

# LINCOLN County News

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## County to get road bonus

An unexpected \$14,327 road fund bonanza unearthed by Commissioner John Sudderth in Santa Fe set a happy note to the regular meeting of the Lincoln County Commissioners.

The commissioners discussed budget problems and gave approval to a \$683,054 figure to be sent to the state prior to the public hearing (see budget review story).

Sudderth, former state highway director, had just returned from a trip to Santa Fe on personal business. He reported locating a federal grant for county road improvements that would be available for Lincoln County.

The county is required to put in a \$3000 and the federal money will bring the project to approximately \$15,000.

The money may be used for bridge widening, siding, graveling, lining or other road projects that the county may see fit to undertake.

The commission instructed to county manager to proceed with the application. Sudderth said that any engineering needed would be provided by the district engineers office.

"This is a nice windfall for us," Sudderth said "and we wouldn't have known about it if I hadn't stumbled on it in Santa Fe this week."

Sheriff Leandro Vega appeared to discuss the dissatisfaction of Corona with the current arrangement of law enforcement. Last week a group of residents of that town met with Commissioner Bud Payne to complain about deputy Dale Tunnell living ten miles outside of town.

The town of Corona, which does not have local law enforcement, contributes \$250 a month to the sheriff's budget for the partial pay of a deputy in Corona. The villagers also feel that some revenue sharing money spent on a automobile equipment was designated for Corona.

Sheriff Vega told the commission that Tunnell had been unable to find adequate housing in Corona proper but was within ten minutes drive of the town. He said the deputy had other responsibilities and areas to cover.

He said that if the town could provide a mobile home or locate a suitable rent house, Deputy Tunnell would move into the town.

Further discussion was tabled until the Commission can meet with both the sheriff and Mayor Ken Fuller of Corona.

Another housing problem faces the county when the new computer is installed and the old records are moved out of the damp basement into their new upstairs library spot in the annex.

The commissioners made a tour of the annex and the basement. Commissioners Nunez and Payne expressed concern that County Manager Les Olson had not been able to make the record move. He was instructed to have necessary shelving built and use the road crew to make the move.

Old records, newspapers and other historical documents are deteriorating from moisture in the basement storage rooms.

Additional room is also needed for the Soil Conservation Service and the SCMRCA office. A resurfing of space was discussed and the various offices involved will be notified.

The commission approved a plat amendment for Jim Wimberly of Alto Alps. He plans to construct an additional 28 condominiums in the section. Sixty have now been built and all are sold.



Casey Dean found a bag full of Easter eggs at the annual Pat Dunning egg hunt this year. The sun came out and it was a magnificent day for the egg chaser and the picnic feasters who assembled at Phil and Bunty Richardsons beautiful ranch home. There are more pictures on Page 8.



LeAnne Straley (center) is the new Miss Lincoln County and will represent the county at the Miss New Mexico competition July 3rd in Hobbs. She is the daughter of Lee and Dorothy Straley of Carrizozo and is a student at NMSU.

### County income up

## Lincoln budget is tight

The County of Lincoln is going to try to get by with a budget just under that of last year, \$612,693, no easy chore in this era of gold, rush style inflation.

And things may go from bad to worse, according to County Manager Les Olson. Written into the budget is another year of revenue sharing but there is no certainty that Congress will be sending those tax dollars back to local government after the January expiration of the current legislation.

The county commissioners managed to squeeze the 1976-77 figure into the 1975-76 model and added a overall five percent salary hike by cutting four full positions off the payroll.

Seventy-four percent of the total county revenue comes from local property taxes and the appraisal department has been increased in a successful attempt to come up with a higher yield. The 1976 budget reflect the hike from \$296,000 to \$328,000 in this revenue course.

The increase is from new construction and the big push to bring evaluation up to market value. At the present the assessments are only about 65 percent of market. The appraisal departments hopes to come close to 100 percent in the next 18 months. To assist that effort two new persons were added, the only department with increased personnel this year.

The state's contribution of \$14,000 goes by the way in the coming year and that wipes out the local revenue increase. The balance of the budget comes from interest on county funds, penalty and interest on taxes, various service fees, cigarette tax, gas tax, the race track and federal revenue sharing.

The road department has its own source of income and its own spending plan. It is considerably under that of the previous years.

In Lincoln County the department expects \$227,000 in revenue. 85 percent comes from motor vehicle fees and this figure had not increased in recent years indicating no change in the number of vehicles owned in the county.

Since there has been no increase in fees since 1972 and road maintenance costs are up, the road department is hard pressed to keep budget balance.

Ten percent of the road budget comes from the 1 cent per front foot tax on subdivision land. \$15,000 comes from forest fees.

The county has just completed an equipment purchase program which, over three years, has spent the biggest part of the road fund balance.

This year's budget is down to \$196,000 from last year's \$317,000. About 55 percent of that \$196,000 will go to salaries and personal related items such as insurance. Equipment servicing and gas accounts for another 27 percent and the balance, (less than 20 percent) goes for material, and supplies. Practically no capital outlays for equipment are expected in the coming budget. There are 15 men paid out of road department and of that two are on a federal program and two are paid for by revenue sharing.

The five county fire departments that are the county responsibility, Fort Stanton, Hondo, Bonito, Lincoln and Nogal, all are volunteers and all have money saved for equipment expenditures. The total adds up to \$38,750 and may or may not be spent in the coming year.

majoring in accounting. The judges complimented the 20 year old young lady on her musical ability and her interview. Also recognized were runners-up Cathy Wilson of Ruidoso and Susie Abercrombie of Capitan.

Predatory animal control and range improvement fund comes from the BLM and the county cattle and sheep assessment of 5 cents per cattle unit and 10 cents per sheep. That \$35,000 will be spent on trappers and their expenses.

The hospital fund of \$40,968 is derived from special 3/4 mil levy and is divided evenly between the hospitals in Ruidoso and Carrizozo.

The new budget for the general fund looks like this:

General fund	
Administration	\$57,027.00
Maintenance	33,760.00
Recording & filing	48,362.00
Bureau of Election	7,788.00
Assessor	109,602.00
Collecting	46,476.00
Law Enforcement	139,370.00
Fixed Charges	78,556.00
Total	\$520,941.00

Road Fund 191,835.00

### Revenue sharing

Here is where the revenue sharing money goes and unless the people of the county want to raise taxes they had better let their congressmen hear from the folks:

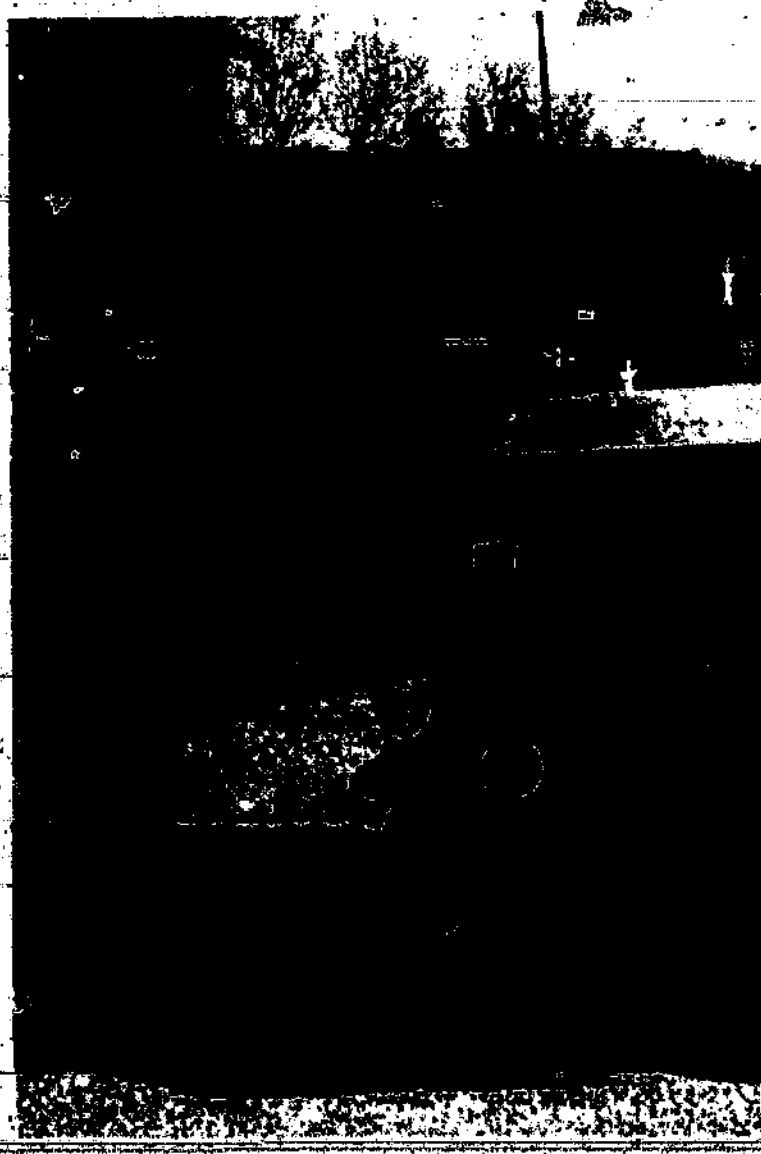
Carryover	\$ 29,000
Anticipated Revenue	163,000
Estimated Balance 6-76	192,000
General Fund:	
A. Assessment	42,756
B. Clerk	3,150
C. Treasurer	8,820
D. Law Enforcement	38,784
FICA	
	\$96,688
	6,111
	\$99,120
2. Ruidoso Ambulance (cut from \$12,000)	9,000
3. Carrizozo Ambulance (cut from 6,000)	4,000
4. Computer (lease purchase)	20,000
5. Capital Outlay - General Fund Operation	25,180
6. Road Department (Salaries - two positions)	18,969
7. Carrizozo Hospital (Back up fund)	15,000
Total	\$191,269

This of course is the tentative budget. On June 11 the public will get its chance to speak out at a public hearing in the courthouse. And before that the state is taking its annual long look at the proposals.

Living within the budget will be the big job ahead of the county manager, for the departments, for the commissioners and for the citizens who always need a little extra from the county for their special projects.



Dolores McBride, a senior at Carrizozo High School, will represent the town as Sun Carnival Duchess in El Paso next winter. The pretty student is sponsored by the Carrizozo Woman's Club which sends a local girl to the festival each year. Dolores is a member of FHA, the Baptist Church, the Honor Society, a cheerleader and is active in sports. She will be attending New Mexico State next fall.



It wasn't a take over of the Carrizozo School system last week when the army camped for one night on the school grounds. Snow and several breakdowns halted the 70 vehicle convoy in town and Superintendent Jim Steinepreis opened the school house for temporary sleeping quarters. The field artillery battalion of the 3rd Army Corps from Ft. Sill was on the way to McGregor Range to assist the German army in a missile shoot, Captain John L. Brannon said.

## Lib comes to playground

Sexual discrimination in the elementary schools must be ended by September. Jetty Jo Paul told the Carrizozo School board Tuesday night.

Reporting on a state workshop in the implementation of Title 9 which is intended to end discrimination against females in all phases of public education, Mrs. Paul, the school counselor, said that for the present the spirit if not the letter of the law would be emphasized.

In certain fields, though educators must comply with exact Title 9 provisions. Separate classes in physical education on the elementary level are out next school year.

The high school has a maximum of three years to integrate the boys and girls.

**THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO COMPETITIVE CONTACT SPORTS SUCH AS FOOTBALL.** Wrestling, basketball, football and certain other contact sports are excluded on the competitive level, according to Mrs. Paul. But, she said, if enough girls wanted to play football to form a team, then the school was obligated to provide a team.

Girls volleyball appears to be on the way out too. If a boy wants to play volleyball, he goes on what is now the girls team. In Indiana, Mrs. Paul reported, a team of boys won the Girls Volley ball championship.

Girls must be permitted to try for places on baseball teams, softball teams, tennis, golf, swimming and other such sports.

In sports which will not be integrated, such as basketball, equal time, space, staffs and equipment must be provided for the girls.

Generally the rules are:

1. No classes can be segregated because of sex (this does not include sex education).
2. In sports other than competitive contact sports, ability only can be considered in team positions. Girls must be permitted to participate if they agree equal to the boys in ability.
3. The school should examine itself in all fields to see if sex discrimination has been eliminated.

Mrs. Paul complimented the school on its

intergration in the vocational fields. She said that in the shop, vocational ag and home making departments in Carrizozo there was no evidence of such discrimination.

At the meeting, the board awarded a contract for the construction of the new administration and warehouse to Stans Electric of Tularosa and Carrizozo. The predominately metal building will cost \$61,033.83 and construction is to begin immediately. Eight other companies bid for the job.

Superintendent Jim Steinepreis asked the board if there were any questions concerning the needs assessment report which had been mailed to members. Ray Wells noted that the committee had emphasized basic education and asked what the administration was doing in that field.

Steinepreis said that a new series of Houghton Mifflin readers had been planned for next year and that a new phonics series would be used. He said that the work, according to one teacher, would be more difficult and some parental protests over grades might be expected.

According to the administration, the school has always emphasized basic education and that for a number of years old math, included rote teaching, had been the practice in Carrizozo.

Events at the school for May were discussed. The prom will be May 15, athletic banquet May 18 and there will be a sale of school surplus equipment sometime in May.

The superintendent also asked the board to review the school calendar for next year. He said some parents had objected to the length of the Easter vacation and asked the board for comments. Teachers and students will be working on the program for the coming year and suggestions will be considered.

Joe Orsak and Mary Jeter presented a review of special education. Orsak emphasized parental consent particulars of the program. Parents must agree to the testing of their children and then to the placement of youths in the special ed program.

The children in his division are of normal intelligence but have a problem in some learning ability. In the future, special education may offer enrichment programs to the gifted child as well.

The board also rehired 25 noncertified people who are full and part time workers. This included the bus drivers, custodian staff, cooks and all aides.

## Voters clinics are planned

A bipartisan effort to instruct Lincoln County voters in the use of voting machines will get underway next week in all communities.

Barbara Lovelace, county clerk will instruct the clinics and will be assisted by the Democratic Women and the Republican Women's Club.

This past week there have been lectures in each of the schools in the county encouraging 18 year olds to register. Last election only 5 percent of the 18 year olds in New Mexico voted.

The Capitan, Ruidoso and Corona schools will be using voting machines for school elections and even the 8th graders will learn how to vote.

All voters can learn something by attending one of the clinics and only a few minutes of time is needed to learn how to properly use the machines.

Classes begin April 26 in Hondo from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the schools office; Ruidoso, April 27, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the High School library; Capitan, April 28, Fair building, 9 a.m. to noon (students), noon to 4 p.m. general public; Corona, April 29, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. City Hall; Carrizozo 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 30, City Hall.



# Way of the West by Mary Rich

by Mary Rich

Sunday is "Spring Up Day." That little phrase is the only way I can remember how to set the clock when we go on Daylight Savings Time. When you go to bed Saturday night, set your clock UP one hour and, as Mr. Manire, our weatherman said, you will get up Sunday morning an hour before breakfast time. Getting up in the morning hours before breakfast time is a farm and ranch custom. And it's catching, or so I thought for a while. Most of us who were born before World War II were raised by simple rules and taught the homely virtues: "A penny saved is a penny earned." The banker visited the schools and gave out little piggy banks, telling the young minds not to borrow money, not to waste it and never to buy a car until you could pay cash money.

Johnson Stearns, the other day, told about being trained to be a banker by Mr. Huntsinger. That former Lincoln County financier was half listening to Johnson talking on the phone. He nodded his head as Johnson said, "No... No... I don't think so... No... not now... no... can't do that... no... no... yes... no... no." Johnson hung up the phone and Huntsinger asked, "What was that 'yes' all about?" "What a change! I heard an Albuquerque bank advertising for customers who want to live the better life now to come on in and get their share of the loot. The kids are even buying their bikes on time. So much for savings and cash money. Remember the pre-Watergate days. "I cut down the cherry tree, father. I cannot tell a lie." Or "Honest Abe Lincoln." "A man's word is his bond." "The truth will out."

But we were talking about mornings and the virtue of rising early. I prefer to get up in the light of day. It has been nice lately, having the first light to wake me instead of that half-awake waiting for the alarm. Now, back we go to morning darkness.

Virginia Curtis was talking about the ranchers, like her Bob, who can't stay in bed after three a.m. Somebody laughed and said, "Yes. They sit around drinking coffee until it's light enough to go to work." There was some talk about an old Lincoln County cowboy who used to burn tumble weeds to get enough light to do his chores.

There is still some of that "Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy wealthy and wise" spirit around these parts.

I always believed it, coming from west of where the west begins, but I was early a night person until I passed my personal vernal equinox (actually it is more like past the summer solstice. One old sweetheart says it is already into the "September Song.")

Now, I meet the banker and a few other of our most affluent citizens on the post office steps long before the rest of the town is stirring. It is a nice quiet time of day. You can get a lot done before the phone starts ringing.

Maybe the early bird does get the worm and getting up early puts one on top of the heap before noon. If all that is true I have made a great discovery—the great fortunes of this country were founded by people with a weak bladder.

Thank you for the Easter cards, dear friends and neighbors. Especially our thanks to small Kirk and Eric Olson. They made great big cardboard eggs, painted them, and persuaded Nick at the PO to put them in the mail. With the help of Eleanor (his mother) Kirk wrote, "Want to play with Mary Rich." I really didn't believe that my three year old angel said it until Sunday when he asked if I would come play with his toys. His older brother, Eric, gives me a kiss but knows, alas, that the age barrier has already come between us.

## Race purse hits record

The gross purse for the 1976 Ruidoso Thoroughbred Futurity is expected to top the \$75,000 level, according to Nominations Secretary Liz Devine. If that figure is attained, Liz points out, it'll represent the richest thoroughbred race in the history of the mountain track.

"The original nominating deadline recently came due, and 200 head were entered," Liz reports. Last year, the first nominating payment attracted 193 head, and the gross purse eventually reached \$72,870. Contributing to the optimistic outlook is the fact Liz has already received two supplemental nominees at \$1000 each, even though that payment isn't due until July 1. Last year, the tab for the July supplemental payment was \$800, and five got in the running by that method. Last year's Futurity crop also included three supplemental nominees—at \$2000 each—at the time of entry into the trials. This year, the late-nominating fee will be boosted to \$2,500.

The original nominating payment, which came due on Feb. 15, consisted of a \$50 fee. The second hurdle of \$150 came up on April 1. On July 1, a \$250 payment is due. The last payment is \$300 to enter the trials.

The two "biggest" nominators were the combine of Norman Blankenship and Melvin Paul of Bosque, N.M., and Walter Merrick of Sayre, Okla. Each named six head. Heretofore, Merrick had been known almost exclusively as a breeder, owner and trainer of quarter horses. The '76 Ruidoso season, which gets rolling on May 15, will cover 68 race days and offer a total purse disbursement of about \$4.6 million. Also drumming up much interest among horsemen is the fact the starting minimum purse has been hiked to \$1,800.

In addition, the mountain track will be offering the finest stakes schedule in its 29-year history.

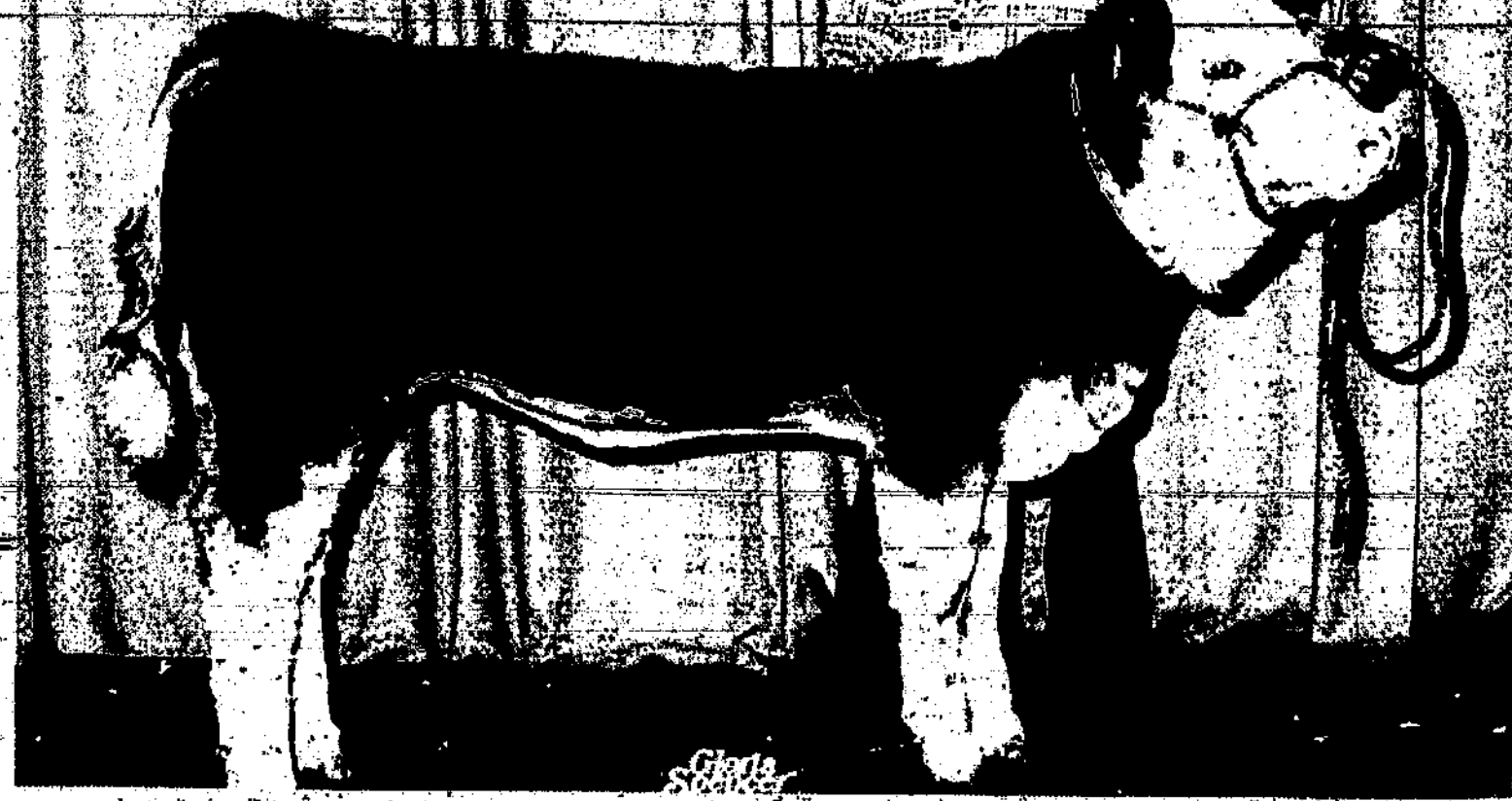
Virtually every event on the stakes calendar has been increased in value.

The season, once again, will consist mainly of Thursday-through-Sunday racing through Labor Day (Sept. 6). The highpoints of the glittering stakes schedule are some of the richest races in turf history. These include the \$1,030,000 All-American Quarter Horse Futurity, the \$550,000 (est.) All-American Quarter Horse Derby, the \$375,000 (est.) Kansas Quarter Horse Futurity, the \$350,000 (est.) Rainbow Quarter Horse Derby and the \$300,000 Rainbow Quarter Horse Futurity.

The All-American, Kansas Futurities comprise the Triple Crown of the quarter horse world, and will once again be televised live by the All-American Network of Topeka, Kansas.

# 76th the nation's SIMMENTAL

JAN. 24 - DECEMBER 14



This pure bred heifer raised by Lee Straley of Carrizozo was one of the 100 animals nominated for national Simmental sale at the Simmental Breeder Association convention in Denver. The heifer was born May 4, weighing 90 pounds. At the sale date it weighed 700 pounds and sold for

\$2000. A.M. Kerr, the grandson of the Oklahoma senator, bought the heifer. At the New Mexico Association sale and meet, the Straleys had four in the sale including the high sell female which brought \$1200. At the Colorado meet April 14, in a bulk test, out of 50 head the Straley bulls placed second, third, sixth and tenth.

## Wild root has ready market

There's a root of gold in them thar hills. Some Americans have known it for years and have made tidy little profits collecting the lowly ginseng root. The herb has a ready market in the Orient where it is valued as a cure-all for everything from weak eyes to premature aging.

Ginseng grows sparsely in the rich, moist soil of hardwood forests in many parts of the United States, the National Geographic Society says. People in the Ozarks have been digging the roots since the 19th century.

Guard Their Sources "Seng hunters" traditionally are a secretive lot, jealous of their knowledge, techniques, and hunting grounds. The plant grows slowly, so an

active hunter must wait years before returning to a previously productive site.

Wild ginseng grows 8 to 20 inches tall and has several leaves with five small leaflets. Clusters of small greenish-yellow flowers bloom in June or July; bright red berries follow late in the summer.

The small red berries contain the precious seeds necessary for future plantings.

Wise seng hunters plant the seed from their finds in secluded locations in the wild, risking discovery by other hunters. The domestic cultivated version of the plant is judged less valuable than the wild variety. While it is easy to mistake the leaves for those

of other plants, ginseng's roots are unique. Tuberous, knobby, often developing grotesque shapes, they are topped by the crowns of previous years' growth stacked one above the other.

### Resembles Human Body

Folklore in many parts of the world held that in brewing medicine, the home pharmacist looked for an herb that resembled the part of the body to be treated. Since the ginseng root had a human shape, it cured all ills.

Wild ginseng has been in demand for centuries. The Chinese and Tartars fought for control of Asian lands where the plant grew. One Tartar king reportedly built a wooden palisade around an entire province to protect his supply of the precious herb.

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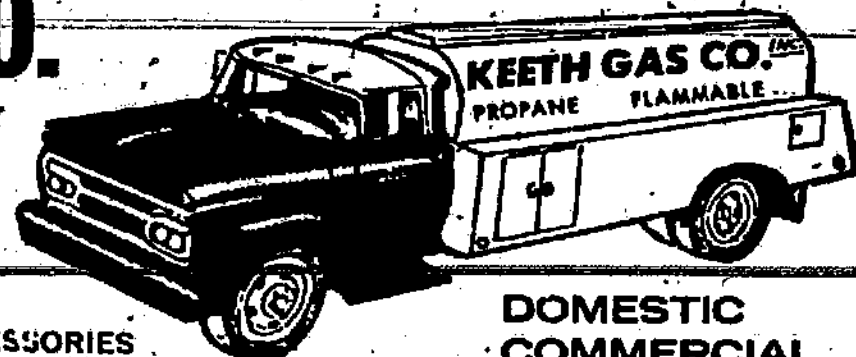
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## Notice

To: All Organizations sponsoring community events and programs From: Lincoln County Bicentennial Commission Bob Scribner, Chairman

The New Mexico State Bicentennial Commission has tentatively approved Lincoln County's proposal to promote and advertise throughout the County arts and craft shows, festivals, "people's markets", historical programs and festivals and other local or commemorative events.

Part of these funds will be used to pay for multi-media advertising and announcements of your programs. You are invited to benefit from this project. However, you must act quickly to be a part of this project as well as benefit from these funds.

You are invited to attend a May 6th meeting at 10:00 A.M., in the Courthouse at Carrizozo to obtain further information and find out how you can participate in this County wide Bicentennial effort. Come to this meeting and fill us in on your project. Remember, this project exists to help your program get wider publicity and greater county and out-of-county wide attendance. So, don't pass it up!

The subcommittee heading this project is chaired by Mary Rich. It is important she receive the "what, when and where" of your program immediately so it can be advertised statewide and nationally as well as throughout the county.

We'll be looking for you May 6th at 10:00 However, send your program information NOW to:

County Manager Bicentennial Festival '76 Box 711 Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301



A lot of good things keep happening at Citizens State Bank and last week was a special time for us when the Cowbelles were hostesses for Bank Week. There was a table of good food that the ladies cooked and quite a bit of visiting by old friends Truman Spencer and N.E. (Nig) Britton came into town. Irene Barham, one of the Cowbelles, showed them some O Bar O barbecue invitations from the 1930s.

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# In other years

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## Twenty Years Ago

From Lincoln County News  
Issue of April 20, 1956  
Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce directors met with sign company Friday to discuss putting up directional sign at junction of Highway 54 and 66 in Santa Rosa.

Fourteen beautiful and talented girls have been selected as the princesses for the Apple Blossom Festival at Hondo April 21. They are: Capitan, Judy LaMay, Sally Cloud, Maidie Belle Cooper, Marjorie Irish and Nathalie Britton. Ruidoso, Darlene Jones, Fredda Perry, Jo Betty Reese and Joan Marie Mathews. Hondo, Virginia Torres, Ginger Thomas, Dannie Salcido, Stella Fresquez and Lauralea Peters. Pat Henderson of Tinnie will be master of ceremonies at this biggest event of the season.

The Atomic Bar and Cocktail Lounge at Oscuro, built by L. S. Drake, was totally destroyed by fire early Wednesday.

Greg Pino and Scott Lewis were elected delegates to Boys State from Carrizozo, Gladis Sue King as delegate to Girls State.

Folklore Corner - A barrel of whiskey with a cup on it stood in the W. H. Weed store in White Oaks in the late 1880s. You could take a drink of whiskey and pay for it or charge it. Some persons complained Weed billed them for whiskey they'd never drunk. "It's your fault if you didn't," Weed replied.

A mining operator asked John Hendershott if in his opinion there was gold in the Jicarillas. John's reply was: "Yes, there is quite a bit of gold there but there is too damned much dirt mixed in with it."

Capitan - Our new school superintendent is William Hall of Causey. He has lovely wife and three daughters. Judy had party for her third birthday, guests were Jan Randle, Chris, Winky and Kathy Bancroft, Janie and Eileen Bennett, and Glen and Bonnie Beth Hill.

Ken Willis, popular Carrizozo coach for three years, tendered his resignation to the board. He has accepted position with oil company in Albuquerque. Zozo won the Bean Valley football championship in 1954 and 1955 and lost only one game to a "C" school last fall.

## Forty Years Ago

From Lincoln County News  
April 24, 1936.

The first labor demonstration we have ever known to occur in Lincoln County took place last Monday morning when about 70 men employed on the Carrizozo-Corona highway walked off the job after some differences with a foreman. The trouble was adjusted and work resumed.

Rev. L. D. Jordan, pastor of the Baptist church the past five years, tendered his resignation last Sunday and will seek a lower altitude on account of his wife's health.

The county commissioners meeting as a board of equalization, made a long list of decisions, like the following: In school district 30: C. C. Wilson of Lon raised 40 head of cattle \$640 and two horses \$40.

In school district No. 3: Orange Front Cash Store raised from \$100 to \$540. School district No. 7: George H. Koyiol, raised \$75 furniture and \$48 washing machine. Don B. English raised from

\$100 to \$146. In school district 13: Jesse Wade raised from \$425 to \$590.

The Hatch-Chavez bill to canalize the Rio Grande in New Mexico was approved. The bill carries an appropriation of \$3 million.

The County Board of Education during the last four years has done wonders for children in the rural districts. Following are members: G. T. McQuillen, Mrs. Ola C. Jones, Mrs. P. Pfingsten, L. P. Hall and R. A. Duran.

The majority of people do not understand the vast amount of work which the CCC camps are turning out. The Carrizozo camp has three fly camps; one at Three Rivers which is building diversion dams to spread the water over a larger territory; one at Adobe which has a fence project and have taken 10,000 posts off the public domain for this project; Portable Camp No. 3 which is exterminating prairie dogs and rodents.

Dr. M. G. Paden is having his hospital above the drug store thoroughly renovated, plastered and tinted.

H. Detloff, high school coach for several years, resigned and has accepted position at Hot Springs. Several of his teams were district champs.

Bingham Briefs - Marie Cooper is back in school after a siege of mumps.

## Sixty Years Ago

From Carrizozo News Friday,  
April 21, 1916.

Six Villistas Convicted. Deming, April 20 - It took a Luna County jury 20 minutes to find a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree against Juan Rangel, Eusebio Renteria, Taurino Garcia, Jose Rodriguez, Francisco Alsaes and Juan Castillo for their participation in the raid of Columbus, March 9. The defendants were put on the stand in their own behalf and their testimony went no further than an attempt to show that they were forced into the Villa service and had no knowledge they were on American soil.

In the matter of road commencing on present road between the town of Oscuro and I-X Ranch as platted and numbered 44; the report of viewers having been filed, the county board orders that said road is declared a public highway.

The petitions of citizens of precinct No. 2, San Patricio, for a calaboose to be built in said precinct is approved and Porfirio Chavez is authorized to have one built the cost of which is not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars.

The county board doth order that the Sheriff of Lincoln County take an accurate census of all the resident persons residing within the limit of the townsite of Carrizozo, that there be deposited with the treasurer of this county the sum of \$30 to pay for this taking of said census.

The Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County hereby give notice that an election will be held in Precincts Nos. 8, 14 and 15, the same having been created a district for the purposes of this election, that the object of said election is to submit to the qualified voters of said district, the proposition For or Against Prohibition. Polling places: court house, Paul Mayer's Livery in White Oaks, Burns' Store in Oscuro.

A new auto agency has been established at Corona, known as Atkinson, Simpson & Co. They have agency for Chevrolet and Studebaker cars. W. M. Barnett is now owner of the Carrizozo Livery Stable, formerly conducted by Chas. A. Stevens.

Measles are prevalent throughout the town and vicinity.

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# Hobson runs for district representative

State Representative Maurice Hobson, Minority Whip of the New Mexico House of Representatives, has announced that he will seek re-election to a fourth consecutive term this fall, representing District No. 52, Otero and Lincoln Counties.

Hobson, before assuming his role as Minority Whip, was for two terms Republican Caucus Chairman after defeating the incumbent in the 1970 election.

The young legislator took active part in the medical malpractice insurance legislation during the recent session. Hobson was one of the key proponents of a 1976 amendment which removed the fee schedule from the Probate Code and substituted a "reasonable attorney fee according to the work performed." During the 1975 session, Hobson was the prime sponsor of the popular bill which survived hard-fought battles against bitter opposition and repealed the tax on drugs and medical services. The Otero legislator worked diligently as a member of the local legislative team to ensure the passage of the Internation Space Hall of Fame bill.

Strongly pro-education in platform, Hobson is in constant contact with District No. 52 educators in order to ensure that any change in the school

funding formula does not adversely affect schools in Tularosa, Alamogordo, La Luz and Carrizozo.

Ranking Republican member of the Corporations and Banks Committee, having served on it throughout his legislative career, Hobson is also a member of the Ways and Means Committee and the Rules and Order of Business Committee.

A life-long resident of Otero County, he graduated from Tularosa High School, and earned his BBA from New Mexico State University in 1965. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hobson, grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Champion, and grandson of Mrs. Edna Goforth of Tularosa. His wife is Linda

Morris Hobson and he has one daughter, Karen Louise.

Hobson, president of Security Bank and Trust, serves on the Boards of Directors of the Alamogordo Chamber of Commerce, Zia School, and the Alamogordo Boys' Club. He is a member of the Alamogordo Rotary Club, is on the Board of Finance of Grace United Methodist Church, and is active in the Otero County United Way.

Hobson filed formally for re-election in Santa Fe on April 5, and stated that he is offering his experience, knowledge, and voting record as qualifications for re-election. He emphasized his desire to continue serving the people of Otero and Lincoln Counties as New Mexico State Representative.

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# Capitan News

by Margaret Rencb

We have had our Easter moisture in form of rain and wet snow showers. With cold and this Monday is very windy and cold with threatening clouds. The moisture is grand and truly appreciated.

Mr. & Mrs. Spence have sold their home to Dr. and Mrs. Rouleau, MD of Kansas. He hopes to open his office in the building next to our post office by July 1. Welcome to Capitan. We are so glad to have you.

Mrs. Rafaelita Fryor of Lincoln and Mrs. Hilda Young of Capitan flew to the Hawaiian Islands April 5 and spent nine interesting days touring the island with a tour guide and a group of people from several states of the U.S. and some from Canada.

The tour included hotel accommodations, seeing beautiful flowers, and trees growing everywhere. The tour also included exploring

dormant volcano areas, a few cattle ranches, many villages and no end of shopping centers.

On this tour they had the honor and privilege of attending many fiestas, special dinner parties and entertainment programs. They also had a two deck boat ride all around Pearl Harbor.

On this tour they had the honor and privilege. The tour was an experience everyone should have. The climate of the Hawaiian Islands is ideal. The native people of the islands are very energetic, clean and happy.

The Smokey Bear Park work is going forward and that is great to see. We of Capitan are anxious for this dream to become a reality. The Museum is very busy with its many visitors from many states. Easter Sunday there were lots of people there.

88 year old Saide Tucker of Albuquerque fell in March and spent 10 days in the hospital there.

Her daughter Cathleen Massey stayed with her there until she could bring her home with her to Capitan. She now cannot live alone. Her granddaughter (Colleen) Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Garrett and two daughter of Texas spent a few days here helping take care of her and then went to Albuquerque for their little daughter Doris for her Dr. 's checkup. Then brought Grandmother's possessions back to Capitan. I do wish this lady a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Perks returned last Sunday from Farmington, where they attended the wedding of their grandson Bret Brandshaw on Friday. They traveled in ice and snow most of the way. It was a hard trip.

Mrs. Perks underwent eye surgery in Texas in Feb. and now has glasses and she can see better than she has been able to for a long time. We are so glad and happy for her.

Mrs. Jack Shaw and daughter Mrs. Mike Riska and two children returned Sunday from one weeks vacation in Dallas where they visited relative and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Jones are now residents of Capitan and Eddy is employed with the Capitan Builders Supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright went to Animas, last Wednesday to spend Easter with her parents

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCarty. Returned Sunday evening.

Bobby Jenkins of Clovis spent Wednesday thru last Sunday with his sister Mr. and Mrs. Billy Goodrum at the ranch near Picacho then came and visited his mother and Aunt Amelia Jenkins and Maxie Risner in Capitan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Richardson became proud parents of a daughter Dana Jo born Friday April 9 at the Ruidoso Hospital weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz.

The second, third and fourth grade students enjoyed an Easter egg hunt on the golf course park near Carrizozo last Thursday.

There was an Easter family party at the home of H. N. Larkie on west Second Street last Sunday. There were four families 15 in all. Had a grand time and lots of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDaniel of El Paso spent Friday thru Sunday of last week with his sister Mr. and Mrs. Gary Palmquist and family.

Janie Palmquist and Janice McDaniel made a business trip to Roswell last Saturday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hobbs for Easter were her parents Jay and Bea Daniel of Abernathy, Texas and her nephew Ronnie Blackweby and family of Kress, Texas.

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crowd for Sunday School and Church last Sunday and the children enjoyed an Easter Egg Hunt.

The Nazarene Church people purchased the little white house at the turn off of Highway 37 that goes to the Angus Cemetery and the Nazarene Camp. It was always such an inviting little place in that beautiful location that needed someone to love and care for it. They have made it come to life inside and out. It is now painted a light green with lighter trim. Yard is taken care of and it is beautiful. I am so pleased and happy to see that little place come to real life-it so richly deserves.

## Weather by Manire

Date	H	L	W
April 14	73	44	35
April 15	73	37	30
April 16	49	23	25
April 17	50	28	12
April 18	50	28	10
April 19	65	36	12
April 20	62	31	10

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# ANYWAY YOU LOOK AT IT... by Paul

Such a good musical program at our church Sunday morning; hope yours was as impressive. Very few of us know or even think about the amount of time put into the every-week task of playing organ at church - rain, shine, feel poor or good; the organist feels obligated to practice and get ready, they be there. Jane Shafer, organist at Trinity Methodist for long years, surely deserves a lot more thanks than she gets for the excellent job she does. Jane is a fine organist, besides being about the only person working with young people of the church. Thanks to Jane from us Patrons.

We heard music totally different from anything around New Mexico, two evenings at Lilianes Maison des Crepes in Houston last week. Payton gets on jet plane in Albuquerque after leaving Rancho with printer-friends, and sets off to see eye doc in Houston. Met at airport by John B. Wilson III (that's Mary's son) who chauffeurs us to the restaurant he manages. Enjoyed the best of food and drink at that place - nothing like it in these parts.

Lilianes features music by the French pianist Dr. Charles. Our table was right next to the piano and we chatted a lot with Charles. He played his first concert at age 12, and has been playing somewhere ever since. Now he is past retirement age for most people, teaches in the daytime and plays - just because he likes to play - for the patrons at John's place.

At one table were young people from Peru. Charles played the national anthem of that country for the visitors. At another table some

Japanese people, they got oriental music. It would be near impossible to request a musical number he could not play, probably from memory or by taking the music out of the several stacks on the piano. Not only would Dr. Charles play the request, he would do a beautiful instant performance.

Dr. Charles leans to the light classic and some not so light. He played Chopin waltzes for us, also The Entertainer ragtime piece. Those waltzes require an artist at the keyboard to come out sounding like much. Charles is an artist. A tarantella is lively folk dance music, the kind that really moves. Charles' fingers really fly over the keys on that kind of music.

All-in-all we had a grand time, piled by drinks regularly and supplied by such beautiful music. Western guitar sounds are OK but the soul needs to absorb some other kinds of music every now and then to know what music should sound like. Lilianes is located at 228 Westheimer, just say Paul sent you and Dr. Charles will play any tune you ask for.

There are 32 different kinds of crepes listed in the menu at Lilianes. Crepe Vendome is the most popular according to John. The thin pastry is filled with breast of chicken and mushrooms, sour cream and paprika. Or you could try Crepe Rataouille which is stuffed with fresh sauteed vegetables, tomatoes, green pepper, chives, onions and zucchini. Crepe Marjane Vandivier, with beef tenderloin tips, sauteed in butter with fresh mushrooms and shallots, cognac and sour cream. All 32 of them sound good to eat - ones we ate were a real taste treat.

Sitting in the patio area of Lilianes Thursday morning, waiters were getting ready for noon lunch and talking what we thought (without paying close attention) to be Spanish. Asked John, he said the young men were all from Arabia, in Houston to go to school and Arabian language is nothing like Spanish. One young Arab had fiery red hair, talked more with hands, shoulders and body than with words.

The doctor end of that trip not that good. Waldo, Otis and Coco get a lot more consideration that we do in that med center.

Usually the good things outweigh the bad and our trip to Houston was like that - with many thanks to John, Dr. Charles and the good people at Lilianes.

Next time we get on Westheimer Street we intend to buy an antique, a painting, see some of the exotic dancing, and other forms of lively arts as practiced in Houston.

Swiped from Duffy - Worst Joak Dep.: "How can you possibly justify a trip to Miami Beach as a legitimate

business expense?" the tax investigator asked the optometrist. "I was just trying to develop contact lenses that wouldn't pop out," he replied.

From Dudley Seryus: Love makes the heart light and the sitting room dark.

Did you hear about the woman who told her husband, "Be an angel and let me drive." He did and he is.

Home at last, the first robber said "Let's see how much we got." The other yawned: "Why bother? We'll find out on television or in the morning paper."

From Dubleigh Sartin: Future generations will be born free, equal - and in debt.

The most beautiful political campaign cards we see all over this section of the state are being used by candidates in Torrance County - printing by Peter. And we really mean the most beautiful, by far.

## Corona

The Fred Turners and the Lon Sultemeiers were here from their homes in Santa Fe and Melrose for Easter with the Clint Sultemeiers. John Houston, David Sykes and Glen Houston spent the weekend with the C. R. Hiners all are from Hobbs.

We were sorry to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barrett were called to Denver Monday by the death of their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Borland of Jacksonvile, Ill., are visiting the Roberts Pfeiffer family and other relatives and friends in New Mexico.

Willie Frank Kilpatrick has been assigned to Belen as trainmaster for the Belen-Albuquerque Railway operations. A native of Corona, Willis holds a Master's degree in Business Administration from ENMU. His railroad service began in 1970 as an operations analyst in Topeka, Kansas. The next year he was promoted, to transportation trainmaster at Pueblo, Colo., and in 1974 went to Chicago where he served as one of five trainmasters in the Corwith marshaling yards. His duties now will be as head of operations for both Belen and Albuquerque. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kilpatrick. Carol and Willis have two children, Shana, and James.

Ernie Endis of Albuquerque met the Robert Bradfords of El Paso to attend the Beta Sigma Phi dance and to have Easter dinner here. Corona schools are on spring vacation this week.

The Ken Andersons left Thursday to spend the holiday with Mary's sister and her family in Arlington.

Mrs. Jack Davidson has returned home from a Roswell hospital and will rest for a few days before returning for further tests.

Mrs. Estanislado Belio and Mrs. Fred Chavez of Carrizozo were in town recently, and Mrs. Belio was greeting old friends from Claunch and Corona.

The Miles Waldons, Mountainair and the Jack Hefkers, Carrizozo enjoyed Easter dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V.C. Waldon.

Mrs. W. T. Tylin has been recuperating from pneumonia at the home of a son, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Keelin, in Alamogordo.

Mae Barrow spent the Easter weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. Dishman. Suzie and Kathi Garfield are in Artesia this week.

Mrs. Clifton Ward and Dawnya were here from Carrizozo for Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Yancey came from Cotton City for the weekend.

Friends have learned of the death in an Albuquerque hospital Tuesday of Mr. Addie Dell-Goodwin, 84. A former resident of this area she had lived in Hobbs for eight years. Services were in Hobbs with interment in Oklahoma City. Survivors include five daughters, Willie Fay Kendrick and Gladys Lunas, and Betty Jean Hamilton, El Paso, one sister, ten grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren.

Mrs. W. T. Tyree was in Alamogordo one day last week to see her doctor. She stepped on a nail and has had a very sore foot.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bond spent the Easter weekend in Tucumcari with the Mack Bells and helped Dan celebrate his fourth birthday.

The Bill Tyrees were over from Albuquerque for Easter with his parents.

Mrs. Joe Reynolds and Marilyn left Friday for a few days with family and friends in Texas.

The P. T. O. met Wednesday with Mrs. Clay Crist president in charge. A playground workday was set for April 22. It was decided to give a \$50 scholarship to be presented at the awards assembly. Members in good standing will vote on

the winner at the next meeting. See one of the membership committee, Mrs. Bob Byrd, Mrs. Wayne Tubbs, or Mrs. Ernest Lueras or the president and pay your dues of one dollar in order to help this worthy project.

Cary Crist is spending his vacation in Ft. Sumner with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Good.

## Land use study

Land use conflicts and alternatives for future use of 606,000 acres of National Resource (public domain) Land will be the topic of a workshop to be conducted by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) on Thursday, April 29 in Socorro. The workshop will be held in the Socorro Junior High Gymnasium beginning at 7:00 P.M.

The area to be discussed is the Stallion Planning Unit, which extends from the San Mateo Mountains on the west to Chupadera Mesa on the east. The southern boundaries of the unit are the White Sands Missile Range and Sierra County Line and the northern boundaries are the Torrance County Line and the Sevilleta National Wildlife Refuge.

The workshop will allow participants to review, comment on or modify proposed alternatives for the various resources within the area. Workshop participants will also be asked to formulate alternatives which will help resolve conflicts between resource uses in the unit.

Among the alternatives to be considered are proposals for developing mineral resources, solving land occupancy problems, intensifying rangeland management, improving wildlife habitat, increasing recreation opportunities and stabilizing watersheds within the area. Support activities such as roads and fire control will be topics for discussion.

## Grapes make profit crop

Fruit trees often bear very little fruit due to late spring freezes. This seems to be a story repeated three out of every five years in Lincoln County.

This is not the story with grapes, however. Grapes not only bloom later than most tree fruits, but they also have the ability to "re-bloom" when the first bloom-buds have been killed.

Grapes fit well into the landscape plan. They are used as summer shade plants on pergolas, porches and carports. Trellised along a fence or wall, they serve well as background plants for shrubs and flowering plants. Spacesaving screen can be developed with grapes to separate areas of the lawn and garden, or to block undesirable views. Grape vines are easily trained to any shape, size or position desired.

Insect pests attacking grapes include leafhoppers and grape leaf skeletonizers. Malathion and Sevin are effective in controlling both. Since grapes are usually trained to grow on low trellises or arbors, hand sprayers and dusters are adequate. Diseases are seldom serious. Heavy pruning is required annually to keep vines productive and within bounds.

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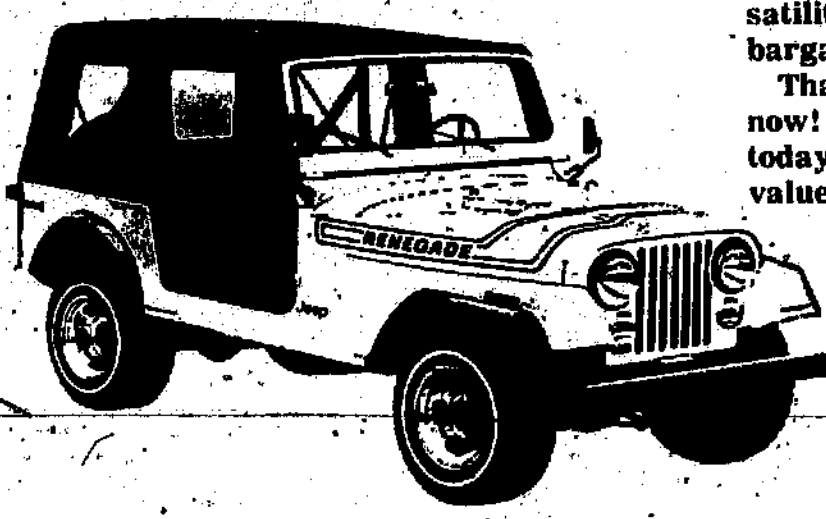
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The teenagers set up a pitching contest in the sun and later most of the men joined them.



Everyone brought a dish or two and the picnic table was a real Lincoln County spread. In the

back are R. C. Barham, Wayne and Annie Withers (in matching stripes, and filling their plates are Phil and Mary Ellen Payne).



Pat Dunning and Annie Withers share a moment at the grownup part of the picnic.



Casey takes time out from hunting to do a little eating. Her pretty yellow suit soon had a little green egg tint on it but Casey didn't mind at all. Her mother Betty just smiled.



Kenny found his share of eggs and had time to chase a chicken too. The big and little children all had a happy day.



Show me your eggs, the photographer said, and Kirk decided to wear it on his head.



Kirk Olson filled two sacks with red, blue, green and yellow eggs. Later he filled his stomach with chocolate cake.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
 The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners request written sealed bids on four pieces of equipment unusable to the County:

1. 1956 3100 Chevy, 6 cylinder panel truck, 78,186 miles, 3 speed. No battery. Engine runs.
2. 5 Ton 6 x 6 Tractor with fifth wheel. Runs, but needs

repair. No batteries.  
 3. Used 5000 gallon water tank trailer with crank dollies, air brakes and hookup for tractor. 10'00 x 20 tires. As is:  
 4. Junk electronic equipment from Government military trailer.  
 Please submit sealed bids on or before May 4, 1976 at 10:00 A.M. to County Manager, P.O. Box 711,

Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.  
 The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
 Chairman  
 LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
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## LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AND PETITION FOR ADOPTION.**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to Theresa Marie Mosher and Edward Glenn Mosher, (natural mother and father of Michael Edward Glenn Mosher, II; a child). Respondents upon whom substituted service of process is hereby sought to be obtained:

You are notified that Floyd W. Siegrist and Bertha E. Siegrist, his wife, have filed in Cause No. 225-A in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, entitled "In Reverified Petition for termination of the parental rights of the parents of said child, and for adoption of said child by said Petitioners. Said cause is now pending in said Court. Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before June 3, 1976, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., which is the date and time set by said Court for hearing on said petition, judgement will be entered in said cause against you by default and you will be deemed to have consented to termination of your parental rights in connection with said child and be deemed to have consented to the adoption prayed in said petition. Attorney for the Petitioners is Bill G. Payne, P. O. Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, on April 21st, 1976.

-s- Margo E. Lindsay  
 Clerk of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico  
 Carrizozo, New Mexico (SEAL)

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**NOTICE**  
 The Town of Carrizozo is accepting applications for:

1. Swimming Pool
2. Life Guards

The minimum requirements for the swimming pool positions: Applicants must possess a current Senior Life Saver Certificate.  
 Swimming employment shall commence on or about May 23, 1976 for a period of 2½ or 3 months.  
 All applications should be in by May 10, 1976, at 7:00 pm to be considered by the Town Board of Trustees.  
 -s- Christine Chavez, Clerk-Treasurer  
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**ORDER EXTENDING DEADLINE**  
 I, CECIL J. PICKETT,

Director of the Property Tax Department of the State of New Mexico, pursuant to the provisions of Section 72-31-85 NMSA 1953 of the Property Tax Code, do hereby extend the following deadlines found in the New Mexico Property Tax Code for tax year 1976:

1. The deadline for the Property Tax Department to mail notices of valuation pursuant to Section 72-31-20(B) NMSA 1953 is extended from May 1, 1976 to June 1, 1976.
2. The deadline for the Property Tax Department to certify values to each county assessor pursuant to Section 72-31-30 NMSA 1953 is hereby extended from June 1, 1976 to June 30, 1976.
3. The deadline for county assessors to certify net taxable values pursuant to Section 72-31-31 NMSA 1953 is hereby extended from June 15, 1976 to July 15, 1976.
4. The deadline for the Property Tax Department to prepare a compilation of net taxable values to be used for budget making and rate setting pursuant to Section 72-31-32 NMSA 1953 is hereby extended from June 30, 1976 to July 30, 1976.

I find these extensions to be necessary in order for the Property Tax Department of the State of New Mexico to fully comply with amended provisions of the Property Tax Code.  
 Done this 9th day of April, 1976, at Santa Fe, New Mexico.  
 Cecil J. Pickett, Director  
 Property Tax Department  
 Bataan Memorial Building  
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503  
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**NOTICE OF SEALED BIDS**  
 THE VILLAGE OF CORONA IS CALLING FOR SEALED BIDS ON 100 FEET OF 24 INCH 12 GUAGE CULVERTS. 40 FEET OF 30 INCH 12 GUAGE CULVERTS. 1-30 INCH BAND AND 3-24 INCH BANDS. PLEASE QUOTE PRICE WITH DELIVERY AND A PRICE WITHOUT DELIVERY. SEALED BIDS WILL BE OPENED MAY 3, 1976 AT THE VILLAGE HALL, AT 2:00 P.M. CORONA, N.M.  
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**IN THE PROBATE COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**  
**IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF TULL STANSELL, DECEASED.**  
 No. 1306  
**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL OF TULL STANSELL, DECEASED**  
 THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a document dated November 3, 1973, has been filed as the Last Will and Testament of TULL STANSELL, AKA TULL

LOUIS STANSELL, Deceased, and the above-entitled Court has set the 30th day of April, 1976, at the hour of 10:00 O'clock A.M. in the Courtroom of said Court in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the day, time and place for hearing proof in support of an objections to said document as the Last Will and Testament of said Decedent. All persons wishing to object to the Probate of said document as the Last Will and Testament of said Decedent are notified to present themselves on said day at said time and place and to show cause, if any they have, why said document should not be admitted to Probate as the Last Will and Testament of said Decedent.

-s- Barbara Lovelace  
 County Clerk and  
 Ex-Officio Clerk of  
 the Probate Court of  
 Lincoln County,  
 New Mexico.

(SEAL)  
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STATE OF COUNTY OF NEW MEXICO LINCOLN IN THE DISTRICT COURT NO. 9882  
 JAMES E. COX, Plaintiff vs. DORIS J. COX, Defendant  
**COMPLAINT**  
 Plaintiff states:

I That the plaintiff is a resident of the State of New Mexico, and has been for more than six months preceding the filing of the Complaint.

II That the parties were married on December 27, 1967, at Ciudad Juarez, Old Mexico, and have since been husband and wife.

III That of this marriage no children have been born.

IV That the Plaintiff is not requested to pay any support or alimony to the defendant.

V That the community property acquired by the parties has been distributed to the satisfaction of both parties.

VI That the parties are incompatible.

VII That the Plaintiff does not know the whereabouts of the Defendant.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff pays the Court for the following relief:

1. For a decree of divorce from the defendant on the ground of incompatibility.

JAMES E. COX BY -s- PLAINTIFF P.O. Box 601 Carrizozo, NM 88301  
 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 30th DAY OF MARCH 1976. -s- Margo Lindsay  
 Dist. Court Clerk  
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## School panel stresses basics

The Peoples Forum on Education meeting was held in the Corona School on April 13. This is a part of the statewide program sponsored by Governor Jerry Apodaca. Coffee was served while the group held an informal discussion and exchange of ideas.

While most aspects of New Mexico education were discussed, the group felt they wanted to stress a strong basic education at all levels, with vocational and athletic subjects offered. They felt that a good communication line between parents and schools was important also.

Approximately thirty-five suggestions forwarded to the governor. Mrs. Ronnie Merritt and Mrs. Don Surratt served as facilitators.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. John Knipps, Mr. and Mrs. George James, Mrs. Joe Reynolds, Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. George Lightfoot, Mr.

Butch Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sultemier, Mrs. Clay Christ, Mr. Trinidad Chavez, Mr. Kenneth Anderson, Mrs. Rand Perkins, Mrs. A.J. Gibbs, Mrs. Rogene Alford, Mrs. Lee Mulkey, Mrs. Wayne Tubbs, Mrs. Bob Byrd, Mr. Don Surratt and Mr. Ronnie Merritt.

Something Needed  
 "Why do you always type your employer's speeches from dictation instead of using shorthand?"  
 "because," answered the typist of a long-winded member of congress, "I need the noise of the machine to keep me awake."  
 Aluminum plates have many uses, 35 cents each at NEWS.