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Water rights retained

Changing points of diversion on the Bonito River after the 1941 flood was legal and proper, a special watermaster has ruled after a recent hearing in Roswell where the State Engineer challenged water rights along the stream.

The watermaster found that the old 1930s Bloom Land and Cattle Case was not an adjudication of water rights within the meaning of New Mexico statutes.

Thus, water right owners along the Bonito could change points of diversion after the 1941 flood washed out all structures legally.

There will be no forfeiture of water rights under the watermaster's ruling although the State Engineer's office has the right to appeal the decision.

The court still have the job of determining the duty of water along the Bonito.

Band judged No. 1

The Carrizozo mid-school band captured first place in the "B" division among bands at the Tularosa Rose Festival last weekend.

Last year the Carrizozo band was judged No. 2, the year before that, No. 1.

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Clerk alleges law violated

The town clerk of Carrizozo, Carmel V. Fenter, has written Attorney General Toney Anaya of New Mexico concerning she says in a violation of the "Open Meeting Law" last weekend in Carrizozo.

Mrs. Fenter, who sent copies of the letter to Sen. Harold Runnels, Gov. Jerry Apodaca, Bill G. Payne, Carrizozo town attorney and the

Lincoln County News, told Anaya "the governing body of the town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, consisting of the following, violated the "Open Meeting Law" . . . the weekend of May 3-4, 1975:

"Mayor Floyd Siegrist
"Mr. James W. Silva, Trustee
"Mr. Roy Harmon, Trustee
"Mr. Duff May, Trustee"

Mrs. Fenter says she learned the meeting she says was held was called, to appoint a new Town Clerk, "at which time was appointed and assigned to take duties May 5, 1975, as per her instructions."

Mayor Siegrist, when asked about a weekend meeting, asked, "What meeting? If one was held, I was not there."

He said he called no meeting. Mrs. Fenter said that Mrs. Maxine Gott showed up Monday to "undergo training," apparently, at the clerk's office.

Mrs. Fenter said that she will not relinquish the job as town clerk until "I am audited." Auditors were at the clerk's office, Tuesday.

Siegrist said that Mrs. Gott is not the new town clerk and that she told him she wouldn't take the job if it is offered.

Mrs. Fenter indicated on April 30 at a special town council meeting that she would be offering her resignation in the near future.

"But I hadn't resigned as yet," she told the News.

Earl Fenter, trustee, resigned April 30 effective after the next council meeting, May 13. Mayor Bill Payne also resigned effective April 30, with Siegrist elected mayor by the council that day. He was sworn in the next day. Town attorney Archie Wilham also resigned April 30, in deference to Bill Payne, who was sworn in as attorney May 1 after the council agreed unanimously he should be town attorney if the new mayor should offer his name. Siegrist did that, May 1.

In her letter to Anaya, Mrs. Fenter continued concerning the alleged secret meeting on the weekend:

"The meeting was NOT publicized in no form or fashion and Mr. Earl Fenter, Trustee and Mr. Bill G. Payne, Town Attorney were NOT notified of this meeting.

"I learned this morning (5 May 1975) the meeting pertained to appointing of a new Town Clerk, at which time was appointed and assigned to take duties May 5, 1975, as per her instruction.

"I have not officially resigned or submitted any kind of a written resignation from this position, but merely informed the Town of Carrizozo Board on a special meeting held 30 April 1975, that I would be resigning as soon as I completed numerous importances pertaining to the Town's Clerk Office, and as per the MINUTES.

"Request that your office please look into this matter at your earliest convenience.

"My sincere thanks to your office for your assistance in this matter."

Vital Medical Equipment

Last week Med-We-Care, Inc., featured, as the Vital Equipment Week No. 1, a Cardiac Monitor-Defibrillator which costs \$3,550.00. This week features something much less expensive, but equally as important. A Sphygmomanometer.

VITAL EQUIPMENT (Week No. 2)

A "Sphygmomanometer is a blood pressure measuring device. The hand-held dial type costs \$83.00 for a quality instrument; although cheap ones are available for about \$25, they are not reliable.

A mercury type for even more accurate reading is \$103.

The stethoscope used with the sphygmomanometer is \$14.

We should have one hand type and one mercury type, each with a stethoscope.

Total cost for these items is less than \$200.

Any donation, large and small, towards these pieces of equipment or to the general fund will be appreciated. Send donations to Med-We-Care, Inc., Citizens State Bank, Carrizozo, New Mexico. All donations to Med-We-Care, Inc., are tax deductible.

Dr. Olivarez to speak

The Lincoln County Democratic Women's Club will meet Tuesday, May 13, at 11:30 a.m. for a "Dutch treat" luncheon meeting at the Whispering Pines Restaurant in Ruidoso.

Following the luncheon Dr. Graciela Olivarez, State Planning Officer, will be the keynote speaker. The public is cordially invited to attend the program.

The Weather

	H	L	W	
April 30	70	26	8	
May 1	69	48	15	\$0,000
May 2	75	40	8	
May 3	75	33	8	\$8,500
May 4	84	36	15	
May 5	76	50	40	\$8,000
May 6	71	35	20	

The year 1941 was certainly a year to remember for many reasons, flood, war, rebuilding.

Tour on May 16
As a part of Soil Stewardship emphasis, the ministers of the churches in the Upper Hondo Natural Resources Conservation District have been invited on a conservation tour, May 16. The ministers and Upper Hondo district officials will leave the Soil Conservation Service office in Capitan at 2 p.m. that day.

The group will tour several conservation projects in the Bonito Valley and will end the tour with a picnic at Spring-Ranch Trout Farm near Hondo.

The ministers will be accompanied by their wives on the outing.

The Hurd painting used in Soil Stewardship literature is from a watercolor entitled "Study From Foothills Near San Patricio."

Hurd admits that for the painting he moved the Capitan Mountains "just a little" so that Capitan Peak shows up faintly in the background.

"I guess I played God," he quipped concerning moving a mountain.



Glenn Bradley

'Like a father to all of us. . .'

"He was like a father to all of us . . . he always took time to hear about our problems and to help us," Deputy Sheriff Dave Wheeler of Corona said of Chief Deputy Glenn Bradley of the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office who died unexpectedly in the Ruidoso hospital, Monday about 5:30 p.m.

"I phoned over there (to the hospital) about 4:30, and Glenn was doing fine . . . it looked like he would recover . . . but then about 5:30 everything fell apart," Lincoln County Sheriff Leandro Vega Jr. said, his face very sad. "Glenn was a mainstay in this office," Vega said. "He will be sorely missed."

Mr. Bradley had lived in Lincoln County for 42 years. He was 68 years old and was hospitalized with pneumonia on April 30 at Ruidoso.

"He didn't want to go," Sheriff Vega said. Apparently heart complications developed later in the week, but the deputy sheriff began feeling much better through Monday - until the end came, the sheriff indicated.

Funeral services for Mr. Bradley are scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday tentatively in the Carrizozo Methodist Church with Masonic services set for the Angus Cemetery following.

Mr. Bradley was a past president of the New Mexico Sheriffs and Police Assn. and had served as State Representative and minority floor leader of the House for two years.

He served two terms as sheriff, first in 1953 until 1957 and again from 1963 until 1967.

Mr. Bradley was born in Indian Territory, Oklahoma, June 16, 1906.

His body will lie in state at Clarke's Chapel of Roses funeral home, Carrizozo, all Thursday until time for the funeral.

Officiating at the funeral will be the Rev. Mr. Hugh Stiles of Ruidoso.

Mr. Bradley was State Representative between his terms as sheriff.

He was named chief deputy in 1973, prior to which he ranched in the Hondo Valley. He was jailer, also, living in quarters at the Lincoln County Courthouse.

He was a member of the Baptist church and was a Mason.

Survivors include his wife of many, many years, Bonnie, four sons, a daughter, five sisters, four brothers and seven grandchildren.

Sons are William Glenn Bradley of Las Vegas, Nev.; Douglas Keith Bradley, Fort Bliss, Tex.; Quill Melvin Bradley of Artesia, and Johnny Marshall Bradley of Jacksonville, Ark.

His daughter is Elaine McCormick of Hoquien, Wash.

Sisters are Beaula Havens of Farmington; Gladys Lee Brown, Imperial, Calif.; Mary Jane Weatherby, Phoenix, Ariz.; Velma Marie Yearly, Bessmer, Ark.; and Joyce Carroll of South America.

Brothers are Haskel Bradley of El Cajon, Calif.; Melvin Bradley of Hondo; Wayne Bradley of Artesia; and Hugh Bradley of Imperial, Calif.

Bunker Hill Monument near Boston is located on Breed's Hill where the historic battle was actually fought. Bunker Hill has long since disappeared under buildings.



Artist Peter Hurd, left, and chairman of the Upper Hondo Natural Resources Conservation District, Bert Pfingsten of near Lincoln, stand before the original painting—which graces Soil Stewardship Week posters, bookmarks and booklets, nationwide, during the special week. The painting hangs in the Hurd ranch home at San Patricio. (See Photo Page Twelve)

High school seniors ready for ceremonies

Graduation is drawing nigh for seniors in County-high schools. Twelve years of work will be rewarded with diplomas.

In Corona, baccalaureate will be Sunday, May 18, at 11 a.m. in the Corona School Auditorium. Speaker will be the Rev. Mr. Clyde Cook of the Baptist Church who will speak on "Bridging the Gap."

Graduation ceremonies at Corona will be Monday, May 19, at 8 p.m. in the auditorium. Tammy Owen will be giving the valedictory address, Kathy Hopper, the salutatory address.

Presentation of diplomas will be by Earnest Siltemeier, school board president. Kenneth W. Anderson, superintendent, will present the 1975 graduates.

Capitan

In Capitan baccalaureate will be Sunday, May

11 at 9 a.m. in the high school auditorium. Rick Allen, minister, Capitan Church of Christ, will deliver the baccalaureate address. Franklin McKay will introduce the speaker.

Commencement in Capitan will be Friday, May 16, at 8 p.m.

Dr. Eldred Harrington will deliver an address, with Franklin McKay presenting the seniors. Honors addresses will be by Debra Burkett, Rhonda Barber, Richard Phillips.

Pat Huye, president of the Capitan Board of Education, will present diplomas.

Carrizozo

In Carrizozo baccalaureate will be Sunday, May 18, at 8 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. Jim Reynolds, minister, United Methodist Church, Carrizozo and Capitan, will be the baccalaureate speaker.

Commencement in Carrizozo will be Tuesday,

May 20, at 8 p.m.

Welcome will be by Leo Zamora, senior class president.

Lisa Zumwalt will give the valedictory address, while Steve Harkey and G.L. Straley will be the co-salutatory speakers.

Tommy Lueras and Margaret Chavez will be presented as the representative boy and representative girl.

James C. Steinepreis, superintendent, will present the seniors. Principal Larry W. Wilkinson will present awards.

Ray Wells, president, Carrizozo Board of Education, will present diplomas.

Honor graduates in Carrizozo are Steven Paul Harkey, Cheryl Denise Johnson, Maria Guadalupe Mackey, George Leland Straley, III and Lisa Zumwalt.

Painting emphasizes Stewardship

The beginnings of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District hung by a thread on the salesmanship of artist Peter Hurd in 1941—a disastrous flood year in the Hondo and Bonito valleys.

The formation of the district by popular vote occurred in 1941, and now, 31 years later, the man who "sold" the idea and who has served as a supervisor, Peter Hurd, has a painting of his nationally on posters, a color booklet and on book marks in observance of Soil Stewardship Week, May 4-11.

The painting is of three hills in the Hondo Valley—hills that Hurd loves to paint—solid, strong hills befitting the theme of Soil Stewardship Week—"Test of Strength."

Hurd, at his ranch home Monday when Upper Hondo supervisors and the chairman gathered to note the national scope of the cover painting for the week, told the News that he is not doing much portrait work right now. He said that landscape, particularly of Lincoln County terrain near his home—always has been his favorite subject.

Hurd has painted three heads of state, Faisal of Saudi, Arabia, Betancourt of Venezuela and

Lyndon B. Johnson of the U.S.A. But the artist is taking life at a slower pace these days.

"After all, I will be 72 my next birthday," Hurd said. "I don't know where the years have gone."

Among persons present for the emphasis on the cover painting for Soil Stewardship Week were A.T. (Bert) Pfingsten, chairman of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District; supervisors, Bob Scribner; Ruidoso; Ernest McDaniel, Glencoe, and LaMoyné Peters; Alto Route, Capitan. Supervisor Harvey Bonnell of Glencoe couldn't be present.

Greg Houser of Capitan SCS also was present as was Mrs. Pfingsten.

Hurd told about the beginnings of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District in 1941.

He was a poll clerk, and, Hurd said, probably contrary to law, was preaching the merits of the conservation district to each and every voter.

He really bent the ear of Mrs. Pruet, Hurd said. She was reluctant, but said she voted for creation of the district.

"I offered her reassurances after she voted, too," Hurd said.

The votes were counted. And the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District was created by a margin of a single vote.

Hurd's salesmanship to Mrs. Pruet paid off. He's been selling soil and water conservation ever since—as a supervisor for the district many years and as a private citizen—a citizen of note, it might be said.

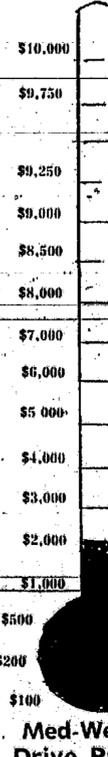
The Upper Hondo district was created just before the disastrous floods of Fall 1941, Pfingsten recalls. Thus the area had a "vehicle" to use when all the structures on the Ruidoso, Hondo and Bonito Rivers were washed away.

"The district had machinery to do something," Pfingsten said.

All agencies, he said, Forest Service; State Engineer, BLM, SCS, Bureau of Indian Affairs, worked on rehabilitation retardation structures on the rivers, Pfingsten said.

He said that the Indians provided timber to rebuild the structures.

He was working on loading timbers in the forest one December day when his wife drove up and told him about Pearl Harbor.



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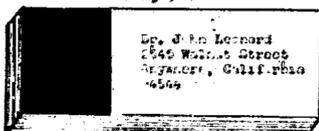
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Homemaker's Highlights

Oh, that's why the neckline of that red blouse sags! "Darts in clothing play a big role in making things fit", says Susan Wright, Clothing Specialist at NMSU.

Here's How!
 Two most frequent alterations of patterns are raising and lowering hems and moving bust line darts. If you change a pattern you have to change darts. Darts can be moved very easily from one place to another on a garment. Make another pattern using tissue paper. Trace all darts and notches and grain lines. Cut off seam allowance.

Mark at pivot point about 1-1/2 inches from the inside edge of the bust line dart. Cut the long narrow V out of the dart and bring the edge together to make the dart. Tape it closed. The bust line dart can be relocated to the shoulder line, made into a long french dart that comes from the hip or into the seam allowance as much as the old dart was; you will have better success if you make up this new pattern in an inexpensive fabric or old sheet before using a good piece of fabric. You still may have to make some alterations such as lengthening or shortening the dart.

For more information call the County Extension Office at 384-2372. New hand-outs include 2 excellent ones on pattern fitting and alterations. Call and ask for 400.C18 and 400.C17.

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS

Divorces filed
 Susan Kathleen Butts vs. George Franklin Butts.
 Vicki A. Miller vs. Ronald Dwayne Miller.
 Civil Suits
 Leonard E. McCrary vs. Bill McCrary dba McCrary Construction Co., suit on personal injury.
 Pertec Parks & Associates, Inc., vs Jean S. Shipley and Dan D. Sullivan, partners, Sullivan Construction Co., suit on account.
 Lowell Elzy Nosker, application for limited drivers license.
 Criminal cases
 Louis Montoya Jr., charged with larceny of a firearm. Waived preliminary hearing.



Tracksters work out near the new Carrizozo High School gymnasium which is taking form rapidly. A vocational annex is being added to the gym.

'Good Sams' to travel in June

The mayor of Carrizozo and family and the Chamber of Commerce president here and family have been invited to a campout at Baca Campsite on Saturday and weekend of June 13-14-15.
 Dan L. Dowell, State Wagon Master, New Mexico Good Sams, has issued the invitation. Dowell says, in part, in a letter to the mayor: "Sometime during the morning of 13 June 1975 a Caravan of Good Sam Recreational Vehicles will pass thru Your City on their way to Salazar Canyon to camp at Baca camp area. This caravan will come from Albuquerque and will be composed of the ZIA ROAMER chapter and of New Good Sam members not affiliated with a chapter. There will also be REC VEHICLE

owners who are not yet Members of Good Sam with the caravan. At the same time there will be Good Samers from the Tumble Weeds Chapter of Albuquerque, The Los Piasanos Sams from Alamogordo, and the Border Chaparrals from Deming passing thru Carrizozo."
 "Some of these, quite a few, will require gasoline and perhaps other supplies and it is expected that the merchants of Carrizozo will derive some benefit from these travelers passing thru."
 "This is to be a mini Samboree composed of the Five New Mexico chapters; the Road Runners Sams of Roswell will join us at Baca. There will be much visiting among the members, games and contests during the three days' camp. A potluck supper will be served on Saturday and we would be delighted to have you and Mrs. Payne and family come up as our guests. We also invite your Chamber of Commerce president and family to attend our Campout and Potluck."
 "There are some Good Sam Members in your area whom we do not know and who are not affiliated with any of our chapters and we also invite them and any other Rec Veh Owners who might be interested in joining Good Sam to also join us as our guests. It would help to reach these good people if a notice of our campout was published in your paper and since we do not know this paper it would be appreciated very much if you could ask them to publish this notice. The Camp Out is the 13-14-15 June at Baca Campsite in Salazar Canyon. This is at the Old Girls Camp site. There are no facilities but there is water from a faucet."
 Thank you for giving this your consideration and we look forward to meeting you at our campout.

Racing strip improved

RUIDOSO DOWNS - A major renovation of the racing strip at Ruidoso Downs is now winding up. Total cost of the project was over \$25,000.

"When the 1975 season gets underway on May 17, the running surface will be in the finest condition it's ever been in," reports General Manager Al Rosa, the compelling force behind the project.

"Our objective was to construct an absolutely first-rate racing strip," Rosa went on. "This kind of quality is extremely vital to the horsemen and it's also important to the fans. The track has been completely re-conditioned, thoroughly improved, and checked by engineers to make certain it's in a true grade"

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Horsemen have already been up to Ruidoso to view the work being done, and the response has been highly laudatory. As one horseman put it, "This is the finest track improvement program in the history of Ruidoso Downs."

Wendell Leiding, maintenance superintendent, ramrodded the renovation under the direction of the engineers. The task, which took eight weeks to complete, began with the complete removal of the old cushion (the top three inches of soil).

Several low spots in the base, which had developed from normal wear-and-tear, were filled and packed in. The engineers then checked the grade, and the turns, to correct any highs or lows.

A vibrating compactor, and a pneumatic roller, were used to create a solid base. The drainage was improved by the re-structuring of the shoulder along the inside rail. This will help moisture flow from the surface onto the infield, and will promote a more even drying of the track following wet weather.

Finally, about 4,000 cubic yards of new soil was hauled in to create a new cushion.

"The track is now as near-perfect as engineers can make it," Rosa summed up.

During the racing season, the care of the track will be in the capable hands of William Herden, Ruidoso's newly-appointed track superintendent. For the past 16 years, Herden has been serving in a similar post at Turf Paradise in Phoenix.

April 4-H Activities extensive

HONDO - Jamie Gibson has been elected member of the month for April by the Hondo Valley 4-H Club. April activities of the club were extensive.

In the near future the club will tour Rose Ranch, quarter horse ranch, and have a picnic there at Hondo.

Several projects were in full swing at the time of the April meeting earlier in the month. Knitting-needlecraft meets each Monday. Mrs. Earnest Booky is sponsor.

In the original group, which concluded training in April, were Cynthia and Corina Chavez, Romona Kimbrell, Evelt and Louisa Polaco, Alice Booky, Gretchen and Diane Torrez, Novelda Gutierrez, Maxine Chaves.

Home Living I and II leaders have combined; they have three leaders, Mrs. Landfair, Mrs. Charlie Cooper and Mrs. Liz Racher. They just ended a cooking part of their total project with a breakfast at Mrs. Landfair's home, using what they had learned - baking biscuits, cooking bacon, eggs, etc. Attending the breakfast were Eli Salcido, Ruban Polaco, Lee Ann Surratt, Eugenia Torrez, Patricia Montes, Ginger Cooper, Carla Landfair, Louisa, Wanda and Evelt Polaco.

Some of the 4-Hers have been on trips with judging teams, to Carrizozo and Melrose, with ag teacher Mr. Mitchelet. They are Shonie and Shawn Bachelor, Lloyd Salcido and Carlos Pacheco.

Wool judging practice sessions are being held twice a week.

RC & D discusses projects

The South Central Mountain Resource Area RC&D met in Alamogordo recently with chairman Bill Gage presiding to discuss progress on projects. Fred Shanks, Grant County conservation technician, explained a conservation and beautification project which employs students during the summer months.

The students, ages 14 and up, work 20 hours a week at \$2.10 per hour. They work at such jobs as maintenance of old CCC structures, village parks, and permanent type conservation and beautification projects.

They hope these jobs will offer training in job skills, pride in their work, community support and most important - self satisfaction with their accomplishments.

Sam Graft, new State Park director, talked about SCORE, the state plan for outdoor recreation projects and invited the RC&D's to participate in these. He also showed the group the proposed design for the Smokey Bear Park at

Capitan. He said it is most likely the park will be completed in stages with \$100,000 appropriated for the first phase which includes purchase of property, planning and fencing and should take 12-18 months for completion.

Don Pendleton, Soil Conservation Service assistant state conservationist for RC&D projects, talked to the group about national and statewide RC&D activities. He told of a survey conducted in northern New Mexico in which the people put more emphasis on the need for technical assistance rather than financial for construction. He explained that instead of 25 new starts this year there will be ten so that more money can be put into the going program.

Three new projects were accepted for measures - one is to seek funding for playground equipment for Corona school. Another request is to find a means of letting tourists and hobbyists know where shops are located in both Lincoln and Otero counties. The third is a request from the State Highway dept. They need more easements and rights-of-way to maintain the Weed-Sacramento road. The spring fire last year has caused excessive sediment and erosion and due to the low priority road no funds are available. Bill Gage, Otero county commissioner, is to work with the local people to explain the problem.

Fourteen projects have been completed this year according to the executive committee vice-chairman Lewis Meritt.

Dennis Jeter, science teacher at Carrizozo school, explained the success of the project to inform students of various agencies' activities and career opportunities. He hopes this will be continued next year.

The annual meeting will be held in Carrizozo in June, with Gov. Apodaca as the proposed program speaker.

BSA okays stock split

A stock split of 2 for 1 was approved by over two-thirds of the stockholders of Bank Securities, Inc., at their annual meeting last week when they authorized the bank holding company to amend its charter to authorize 4 million shares of \$5.00 par value common stock in lieu of the previously authorized 2 million shares of \$10 par value common stock.

President Ted Bonnell said that the stockholders' action was attuned to the times and would serve to broaden the market base for BSI stock throughout the region by allowing additional interested investors to become part of the registered bank holding company's growing family. Bonnell stressed the strength of the secondary market for BSI stock over the past year when the stock substantially held its own during the year throughout the various economic fluctuations.

BSI will exchange two of its newly authorized \$5 par value common stock for each of its presently outstanding 810,985 shares of \$10 par value common stock.

With 27 locations throughout the state of New Mexico, BSI was the first domestic registered bank holding company in the state.

Citizens State Bank of Carrizozo is a member of the BSI family, along with Security Bank in Ruidoso.

FHA goes to White Oaks

Carrizozo Future Homemakers of America held a buffet dinner at the home of Larue Wetzel in White Oaks, Tuesday, April 22.

Mothers furnishing transportation and attending the dinner were Polly Chavez, Josie Vega, Edith Pearson, Eunice McBride, Margaret McKinley, Margo Lindsay, Rachael Hicks, and Mela Herrera.

Also attending were Rosemary Casabonne and Sandy Gilmore, student teachers, and Emma C. Lawson, FHA advisor.

Three to be graduated

PORTALES - One student from Carrizozo and two from Corona are among the 664 candidates for graduation this spring at Eastern New Mexico University.

Baccalaureate and commencement services begin at 8 p.m., Friday, May 2, in the Physical Education Complex Area. Sen. Pete V. Domenici will deliver the main commencement address on "Can Democracy Survive."

David L. Lock of Carrizozo will receive a bachelor of science degree in physical education, while Connie Lyn Sultemeier of Corona receives a bachelor of business education degree in basic business education. Lois Ann Holleyman, also of Corona, will receive a bachelor of business administration degree in accounting.

Marriage licenses
 Joseph Daniel Payne, 19, and Pamela Susan Allen, 19, both of El Paso.
 Bobby G. Bundy, 21 and Cynthia Ann Morrison, 19, both of Ruidoso.



County Commissioner Bill Hart does not have an unlisted number. He was accused of this at the last County Commission meeting by Mrs. Eileen Lindamood of Alto, when she said Mrs. Frank Reed had attempted to call Hart and got a message from the operator that the number was unlisted.

Hart said he has had the same phone number for many years, that it is not unlisted and that it is in the book.

A mixup somewhere.
 W-W
 Carrizozo police Chief A. A. Morales had his picture on the front page of the Alamogordo Daily News recently when he attended a meeting of the New Mexico Association of Chiefs of Police. The organization discussed goals. Tularosa Chief Julian Martinez also was in the picture.

W-W
 Capitan Mayor Jay Johnson is in Washington for the retirement ceremony this Friday for Smokey the Bear. Big doings are planned in the nation's capital when Smokey is officially retired. Johnson departed Wednesday by air for D.C.

Johnson says Smokey will be moved to Ghost Ranch in New Mexico about Sept. 1 to live out his days. Upon his death, he will be buried in the Smokey Bear Historical State Park in Capitan - which is under development.

All the hoopla this weekend surrounding Smokey probably won't impress him much. He's tired, but Johnson tells us the bear is being given cortisone for his arthritis and is much livelier than he has been.

There's spark in the old boy yet.

W-W
 This is Rose Festival weekend in Tularosa. A Queen Pageant is set for Friday - with big doings scheduled Saturday.

Old timers will register at 9 a.m. Saturday as will Tularosa High School classes of 1930-1940. There'll be square dancing, a parade at 11 a.m., tour of homes by the Garden Club, chuckwagon feed at 5:30 p.m., dance at the Legion Hall and much more. An oldtimers basket dinner will be Sunday at 1 p.m.

The Yeagers Children's Carnival will be available at Fresno and 4th all weekend.

W-W
 Nogal Ranchmen's Camp Meeting is set for July 16-20 this year. Put it on the calendar.

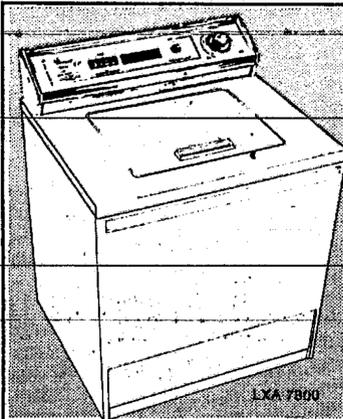
W-W
 Mayor Bill Payne who resigned as mayor this week has helped Carrizozo progress. The town has started toward a cleanup operation and has, with some heads bloodied, begun planning for future development with zoning regularizations.

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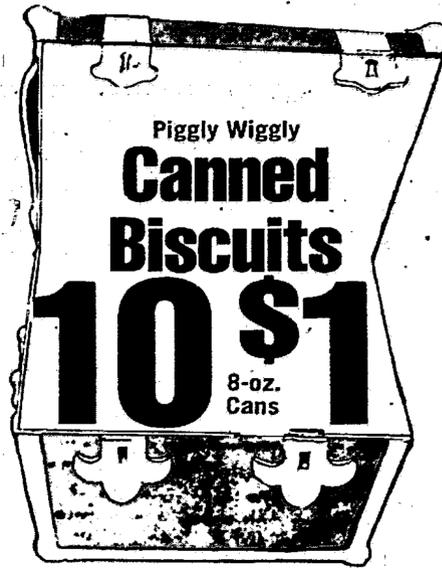
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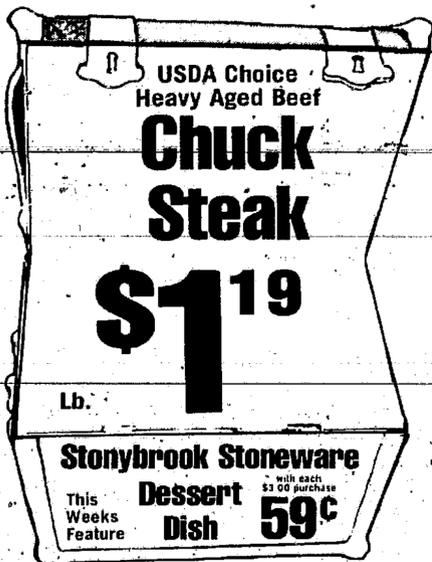
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Prayers go to family

by Margaret Rench

Capitan



David Morales, with Smokey Bear hat, is the grand prize winner in a Smokey Bear Coloring Contest conducted at Carrizozo schools for first through third graders. Presenting awards were, Charles Mook U.S. Forest Service fire prevention officer for this district, left, and Bob McGee, fire prevention technician for the Carrizozo area. W.G. (Bill) Schrecengost of

Lincoln coordinated the contest. First place winners pictured are Daniel Zamora, first grader (Orsak); Randy Dross, third grader (Webb); Michael Curtis, second grader (Smith), and Tommy Shafer, third grader (Williams). David Morales is in Mrs. Webb's third grade class.

All of us in this part of the county send our prayers to the family of Deputy Sheriff Glen Bradley.

Hernelinda Trujillo wife of Marguerito Trujillo underwent surgery at the Bataan & Lovelace Hospital in Albuquerque on her hip, April 23. They expect her to be released Wednesday. I wish you a very good recovery, Hermelinda.

Jimmy and Linda Wright of Las Cruces received their new trailer home, Thursday, April 22, and it is parked on West Fourth Street. Jimmy is graduating from New Mexico State University in Las Cruces, May 16. They will then live here and he is employed with the U.S. Forest. Congratulations, Jimmy! We are proud of all of your accomplishments.

LaRue Courtney, sister of Maxine Wright, underwent surgery April 26, and Maxine was at her bedside. She is recovering very nicely. Maxine returned Tuesday, April 29. She came by Humble City, and picked up her daughter Mrs. Terry Strickland, Thonda Kay and Melinda and brought them home with her; they remained here several days.

Do remember, the Enchilada Supper given by the American Legion at the El Paisano Cafe May 10 for the benefit of sending two boys to Boys State. Toni Otero needs more volunteer help. Do help them if you can. Let's make this a big success.

Mrs. Rench accompanied Doris Pounds to Star last Thursday night. Jewel Bonnell, Helen Pfingsten and Sue Shaw of Hondo Valley also attended. We had a lovely meeting with so much happiness and enjoyment.

We certainly do not think people should make fun of Smokey Bear, and we are very proud of our second graders and their teacher for standing up for him. We do think Smokey has done a lot of good and he does deserve a rest. We feel we can be just as proud of the second Smokey for carrying on as Fire Prevention Bear.

Our many visitors to the Smokey Bear Museum this week had heard about Smokey, and all were pleased to visit his birthplace. We had a lovely couple from Cheam, England. A very nice couple Debbie and Terry Clarke from KOAT-TV, Alamogordo came Thursday to take movies of the Museum. The film was flown to Washington, D.C. to be on Nationwide ABC Harry Reasoner show on Friday. For some reason it was not shown. Mrs. Hobbs talked to Mrs. Clarke Saturday and she said the film did get to Washington, D.C. and they did not know why it was not shown. Maybe it will be shown at a later date.

We are so very proud of our Mayor Jay Johnston who took a plane to Washington, D.C. Wednesday afternoon and attended the retirement of Smokey Bear and the changing of the Guard to Smokey the Bear, Jr. He returned home Friday afternoon. We are so proud of our mayor and all of his efforts. He is doing a very good job.

Leo Powell, who left Capitan and his friends April 5 to make his home in Alaska with his son Mr. and Mrs. Robert Powell for the remainder of his life must have arrived. We all do want him to know that we care and do want to know about him. After all, friends are more valuable than money. Leo, if you cannot just drop a note, then Bobby or Muriel, please do drop just a note. Let Leo know we all care. Wish him the healthiest and happiest life ever, even though we do miss him here. We are interested and want him to know all of our prayers are going his way constantly.

One of the Townley twin girls fell from the pickup Saturday, though luckily not seriously hurt, badly bruised.

Mrs. J.C. (Florence) Harris of Ruidoso Downs came this day, Monday, May 5 and painted the kitchen for her aunt Maude Kingston. That is a lovely gesture and Maude appreciates it.

Mrs. Rench attended an Avon Sales Meeting Monday April 29, at the Chaparral. Others attending were Kim Graham, Mary Ann Brown, Patsy Malone and our District Mgr. Evelyn Ford. We missed Joan Means and Naihale Vega of Carrizozo. We are sorry they could not attend. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Sr. visited his parents in Roswell last Sunday afternoon.

The Capitan Junior Riding Club held its first

Rodeo Sunday, May 4 at the Rodeo Grounds with a large crowd attending.

The Capitan Roping Club held its first practice Saturday May 3 at the rodeo grounds.

The 4-H horse meeting held their meeting last Thursday after school at the Fair Building.

Little Della Joiner fell and broke left arm last Friday evening. I wish you a good recovery.

Mrs. Bessie Cummins and grandson David visited Mrs. Ethel Pepper in St. Mary's Hospital last Sunday afternoon. She was actually wishing for her Capitan friends to visit her. Therefore she was a very happy lady. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Waltrip, David's other grandparents.

Ed Howell, who is well known here with the Worley Feeds broke his hip and is hospitalized at St. Mary's Hospital. This happened several days ago.

Mrs. Howell is with him. His friends here send him the best wishes for a good recovery.

Mr. Charlie Hammons of Carlsbad spent last weekend in Capitan with his son Sam Hammons and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sala's and son visited friends and relatives in Capitan and Lincoln this last weekend.

Zona Cresap and sister Zenobia Donahoe and Hilda Young attended the old Timers Class Reunion 1930 to 1940, The Rose Festival and its activities in Tularosa. Saturday and Sunday, they stayed with friends and relatives.

Several homes in Capitan are getting new additions to them and their occupants are very happy and excited about it. I am happy for them.

Vera Beall is at home in Lincoln at this time after several weeks absence due to her illness in the Ruidoso Hospital. Welcome home and lots of continued good health in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Merrell of Las Cruces spent last weekend with his mother, Mrs. Eltha Merrell.

Happy Birthday to Weyman Hartley of EL Paso, Texas who celebrated his 50th birthday Sunday, May 4. I wish him many more such happy and healthy birthdays. He grew up here.

Zenobia Donahoe recently spent two weeks with relatives and friends in Los Angeles, California and that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Racher of Petrolia, Ontario, Canada arrived via plane to visit his son, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Racher in Lincoln for 10 days. They celebrated their 55th Wedding Anniversary while there. Tuesday morning, May

Senior Citizen day near

Tuesday, May 13, will be Senior Citizens Day in Ruidoso when the new Senior Center will be opened and special program presented.

Dr. Grace Olivarez, State Planning Officer, will speak at 2:25 p.m. at the center on "Your State Looks at Senior Citizens."

The center will be open to visitors at 10 a.m., and from 1:30 until 2 p.m., the Senior Citizens Rhythmic Band will present music.

Greetings at 2 p.m. will be by Lloyd Davis, Jr., mayor of Ruidoso, and by Roman Nunez, chairman of the Lincoln County Commission.

Dr. Olivarez will answer questions after her address.

At 3:30 p.m., Barney L. Waldrop, chairman of the mayor's committee on aging, will talk on "Why Retire in Ruidoso?"

A covered-dish meal will be a feature from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. with Bob and Sara Lee Beumer and Bruce and Frances Poorbaugh as hosts and hostesses. They are members of the mayor's committee on aging.

The Center will be open from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Court record

Thursday, May 8

Non-jury trial, C. Reading, Inc., Vs. A.T. Pierce, suit on account.

Vivian Bretz vs. Donald F. Bretz, child support.

Joyce Ross vs. Robert Phillip Pietz, child support.

Christian Science Group of Ruidoso, correction of tax rolls.

State of New Mexico vs. Lula Hopkins, hearing on appeal from Magistrate Court, having to do with animals running loose in Nogal area.

6, Gordon and wife took them with them in their motor home for few days trip in Arizona to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Racher and family in Tucson, then to Phoenix and other points of interest for a nice vacation before they returned home.

Rhonda Barber, a senior in our school, entered the Ruidoso Hospital Monday April 28. She is doing nicely though she will not be able to go on the senior trip. I wish you a good recovery, Rhonda.

Rodney Perkins of SCS received the sad news of his father passing away in Portales last Saturday. Rodney and his wife Marietta attended the funeral services Monday.

Bob Curtis who broke horses was thrown from a horse last week and his neck was cracked. He was taken via ambulance to Ruidoso then to El Paso. He is recovering. He wears a neck brace and is able to be up at this time. We do wish you the best recovery.

Recently, Bessie (Mrs. Mill) Jones underwent cataract surgery on both of her eyes. Which was a great success. She is a very happy lady now and enjoys driving the car and being able to read, etc.. We are happy for you, Bessie.

Mora Tittsworth of Tinnie was a guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson at their ranch home last Wednesday.

A Luncheon and Canasta Party was held at the ranch home of Mrs. Ronny (Janice) Eldridge last Wednesday celebrating her mother (Mrs. Leroy (Emelia) McKnight's) birthday, April 23. Guests were Melissa Coffman, Eltha Merrell, Lorene Ferguson, Louise Ferguson, Janice DeLarosa, Marjorie Eldridge, Mary Johnson and Pat Flatley.

After a delicious luncheon they enjoyed canasta and visiting. I wish you many more such happy birthdays, Emelia.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Williams and their daughter Carol Ann Sanders and baby daughter, Claire of Nogal, visited at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson. The Lincoln County Collectors' Guide and points of interest have distributed hand bills and left them at various places to be picked up by interested persons. There is a map on one side showing the county and points of interest naming the museums, stores and places of interest to visit. That is a great item for visitors to have so they can make it a point to cover them all while enroute.

Friday night Mrs. Rench accompanied Harriet Kline and her two lovely daughters, Beth and Jeannett to the Hondo Fiesta. We enjoyed the most delicious dinner at their cafeteria. What a delightful evening.

Then Saturday night Mrs. Doris Pounds, Mrs. Maude Kingston and Miss Lou Harris accompanied Mrs. Rench to that Fiesta. Dinner again. Then as before we enjoyed those Fiesta dancers. I enjoy them so very much and cannot say enough good as those students dance with such precision and perfection. Two and one half hours of the most wonderful enjoyment. I am not very ready for it to end. Everyone who has any part of that training or in the Fiesta in any way needs to be commended for it is such a wonderful event. It is always a great success. The food made by PTA is out of this world. The cooperation and perfect work of all of those Hondo persons must be mentioned for it is one great big success and happiness. Such crowds one cannot imagine. They are taken care of so easily with no problems. The sheriff's department and State Police handle the parking and all in their line just great. There is such order that it is a joy to attend. We each had such happiness there. I wish Hondo Fiesta many years of continued success.

Council hears of district convention

Tuesday, May 6, the Lincoln County Extension council meeting was opened with a prayer led by Alva Wilson.

Presiding over the meeting was the president, Elissa Pacheco. Four of the six Lincoln County Clubs were represented.

Mrs. Lorena Ratcliff gave a report on the recent District IV Convention held at Carlsbad. Mrs. Pacheco commended the clubs' cooperation, with Liz Racher-chairman of the Lincoln County display, "Burlap Beauties" at the District III convention.

Mary Ellen Payne announced that the county 4-H Council will be sponsoring a Fun Carnival at Capitan June 4, from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m., with all the 4-H clubs in the county participating. Proceeds will go partially to the clubs and also to help send three 4-H delegates to Washington, D.C. to the Citizenship Short Course to be held June 22 to 28. She asked the council to ask their clubs to contribute to the "Country Store" which would be held in conjunction with the Carnival to be held at the Fair Barn in Capitan. Also to contact the public in each of their areas to attend the carnival.

The council at its last meeting decided to change leader training procedure. Each club will host a covered dish luncheon once a year to which all club members are invited. A major program will be given at this meeting.

Mary Ellen Payne also gave a report on the recent World Food Conference held at N.M.S.U. In this report she mentioned that an expanded lesson this topic will be given to Ruidoso in the coming year.

Some of the items included in this lesson will be food production, food waste, world-wide distribution of food and population projections. One example she cited was the energy use of moving a Kernel of Hybrid corn from development of the seed to a corn flake in your cereal bowl.

Mrs. Payne also announced that there will be two workshops in the Fall, "Stretch and Sew" and "Men's Wear," dates to be announced later.

Revenue Sharing picture

More than half the 124 cities and counties in New Mexico receiving federal revenue sharing funds will get less in 1975-76 than they are receiving this fiscal year, figures released by the governor's office show.

The figures for Lincoln County show the following:

County of Lincoln, \$157,292, up \$4,150; Capitan, \$18,743, up \$15,037; Carrizozo, \$14,372, down \$5,734; Corona, \$4,645, down \$514; Ruidoso Downs, \$19,094, up \$6,734; Ruidoso, \$81,532, down \$13,060.

Otero county will get \$251,084, up \$30,113; Alamogordo, \$145,181, down \$18,444; Cloudercroft, \$19,359, up \$14,561; Tularosa, \$41,095, up \$61. Vaughn will get \$21,344, up \$778.



Miss Betty Ann Friedman

Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Friedman of Cambridge, Massachusetts announce the engagement of their daughter Betty Ann to Mr. Frank M. Hoff.

Miss Friedman is presently a student at Purdue University where she is majoring in anthropology. She will be graduating this summer and then plans to attend UCLA to get her Masters' Degree.

Hoff is presently employed at the Lincoln County News and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hoff of Carrizozo. He was a graduate of Carrizozo High School in 1966 and attended College at NMSU and also at the University of Colorado, Denver Branch.

No wedding date has been set.

Coloring winners chosen

Winners were presented certificates in the Smokey Bear Coloring Contest for first through third grades in Carrizozo schools last week. The contest was to emphasize fire prevention.

Grand prize winner was David Morales, in Mrs. Webb's third grade class. He was presented a Smokey Bear hat and certificate.

Winners by grades were as follows: First grade, Orsak, first, Daniel Zamora, second, Kenneth Crenshaw, and third, Cindy Baca.

Second grade, Smith, first, Michael Curtis, second, Randy Works, and third, Dominic Vega. Third Grade, Webb, first, Randy Dross, second, David Kanouff, and third, Judy Sedillo. Third grade, Williams, first, Tommy Shafer, second, Christetta Chavez, and third, Stephanie Salcito.

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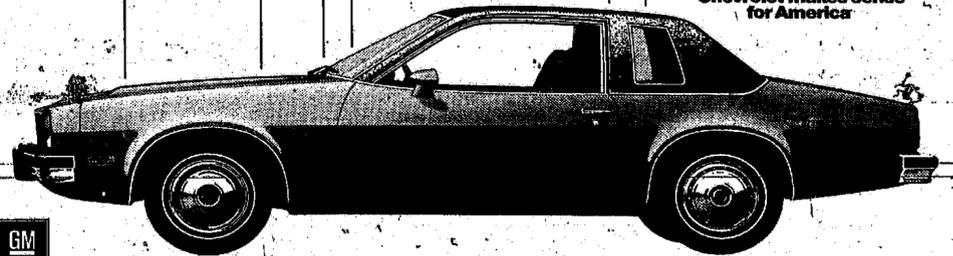
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The Carrizozo High School speech team traveled to the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque last Saturday for the annual May Day Speech Festival. The speech team placed first. Participating in individual events for the first time were Les Miller, Stanley Steinepreis, Mich Colwell, and Mark Miller. The Festival awarded certificates instead of trophies for the two highest places which were Superior and

Excellent ratings. Les Miller, center, took three first places out of three rounds for a Superior rating in Impromptu speaking. Stanley Steinepreis, left, took two first places out of three rounds and also achieved a Superior rating in Impromptu Speaking. Mich Colwell, right, in only his first speech competition, achieved an Excellent rating in Extemporaneous speaking by taking two second places out of three rounds.

Around Corona

Corona seniors feted at dinner

A fellowship dinner in honor of the Corona seniors was held at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, May 4. The seniors present were: Leslie Carnell, Walter Garfield, Anona Chavez, Leanne Surratt, Karen McDaniel, Phoebe Foster, Kathy Hopper, Mary Kilgore, Bethany Kiefer, Crystal Yancey and Ramona Stewart.

The senior's families, and church members of the community were also invited. Church Services were held prior to the dinner and the Rev. David Bean spoke.

The Junior Play, "The importance of being Earnest," will be presented on Friday, May 9th at 7:30 p.m. The admission is \$1.50 for adults, and 75 cents for students.

There was an athletic banquet held in the Corona Gymnasium, on May 2, 1975. This banquet was held in honor of all of Corona athletes. Butch Carnell was the master of ceremonies, and Mr. James Odle, the secretary of the New Mexico Athletic's association, spoke. Awards were given out by the coaches, and we will have these at a later date. The tables were covered in white, and there were decoration of different sports figures, centering the tables. There were also white pear blossoms on the tables.

A shower for Crystal Yancey was held on Saturday, May 3. Her colors were pink and white. The helpers for this shower were Johnny Erramouse, Patsy Mulkey, Nadia Clouse, and Rosalyn Reynolds. Crystal received many gifts from all her friends.

F.H.A. Installation this year was held in the home economics room. Parents and teachers were invited to installation this year for the first time in several years. The outgoing officers were Kathy Hopper, President; Deluvina Chavez, Vice President; Janet Wills, secretary, and Susan Williams, treasurer. Incoming officers are Kathi Garfield, President; Deluvina Chavez, vice president; Janetta Foster, secretary, and Judy Lasater, Treasurer. Most of the girls wore white dresses for this function. Refreshments were served after the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yancey announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Crystal Lanette to Terry Lasater on May 18 at 2 p.m. in the Presbyterian Church. Everyone is invited to this wedding.

Following the ceremony there will be a reception in the basement of the church. Crystal and Terry will both graduate from Corona High School on May 19. Following the marriage, this couple will reside in Phoenix, Arizona where Terry will be employed as a constructional engineer.

The Corona Community Choir, will travel on May 5, to Estancia to compete in the associational songfest and choir festivals.

To head University

Dr. William E. (Bud) Davis, president of Idaho State University will be the next president of the University of New Mexico. Calvin Horn, president of the UNM Regents, said that Dr. Davis is the unanimous choice of the Regents for the position.

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The little May basket filled with freshly baked cookies was about the nicest thing that happened to us all week.

Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Hillger arrived Thursday for a visit with relatives. They were en route home to Globe, Arizona after a month's fishing at Del Rio, Texas.

CAP is sponsoring a Clean-up and Spruce-up campaign for the community, and members are encouraging everyone to make a sparkling difference in their premises by May 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wade and children visited here with his parents following a 5,000 mile, camping trip that took them from their home in El Paso, Texas, to Charleston, South Carolina. They spent two weeks in the Charleston area where Charley performed his annual active duty with the U.S. Navy Seabees. On the return trip they vacationed in the Great Smokey Mts. and in Nashville, Tenn.

Cedar Temple No. 26, Pythian Sisters, met Monday at the home of Mrs. R.J. Bagley, Mrs. J.E. Robinson, MEC, was absent because of illness, and the Secretary, Mrs. E.H.J. McCloud, Jr., presided over the business session. This was followed by a game of canasta and refreshments of chicken and orange salads, crackers, and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Tracey and Alva Winchester were in Deming Saturday afternoon to attend the wedding of Miss Yolanda Rodriguez and Andy Bustamante. They also enjoyed the reception and dances. Valentin Bustamante, father of the groom, is president of Local 2238. Steven Kiefer and Shane Tracey were in Albuquerque last weekend to attend a show and visit with Steven's sister, Lee Kiefer.

John D. Holleyman and Willis Brunson were in Marga, Texas last weekend to participate in the Century Roping in which 106 teams were entered.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindsey, Farmington, visited with friends here Monday.

David Keelin was over from Albuquerque Saturday to see his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barton, Santa Fe, spent the weekend at the place they have bought from the Bernard estate.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Pfeiffer and Dell Roberts drove to Hutchinson, Kansas, Tuesday, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Drew. The Pfeiffers returned home Thursday, and Miss Roberts accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Weaver to Buffalo, Oklahoma to see friends, and then came on to Corona. The Weavers left the next day for their home in Wharton, Texas but expected to make a few stops along the way.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter were here last week. Mrs. C.T. Porter accompanied them home on Wednesday to Albuquerque where she spent the remainder of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Porter brought her home on Sunday. All were guests Saturday at the wedding of Miss Margaret Turner and Bobby Gene Porter at the Kirtland AFB Chapel. The couple left immediately for their new home in San Diego where the groom is stationed with the U.S. Navy.

Cotton Yancey reports the presence (briefly) of six cattle egrets at his home. The birds were identified by Fish and Wildlife personnel who happened to be here at the right time.

Larry Smutz, 17, youngest of the four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smuts, lost his life in an accident on a family camping trip in Oregon. His back was injured when rocks gave way throwing him into a river. Mr. and Mrs. Smuts now make their home in Pocatello, Idaho, and have only now informed friends of the tragedy.

Gertrude Allen is stepping down after eight years as village clerk to become assistant to Mrs. Myron Yancey who will assume the duties of clerk June 1. The assistant does not work full time, and Gertrude says her reason for the exchange of positions is to have more time for herself. She has earned it.

Mayor Fuller received word Monday that Corona is receiving a grant from the Four Corners Commission to improve our water storage.

The three Tyree families met at Conchas Lake for a weekend of successful fishing.

Weather report for April, courtesy of the Highway Dept., 0.15" melted snow on the 12th, 2" snow on the 10th and temperatures ranged from 14 degrees, April 3rd to 73 degrees April 21st and 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Sultemeier, Jr., were in Portales Friday night to attend the ENMU graduation at which their daughters received degrees. Connie Lynn Sultemeier who has been doing her practice teaching at Roswell High School, received a Bachelor Business Education degree. Lois Ann Holleyman earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting. She completed work the first semester and is now employed in an accounting position with A.C.E. Services in Albuquerque. Karen Holleyman Kibbe received a Secretarial Certificate. She has done her practice teaching in Business at Portales High School and will complete studies in August for a Bachelor's degree with a major in Business and a minor in English. Congratulations to these three Corona High School graduates.

Recent guests at the E.D. Bond ranch were Mrs. Bond's sister, Mrs. N.R. Fred and Mr. Fred of Richland, Washington, and her niece, Mrs. Archie Patterson, Mr. Patterson, and their daughters, Sue and Jan, of Portland, Oregon.

Junior-Senior Prom
The Junior-Senior Prom and banquet was really a success. The theme was GOOD-BYE YELLOW BRICK ROAD with decorations of yellow and green streamers across the top with a colorful rainbow down the center. A wishing well in the center of the room added to the decorations. The band played a variety of music ranging from rock to Spanish.

The banquet was decorated with green and yellow candles on the tables and green streamers along the walls. A dinner of turkey and all the trimmings was served. The entertainment was provided by Moon Mullins, and Wayne Tubbs. They played a variety of songs on their guitars and a harmonica. Rev. Clyde Cook gave a very interesting talk on the Stone of Life. Mary Kilgore and Leslie Carnell were crowned Prom Queen and King for 1975 after having been voted on by the Junior and Senior Classes. Michael Mares and Deluvina Chavez were prom prince and princess.

Beta Sigma Phi
The forty-fourth anniversary of the founding of Beta Sigma Phi was observed in Corona on Sunday, with a luncheon held in the recreation room of the high school. Hosting this event was

Gamma Theta. Guests were Xi Beta Epsilon of Corona and Delta Theta of Mountainair. Girl Scouts, Tammy Scott, Robin Scott, Teri Knipps and Roe Ann Alford presented the Colors and A Bicentennial tribute was given by Betty Donohue. The Founder's Day Pledge was led by June Tyree and was followed by the President's Message read by Beverly De Luna. Special awards went to Betty Jo Soehlig, Wanda Carnell, Sherrill Bradford, and Betty Donohue for best programs of the year. Girls of the year were Pat Perkins, Beverly de Luna, and Corrine Mullins. The Prize-winning song was sung by Sherrill Bradford, Marla Bond, Marie Owen and Pat Perkins. Highlights were given by Corrine Mullins, Wanda Carnell, and Betty Jo Soehlig. The luncheon preceded by the Beta Sigma Phi grace, led by Suzanne Surratt, included a fashion show put on by the Future Homemakers of America who also prepared and served the meal.

The Year's theme, "Stairway to Happiness," was worked out in the table and room decorations while the sorority colors, black and yellow, were worked by the hosting chapter. Black and yellow table centerpieces, fresh roses and soft yellow candles completed the scene. Pianist for the program was Rosalyn Reynolds, last year's Outstanding Woman of Corona.

Track meet
A track meet held in Albuquerque over the weekend was attended by the Corona track team. Scott Nalda was 1st in the high jump. He was also third in discus throwing, second in the 100-yard dash, and third in the long jump. Scott was on the relay team that won second in the relay. Scott Williams won third place in the low hurdles. Cully Nalda took second in the shotput throwing, and was on the relay team that got second.

Joe Salinas was on the 440 relay team that got second and he took second place in the shotput.

Ken Gibbs won fifth in 100 yard dash. He was also on the 440 relay team that got second and he won fourth in the long jump. Walter Gensler won fifth place in the broad jump.

The Junior-Senior Tea was held Sunday, May 4, in the Corona High School Library. Gamma Theta was the hostess. Refreshments of punch and finger sandwiches, bon bons, cinnamon bread sticks were served. Each girl was given a yellow and black wool flower. The guests were the following senior girls: Kathy Hopper, Leanne Surratt, Karen McDaniel, Apona Chavez, Bethany Kiefer, Ramona Stewart, Crystal Yancey, Mary Kilgore and Phoebe Foster. Representing the Juniors was Susan Williams.

Other guests were senior girls mothers: Mrs. Jack Hopper, Mrs. Don Surratt, Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. Trinidad Chavez, Mrs. Gilbert Stewart, Ms. Erdine Kiefer, Ms. Byron Yancey, Ms. Bill Kilgore.

Ranch loans available

Farmers and ranchers in the area are possibly eligible for loans from the Farmers Home Administration.

Those farmers or ranchers who sustained production losses in 1974 because of adverse weather conditions are eligible for consideration for emergency loans.

These loans will allow up to 5 years to repay and have an interest rate of 5 percent per year. Loan limits are set on the production loss sustained in 1974. Economic problems are not included in the authority for these loans according to the local supervisor, Richard Floyd.

He also pointed out these loans cannot be approved where the security is inadequate to cover the amount claimed as loss. Security can be either chattel security or real estate with fee simple title.



Roy "Sonny" Banning

Youth Minister is Named

Roy Banning, from Wewoka, Okla., is the new youth minister and song leader for the Carrizozo Church of Christ on "C" Avenue.

Banning, who will conduct preaching services this Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the church, also will head the bus ministry for the church, according to Dan Wright, minister.

The new youth minister was associate minister at Wewoka and is married to the former Norma Talley of Claunch. The couple currently is living at Claunch, but will be moving to Carrizozo.

Services this week will be at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sunday at 11 a.m. and again at 7 p.m.

Everyone is cordially invited to meet the Bannings and attend the services this week, Wright said.

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New mayor experienced in municipal affairs

Floyd W. Siegrist, long-time Carrizozo resident with the Southern Pacific Railroad has been sworn in as mayor of Carrizozo. The ceremony took place at town hall at 9 a.m. on May 1.

Siegrist succeeds Bill Payne, who resigned as mayor for "economic reasons" effective at 4 p.m. April 30. Payne subsequently was sworn in as town attorney after Archie Witham resigned that position at a special April 30 meeting when

Payne resigned as mayor and when Earl Fenter resigned as trustee effective after the upcoming May 13 council meeting.

The town clerk, Carmel V. Fenter, indicated at the April 30 meeting that she would also be resigning in the near future.

Siegrist is not without experience in town government. He served for 11 years on the city council at Duncan, Ariz., a community located midway between Lordsburg and Safford, Ariz.

The new mayor first came to Carrizozo in May of 1950 with the Southern Pacific, but left again in 1951—moving to Alamogordo with SP.

He returned to Carrizozo in 1968 after living in Arizona for a number of years.

Carrizozo's new mayor resides with his wife, Bertha, at 1101 "B" Street in Carrizozo. The couple has three children, John, a clerk with SP in El Paso; Mrs. Eddie (Thresa) Mosher of Tucson whose husband is in the Air Force, and Richard, 17, of Carrizozo who will be going into the Air Force shortly.

Siegrist served on the board of directors of the Duncan Valley Electric Co-op, six years in Arizona, was a captain the Green Lee County Sheriff's posse seven years and is past commander of the American Legion in Duncan.

He was district chairman of the Boy Scouts' Copper Council at Safford and was BSA Institutional Representative for seven years. He is a Past Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus in Clifton.

Siegrist says he will not change anything in Carrizozo's pursuit of an industrial park.

"The way things are set up, the industrial park (project) is going to be a prime project. I want to see that it goes through," he said.

Siegrist had called a special council meeting concerning the industrial park for 3 p.m. today, but indicated the meeting will be postponed because of the funeral of Deputy Sheriff Glenn Bradley today.

Town cleanup

"By all means, I want to see the city town cleaned up," Siegrist told the News.

He said it is essential that unsafe and unkept structures be removed in Carrizozo.

By "cleanup," Siegrist said he means going as far as condemnation proceedings if required to get the job done.

He indicated he considers industrial development and a more attractive town as prime projects to pursue during his administration.

Siegrist was elected mayor by a unanimous vote on April 30.

Greeting the new mayor this week was the controversy centering on the town clerk's office. But, that is another story.

Local News

by Eleanor Payton

Mrs. Flora Weldinger of Las Cruces is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mabel Rentrow this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton May and baby daughter arrived Thursday from Ft. Collins, Colorado for a visit with Mrs. May's parents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Samora. Mr. May returned to Ft. Collins but Mrs. May remained for a longer visit. Also visiting in the Samora home is their daughter, Mrs. Frank Hein and her son, Jason.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Howell of Pecos, Texas, were in Carrizozo last weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. Roy Shafer and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Stephenson left Wednesday on a business trip to Texas. They plan to stop in San Angelo enroute to visit friend and will be back Friday.

Members of the C.Y. O. (Christian Youth Organization) will go to El Paso Friday where they will be guests of Rev. James Reynolds at a professional track meet. They will also be overnight guests of Rev. and Mrs. Reynolds Friday night. Mrs. Robert Shafer who is their sponsor will accompany them. Last week they attended the sub-district meeting at Grace Methodist Church in Alamogordo. A volley ball tournament was part of the afternoon's program and the Carrizozo group won the trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hodgins of Tucumcari were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. May.

Mr. E.S. Eaker returned Saturday from California where he had been visiting his sister, Mrs. E.F. Evans at Los Altos.

Dr. and Mrs. A.N. Spencer returned last week from a vacation trip to the southern states. They stopped first at Denton, Texas, to see their son, Chris Bahcroft where he is a student at North Texas State University. From there they went on to Houston and stopped to see the Lyndon Johnson Space Center. Then they went on to New Orleans, driving through the Bayou country. They spent several days on the beaches in southeastern Florida then up to Vicksburg to view the battlefields then to Shreveport, Louisiana and home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Whittaker of Nogal left Monday on a vacation trip. They went first to Brownsville, Texas where their daughter, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Knight, live. From there they will make the trip in the Knights' motor home. They plan to visit their son, Alto R. Whittaker and family at Forest Hills, Maryland and other relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Lucy Pannhoff and son Armond of Albuquerque were in Carrizozo one day last week visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Belio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garcia and daughter, Denise, are expected this weekend to spend Mother's Day with Mr. Garcia's mother, Mrs. R.C. Calloway and Mr. Calloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Calloway attended the Hondo Fiesta Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hefker moved into their new home west of Carrizozo on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Evans of Alamogordo spent Sunday in Carrizozo visiting Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Snow.

Bob Curtiss home from hospital

Bob Curtiss arrived home Friday from Providence Hospital in El Paso where he had been for a week following an injury received when the horse he was breaking either fell or threw him. The accident occurred at his home. He was taken to the hospital in Alamogordo and then on to El Paso. The first vertebra in his neck is broken. He is still in considerable pain but is feeling a little better each day.

300 horses stabled at Downs

RUIDOSO DOWNS, - - Over 300 horses are already stabled at Ruidoso Downs, preparing for the May 17 start of the new season.

The clocking crew will set up shop this week and begin timing workouts.

Before the season gets underway, about 1,600 horses will be on the grounds, according to Racing Secretary Tom Dawson. The big inflow will begin shortly after the conclusion of the Sunland Park campaign on May 11.

Dawson was kept pretty busy in recent weeks processing over 2,300 applications for stall space. "That's quite a bit more than we've gotten before," Dawson said. "Last year, we received about 2,100 requests. So there's no doubt there's pretty high interest among horsemen in our racing program."

Considerable momentum was created last year when the mountain track ended up with a record daily betting average of \$317,537. This resulted in an improved purse program including an increase in almost every thoroughbred stakes.

"The balance between thoroughbreds and quarter horses has been improved with the appearance of stables which are predominantly thoroughbred," Dawson said.

"We're definitely looking at improved quality in our thoroughbred stock," Dawson said. "Sure, we're getting some trainers who haven't been with us for several seasons. But it's also apparent many of the regulars now have much stronger stables."

Included among those thoroughbred trainers who'll be heading to Ruidoso after an absence of a season or two are Leroy Henson, Fred Danley, Skip Vandevender, Lewis Germany and Bill Harper.

Henson got the okay for a 12-head group of thoroughbreds. The lineup includes Bob Speck,

who banged out four wins in Sunland claiming competition and has been operating in tough allowance circles. Henson's useful band of allowance and claiming horses also includes Belle Tyler.

Fred Danley, who hasn't campaigned at Ruidoso in about three years, will be returning with a 20-head contingent which includes the hard-hitting Dahgoa. The latter recently punched out a strong Sunland win over a top allowance field. Danley also has the speed-burning Requested Honor.

Vandevender's 10-head group features such solid performers as Jo Pelouse and Swizzler, Germany, who was the champ of the Juarez meeting last summer, offers a well-balanced stable which is especially solid in two-year-olds. The Harper stable will be spearheaded by Nosey Evil, who won several stakes at Ruidoso as a three-year-old. Harper also has the stern allowance sprinter, Speedy Spirit.

The list of trainers who'll be in action during the 63-day season represents some of the top names in the Southwest. Among those who deal a strong hand in thoroughbred circles are Bob Arnett, George Cosper, Brooks Claridge, Jolly Driskill, Bill Hitt, Coy Hendrix, Bob Hirst, Cliff Lambert, Whitney Nolen, Doyal Roberts and Buffalo Wooten.

In the quarter division, Ruidoso Downs will again be attracting absolutely first-rate talent. Included among the trainers who'll be bringing them in are Bubba Cascio, Jake Cascio, Don Farris, J. B. Montgomery, Walter Merrick, Johnny Goodman, Tommy Dean, Larry Sharp and Bubba Werner.

The season-opening program will be topped by the \$4,500 Inaugural Purse at six furlongs, plus the trails for the \$75,000 (est.) Kansas Derby at 400 yards. The first Sunday program (May 18) will offer the \$4,000 added Top Deck Stakes at 400 yards.

The Kansas Derby is the first leg of Ruidoso's "triple crown" for three-year-olds. The other two legs are the \$350,000 (est.) Rainbow Derby, and the \$520,000 (est.) All-American Derby. The Derby, of course, is the world's richest three-year-old race.

When it comes to two-year-old quarter horses, Ruidoso Downs is truly fabulous. The famed Triple Crown for juveniles consists of the \$375,000 (est.) Kansas Futurity, the \$350,000 (est.) Rainbow Future, and on Labor Day, the \$1,030,000 All-American Futurity.

Once again, the Kansas and Rainbow Futurities will be televised live to a regional audience of about six million, while the All-American, which has become a showpiece of the racing world, will be viewed by a coast-to-coast TV audience of over 20 million.

Basically, Ruidoso Downs racing will be staged on a Thursday-through-Sunday pattern. But there are two Monday dates - Memorial Day (May 26) and Labor Day (Sept. 1).

First post is 1:30 p.m. Over \$4 million in purses will be disbursed during the meeting.



Floyd Siegrist

Sqorro Livestock Market Report May 5, 1975

Steer Calves
Choice 250 No. - 350 No.: 34.00 - 37.00; 375 No. - 500 No.: 34.50-38.90.
Good 250No.-350No.: 30.00 - 32.00; 375 No. - 500No. - 29.00-33.00.
Plain 250 No. - 350 No.: 15.00 - 20.00; 375 No. - 500 No. 15.00 - 20.00.
HEIFER CALVES
Choice 250 No. - 350 No.: 25.00 - 28.00; 375 No. - 500 No.: 25.00 - 29.80.
Plain 250No. - 350 No.: 15.00 - 21.00; 375 No. - 500 No.: 15.00 - 21.00.

STEER YEARLINGS
Choice 500-700: 33.00 - 36.50.
Good 500 No. - 700 No.: 28.00 - 32.00.
Plain 500No. - 700 No. 15.00 - 24.00.

HEIFER YEARLINGS
Choice 500 No. - 700 No.: 26.00 - 29.00.
Good 500 No. - 700 No. 23.00 - 26.00.
Plain 500 No. - 700 No. 15.00 - 22.00.

STOCKER BULLS
575 No. - 900 No. 21.00 - 26.50
STOCKER COWS
By the head (pregnant) Good 140.00 - 290.00; Plain 140.00 - 190.00

COW AND CALF PAIRS
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Plain 150.00 - 225.00.

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PACKER COWS
Commercial 20.00 - 24.10.
Utility 19.00 - 22.50.
Cutter 17.00 - 18.50.
Canner 14.00 - 16.00.

Selling 1410 cattle, market was a very active affair on good and choice stocker and feeders selling in bunches and load lots. Plain and inferior cattle had to move at lower prices. Choice feeder steers \$2.00 to \$3.00 higher than a week ago. Feeder heifers carrying flesh and weight sold strong to \$1.00 higher. Replacement steers and heifers strong to \$2.00 higher. Stocker cows, and cow and calf pairs slow and hard to move at \$16.00 to \$20.00 per pair and per head cheaper. Stocker bulls active and steady. Packer cows steady on fleshy high yielding cows with thin thinner cows. .50 to \$1.00 lower. Packer bulls steady.

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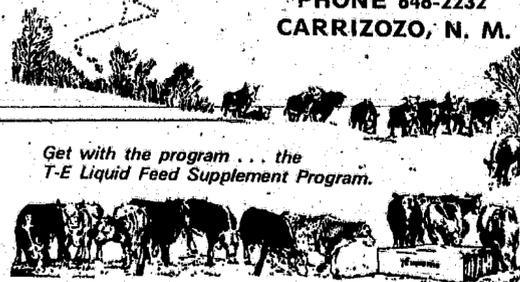
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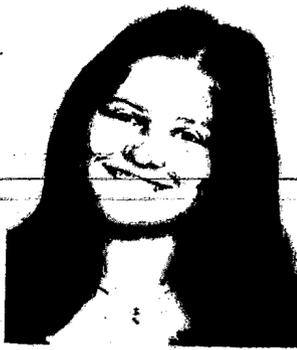
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF LINCOLN COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE)
of) Probate
MARGARET H. MELLON,) No. 136
Deceased)

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE
ABOVE ENTITLED ESTATE:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned
was, on the 14th day of April, 1975, duly appointed
administrator of the estate of Margaret
H. Mellon, deceased, by the District Court of
Lincoln County, New Mexico.

All persons having claims against the said
estate are required to present the same duly
verified, within four months from the date of the
first publication of this notice, the time allowed
by law for the presentation of such claims, and if
not so presented and filed, the claim will be
barred by virtue of the statute.

Dated this 14 day of April, 1975.

-s- Hugh R. Mellon
HUGH R. MELLON
Administrator

-s- Bill G. Payne
BILL G. PAYNE
Drawer 39

Carrizozo, N.M. 88301
ATTORNEY FOR ADMINISTRATOR.

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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) No. 1366
HENRY HALE, aka)
HENRY HARRISON HALE,)
Deceased)

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

The undersigned is Executrix of this estate,
and all persons having claims against the estate
of the decedent are required to present them
within the time prescribed by law.

Frances Fritz Hale
Executrix

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1975, last published May 22, 1975.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Governing Body of the Town of
Carrizozo, New Mexico, is calling for bids on
Property Insurance (Building and
Contents). Specifications may be obtained
from the Town Clerk.

Bids to be opened at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday,
May 13, 1975, at the Town Hall.
The Town of Carrizozo Board reserves
the right to accept or reject any or all
bids.

The Town of Carrizozo
Carmel V. Fenter
Clerk

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1975.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF NEW MEXICO
TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATES)
OF) Probate Cause
WILLIE J. SANDFER)
and) No. 137
KATIE SANDFER,)
Both Deceased)

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR PROVING WILLS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of
May, 1975, the Last Will and Testament, and
Codicil thereto, of WILLIE J. SANDFER,
deceased, and the Last Will and Testament of
KATIE SANDFER, deceased, both of the
County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, were
offered for Probate in the District Court of
Lincoln County, New Mexico. Any and all
persons objecting to the Probate of the said Wills
and Codicil are hereby notified to be present on
the 2nd day of June, 1975, at 10:00 o'clock A.M.
and show cause, if any they have, why said Wills
and Codicil should 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 5th day of May,
1975.

-s- Margo E. Lindsay
District Court Clerk

(D. C. S E A L)
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Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Board of
Trustees, Town of Carrizozo, will meet on
Tuesday, May 13th, 1975, at 7:00 P.M. in the City
Hall in Carrizozo, New Mexico, for the purpose
of determining pursuant to Chapter 91, Laws of
New Mexico, 1974, what shall constitute
reasonable notice of meetings of the Board of
Trustees to be held during the year 1975, and
conduct such other business as may properly
come before the Board of Trustees. Members of
the public may attend this meeting.

Bill G. Payne,
Attorney for Board of Trustees,
Town of Carrizozo

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May 8th, 1975.

Appointments considered

by Fred Buckles

SANTA FE — Gov. Jerry Apodaca sifted a
host of recommendations for appointments to 30
state boards. Key decisions were set soon on the
new fulltime, 3-member Parole Board, the
present 3-member Public Service Commission
and a new-powerful state energy resources
administrators.

Gordon Lucas, Fort Sumner, was recom-
mended for the Commission on Aging by DeBaca
County Democratic Chairman Grayum Steele,
Union County Democratic Chairman Ben
Beckner recommended Severo Montoya of
Clayton for the Board of Barber Examiners.
Retention of Belen Democrat Gillie B. Jaramillo
on the board of the School for the Visually
Handicapped was recommended by Valencia
County Democratic officials.

Luna County Democratic Chairman Eunice
Brown recommended Andy Hall of Deming for
the Real Estate Commission. Expiring terms of
state board members include: Real Estate
Commission, Jack Morgan, Lordsburg, June 20;
Railroad Authority, Charles Seery, Belen, June
30; Commission on Aging, Alice G. Converse,
Clovis, late in 1975.

Gov. Apodaca appointed Joe Ramey, Oil
Conservation Commission district supervisor at
Hobbs, to succeed retiring Pete Porter as OCC
secretary-director. A 16-year OCC employee,
Ramey has lived in Hobbs 22 years. Ramey was
the personal choice of Porter who will retire May
31 after 30 years on the OCC staff.

The Village of Los Lunas was whacked in the
fiscal 1973-74, audit by Albuquerque certified
public accountant Gilbert S. Sanchez. Released
by the state auditor's office, the audit said 73
percent of Los Lunas occupation licenses were
renewed after the Jan. 25 deadline but the
required "25 percent penalty charge was not
paid by any licensee."

The Los Lunas audit report also said: "Cash
receipts were not deposited in bank daily and
intact, as required. The depository is only one
block from city hall."

Deputy State Auditor Thomas A. Romero told
Melrose Mayor Grady Bright Melrose appar-
ently obtained a \$13,600 loan from a local bank
"in an apparent violation of statute" to complete
purchase of a new fire truck. Melrose council
minutes showed the loan last Dec. 13. Roger
Mascarenas of the state auditor's staff said
public bodies can borrow money only via bond
issues with rare exceptions.

The auditor's office said the Village of Capitan
published no legal notice on second bids for
purchase of a fire truck.

A 3-page, 4-photograph story by John Jarrell
on the living history program at Fort Union
national monument is in the new May issue of
New Mexico Magazine, the official state
publication.

Thirty-two former legislators receive a total of
\$34,740 a year in retirement benefits under a
lawmakers' retirement plan that is under
challenge in Santa Fe courts. Since the 1983
Legislature approved the plan providing
retirement benefits for its own members tax-
payers have subsidized the state's share of the
retirement fund with a total of more than
\$500,000 in appropriations voted by legislators.

Legislator retirement benefits are far greater
proportionately than retirement benefits of
fulltime public employees.

These former legislators and benefits are
among present annuitants: Ex-Sen. Tibo
Chavez, D-Belen, \$187.67 a month; ex-Rep.
George Blocker, D-Jal, \$175.21; ex-Sen. Palemon
Martinez, D-Taos, \$24.99; ex-Rep. Robert
Martin, D-Red Rock, \$195.47; ex-Sen. W.C.
Wheatley, D-Clayton, \$169.39.

Also, Ex-Sen. M.P. (Pim) Carr, D-Fort
Sumner, \$241.14, and ex-Sen. Louise H. Goe, D-
Lincoln County, \$65.82. Gov. Apodaca recently
appointed former Sen. Martinez to the State
Health-Social Services Board. Ex-Rep. Martin is
a state highway commissioner.

Senate Majority Whip Odis Echols, D-Clovis,
says his record in the 1975 Legislature on
proposals he sponsored was the second best
since he became a senator in 1967. Echols
sponsored 15 bills and 12 cleared the House and
Senate. He sponsored five constitution amend-
ments and one was approved by the House and
Senate.

But the lone successful constitutional amend-
ment is a major proposal that will go directly to
voters in the 1976 general election. It would permit
elected state officials to serve two four-year
terms. Gov. Apodaca, who voted against two
four-year terms as a senator in 1973, now favors
the constitutional amendment.

Crow's Nest, Inc., Ruidoso, was incorporated
here to deal in real estate, Leona Fugate,
Ruidoso is statutory agent. Ruidoso attorney
Richard A. Parsons is the incorporator. Clovis
attorneys Lee Griffin and Scotty N. Oliver in-
corporated their Griffin and Oliver law firm.



These are the kids that went on the Rose Ranch
Tour. The tour was so interesting. They got to see
the hospital, beautiful horses and colts in the
maternity ward. Mr. Cobbler showed the kids
everything with Lots of Explanation. The Hondo
Valley 4-Hers attending are as follows: Carla
Landfair, Marcus Salcido, Alice Booky, Maxine

Chavez, Wanda Polaco, Lionel Gonzales, Yvette
Polaco, Terri Parham, Leonard Sanchez, Ray
Surratt, Eli Salcido, Paythe Gipson, Leann
Surratt, Geraldine McFeigue, Godfrey Gomez,
Jamie Gipson, Ruben Polaco, Cynthia Chavez,
Fouise Polaco, Lloyd Salcido, Corina Chavez,
Lucas Polaco, Carlos Pacheco.



We read that the ICC should be deciding this
month what railroad will be operating the
defunct Rock Island lines between Santa Rosa
and Kansas City. Southern Pacific is the logical
carrier-to tie in with its line from Santa Rosa to
El Paso. Otherwise, traffic could be diverted
from Vaughn via Deming to the coast and the SP
line abandoned with resultant losses in tax
revenue and a lot of good people through Corona,
Carrizozo, Alamogordo, etc. We like the sound of
those freights zooming through Carrizozo. Town
wouldn't be the same without them.

Artist Peter Hurd perhaps is happiest when he
is riding the range around his ranch around San
Patricio with a friend. He loves to paint those
hills, but he indicates that even more, he likes to
ride them. Beautiful country, the San Patricio
area.

Bonito valley water users feel they have won in
the recent hearing in Roswell on water rights.
Bert Pfingsten told us that he's never seen so
much water flowing down the Bonito as this
year. That stream rivals any in the area in
beauty and volume this year. Government
Springs out of Lincoln, fed by Eagle Creek un-
derground, continues to bubble heftily out of the
ground. Water is precious as is any part of New
Mexico. It's especially appealing when it is in a
mountainous area-crystal clear, delightful.

Along with area lakes, the streams are a
distinct asset.

We've never heard as many good things said
about any individual as about the highly respected
Chief Deputy Sheriff Glenn Bradley who died
Monday after a very brief illness. We'd known
Glenn a good many years and counted him as a
real friend. He had an inner glow that few men
possess. The loss is great, very painful.

Fred English's fountain project next to the
hardware store is progressing. A driveway was
been poured and two attractive light poles
erected.

It'll be a garden spot one day. We await the
installation of the fountain with anticipation.

The Latest New Mexico Magazine has an
article on Ghost Ranch, "The Magic Place,"
where old Smokey Bear will spend the
remainder of his days after about Sept. 1 when he
is flown from Washington to New Mexico.

Ghost Ranch is the national adult study center
of the United Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.,
operating without distinction as to creed or
racial origin. (Rev. Crown take note.)

A place of great beauty, Smokey should be
happy there. Second graders in Capitan will be
particularly happy about that. One day the old
bear will really come home to Capitan-near his
place of origin.

First tax rebate checks will be mailed May 9.
Spend yours in Carrizozo-Corona-Capitan-
Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs-Hondo Valley, please.
The economy needs a little sparking up.

We were in Corona Friday on little selling trip
and met many nice people. If you haven't
checked out the old gun collection at the Wade
Bar in Corona, do so. Dozens of guns-from old
muzzle loaders to Colts 45s hang from the ceiling
and adorn the walls. It's like taking a long step
back into the days of the Old West.

Corona area ranchers keep looking at the sky.
Rain would be most welcome. The hills are
green, but the soil very dry-as elsewhere in
Lincoln County.

Fire danger is rated high in the forest areas-
wind has sucked out most of the soil moisture.
We can't win for losing on moisture. A very wet
winter was welcome and did the country a lot of
good. The wind is only good for turning windmill
blades. What else?

Some area residents predict that we'll return
to the days of the wind charger for power-since
fuel is so expensive.
So maybe we'd better not completely condemn
the wind. It might turn into a useful tool.
Can you imagine a high wind charger on top of
the Lincoln County Courthouse. No wind, no
lights!

Miss Johnson honored

Miss Cheryl Johnson, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. John Johnson, was the honored guest at a
bridal shower given by Mrs. J.B. Cantrell at the
Carrizozo Recreation Center. The shower was
attended by some 50 friends and family of Miss
Johnson and the groom-to-be, Michael Vega, son
of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vega, who are to be
married this month.

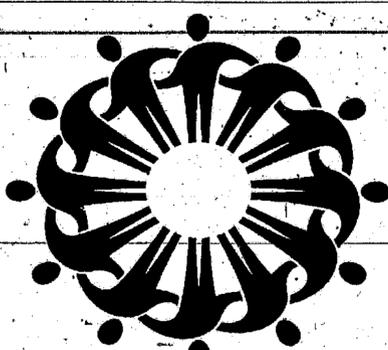
Miss Johnson wore a rust colored frock and
was presented with a "kitchen banquet" corsage
fashioned by Mrs. Friday Sherrill.

Assisting in the courtesies were Miss Lisa
Cantrell and Miss Terri Johnson at the guest
book, Miss Elaine Cantrell and Mrs. Richard
Cantrell.

A total of 16 different courses will be offered to
enrollees in Homemakers College this year.
Subject matter varies from a gardening clinic, to
Indian jewelry of the Southwest, to the fabric
industry, to grocery-store blunders. There's a
subject or subjects of interest to just about every
taste.

Entertainment hasn't been neglected, either.
There's a get-acquainted mixer; singing by a
famous singing group of the Southwest-the Voz
Vaqueros; time for exploring Las Cruces and
vicinity; a graduation exercise; and a con-
cluding banquet.
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wishing to attend. Details on how to enroll are
available from County Extension offices.

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Less Revenue sharing
Torrance County will receive \$50,000 less in
Revenue Sharing money for the upcoming year,
than it did last year. County Commissioners say
the loss will cause a real squeeze on the budget.
They are planning now to seek significant boosts
through the general appropriations budget.

Two teachers to retire from Capitan school

"Hitch your wagon to a star" has been the admonition given to students in the Capitan municipal school by Opal J. Peters for 24 years. Her term will end at the completion of the current school year when her retirement becomes effective.



Opal Peters

Mrs. Peters is the daughter of the late Daniel O. Jones and Mrs. Mattie B. Jones who still lives on the home ranch near Capitan. D. L. Jones served faithfully on the Capitan School Educational Board for several years. Mrs. Peters was graduated from Capitan High School in 1937 and entered college at Eastern New Mexico University from where she received her college degree with a major in elementary education. She has also done some extension work from Western New Mexico University.

The first two years of teaching in the Capitan School was done under Burton T. Williams as Superintendent in a departmentalized system where the teachers rotated to their various classes during the day. Under this system, Mrs. Peters taught Language Arts, Social Studies and Girls Physical Education in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8. The remaining 22 years of her teaching career has been spent with first, second, fourth and third graders who are still her first love.

Local, State and National Education Associations have received Mrs. Peters' full support through the years and she says she feels these organizations contributed much to her success as a teacher.

In June, 1941, she and LaMoyné Peters were married and settled on the ranch which they now operate six miles south of Capitan. They have a lovely daughter, Glenda Armstrong, who is married and presently lives in northern New Mexico. She has a college degree from New Mexico State University and has an elementary teacher's certificate.

The son-in-law, Leslie Armstrong, is also a graduate from N.M.S.U. and is presently employed as a district conservationist. The Peters have three much adored grandchildren, Renee 7 years old and in second grade, Lynden age 4 who likes to visit the Ranch, and Tanya 21 months

who has one tooth and says "Hi" and "Bye". Mrs. Peters has for the past 24 years as a public servant, tried to maintain a constructive and cordial attitude, guiding those under her direction, co-operating with her associates, and respecting the authority of those in administrative positions. She has tried to help improve the status of the profession by developing and holding high standards. She and her husband are members of the Capitan Church of the Nazarene and Mrs. Peters says her church work has also provided a wonderful opportunity for working with children in her community.

Mrs. Peters has for 30 years been active in Ranchmen's Camp Meeting Associations of the Southwest. She is presently serving as Secretary of the Nogal Mesa Camp Meeting and is also on the Finance Committee.

Asked what she was going to do after her retirement, Mrs. Peters said, "I'm going to rest awhile, pursue some personal hobbies, be a better neighbor, spend more time with my family, and devote more time in church work and the "uplifting" of humanity."

Rafaelita Pryor served the education profession for thirty-one years, all of the time in New Mexico schools, and is now retiring at the end of the present school term.

Mrs. Pryor was born in Lincoln. Her father was deputy sheriff for many years and also a guard at the state penitentiary in Santa Fe for several years. Her mother was the daughter of Capt. Baca, who was a member of the Territorial Legislature of New Mexico. In 1869 he introduced into that legislature a bill which created Lincoln County. Friends wished to have the new county named for Baca but he insisted upon naming it Lincoln in honor of President Lincoln.

Mrs. Pryor attended all of her grade school in Lincoln, graduating from Capitan High in 1933. She attended college the following year at New Mexico Western. She began her teaching career in 1934 at Richardson, N.M. in a one room school with 1 through 8th grades. She was lucky that one of her sisters lived there and she stayed with her. She was getting \$70 a month and had to wait as long as three months for a pay check. Teachers only received a certificate as the county had no funds, since this was during the depression.

The following year she taught at Jacks Peak receiving her mail at Ancho, which was a long distance. This was also a one room school with all the grades. At the end of the year she went to Santa Fe where she got married and lived there for eight years and two years at Santa Monica, Ca.

During W. W. II they were crying for teachers so she started teaching again at Bluewater, N.M. where she stayed for four years. The remaining twenty-five years she taught at Lincoln and Capitan. All have been in elementary grades.

She attended the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque; Highlands University in Las Vegas; Eastern New Mexico University both Roswell and Portales campuses; and Western New Mexico University at Silver City from which she received her degree.



Rafaelita Pryor

She belongs to the local teachers organization, having served one year as secretary and two years as vice-president. She also belongs to the state and national organizations.

Mrs. Pryor did not limit her activities to the profession alone. She has worked as a receptionist, weekends and summers, at the Old Courthouse Museum at Lincoln for the past thirty years or so. Here is where she plans to work after her retirement. She has written an article which was published by Western Publication in True West Magazine labeled "The Siege of the McSween House." She does intend to do some traveling, also.

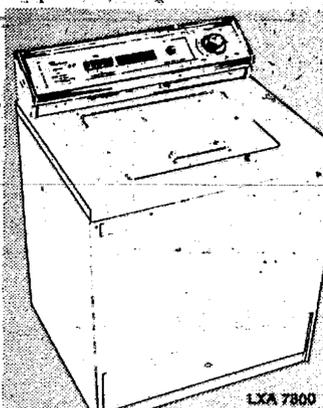
She has two daughters. Priscilla is married to Maurice Roberson. They have four children: one attending college in Tucson; the others in Flagstaff where they live. Her other daughter, Stella, is married to Ronald Ash. They have one son, who will start school next year. They live in Ruidoso. Both sons-in-law are in the construction business.

Mrs. Pryor has had many happy and enjoyable years in her teaching profession. She will always treasure the many nice notes and letters that she has received from her students during her 31 years of teaching.

Beef cattle records important

LAS CRUCES -- There are many, many selection tools available for the rancher to use in his herd development program. Such things as show ring records, pedigrees, ultrasonic estimates, performance testing records, all are important criteria to consider, according to Extension specialists at New Mexico State University.

Traits of economic importance are commonly referred to as performance traits and include all traits that contribute to both efficiency of production and desirability of product. The objective of any system of measurement is to make possible the evaluation of differences between animals. Records increase a breeder's knowledge of difference between animals. Keeping records does not change what an animal will transmit.



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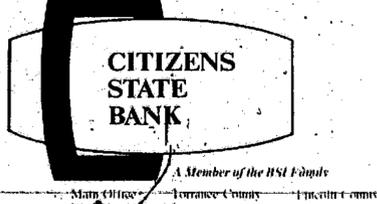
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School program reviewed Capitan

by June House
On Thursday, May 1, a State Department of Education Pre-Budget Program Review was held in Capitan. The meeting was held in the Board Room of the Administration Building on the Capitan School Campus.

Dignitaries at the meeting included Joe Thompson and Bill Trujillo, consultants from the State Department. Capitan School Board members Pat Huey, Richard Phillips and Ralph Barber were present as were Richard Clifton, superintendent, Franklin McKay, principal, and Angelina Provine, teacher.

Other guests present were Dr. Travis Stovall, superintendent of Alamogordo Schools, Wendell Henry, assistant superintendent, and Dave Newell, director of instruction, both also from Alamogordo. From Tularosa were Bill Slade, superintendent, and Perry Andrews, assistant superintendent.

The State Department reviewed the entire program including early childhood through grade 12, special education, resource room, and

Title I. All were approved according to the new minimum standards.

TRACK-RUNDOWN
Friday morning at 6 o'clock the Capitan Tigerette Track Team started out all bright-eyed (?) on their journey to Jal, for the District Track Meet. Seven girls made the trip along with the coach, Jack Mayfield.

At the end of the meet, Capitan had three girls that qualified for the State Track Meet to be held in Portales this coming weekend.

Becky Renfro will be going to the State Meet for the third year in a row. Becky placed 2nd in the 880-yard run with a time of 2 min. 37.4 sec. which qualified her in the 880. She also qualified in the softball throw because she placed first with a throw of 158 ft. 3 in.

Alice Fillingim and Susie Abercrombie both qualified in the high jump. Alice placed 2nd by virtue of fewer misses with a jump of 4 ft. 8 in. Susie was fourth with a jump of 4 ft. 8 in. also.

Other participants and events were as follows. Megan LaMay: discus and shot put. Lilly Montes: discus and shot put. Darlene Herrera: 50-yard dash, and 100-yard dash.

Lisa Lamb: softball throw - 4th at 144 ft. 7 1/2 in., 440-yd. dash.

Teams in the district meet were Jal, Eunice, Dexter, Hagerman, Cloudford, Weed, Ruidoso, Carrizozo, and Capitan.

The Tiger Track team entered the track meet in Los Lunas on Saturday, May 3. This was the last meet before the District Meet that will be held on May 9 in Eunice.

Tiger results were as follows:
Mike Renfro: javelin - 1st.
Kirk Phillips: high jump - 4th.
Capitan was the only Class A team entered in the meet along with other 3A teams.

1975 CAPITAN FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- September
5 Corona-Away- 7:30 P.M.
+13- Quemado-Away-1:30 P.M. (Sat.)
19-Hagerman-Home-7:30 p.m.
26-Vaughn-Home-7:30 P.M.
October
3-Tatum-Home-7:30 P.M.
10-Melrose-Away-7:30 P.M.
+17-Reserve-Home-7:30 p.m.
22-Mountainair-Home-7:30 p.m.
+31-Carrizozo-Away-7:30 p.m.
(+Denotes District Games)

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 8: Awards Assembly, High School Building Gymnasium, 2 p.m.

May 9: Capitan Tigers at District Track Meet in Eunice. Capitan Tigerettes at State Track Meet in Portales.

May 11: Baccalaureate, Speaker: Ric Allen, pastor, Capitan Church of Christ, 9:00 a.m. Seniors leave on Senior Trip following Baccalaureate.

May 12: Pre-registration for Capitan students, grades 6 through 11, 9:15 a.m. Student Council elections following pre-registration, grades 8 through 11.

May 16: Commencement for Capitan Seniors, Speaker: Dr. Eldred Harrington, 8:00 p.m.

May 19: Semester exams for all except Seniors.

May 20: Semester exams for all except Seniors. Awards Assembly for grades 1-through 4, High School Building Gymnasium, 2:30 p.m. Report cards for grades 1 through 4.

May 21: Last day of school. Elementary grades have End-of-school picnic. Report cards for grades 5 through 11.

PRE-REGISTRATION: This article is especially for parents of students in grades 6 through 11. A "pre-registration packet" has been prepared for all students in these grades. This packet contains information on requirements for graduation, required courses for each grade level 9 through 12, course descriptions for courses offered in Capitan, and pre-registration forms. On the pre-registration forms there is a place for the parents signature. So parents take notice of what is offered and what the students are actually taking.

ATHLETIC CLUB
On Wednesday, April 30, the Capitan Athletic Club met in the school cafeteria. The meeting date was changed from the regular meeting - night of Thursday to Wednesday because of a pre-budget review of school programs that was scheduled for Thursday night.

A total of 45 individual trophies were ordered by the club and presented to Capitan High School Athletes at the Athletic Banquet. There were 23 trophies presented to girls and 22 presented to boys.

Main order of business at the meeting centered around the Club's next project. This will be a food booth at the Smokey Bear Stampede during the 4th of July weekend.

The next meeting of the club will be Thursday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m. All members and interested persons are urged to be present at this meeting. This will be the meeting to finalize plans for the booth, so your presence is needed.

Future plans include a "Real Pot Party" (Pyrex) in August. You'll have to come to the meeting to find out the details! See you at the meeting on June 5.



Pictured are five Carrizozo High School girls track team members who will compete in the Girls State Track Meet in Portales, Friday and Saturday. They are, left to right, Annette

Chavez, Gina Wright, Yvonne Pacheco, Lisa Ferguson and Veronica Zamora. Yvonne Pacheco will run the mile, the other four, the 440-relay.



Jamalyn (Jamie) Gipson

4-H honors 'Jamie' Gipson

Hondo Valley 4-H Member of the month is Jamalyn (Jamie) Gipson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Gipson. Glencoe, Jamie is a 6th grader at Hondo School and will be 12 years old next month. She lives on a ranch near Hondo.

Jamie was elected for her active work in 4-H projects, starting on her fourth year. She has completed projects in Leathercraft, Home Living - 13 years, fat lamb, Beef, Swine, Wool and some livestock judging and most with honors. She has three county medals - (1 baking, 2 judging, about 20 county fair ribbons, 2 State Fair ribbons. Her steer made Reserve Champion in the Herford Class at the 1974 Junior Livestock Show at Lincoln County Fair. She has been to district contest for Dress Revue - 1 year, and on 2nd place team at State Wool Judging Contest two years. She also was second first in Ladies Lead Class the past two years at the Lincoln County Fair. Favorite among all these, is her lead sheep "Shesa" who is expecting (twins?) any day now. She enjoys raising her steers until sale day and another 4-H favorite is wool judging.

Jamie says, she likes her 4-H work, and it it work, but it's fun too! and has made her a lot of new friends!

Paul Harvey to speak

The news commentator referred to as "The voice of the silent majority" - Paul Harvey - will be in Las Cruces Saturday, May 24 at 8 p.m. at the Pan American Center for a one night speaking engagement.

The one night appearance by the ABC network news commentator is being sponsored by Serotoma (Service to Mankind Organization) of Las Cruces and K.G.R.T. - K.G.R.D. - FM radio station.

The one word most often used to describe Paul Harvey and his broadcasts is "courageous." Though a middle of the road, independent who steers by his own star, he is referred to as the "Burr under the saddle of the american conscience."

Tickets can be purchased at the Recreation Service Bldg. at White Sands; in Alamogordo at the Alamogordo Discount Music Center & at the Hoffman Music Store; in Deming at Fred Sealey Drug Store; and at Smith Music and TV in Silver City.

Many hold that white long remained traditional for tennis clothing, because hard-to-keep-clean white reflected the sport's early position as a status activity.

1,595 witnesses attend

Some 1,595 Jehovah's witnesses and others interested in the Bible's message concerning the delicate times in which we live were in attendance at Albuquerque Civic Auditorium for a weekend of special activity and instruction May 3-4. The theme of the convention was "Have We Kept Our Senses and Been Watchful?"

John R. Heckman, district supervisor from Brooklyn, New York, addressed the audience Sunday afternoon on the subject "Stand Still and See the Salvation of Jehovah."

A highlight of the two-day convention was the baptism of 42 new ministers. Meetings at the local Kingdom Hall located on Lincoln Avenue will return to their regular schedule this week.

Gymkhana to be Saturday

WHITE SAND MISSILE RANGE - An open gymkhana for horseback riders of all ages will be held Saturday, May 10, at White Sands Missile Range, sponsored by the Organ Mountain Riding Club.

Riders from throughout the area are invited. Activities will begin with the grand entry at 10 a.m. in the club's arena just east of the main post, at the eastern end of Watertown Ave.

Registration will be held from 9 a.m. to 9:45. Events will include the keyhole, cloverleaf barrels, straight line barrels, pole bending and the single flag race. Entry fees will be \$1 per event or all five events for \$4.

A Shetland pony class will be included. Riders will compete in three age groups - 12 and under, 13 through 17, and 18 or over. Ribbons will be awarded to the first six place winners in each event. A trophy will be awarded to the high-point cowboy and cowgirl in each division.

There will be no charge for spectators. Refreshments will be available from a stand operated by the Organ Mountain Riding Club. Additional information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Edward Manners, 678-1971.

Thunderbird manager

Darrell Ballard, who was with Thunderbird Home Improvement Center in Hobbs until last weekend, is the new manager of the Thunderbird store (and Hollywood Lumber) at Hollywood, New Mexico.

Former manager Tommy Polly was transferred to Hobbs to manage the store there last week. Ballard was a salesman in the Hobbs store.

Ballard will move his wife and three children to Ruidoso when school is out in Hobbs.

Sands programs

Saturday, April 27, saw the start of weekend evening programs at White Sands National Monument. For the next three weekends, the 45-minute programs of color slides will be shown at 8 p.m. in the small picnic area six miles inside the monument.

Using a specially designed trailer, veteran Park Naturalist, Peter Hendrickson, will present "About White Sands" on Saturdays. Hendrickson's program offers a brief orientation to the geological, natural and human history of the white sand. Sunday evening offers a close look at the ecological setting of the Tularosa Basin and compares it to other desert regions. The narrator, Kent Corkran, is a seasonal naturalist.

Spurred by the legislature, the State Education Dept. scheduled these public school program reviews with local school boards: Jal, May 6; Eunice, May 8; Truth or Consequences, May 8; Ruidoso, May 13; Questa, May 13; Taos, Animas, Lordsburg and Penasco, May 14; Corona, May 15; Carrizozo and Hondo Valley, May 20; Cloudford, May 21.

Dr. Barton appointed

Dr. Amy Barton has been appointed to the Federal 1122 Review Panel.

Recently Dr. Barton was in Roswell to review a \$1.9 million grant for emergency medical care for the state of New Mexico.

The Review Panel met in Las Cruces last week end to investigate a \$7 million grant which will be

spent in New Mexico over the next 5 years.

As the only medical doctor on the Federal 1122 Review Panel, Dr. Barton will be required to make frequent trips to various cities in New Mexico. Dr. Marie Cortelyou will be on call during Dr. Barton's absence providing the area with adequate medical coverage.

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Support for ag export center

ROSWELL — A plan which appears headed toward turning Roswell and southeastern New Mexico into a major livestock exporting center has drawn the support of the State Department of Development and the New Mexico Department of Agriculture.

Al Dietz, deputy director of the New Mexico Department of Development, said that he is optimistic that the Four Corners Regional Commission will decide in April to fund the export proposal.

Dietz has asked the regional commission to fund the program at an annual rate of \$50,000. This amount would be in addition to \$40,000 he is seeking from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

A similar plan has been presented to the Old West Regional Commission by Montana livestock raisers.

Members of the Old West Commission, in addition to Montana, are the states of Wyoming, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Like the New Mexico plan, which probably would be centered around a former Air Force Base — the old Walker Air Force Base at Roswell — the Montana proposal calls for livestock exportation from "an old airbase" at Glasgow, Mont., Dietz said.

"We're further ahead than they are," the development head said of the Montana plan.

Dietz said the two plans do not present any competition to one another because Montana would be exporting to Canada and Asia while New Mexico likely would export livestock to Mexico and South America.

Sid Goodloe, agricultural representative for the Roswell Chamber of Development and Commerce, said that Roswell and the former Walker Air Force Base "have the facilities and the climate" to make the area ideal for international exportation.

Goodloe, a Roswell area rancher and an early supporter of the plan, said that initially horses and breeding cattle and breeding sheep would be exported from the Roswell airfield which has the longest runway in New Mexico.

Darrell McDonnell, export director for the Texas Department of Agriculture, met recently with the Agriculture Council of Chaves County, Dietz and Dr. Charles Greene, New Mexico Department of Agriculture marketing research director, in Roswell.

He said Texans sold some \$15 million worth of livestock in foreign countries last year.

McDonnell told the Agriculture Council, the first such council in New Mexico, that exportation "has become a big business for our ranchers."

He said that his department received a special appropriation from the Texas State Legislature to build six livestock exporting facilities in the state. These facilities, which cost some \$1.5 million to build and staff, are at El Paso, Del Rio, Brownsville, Houston, Eagle Pass and Laredo. Each of these stations is owned by the state and foreign buyers using them for livestock exporting may use the pens for \$2 a head.

"The state does not try to make a profit" on the facilities, McDonnell said, but maintains them as a convenience for Texas livestock producers and foreign buyers.

One of the major requirements is that the pens at the facilities be absolutely clean after each shipment through them. The pens are washed down with high-powered hoses, scrubbed and then sprayed with a disinfectant.

he said that John C. White, Texas commissioner of agriculture, has testified before the Texas legislature that he would "eat off the floor of the pens" without thinking twice about it.

Last year alone, McDonnell said, 123,286 head of livestock were exported to foreign countries from Texas. "Mexico is by far our biggest export customer," he added. McDonnell said that the Union of South Africa is the second largest importer of Texas livestock.

Dietz said after McDonnell's presentation that the New Mexico Department of Development is taking a more active interest in agricultural development. He said that in the past, his department has interpreted economic development to mean more manufacturing. "We are taking a much wider view now," he said.

Dietz said that although the export proposal to the Four Corners Regional Commission is for a New Mexico exporting center, "my feeling right now is that Roswell will be the center."

Dr. Greene and Dietz both emphasized that their two departments are prepared to work together in helping to bring the export program into being.

John Chappell, Chaves County Extension agent and a member of the Agriculture Council, said that the exportation proposal "has more potential than we've even imagined. I think that we can export many things from New Mexico," he said. "We have some of the finest cotton and wool in the world. There are onions and lettuce, apples and some of the other vegetables," Chappell added.

He said that Texas' export program "certainly is a successful way to go."

Chappell said that he believes the entire state and all of southeastern New Mexico in particular would benefit.

Farm bureau women to meet

New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau women from Chaves, Eddy, Lea and Lincoln counties will be attending the Women's Committee Conference at the Stevens Motel in Carlsbad May 12, 10 a.m.

Mrs. Walter Porter of Eddy County will be presiding chairman. Mary Blakley, state chairman, will discuss future plans of the Women's Committee. John Augustine, executive secretary will be discussing state and national legislative problems with the ladies. Jo Anna Baker of Roosevelt County will bring information about consumer education. Also to be on the program is Information Director Dorthy Sullins. She will show a set of slides recently produced by the New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau for use with civic clubs, schools and other organizations for consumer education.

Nancy Knight from Ancho is Lincoln county representative.

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Place on plate and freeze them for two hours.

In tall coffee drinking cup put 3/4-cup semi-sweet chocolate pieces and 2-tablespoons shortening. Place this cup into sauce pan of boiling water until chips are melted.

Dip frozen bananas into chocolate, roll in finely chopped nuts.

Place on a waxed paper covered cookie sheet, freeze again for storage.

(After dipping bananas may also be dipped in coconut, or cake decorating sprinkles.)

Remove fifteen minutes from freezer before serving.

Make a double batch because they will ask for seconds and you will be saying "Yes, we have no bananas," if you are not prepared.

Speaking of frozen desserts reminds me of this joke:

"Mother, may I have ten cents for the old man who is crying outside?"

"Yes, dear, but what is he crying about?"

"Ice cream cones! Ten Cents!"

Woman's Club will install

Mrs. George Maki of Alamogordo will be in Carrizozo on May 17 to install the Carrizozo Woman's Club officers for the coming year, 1975-1976. Mrs. Maki is a former Carrizozo resident and is still a member of the Carrizozo Woman's Club.

Officers to installed are: Mrs. J.B. Cantrell, president, Mrs. T.O. Hayes, first vice president, Mrs. Ray Wells, second vice-president, Mrs. B.K. Stephenson, secretary, Mrs. Welcolm Armstrong, treasurer, and Mrs. J.E. Thornton, parliamentarian. Two new directors will also be installed, Mrs. Wm. Hayes and Mrs. Paul Payton.

Hostesses for the afternoon will be all past president with Mrs. Welcolm Armstrong as chairman.

Members are asked to bring suggestions for next years programs.



The Rev. Roy R. Roach

Corona Revival planned

The Rev. Roy R. Roach, pastor of the First Baptist Church of House, will be leading a revival at the Corona Baptist Church, May 9-11.

Services will be at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday and on Sunday morning at 11. The public is invited to all services. The Rev. Roach was reared in a farming and ranching community and has spent most of his ministry working with farm and ranch people on the east side of New Mexico.

He has served with churches in St. Vrain, Indec, Field, Monument and at present in House. The cumiford of Mountair will lead the singing during the revival.

Marriage Licenses

Terry Wayne Lasaster, 19, and Crystal Lanette Yancey, 18, both of Corona.

Drey B. Phillips, 56 of Hobbs, and Betty Decker, 47, of Albuquerque.

Mark A. Kauppinen, 20 and Lorena M. Chavez, 20, both of Carrizozo.

James E. Rowin, 28, and Janet Lee Hancock, 19, both of Ruidoso.

Kenneth C. Cox, 44, of Ruidoso, and Joyce W. Prewitt, 28, of Ruidoso Downs.

Keith Mills, 44, and Betty Mills, 39, both of Ruidoso.

Jack Rankin, 18, and Kathy Trujillo, 20, both of Ruidoso.

Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Milton May on April 14, 1975 a baby girl. The baby weighed in at six pounds 15 1/2 ounces on arrival at St. Francis Hospital in Colorado Springs. They have named her Dana Jean. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Samora of Carrizozo and the paternal grandmother is Mrs. Margie Douglas of Santa Fe.



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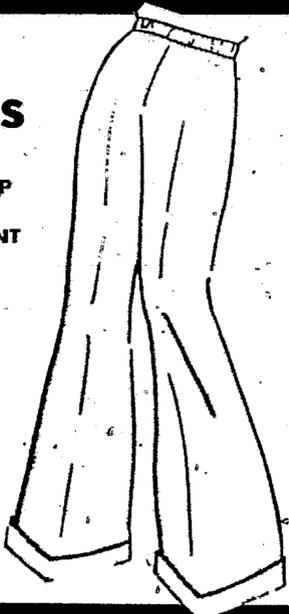
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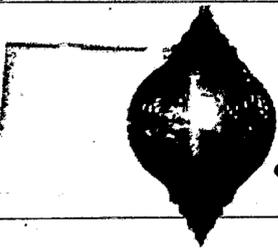
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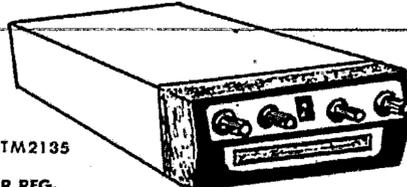
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