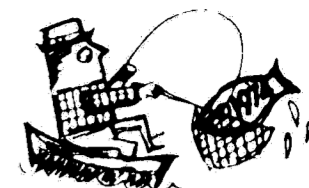




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Thoughts and chuckles
for a new year

Our Christmas in Kansas with Kathleen and Marian O'Donnell was real nice and this trip was made possible by some good people here at home, namely Pete, Kathy, Eddie, Frank, Dorothy and George who took care of the News and printing the Citizen we were gone. Many thanks to them.

W W

Only two minor problems while Kansas KU couldn't win the Big 8 basketball tournament, and small wet spot on the rug in the living room. Seemed hardly fair to blame Coco when the one person in the room didn't see him do it.

W W

Bowl games were better than usual. Sure surprised that Alabama lacked much of a pass defense. Thought the Longhorns should have suited up Bevo because they headed more "beef on the hoof" to cope with Nebraska. Glad to Ohio State win big, should smooth out their Rose Bowl trip. LSU has good ground game, they forgot about it and let Penn State beat them.

W W

Getting a dance band on New Year's Eve is a very expensive proposition as well as impossible. The good ones in the area are booked up from year to year. Carrizozo Country Club people took a chance and moved the annual new year dance up one night. It turned out a winner. Big crowd, all friendly, fine music and good times in a way that only happens in Carrizozo.

W W

Hope all you guys start off the New Year with the dry look.

W W

We're crawling out the door on way to Nogal to apologize to Roby Burk for not getting her news in last week. Real sorry about that.

W W

Read two books during the holidays. We recommend "Robert" real cute story of home loving quail in paperback. Well loan one of our Christmas books, "Lose" which is sports from start to finish. First cover gets it for week only.

W W

Sure wish we could be of assistance to Captain people in their quest to keep Forest Service Facilities in town. Have note from Tessie R. Batey saying "There has to be a way for it to stay here. I am praying for it to stay here." We'd better get down the various bureau trax before it completely destroys our way of life. As the morale we read out of that Captain mess, The Forest Service is a lot more responsive to Bernadine County than people of Lincoln County where the forest is for rather simple reason. There's one holiday for more people in Bernadine.

W W

After a January 1974 National Observer states "Small towns not only aren't gasping, they're flourishing." They're talking about small towns of 4,000-6,000 population which is a different bag than the several hundred in Carrizozo of Arizona.

W W

It's first baby time all over the land and Joe Hererra is certainly the first around these parts with four baby goats born New Year's Eve late on the Robert Creel Ranch West of town. There were eight in the litter born in a small corral, four survived the cold.

W W

Have I been speaking to Coco and Wanda since returning from Kansas. On rest stop at Guymon, Okla. dogs got nice walk on leash. Next stop was to fill coffeeing in El Dorado, Kansas. Elena looked in back seat only one dog there. After some sweating and fussing, decided we'd better drive back to Guymon because driver of passing car yelled it is just a we were eating and we didn't hear what he said. Made the 400 mile trip safe enough. There they were waiting at the spot we had our Mustang race. They had just as an checked tires.

W W

Progre's new tires in pickup game had 100,000 miles. Also had short session of products out of the earlier better for doing a week of turned out products are this plus a few more sort of speed up the variation.

W W

88 pool from Dallas.

Continued that start in a way that shags up when more a bag.

Have you heard about the "New" book that's been written about "Avalanche" from our "PS" title. Short short stories.

The was modern youth is dressing today. It is indeed a wise father who knows his own son.

People used to offer to pay you a penny for your thoughts. Now it cost \$10 an hour to get a psychiatrist to listen to them.

Farting thought. One thought driven home is better than three left on base.

W W

The 1973 Year had its problems for us, more the available help than anything, and not enough time to do the kind of newspaper job we'd like to do. Hopefully things will improve this month with arrival of two new journalism grads. It has been a great pleasure for us to work with people of the area who are doing things, trying things, and making the wheels turn, and who will work with us. In our life we just don't have much time for others. A pleasant and prosperous New Year to you. PWP

Revenue Sharing money takes big jump Budget up along with taxes

Nearly a year after the controversial reappraisal of Lincoln County property values, residents in the Ruidoso area are beginning to feel the impact of that undertaking. The impact is coming in the form of tax notices mailed to the residents and property owners in the county. Some of these notices reflect dollar increases as high as \$200 on some of the older properties in the county.

Some of the biggest increases are being felt in the villages of Ruidoso, Ruidoso Downs and Carrizozo. Each of these municipalities saw increases of more than 100 percent in their property values for tax purposes.

The taxable value of property in Ruidoso rose from nearly \$7.5 million to over \$15.5 million in one year. Ruidoso Downs went from not quite \$1 million to over \$2.3 million since last year. Carrizozo also grew from just less than \$1 million to almost \$2.2 million.

A great deal of this increase can be attributed to the fantastic growth in each of these communities, particularly in the southern portion of the county. But a large portion also came from older property which over the years has become grossly undervalued.

The examples around us are many as some properties which sold for maybe \$10,000 just five years ago, can sell for over \$20,000 today, basically unimproved. Land speculators have turned profits as high as 100 percent practically overnight.

To counteract this meteoric rise in taxable value the county has lowered tax levies drastically in two of these three communities.

In Ruidoso, the tax rate was decreased 16 mills for a drop of more than 25 percent. In Carrizozo, the decrease of 18 mills amounted to more than a 33 percent rate decrease.

Ruidoso Downs is unquestionably going to be

the hardest hit. In addition to a 135 percent increase in overall tax value, the new 18 mill levy for the sewer bond helped create a 15 mill increase in their tax rate for almost a 50 percent overall rate increase.

All of the decreases felt in Ruidoso and Carrizozo however, are not the result of sweeping tax cuts by the county commissions. The levy sheet shows that both communities got out from under municipal levies of 12 and 13 mills, respectively.

The county cuts came to only 15 mills or about a 20 percent rate increase. This leaves the county with about a 60 percent increase in tax dollars from each of the two communities.

Where is that additional money going? This' additional revenue is contributing a major share to the approximately 40 percent increase in the county budget for fiscal year 1973-74. This large increase is figured before revenue sharing is added to the budget.

Revenue sharing money returned to the county from the U.S. Government out of our income taxes, is scheduled to jump 700 percent from last year's \$17,591. The county will this year have \$133,439 of our federal taxes to spend here.

Without figuring revenue sharing monies either last year or this, rounded off to thousands the county budget increased from \$254,000 to \$350,000. After revenue sharing, the figures are \$271,356, vice \$483,691 approved for this fiscal year. This amounts to a 78.2 percent increase in the money the county commissioners plan to spend this year.

Broken down by departments, the commission plans to spend this additional money as follows:

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$45,321	\$39,024

Among the decreases in this department was \$5,000 by closing the county landfill, more than \$10,000 in utilities, postage and supplies by budgeting each department for these separately. Record books were eliminated here for a \$5,200 savings. Bringing the total back up is a 50 percent increase in the commissioner's salaries amounting to \$3,600 for the three; the hiring of a full time county manager for a \$6,700 increase and clerical help at \$4,800. Also added here from another department were capital outlay and repair and maintenance at \$7,500.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$17,591	\$133,439

The county commission is using the whopping increase in this category for capital outlay. Included are several new pieces of road equipment for the road department \$17,000 toward the new Senior Citizens Center in Ruidoso \$17,000 to reopen the county hospital in Carrizozo and \$6,000 annual subsidies to the Ruidoso and Carrizozo ambulance services. County manager H.F. Fillingim, Jr. also said that revenue sharing funds are being used for special law enforcement programs of the Sheriff's Department.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$24,760	\$26,660

This department is basically unchanged with only inflationary increases added to last year's expenditures.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$16,838	\$10,276

This department showed nearly a 100 percent increase, partially by picking up some of the expenditures dropped from under administration such as postage, utilities and supplies amounting to more than \$2,500. Also added was \$4,000 of the \$5,200 dropped for record books. A nearly 30 percent raise for the county clerk \$6,840 to \$8,784, and adding another deputy to raise that expense from \$5,220 to \$11,700 were some of the major increases here.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$7,028	\$8,222

This department also stayed close to last year. New expenses were added for additional clerical help, a technician and other incidentals.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$38,938	\$69,912

This one is obvious. To undertake the giant reappraisal project of last year, a large staff was necessary. In budgeting, the commission showed the determination not to get so far behind again. The major increases are for new personnel including a new deputy, doubling this from \$5,220 to \$11,700, an appraiser and secretary at \$7,200 and \$4,800 respectively, and a 30 percent raise for the assessor, \$6,840 to \$8,784. A mapper was also hired at \$7,200. Other new expenses included several thousand dollars for postage, telephone, supplies and car expenses picked up from administration this year.

1972-73	1973-74
Expenditures	Approved
\$14,260	\$25,728

This department is another that nearly doubled its budget for this year. Most of the increase came in salaries with the treasurer getting the same increase as the clerk and assessor and the addition of a deputy, also making the rise from \$5,220 to \$11,700. The rest of



Joy to the world!

Once each year for the past 30 years Faye King has welcomed the New Year by smoking a big cigar. The year 1974 should be a good one because she did it again at the Country Club party. Turn to page five to see more pictures of the fun at this party.

Barham does show job in Hawaii

R.C. Barham, manager/trainer of Milliron Lazy Three Ranches in Lincoln County, was invited by the Hawaiian Quarter Horse Assn. to judge their show in early December. R.C. has been doing quarter horse judging all over the country but counts this one the most interesting up to date.

He writes: It rained both days of the show, but was very warm and mild. And of course under swaying palms and a bright green countryside for background. It was a different scene from New Mexico in December.

Horses are definitely a luxury on the islands with hay costing \$10 to \$12 a bale and prepared feeds, grains about twice the price as on the mainland. Also a horse bought on the west coast costs \$350 to air freight to Honolulu, plus additional veterinarian fees. With proper health certificates there is no quarantine period for horses.

I was surprised to have an A-1 show, 266 entries in the Quarter Horse Division to judge plus a full afternoon of hunters and jumpers. Many of these horses came to Oahu from other islands, mostly by barge but a few by air for the show.

The quality of halter horses was very good comparable to those at a mainland show and performance classes were also on a par, especially in the jumping and roping events.

Exhibitors were very sportsman like and

congenial even in the down pour. I had begun to develop web feet as I had judged a two day show in Del Mar, Calif. just before the Hawaii show, also in the rain.

Perhaps the highlight of the trip was Irene, Pat and I getting over to the big island to visit the Parker Ranch, 224,000 beautiful acres, running 50,000 Hereford cows and employing 120 people and large enough to have a village and shopping center right on the ranch.

Incidentally, the 1974 American Quarter Horse convention will be held in Honolulu.

Health care costs go up

Rising costs of health care require an increase in the deductible for hospital insurance under Medicare, according to James Flemons, social security Claims Representative. For hospital stays beginning in 1974 the beneficiary will be responsible for the first \$84 of his hospital bill, an increase of \$12 over the present amount.

A Medicare beneficiary who has a hospital stay of more than 60 days will pay \$21 a day for the 61st through the 90th day, rather than the present \$18 a day. The first 60 days in a benefit period are without charge to a beneficiary after the initial \$84. For a post hospital stay of more than 20 days in a skilled nursing facility he will pay \$10.50 a day instead of the present \$9.

The cost to a person who must draw on his "lifetime reserve" will rise from \$36 to \$42 a day. The "lifetime reserve" is the 60 days a beneficiary can draw on one time if he is hospitalized more than 90 days during a benefit period.

The present deductible will apply to all hospital stays that start in 1973, even though they may extend over into 1974.

Flemons may be contacted at the County Commissioner's Room, Lincoln County Court House in Carrizozo on November 20 from 10 to noon.

Hospital Report

Admissions, Dec 20 Ysabel Gules, Carrizozo
Dec 24 Leshe Guck Nogal Robert Creel Carrizozo
Dec 26 Dorea Garrett Ancho Dec 27 Charles Mackey Connie O'Rear Mary Boes Ruidoso Downs
Dec 28 Rosemary Gallegos Carrizozo Clifton Zumwalt Carrizozo Norman Blackwell Houston 12 29 Claudine Powers, Carrizozo
Discharges, Dec 27 Ysabel Gules Leshe Guck Charles Mackey Dec 28 Mary Boes Norman Blackwell Dec 29 Dorothy Garrett, Rosemary Gallegos, Claudine Powers, Dec 31 Connie O'Rear

Weather--by Manire

	H	L	W
Dec 11	66	30	12
Dec 14	64	40	10
Dec 15	62	15	8
Dec 16	55	14	6
Dec 17	55	15	10
Dec 18	63	28	20
Dec 19	29	44	10
Dec 20	38	4	6
Dec 21	30	8	6
Dec 22	38	6	12
Dec 23	60	29	15
Dec 24	40	28	10
Dec 25	44	15	12
Dec 26	44	18	8
Dec 27	44	13	15
Dec 28	57	28	12
Dec 29	57	30	20
Dec 30	62	43	15
Dec 31	61	14	12
Jan 1	41	21	20

By Eleanor Payton

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Hayes spent a week in Scottsdale, Arizona with his brother, Johnny O. Hayes and family.

Visiting with Mary Rich in White Oaks over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Don McCaskill of Los Angeles and Mary's five children, Claire Wilson of Loveland, Colo., John Wilson of Houston, Chris and Lucy Wilson, Austin and Mark Wilson who attends school in Dallas.

Mrs. Tom O'Rear flew to Dallas Texas for a December 15 Christmas party and family reunion of the Gilbert family. She spent Christmas day in Alamogordo with her son, Tom Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Aguilar and family spent Christmas Day in Alamogordo as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Herrera.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams went to Houston on Dec. 20th and brought back Mr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blackwell to spend the Christmas holidays with them. Unfortunately, Mr. Blackwell had a heart attack while here and was a patient in the Alamogordo Hospital for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Williams, with their family, returned to Alamogordo on Dec. 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McKibbin of Stafford Kansas, on their way to La Grapes to visit their son and family, stopped and visited with Mr. Tom and family.

Mr. Tom and family spent the Christmas holidays with Don and Dorothy Queen in Las Cruces. Large Christmas parties were held at their home on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell of Pecos Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howell of Portales were guests of Mrs. Roy Shafter over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gibson and daughter, Johnnie of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glover and daughter, Vicki, of Tulsa Texas spent Christmas in Carrizozo with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns.

A family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Stearns on Christmas eve included Mr. Roy Shafter, Mrs. Pearl Stearns, Howell Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shafter, Scott and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallacher, Bill Gallacher Jr. and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stearns and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gibson and Johnnie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glover and Vicki, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Howell and Roy and Sherill Howell and Dr. Amy Barton and teacher family.

Albuquerque and then on home to Torrance after spending the Christmas holidays in Carrizozo with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burns in Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Welcolm Armstrong spent Christmas day in Albuquerque with their sons, John, Dan, and Gary and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Spencer had as their guests over the Christmas holidays M. and Mrs. Eustradas Kavadas, Hugh Bancroft of Newport Beach, California and Chris Bancroft of Dallas. Mrs. Kavadas is the former Kathy Bancroft. She and her husband have just returned from a two month trip to Greece where they visited his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of Farmington spent Christmas day with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Snow.

Mr. J. E. Thornton returned home Dec. 24 from Alamogordo where he had been a patient at Gerald-Champion Hospital after undergoing surgery.

Mrs. Manuel Ortiz and Artie were in Los Alamos for Christmas with Mrs. Ortiz's son, Larry and family. Her daughter, Lillian, of San Diego, California, joined them there for an enjoyable four day visit.

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Silver tray for Geraldene

A Beta Epsilon chapter held the sixth meeting of the year in the Beta Economics Room of the Corona High School. A short business meeting was conducted by President Tyree.

The good news pattern from the Beta Sigma Book Life Learning Fellowship featured Mrs. Robert Williams. Examples of the good of Scholastic, A.M.S.T. and Heros were discussed. A call was answered with each member giving a personal example of a person who had inspired them.

Mr. Robert Bradford hosted the meeting and served refreshments of tea, coffee, cake and fruit, laid from a nice covered table cloth decorated with an arrangement of fresh flowers. Members attending were Mr. Robert Bradford, Mr. Fred Perkins, Mr. Frankie Johnson, Mrs. Ed Brown, Mrs. Archie Perkins, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Mrs. Robert Williams and Mrs. Tommy Tyree.

Highlights of the evening was the presentation of a certificate to Mr. Archie Perkins in recognition of his only four year service as a pharmacist in the far-flung store, Mrs. Perkins' retirement in 1967. The inscription on the certificate read:

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Guest speaker at Xi Beta

The 1973 meeting of Xi Beta Epsilon chapter was held at the State University of New Mexico. Dr. Paul Jones, Director of Student Services, Dr. Jones spoke was who had been the guest speaker at everyone's meeting. Dr. Jones spoke of the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant, ACT, Family Educational Inquiry and the College Level Exam Program, spoke with Scholastic and Athletic scholarship programs to help with the financial costs of educational. Following Dr. Jones talk was a question and answer period.

All members of Xi Beta Epsilon hosted the meeting serving refreshments of coffee, tea, hot chocolate and cookies. Corona High School students attending were Jack Albin, Davidson, Robert Lenono, Walter Garfield, Hope Marquez, Ramona Stewart, Karen Winchester, Debbie Selman, Colleen Williams, Lois Ann Sultemeier. Gamma Theta Chapter was represented by Miss Martha Vandaveer, Miss Shirley Daugherty and Mrs. Bob Byrd. Members of Xi Beta Epsilon were Mrs. Royce Wahsburn, Mrs. Bill Brown, Mrs. Robert Bradford, Mrs. Claude Foster, Mrs. Robert Williams, Mrs. Rand Perkins, Mrs. Tommy Tyree, Mrs. Archie Perkins and Mrs. Melvin Sultemeier. Miss Donna Jones, a student at Alamogordo Mid High accompanied her father to Corona.

Cowbells have busy year

Canyon Cowbells met for festive Christmas meeting and gift exchange at the beautifully decorated ranch home of Mrs. Phil Richardson Thursday December 20, for delicious covered dish luncheon featuring spaghetti with meat sauce.

In the various reports that were made, members learned that activities of the year had been most successful, including the following: Beef recipe fair at which Welda McKinley won third in junior division at state level. Cowbells received many favorable comments invited to serve as hostesses for Christmas to Bank observance of bank week in April, featured a variety of beef treats such as beef candy, cookies, bread, etc. even 'Bull Whip' (did you ever drink beef?). Stickers were placed on 3,000 bank envelopes promoting Beef for Father's Day. Posters were distributed to various meat counters throughout the county. The Father's Day picnic was well attended at which William Gallacher, Sr. was named local Father of the year.

Nancy Knight's article 'Tail End of Beef Prices' received good press coverage, including national newscaster, Paul Harvey. Anne

Republican Women at Kline home

The Lincoln County Republican Women's Club were guests of Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Kline of Captain for their December Meeting.

Mr. & Mrs. Kline furnished a roast turkey and the trimmings and each of the 17 members and visitors furnished a covered dish to finish out a delicious meal.

The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Farrel Canning (RA). The business at hand was taken care of. Plans were discussed concerning the Lincoln Day Dinner and will be completed at our January meeting.

It was decided to have the Bake and Rummage sale the 4th & 5th of January in Ruidoso at the American Legion Hall.

Everyone thanked Mrs. Veda Allen, Bud for planning to be our corresponding secretary.

The door prize was drawn then we had an auction which was a great success.

Our next meeting will be January 8 at the home of Mrs. Bessie Truitt, Joe, in Ruidoso. Everyone come and bring a friend. This is the beginning of a New Year so let's all get out and make this the best year ever.

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Methodists hold conference

The quarterly conference of Trinity United Methodist Church was held December 30 with District Superintendent M. Buren Stewart of El Paso presiding.

Election of officials was as follows: Trustees - R.L. Sherrill, Mrs. R.L. Sherrill, Bill Hayes, Frances Degner, Robert Shafer, Mrs. Glenn King.

Egangelism - Mrs. R.L. Sherrill, Mrs. Mabel Rentfrow.

Pastor Parish Relation - Frances Degner, Mrs. Robert Shafer, Bill Gallacher Jr., Roy Harman.

Personage - R.L. Sherrill, Bill Hayes, Paul Payton, Mrs. R.L. Sherrill, Frances Degner, Mrs. Glenn King, Honorary member, L.Z. Manire.

Audit committee - Mrs. Paul Payton, Roy Harman.

Nominations - Paul Payton, Roy Harman, Mrs. Mabel Rentfrow.

Education - Mrs. John Hein.

Membership - Mrs. R.L. Sherrill.

Worship - Mrs. Paul Payton.

History - Mrs. C.A. Snow.

Lay Member (annual conference) - Paul Payton, Mrs. Lewis Farris, Mrs. R.L. Sherrill, Mrs. John Hein, Reserve lay members, Bill Gallacher Jr., Mrs. Thelma Appgar.

Communion - Mrs. Thelma Appgar, Mrs. Roy Shafer.

Pastoral Chairman - R.L. Sherrill.

Finance Secretary - Frances Degner.

Treasurer - Mrs. Bill Gallacher Jr.

Finance Committee - Bill Gallacher Jr.

Recording Secretary - Mrs. John Hein.

Youth - Dorothy Hein.

Music - Mrs. Robert Shafer.

Song Leader - Mrs. Larry Wilkinson.

Lay Leader - Bill Gallacher Jr.

Minister - Rev. J.L. Reynolds.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Buren Stewart attended the church services and dinner following the service.

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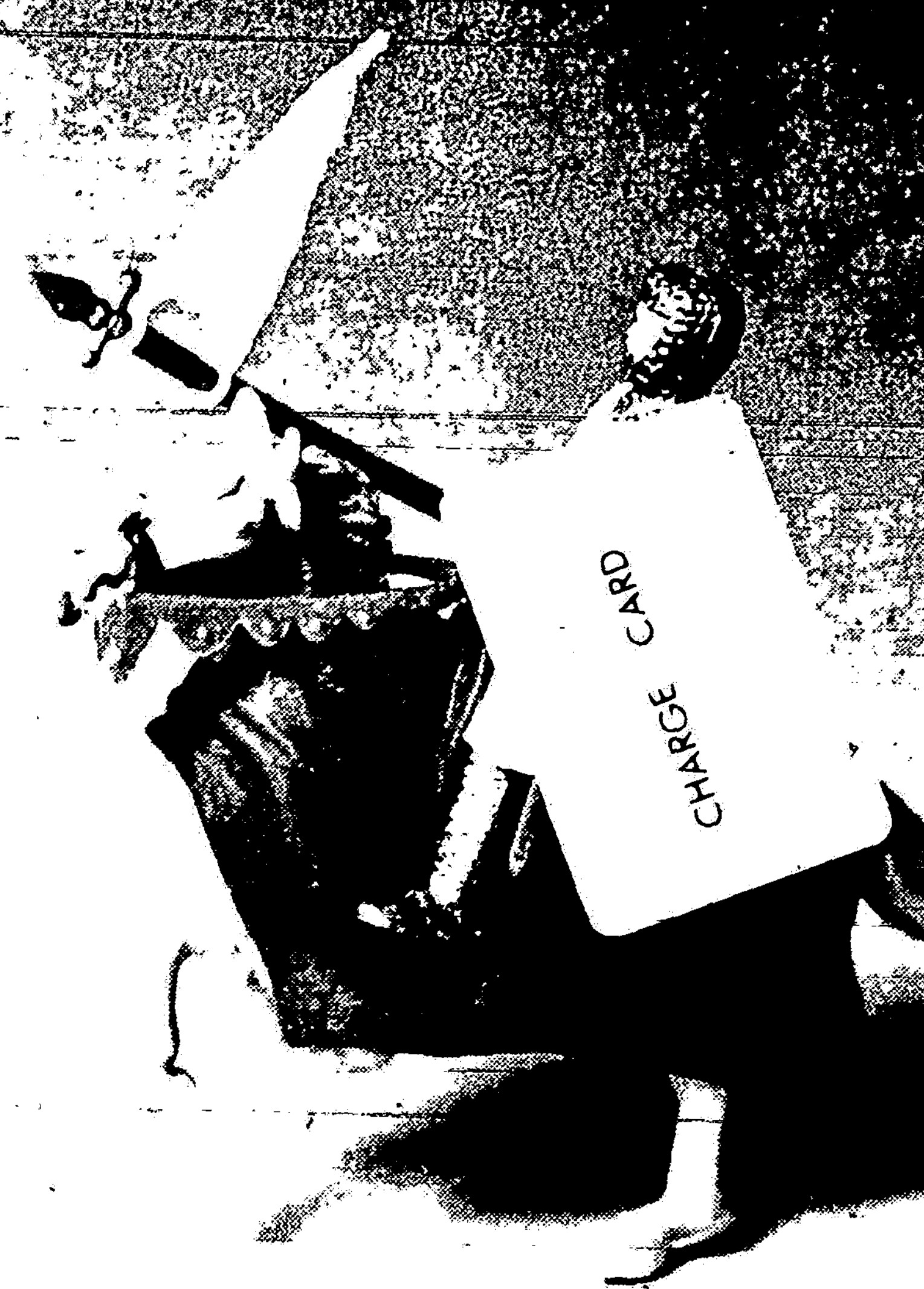
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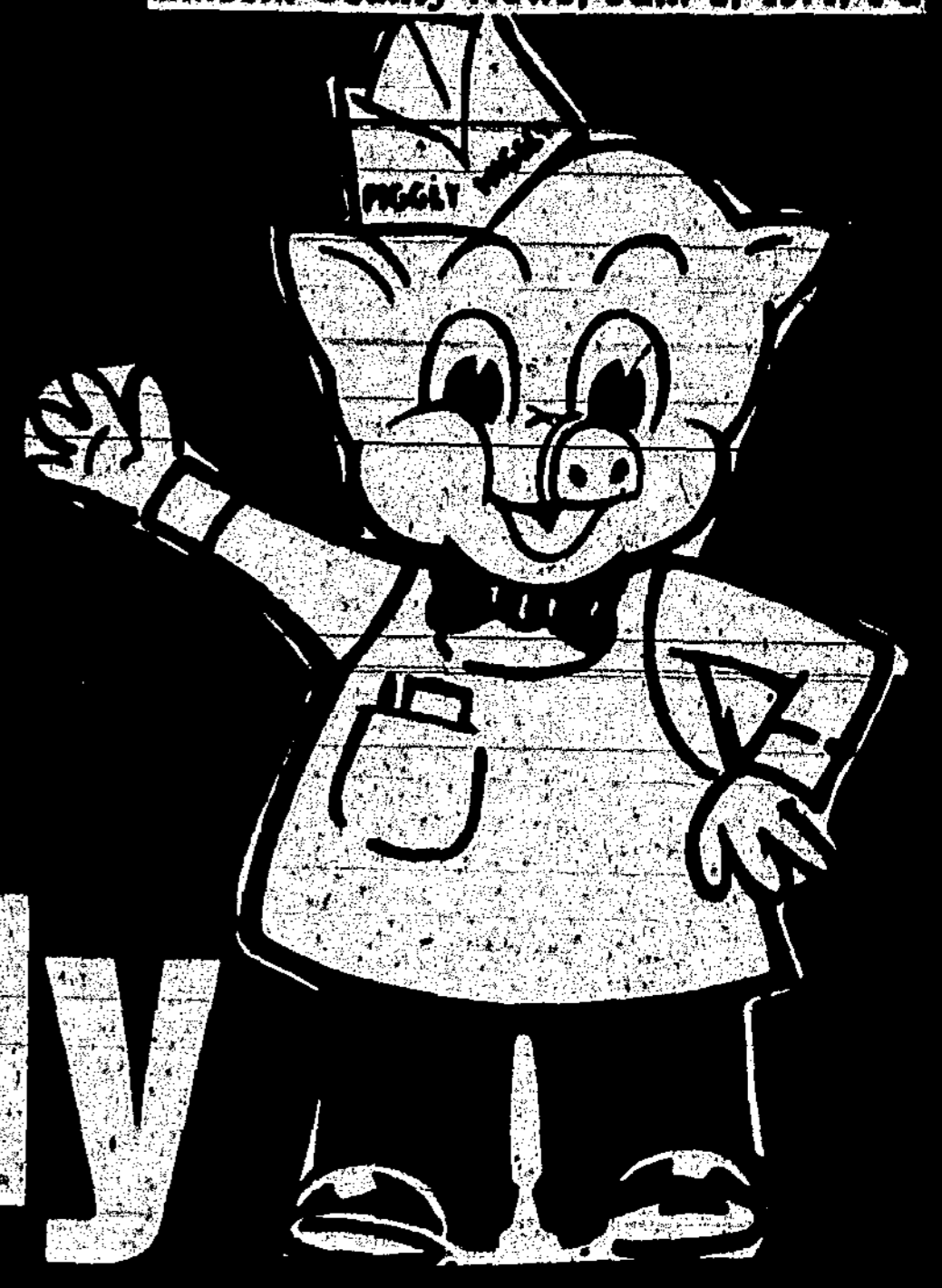
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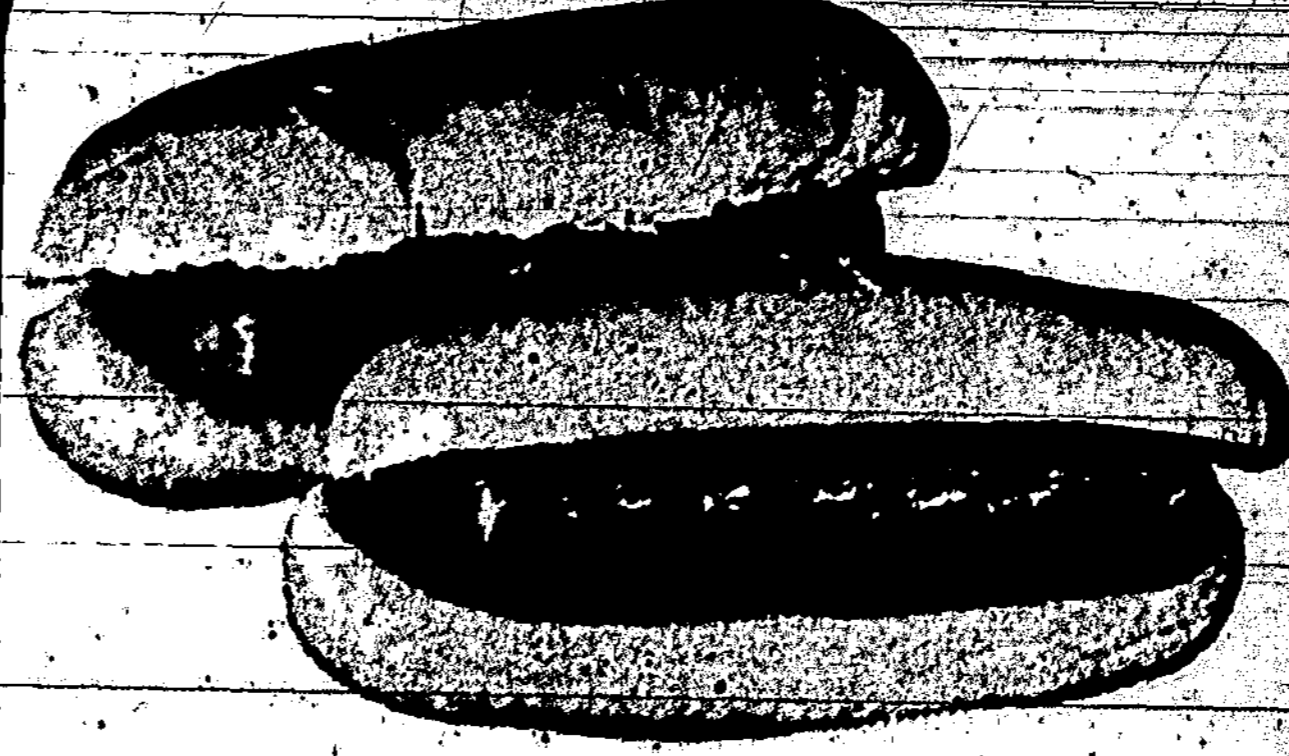
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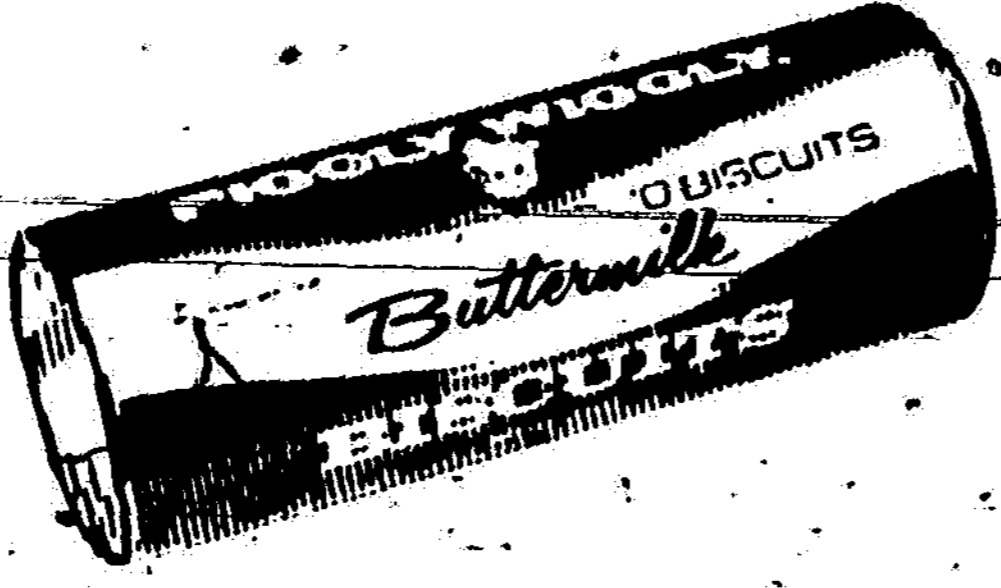
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Peas & Carrots **7 8-oz. Cans \$1**

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3 \$1
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Whole Tomatoes 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1 00**

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Peas & Carrots 4 16-oz. Cans **\$1 00**

Snap-E-Tom
Tomato Juice 4 10-oz. Cans **\$1 00**

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Creme Cookies 3 13-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

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Carol Ann, Saltine
Crackers 3 1-Lb. Boxes **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Cream Style or Whole Kernel

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4 88c
16-oz. Cans



Piggly Wiggly, Cut

Green Beans

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16-oz. Cans

Piggly Wiggly, Regular, Stick
Margarine Lb. **37c**

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Yogurt 3 8-oz. Ctns. **\$1 00**

Assorted Flavors, Liquid
Sego Diet Food 4 10-oz. Cans **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly
Frozen Waffles 8 5-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

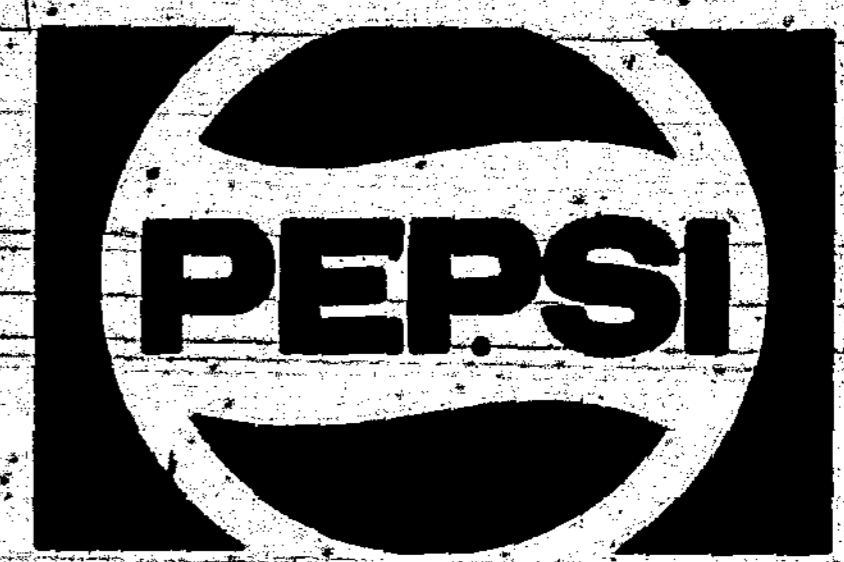
Piggly Wiggly, Broccoli Spears or Frozen
Chopped Broccoli 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Fordhook, Speckled or Frozen
Baby Limas 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Simplot, Potatoes

Hash Browns
2 39c
Lb. Bag

7-Up
And



5 \$1
32-Oz. Btl.

Piggly Wiggly, Frozen
Cut Corn 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Frozen
Cauliflower 4 10-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Cut or French, Frozen
Green Beans 4 9-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Carol Ann
Snack Crackers 3 11-oz. Boxes **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Tortilla or
Corn Chips 3 8-oz. Pkgs. **\$1 00**

Piggly Wiggly, Ginger Ale or Sparkling Water
Party Drinks 5 20-oz. Btl. **\$1 00**

Spartime, All Varieties

Pot Pies
6 \$1
6-oz. Pkgs.



The table was all set for a Christmas party at the Frankie Silva house when these guests arrived. From left, Nora Silva, Jewel Acker,

Seniada Mackey, Dr. D'Elia, James Mackey, Mrs. Becky D'Elia, Janice Silva, Frank Silva, Linda Silva. Seated are Hope Goodman, Russell Goodman and Frankie Silva.

Rotary Party held Dec. 27

In a Christmas setting in the beautifully decorated Carrizozo Recreation Center, the Carrizozo Rotary Club members, their wives and guests enjoyed a delicious steak dinner with all the trimmings.

A social hour preceded the dinner. Gifts were exchanged by the wives of Rotary members and guests. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vega & Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell.

\$45.6 million available for vocational rehabilitation

Social security was able to make about \$45.6 million, available in fiscal year 1973 for vocational rehabilitation services for people getting monthly disability benefits, according to James Flemons, social security Claims Representative. This is about \$15.2 million more than was available in fiscal year 1972.

"The added money means more disabled people can receive rehabilitation training to help them return to jobs," Flemons said.

Social security pays monthly benefits to eligible workers who are severely disabled and cannot work for a year or more and to members of their families. In selected cases, social security helps pay for vocational rehabilitation services provided by State and local agencies.

In fiscal 1971, social security provided about \$30 million for vocational rehabilitation services for more than 45,000 severely disabled workers. About 10,000 were successfully rehabilitated, Flemons said.

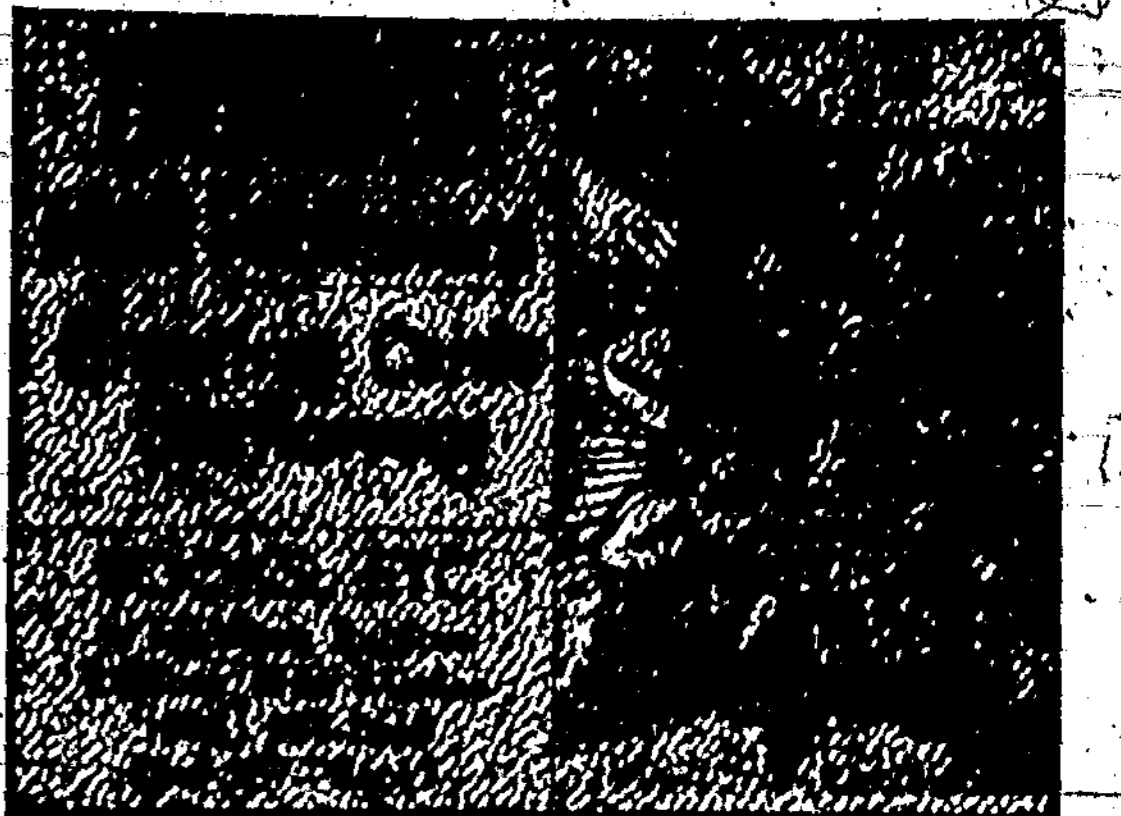
The amount available for rehabilitation services each year is based on the total amount of social security disability benefits paid during the previous year.

Flemons may be contacted at the County Commissioner's Room, Lincoln County Court House in Carrizozo, on December 18 from 10 to noon.

Lincoln County Commissioners entertained the County workers at a covered-dish Christmas Party at the Carrizozo Recreation Center recently. The highlight of the evenings entertainment was Spanish singing and dancing. Cecelia Pacheco and Betty Torrez, both from Hondo and students at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, sang and accompanied themselves on the guitar. They sang classic Spanish songs, Christmas songs and answered requests.

The "Mexican Hat Dance" and "Jesusita Chihuahua" were danced by Mrs. Domingo Dominguez, the former Celini Pacheco, and Ray Sisneros. Mrs. Dominguez is from Las Vegas, N.M. & Mr. Sisneros is from Hondo.

The party was attended by County employees and their families. The Commissioners, Chairman Paul Pacheco, Bill Hart and Bud Payne greeted guests and introduced special guest, District Judge George Zimmerman and his wife of Alamogordo.



A Bowl of Activities From Nogal

by Roby Burke

THE LEGEND OF THE HOLLY

The night the Holy Family fled out of Bethlehem. They heard the tread of soldiers coming close to them.

There wasn't any time at all to find a hiding place. For Herod's men approached them at a swift and steady pace.

So Mary took her little One and with a whispered prayer, hid him beneath a holly bush with gentle loving care.

The wintered holly put forth leaves to hide the infant king, and grew a garland of slender thorns about him in a ring.

King Herod's soldiers hurried past, and all were unaware, the infant whom they sought was safe within the holly's care.

The Christ Child blessed the holly then so it would always be, forever green a sign of hope and immortality.

SNOW

The first visitor this week is the Snow-man. The wind is blowing hard. The trees are grey and stiff and winter is really here. I huddled up in my studio and called a few people on the phone. Mr. & Mrs. Cox attended the ordination services of their son Joe Wigley in Midland, Tex. He was ordained a deacon in the Bellview Baptist Church Dec 16th. It was a wonderful experience. Sam & Loraine will be home for xmas, enjoying Sam's daughter & son-in-law, Mr. & Mrs. Hoax, and three children. Molly laughed and told me her son was coming to carry her away for xmas. Mrs. Guck told me that the T.R. Wares would be up Thursday from El Paso for the weekend and she would spend xmas here with her son and family. Mrs. Witham tells me that the Bonita is deep in and that Gloria's family is visiting them. Mr. & Mrs. Blackwell. Also she said that Ralph Eorsy the is in Truth & Consequences taking the health baths. We miss him.

Faye-Wooten entertained the American legion Aux. with a xmas party, pot luck supper was enjoyed by 40 people.

Jeff Payton is home with his father, from the Panama Canal zone, where he was serving as a communication specialist in the U.S.A. Marilyn is home also.

I heard a rumor that Bob & Sue and Mrs. Stearns I guess will be in Carrizozo with Johnson Stearns. Louis Carrevo took the Buss to Mexico for xmas and was he excited.

QUOTES:

You are not mature until you expect the unexpected.

HOW ARE THE NO CAL GALS!

Not doing so good-eh! I haven't gotten any calorie lists lately. Well! try-try again.

TIPS:

Watch your Dr.'s life-style, if you are over weight maybe you better consult a thin Dr. - sometimes Dr.'s own habits can influence his Medical advice.

A NEW DIET FOR YOU

The diet of the world's longest living people. Also they are very thin: These people live to be 138 years of age.

This is what they eat:

Lettuce, string beans, spinach, celery, parsley and cabbage. Home grown corn in any shape or form, corn mush is eaten with red pepper sauce. Sour milk and cottage cheese. They eat meat sparingly, they do not eat pork, bread or cake. Walnuts and honey is a favorite. Coffee drinking is unknown, no candy. They drink lots of tea. They enjoy wine now and then.

How about this: we might lose weight as well as living longer.

ROBY'S BOX - The Snow-man brought me some notes:

Dear Roby,

What do you tell your child, when he ask, "Mom why are there so many Santa Claus' in the store and one outside?"

Donna-

Dear Donna,

Tell him that Santa Clause has many helpers, and all the Santa Clause's are God's helpers. IDEAS FROM ROBY FOR YOUNG MOTHERS Give your children 5 packages for xmas.

- 1 - Something to wear
- 2 - Something to eat
- 3 - Something to play with
- 4 - Something for their minds (a book)
- 5 - Something for their Spirit (from God)

A letter with God's word written on it, anything from the bible - a proverb or a psalm.

The recipe this week, is something warm and easy for a Jan. evening.

HUSH PUPPIES

- 1 cup meal
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1 T. sugar
- 1 teas. salt
- 2 T. baking powder
- 1 cup milk
- 1 egg

1 chopped onion very fine

Mix up - lightly and cook at 350 for 15 or 20 min. They are out of this world, of course their not for the low Cal gals!

Letters to the Editor

Dear Paul,

First of all please forgive me for being late with my subscription payment. The football rush is over now and I can relax a little.

We had a rough but profitable first year. We play in a nine-team class "B" (AAA in N.M.) Pine Tree Conference. In the conference 3 teams had 8-1 records, one with a 6-3 record to show the strength of the conference.

We had a 1-8 record, not cellar dwellers though - a team had an 0-9 season. We finished the year with 37 varsity and 35 9th grade players. I now have 53 kids in an off season program. So there is a future. Our freshmen had a 2-2 season with lots of talent so maybe 2 years from now...

Needless to say I was surprised and disappointed with the performance of the Grizzlies, I would think they had plenty of experience to carry them to the play offs if not on pride alone. I'm not surprised with Clouderoft - they've had those same kids 3 years now so it was their year.

The school is really good. The teachers carry a lot of weight as for as school decisions go. The teachers don't have a full schedule and help kids with their free time of offer courses in fields they are familiar with ag, photography, rifle shooting, weather station work, archery etc.

We have a close contact with kids which is really great. Each teacher is an integral part of his department and school.

I just meant this to be a short note but turned to be a bit more.

Take care and give my best to the Mrs.

Roger

DR. J.R. KUHN

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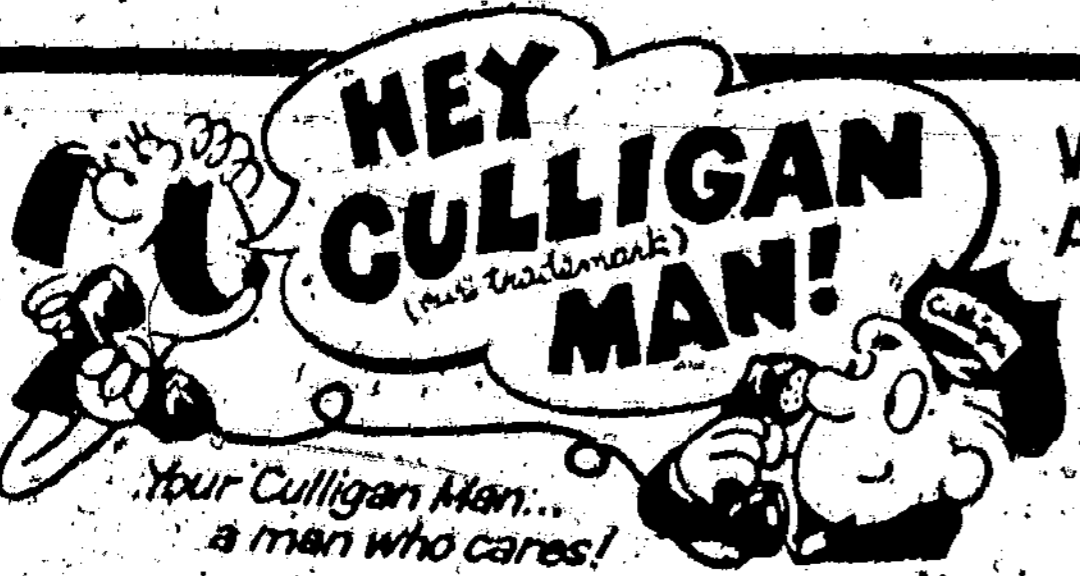
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Where food and fuel costs seem to increase regularly -- we have remained steady. And we make one more pledge to both our readers and advertising customers -- so long as we continue to sell a goodly amount of subscriptions and advertising at present prices, we will not increase our rates.

We keep you informed about your local schools, local politics, local churches, local hospital, local industry, the courthouse, and your friends and neighbors. The News is the only newspaper in the world that cares about the progress and welfare of this area.

As a part of our continuing effort to bring you a better newspaper, we will add two young people to our staff this month, both experienced in most phases of newspaper work.

With everyone working together -- the new year can be a good year for us all.

The Lincoln County News

Paul and Eleanor Payton, Publishers

Big crowd enjoys Christmas and New Year party at Carrizozo Country Club



Pausing to chat are Preston Stone, Grady Eldridge and Bill Stephenson.

A real festive affair!

Guests in festive and resplendent dress flocked to the Carrizozo Country Club for the party of the season, a New's Year's Dance on Dec. 30.

Guests were there from Carrizozo, Ruidoso, Alto, Lincoln, Capitan, Alamogordo, Nogal, Ancho, Los Angeles, California, Huntsville, Texas and Hereford, Texas just to name a few.

Mary Rich of White Oaks swirled through the evening in an all white ensemble with a floor length knife pleated skirt. Eloisa Rowin wore a striking long dress with a green skirt & embroidered sleeveless white bodice. The manager of the Ruidoso Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Richard Cothrum and his lovely wife attended the party as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Richardson. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seelback also of Ruidoso.

President of the Carrizozo School Board, Siegfried Lessaw and his wife Anna, had as their guest Mrs. Ursula West.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Henry drove up from Alamogordo. Wendell is Deputy School Superintendent of the Alamogordo Schools.

Recreational vehicles parked beside the club gave some out of town guests a good place to spend the night after the dance.

Mrs. Bill Daubs, Chairman of the Country Club's Action Committee was beautifully attired in a powder blue double knit sleeveless dress with a matching jeweled sweater. She greeted guests as they entered the club. Also, on hand to greet guests was Mrs. Jete Voss in a floor length peasant skirt of a brown print alternated with orange panels. Mrs. Valton Hall of Capitan was a party stopper in a 'Christmas' red, knit sheath dress. Her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Normah Shinkle of Huntsville, Tex. were party goers too.

Wife of Action Committee member Mrs. Henry Vega was adorned with her beautiful Indian jewelry. Also, sporting some beautiful Turquoise was Mrs. A.W. Gnatkowski of Ancho.

Mrs. Max Salcido was wearing a flowered print long dress of royal blue, navy and white in an Empire style. Also, showing off the popular Empire Styled dress was Mrs. Ralph Dunlap. Her lovely gown was done in 'poverty cloth' and pink baptiste with elbow length embroidery on the sleeves.

A beautiful shirt-waist style dress in aqua colored knit was worn by Mrs. Buster Alford as she danced through the evening.

To show off her turquoise jewelry to it's best advantage, Mrs. Bill Meinheim of Washington, D.C., wore a striking Indian print skirt with a black knit blouse. Mrs. Meinheim is the former Nancy King and has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mac King of the O Bar O Ranch.

New Ruidoso residents, Col and Mrs. Cuzick were sitting with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Walliser also of Ruidoso.

Making up a large crowd from Alamogordo were; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hoyer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dunhan, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Graham, Miss Trudy Moore and Mr. James D. Dryden, Roland Bradley and his date Miss Madeline Wall of Sedonia, Ariz. Sitting with the Alamogordo group were Mr. and Mrs. John Elmore from Tascaloosa, Alabama.

Mrs. Ralph Baroz was attired in a beautiful red velvet dress trimmed in white lace. A certain floor length black crepe dress worn over jeweled trimmed hot pants was seen serving eggs and greeting guests.

The gala event began at 7:00 p.m. with a social hour. Dancing to the music of Tiny Lynn from 8 to 12 kept the dance floor packed. Party favors were passed out at midnight and an early New Year's celebration took place. Breakfast of ham, eggs, biscuits and coffee rounded out the most exciting party Carrizozo has seen for many a year!

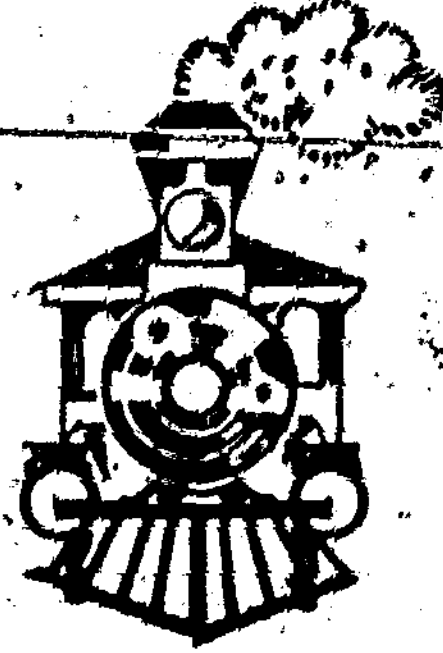


Tino Lopez was busier than a "one armed armed paperhanger" as he tried to keep up with this crowd.



Enjoying a rare "sitting one out" are Ella and Jiggs Sidwell, R.C. and Irene Barham.

CHEERS



Tiny Lynn and Tillie Daubs clown around with Action Committee members and others who helped stage the party. Henry Vega, Alton Whitaker, Mary Ellen Payne, Pat Voss, Erma Alford, Ruben Sanchez are shown under the decorations in the Club Lobby.



Mr. and Mrs. Lamoyne Carpenter, and Mr. and Mrs. Bech of Capitan share a table.



Visiting in the lobby of the Carrizozo Country Club are Lincoln residents.

Best Wishes



Dr. Daubs was keeping a close eye on this young couple as they danced a fast number.



Ruidoso and Alamogordo residents get together to share this table.

HELLO



Mrs. Earl Fenter is on the left to the table full of people are Mr. and Mrs. Valton Hall of Capitan on the left and their children and guests.

Happy New Year



Alamogordo was at the New Year's Dance in force as shown at this table that held 16 people.

Pete was trying to get out

A young man notice smoke from a house on east fifth street Christmas night about 7:30 p.m. and he turned on the fire alarm. The fire men and truck went to the Abel Pino House and were doing their duty when they broke the door there was Pete Sedillo trying to get out. He was very black and badly burned and they sent him in our Rescue unit to the Ruidoso Hospital. We have not heard of his condition. He had started a fire in the wood store. Something went wrong. The entire house was gutted and all furniture burned etc. Again our firemen did a grand job just as they have always.

When you read this we are in another New Year. May you have good health for if you have that all else will come. It is our most priceless possession. Smile on and let us have a great year together for we will win all obstacles that come before us.

We have certainly had a variety of weather this last week which did end Friday night or Saturday morning near sunrise with the most terrific wind which had blown all day Friday. The bright sunshine and clear sky greeted us Saturday morning. An inch of snow which was icy on highway though dry was on the ground when we awakened last Sunday morning. Ruidoso way had lots snow, reported 7 inches and the Ski Area 24 inches. It was very cold. We do need the moisture.

Pearl Soderback delivered 16 dinners to senior citizens Christmas Day. Her life should be rich with joy for all of the happiness she gave all of us. May God Bless and enrich her life always. Thanks a million. This gratitude comes from all who were so Blessed as to receive that delicious dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cummins and family enjoyed as guests for Christmas day and dinner, his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cummins, her parents Mr. and Mrs. Waltrip and a niece of Roswell. An Aunt from Albuquerque. All had a nice Christmas and a happy time together.

Emelita Jenkins and Elizabeth went to Clovis on Friday and spent the Christmas Holidays with her son and brother Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jenkins and returned a the 26th.

I received word from Grace Leslie that her daughter Donna Sanders underwent surgery in the hospital in Alamogordo Wednesday morning. I do wish you a good recovery, Donna. She has five lovely and beautiful children waiting her return.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Harris of Ruidoso Downy came Monday night Dec. 24 and took his Aunt Maude Kingston and Aunt Lou Harris home with them for the night and Tuesday they all went to Roswell to spend the day and have Christmas dinner with their sister and niece Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Goins. They had a great day and returned that night.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Harris and Tracie left last

Thursday for Texas for her family reunion at the home of her mother. This is the first time in 15 years the family has been together. I do wish them lots of happiness. They were to be home New Years Eve.

Happy Birthday to Miss Donna Wood whose birthday was January 1. I do wish you many more such happy days ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. LaMoyné Carpenter and family went to Clovis December 22 and enjoyed the family Christmas tree at the home of his sister Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mayberry and returned home Sunday night. Then they had Christmas dinner at the home of her sister here Mr. and Mrs. Troy Staggs and family.

Manuel Gavi of Andrews Airforce Base enjoyed 30 day furlough at home with his family in Dexter visited relatives here while he was home. Last Saturday Mrs. Gavi and family and her mother Mrs. Tonita Anaya were here for the day visiting relatives.

Mrs. Frances Vigil accompanied her daughter Olivia Evans of Alamogordo, Juanita Chavez and Juanita Nowalk to Albuquerque. They visited Mr. and Mrs. David Torrez and one month old son Ryan David. Monday thru Tuesday Juanita Nowalk visited her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gallegos and returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gomez later.

Mrs. Rench, Mrs. Kingston and Miss Lou Harris enjoyed a business day at Ruidoso last Friday. There was an exhibition of a Python Snake from Asia at Gibson Parking lots near the store. This snake was 24 feet long, 26 inches around and weighed 370 pounds. He was in a warm trailer with glass on one side. He was sleeping and paid no attention to anyone at all. He was a monster. It is hard to vision their size without seeing. It was from the Asian Jungle.

I learned of one Service Station that will be closed Sunday thru Tuesday beginning next week.

I enjoyed a delicious Christmas evening dinner with Mrs. Doris Pounds and her delightful family at her home.

Christmas Guests for two days of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Jr. were her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Stone of Post, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Eblen of Slaten, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brady of Abilene, Texas. There were 12 children in that group which made a lively and happy Christmas party.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barham of Las Cruces spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Randle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Las Cruces are moving back to Capitan next Monday Dec. 31, to make their home until Sept. school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Shaw of Las Cruces spent Dec. 21 thru 23 with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw. Then Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw went to Clovis the 23rd and spent Christmas with their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Michael Riska and Danielle and returned evening of December 28. Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson spent Christmas Day with their niece Mr. and Mrs. Slaten in Roswell.

Fighting Tigers lose at Floyd

The fighting Capitan Tigers traveled to the Floyd Invitational Tournament and made a good showing.

Thursday they tangled with the undefeated Floyd Broncos. The Tigers were failing 41-43 with four minutes remaining in the game but got into foul trouble and were defeated 61-47. David Pumphrey was high rebounder and high scorer with 18 points. Robert Abercrombie 12 Sam Townley added 10.

Capitan 6 16 33 61
Floyd 16 22 36 47

Friday the Tigers were down and lost a close game to the Melrose Buffaloes 56-57. The Tigers had the game won but costly mistakes made the difference.

Abercrombie was high with 20 points, closely followed by J. W. Ware with 16.

Capitan 12 24 37 56
Melrose 11 24 39 57

Saturday the Fighting Tigers came back strong and soundly defeated a fired up Lake Arthur team 58-37. Abercrombie was high dunking 15 points and Pumphrey chipped in 11.

Capitan 10 23 47 58
Lake Arthur 12 19 21 37

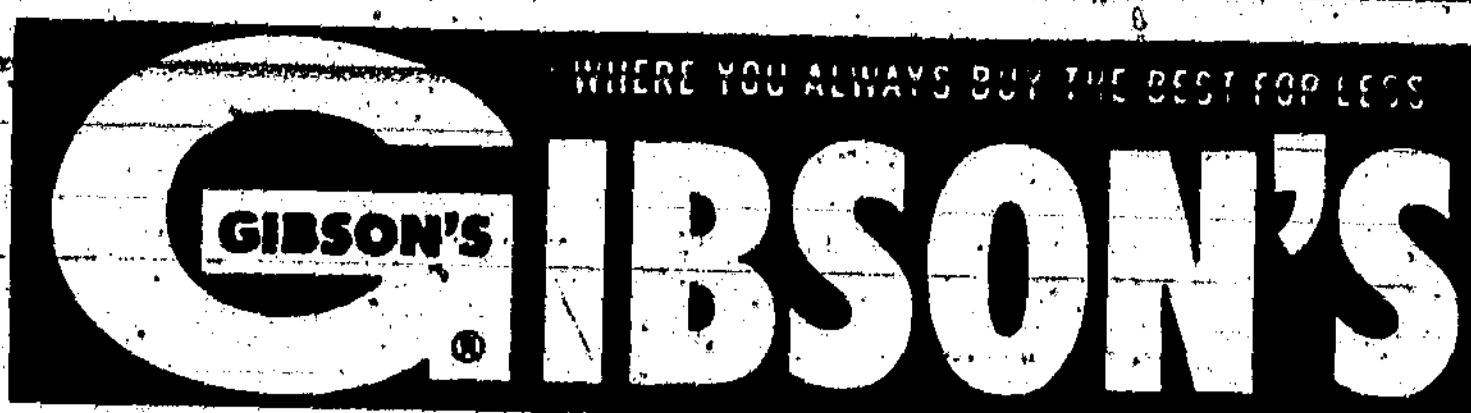
Dad saved a newspaper of November 11, 1960. In this Lincoln County News and Carrizozo Outlook of 13 years ago I found this poem:

Wouldn't this old world be better
If the folks we meet would say,
"I know something good about you!"
And then treat us just that way.
Wouldn't it be fine and dandy,
If each handclasp warm and true
Carried with it this assurance,
"I know something good about you."
Wouldn't life be lots more happy?
If the good that's in us all
Were the only thing about us
That folks bothered to recall?
Wouldn't life be lots more happy,
If we praised the good we see
For there's such a lot of goodness
In the worst of you and me.
Wouldn't it be nice to practice
That fine way of thinking, too?
You know something good about me.
"I know something good about you!"
(Author Unknown)

Wouldn't this town be better if folks would practice that fine way of thinking????

"Son", a father told his growing boy, "just remember one thing: I know a lot more about being young than you do about being old."

Darning aid:
A flashlight serves well as a darning aid for stocking repairs. Slip the stocking on the flashlight and turn the light on. The light shines through, illuminating the work and lessening eye strain. You see?



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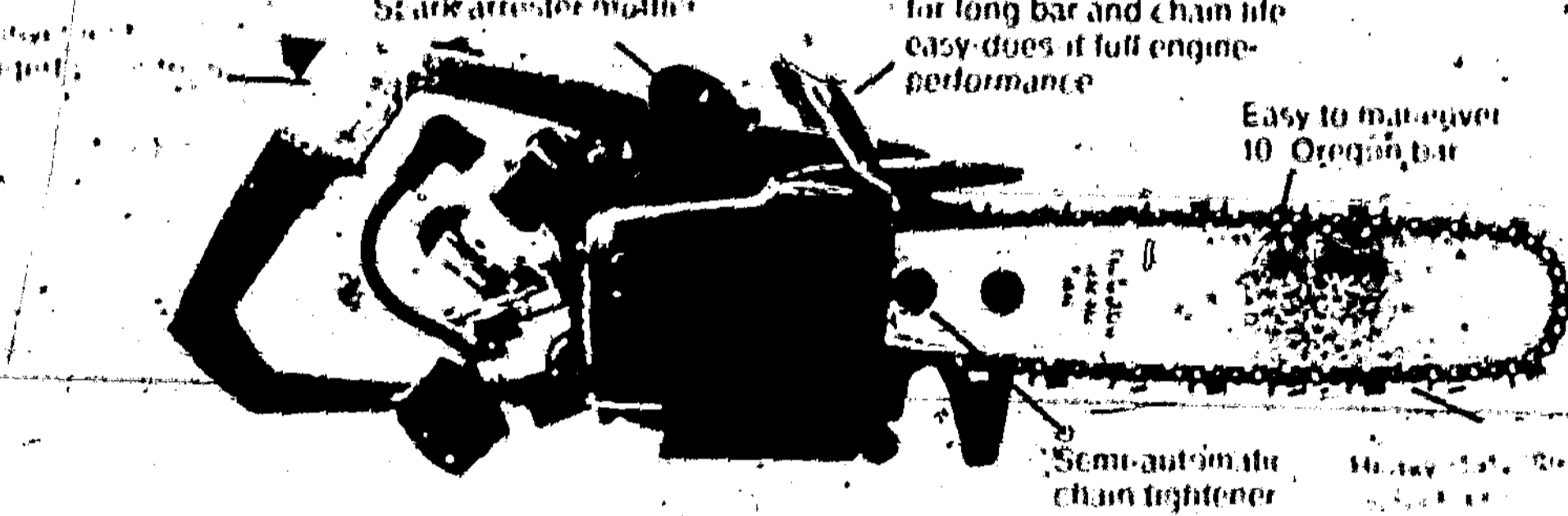
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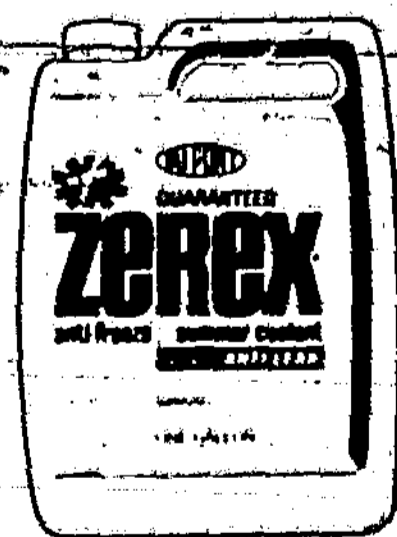
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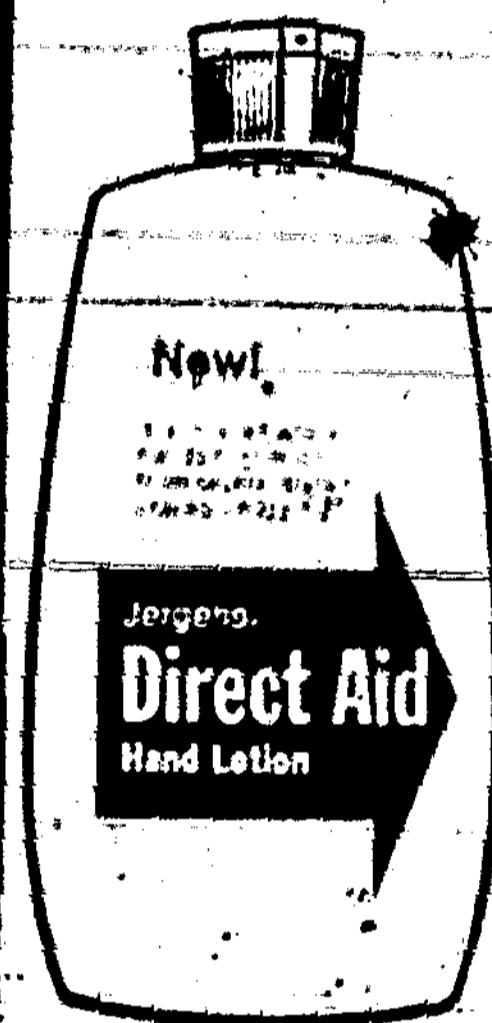
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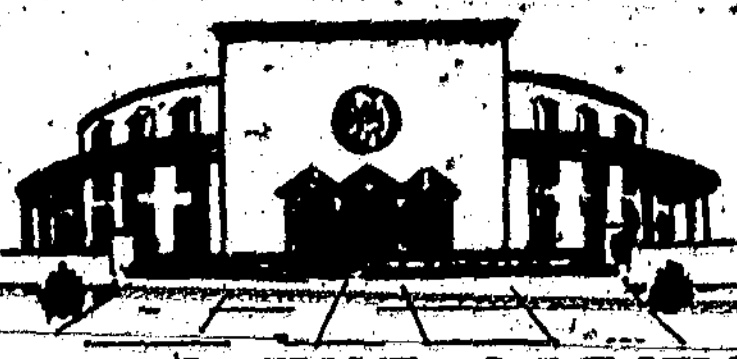
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MARY ANN BRILL, Deceased.

No. 1337.

NOTICE OF PROBATE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO To Whom It May Concern:

An instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Mary Ann Brill, deceased, has been produced, read and filed as required by law. On January 23, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., at the Probate Court in Carrizozo, New Mexico, this Court will conduct a hearing for providing this Will, and if proved the Court will render a judgement approving it as the Last Will and Testament of the decedent and will admit it to probate.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on December 19, 1973.

Barbara Lovelace
Clerk of the Probate Court
By Alice King Deputy

(SEAL)
First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, December 27, 1973. Last published January 17, 1974.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES GILES RAMEY, Deceased.

Probate No. 112

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: FRONIE HULBERT RAMEY, and all unknown heirs of JAMES GILES RAMEY, deceased; and all persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent:

You are notified that Fronie Hulbert Ramey has filed in the above entitled matter her verified Final Report and Account as Administratrix of the Estate of James Giles Ramey, Deceased; and that on the 31st day of January, 1974, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the District Courtroom, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, the above named Court will hear objections to said Final Report and Account and will settle the same, and will proceed to determine the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

Attorney for said Administratrix is: BILL G. PAYNE, Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 17th day of December, 1973.

(s) Margo E. Lindsay
District Court Clerk
First published in the Lincoln County News Dec. 20, 1973. Last published Jan. 10, 1974.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ABRAHAM B. SANCHEZ, DECEASED

PROBATE NO. 121

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR PROVING WILL

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, 1973, the Last Will and Testament of ABRAHAM B. SANCHEZ, 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 January, 1974, at 1:30 o'clock p.m. and show cause, if any they have, why said will shall not be admitted to probate.

WITNESS my hand and the 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 11th day of December, 1973.

Margo Lindsay
Clerk of the District Court
First published in the Lincoln County News Dec. 13, 1973. Last published Jan. 3, 1974.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Estate of Michael G. Gaydos, Deceased.

No. 1313

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT & REPORT

State of New Mexico to: Cleo I. Gaydos, and all unknown heirs of Michael G. Gaydos, deceased; and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent:

Cleo I. Gaydos, Administratrix, has filed her Final Account & Report, and on Feb. 15th, 1974, at 10 o'clock AM at the Probate Court Room in Carrizozo, N.M. the Court will hear objections thereto and the settlement thereof, and the Court will proceed to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution therein, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

J. Benson Newell, PO Box 69, Las Cruces, N.M. is attorney for the Administratrix.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court on December 28, 1973.

Barbara Lovelace
Probate Clerk
By Alice King Deputy

(SEAL)
J. Benson Newell, P.O. Box 69, Las Cruces, New Mexico, 88001
First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, January 3, 1974. Last published January 24, 1974.

NEW LETTER FILE—Full suspension four drawer \$75.50. New 30-drawer legal size storage cabinet \$94.60. News office.

ROUND THE CAPITOL

by FRED BUCKLES

SANTA FE—Your tax dollars will be batted around for 30 days starting Jan. 15 in Santa Fe. The legislature will wrestle with a King administration recommendation for \$39 million increase in state general fund appropriations.

This would hike appropriations from \$324.8 million to \$363.8 million in fiscal 1974-75.

Gov. Bruce King recommends a one-time income tax reduction, downward adjustment of income taxes paid by single persons and an increase in the low income credit.

But the governor says he has found little legislative support for a tax decrease. Legislators are cautious about a tax reduction because of the energy crisis, the uncertain future economic impact and the threat of possible recession.

A public school finance formula revision would cost an added \$20.5 million a year although enrollment is declining. State support for public schools would rise from \$175 million to \$196 million.

The Board of Educational Finance recommends \$61.717 million in fiscal 1974-75 for state higher education institutions. Including funding for special schools, the BEF recommends \$63.705 million in general fund appropriations, up 12.9 per cent.

The King administration will recommend a boost in reserves from \$15 to \$20 million for the general fund and from \$2 to \$5 million for public schools.

Congress adjourned until Jan. 21 without passing emergency energy legislation that would have handed President Richard M. Nixon broad authority to invoke controls.

Lack of mandatory controls could indirectly cut state revenues and dim a bright outlook for a \$42.5 million general fund unappropriated surplus next June 30.

The state would take credit for 95 percent of federal impacted area (PL-874) funds for schools in computing state support in the revised formula.

Whether the federal government will permit the credit taking was in question. Harry Wugalter, public school finance director, asked Secretary Casper Weinberger of the Health, Education and Welfare Department for his reaction.

Heavy PL-874 money goes to Bernalillo, Cuba, Taos, Los Lunas, Penasco, Jemez Mountains, Tularosa, Central Consolidated, San Juan County, Magdalena, Bloomfield, Los Alamos, Pojoaque and Dulce.

Clovis is also among 60 New Mexico school districts receiving PL-874 money. The present New Mexico public school funding formula takes credit for 70 per cent of PL-874 money to compute state support.

Wugalter told Weinberger wealthy school districts would be wealthier if the federal government disallows the credit taking. He said New Mexico would be vulnerable to a suit challenging its efforts to equalize financial opportunities for school children.

Gov. King supported total de-regulation of the natural gas price at the wellhead. He is chairman of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission.

Gov. King told a press conference: "We should move the price up to where it would encourage exploration for oil and gas."

The State Education Board will elect a president at its meeting Jan. 24-25. Whether Mrs. Lois M. Sparman Tafoya, D-Belen, will try again for the post was uncertain.

Mrs. Tafoya opposed Grady Mayfield, D-Las Cruces, last January for board president. After many deadlocked ballots the board picked Mayfield for one year. Mayfield would accept reelection for one year if the board chooses him.

Santa Fe attorney Boston Witt, a Democratic candidate for governor, will begin fulltime campaigning Jan. 7 at Santa Rosa, Fort Sumner and Las Vegas.

Other stops on Witt's schedule: Jan. 8, Clovis and Portales; Jan. 9, Tucumcari, Mosquero, Roy and Springer; Jan. 10, Raton and Cimarron, and Jan. 11, Des Moines and Clayton.

A fund raising dinner and petition-signing session is set for Witt in Raton Jan. 10.

A push was under way for special funding to improve critically deficient sections of NM-44 between Bernalillo and Bloomfield.

Albuquerque and Farmington-Chambers of Commerce and other groups supported the project. A delegation will meet Jan. 3 in Santa Fe with Highway Department officials on the proposal. Special funding may be sent to the legislative session by Gov. King.

Milligan Farms Inc., Deming, was incorporated in Santa Fe. The incorporators were Robert B., Margaret I. and Robert Alton Milligan of Deming.

SANTA FE—The State Corporation Commission approved an increase from \$12 to \$26 in the phone installation charge for Mountain Bell's 500,000 New Mexico customers.

The SCC approved a series of auxiliary charges for Mountain Bell. But the SCC denied proposed monthly phone charge increases except for Santa Fe and Los Alamos customers.

Approved increases will generate \$6 million more Mountain Bell revenue per year. Affected cities include Deming, Springer, Fort Sumner, Santa Rosa, Tucumcari, Clovis, Bernalillo, Lordsburg, Clayton, Taos, Belen and Los Lunas. Most increases were effective immediately.

Also, Carrizozo, Des Moines, Red River, Penasco, Cimarron, Vaughn, Questa, Logan and San Jon. Mountain Bell applied for authority to produce \$10.5 million more annually in revenue.

The SCC order established a new equity method of computing a rate of return and set the allowed Mountain Bell rate at 11.7 percent. The increased phone installation charge is set to yield \$4 million a year.

A 50-cent monthly charge for unlisted customers was authorized. The SCC order requires Mountain Bell to complete its \$220 million expansion program in three years in New Mexico.

Curry Counties, 5.5 miles near Melrose. Also, US-60, Roosevelt-Curry Counties, west of Clovis, 3.1 miles; US-60, Debaca County, west of Taiban, 1.4 miles; US-54, Quay County north toward Texas line, 7.2 miles; NM-44, Sandoval County, 1.2 miles northwest of San Ysidro, NM-44, Sandoval County, 5.6 miles, west of US-85 junction.

US-64, 9 miles in Taos-Rio Arriba Counties near Velarde; US-62, Lea County, 5 miles east of NM-483 junction.

The Highway Department seeks a record fiscal budget from the 1974 Legislature opening a 30-day, limited session Jan. 15.

Santa Fe attorney Boton Witt, 42, announced his candidacy for the Democratic governor nomination at an Albuquerque reception that attracted 500. Witt called for more efficiency in state government.

Witt noted he is the only governor candidate with state government administrative experience. He was attorney general in 1965-68. He said credibility in government must be restored by action "at a time when confidence in our public and political institutions must be at an all-time low."

He opposed "new, untried, expensive and reckless governmental programs." He would promote industry "but it must be industry that will not seriously deteriorate our quality of life."

Witt retained the Daniel M. Smith and Co. Albuquerque accounting firm to maintain complete records of his campaign contributions and expenditures. He said the records are open to inspection by accredited news media at any time during his campaign.

Gov. Bruce King will ask the 1974 Legislature for broad energy conservation authority. Gov. King created a State Energy Conservation Commission to educate and aid the public, industry and government in methods of saving energy.

State Development Director William Simms is commission chairman. King Administrative Asst. Frank DiLuzio is vice chairman.

Energy-saving steps under study included closing public schools between Dec. 15 and Feb. 15, year-around daylight saving time, a gasoline surtax to discourage unnecessary use and urging all homeowners to reduce thermostat settings to 68 degrees.

The State Property Appraisal Department will sell Taos County 250 tax delinquent parcels at a public sale in Taos Dec. 11-14.

Sen. Ted Montoya, D-Sandoval-Bernalillo-Rio Arriba Counties, noted local property tax valuation jumped 139 percent from \$777,607, 638 in 1965 to \$1,858,721,240 this year. Ted Montoya noted corporate property valuation increased only 28 per cent in the same period from \$600,033,040 to \$768,854,144. The SPAD said complete property reappraisal accounted for the big jump in local property valuation.

The State Corporation Commission approved rate increases for bus passengers for United Chevrolet Co., Raton, on the Raton railroad passenger station to Taos Ski Valley, Red River.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hear any public sentiments concerning the proposed closing of the road through the Stephenson Ranch to Water Canyon.

The hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. Monday, January 7, 1974

In the County Commission Room in the Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Eagle Nest and the Town of Taos. The one-way fare was raised from \$10 to \$15. The round trip fare was increased from \$15 to \$25. The firm's authorized service area is in Colfax, Taos, Union, Harding, Mora and San Miguel Counties.

Gov. King named Mrs. Kenneth Shiplet of Logan to the New Mexico American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, replacing Mrs. Frances Olsen. Gov. King named John D. Lopez, Silver City, to the commission. Lopez replaces Frank Cain, Deming. Mrs. Olsen and Cain resigned from the NMBRC.

Administrator C.B. Preston of Mimbres Memorial Hospital, Deming, resigned from the State Board of Nursing Home Administrators because he no longer qualifies for board membership under new federal aid guidelines.

Drei-Kinder Inc., a ranching business, and Parsons Mining Co., a uranium firm, both of Ruidoso, were chartered here. Ruidoso attorney Richard A. Parsons is incorporator of both firms.

SANTA FE—The State Highway Department, largest agency in New Mexico State government, may be headed for a shakeup.

Highway Department Procurement Officer Robert Holmberg quit his job. Holmberg alleged "pressures" for Albuquerque businessman Harold E. (Fats) Leonard prompted the State Purchasing office to delay award of price agreements for highway equipment.

An ex-state highway commissioner, Leonard strongly denied favoritism has been extended to him or his companies. Leonard is president of several Albuquerque firms that have sold more than \$2 million in equipment and materials to the Highway Department in recent years.

Leonard's companies have also sold much equipment to some New Mexico counties.

In another development it was disclosed much reinforcing steel bar, required in specifications, was missing from an Interstate 25 project south of Albuquerque.

Contractors are miffed at the Highway Department. The road agency plans to perform with its own crews \$10 million of maintenance work this fiscal year that could have been done by private contracts. Only \$777,000 is set to be awarded in maintenance contracts to private firms.

The Highway Department's fiscal 1974 budget is \$116.6 million. The road agency employs about 2,700.

State Sen. William Sego, R-Albuquerque, alleged Democratic Gov. Bruce King paid \$125 an acre for 28 acres in 1965 and received \$428 an

acre this year from the Highway Department in a court settlement of a right-of-way condemnation suit.

Gov. King strongly denied any wrongdoing. King displayed documents at a press conference intended to provide he did not seek or receive favored treatment from the Highway Department in the right-of-way case.

The State Park and Recreation Department seeks \$1.5 million from the 1974 Legislature for state park capital improvements in fiscal 1974-75.

These projects are in the proposal: Alamogordo Lake near Fort Sumner, \$15,800, entrance and office station; Belen Valley State Park, \$105,000, picnic facilities, landscaping, site improvements, playground area and lighting; Caballo Lake near Truth or Consequences, \$52,500, trailer dump station, water wells, water distribution system and electrical hookups; Clayton Lake State Park near Clayton, \$18,900, electrical hookups, courtesy dock and site improvements.

Also, Conchas Lake near Tucumcari, \$131,200, picnic facilities, marina addition, water system extension and electrical hookups; Elephant Butte Lake near Truth or Consequences, \$31,500, water well, water distribution system, trailer dump station and playground equipment; Kit Carson State Park, Taos; \$63,000, group shelter, irrigation system, site improvements and ball field.

Navajo Lake State Park, \$168,000; Percha Dam State Park, Sierra County, \$21,000, traffic barriers and site improvements; Rio Grande Gorge State Park, Taos County, \$105,000, camping and picnicking units, traffic barriers, trails and site improvements; Ute Lake State Park, Logan, Quay County, \$52,500, entrance and picnic site improvements, group shelters and playground equipment, and Valley of Fires State Park, near Carrizozo, Lincoln County, \$10,500, water system extension.

The \$1.5 million fiscal 1974-75 request will be screened by the State Finance Department and Legislative Finance Committee. The LFC and King administration will send separate recommendations to the legislature opening a 30-day session Jan. 15.

Improvements are being installed in the present fiscal year in Rio Grande Gorge State Park, Taos County, from Pilar north to Taos Junction Bridge. Approved by the 1973 Legislature, improvements total \$400,000.

New Guidelines Announced For Free and Reduced Price Lunches at Carrizozo, Corona and Capitan Schools

Effective immediately the School Lunch Division has instituted the following income guidelines for free and reduced price lunches in New Mexico Schools:

Family Size	Free Lunches	Reduced Price Lunches
1	\$2,740	\$3,830
2	3,600	5,040
3	4,460	6,250
4	5,310	7,440
5	6,100	8,540
6	6,890	9,640
7	7,600	10,640
8	8,310	11,640
9	8,960	12,550
10	9,600	13,440
11	10,240	14,330
12	10,880	15,220
Each additional family member	640	890

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new centennial postage stamp, the National Geographic Society says.
 The 8-cent "Rural America" commemorative features a blue-ribbon bull, with native Longhorns grazing the plains in the background. The first crossbreeds with Longhorns were sold at the Chicago stockyards and their beef reportedly won the acclaim of meat packers. Today some cattlemen say that Black Angus meat is "finer textured with tastier marbling of fat," points of excellence to beef connoisseurs.
 Those may be fighting words for ranchers who run Herford, Charolais, Shorthorn, or other beef on their spreads. However, no one disputes that today's breeds outweigh Longhorns in putting on pounds quickly.
 Black Angus, for example, weigh 1,100 pounds-ideal market weight-up 15 to 18 months. At that age, Longhorns weigh hundreds of pounds less, though they get heavier steadily for five or six more years, living perhaps to 14 or 15- or even older.
Pointly named
 The Angus and some other cattle may be hornless, but the Longhorn lives up to its name: One tip-to-tip record: 8 feet 7-3/4 inches.
 Ranchers doff their Stetsons to the Longhorns for making Americans a nation of steak eaters, and for making the cowboy sit tall in the saddle in the Old West's romantic history.
 Those first four Black Angus bulls came by ship and then hoofed it to George Grant's new ranch in Victoria, Kansas, in 1873. But Longhorns' ancestors—Spanish fighting bulls—were brought with the Conquistadores; and in the 1600's were driven north of the Rio Grande.
 By 1860, 6,000,000 on the range were the source of the saying: "Other states were carved or born; Texas grew from hide and horn." Down to about 30 head, Longhorns were saved from extinction in the 1920's.
 Many cowpunchers, herding up the Chisholm Trail, might agree with one memory of the Longhorn, a critter with a strong masculine bent.
 "He was long and lean, trimmed for travel and not tailored for fallow. He was fitted to fight, not fatten. He was tough mouthed and razor-horned."

While the county tax rate dropped about 16 percent after the revaluation, the share going to the state remained the same and is now equal to that of the county. That means about \$250,000 of these tax dollars are going to Santa Fe also.
 More than one-half million of the revenue, collected by the county, also comes right back to Ruidoso each year, \$32,942 of this, doubled from last year, goes right into the municipal budget. The remainder is going to pay off bond issues that have built the airport, water and sewer systems, paved and approved roads. Combined, the billage gets about 30 cents of each dollar you send to Carrizozo.
 The other big chunk of that tax bill is sent right back to the school system here in Ruidoso. Their share amounts to about 27 cents for each of your tax dollars.
 The News will look into the budgets of some of these other agencies in the future (with the exception, of course, of the state) to give you a better idea of where your taxes are going.

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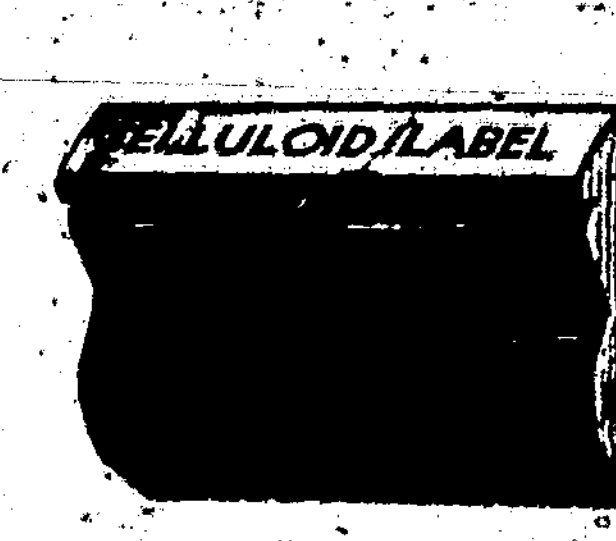
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This heading is a catch-all for the many other expenses of running the county. It includes such expenses as the County Agent's office, social security, insurance, county health, dues and even the county fair. Practically every item went up a little both with inflation and the addition of new employees and new programs. Among the main jumps are increase of 60 percent in social security payments, from \$6,779 to \$10,882 and the new group insurance policy taken out by the county raising that expense from \$1,173 to \$5,160.
 Not all of the nearly one-half million dollar budget comes from property and corporate taxes which are now being billed. Only about one half, estimated total \$245,082, comes from this direct taxing. More than one-fourth will be provided by revenue sharing from the federal government. The final \$80,000 comes from licenses and fees charged by the county, as well as interest on investments and taxes returned to the county by the state such as gasoline, cigarette and racing taxes.
 It is only fair to point out that the county commission while showing a large budget increase for 1973-74, accounts for only a little more than one sixth of the tax bill being sent out this month.

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Cowboy eludes cave critter
 From Page One.
 "Doggie made himself into a U, slid along the edge of the cliff with his front feet, three or four inches at a time," Baird said. "My horse's head was out over the cliff. Just as Doggie's outside hind foot made the next to the last move it went into space. Once, on one narrow ledge Doggie reached for the ledge three times with his hind foot, and it wasn't there. I kept pulling gently on the reins, and Doggie finally got all four feet on the ledge. Doggie never got excited. Turning on the wide ledges was easy enough."
 If the horse had slipped, he probably would have missed the next ledge, and rolled to the bottom of the canyon and been killed.
 Looking up at the breaks they had descended, Baird said the trail seemed too steep to go back so they kept going down.
 The last thousand feet of the canyon side was still very steep but could be ridden. "That trail had me worried," Baird said. "I was sure glad when it got better."
 Doggie, one of Gene Baird's favorite horses, was a big rawboned cowpony, and his size made turning on the narrow ledges difficult. It would have been easy turning on these ledges with a smaller horse, Baird said.
 The descent of the canyon wall took about 1 1/2 hours as Baird remembered. He didn't find any cattle on the way down. There was water in Dead Man Canyon, and rider and horse were ready for a drink after the tortuous descent.
 Doggie was broken in the summer of 1930. "He was not a top mountain horse, but plodded along with his rider, and got a job done no matter how hard it was," Baird said. "He was very gentle, you never had to watch him, and could relax when riding him."
 Jim Baird cleaned out the lower spring in Hospital Canyon on the Baird Ranch in the San Andres Mountains, and then rode 1.5 miles to the top of the canyon, in which there was a spring at the back of an abandoned mine tunnel. Unless it were a dry season, spring water flowed from the mouth of the tunnel, and cattle drank there.

Skies are not cloudy today for Black Angus
 By Robert C. Radcliffe
 National Geographic News Service
 Washington—Home on the Range, four-black bulls are remembered as fathers of their new country—now with an American population of 20,000,000 beefy offspring.
 And never is heard a discouraging word from the American Angus association, which made the estimate to mark the 100th anniversary of the chunky Scottish bulls' invasion of the world of rangy Texas Longhorns.
 Actually, the four bulls soon were getting help from additional immigrants, including cows, to start today's American herds of Black Angus, which produced 358,910 purebred calves last year. This purebred breed is growing faster than any other, according to the association.
 Stamp Salutes Cattle
 The success story of the Black Angus—also known as Aberdeen-Angus for the two Scottish counties it hailed from, or as American Angus for its adopted homeland—is being saluted by a

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Budget up
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 The increase came from picking up postage and supplies expenses from under the administration heading.
LAW ENFORCEMENT
 1972-73 1973-74
 Expenditures \$55,210 Approved \$88,292

Again this year, the sheriff's budget leads all others in the County budget. The increase amounts to an even 60 percent. The major increases are for salaries with the sheriff going from \$7,560 to 9,072, a 20 percent increase, and the salaries for deputies doubling from \$13,900 to \$27,000. From this increase, at least one new full time deputy was hired. Jailers' salaries also went up almost 15 percent, while "Other Salaries", and "Part-time Salaries" jumped from a combined \$3,600 to about \$14,000. Other major increases came from the transfer of phone, supplies and car expenses from administration. This accounted for about \$14,000. The only decrease in the department came from a reduction in the feeding of prisoners dropping \$1,000 to \$4,500 and "Sheriff's Expense" took a sizeable drop from \$9,200 to \$1,150. This expense money, used by the sheriff for special programs, is coming under capital outlay. County manager Fillingim said the commissioners are funding law enforcement special programs from revenue sharing now. An example is the proposed purchase of sound-on-film movie equipment for the department. These funds are also instrumental in securing drug convictions occasionally.

FIXED CHARGES
 1972-73 1973-74
 Expenditures \$51,410 Approved \$61,138

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There's Money to be Made thru Classified

CLASSIFIED AD RATES
 One time per word 6c
 Two times, per word 5c
 Three times or more 4c
 Classified display per inch \$2.00
 Blind ad handling charge \$1.00
 Minimum, any ad \$1.00

Card of Thanks
 We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the flowers, food and cards during the loss of our Loved One.
 O.S. Simmons Family
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TRAILERS FOR SALE
 Lowboy-Stock-Horse-Utility
 ALL SIZES
AERODYNE INC. Phone 437-0816
 29920 N. White Sands, Alamogordo.

Runnige and Bake Sale, Jan. 4-5, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
 American Legion Hall, Ruidoso. Lincoln County Republican Women's Club 1-1c

Ambulance Service in Carrizozo - Phone Fire Department 648-2261 or Sheriff 648-2342.

HEATER FOR SALE - 50,000 BTU Peerless. Best offer gets it. News Office 1-1p

HARKEY REAL ESTATE
 Broker - John W. Harkey,
 Salesman
 Fay Harkey - Jack Harkey - Laura Parris
 Phone 648-2383

\$500.00 REWARD - For information leading to return of 'Alec Portable electric welder taken from Socorro Stone Co. at Twin Peaks. Contact C. L. Getman, P.O. Box 314, Phone 648-2478 Carrizozo 2-3p

Bob Stearns
 For
Life Insurance
 Personal Insurance Service
Moore Agency
 Phone 648-2911 P.O. Box 159
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