

Two new board members appointed

Carrizozo Hospital facing up to severe crisis

Lincoln County Municipal Hospital board members met with the county commission last week to talk about hospital problems, and came back for another session Wednesday following appointment of two members to the board, Ramona Ortiz and Nancy Knight, replacing Johnson Stearns and A. P. Sitton.

At the start of the meeting at 10:00 a.m. August 7, Commission Chairman advised the hospital board that they should retire and elect a chairman so someone could speak for them.

The board, composed of Jackie Spencer, Bill Edgar and Dimmit Bond, plus two new people, did retire and shortly returned after having elected Mrs. Spencer as chairman and Mrs. Knight as secretary.

Problems facing the Carrizozo are manifold, not new, and can only be solved with lots of effort on the part of the board, lots of help from people of the area - and a bit of luck.

The commission was most cooperative. The county will continue the 3/4 mill levy in force so long as the hospital can operate, and in addition will take of construction of garage for ambulance and will provide funds for ambulance driver.

There was a lot of discussion, most relevant to the situation - which, in short language is this: The hospital needs three things, almost at the same time, but first and administrator. Alton Whitaker has resigned, Mrs. Spencer said because of the mess. Second, a doctor. Dr. Amy Barton came here to do general practice and the understanding was clear that she would not operate the hospital - she has been working long hours and doing much more than stipulated because she wants the hospital to stay open - but she can not continue the long hours. Third, the hospital needs money. Present available funds will see the hospital through August - which means that only 30 days more or less remain to get a lot of things done.

Problems confronting the hospital were brought about primarily by two things, 1) the requirements placed on the institution by the federal government, 2) a declining population in the town and surrounding area. Put these two together (outgo and income) - and it costs roughly \$10,000 per month to keep the hospital open.

The hospital staff at present (or recently) included 27 people drawing total monthly salaries of \$9,533.00 and a proposed schedule of

salary increase would run the total well over \$10,000. A total of seven or more people are employed in the Annex with monthly payroll of 3,960.00, and a proposed salary increase in this area.

Hospital board members made it clear that for this hospital to qualify for Medicare such staffing was necessary. There was a time when Carrizozo Hospital was giving good medical and surgical service, but in the past decade the federal government has placed so many requirements on hospitals, large and small, that many small hospitals have been forced to close their doors.

The declining population situation has been going on since the railroad used to write 2400 paychecks every week and are now down to a total of four paychecks for workers living in Carrizozo. The same decline has been going on in other towns - around and in the ranching country where a lot less people are at work than there used to be.

There was discussion of hiring a hospital administrator at the meeting, Vernon Petty has been contacted but is in Roswell Hospital this week for surgery we understand. He would have

to be certified, but could acquire certification and do hospital job at the same time. Bobby Dan Crenshaw was mentioned as being certified for the job.

There was discussion of the board going to the hospital for meeting and start to iron out some of the problems. Mrs. Spencer objected to that move because there was not sufficient preparation for such a meeting. Instead, the new hospital board will meet today (Thursday) starting at 10:00 a.m. and go at the job of getting things in shape . . . which includes hiring an administrator, checking on finances, and going over nurse help.

The hospital has billed Medicare for \$13,000, expects to get \$6,900 of this amount. One statement was made that the hospital has to spend \$4,600 on improvements to get \$6,000 from Medicare.

All former staff members of the hospital are expected to be present for the August 8 meeting of the board.

There was discussion of closing down the hospital and putting county money in the ambulance, and keeping the Annex open. Mrs. Spencer said the Marge Whitaker was to continue as administrator of the Annex if the hospital were closed, but would quit Friday if hospital expects to keep open.

Nancy Knight said there have been several suggestions made by interested people and these suggestions should be tried - right now.

Question was asked, could the hospital board be enlarged to seven people. Clerk Barbara Lovelace made phone call and came back with information that five is the limit.

Comment was made that the community (area) needs about 3,000 more people to make the hospital practical.

After the hospital board left the commission meeting they went to the courthouse library for short meeting with several people. At this session a letter was read, over the name of the Hospital Auxiliary. The text of the letter is printed here.

their health needs be totally jeopardized by forcing them to drive closer to two hundred miles to receive care?

How can anyone justify, in these days of inadequate hospital facilities, the closing of a million dollar plant such as the Lincoln County Municipal Hospital?

Various members of the Spencer family have carried the financial burden, not to mention that Dr. Turner and Dr. Spencer carried on the physical aspects for over forty years. It is not morally fair to this dedicated family, that all of their efforts come to naught.

It is totally ridiculous for the peoples of this county to expect Dr. & Mrs. Spencer to continue their financial support indefinitely. We can and should and must stand on our own feet.

We have at present an extremely capable doctor. But Dr. Amy Barton was assured that if she would serve this area she would be allowed to do so on a limited basis. It is unthinkable to expect her to be on 24 hour call, with office and hospital practice included.

Let me assure you that a tremendous effort is being made to obtain another doctor qualified to take on some surgery, OB cases, etc., thus enabling the hospital to operate at a maximum rate. Also, a concentrated effort to obtain financial Federal Aid is being investigated.

Are you aware that each day, we American people donate \$60 million to various charities, over 80 percent of these monies are consumed by administering cost?

If each of you would donate to our own local hospital, instead of sending more money to these charitable organizations the results would be overwhelming! Your donations would of course remain tax deductible and you would also be able to see your funds in action with the knowledge that 90 percent of each dollar you contribute will be used properly as versus 10 percent of your dollars to nation-wide charities.

The newly elected hospital board, hospital auxiliary, and other interested individuals are not by any means set up to handle donations of monies and we definitely are not asking for cash at this time. What we are asking is that you send in a pledge of what you could give at a later date. Believe me, no donation is too small!

When we do find a doctor that will accept a position here we have got to be able to make said doctor an attractive offer. Until his practice is established, we need to be able to guarantee him a decent salary as well as a home in which to live.

This alone will take money and a lot of it. What better investment in your future can you make? How much do you value your life or that of your families? Think about it!

Barbara Ward, President
Hospital Auxiliary

Other comments during the meetings came from Carol Reamy, acting county manager, who said they had been to the top in trying to help cut hospital expenses.

Amy Barton has been here long enough to figure out one thing, she commented, "This is a fertile valley"



Sen. Pete Domenici is working on legislation to help small towns adversely affected by freeway by-passes. Just recently we talked with Archie Zink, owner of two restaurants in Santa Rosa; Bob Klipsch, publisher in Socorro; and Wendell Faught, publisher in Deming - none of these three men indicated that by-passes had hurt their towns. Archie said the gasoline scare hurt Bob said motel owners in his town were not complaining about the by-pass. The by-pass at Deming caused some relocation, also construction of new large motel, but has not hurt the town.

W-W
Do you want to get up before or after "sunup in the winter months" - or, do you want daylight saving year round or just for eight months of the year. We've got a sound-off column for your use, names withheld when desired, just so we know who is doing the sounding off.

W-W
Al Stubbs has retired from job as editor of Roswell daily and gone into photo business for himself - sorry about that, and happy for Al. We've admired his work for so many years, knew of his problems in doing the kind of job he would like to do, and also had a world of fun with Al on many occasions. . . going clear back to the time we toured Juarez on foot, long after mid-night following a day at White Sands Range when President John Kennedy was there. Shop force at the paper printed a special for Al's retirement pleasure which shows him doing the proper thing to pile of work on his desk, while perched on a chair.

W-W
"Sound Off" is by other people, art work and all. Payton has not done a line of copy for that feature. We withhold names if requested - when we "sound off" we'll sign it.

W-W
The further one lives from a hospital, the more important such a facility becomes. This is being proved by the interest of a lot of people north and other directions from town who want to see the Carrizozo Hospital stay open. Zozo folks think about a 40-50 mile trip for medical help, many others are looking at a 100 mile jaunt, one way.

W-W
When you read the story of meeting held last week and this week for the sole purpose of keeping the local hospital floating - you'll be reading the full book of troubles that a small town has, with federal and state government, with local management, with local support for local projects, with leadership, with followers . . . maybe the words are not all in this story but the troubles are all present. Miracles do happen; people do rise up. . . it's time to do your personal best for this facility.

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Barbeque, dance, big day during

Billy the Kid Rodeo Aug. 18



With rain and a green thumb the corn does grow tall in New Mexico. Manuel Lueras is a good gardner, and recent rains have really been helping his vegetable crop.

One of the best "Kid's" events in the area, the Billy the Kid Rodeo, will be held in Carrizozo with dance on Saturday night and barbeque and rodeo on Sunday August 17-18. This event is sponsored by Carrizozo Rotary Club with good help from a lot of people and organizations.

The Capitan Dally Masters will supply the stock for the rodeo, in calf-roping, barrel racing, pole bending, goat hair pull, goat tying, flag race, steer riding and jackpot roping events.

There are events for all youngsters up to nine years of age, two more events for the up-to-eleven, six events for the 12 to 15 year olds and three events for the 16 to 19 year olds.

The jackpot roping is a special event for 16 to 19 year olds only. Entry fees are \$5 and \$6 depending on age, entry fees to be split among winners. First place gets 50 percent, second place 30 percent, third place 20 percent.

Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce has donated belt buckles for all-around cowboy and cowgirl in two different age groups.

The Saturday night dance will be held in the Country Club with lots of good western music. Unk Cosper of Nogalis is ramrodding the barbeque with lots of good help. Wesley Lindsay is the man who puts it all together as rodeo chairman. Wesley will be assisted by Rotary Club members and no doubt a lot of other people in the arena. The Billy the Kid Rodeo has a long history in southern New Mexico, starting in Three Rivers many years ago and continuing in Carrizozo for the past several years. All rodeo events are in the Joe Sargent Memorial Arena at Carrizozo.

Korean martial art demonstration coming here

John Milltzer and Michael Farley have been sent down from Washington, D. C., by Master Soo Young Cha, president of the United Tae Kwon Do Federation and highest ranking black belt in this country, to open schools throughout New Mexico.

Both Milltzer and Farley were on the United Tae Kwon Do fighting teams for five years and also on demonstration teams. They taught in six schools in the Washington area before coming to New Mexico.

Their first school was opened in Alamogordo and they are now opening a school in Carrizozo, soon in Ruidoso and Tularosa. There will be a Korean martial art demonstration on Saturday, August 17 at the Carrizozo Recreation Center starting at 5:00 p.m. There is no admission charge and everyone is welcome.

How classes operate will be shown, around 20 people will be here for the demonstration. Such techniques as breaking and self defense will be shown.

Clements beats Runnels with mail

A treacherous, 40-mile Pony Express race was decided in the last 75 feet Saturday when a ranch hand from the Pichacho foot-raced his nearest competitor to the postal drop point and beat him by five seconds.

Racing into town astride an Arabian-bred horse, Ted Clements was less than a length ahead of two-time winner Bepko Runnels. Both men dismounted almost simultaneously, but Clements outraced Runnels to the drop point, winning in the closest finish ever in the six-year history of the annual competition.

By winning the even in two hours and 10 minutes, Clements prevented Runnels, of Jal, from gaining permanent possession of the Pony Express trophy.

Runnels had captured first place in 1972 and 1973 and needed only one more victory to keep the cup. He holds the fastest time of two hours and five minutes, from last year.

The race, which started in the ghost gold-mining town of White Oaks and traversed the rugged Sacramento Mountains, developed into a close two-man contest after the half-way mark when the third contender, Brahim Hindi of Duran, was outdistanced.

The Pony Express event is one feature of the annual "Billy the Kid" weekend which opened here Friday night at the outdoor theater with the

Are you concerned about Medical coverage for your family

Are you concerned about adequate medical coverage for you & your families? Won't you please, please give a few moments of your time to read this letter?

There is a very real and grave possibility that the Lincoln County Municipal Hospital in Carrizozo could once again close its doors.

Are you aware that currently there are only sufficient funds to maintain the present facilities for thirty (30) days?

Are you familiar with the following breakdown of maintenance cost for said hospital?

Have you been urged to believe that since Alamogordo or Ruidoso are only 60 miles from Carrizozo that emergency treatment at Carrizozo is all that is needed?

Your answer to this should be: how about the Claunch, Ancho, Corona and Jicirilla, etc. areas? Since the greater part of the tax money originates with these land owners why should

Weather--by Manire

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July 31	87	57	10	
Aug. 1	88	58	8	.13
Aug. 2	83	61	5	
Aug. 3	84	56	15	.15
Aug. 4	71	50	8	.01
Aug. 5	83	61	20	T
Aug. 6	86	60	10	.49

C of C plans teacher dinner

Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce directors met Monday night with a full agenda of business and a special project for Carrizozo teachers which is moving along nicely.

On Monday, August 19 there will be a dinner at the Country Club, sponsored by the C of C, Rotary, Lions and Women's Clubs and the Hospital Auxiliary to welcome teachers to town and make them feel at home.

The dinner is a barbeque with rest of the trimmings supplied by the gals from the several organizations. Dinner starts at 7:00 p.m.

Attending the C of C meeting were President Dutch Cox, Directors, Nick Serna, Mary Rich, Wes Lindsay, and secretary Susan Wells.

Few girls wait these days for the right man to come along. They arrange it.

Get your fair exhibits ready

by Ralph Dunlap
Get your exhibits ready for the Lincoln County Fair August 23-24, 1974 in Capitan. It is only two weeks away. The livestock exhibits will be accepted the afternoon of August 22nd. Livestock exhibits should have their reservation into the County Agents Office August 10, 1974. Any reservations after this date cannot be assured of pen space. The limited space in the livestock barn makes this necessary. Even though you do not have an exhibit plan to attend the County Fair in Capitan on August 23 and 24, 1974.

sixty days with a top of about 50c per pound but that prices would likely drop to around 36c next April.

Ivan Watson, Agriculture Advisor of Roswell State Bank said that feeders had never lost money for 18 months in the last 25 years. He also said that the bank would stay with any rancher who had lived up to his previous commitments. Jim Sachse, related to research information showing that younger lambs used feed more efficiently.

Ferrel Watson said that tranquilizers at weaning often help. He also said that cattle hauled long distances by truck often suffer from "diesel Pneumonia" if they are in the front upper deck. He suggested that all trucks have their exhaust placed where the fumes go over the cattle.

RRD
A room full of ranchers attended the Ranch Survival Meeting in Capitan last week. Gene Ott, Ext. Economist predicted that fat cattle prices would be stable to up slightly for the next

School bid letting August 13

Seven firms bid on Zozo gym

Carrizozo school officials and architects met Tuesday to open bids on new gym which is expected to cost around \$264,000.00. Supt. Jim Steinepreis reported that seven firms had bids on hand for the opening at 3:00 p.m.

There seems to be no major hitch to going ahead with the bid letting at the next school board meeting on August 13, but the money is close and some negotiating will be done.

Eldorado Corp. of Albuquerque came in with a base bid of \$268,840 for concrete and wood construction. Their alternate bid No. 1 for concrete, cinder block and metal construction was \$263,866. Their alternate No. 2 bid, which includes installation of six glass backboards in the gym at time of construction, was \$269,436.

Santa Rosa Lumber Co. of Santa Rosa had a base bid of \$268,800, alternate No. 1 was \$266,400 and alternate No. 2 was \$273,400.

Southwestern Builders of El Paso had a base

bid of \$278,840, alternate No. 1 was \$268,340 and alternate No. 2 was \$272,240.

The high bid was \$317,598 with alternate bid No. 1 same as base bid and alternate No. 2 at \$323,936.

The school started with \$250,000 from bond issue, now down to \$234,680 after site-checking fees and architect fees are paid. Pilon will be used as a result of base check. There will be some interest money to add to the \$234,680.

The school has other sources of money which may be used. A cash balance in the budget, expected to be used for floor, bleachers, lockers, may be used for initial construction. The school can sell \$40,000 in bonds this year but the money would not be available in time for this construction project - which needs cash on hand.

The alternate bids from Eldorado Corp. looked good to school officials, but no decision will be made until next Tuesday night.



One way to beat the heat is to fly through the air like you see Dolores McBride doing here. She will land in Carrizozo swimming pool after this lovely trip by air off the spring board.

1973-levels. The average housewife would find this hard to believe, as she is paying prices that are near all-time highs at the meat counter. In past years the beef producers' problems have received very little serious attention from our legislators and government officials. However, one legislator who was among the first to recognize the dilemma now confronting the livestock industry was Senator Domenici. In March of this year the Senator took constructive steps to attempt to alleviate some of our problems, long before our cause had gained the popularity among legislators which it is now experiencing. On May 22 he was one of the original cosponsors of legislation to reimpose beef import quotas, again distinguishing himself as a leader on a critical issue which would later be recognized by more and more legislators. He has sponsored other legislation which, if passed, would help to avert the disaster now threatening the livestock industry. Senator Domenici has worked on a critical issue which would later be recognized by more and more legislators. He has sponsored other legislation which, if passed, would help to avert the disaster now threatening the livestock industry. Senator Domenici has worked diligently to resolve this crisis and to prevent economic ruin for cattlemen. He has

shown an amazing understanding of our situation and problems; and he has demonstrated an ability to represent us in a way that should make us all proud to be his constituents. Several weeks ago I wrote the Senator a letter on behalf of Canyon Cowbells to call to his attention some of the really crucial problems facing the ranchers. I was very pleased that on June 17 the Senator spoke of my letter in his remarks before the Senate and also had it published in the Congressional Record for that day. Enclosed is a copy of the letter and the Senator's remarks.

We are often so quick to criticize and complain about our public officials and elected representatives. But how often do we take the time to acknowledge those in politics who perform their duties with competence and serve the public with distinction? I feel it is time for us to express our positive thoughts about our people in government. For there are some really honest, selfless, dedicated legislators in Washington, and New Mexicans can be proud, that Senator Pete Domenici is one such person.

Sincerely,
Mrs. John Nalda
Corona, N. M.

White Oaks pioneer dies

Josephine Van Wickle, formerly Josephine La Lone, passed away July 12, in Pasadena, California. She was sixty-nine years old at the time of her death.

Mrs. Van Wickle was born in White Oaks in 1904. Most of her youth was spent in White Oaks and Carrizozo. In 1924, she moved to Sierra Madre, California with her parents, brothers and sisters. She continued to live in Sierra Madre until her death.

She is survived by her sons, Frank and Fred of Sierra Madre, her brothers, Julian La Lone of Sierra Madre, Edward La Lone of Sierra Madre, Earl La Lone of Sierra Madre, Robert La Lone of Duarte, Fred La Lone of Mariposa; her sisters, Alice McCarron of Long Beach, Frances Finley of Long Beach; her grandchildren, Patty, Sharry, Sarah, Pamela, Matthew, Cynthia, Shelby.

Mrs. Van Wickle also leaves many relatives in Lincoln County.

Smokey bill to senate

The House of Representative this week unanimously approved and sent to the Senate legislation authorizing the U.S. Forest Service to return Smokey Bear to Captain at the time of his death for the establishment of a commemorative memorial. The legislation was introduced in March of this year by Congressman Harold Runnels.

Smokey at age 24 presently resides at the National Zoo in Washington. He was found during a Lincoln National Forest fire on May 1950 clinging to a charred pine tree. Dist. Game Warden L. W. Simmons rescued the five-pound bear cub who had sustained serious burns to the soles of his feet. A Game Department pilot, Ray Bell, flew the cub to Santa Fe the next day where he was placed in a veterinary hospital. The Bell family nursed the cub back to health.

Several weeks later State Game Warden Elliott S. Barker presented the bear to the U.S. Forest Service under the provision that his life be dedicated to forest fire prevention and wild life conservation.

A Bowl of Activities from Nogal

By Roby Burke

PINCHES OF NEWS: From the man on the street, as this reporter saw the Lincoln Festivities on Sunday afternoon, August 4th:

This reporter, with notebook in hand, sneaked up on Betty Shrecengost, who was busily going over her list of information as she sat in her pickup outside the Pageant grounds gate. She took a minute to say that Truman Spencer Jr. shot the gun that started the Pony Express race at White Oaks, and Ted Clemens won the Pony Express race by 15 minutes. The Pony Express carried 1117 letters to all states except S. Carolina, and 13 foreign countries. It is an exciting memorial to the Old West.

A talk with Walter & Ada Robinson, of Picacho lead to another visit to the museum — when the sound of the 5th Army Band brought the crowd out to see the parade. The pageant was well represented in the parade by hand waves from Rickey and Roby Richardson, a slow smile from Davy Shrecengost and "Billy the Kid" himself, (Bill Shrecengost). Then as eyes moved toward the next rider, who was Fern Sawyer of Nogal, looking exceptionally 'swift' dressed in her Indian attire, the cowboys and residents from days gone by passed out of sight and the Arabian pony riders ended the parade. As different groups hurried toward the Pageant grounds, Pat and Bill rushed on so that they could start giving out awards. A visit with Ceil and Arnold Dockery, and her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Courson, gave an additional touch of the old days because of their unique home. Time was fleeing, so as the last person sat down to relive two hours in the life of Billy the Kid, Nancy Hunter, the Lincoln County Queen, passed-looking charming. The crowd was really feeling the mood of the play when suddenly the rain came and caused a permanent black-out! As the people took refuge in Dunlap's weaving shop and old hotel, and the cast hurried to different places — Old Lincoln Town might have been, it seemed to this reporter, just as it was in 1881.

IN REVERENCE TO OLA DILLARD, a dear friend of Nogal!

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Nogal sends their love to the Family. Ola Dillard will be laid to rest in La Luz, N. M. The funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. Monday the 5th of August.

A BUNCH OF COWBELLS

A very informative meeting was attended by Bunty R. & Roberta B. at the home of F. D. McDaniel (Nolene). Judy Lovelace presided, and plans were discussed for the County Fair, Aug. 23rd & 24th. The Cowbells will have a food booth, serving sloppy Joe's and baked goods. Their cook books will be on sale for \$2.50 — also dinner napkins for \$1.50. The cook book has some fresh ideas such as diets, how to substitute ingredients, and an every day herb guide among others. It's very handy. Take a look at one while you're at the FAIR!

NOGAL CENTER CAPERS

Lincoln County Senior Citizens Center News! The Nogal ladies will meet in the Fire house August 14th at 1:30 and Catherine Waldrop of Ruidoso will help the ladies make Rope hangers for flower pots. This should be very useful, I could use a few myself.

ROBY'S BOX — Do You Know?

That Loyd Davis and his wife L. B. presented the Jockey Club member of Ruidoso Downs with the most elegant and delightful party that has ever been given? And guess who made those delicious desserts?

The couple who play tennis and looked very special at the Jockey Club party?

The mother from Roswell, the son from Albuquerque, and the daughter from Nogal who all met at the Jockey Club Party and were surprised to see each other there?

A CUPFUL COOKING TIPS:

Marinate canned bean sprouts, (after draining), in French dressing and serve on lettuce as a salad.

Mrs. D. P.

For a new flavor, try adding several tablespoons of cream cheese instead of butter or margarine to mashed potatoes.

Mrs. B. M. of Socorro

Applause for Pete Domenici

Editor
Lincoln County News
Carrizozo, New Mexico

Dear Sir:
For the past year the American public has been bombarded with news of inquiries, investigations, indictments, trials, subpoenas, leaks, transcripts, and tapes — all a result of an affair called Watergate. I do not suggest that we should be spared all this, for anything that is newsworthy should be reported. I do believe, however, that all of these matters have had quite a depressing effect on our nation and have caused many of our citizens to become somewhat disillusioned with government and politics. It is easy, in the midst of all these revelations of corruption, to lose sight of the fact that there are today, as there always have been, some very honest, selfless, dedicated men & women in our government whose greatest purpose is to serve the people.

I would like to applaud one such person who serves New Mexico in the United States Senate. He is Senator Pete Domenici. Senator Domenici has shown great skill in many areas since going to the Senate. However, because the economy of Lincoln County depends to a large degree on ranching, I will confine my remarks to that aspect of the Senator's work which directly affects the ranching profession. The general public may not realize it, but right now the future of the Livestock industry is in great peril. Many producers and feeders have already been driven to bankruptcy by depressed market prices and more are being ruined each day. We who raise cattle are experiencing the worst cost-price squeeze since the 1930's. Total inventory losses to the beef industry since last October are estimated at \$15.5 billion. Unfortunately for the consumer, however, there has been no comparable reduction at the supermarket. Ranchers are receiving the lowest price in 10 years, as much as 50 percent below August

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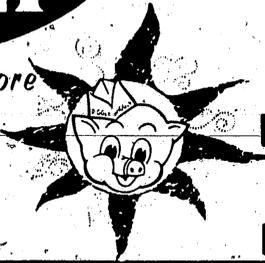
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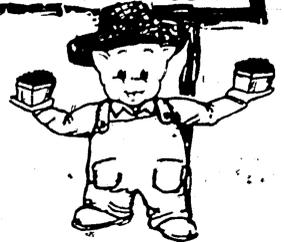
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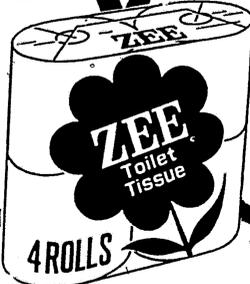
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Year book staff in school

Around Corona

Attending classes on the UTEP campus from nine until four, Monday thru Friday of this week are five members of the year book staff. Brett Carnell is registered in photography, and in journalism are Phoebe Foster, Cardinal Editor, Kathy Garfield, Kathy Hopper and Mary Kilgore. Mrs. Rand Perkins, Sponsor, Mrs. Bill Kilgore, Mrs. S. Garfield, Mrs. Archie Perkins and Janetta Foster took the students to El Paso, and they are staying with Mrs. Robert Bradford. The annual is financing the trip by the sale of pens and cardinal notebooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hutchinson, Kent and Sharla, are visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Hutchinson is the former Barbara Bryan. They make their home in Oklahoma City.

Frank DuBois returned Friday to Albuquerque after spending part of his vacation catching up on some ranch work here.

Jack Livingston, Baton Rouge, La. was here most of last week doing work on his ranch. He was accompanied by his brother, Tom C. Livingston, of Durant, Okla.

Leanne Surratt, a high school cheerleader, underwent surgery on her knee Monday morning at Hotel Dieu in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Tyree and Bo were here from Lordsburg to spend the weekend with the Tyrees here. They were accompanied by Mrs. Tyree's sister, Carol Thornton, who has been working this summer for EPNG at their Deming station. She will quit about mid August to get ready for her second year in college.

Mrs. Frank Sultemeier and Connie Lynn Sultemeier are in Lubbock, Texas, on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Connor and daughter stopped by one day last week to see his cousin, Mrs. Kennan Fuller. It was their first meeting in twenty years. Mr. Connor is County Agent at Post, Texas.

Mrs. Rogene Alford, Mrs. Kenneth LaMay, and Mrs. Elmo Tracey were in Silver City last week to attend the Pupil Transportation Institute at NMWU. Mrs. Pam Jullins Monroe accompanied them from Alamogordo.

Mrs. Austin Vick and David were overnight guests of Mrs. L. L. Vick last week before returning home to Las Cruces from a few days stay in Ruidoso. Mr. and Mrs. Vick and David are now vacationing in Idaho with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Vick.

Kennan Fuller made a business trip to Albuquerque Tuesday.

The rains are still scattered but very much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark Livingston of Durant, Oklahoma have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia (Tipper), and Mr. Ronald Stubblefield. After a mid-August wedding the couple will honeymoon in Galveston, Texas and will then return to the University of Oklahoma where both are third year students in the Law School.

Gordon Owen and Dale Brown were reported improving at Lovelace-Bataan Medical Center Monday morning after being injured in a one car accident near Estancia Saturday. Gordon suffered a concussion and shoulder injuries, and Dale has back injuries.

Earl Porter was visiting relatives here last week. Mr. Porter has been a security guard at the new Albuquerque High School Complex.

Mr. Earl Porter and his mother, Mrs. Susan Slack, have returned from Duncan and Marlow, Okla. where they attended a Williams family reunion. Mrs. Slack is the last of her generation and was made guest of honor by the several dozen family members present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Winchester announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their granddaughter, Linda Duke Miller, of Lubbock, Texas, and Mr. Stealey Clark of Muleshoe, Texas. All friends of the couple are invited to the wedding at 8 pm, August 30th, at Faith Love Chapel in Lubbock. A reception will follow at the church.

Ms. Miller is a graduate of Corona High School and is employed as a keypunch operator for Briarcroft Savings and Loan Association. Mr. Clark is employed by Crowe-Gulde Pre-Stress Concrete Co. The couple will reside in Lubbock.

1.88" of rain for July is reported at the State Highway Dept.

They Presbyterian Study Group will meet at 1:30 pm at the home of Mrs. Lee Mulkey. Mrs. Clint Sultemeier will lead the discussion, and everyone is cordially invited to attend and share these interesting studies.

Mrs. T. E. Mullins is wearing a cast. She broke a bone in her foot during the ribbon roping event at Magdalena recently. Moon came in fourth and was out of the money.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kimball, Sara, Sharon and Scott, have sold their home in Albuquerque and are moving to Littleton, Colorado where they have bought a home. Mr. Kimball is being transferred by E. G. and G. Co.

Jimmy Thomas of Santa Fe has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David McCloud who have been very busy doing some painting in the school buildings.

Charlie Wade came up over the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wade, and to meet his wife and children who had been visiting in Cuba. Charlie is project engineer in the construction of 126 low housing units in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mullins hosted the sixth annual Mullins family reunion last weekend. They were assisted by their son, Bunk, and by their daughter, Mrs. Glynn Monroe, and Mr. Monroe. 56 attended. Guests began arriving shortly after noon and were served snacks until that evening and time for the dinner of ham and turkey with all the trimmings. The Westerners (mostly a family band) entertained until 11 PM. For Sunday breakfast gallons of coffee, toast, ham, bacon and 105 eggs were consumed. The Sunday dinner menu included roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, hot rolls, salads and dessert. After a big meal and much conversation the group began to disperse about 3 p.m.

A sister, Mrs. Lenore Eisert, and a brother, Buggar Mullins of Clovis were unable to attend. Those in attendance and their relationship to the host include:

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Mullins (nephew) and son, Bob, Nara Visa; Mrs. Bernice Williams (sister), Tucumcari; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Mullins (brother), Forrest; Mrs. Barbara Jean Copeland (niece), Nara Visa; Mrs. and Mrs. Terry Cone (niece) and son, Mike; Portales; Mr. and Mrs.

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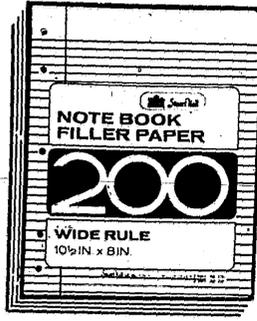


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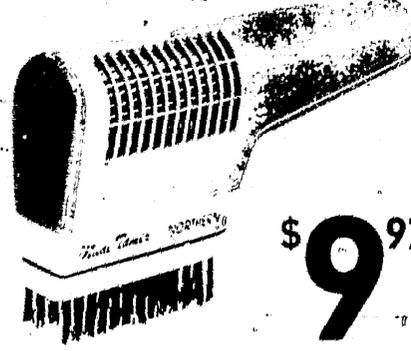


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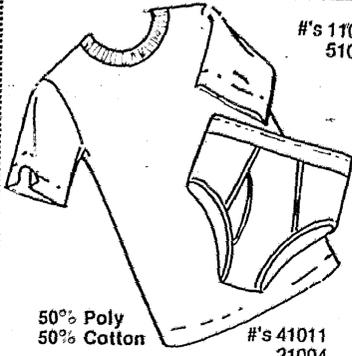
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Todd Keith (cousin), Tucumcari; Mr. and Mrs., Benton Cain (neice) and daughter, Kandy and Dusty, Logan; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Freer, (freinds) Logan; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Weaver (nephew), Greta, Wesley, and Trudy, Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Robinson (greatneice) and three daughters -- Dani, Amy, and Chaney, Albuquerque; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weaver (nephew), Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Witt (greatneice), Lance, Dwain, and Charla, Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Farmer and four children, La Mesa, Texas. Mrs. Elizabeth Mullins (sister-in-law) of Bisbee, Arizona and her three grandchildren -- Fletcher Mullins, San Jose, Calif., Art and Liz Page, Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. Hazel Cooke (neice) her grandchildren, Pam and Eddie Thomas, and a friend, Randy Martin, all to Bisbee, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ray (greatneice), Mo, Tammy, and Eddie, Bisbee. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Orbison (neice) and son, Ney, Clovis. Trujan Weaver (nephew), Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Moroe and Kane, Alamogordo; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moroe, Alamogordo; Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Curtis (sister), Hereford, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mullins (nephew) and Jennifer, Nara Visa.



Recently, on the television news the announcer said, "If all mother started bottle feeding their babies instead of breast-feeding, there would be a food shortage."

Here again is an address where a breast feeding manual may be purchased. La Leche League International 9616 Minneapolis Avenue, Franklin Park, Illinois 60131. The manual is titled, "The Womanly Art of Breastfeeding." Softcover \$3.00.

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What a pleasant surprise to receive a booklet "Summer Fun" activities to do at home with children from Carmen Pino Chavez of Fremont, California (a friend and Lincoln County News reader.) I also received a little booklet "Words to get well by" packed with beautiful reflections that console, encourage, inspire and make you smile.

I am looking forward to sharing these ideas with you in this column now and then.

Here is one:
 May the road rise up to meet you.
 May the wind always be at your back.
 May the sun shine warm upon your face.
 And until we meet again may God hold you in the palm of His hand.

— Irish proverb

Marginal gas well spurs holes in other locations

Houston Oil and Minerals Co. announced today completion results of the No. 1 Lewelling, a wildcat near Three Rivers in Otero county and told of plans for further exploration.

The Lewelling well, located 16 miles north Tularosa, counted gas shows in several zones in the Permian and Pennsylvania formations. The discovery well, completed through perforations from 8,000 to 8,016 feet, flowed gas at the rate of 200,000 cubic feet per day. The well will be completed in the Strawn and will be shut in pending results of development drilling in the area.

This discovery is the first gas production ever obtained in the Orogrande Basin, a spokesman for Houston Oil Minerals said.

The gas, located in a remote area of New Mexico, cannot be marketed unless additional reserves are established by further drilling. The company has approximately 170,000 net acres under lease in the basin, and currently is drilling a wildcat 17 miles south of the discovery well and plans to drill three additional wells in the area.

The Lofland Brothers drilling crews are running surface casing in the new well, located in Section 21, Township 15S, Range 10E, on state land.

Locations of the three other planned wildcats were not revealed, with a spokesman saying crews are running surveys to determine the best drilling areas.

Original plans for the well now being drilled in 26-15S-10E called for it to be drilled in Section 2 of the same township and range, but the location was moved.

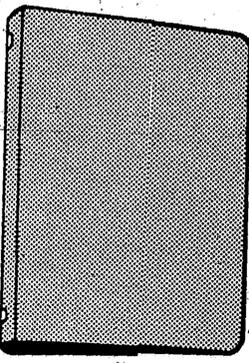
The discovery well is located in Section 12, Township 12S, Range 9E, almost three miles south of Three Rivers and east of the Southern Pacific railroad tracks.

Earlier this month, Houston Oil & Minerals staked a new location near the old Albert B. Fall rodeo arena at Three Rivers, between the trading post and the ranch house occupied by Tom Ryan. However, the company decided to suspend temporarily operations on that location where the site had been cleared, and put down the wildcat test southeast of Tularosa.

The new well is nine miles north of the north city limits of Alamogordo.

The 200,000 cubic feet per day gas flow in the No. 1 Lewelling charts it as a marginal well. Production - other tests will determine whether a pool of sufficient magnitude and production potential will make marketing, the gas economically feasible. — By Jeter Bryan

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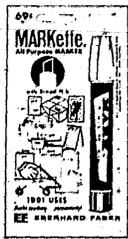
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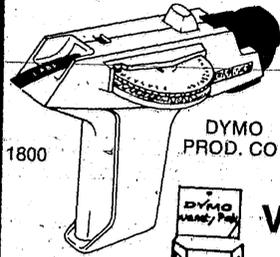
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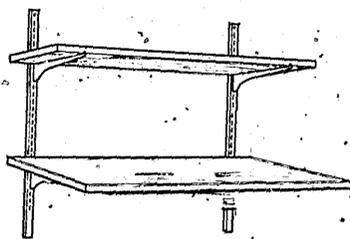


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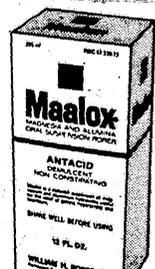
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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States
Plaintiff,
vs.
MANUEL TORRES and DORA MONTANO TORRES, his wife

No. 9324
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Special Master will, on Monday, the 9th day of September, 1974, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the front door of the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell and convey all the rights, titles, and interests of Manuel Torres and Dora Montano Torres, husband and wife, in and to the following described real estate situated in Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico, to-wit:

Lot Twenty-four (24) in Block Three (3) of AGUA FRIA Subdivision to the Village of Ruidoso Downs, County of Lincoln, and State of New Mexico.
Said sale will be made pursuant to the judgment entered on the 22nd day of July, 1974, and filed on the 7th day of August, 1974, in the above entitled and numbered cause which was a suit to foreclose the note and mortgage held by the Plaintiff, wherein Plaintiff was adjudged to have a valid first lien against the above described real estate in the sum of \$16,217.53 plus interest from December 1, 1973 at the rate of 7 percent per annum on the principal until paid in full, together with Plaintiff's attorneys' fees in the amount of \$624.00, the sum of \$30.68 for abstracting expense, the sum of \$8.40 for photocopying expense, and Plaintiff's costs herein the sum of \$29.95, together with interest on the aforesaid attorney fees, expenses and costs from the date of said judgment at the rate of 7 percent per annum until paid.
Said real estate above described shall be sold at public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, with right of Plaintiff to bid at said sale up to the amount adjudged to be owing it without being required to furnish cash other than for costs and expenses of such sale, should it be the highest and best bidder.

Archie A. Witham
Special Master
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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
MATTER OF OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FIDEL O. SANCHEZ, a-k-a FIDEL SANCHEZ, DECEASED.) Probate) No. 115

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT AND ACCOUNT
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: RUDOLPH MELVIN SANCHEZ, RITA SANCHEZ AGUILAR, ARTHUR RAY SANCHEZ, SANCHEZ MIRANDA, and all unknown heirs of FIDEL O. SANCHEZ, a-k-a FIDEL SANCHEZ, 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 Rudolph Melvin Sanchez has filed in the above entitled matter his verified Final Report and Account as Executor of the Estate of Fidel O. Sanchez, a-k-a Fidel Sanchez, deceased; and that on the 30th day of August, 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 heirship of said deceased person, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

Attorney for said Executor 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 16th day of July, 1974.

Margo E. Lindsay
District Court Clerk
by -s- Joy Leslie
Deputy

(D.C. SEAL)
First published in the Lincoln County News July 18, last published August 8th:

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
IN RE: Adoption of CARLOS GOMEZ, an adult.
Adoption Cause No. 209-A

NOTICE OF HEARING
TO CARLOS GOMEZ and TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN
Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of July, 1974, a Petition to Adopt Carlos Gomez, an adult, was filed in this Court by R. L. Van Norman.

Any and all persons objecting to said adoption are hereby notified to be present on the 29th day of August, 1974, at 9:30 o'clock A.M., at the District Court Chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, and show cause, if any they have, why said adoption should not be decreed.

Witness my hand and seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, by Order of the Judge of said Court at my office in Carrizozo, New Mexico, this 16th day of July, 1974.

Margo E. Lindsay
Clerk of the District Court
by -s- Joy Leslie
Deputy
First published in the Lincoln County News Thursday July 18, last published August 8, 1974.

NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that on July 12, 1974, Florida Sanchez, Box 27, San Patricio, New Mexico 88348 filed application number H-938 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to sup-



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plement surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso by using existing domestic well H-938 located in the E¹/₂SW¹/₄SW¹/₄ of Section 20, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., for the appropriation of up to 24 acre feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso for the supplemental irrigation of 8.0 acres of land located in Pt. E¹/₂SW¹/₄SW¹/₄ of Section 20, Township 10 South, Range 16 East.

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will impair or be detrimental to their water rights, may protest in writing the proposal set forth in said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with S. E. Reynolds, State Engineer, P. O. Box 1717, Roswell, New Mexico, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

First published in the Lincoln County News July 25, 1974, last published August 8, 1974.

Employment Opportunity

The Carrizozo Municipal Schools are now accepting application for Teacher Aides, lunchroom and part-time custodial positions. Applicants should contact James C. Steinepreis, Superintendent, or Larry Wilkinson, Principal.

First published in the Lincoln County News, Thursday, August 1, 1974, last published Thursday, August 8, 1974.

NOTICE ON HEARING ON APPLICATION TO CHANGE NAME
STATE OF NEW MEXICO,
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Orval Joe Pierce and Paula Jahllee Pierce have filed in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, in Cause No. 9379, Civil therein, their Application to change the name of Gary Ray Price to GARY RAY PIERCE.

And that said Application will come on for hearing and entry of Order by said Court at the County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 22nd day of August, 1974.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 26th day of July, 1974.

Margo Lindsay
Clerk of the District Court

(SEAL)
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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

The Board of County Commissioners will hold a special meeting on Thursday, August 15, 1974 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commissioners Room in the Courthouse at Carrizozo, New Mexico, for general county business.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS LINCOLN COUNTY

Published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, August 8, 1974.

Good rains around Capitan

Capitan by Margaret Rench
We here in Capitan did have over one inch of rain last week. In several showers, one of which did give us 1/2 inch. There were heavy showers all around us Sunday evening, but it just misted here far into the night. Clifton Hammett reported that one half inch fell at his place in Capitan last Sunday afternoon, then it went on to the east and south of him. He heard a roar of a very heavy storm for over 30 minutes. So this morning, (Monday), he went to see what it was. He said that at one ranch the rain gauge could not hold it. There was five inches at least and Mr. Hammett said that he had not ever seen such damage in this country. It was a terrific rainfall in a very short time.

Saturday, Mrs. Kingston accompanied Mrs. Rench (myself) to the REA Annual meeting at Cloudercroft. We went thru highway 24 in the Mountains, ah beauty! It was very green which showed us there had been rain, it was refreshing and beautiful. The cattle were contented, just a wonderful drive both ways. It was cloudy and cool in Cloudercroft, but no rain. The business meeting was good, and the dinner was delicious. We do have a very good board of which we are so very proud. They have done good work and the reports show that they did take good care of business. I wish them the very best continued success in the years ahead. There were many door prizes and everyone was happy receiving them. At 3:30 p.m. all ended and we drove to Mayhill to Burkett's Floweral. There we had lots more, endeared happiness, with the pretty plants etc. We had a great day and it ended in the joy of that lovely drive back home.

Those from Capitan attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Provine, Mr. and Mrs. Candy Trujillo, Eltha Merrell, Vera Coffman, Doris Pounds, George Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Lowe, Mrs. Maude Kingston and Mrs. Rench. I hope all had the sincere joy and happiness we did.

Mrs. Jeanne Hester Huddleton and Barbara Hester Morris of Colorado spent several days with their mother Mr. and Mrs. Otho Lowe last week.

Paul Kingston of Phoenix, Arizona arrived last Thursday morning at 3 to visit his brother Halleck Kingston in Tularosa. Friday evening they came to visit their mother Mrs. Maude Kingston and Aunt Lou Harris and spent the night. Saturday they visited friends before returning to Tularosa. Monday morning Paul returned and picked up a wheelbarrow and tools, then to his father's grave at Angus and did some

work. Then spent the day and went back to Tularosa to visit again before his return home. Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Miller left last Friday to spend a few days in Alamogordo and returned home Monday night.

Rick and Margie Allen moved their trailer home to the location near the Church of Christ where he will preach. Welcome to Captain.

Janie Randie and her girl friend Mary Johnson, both College students of Las Cruces, spent last weekend visiting her parents and son Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Sr. and Joe Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godwin of Pampa, Texas arrived in Carrizozo to spend their 51st wedding anniversary with their daughter Marlene, Mr. and Mrs. Dross and family, last Friday. He became ill and was taken to the Ruidoso Hospital and was released Sunday morning. They came by to visit Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright and became ill again and was taken back to the hospital. He is still there and the doctors feel now that it is a stroke. I do wish him the very best recovery and the very happiest Anniversary and many more.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright last weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay McCarty, and brother, Rodney, of Animas, N.M. and her brother Mr. and Mrs. MacMalcolm McCarty and two children of Portales. They also were guests of Jimmy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright.

Mrs. Morris Lucas and family spent one week with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Kidd, in Seminole, Texas and returned last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw left last Saturday morning to visit their daughter Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Riska and Danielle, returned Tuesday for a Dr. appointment in Roswell before returning home.

The Family Nazarene Camp closed last weekend, at Angus for this season. The Preacher and Layman's Retreat will follow in September.

An immense crowd attended the Billy the Kid Shows in Lincoln last weekend. It ended Sunday afternoon.

Grace Murphy is spending a week in Capitan making her home at the Smokey Bear Motel so that she can visit her many friends here. She arrived in Albuquerque and visited her son Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy. They came to stay at their cabin on Ruidoso for a week and Grace remained here. She spent last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson at their ranch home.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Williams for two weeks are their daughter Lynn (Mr. and Mrs. McCarty of Morris, Pa.), their son, Buddy Williams of Oakland, California, for one week. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Sanders visited them while enroute to Albuquerque, Mrs. Sanders is Carol Ann. They taken their baby, Claire Elizabeth, who had been a guest of her grandparents for a few days, with them to Albuquerque for several days.

Eltha Merrell is spending a few days in Roswell visiting friends.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Anderson for one week were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bader who has spent several summers visiting before and their son, Kent and Kim has spent five weeks with their grandparents. With them were Mr. and Mrs. John Detherage and two children also of Sedalia, Mo., on their first trip here. They loved N.M. as so many people do. So have enjoyed being taken to the interesting places.

Last week Louise Payton of Nogal brought Mrs. O.B. Shook, whose home is at the Annex in Carrizozo, to visit her friends here in Capitan. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Van Pelt, Mrs. Mayme Greison, Mrs. Lair, Mrs. Maude Kingston, Miss Lou Harris and many others. All were so very happy to see Mrs. Shook as well as I. She is a very happy lady and welcomes her friends to visit her. She loves her home there.

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Hello to Mrs. Withers and Mr. Cleve Brown who live there too. Hope to visit each one of you soon. Mrs. Bessie Brinner of Albuquerque, accompanied by her neighboring couple, visited her aunt Mrs. Charlie Pepper. They took her to lunch at the El Paisano, her favorite place to eat. Then shopping and visiting awhile. They stopped by for a few minutes before going home.

August 9 is the date for the Rainbow School of Instruction at Ruidoso. The Ruidoso Girls are furnishing the food, while the visiting girls will pay 75c. The program Call to Order, Ruidoso; Ritualistic Opening Chapter No. 44. Ritualistic Closing, Alamogordo; No. Balloting, Carrizozo. Initiation, Tularosa. Examining and Introduction of visitors, Ruidoso. I do wish them good attending and success in their work.

Jack and Idy Eldridge and two children "J" and Jenni of Santa Rosa visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lee Traylor in Capitan and her brother and wife in Roswell. Jack and J spent a couple of days at Spindle to check on the cattle and water, "J" enjoyed riding his horse. Idy and her mother visited some of their friends and neighbors at Alto, Sunday.

Thursday, Mrs. Hazel Meyer of Clovis and her sister Mrs. Reba Barber and Rebecca of Alto had a nice visit and enjoyed lunch with Mrs. Alice Traylor of Capitan.

A beautiful wedding took place at the Capitan Methodist Church at 1 p.m. Sunday, August 4, 1974.

Miss Donna Estes and Mr. David McGinn, both of Silver City, N. M. were united in marriage by Rev. Jim Reynolds. Bridesmaid was Debbie LaMite. The best man was Tony Prewitt. All are college students of Silver City.

The Brides parents were unable to attend, but the bridegrooms parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGinn, were present.

The reception and fellowship dinner was held at the church after the ceremony.

Mrs. Pogue of Capitan was bridesmaid for David's mother and David has been like one of her own and will always remain so. He wanted to be married in her church. They have always been good friends and family.

I wish this couple many years of happiness together.

Everyone else concerned live in Silver City, N. M. and they all enjoyed visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Pogue.

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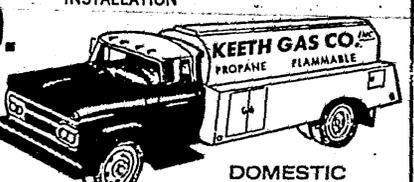
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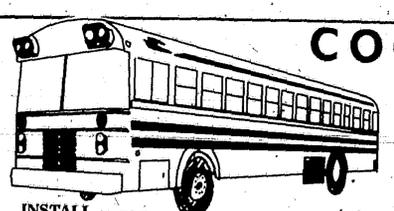
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 R. T. Armstrong, Manager
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The Lincoln County Republican Women's Club will meet August 13 at the R. A. Canning Ranch north of Capitan with county commission candidates Paul Pacheco, Bud Payne and Michael Hernandez as guest speakers.

This will be a covered dish gathering for the whole family. A lot of plans are in the mill and county Republicans are urged to join in the dinner and business.

Around Town
 by Eleanor Payton

Claudia Brannum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brannum, returned to her home in Pena Blanca. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Claud Brannum, Veda Stephenson, Tawn and Mitch.

Ginger Armstrong was here from Albuquerque last weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welcom Armstrong. The Armstrongs are expecting their son Gary and his wife, of Albuquerque, to be here next weekend.

Mr. Brazel Hartley and his son, Jay, of Las Cruces spent Saturday night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Snow. Mr. Hartley is Mrs. Snow's nephew.

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Mr. Wallace Meyers of Houston, Texas, visited Mr. L. Z. Manire last Sunday. Mr. Meyers was the elementary principal of the Carrizozo Schools in the late forties when Mr. Manire was superintendent.

Mrs. Doris Peters of Big Springs, Texas, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Thornton, for a week returned to her home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Austin Wooten was in Roswell last weekend visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Lannom and Mr. Lannom.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and daughters, Nancy and Margy of Lovington, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Witter and daughter, Larissa, of Grants and Mrs. John T. Wilson of Waco, Texas, were guests of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. B. W. Wilson last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Otero, who moved to Carrizozo from Corona and live in the house on E Avenue formerly the home of Mrs. T. E. Kelley, had as guests last weekend their children Tony S.

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