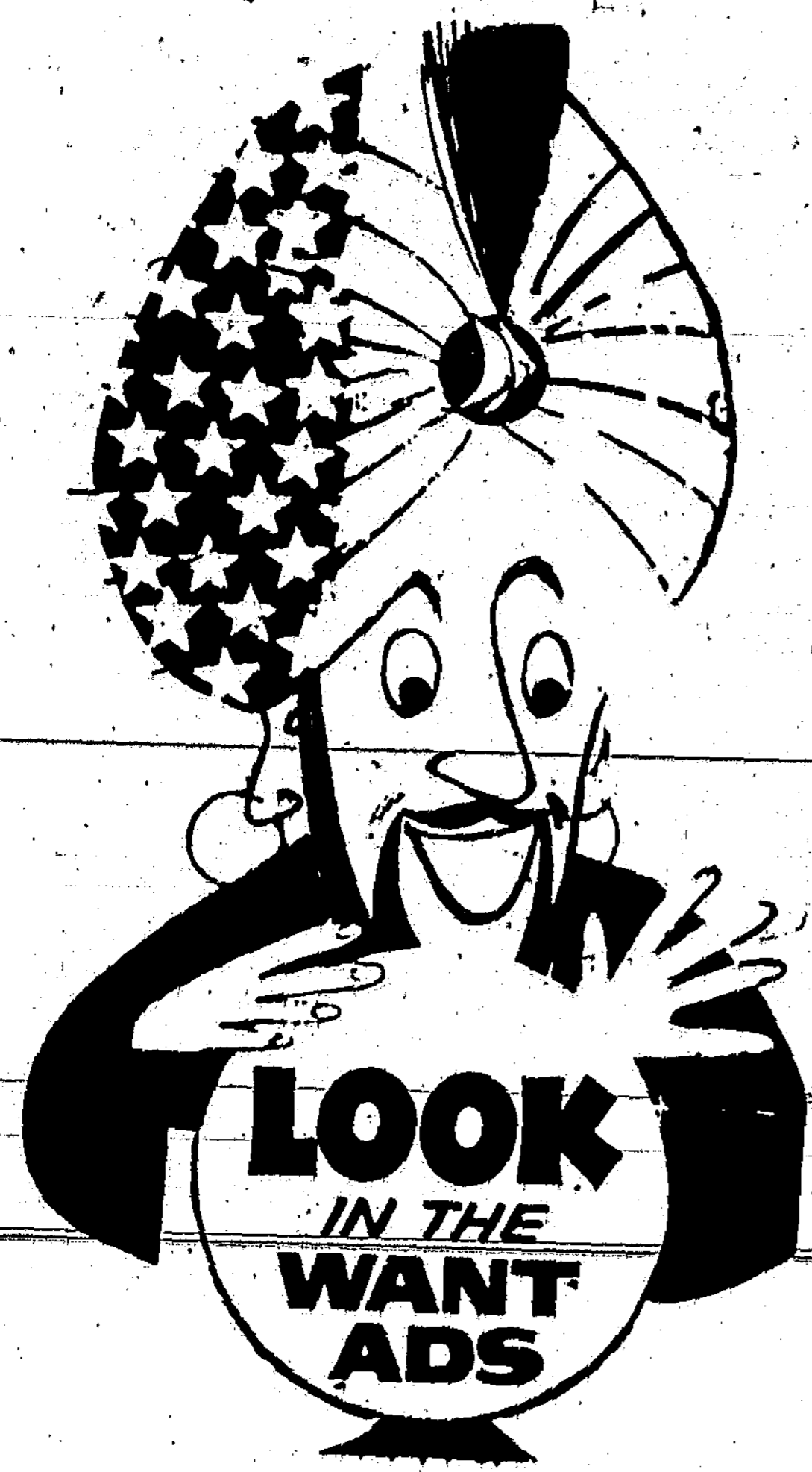
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Ranch for Sale

From page one
It was 1929, Ryan recalled, just as the Depression was dawning and Lee offered Ryan 1,000 head of stock at \$50 for a mother cow and a calf.

Thanks to a former Three Rivers owner, Albert Fall, Ryan had a major problem to solve not long after he acquired the place.

Fall, it turned out, had assigned a major portion of water from the ranch to the Southern Pacific Railroad -- 75,000 gallons a day. Ryan had to seek water underground and drilled three wells -- hitting water in the first at 250 feet.

The next three he put down were disters. He was to tell Southwestern historian-writer C. L. Sonnichsen later that "if I'd turned that process around, I'd have given up."

Ryan had not always been a Basin rancher. In the 1930s he operated an airline in the middle west. Later, the line merged with what is now Braniff International Airways, based at Dallas.

Ryan indicated he would not sell Three Rivers to a developer or subdivider whose operations are aimed in the main at the selling of stock. He called this kind of operation "shocking," naming a major Southwestern development company specifically.

He said he was convinced of the "responsibility" of the group with which he currently is negotiating and felt certain that, should he sell, the flavor of the place would be preserved.

Passage of the ranch to a developer would, of course, mean the end of the kind of cattle operation for which it is famed and out of which stems its colorful history.

Its history as a ranch property began in 1873 with Pat Coghlan, whose original ranch house Fall rebuilt and enlarged, and in its subsequent history figured Mrs. Susan McSween Barber, whose first husband died outside his fired home in the Lincoln County War.

Coghlan was once known as "the king of Tularosa," because of his ownership of most of the town's lots in its early days.

The famed cowboy-detective, Charles Siringo, once faced Coghlan with possessing cattle stolen from the Texas Panhandle by Billy the Kid.

It was Coghlan who sold Three Rivers to Fall. Three Rivers is situated about 17 miles north of Tularosa and is bounded on the east (obviously one of the reasons it has attracted developers of resort properties) by Sierra Blanca in the Mescalero Apache Reservation.

Round THE Capitol

From page one

Nichols, Santa Fe, a Taos Pueblo member. Her father, Ben Marcus, a Taos Pueblo council member, made a buckskin costume Mrs. Michaels will wear in Miami Beach, weather permitting.

Three of the 14 New Mexico alternates are women. Wesley Little of Silver City, a delegate, formerly lived 10 years in Deming. Little operates 11 convenience stores in Luna and Grant Counties. Two others are under construction in Grant County.

The all-Nixon New Mexico delegation is generally conservative. U. S. Rep. Manuel Lujan Jr., 44, of Albuquerque is delegation chairman. Albuquerque lawyer Thomas McKenna, 50, is vice chairman. McKenna is state Republican Party chairman. Lujan, and McKenna are conservatives.

Average age of the 14 New Mexico delegates is 48. Only 3 delegates are 35 years old or less. Seven delegates or 50 percent are over 50 years old.

The youngest delegate is Miss Linda Budagher, 24, of Albuquerque, a new graduate of New Mexico Highlands University, Las Vegas. The oldest delegate is Las Vegas lawyer Jose Armijo, 71. Armijo also was on the New Mexico delegation to the 1952, 1960 and 1964 national GOP conventions.

Michael Prescott, a junior in journalism at New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, is the youngest member of the delegation. He voted in the June 6 primary for the first time.

Most of the New Mexico delegation will fly Saturday from Albuquerque to Miami for the national convention. Early arrivals were Alex Gonzales and Miss Irene Senutovitch of Santa Fe, the New Mexico members of the key platform committee, and National Committeewoman Francine Neff of Albuquerque. Mrs. Neff attended meetings of

the national GOP committee and the convention housing arrangements committee. She is also on the convention rules committee set to meet Sunday.

While renomination of President Richard M. Nixon and Vice President Spiro Agnew was assured, a scrap was pending for a committed New Mexico delegate for California Rep. Paul (Pete) McCloskey.

McCloskey polled enough votes in the New Mexico primary to win one delegate to Miami Beach. But the state GOP convention in Albuquerque July 15 refused to amend party rules to permit election of a bona fide McCloskey delegate.

Meanwhile, the New Mexico Democratic caravan continued weekend tours over the state seeking votes. A Guadalupe County barbecue at Santa Rosa was on the schedule last Sunday. The caravan rolled into Belen, Socorro and Reserve last Saturday. Weekend stops were made earlier in Ruidoso Downs and Lincoln.

Miss Fern Sawyer of Nogal, Lincoln County, chairman of the State Fair Board entertainment committee, said Charley Pride was booked for a return engagement at the 1972 fair. Pride will headline an all-star rodeo in Tingley Coliseum at the State Fair in Albuquerque Sept. 19-21.

The State Department of Education said opening dates of New Mexico public schools range from Aug. 15 to Sept. 5. Opening dates, projected enrollment and changes from 1971-72 include: Taos, Aug. 29, 3,038 enrollment, unchanged; Belen, Aug. 24, 3, 310 down 47; Los Lunas, Aug. 29, 3,350; up 98.

Also, Springer, Aug. 28, 665, up 32; Clovis, Aug. 29, 9,100, up 106; Jal, Aug. 21, 834, down 48; Eunice, Aug. 21, 768, down 57; Lordsburg, Aug. 28, 1,255, up 123; Deming, Aug. 22, 3,724, down 11; Truth or Consequences, Aug. 22, 1,361, up 11; Ruidoso, Sept. 5, 910, down 38; Carrizozo, Aug. 22, 390, down 12; Clayton, Aug. 23, 1,109 down 14. Tucumcari, Aug. 23, 2,200, up 14; Fort Sumner, Aug. 21, 533, down 37; Santa Rosa, Aug. 28, 1,195, up 5; Capitan, Aug. 21, 215, down 8; Corona Aug. 23, 155, down 6. Hondo, Sept. 5, 230, down 20; Questa, Aug. 28, 1,048, unchanged; Cimarron, Aug. 28, 483, down one; Texico, Aug. 28, 460, up 11, and Vaughn, Aug. 21, 255, down 9. The statewide projected public school enrollment is 274,891, up a tiny 197 students.

The State Personnel Office will conduct a collective bargaining organization election of employees of Carrie Tingley Hospital at Truth or Consequences Aug. 21. The carpenters union seeks designation as collective bargaining agent. About 100 employees are eligible to vote in the election.

Socorro bank sets openhouse

Robert T. McNeil, president of The Bank of Socorro, is inviting people from the area to attend openhouse at this new bank on Saturday and Sunday, August 19-20.

McNeil has been a resident of Mountainair since 1946, was affiliated with the First National Bank for 12 years and was vice president and

manager of the Mountainair office of First National for seven years.

Bob, his wife Edna, daughter Debbie and son Denny are now living in Socorro.

Another Mountainair resident, Kenneth Shaw, recent graduate of New Mexico University, is joining The Bank of Socorro.

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Most sincerely
Mrs. R. E. Lemon
Maurice Lemon
Elynn Cady

Card of Thanks
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