

# Recreation grant okayed

Carrizozo's Christmas present came a week late this year—a \$176,000 grant from the federal government to construct a large-scale outdoor recreation facility that will be comparable to any in the southwest.

Notification of approval came on New Years Eve, some four months after the Village of Carrizozo had submitted its plans for the \$350,000 project to the state planning office.

Mayor Johnson Stearns said construction of the 90-acre recreation area east of town likely will start early next month. Completion is expected by the summer of 1973.

The recreation area includes a nine-hole golf course, two small lakes, baseball field with lights and bleachers, children's playground, tennis and badminton courts, picnic shelters, restrooms and paved parking areas.

Total cost of the facility is estimated at \$352,000. The federal grant, from the U.S. Bureau of Outdoor Recreation's land and water conservation fund, will pay for half of the construction costs.

Carrizozo's benevolent Jackie Spencer has granted the village \$300,000, which will be used to match the federal funds, as well as provide money for maintenance of the area for more than five years.

Richard Mutz, director of outdoor recreation for the state planning office, told the Lincoln County News yesterday that the Carrizozo project is one of 46 currently in some state of progress throughout New Mexico. However, Carrizozo's project is among the largest, he explained, and is surely the largest recreation project being planned by a town as small as Carrizozo.

Stearns said village engineer Tom Mann probably "will put things in gear" late this week or early next week by putting the final touches on planning for the project and initiating the land acquisition proceedings.

The village already has 69 acres of the old golf course and will purchase some 21 acres from the Petty family to complete acquisition of the land for the project.

The first phase of construction for the area will be grading and clearing of the land for the two lakes, the golf course and the other recreation facilities.

Location of the area is just east of the village, just south of U.S. Hwy 380. When it is completed, it will be open to the public, including tourists and visitors to the area.

It is believed that the project will provide Carrizozo with the finest outdoor recreation facility of any small town in New Mexico and one that will be among the finest in the nation.

## Where are our six centenarians?

The New Mexico Commission on Aging is trying to locate the 433 centenarians living throughout the state. Six are believed to be residents of Lincoln County.

The 1970 census revealed the interesting figures, but the names and addresses of the residents over 100 years old were not listed.

"This leaves the Commission on Aging with a problem," said commission director Rose Wood. "We would very much like to honor the centenarians but since the census information is strictly confidential, we must use other means to locate and identify those citizens over 100 years of age."

She said the census showed that six are residents of Lincoln County. "That is the nearest address we have—nothing closer," she said.

Lincoln County's six century old citizens, or their relatives or friends, are urged to contact the Lincoln County News in Carrizozo. The information will be passed on to the state commission.

## Inside the capital

### Petty: Increase reserve

Santa Fe Conservative State Rep. Ralph Petty, D-Lincoln-Sierra, says \$10 million of the expected state general fund surplus should be added to the present \$10 million reserve by the legislature meeting Jan. 18.

A Ruidoso banker, Rep. Petty notes the existing reserve is only 4 to 5 per cent of a \$262 million general fund budget. Democratic Gov. Bruce King anticipates a \$294 million state budget next fiscal year.

A two-term House member, Rep. Petty says the cushion should be raised to 8 to 10 per cent. He favors legislative action on piping hot legislative reapportionment in the regular 90-day session instead of a special session.

Senate and House districts may be reshuffled under a Santa Fe County District Court decision that invalidated 1971 legislative reapportionment laws and handed the task not back to lawmakers for another try.

The court law placed Petty in a new district of Lincoln and Guadalupe counties with 12,529 population in the 1970 federal census. This is 12.44 per cent below the norm of 14,410 per House district and the Lincoln-Guadalupe district would be overrepresented 2.44 per cent.

### Country Club cited for liquor violation

The Carrizozo Country Club is one of six licensed liquor dealers in New Mexico that were recently cited for violation of the state liquor code.

The five other violations were cited by the state liquor code. The Carrizozo Country Club was cited for violation of the state liquor code.

A fine of \$500 was levied, however \$250 of the fine was suspended for 90 days. The fine is to be paid in 10 installments.

The case, ordered by the state liquor code, is one of a series of informal hearings in the state capital.

Of the five other lines ordered by the liquor code, four are more severe than that of the Carrizozo Club.



Seven-foot drift at Crossroads Motel

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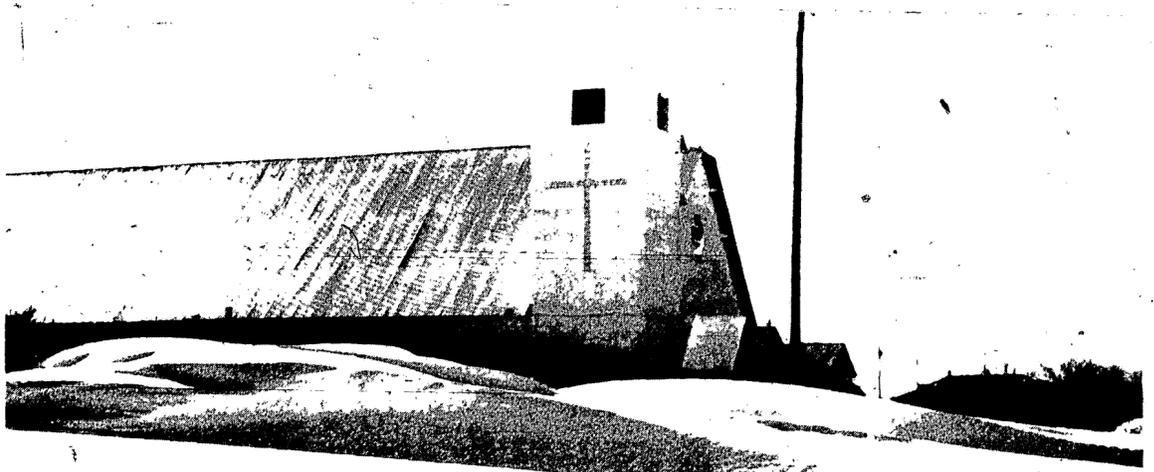
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Snow piled high near St. Rita Church

## Blizzard piles snow high in County

A blizzard-like storm swept into Lincoln County late Monday, stranding dozens of motorists and piling snow drifts up to seven feet.

Officially, only five inches of snow fell in Carrizozo, but winds up to 40 miles per hour made driving virtually impossible. Both U.S. Hwy 54 and U.S. Hwy 380 were closed to traffic shortly after 7 p.m. Monday and were not reopened until after daybreak Tuesday.

Carrizozo seemed to receive the brunt of the storm that covered nearly all of the state. However, the big snowfall came above Ruidoso where 16 inches was recorded.

Amazingly, no serious traffic accidents were reported, though numerous autos slipped off the pavement and into ditches during the height of the storm.

The biggest snow drift in the village was in

front of the Crossroads Motel. The drift was nearly seven feet high.

However, other drifts throughout the village of up to six feet covered numerous automobiles and made driving the streets of town impossible Tuesday.

Tuesday morning stranded motorists and local residents alike found their cars buried in snowbanks. And if the snow didn't stall some cars, the extreme cold did.

It was reported that all motel rooms in Carrizozo were full by 8 p.m. and the Four Winds Lounge stayed open all night to accommodate motorists who couldn't find lodging.

All schools in Lincoln County were closed Tuesday by the storm, but students returned to the classrooms Wednesday.

Old-time residents in the village were saying

that the storm and accompanying wind, an old-fashioned blizzard was the worst in the area since 1948. Tuesday morning there were not many persons to dispute this speculation.



Holidays are fun, especially for the droves of Texans that pour into Lincoln County's big country to enjoy our scenic sites and recreation facilities that are not available in the Lone Star land to the east.

While it's probably fun to come to this area any time for any reason, the big thing last week was the new fallen snow atop Sierra Blanca. And the Texans came in record numbers.

Ski Sierra Blanca throughout last week was reporting bigger crowds than any in its history. And if you were a skier trying to ski last week this was, of all things, readily apparent.

Throughout last week the winding road to the ski area was closed at the bottom at Alto before midday because there just wasn't any more room, which is kind of hard to imagine of a ski area that covers a side of the largest mountain in southern New Mexico. But not only did skiers arriving on the hill late in the morning, the last to be let in, find they had to park as much as three miles from the lift area, but lift lines became extremely long, sometimes as much as 15 minutes, and sking down the slopes was much like negotiating ones way through rush hour freeway traffic or, perhaps, the defensive line of the Dallas Cowboys.

And the hazard of the slopes was compounded by the fact that, basically, many of the visiting Texans were not expert or even intermediate skiers. There is nothing wrong with a beginning skier except that they can be likened to some winter drivers you never really know what they're going to do, regardless of the signals.

But all of this is to take nothing away from Sierra Blanca.

Having skied some of the places throughout the west that receive all the publicity, such as Taos in the northern part of the state, Alto in northern Utah, Squaw Valley and Heavenly Valley at Lake Tahoe on the California Nevada border and Mammoth Mountain in the California Sierras, among others, I was surprised at the quality of the ski area here.

The white stuff was excellent, though some locals said it was both more and better than the usual, to the point of being cheater snow. When it's that good it's hard to ski poorly.

And there are runs for just about everyone, from nice, gentle slopes for the beginners, to the 25 to 30-percent hills for the intermediates and a few very serious hills for the veterans. While the runs, many of them anyway, are not overly long, they are longer than many in the west and surely couldn't be called short.

The base facilities, too, are better than the average found in many ski areas of more prominence. Good cafeteria and bar facilities go along ways toward making a place pleasant and Sierra Blanca has them.

About the only point of criticism that might be raised would be the quality of the food sold in the cafeteria. But then one goes to Sierra Blanca to ski, not in search of gourmet meals.

Lincoln County would do well to let the skiing world know a little more about Sierra Blanca. When the snow is good, it can hold its own with all but a few of the West's finest resort areas.

Besides, I suspect the Texans only come in huge numbers a couple of times each winter. The rest of the time, one could probably have some of the slopes pretty much all to himself.

Serious skiers would eat that up.

The Lincoln County News, as well as the other three Village Press newspapers, is taking on a new look this week.

Probably it is self-evident that the columns in this issue are considerably wider than those of

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### Grizzlies at home

## Mixed schedule for cagers

Lincoln County's five prep basketball teams, most of them coming off a two-week holiday break, go back on the hardwoods this weekend in a schedule mixing some conference and some non-conference action.

Carrizozo's Grizzlies, sporting a record of six wins against three setbacks, host two tough teams from district three, Estancia in town Friday evening, while cross-county Dixon Springs here Saturday.

Lincoln prep sports the Saturday game at Carrizozo, playing hosts to Moriarty from Friday to Saturday. The hardwoods are sporting the best mark of the county with a 10-2 record.

Both will be playing games on Friday night, with Moriarty at Carrizozo and Estancia at Moriarty.

Capitan's Tigers, with a record of seven games won by two losses Saturday after the Friday trip to Black.

And Ruidoso's Warriors, with a record of five wins and four losses, plays only the Capitan game this weekend.

### Sen. Dole to address GOP Lincoln affair

National Republican Party Chairman Senator Robert J. Dole of Kansas will be the keynote speaker for the annual Lincoln Day dinner sponsored by the New Mexico Republican Party, according to Mrs. Edward Neff, dinner chairman.

Mrs. Neff, who is also New Mexico's Republican National Committee Woman, said the dinner has been set for Feb. 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the Hilton Inn in Albuquerque. The \$100 per couple dinner is the party's major fund raising event of the year.

"We are delighted to have such an outstanding speaker and noteworthy personality," Mrs. Neff said. "This is the first time we have been privileged to have the National Committee Chairman speak to us, and we are expecting a capacity crowd for the event. In fact, we wouldn't be surprised to have standing room only," she added.

Mrs. Neff toured several central and eastern counties of the state this week to promote the dinner and to meet with Republican County Chairmen. She was accompanied on the tour by State Finance Director Horton Stickle of Albuquerque and by Mrs. Tillie Simon, who is Regional Vice Chairman for Region Two.

The three were in Moriarty Jan. 3 for an 8 a.m. breakfast at Blackie's Cafe. The breakfast meeting was coordinated by Torrance County Republican Chairman R. T. Floyd of Estancia and County Ticket Chairman Bob Poage of Moriarty.

Monday morning, the group traveled to Carrizozo for a luncheon meeting at the Four Winds Restaurant. The meeting was arranged by Don Swalander of Ruidoso, acting Republican County Chairman for Lincoln County and Ticket Chairman Don Stark of Capitan. A coffee and meeting was arranged for 3 p.m. Monday at the Nob Hill Restaurant in Ruidoso.

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**Wedding planned**

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Raiford Tracey, of Corona, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rhonda Babe, to Kenneth McKibben, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman McKibben, of Williams, Ari. Rhonda is a 1971 graduate of Corona High School and attended Eastern New Mexico University. Kenneth graduated from Kirkland Central High School and enlisted immediately in the U. S. Navy where he is stationed aboard the USS Higbee. No date has been set for the wedding.

**Corona News**

**Lucille Jones Rites Friday**

Services were held in Albuquerque Friday morning for Lucille Jones Stewart who passed away early last week. Interment was Friday afternoon in the Corona Cemetery with the Rev. Wilbur Randall, pastor of the Corona United Presbyterian Church officiating. Mrs. Stewart is survived by a son, Terence Blake Graham Denver, Colo., one granddaughter, one brother, Fenner D. Jones, Albuquerque, and a sister Mrs. Kennan Fuller, Corona. To this family we extend our sincere sympathy.

Casket bearers were William E. Dishman, Ernie Sultemeier, Earl Roper, A. J. Gibbs and Kennan Fuller.

She was born in Corona, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jones. She attended school here. E. N. M. U. and was presently employed as a secretary at the U. of N. M. where she was enrolled in the spring semester.

Louise Clouse and Steve Ferramospr returned Dec. 26 to Naval Air Station Memphis, Tenn. where both are attending aeronautical mechanics schools.

Bobby and Teri Clouse and Crystal Yancey spent the New Year week end with Mrs. Lona Hedges in Albuquerque. Mrs. Hedges is the grandmother of Bobby and Teri.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Tom Bryan and Daniel left Wednesday for Kirkland, Washington after a five week vacation with the Elmo Traceys. Mrs. Raiford Tracey and David Albuquerque were here for the weekend.

The annual congregational meeting of the Corona United Presbyterian Church will be Jan. 12 at 7:30. A covered dish dinner will be held at 6:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Mullins and Pat spent Thursday through Sunday with the Moon Mullins family over the Christmas holidays. Pam Mullins was home this time and spent a restful four days with her parents. Fletcher Mullins and family returned to Santa Vasa Sunday after Christmas. Pam returned to Alamogordo. Visiting in the Mullins home through the tournaments was Avon Teal, a former student of West. He is now on the National Guard.

Carl Holmgren reports 14 inches of snow with 1 1/2 inches moisture for Dec. which brings the total moisture for 1971 to slightly over 14 inches.

Mrs. Coughton Richards of Roswell spent a few days last week at the ranch with the Lathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kuykendall, Providence, R. I. spent last week with his father, Lee Kuykendall and Mrs. Kuykendall. They flew home Dec. 28 after visiting other relatives, Buster Conn, Mrs. Pearl Conn and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Conn, Roswell, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elliott at House. Ronnie is in school and plans to teach. His wife has been teaching in Head Start.

**Elam-Hobbs vows Exchanged**

The granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Elam, Miss Teresa Elam, of Capitan, was united in marriage to Cary (Smokey) Hobbs, of Long Beach, Calif., Dec. 23 at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Harold Cartwright officiating. The bride was given away by her father Montie Elam, of Purday, Mo.

Her bridesmaids were her sisters Miss Cindy Elam, of Capitan, and Miss Jeanie Elam of Purday.

Her grandfather, Charlie Elam, was best man.

The bride wore a white satin floor length gown with sweetheart neckline and long sleeves with small pearl buttons, with a white tulle finger tip veil, fastened with a satin bow to her head.

She carried a bouquet of blue and white miniature carnations and baby breath with white satin streamers.

Her something old was a pearl tear from on a silver chain given by her mother and something new pearl ear rings given by grandmother. Something borrowed was a 1954 penny (date of her birth) worn in her shoe for good luck. And she wore a traditional blue garter and the blue carnations in her bouquet.

The bridesmaids were dressed in blue satin and aqua taffeta floor length gowns with short veils of tulle held in place with ribbons to match their gowns. They carried nosegay bouquets of white carnations with streamers to match their dresses.

**For The Women . . . .**

by Eleanor Payton

Reports are that everyone had an enjoyable evening at the New Year's Eve dance at the Country Club. The music was furnished by the Sheldon Burks orchestra of Alamogordo and a large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Spurlock of Hobbs were here Thursday to visit with Mrs. Lewis Farris who is a patient in the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Waldon and son Neal, of Mountainair, spent Sunday with Miles sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hefker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ellison, of Alamogordo, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Alford.

Mrs. Stewart Apgar spent Christmas with her son and family in Los Alamos.

Roy Dow and his mother Mrs. E. C. Dow spent last week in El Paso.

Mrs. Ida Matthews visited her son Moser Dudley in Santa Rosa during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Means and John Tilch Jr. of Scottsdale, Arizona, spent Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Tilch of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rickerfson enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mary Strum.

Mickey Caldwell returned to Boys Ranch at Belen Wednesday after spending the holidays with his aunt June Straley.

Blanche Straley and children of Roswell spent four days with June Straley during the holidays. They all visited with Blanche's mother Mrs. Leroy Owens in Corona one day.

Olive Harte returned home Sunday after visiting her daughter and family in Albuquerque.

Mae Shafer had as her guests for a Christmas Eve dinner the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howell of Portales, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shafer, Scott and Billy Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gibson and Jonna Sue of Meridian, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Glover of Tulsa, Texas, Bobbie and Stephen Stearns of Nogal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McVeigh attended the marriage of their son Bill to Dorothy Smith in Los Alamos, Saturday evening at 7:00 p.m. Bill and Dorothy will make their home in Portales where Dorothy is attending college and Bill is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Young and family of Denver, Colorado, arrived Dec. 26 to visit Mrs. Young's mother Mrs. Roy Shafer and other friends and relatives. They returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Rear had as their guests for dinner New Year's Day their son Tom Jr. and family of Alamogordo and Mrs. and Mrs. C. H. Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roley Ward had as their guests for the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Don Ray and daughter Colleen Roley Ward Jr. and his children Henry and Ganger of Silver City. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Horton and daughter Margaret of El Paso.

Roy Dow and Esther Lewis, of Albuquerque, visited their mother Mrs. E. C. Dow during the holidays. Mrs. Dow's grandson Scott Lewis and his wife Jo and their sons were also guests in the Dow home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Florian spent Christmas with Mrs. Florian's mother Mrs. Robert Sellars of Decatur, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rickerfson of Silver City, visited in the W. H. Rickerfson home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Smith of Yuma, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Baker of Santa Rosa, spent Christmas in the Nellie Lee Baker home.

The Baptist Church entertained the young people with a show and midnight refreshments Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Vest and daughter Susan returned home Friday after spending several days in Albuquerque with relatives.

Mrs. Estelle Withers is home after spending a few days in the hospital at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thornton returned Thursday from a trip through Texas, Arkansas and Tennessee. They spent Christmas in Arkansas this was the first time Mr. Thornton had been in Arkansas at Christmas time in 45 years.

The Friendship class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Bob Vest Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Cora Boone returned home Thursday after a five week visit with her daughter Bettye Graham in Leland, Miss. and her granddaughter, Gayle Bush and family in Lubbock.

Mrs. Thelma Apgar returned Sunday from

Los Alamos, where she spent the holidays with her son, Stewart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen King Sr., had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metzger and girls from Bryan, Texas, Mrs. Metzger is their daughter.

Mrs. Jane Ortiz spent Christmas in Los Alamos with her son and family, her younger son, Artie also accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Aguilar and children, of Clayton, were here over the holidays visiting, Mr. and Mrs. Sabino Vidaurri and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sally Ortiz had three of their sons home for the holidays: Mike, Tommy and Bob of Albuquerque, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gilbert Ortiz of Roswell. Gilbert will be home from Vietnam next week.

Recent visitors in the Bud Payne home were: Darlene and Dick Gilland, of Tularosa, Sandy Harkey, Michelle and Monica, Mrs. Eva Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Zane Leslie and Mrs. Jim Leslie and two daughters from north of Capitan. Sandra has moved to Roswell, and is employed at the First National Bank there.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Payne, of Dunning, Nebr., are the parents of a son born Dec. 16. They have named him Guy Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willos Hill and Colin returned Saturday from a trip through Arizona. They visited Mrs. Hills mother, Mrs. Minerva Gale in Duncan, Mrs. Hills sister and brother-in-law Tom Dees in Gilbert, and their daughter, Helen and Jim Lott and Donna in Silegman.

Eastern Stars attending a School of Instructions in Tularosa Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Acker, Mrs. Thelma Apgar, Mrs. Catherine Aker, Mrs. Gretchen Lindsay, Mrs. Agnes Hein and Miss Frances Degner.

Julia Sherrill has entertained her grand children, Allen and Lois of Ruidoso, Robert and Elva Lois of Capitan, and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Meyers, and Jack of Tularosa.

District deputy president, Grace Long of Alamogordo, and District Deputy Grand Master Arthur Weight, of Carrizozo, have announced a Public Joint Installation, of Coalora Rebekah Lodge No. 15 and IOOF No. 30 Carrizozo to be held in Carrizozo January 8, at the IOOF Hall, to begin with a covered dish luncheon at 6:30 p.m.

The Democrat Women of Lincoln County will hold a luncheon meeting at the Four Winds Restaurant in Carrizozo, Tuesday, January 11, at noon. All Democrat women are urged to attend.

Cora Boone returned last Thursday after a holiday vacation in Texas and Mississippi. Enjoying a Thanksgiving get together in Lubbock with her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bush, daughters Marni, Traci and Kristi and the Graham family. Betty William and Debbie. She returned to Leland with the Grahams visiting until after Christmas.

**Former Capitan resident dies**

Dee Hickman died Dec. 25 after several months of serious illness.

He was born Dec. 19, 1904 in Wister, Oklahoma. He lived in Capitan for many years. He had the Standard Station. They sold and moved to Tularosa where they purchased the Knotty Pine Motel at 355 Central.

The funeral services were conducted at the Hamilton Funeral Home Chapel in Alamogordo and burial was at Angus cemetery.

Rev. Cartwright of Angus, conducted all of the services.

Pallbearers were Gabriel Sanchez, LaMoyné Peters, Charles Ferris, Floyd Stallberg, Dee Simpson and Bob Jackson. Honorary pallbearers included Jim Leo, Alfred Nowell, Tom Bingham, S. J. Pruett, Gilbert Peters, Jack Aldrich, Lewis Cummins and Jack Young.

He is survived by his widow Mrs. Alta Hickman, a son Odell Hickman of Dallas, one daughter Faye Weddige of the ranch, and two sisters Mrs. Lizzie Raines of Wapnucka, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Alice Henderson of Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

**Nogal travelers, festivities**

Here's wishing everyone a blessed and prosperous New Year.

Betty Ann Wilkinson and daughter, sister of Opal Greer, visited in the Greer home a couple of weeks during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Greer went to Truth or Consequences Monday to attend the funeral of Randall's uncle, Mr. Doug Cain. They returned in the evening and had to spend the night in Carrizozo because of the snow storm.

Mary Ann Houck and family, daughter of Sam Cox, spent the Christmas holidays in Nogal.

The Glenn Zumwalt family of Socorro spent several days recently visiting Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Zumwalt.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty McCrory spent Christmas in Bowie, Texas with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Dillard spent Christmas day in Ruidoso with Betty and Lena Kennedy.

Mrs. Maxwell and Curtis spent Christmas at Morgan Maxwell's Ranch at Claunch.

Curtis Maxwell visited his father, Frank, in Alamogordo on Sunday.

It's wonderful on this snowy morning to see Everett Greer going all over town shoveling everyone's sidewalks. He started out before 7 a.m. and we're all very grateful for his thoughtfulness. These acts of kindness are what makes life worth living.

Mollie Bosh spent Christmas in Alamogordo with her son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sharpe's son, Keith and family, spent the night in Nogal recently on their way home to Haxton, Colorado. While here they visited Keith's uncle, Ralph Forsythe.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Richardson had company during the holidays. Both of Phil's older sons were able to spend Christmas at the Richardson Ranch.

We had a doubly nice Christmas because we got to spend it with both of our families. I think it was the best Christmas we've ever had and hope all of yours was special too.

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Bank ground breaking

A formal ground breaking ceremony was held in Capitan last Tuesday morning for the new bank structure to house the Ruidoso State Bank's Capitan Branch Bank. The branch bank opened officially Oct. 15, 1970 and since that time has been temporarily located just south of the former Miles Williams' Drug Store. Ruidoso State Bank officials participating in the ceremony included from left, Dr. James Beall, Ruidoso State Bank Chairman of the Board of Directors; Olin Woolldridge, Ruidoso State Bank

board member; Mike Capps, Capitan branch bank manager; Ed Wimberly, Ruidoso State Bank president; Ben Hall, Ruidoso, general contractor for the project; Gerald Dean, Capitan merchant, member of the Capitan Village Council and member of the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital Board of Directors, and Hollis Cummins, Capitan merchant and president of the Capitan School Board.

### Groundbreaking for bank branch at Capitan

**CAPITAN** - By Margaret Rench  
A new building for the branch of the Ruidoso Bank has been started west of Dean Hardware which adds to our shopping center.  
The general contractor is Ben Hall of Ruidoso. The foundation has been dug and the forms built. The building is expected to be finished in February.  
Mike Capps has been the manager of the Ruidoso branch since it opened here. They occupy the old building south of the old drug store building.  
The old Ranger Station residence building is being taken down at this time and when that one is finished the other building too will come down. All is making way for more progress.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lamay and family have moved from their ranch to their new trailer home near Lincoln and Roy Baker has moved from the trailer home to the ranch for the winter.  
Mrs. A. L. Barber and Dick have added a new carport to their home which looks very nice and will be great for their new car.  
Mrs. Mary Allen and a pickup collided in the gap east of Capitan. Just on top of the hill The

pickup was pulled in by the wrecker. Mrs. Allen was taken to the Ruidoso Hospital but had only a few lacerations.  
We did have a variation of winter-wet snow showers last Wednesday, afternoon. Then the weather cleared and turned cold for the remaining part of the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Garcia and Patricia spent Christmas Day with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garcia at Mountainair.  
Mrs. Alldredge and her mother Mrs. Drinkard of Goldsmith, Texas, spent the holidays with her daughter and granddaughter Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Langford and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGary spent Christmas with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heatherlin and family on Carlsbad, Friday and returned Sunday.  
Mrs. Doris and two sons Wesley and Grover went to Buena Vista, Colorado, and spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Turner. They left Wednesday and returned Sunday and on their return they traveled through snow all the way to Corona.  
Juanita Nowalk left by bus Friday and spent Christmas with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd

Sandoval in Albuquerque and returned Sunday.  
Jimmie Padilla had a car wreck Sunday after Christmas near Ft. Stanton. The car was a total loss and Jimmie escaped with only a few lacerations.  
Mrs. Torkelson of Robinson, Kansas, spent over two weeks with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Benter. She enjoyed that new grandson and helped after mother and baby returned from the hospital.  
Mrs. Paul Jones, Kenny and Beckie went to Muleshoe, Texas, to visit her Aunt Miss Dottie Wilterding Tuesday through Thursday.  
Happy birthday to Eddie Jones who had his birthday Christmas day. I wish you many, many more very happy birthdays and Christmas.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Taylor came Dec. 22 and took his mother Mrs. Allie Taylor with them to Alamogordo for Christmas. Allie had to take treatments for her back and stayed with her granddaughter Mr. and Mrs. Cooper until she was released last Wednesday. Mrs. Cooper brought her home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reamy returned from Odessa, Texas, last Monday where they spent

Christmas. They were gone Dec. 23 thru the 27th and returned with a new pickup.  
Mr. Wayne Cozzens and his sister Miss Jane Cozzens of Albuquerque attended the Dee Hickman funeral services last Monday.  
Terry Cartwright of Pasadena College flew to El Paso by plane where her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Cartwright and family met her Dec. 24. They had a great day there together then came home to Angus and had a good Christmas at home with a delightful dinner and a happy time. They took Terry back to El Paso Friday Dec. 31 for her return to California and her studies.  
I was told about the nice Christmas lighting in the subdivision the before Mrs. Kingston, and I took that drive and behold it was lovely. The Perks home had a beautiful silver tree inside with two very small lighted green trees on the porch with stringer of lights in all colors on the bannisters. There was a large lighted blue star with a twinkling light in the middle in the background in the yard and four trees a little distance from it on each side and to the front were lighted. One was stationary blue the others had blinking lights. Another home, before we arrived there on the left had the most beautifully lighted porch. It was just a riot of colors which gave us cheer as we passed by. Thank you dear friends and neighbors for those lovely lights and expressions for this joyous season. Really does give so much cheer. I am proud of our town and its spirit.  
I took Mrs. Maude Kingston and her sister Miss Lou Harris to Ruidoso Downs where we

enjoyed several hours of wonderful visit and had a delicious dinner with their brother Mr. and Mrs. Jess Harris at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Goins of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris and Mrs. Agnes England were present. Mrs. England went home with Mr. and Mrs. Harris last Wednesday during that storm for a few days. She left by bus Sunday afternoon for her home in Ferris, Calif. We had a delightful day and it was warm and quiet.

#### Weather

By L. Z. Manire

	H	L	M	W
December 30	44	22	46	03
December 31	47	25	00	05
January 1	44	28	19	03
January 2	48	24	00	12
January 3	51	32	00	30
January 4	49	07	35	10
January 5	23	03	00	03

Summary of moisture for December 1-71:  
Total for the year 1971, 14.15 which is little better than half-inch above normal. On January 1 we received 3 inches of snow and on January 4 we received 5 inches of snow.

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Lean Boston Butt Cuts	Pork Steak	Lb	69¢	Mungusuckie White & Dark Meat		
Sliced, Bologna Peyton	12 Oz Pkg		59¢	Fisherboy Brand Fish Sticks	2 Lb Pkg	\$3.69
Pot Roast	USDA Choice Beef, Valu-Trimmed, Blade Cut	Lb.	68¢			
Sliced Bacon	Ranch Style Thick Sliced	Bulk Pack Lb.	58¢			
Pork Roast	Fresh Picnic Cuts	Lb.	48¢			
	Fish'n Chips	Fisherboy 1 Lb Pkg	74¢			
	Breaded Shrimp	8 Oz Pkg	74¢			
	Portions, Gorton's Breaded Catfish	11 Oz Pkg	73¢			
	Ocean Beauty Standard Size Oysters	10 Oz Can	\$1.03			
	Cocktail Singleton's 3 Pak Shrimp	3 4 Oz Jars	\$1.19			
	Steaks-Tradewinds Brand Halibut	12 Oz	89¢			
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**Margarine** Parkay Regular Quarters Lb. Ctn **33¢**

**Biscuits** Pillsbury Sweetmilk or Buttermilk 10 Ct. (8 Oz.) Can **10¢**

**Cheese Slices** Farmer Jones, Individually Wrapped American Singles 6 Oz. Pkg **37¢**

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**Swiss Cheese** Signature Natural Chunks 8 Oz. Pkg **65¢**

**Cream Cheese** Kraft Philadelphia Brand 8 Oz. Pkg **37¢**

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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.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE. NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Judgement of 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 Aley M. Lode Mining Claim being in Section 25, The Margaret Placer Claim, being Lot 1 in Section 26, 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 338 chs., thence Northeast to Northeast corner of SE 4 NE 4 Section 25, thence South to the place of beginning; All of Lot 1, 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 Township and Additions: Lots 1 to 10 both inclusive Block 1, Lots 1 to 18 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 4 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 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, Lot 3 Block 9, Block 11, Lot 4 Block 12, Lot 1 Block 13, Lots 2, 7 & 8 Block 20, E-2 Lot 2 and All Lot 3 Block 34, Lots 1, 2, 3 & 5 Block 37, W-2 of Lot 1 Block 38, Lots 3 and 4 Block 50, ALL in WHITE OAKS, O. P., 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 Judgement 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 not 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

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE DISTRICT COURT

W. L. EDWARDS, et al, Plaintiffs, vs. VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, et al, Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE FOLLOWING-NAMED OR DESIGNATED DEFENDANTS:

GROUP TWO: THE RECTOR AND VISITORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, a Virginia Corporation, LAURA GAYES REYNOLDS, GLENN ROY, NEALE ROY, NITA FEAZELLE, WESLEY B. BLANKENSHIP, ROYCE E. BLANKENSHIP; GROUP THREE: The Unknown Heirs of the Following-Named Deceased Persons: GEORGE W. MCCARTY, CORA ALICE LEE, BERT RICE, WINIFRED RICE, M. D. SELF, ESSI SELF, C. M. ARMSTRONG, VERNAH SCOTT, MOYSTON; GROUP FOUR: The Following-Named Persons, if Living, if Deceased, Their Unknown Heirs: GRACIE H. DIGGS, WALLACE B. BLANKENSHIP, ROSE T. BLANKENSHIP; AND ALL UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS.

GREETINGS: You and each of you are hereby notified that W. L. EDWARDS, MARY JANE EDWARDS, W. J. WILLIAMS, JR., ELSIE E. WILLIAMS and RIVERSIDE GOLF, INC., a corporation, as Plaintiffs have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Civil Docket No. 8822, wherein you are named or designated as Defendants and wherein the said Plaintiffs seek to obtain constructive service of process upon you.

The general objects of said action are the establishment of the estate of the Plaintiffs, W. L. EDWARDS and MARY JANE EDWARDS, and W. J. WILLIAMS, JR. and ELSIE E. WILLIAMS, in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause against the adverse claims of the Defendants, and each of them and everyone claiming by, through or under them, and that the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from claiming the existence of restrictions and prohibitions against the use of said real estate by Plaintiff, RIVERSIDE GOLF, INC., for the construction of a full eighteen hole golf course on portions thereof, and the subdivision for residential purposes of the remaining portions not used for golf course or clubhouse purposes, and that the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title, or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the estate of the Plaintiffs, and that the title of the Plaintiffs, W. L. EDWARDS and MARY JANE EDWARDS, and W. J. WILLIAMS, JR., and ELSIE E. WILLIAMS, thereto in fee simple be forever quieted and set at rest, said property being that certain land situate in the Village of Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, within Sections 21 and 22, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M. and more particularly described in the Complaint.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in the said case on or before the 22nd day of February, 1972, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted. The names and post office addresses of the Attorneys for the Plaintiffs are as follows: Grantham Spann Sanchez and Rager, Suite 914, Bank of New Mexico Building, Albuquerque, New Mexico, and John W. Thompson, Post Office Box 777, Ruidoso, New Mexico. WITNESS my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this 29th day of December, 1971.

Edward Penfield, Clerk By Eugenia Vega, Deputy

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MYRTLE CATO MENDEL, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: FRANK P. HIGSMITH, JR.; JOHN H. HIGSMITH; THOMAS E. HIGSMITH; GEORGE H. HIGSMITH; DOROTHY WILLIAMS; WILLIAM S. HIGSMITH, JR.; MILDRED GILL; WILLIAM J. DERRICK; ELAINE LIBBEY; HOWARD C. DERRICK; BENNIE N. DOWNING; J. RONNIE DOWNING; LLOYD S. DOWNING; BEN GOODWIN; TRUSTEE; ROBERT H. HIGSMITH; SARA SUE JOHNSON; JESSE LEE HIGSMITH; MARY EVELYN HIGSMITH; CALLA CATO WASLEY; DAPHNE CATO BASKETT; JANE CAROLYN CATO BERRY; EDWARD C. TARBUTTON; CARLES C. TARBUTTON; MARY CATO SWAYNE; HUGH CATO BUTLER; CATO KAY BUTLER; DAVID A.

ROGERS; WILLIAM W. ROGERS; ROBERT C. THAXTON, JR.; STERLING E. KINNEY; TRUSTEE; LUDIE HOLMAN-CROSLIN; CLIFFORD D. SMITH; JAMES C. SMITH; GEORGE KYLE SMITH; MARION HOLMAN; LESLIE HOLMAN; MELTON HOWARD HOLMAN; JIMMIE S. HOLMAN, JR.; CAULIS HOLMAN RAY; LOIS HOLMAN CAMPBELL; FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN DALLAS, TEXAS, GUARDIAN of the Estates of JOHN ROBERT HOLMAN; RONALD OWEN HOLMEN and HELEN CHERRY HOLMAN, Minors; BLANCHETTE & SHELTON (a Partnership); LOIS HARPER; MILDRED DUDEBASTADT; ILA FAYE HOLMAN; and ANNABELL HOLMAN JOHNSON; and all unknown persons claiming any lien on, or right, title or interest in the Estate of MYRTLE CATO MENDEL, Deceased: YOU ARE NOTIFIED that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, Ancillary Administrator of the Estate of MYRTLE CATO MENDEL, Deceased, has filed in the above styled and numbered cause its verified application to determine heirship, and the court has appointed the 14th day of February, 1972, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m., in the chambers of the above court at Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the time and place for hearing of said application, and will proceed to determine the heirship of MYRTLE CATO MENDEL, Deceased, the ownership of her estate, the interest of each respective claimant therein, and the person entitled to distribution thereof. Attorney for said Ancillary Administrator is WILLIAM W. BIVINS, P. O. Drawer O, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001. WITNESS The Honorable Judge of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and the seal of said Court this 27th day of December, 1971. (D. C. SEAL) -s- Edward Penfield Clerk

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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 to 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. H. Elfred Jones, whose address 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

First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, December 30, 1971. Last published January 20, 1972.

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.

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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, Judy 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 a 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. Elfred 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

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY ON WHICH TAXES ARE DELINQUENT TO SATISFY THE LIEN FOR TAXES, PENALTIES, INTEREST AND COST DUE To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that on the third Monday in January, being the 17th day of said month, 1972, in the office of the County Treasurer in Lincoln County, New Mexico, the undersigned County Treasurer, by virtue of the power vested in him by law, will sell to the state of New Mexico the lands and lots or parts of lots on which taxes are delinquent for the year 1970 and prior years, if any, as shown by the tax rolls of said county for said year and prior years, unless the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs due be paid prior to the date of the sale. WITNESS my hand this 17th day of December 1971. Mabel Vigil County Treasurer Lincoln County, New Mexico. First published in the Lincoln County News January 6, 1972. Last published January 13, 1972.

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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.

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.

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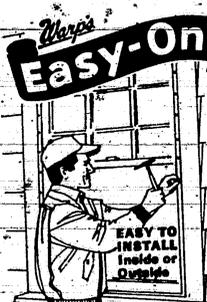
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## A. McBrayer rites Wednesday

Andrew J. McBrayer, 78, a Lincoln County pioneer, passed away January 2, in the local hospital after a very brief illness.

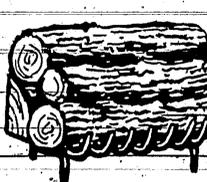
He is survived by his wife Mrs. Eunice McBrayer of Carrizozo, one son, Joe McBrayer of Roswell, two daughters Mrs. Edna Jones and Mrs. Opal Hill both of Carrizozo.

Mr. McBrayer was a retired employee of the Southern Pacific Company working many years in the Southern Pacific roundhouse as fireman. Services were held Wednesday at the Church of Christ. Officiating was Dan Wright, pastor.

Active casket bearers were Brack Cornett, Joe McDaniels, Tom O'Rear, Sally Ortiz, Art Helms and Albert Roberts. Honorary bearers were Roy Harman, John Harkey, Johnson Stearns, Elmer Hust, Charles Haley, Bob O'Connor, Wayland Hill, Sr., Greer West and Fay Harkey.

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, direction by Chapel of Roses Mortuary.

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### Way of the West

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last week and for years past. Basically, each page - though still exactly the same total size - now has just five columns of news and advertising, as opposed to the seven used previously.

There are several reasons for the change, which the News staff hopes its readers will admire and enjoy immediately.

First, though not most important, many newspapers throughout the United States have, in recent years, been changing to the five-column format. Its the latest thing, so the experts tell us.

But more than that, the experts have explained the reason why the changes have been made. They say that the average newspaper reader in the United States (whomever he may be) is now a more educated person than ever before and that his reading habits are different.

A.N.R. (average newspaper reader) can, so studies have shown, read a single line two-and-five-eighths inches wide in a single glance. To

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give him anything less is, in effect, to slow down his reading ability.

So, if you care to measure, the new columns in this issue are exactly that wide - two-and-five-eighths inches. This is an increase in size from the old width of one-and-seven-eighths inches.

So the aim is, hopefully, that the News will now be more readable, so to speak. But you're welcome to try the little test yourself. Simply read down this column, paying attention to whether you have to move your eyes to take in the whole width of a line. If you can do it, you're an average reader.

While advertising rates will change slightly, they are not being increased. The rates have been adjusted, but the end results are all the same. It will still cost the same amount to purchase a full-page ad in the News, or a half-page or quarter-page, for that matter.

The adjustments, of course, are necessary, because now there are only 105 column inches on a page, compared to 147 inches used in the old style.

This week, and probably for the next several to come, the Village Press is in the transition period. But we think you'll like the final results.

# NOTICE

## LINCOLN COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS

Lincoln County property owners are being reminded again that January and February are the months set aside by State Law for the rendering of real & personal property for taxes.

Head of the family is entitled to \$200 exemption, but must be claimed each year. New Mexico Veterans with a Certificate of Eligibility are entitled to \$2,000 exemption. Certificate must be presented and proper endorsement made on the certificate, or an exemption can be allowed.

Following is the Assessor's itinerary for visits to the outlying precincts for the convenience of taxpayers in rendering of property for 1972:

Jan. 12 - Nogal, Mrs. Stearns' Store

Jan. 13 & 14 - Capitan, City Hall

Jan. 19 - Corona, City Hall

Jan. 21 - Lincoln, Museum

Jan. 25 - Picacho, Browsers' Store

Jan. 27 - Tinnie, Elma's Store

Feb. 1 - Hondo, Gonzales Cafe

Feb. 3 - San Patricio, Post Office

Feb. 8 - Glencoe, Shorty's Store

Feb. 10 & 11 - Ruidoso Downs, City Hall

Feb. 15 thru 18 & 22 thru 25 - Ruidoso, City Hall

**MARION SCHLARB**  
**LINCOLN COUNTY ASSESSOR**

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## ATTEND EVERY GAME Carrizozo Schedule



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

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