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County drops Water Canyon

The gate on the Water Canyon Road through the I-X Ranch will remain locked. After several years of controversy and pending legislation, the Lincoln County Commission took the advice of Assistant District Attorney Frank Wilson and decided to let the matter drop.

Wilson came to the meeting to discuss several legal matters and the Water Canyon Road files was by far the thickest in his brief case.

The commission has changed since the matter first came up and the D.A. office also has new names and faces. Wilson said a brief review of the

county's position and the legal position put forward by attorneys for Kelly and B.K. Stephenson, owners of the ranch left him with the opinion that the county's position would not be a winning one.

The difference between the parties are when hunters protested locks on

the gate leading to water canyon and to the forest in that area.

The Stephenson's had been having trouble with vandalism at one of the ranch headquarters on the road and with hunting being done on their private land. The keys to the gate had been widely circulated throughout the area and the locks were changed.

The previous commission took the position that the road was a public one historically and must remain open. The Stephenson's said that the road was private, was not maintained by the county and opening the road would damage the ranching operation. Kelly Stephenson offered various compromises which were not accepted by the old commission.

Wilson said that evidently the previous commission had felt that allowing the ranchers to close the road would set a precedent for arbitrary closing of public roads. In this case, however, he said, any attempt to carry the case further might well result in an unfavorable court decision and have the opposite of the desired results.

Chairman of the Commission John Sudderth said he was not familiar enough with the facts to make a decision and suggested that the commission talk to former Commissioner Bud Payne.

Lee Straley told the group that he was fully aware of all the circumstances involving the road and agreed with the district attorney that the county should drop the case.

With the consent of the entire commission the district attorney was told to file the case in the bottom of a drawer and let it die.

Transwestern road

Another road problem drew a delegation from the north part of the county. This time the ranchers from the Corona area came to ask for help on the Transwestern road.

This county road was first built by the Transwestern Pipeline Company and later was dedicated by the county. Maintenance has apparently been a constant problem because of the length of the road and the sparsity of the population in that area.

However, the road is a school bus route and provides the only way in and out for a number of ranchers.

Kenneth Peshlak of the Transwestern Company, Clint Sultemeier, Melvin Sultemeier, Betty Russell and Floyd Proctor were on the delegation.

Sultemeier said that the road was now in dangerous condition. The surface will not hold a grade, drainage is almost nonexistent in sections and there are deep holes, he said.

Sudderth asked Lee Straley to chair the meeting for the road discussion. Straley and Sudderth both said they had examined the road and found the condition bad.

Sudderth said that the base needed improving before the surface could be worked. He said that while the county could not afford to pave the road, it could be put back into good condition and maintained.

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FFA wins sweepstakes

The Carrizozo FFA judging teams traveled to Truth or Consequences on February 26 to T or C annual FFA judging and came home the winners.

The wool team placed first, Laurie Voss was high individual, Gary Joe Lovelace second high, Maurita Lovelace third high, Lorrie Porter fourth high, Timmy Curtiss tenth high and Dennis Porter twelfth high.

The Dairy team placed first, Lois McBride second high individual, Tommy Bragg third high, Audrey Vega fifth high & Vince Vega eighth high.

The Meats team placed second, Rex Wilson second high individual, Ray Hernandez sixth high, and Phil Straley ninth high.

The Livestock team placed second, Phil Straley seventh high individual, Rex Wilson eighth high, Marc McKinley ninth high, and Robby Simpson eleventh high.

The Land team placed second, Mike English fourth high individual, Bruce English fifth high individual.

The Horse team placed fourth, Phil Straley sixth high individual, Maurita Lovelace eighth high, Mona Payne eleventh high, Tommy Bragg twelfth high.

Carrizozo was top team overall and won the Sweepstakes Place. March 5th the teams will travel to Hatch.



Bryan Cantrell and Michelle Vega were having a wonderful time selecting books they would like to buy at the Carrizozo school book fair. Sally

Florian, librarian, offers the books to students and adults and a part of the sales prices goes to the library fund.

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Navy project discussed

Representatives from Lincoln County will be present at a meeting in Las Cruces of city and counties concerned with the White Sands Range future.

The meeting has been called by Las Cruces Mayor Albert Johnson for the evening of March 8 when U.S. Navy spokesmen will be on hand to explain the Seafarer project which is being considered for the Missile Range.

Mayor Johnson says that while the White Sands is not first on the Navy list of possible locations, the areas economically and environmentally affected should be alerted about the proposed project.

Seafarer is a Navy plan to establish a communications network with submarines in the Atlantic and Pacific.

It would involve extensive lines in the White Sands range, Mayor Johnson said, and the effect on the future use of the area is not fully understood.

Mayor Johnson said the state of

Vega goes to ring

The Golden Glove Tournament is being held March 4 and 5 in Roswell, New Mexico at Poe Corn Center. Fight time is 7:30 p.m.

Boxing from Carrizozo will be Edward Vega in the 147 pound class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vega, Sr. Edward is in the 11th grade. He will be accompanied by Nat J. Chavez, manager-coach.

Hightowers attend conference

The New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau's Annual Young Farmers and Ranchers State Conference was held February 9-11 at the Holiday Inn in Santa Fe. Gary and Beth Hightower of Ancho attended the conference which gave the participants a chance to listen to several State Legislators express their views on issues and pending legislation affecting agriculture. The greatest concern centered around energy problems dealing with Natural Gas, Coal, and uranium. Natural Gas production in New Mexico has peaked and legislation is needed to protect what we have for intrastate use. Coal will be a prime energy source in the future and provisions must be made soon, so that it is not stolen from New Mexico as our natural gas seems to have been.

Jody Clavel, Roy rancher and New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau

Michigan was first in line for the location, is seriously questioning the environmental impact.

While the Seafarer project is reputed to involve the use of 150 Navy people, the Las Cruces mayor is concerned if, in the long range, the project might result in the loss of other White Sands projects that have a greater economic benefit.

Officials from Otero, Chavez and Lincoln counties will be present to listen to the Navy's explanation of Seafarer.

weather

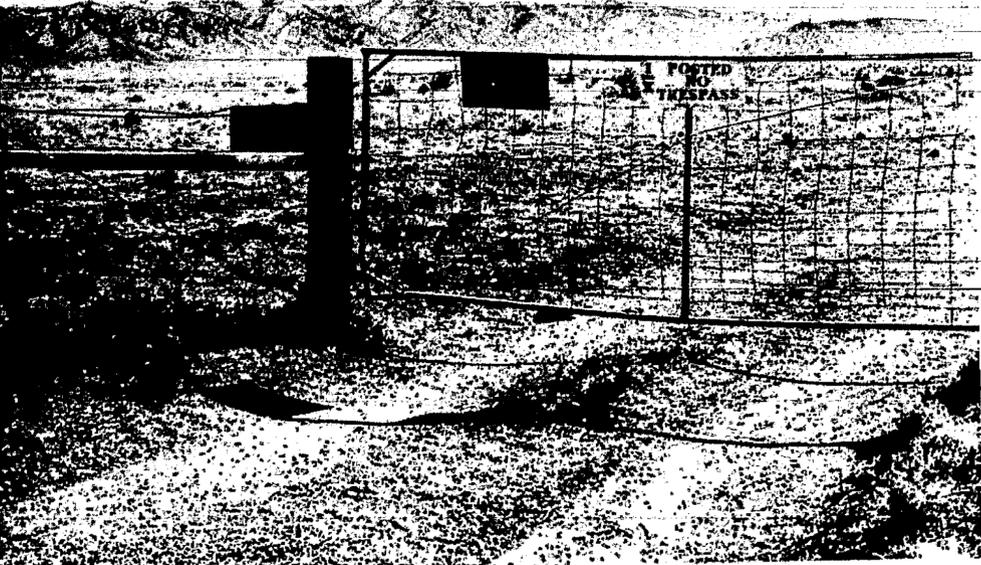
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Feb. 23	68	28	12
Feb. 24	57	37	25
Feb. 25	64	48	20
Feb. 26	55	20	10
Feb. 27	46	21	8
Feb. 28	47	10	6
Mar. 1	55	20	15

Moisture for February was .71, since the first of the year 1.82. Normal for the first of the year was 1.07. Average high temperature was 56.9, average low temperature was 26.2, average for the month of February was 41.5. Coldest day of the month was the 28th with 10 above, and the hottest day of the month was on the 19th with 72.

member of the American Farm Bureau Federation Beef Advisory Committee explained the Beef Check-Off program which all beef producers will be voting on soon. He encouraged support of the program by all beef producers.

Doc Weller, Assn., of Commerce and Industry, presented a program aimed at bringing more understanding of urban and industrial problems to the Young Farmers and Ranchers. David Bloom, Deputy Director of the State Energy Resource Board spoke on the energy situation in New Mexico. Natural Gas prices, uranium exploration, and nuclear waste disposal were important items.

The educational conference was concluded by a visit to the State Legislature and to various state government official's offices, including the Governor, Lt. Governor, and Secretary of State.



Snow capped Nogal Peak shines in the distance from the Water Canyon

road gate at the entrance to the I-X ranch. This lock will stay on the gate as

far as the county is concerned, ending a three year dispute over road ownership.

Area RC&D for hospital

The South Central Mountain RC&D Area accepted a project measure to assist and seek ways to keep the Carrizozo-Hospital open at its meeting here Tuesday. Several possibilities exist. One is as a limited care center, kept open with county property taxes. Studies are to include: needs to qualify, needs for financing, survey on need and the patient load.

The group also accepted project measure to study the proposed Forest Service land transfer to the Mesquero Apache Tribe. This includes about 2200 acres and includes the head waters of both the Bonito and Eagle Creek watersheds. The said land would be used for recreational land.

The third measure is to assist in stabilizing the area covered by the recent fire at Timberton.

Eleven project measures were reviewed and accepted as completed by the group.

Harve Abercrombie gave the Project Coordinator's report. He reported that the Plan Design has been approved and the SCMRC&D has been authorized to complete their Program of Action and fund high priority measures.

A slide presentation of the area was given at the program. Willie Gallacher spoke on the topic of Shorty Lee, who was killed 70 years ago and his interest in putting a fitting marker at his gravesite. Willie also entertained with several stories.

No exact date was picked for the next meeting which is the annual meeting and election of officers. Governor Apodaca will be asked to be the guest speaker.

Shearing school set

A sheep shearing school will be held in Roswell, March 17 and 18. This school is designed for many of our small sheep operators who want to learn the proper methods in shearing sheep. The school will be conducted by Charlie Swaim, of Drakeville, Iowa; National Champion Sheep Shearer, & by James Sachse, New Mexico State University Extension Sheep Specialist. The sight for the school will be the Filbin Livestock Co., South of Roswell. A registration fee of \$3 will be charged to cover breakage of equipment, which will be furnished by Sun Beam Corp. School will start at 8:30 a.m. both mornings and run until approximately 5 p.m. Inquiries can be made to your local County Extension Office.



Ernest McDaniel, Chairman of the South Central Mountain Resource Committee commended Delbert Nelson for his dedicated work and untiring efforts in promoting the welfare of the

people of the area. Nelson is with the State engineers office in Roswell. Harvey Abercrombie, project coordinator, was host for the Carrizozo meeting.



Happy homecomers this week were the Carrizozo FFA judging team that returned with the lion's share of the awards at the annual T or C judging contest. The winners are (from the left) Lois McBride, Mona Payne, Vince Vega, Lisa Ferguson, Robbie Simpson,

Carrie Dobbs, Audrey Vega, Marc McKinley, Dennis Porter, Lorrie Porter, Ray Hernandez, Rex Wilson, J.D. Watson, Bruce English, Mike English, Maurita Lovelace. (front) Tommy Bragg, Laurie Voss, and Gary Lovelace.



Left to right: Randy and LuAnn Monroe, Curry; Butch and Kathy Priest, Curry; Beth and Gary

Hightower, Lincoln; and Ernestine Evans, New Mexico Secretary of State.

Around town

By Eleanor Payton

Georgia Harkey and her daughter, Jonette Nowell of Alamogordo were in Carrizozo Saturday visiting Jonette's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harkey.

Mrs. F.B. Lindamood and Mrs. Mary Johnson were in Tularosa Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Howard. Mrs. Lindamood went on to Alamogordo for a visit with Mrs. Lyda Peables.

Members of the CYO will meet at Trinity Methodist Church Monday evening for a hamburger fry. Following that the meeting will be called to order by the president, Mitch Colwell. Devotional and program will be given by Todd Lindsay.

Mrs. C.A. Snow returned last Tuesday from Tucson, where she visited her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Jody Snow and family and Cherry Snow, a University student. She also visited another grandson, Charles Snow and his family at St. David, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wilson returned last Monday from a business trip to Phoenix, Arizona. They were accompanied as far as Tucson by Mrs. C.A. Snow who also retruned with them.

Sally and Bradley McDonald and son, Lucian, stopped in Carrizozo last Thursday for an overnight visit with Sally's aunt, Mary Rich. They are from New York State and were enroute to Phoenix to visit Sally's mother.

Mrs. Louise Ferguson of Capitan was in Carrizozo last Thursday visiting her sister, Mrs. C.A. Snow.

Mrs. Wally Ferguson and Mrs. John A. Hightower will be hostesses to the Carrizozo Bridge Club Friday at the Ferguson ranch home.

Mrs. Itay Wells and Mrs. Paul Ortiz were in Albuquerque last weekend. While there they visited David Verdugo who was seriously injured in an accident and is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital. His back was injured in a fall and he is paralyzed from the neck down, and will have to undergo surgery as soon as he is able. He is on the eighth floor at St. Joseph's Hospital and would appreciate hearing from friends. Mrs. Wells attended a hair styling school on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Payton of Aztec were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payton on Tuesday night. They were enroute to New Orleans.

Anyone interested is invited to join a Bible Study group which meets every Thursday evening at the Sands Motel at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Porter of Nogal were on the Deans Honor List at New Mexico State University for the fall semester.

Republicans meet

The Lincoln County Republican Women will meet on March 8 at the home of Janie Goodrum, Indian Hills addition, Ruidoso. Dessert will be served at 1 p.m. followed by a business meeting. Guest speaker for the meeting will be Magistrate Judge, James Wheeler. Hostesses will be Janie Goodrum, Kathy Annala, and Irene Norse.

The Porters enjoyed having their little granddaughter Darcy Pope of Portales at their Nogal ranch recently.

Lincoln

By Hattie Phillips

Many of Bert Pflingsten's friends and relatives came to wish him a Happy Birthday on his 80th birthday, when his family hosted a reception in his honor at his home last Sunday.

Among those from farther away, who were there were their daughter Myrna Lou and her husband, Wesley who now live in Odessa, where they have bought a home.

Wesley is an accountant for an automobile firm and Myrna is a secretary for a C.P.A. They like their new home and their jobs very much. It is nice to know that they are happy and doing so well.

Also son, Ted Anderson and his son came from Wichita Falls, Texas. Ted's other son was unable to come on account of another engagement. Ted's wife stayed at home on that account.

Ted and his son visited his grandmother, Mrs. Anderson, who lives in Capitan, late Sunday.

We were so glad that Betty Shrecengost was released from the hospital in time for her and her husband Bill, their children, Bert, Susie, Billy and wife Diane, and the grandson to be there for the party.

A small grass fire was quickly extinguished Tuesday afternoon at Hondo, on the Chavez property before it reached any houses. The wind was blowing hard and had it not been put out quickly it could have been a big fire.

We should all be so thankful for these local firemen and their equipment both in Hondo and Lincoln.

Helen Pflingsten is out of the hospital and at her home in Roswell, but is having to take care not to over do and have a relapse. She was unable to come to the reception for Bert on Sunday but Fritz and his sister Myra Richards came. There were many friends from Roswell who came also and many in the Valley and near-by towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Taylor of Roswell spent last weekend with the Richard Phillips family.

There has been a great deal of absents in area schools of both faculty and students due to illness, mainly flu, sore throats and bad colds.

I am pleased to report that Arthur Salas who recently had open heart surgery is now doing well and at his home in Albuquerque.

ENMU plans Talent Day

Eastern New Mexico University will offer \$16,000 in scholarships to outstanding high school seniors during the annual Talent Day this Saturday, March 5.

Seniors will compete in one of the 24 available testing areas with each winner receiving a \$200 scholarship at the conclusion of the day's activities. Eastern's College of Education and Technology will offer scholarships in agriculture, education, psychology, and engineering, while several business scholarships are offered by the College of Business.

Scholarship areas in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences include anthropology, English, journalism, radio and TV, mathematics, military science, modern language, religion, science, social science, and speech. The College of Fine Arts will offer scholarships in art, dance, drama and music.

Seniors will register from 8-9 a.m. in the Campus Union Lobby with faculty members available for academic counseling.

Talent Day will conclude with an awards assembly and an address by Dr. Warren Armstrong, ENMU President.

Stanton caves closed

James H. (Smoke) O'Connor, Roswell District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, announced the temporary closure of Ft. Stanton, Feather, Blue Tick, and Agogino Caves to visitor use pending an investigation as to the cause of death of large numbers of bats which inhabit these caves.

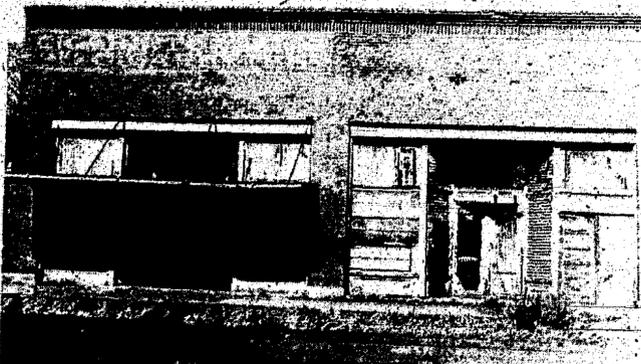
These caves are located near Ft. Stanton in Lincoln County, New Mexico. For further information contact the BLM office at 1717 West Second Street, Roswell, NM, phone 622-7670.

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These are a part of the buildings that Sylvia Cook of the State Planning office believes could be restored as historical buildings reminding people of early century railroad towns. These buildings built by Frank English in the early part of the 20th century once were a center of community activity. The building on the left was at one time a pool hall with a famous poker game in the back. The Leslie's Cafe was next to it and old timers said Mrs. Leslie's food has never been matched.

Cooking for company

I am giving away all of my secrets for entertaining with ease but now that the family has scattered it is time to share with friends.

I can remember having an anniversary dinner for my step daughter, Emily Jones, under unusual circumstances. It was a hurried party decision and I told her to invite a few friends the morning of the big day. She invited a few, I invited a few, and when we added our family of nine it came to 35 guests for dinner.

As I recall the anniversary was on press-day and this meant not a break until about 5:30. I went shopping, hurried to the kitchen and when the guests arrived there was time for cocktails before dinner at 7:30.

I wouldn't recommend cutting it this close but fortunately the grocery store was almost empty and I wheeled down the aisles like I was drag racing.

Here is my menu:
Ham with fruit sauce
Parsley and new potatoes
Broccoli with lemon butter
Tossed salad
Hard rolls or french bread
Stuffed angel cake

Use canned ham (the size depends on the number to be served) and one large can of frozen orange juice. Dilute the orange juice about two parts of juice to one part water and baste ham with half of that. Heat ham in an oven at 350 degrees while you do every thing else. The fruit sauce can be varied but this is mine. One 8 oz. glass of orange marmalade, 1 cup dry white wine (optional) 1 cup orange juice mixture, cup of orange segments, cup of grapefruit segments, cup of pineapple chunks, cup of raisins. Mix the marmalade and other liquids and bring to boil. Reduce heat and simmer about 30 minutes. Add fruit and heat at least 15 minutes. Stir occasionally to prevent sticking. Taste and add some honey if it should be sweeter. This depends on the juice, wine and fruit.

To serve, slice ham and douse with fruit-and-sauce. Serve extra-sauce in gravy boat, if you have one. Otherwise use a cereal bowl.

New potatoes do not need to be peeled. Tub and scrub with a brush. Boil until tender but not falling apart. Finely chop parsley. Pour melted butter over trained potatoes and sprinkle with the parsley, salt, pepper. (When I say butter, usually I really use oleo, oleo is usually on sale at that).

Melt enough butter for the broccoli, about one stick. Add the juice of two lemons to that, salt and pepper. Pour over the cooked vegetable. I learned to cook broccoli when I was in the Rio Grand Valley. During season this delightful vegetable is almost free in the fields. Never Overcook Broccoli: To cook, put enough water in a kettle to cover the stems but not the heads. Soak the stalks in cold water to remove sand and bugs. Trim stalks so that each piece is 6 to 8 inches long. Make several slits about half through each stalk at two inch intervals. Stand upright in boiling water. Cover with lid or tightly with foil wrap. Steam for 17 minutes or not more than 20. Remove from pan and cover with butter sauce.

I am not going to tell you how to make salad or brown rolls anyway every one has her own favorite dressing.

The stuffed angel cake is easy. Use a store bought cake if you want. Cut the top off and remove about half of the soft inside. Save that and I will give you another recipe for it. There are two ways to do this cake. If you are not opposed to cooking with alcoholic beverages, sprinkle the cake thoroughly inside and out with any sweet white wine. Wrap it in foil and put it into your oven (you are cooking the ham) for about five minutes. Remove and put into refrigerator. If you are non alcoholic then sprinkle with cake with gingerale or seven-up and do the same. Leave vanilla-ice cream out of the freezer to soften while all of this is going on. Thaw a package of frozen strawberries or wash and slice fresh ones. Soak the berries in wine or soda pop.

As soon as the cake is cool and the ice cream is soft fill the cake with alternate layers of ice cream and berries. Put it back in the freezer for not more than 30 minutes. Ice it with whipped cream before serving.

Obituary

Dola Stapps
Dola Stapps a long-time resident of Claunch, New Mexico passed away Friday February 25, 1977 at St. Francis Gardens in Albuquerque, after a long illness. She was born in Arkansas January 17, 1894 and came to New Mexico in 1936. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Agnes Harkins of Riverside, California; Mrs. Louise Blount of Sunnymeade, California and Mrs. Neva Mae Petross of Claunch, six grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services were at the Hanlon Mortuary Chapel in Mountainair, New Mexico, February 27 at 2 p.m. with Rev. James Wells officiating. Graveside services at Claunch followed. Funeral arrangements were under the directions of Hanlon Mortuary of Mountainair.

Casket bearers were Marcus Lee, Bill Wells, Morgan Maxwell, Jim Hawkes, Ernest Copeland, and Sid Corley Jr. Honorary were Berle Tally, Marlon Pherigo, Roy Connell, Monty Bussey, James Connell, and Bill Montgomery.

Unique book helps children

A unique cookbook for children who are susceptible to mental retardation has been written by a University of New Mexico School of Medicine nutritionist. Phyllis B. Acosta, Ph. D., said that children who are born with phenylketonuria (PKU) have a genetic disorder that can cause mental retardation if they eat a normal diet. Dr. Acosta said a functional enzyme in a normal human body changes the amino acid, phenylalanine, into another amino acid, tyrosine. Children with PKU do not have that functional enzyme and they become retarded because of the excess of phenylalanine, she said.

Dr. Acosta said the cookbook recipes restrict the intake of phenylalanine in the child's diet. "Since phenylalanine makes up about five percent of protein, a child with PKU cannot eat high protein food like meat, cheese, eggs, milk, and bread made from flour," she said. Dr. Acosta said the cookbook lists beverages, main dishes, and desserts made from foods low in protein, which are supplemented with a high protein powder which has the phenylalanine extracted.

"It's like taking meat and making it into a powder and taking the phenylalanine out of the protein," she said. Dr. Acosta said she was one of several nutritionists from various parts of the country who wrote recipes for the PKU cookbook. Dr. Acosta said that her 19-year-old daughter, Aissa, tested the recipes and that her 17-year-old son, Clinton, illustrated the cookbook. Dr. Acosta said New Mexico state law requires that all newborn infants be tested for PKU. If PKU is spotted early and the child stays on a low phenylalanine diet, the child has every chance to live a normal life, she said.

Fashion show set

A fashion show and plant exchange will be the program for the Carrizozo Woman's Club luncheon March 17. Vicki Means is in charge of the program, "Fashion & Flowers". Hostesses are Jane Shafer, Sharon Heiker, Jetty Jo Paul, Roberta Burkstaller and Carrie Magee. "Because of the capacity of the Womens Building, all members and guests must have reservations and present tickets at the door. Tickets will be available at the Lincoln County News, The Citizens State Bank, Fenter Variety and Family Pharmacy. Alma Sherrill and Margaret Lane will make reservations by telephone.

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By Mary Rich

We all survived First Aid class although Debbie Bhasker claimed that I broke her ankle trying to splint her leg. Christetta Chavez, only ten years old, was the smallest member of the class and was selected for the stretcher victim by all the teams but one. That team made Irene Hayes take the five foot ride but then Irene probably doesn't weigh much more than Christetta who, incidentally, made 90 on her final exam.

My review of the film caused a lot of comment in the class. Teacher Don Means deleted the gun shot section, sure, I think that we would never survive that much gore.

Someone asked why I made mention of the heat exhaustion sequence. That involved an overweight man really working hard on a hot day, clipping his hedge, mowing his lawn and all that kind of thing.

I'll tell you why. I have no experience in that field to relate. The men in my family were always skinny and certainly lazy when it came to yard work. Never, but never, was there any danger of a heat problem. "Aw, mom, I'll do it when it's cooler, and anyway don't you know we need long grass to put oxygen in the air? What do you want the world to suffocate for?"

A sister member of the class, Barbara Ward, told her child-poisoning story. When Jack was a little thing, he ate the gopher poison. She read the label and reacted properly to the label which said it contained strychnine.

She called the doctor who said he would meet the family at Scripps Hospital. Barbara dispatched husband Tom with Jack while she remained at home with the other children.

Quite a long anxious time passed when the phone rang. It was the doctor worriedly inquiring about the whereabouts of his patient. Tom and Jack had not arrived at the hospital.

More time passed and of course Barbara was frantic. The phone rang again. This time it was Tom. He was at the hospital but there was no friendly family doctor waiting and the hospital was not equipped to take care of such emergency cases.

"I just talked to the doctor," Barbara screamed. "He's right there."

"He's not right here," Tom said.

"Well, where is there," Barbara finally asked.

The 'where' that Tom and Jack were was Sharp Hospital instead of Scripps Hospital. And the 'where' not being the right 'where' saved young Jack from the horrors of the stomach pump. Too much time had elapsed to do any good with the pump and when they arrived at the right 'where', the doctor took one look at a rather bouncing, happy Jack and said, "Let's just consider it as his spring tonic."

Jack had a wonderful time with his daddy speeding in TV chase fashion to the hospital. According to the story, he would jump up in the car and scream with delight, "Whee, Daddy!" Tom would yell, "Lie down and be still, you're sick!"

The Wards and Way West do not, repeat, do not, suggest that gopher poison as a spring tonic.

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Laura Farris is another of those marvelous Lincoln County Ladies. She claims to be 82 years old but certainly doesn't look it. The other day she told me she wasn't feeling at all well, was practically disabled. Of course she had put in the morning chopping wood for her cook stove. She manages to do everything for herself.

But after the way she has spent most of her life, maybe she does feel disabled.

Laura, as a girl, loved the outdoors and her father taught her about hunting and fishing and what they now call survival in the wilderness.

When she was picked (or picked) as a life long partner, her sweetheart turned out to like the same thing. She and Lewis Farris spent their spare time in the mountains of this part of the world, and that was the best part of her life.

She told me a story Tuesday about a hunting expedition with her husband Lewis, Johnson Stearns and Linda (now Gibson, then Stearns) when she was a little bit of a girl.

The foursome was looking for deer that day and when the men decided to go on up the mountain, Laura thought it would be too much for the little girl and said they would turn back and wait. Just a little way down, Laura and Linda spotted about the biggest buck they had ever seen right under a tree. Laura lifted her gun and the girls had their deer. They had outdone the men, both of whom got their bucks that day, too.

Laura says that her "dear old horse" carried all three of those deer down the mountain on his back. "When we got to the truck, he was so glad to see it that he jumped in the truck just like a goat."

Laura has never one time been lost in the woods. She says she always finds the direction of the wind and that way always knows where she is.

Laura Farris is a lot of good things put together and right at the top of the list is a warm loving heart that is as big as the outdoors she belongs to.

l-e-t-t-e-r-s

Dear Ms. Rich:
No doubt you are wondering what this is all about. Will only comment that this is an honest attempt to improve your

geography or define words more clearly.

so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear Heb. 11:3.

Or again you might consider the ease of the mill pond in this county in early days. A certain man received the necessary permit to build a dam, a mill pond and a mill. With the requirement that the project be completed in a certain length of time.

Then a commission from the court was sent to view the work, as it was supposedly finished.

Commission report stated "We found a mill pond and a dam by a mill site. But no mill by a dam, sight."

Also of value to know is distances; in which case am thinking of the rancher's comment about near beer. "If you call it near beer; I know you are a very poor judge of distance."

With these solutions disposed of may I present: First your musings of a fall day on a drive up the Indian divide canyon on way to Capitán. You gave the impression that this was the scene of the Smokey Bear fire. (The same being almost twenty miles north and east - of Capitán) Other wise your commentary in the Way of the West on that drive was beautiful.

Next I come to a wreck scene near Riverside when a truck load of beef was spilled. The picture caption says, "Just inside the county line." So next time to Roswell do note that Riverside is ten and a half miles from the county line. In fact Ramon Nunez lives almost to the county line and that is miles the other side of Riverside. For sure he has to live inside the county to ever become a county commissioner.

So go ahead with your story, I will keep quiet, for a little while.

A delighted reader,
Clark C. Pfingsten
Lincoln N.M. 88338.

Dear Sir:

My letter that you put in Lincoln County News was enjoyed by Capitán. A lot of people stop me to thank me that it was good. People going through from other states to Capitán buy your paper and cut out this letter and tell me how they like the letter. Many thanks to Lincoln County News for a very good job of printing. I'll never forget you.

Yours truly,
Johnny Wolfe

To readers of Lincoln County News:

I would like to express my gratitude to Red Cross and Mr. Don Means who recently instructed a course in first aid. Thanks to his assistants, his wife, Joan and Elinor Olson.

Last but not least, thanks also to Mary Rich, Carrizozo Woman's Club president for bringing another fine program for the benefit of the community.

As a mother, I am glad I learned that you do not induce vomiting in poisoning by acid, alkali, or petroleum products and that I know the classification of thermal, ultra-ray & chemical burns.

Imagine, persons ages 15 years to 80 years behind the wheel of an automobile not knowing:

1. That a person can bleed to death in 1 minute or less if a large blood vessel is cut.
2. That you could prevent death by applying direct pressure to wound or pressure to the pressure point.
3. That shock can cause death even if injuries would not be fatal.
4. That an average person will die in 4-6 minutes or less after breathing has stopped.
5. That the objectives of artificial respiration are to maintain an open airway and to cause air to flow in and out.

Altho I have the intelligence of driving a motor vehicle, I prefer to walk (or run) here and there (weather permitting). But I find it unreasonable that a person can have possession of a drivers license and yet be unaware of basic first-aid procedures.

My grade school age daughter and I took the first-aid course together and I urge all people to take advantage of this important life-saving program. Store and restaurant employees, office workers, baby-sitters, bus drivers, industrial workers, students, school teachers, teachers' aids, innocent by-standers, if you know the procedures of first-aid I hope you are around if my family or I need help, until medical attention is available.

Polly E. Chavez

February 21, 1977

Dear Mr. Autry:

The Lincoln County Commission wishes to express their support for HB 128. We are all concerned about the increased costs, taxes, and property values, however, we do believe that a serious question arises over the need for property taxes at the state level when the state general fund experiences a surplus of the size projected by the Department of Finance and Administration. It seems to us that a reduction in the property tax in this case is financially necessary and appropriate. When a large surplus occurs in the state general fund the sources of revenue that are marginal and miscellaneous should be sharply reduced, and the use by the state of the property tax is a specific case in point. County government expenditures as well as state government have increased in the last few years, however, the legislature has not permitted the counties to receive increased revenues except for a 1/2 mill property tax increase beginning with fiscal year 1975, yet the state legislature does not hesitate to utilize a large surplus generated in large part by the inflation itself.

In addition to rising costs to operate the functions of county government, new responsibilities have been added by the legislature without commensurate increases by the state legislature. For example, subdivision control and related needs for planning and zoning, sanitary landfill development and maintenance, appraisal of property by certified appraisers and tort claim liability insurance. The Road Department is another example of static revenues. Motor vehicle fees have remained the same for several years, yet the costs of machinery, fuel, parts and labor have climbed drastically.

These contradictory fiscal and budget policies have forced Lincoln County to support traditional general fund functions, treasury, appraisal, law enforcement and Road Department revenue sharing funds. To illustrate, of \$157,720 in the revenue sharing funds Lincoln County utilizes \$56,772 for Law Enforcement salaries, \$9,336 for treasury salaries, \$45,269 for property assessment salaries and \$16,176 for Road Department salaries. This totals \$127,553.

The use of revenue sharing funds in these cases has permitted the county to barely keep up with the minimum state law requirements, such as funding the appraisal division, the treasury and law enforcement. Rising costs in the Road Department require the county to use revenue sharing funds to maintain the same level of effort that existed several years ago.

It is our position that state sources of revenue, property taxes and motor vehicle fees must be at a level sufficient to finally support the traditional functions of county government. Revenue sharing should be applied to non-recurring projects, capital outlay, modernization of equipment, facilities improvement and development.

We strongly suggest we give all property taxpayers some relief as well as providing a necessary increase in county government revenues. The legislature could accomplish this by eliminating 1.85 mills of property tax and shifting 1 mill to the counties.

Thank you in advance for any consideration, I remain,

Respectfully yours,
John F. Sudderth, Chairman
Lincoln County Commission

Senator Conway Reports From Santa Fe

This week has been an interesting one. On Monday I presented the Death Penalty bill on the floor of the Senate. The bill passed 28-14, which is a comfortable margin.

Under the act the death penalty can be invoked only for a few capital felonies, as an example the killing of a police officer or a prison guard. There are in essence two trials, one to determine guilt and the second to determine the punishment. The jury must unanimously find that the death penalty should be the punishment.

There is an automatic appeal to the New Mexico Supreme Court. If the Supreme Court finds the evidence does not warrant the death penalty, the case is reversed and direct that life imprisonment be imposed.

Previously when New Mexico had the death penalty it was carried out by using the gas chamber. This was changed and the penalty would be carried out by an injection of a lethal drug. The bill is now in the House, and I believe its chances of passage are favorable.

On Tuesday my Right to Die Bill was before the Senate. The bill was amended to allow a parent to execute the necessary document on behalf of his minor child. This is the Quinlan situation from New Jersey and was requested by the New Mexico Medical Society.

Other than the situation involving a minor, only an adult of sound mind may execute the document which will allow the discontinuation of maintenance medical treatment. No adult can execute the document on behalf of another adult. This bill is also now in the House and I believe it will be well received.

A bill that hopefully is a move in the right direction to help deter crime passed the Senate this week. This is the flat or determinate sentencing act. Under our present law a convicted felon is sentenced under an indeterminate sentence, such as 1 to 5 years. The felon would then be eligible for parole in only four months.

Under this new bill, for the same degree of a felony, the defendant would be sentenced to a definite term of not less than one or more than five years, such as a period of four years. There is no parole and in essence we are putting

the sentencing control with the judge and not an appointed parole board. The individual can earn what is "good time" of up to twelve days per month based on his conduct. A four year sentence could be reduced by forty per cent based solely on the prisoner's conduct.

The parole board has turned the doors at the penitentiary into a revolving door. Now the judge will set the sentence and it will be up to the inmate to earn his release.

We have now passed the mid point of the session, 563 bills were introduced in the House and 484 bills in the Senate. This makes for a heavy workload. Please call my office in Alamogordo 437-1840 or in Ruidoso 257-4678, leave your name and if possible the bill you are interested in and I'll return the call at my first opportunity.

Basin water bill offered

U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici (R-N.M.) has introduced legislation that would begin a full-scale federal effort to convert underground brackish water, like that in New Mexico's Tularosa Basin, to usable fresh water.

Domenici's legislation, "The Water Resources Research and Technology Development Act of 1977," would also expand Water Resources Research Institutes (WRRI) in the 50 states, and rejuvenate the nation's now-dormant water desalination program. The New Mexico WRRI is located at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces. New Mexico also has one of the nation's handful of desalination project plants at Roswell.

"The drought in the Western United States has dramatized for all the nation what we in New Mexico have known all along—the nation doesn't have a well-rounded, healthy water research policy," Domenici said.

"Ironically, if we had spent enough money in the past on basic research, we might now have the technology to use the vast underground sea of brackish water in the Tularosa Valley.

"Instead we have a situation where our best supply of underground fresh water, the Ogallala Aquifer on the

East Side, is being overused, and is declining at an alarming rate.

"Water is New Mexico's most valuable resource, and, in the long run, desalination is the most economical way to correct the serious shortages we now face, and will face an even more drastic form in the future," he added.

Under terms of the Domenici bill, the following authorizations would be made:

- \$35 million for fiscal years 1978 and 1979 for saline and brackish water conversion demonstration projects;
- An increase to \$500,000 annually for each of the 50 states' Water Resources Research Institutes.

- \$10 million for fiscal years 1978-1982 for special research funding projects at the Institutes.

Domenici criticized present policy on brackish water conversion, noting that the national desalination program has suffered serious neglect in the past several years.

Pot Luck planned

Something new is happening at the Lincoln County jail. Sheriff Bill Elliott has put in a lot of time and work remodeling the county law enforcement offices, deputies and their families will get a preview at a pot luck supper Thursday night at 6 p.m.

Demos to meet

The Democratic Women of Lincoln County will meet Tuesday, March 8 at 11:30 a.m. for a lunch at Jackie's Cafe in Carrizozo, the president, Mrs. Bill Elliott announced.

All past presidents will be honored at the program which will feature a review of the history of the organization. Mrs. Rachael West is hostess for the dutch treat affair.

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Lee Straley is the Citizens State Bank's new Agricultural Representative. Pam Watson shows him some of their procedures.

Straley joins bank

George L. Straley Jr., rancher and native Lincoln Countyman has been employed by Citizens State Bank as Agricultural Representative and Loan Officer. He has been on the bank's board of directors since 1972. The Straley family has been engaged in the ranching business in the Ancho area since shortly after the turn of the century. Lee is married to the former

Dorothy Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Moore, Mr. Moore was a respected insurance man and Senator from Lincoln County. Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Straley of Ancho. They have 3 children Lee Ann, a junior at NMSU and also employed with the national bank examining forces on a coop program, G.L. a sophomore at NMSU and Phil a senior in Carrizozo High School.

We are glad to welcome Lee as an officer in our banking family, he and his family have been active in the civic affairs of Lincoln County, and his interests are rooted in our great state and its future. He will be active in all phases of our banking operations at Carrizozo, Vaughn and Estancia and will welcome inquires and stands ready and willing to help people with their banking needs.



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Compiled by Polly E. Chavez



—CARRIZOZO—
The 2nd and 3rd graders in Santa Rita's religion program who have been coming to class since early fall, began an intense preparation for the reception of their First Holy Communion, which will take place on Holy Thursday evening.

CCD classes (Catholic Christian Doctrine) are held at the Parish Hall on Mondays. Bingo is also held there every Sunday at 7:00 p.m. The Parish Hall formerly the Santa Rita Catholic School was dedicated on October 10, 1948 by the most Reverend Edwin V. Byrne. Committee at the time of dedication were Nick Vega, Sr., Sabino Vidaurri, Juan Martinez, Juan Pacheco and Manuel Pacheco. Builder was Tranquillino Vega. The Catholic sisters taught school there for many years. The building brings back many memories to all who attended grades 1 thru 8.

Next week I will have a complete list of the lay people that participate in Santa Rita CCD program under the guidance of Sister Gail and Father Sys. Also the persons who are altar servers, of which Mr. Paul Salgado is monitor. Recently girls have been allowed as altar servers.

David Verdugo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Verdugo (Chewie) who was seriously injured is in the 8th floor of St. Joseph's Hospital, Albuquerque N.M. Friends and neighbors may want to wish David a speedy recovery by cards and letters. Some parish women are presently collecting a fund for David. Special cans are available around town for those wishing to contribute.

The young people of Santa Rita Church have returned from "Search" held in Roswell this past weekend. "Search" is an intense experience of a Christian Community where Jesus' command to "Love one another" just comes naturally!

Forty-five young people from South Eastern New Mexico converged on Casa de Paz in Roswell last weekend searching for a variety of things: self-knowledge, God's love and mercy, fellowship. All found some measure of each of these things.

Capitan CCD could use more volunteer teachers. They could be from Fort Stanton or Lincoln. Santa Rita Church in Carrizozo; Sacred Heart in Capitan and Port Stanton; San Juan Bautista in Lincoln and the Catholic men in Sierra Blanca are under the jurisdiction of Father Sys. Mass schedules next week.

—RUIDOSO—
Father Flavio Santillones is pastor of St. Eleanor Church of Ruidoso and St. Jude Church in San Patricio, serving the Hondo Valley. Mass schedules next week.

St. Eleanor's Guild members are getting ready with their ideas for the Archbishop's parish and Confirmation's reception which will take place after the 7:00 p.m. mass on March 12th.

St. Jude's Altar and Rosary Society are likewise reminded that confirmations will take place at St. Jude's in San Patricio on March 13th and to so be prepared. Religion instructions for confirmations have begun. Twenty five are to be confirmed in Ruidoso, eighteen are to be confirmed in San Patricio.

Please pray for Father's Ronayne's health!
High school girls wishing to run for St. Eleanor's Fiesta Queen contest, contact Mildred Wantiez at 257-2092 or 378-4701.

A Spanish Mission is scheduled at San Patricio from March 20 thru 25. Father Enrique Fernandez will be the missionary. His mother's cause for beatification is now officially before the Holy See.

An English Mission is scheduled at St. Eleanor's in Ruidoso from March 28 thru April 1st. Father Thompson, O.F.M. will be the missionary. He is the Spiritual Director at Holy Cross Retreat House in Mesilla Park, N.M.

The Father Eugene Dolan Council-Knights of Columbus will be at the major shopping areas of Ruidoso this Saturday selling Tootsie Rolls for the mentally retarded. Governor Apodaca has declared March 5th as Tootsie Roll day for helping mentally retarded.

St. Patrick's Feast Day is fast approaching. Juan and Eva Montoya and Eliseo and Rosa Gallegos were asked to be the "Colectores de la Limosna de la Fiesta."

St. Jude's Altar and Rosary Society is raffling off a commodity package for St. Patrick's Fiesta.

—CORONA—

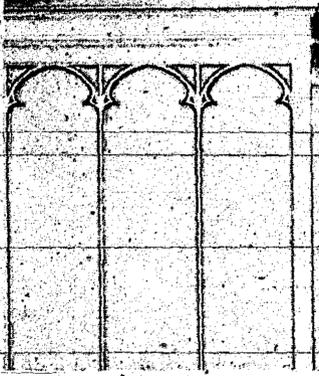
Father Richard Olona from St. Mary's Church in Vaughn gives mass at Santa Theresita every Saturday (fulfills Sunday obligation) at 4:30 p.m. and during Lenten Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

Jean and Tranquillino Chavez presently serve as 'Mayordomos' for the Corona area. Jean is employed at Citizens State Bank in Carrizozo. Tranquillino works for Southern Pacific in Corona. Since the main parish is in Vaughn, if parishioners need anything they may contact Jean or Tranquillino, as they are care takers of the church during the week while Father is in Vaughn. 'Mayordomos' have been a traditional custom for many years. Sometime I will write about the duties and origins of the term 'mayordomos.' Corona welcomes deacon Eddie Ortega from Tesuque. He will be ordained May 26.

On March 13 from 1:00 p.m.-6 p.m. there will be a day of prayer for all men at the main parish in Vaughn.

Stations of the cross are held every Friday at 4 p.m. at Santa Theresita Church in Corona.

Santa Theresita parishioners are remodeling their church. They are raising money thru donations and raffles. An electric crock-pot was won recently by Mary Helen Rivera from Albuquerque. Anyone interested in giving donations or participating in this fund-raising project may contact Jean, Tranquillino or Father Olona.



Brian Wetzel is the new assistant pastor at the Carrizozo Church of Christ. A life long member of the church, Brian will spend much of his time on youth activities. He is manager of the Wetzel Feed Store as a profession.



Manuel Lueras says this is a South American machete that he found several feet under the ground while exploring with his metal detector. He believes it dates back to about 1890.

Church of Christ Bible team wins in Texas

By Sonny Banning
January 22 and 29 were the dates of the Odessa Texas Bible Bowl Competition for both junior high and senior high teams. The combined efforts of the Carrizozo church and the Capitan church brought home a third place trophy in the junior high division. The senior high teams tied for 5th place. We were the only team from New Mexico represented in the Texas Competition. Our team members that did a great job in the competition were: (from Carrizozo) Christa Hill, Robert Wetzel, Elaine Cantrell, Lisa Cantrell, Charlie Wetzel, Debbie Owens, Esther Miller, (from Capitan) Becky Jones. The same teams will be competing in another Bible Bowl in Lubbock Texas, the 19th of March.

Mary Lee and Alton Talley's

daughter, Sharon Settle, from Plainview had major surgery in Plainview Friday. The Talleys were down there to be with her. She is greatly improved and is doing well after the surgery.

We had visitors in worship services Sunday from Illinois, Kansas and California. All were either visiting relatives or traveling on a vacation.

The church has appointed a new associate minister. Bryan Wetzel will serve in this position as a type of apprenticeship for preaching the gospel. His main responsibilities will be in the youth activities area. He will also be assisting our bus minister (Guy Brown) in promoting our bus ministry around the town.

There is a host of activities planned for the months of 1977 such as Campaigns for Christ, Vacation Bible Schools, Puppet Programs, Youth Activities, Gospel Meetings, Bible Correspondence Programs, Fellowship Dinner, etc., that we cannot go into now. However, we will keep you informed as to these and other activities as the time draws nearer.

Last Saturday, 18 of us went on our bus to Las Cruces to hear a scientist prove the existence of God. It was a rewarding experience for all. It is great to know beyond a shadow of a doubt that God does exist and that the creator of everything is the God of the Bible. Let me urge you to investigate the scriptures as to the life that God gives to all who will accept it.



Milly Morris, a former Capitan Women's athletic standout, is currently providing strong rebounding support for the Eastern New Mexico University Greyhoundettes. A 5-9 sophomore forward, Ms. Morris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Morris and is a 1974 graduate of Capitan High School. Ms. Morris and the Houndettes will round out their season when they host Western New Mexico University this Friday and Saturday (Feb. 25-26) in Greyhound Arena. (Photo by ENMU)

Witness interest shown

Interest in the Lay Witness Mission which is scheduled for the last week in April is growing. Committee members and all who are interested in hearing what is being planned are urged to attend a meeting Friday evening, March 4 at 6:30 at Trinity Methodist Church.

From Other Years

By Paul Payton

Fred Roberts writes about Grand Quivira.

From White Oaks, New Mexico, Eagle issue of August 24, 1899.

In the boys and girls department of the Houston Post of last Sunday appeared the following:

Nogal, N.M. - Dear Haphammer: I wrote from White Oaks last winter a description of the Mal Pais, and intended to write again and tell you about Grand Quivira, which is a buried city at head of the volcanic eruption. Every reader of old Spanish history has heard of the lost treasures of Grand Quivira. Mention is frequently made of it in the old Spanish chronicles and many persons have sacrificed their lives seeking for its hiding place.

According to the old Spanish chronicles Grand Quivira is situated about 175 miles northeast of El Paso, on the western border of Lincoln County, New Mexico. The outlines of the once large city of Pueblo are still plainly visible. The walls of the old adobe church are still standing and the outlines of the other buildings are plainly discernable.

History and tradition of this old town are both corroborated by the surroundings. The old Spanish history tells us that here was located the seat of government of New Spain, where all the wealth of the country was brought and turned in treasure vaults of church and state. According to Spanish records Grand Quivira was a large Indian village at the time of the first Spanish conquest and was wrested from its Indian occupants about the year 1616.

In 1661 came the great Pueblo Indian uprising; when the Spaniards were driven out of the country as chaff is driven before a wind. De Vargis, the writer of the chronicle says: "We traveled to the southward fighting all the way. We have 270 burro loads of treasure. We buried it between two little hills, burning brush over the spot. The Spaniards were driven out the country as far south as the Gulf of Mexico."

Where are the two little hills De Vargis speaks about? Attempts to solve this problems have cost many an adventurer his life. All around Grand Quivira can be found holes dug in the ground where some poor deluded mortal has been seeking for the lost treasure of Grand Quivira. Every summer excursions are made to that place to camp. In my next issue I will tell you what life is like in the mountains of New Mexico. With best wishes for all the Happyhammers, I am truly yours, Fred Roberts

The Capitan Mountaineer, Friday, July 17, 1925.

Texas got the message about Lincoln County 50 years ago.

"The Lincoln National Forest, the White and Capitan Mountains and the Ruidoso Valley will within a few years become the summer playground of the entire southwest, drawing from more than 5,000,000 persons living in the great and fertile southwestern area."

This was the unique statement of Porter A. Whaley, manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, who with R.Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce & E.H. Whitehead, extension secretary of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, were the guests of honor at a luncheon given Wednesday noon at the Chamber of Commerce rooms here (Roswell).

Mr. Whaley said that the people of Texas were being convinced of the wonderful adventures offered by the mountain districts to the west of Roswell and that within a few years they would be coming by the thousands each summer. He said that the Roswell Chamber of Commerce during the past few years has done a tremendous amount of very effective work in advertising this region. He said that this advertising had been sane and conservative and was getting results. He highly complimented the roads of this section of the state and predicted that with the stream of advertising this (Texas) section is now receiving the tourist travel will increase each year.

Prefacing his remarks with a glowing tribute to the scenic region embraced in the Lincoln National Forest and predicting within a few years that this region will have been visited by 500,000 persons annually, R.Q. Lee said that from all indications the time was here when a great expansion and development in this section of the state was about to take place.

Mr. Lee made a plea for diversification in farming, one crop alone, be that crop cotton, corn or alfalfa, will eventually mean ruin and disaster to any farming section. He advocated more and better livestock on the farms.

In concluding, Mr. Lee said that he was so very favorably impressed with the Ruidoso section that he had on this trip made arrangements for his wife

and children to spend their vacation there this summer.

E.H. Whitehead spoke briefly and said that never before had he realized that there was such a beauty spot in the southwest as he saw Tuesday when he visited the Lincoln National Forest.

The meeting was presided over by Austin D. Crile. - Roswell Record.

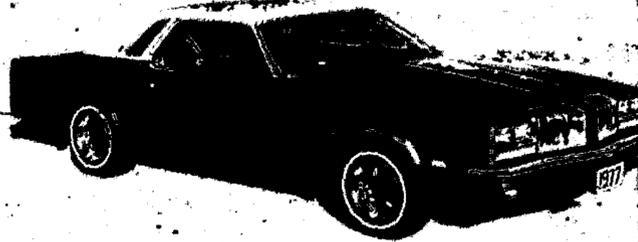
State president honored in Capitan

Mrs. Jerry Wertheim, State President of the Federated Women's Clubs, will be the honored guest at a luncheon for members of the Capitan Women's Club.

The meeting will be in the home of Daylene Huey on Wednesday, March 9 at 12 noon.

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already been taught, and it cannot be changed. If we will but follow the will of God revealed in the Bible and not try to make the bible fit our personal beliefs (11 Pet. 1:20). It alone will lead us to pure Christianity. God has given us all we need in religious matters (11 Pet. 1:3). We CAN understand it and follow it. Division and following after a human instead of Christ is condemned (1 Cor. 1:10-13). Christ is the only way... and the Bible is the only revealing of that way.

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Around Fort Stanton

By Dolle Lawson
February 21, was a holiday for the teaching staff at the Fort. The three-day weekend was used by several staff members to take short trips and others to work around their homes. Horace Cordova, Patsy, and Timothy went to Las Cruces to visit friends and relatives. Barbara Noonan took her holiday to drive to El Paso. Clare Hutchinson rode down with her. Bill Morris worked at his farm, digging foundations for his new home. He went to southeast Texas on a fishing trip. The bass were biting on any type of lure. It was a lot of fun and we'll have fish fries for several more weeks.

Bad colds and the flu have hit the residents and the employees at Fort Stanton. The sick list is too long to print, but we hope all are recovering and will be back on the job soon. The infirmary reported a sharp rise in the number of students being treated for colds. Lorraine Sanchez was in the hospital

last week and had to return for additional testing. Esther Pino was in a car accident - the nine car pile up at Tularosa.

We even have a dog who is on the sick list. Mrs. Jobe reported that her toy collie was struck by a car. He was taken to Ruidoso for x-rays. Latest word is that the tail may have to be amputated.

Victor Ramirez reported that one of the 4-H lambs was killed by dogs. The sheep are in the stable area, but the dogs still managed to get in. The dead lamb was found across the street from Luna School. This has been a bad year for the lamb crop. We have only one left.

A spring carnival is being planned for April 1. This will also be open house day for the Fort. Events planned to date include:

Raffle - 1 hog, 1 turkey, 1 afghan pig, Food Booth, Cake Walk, Fish Pond, Selling Booth - items produced at the

Fort, Apple Bob, Greased Pole Climb, Roping Booth, Basketball Throw, Dunking Booth, Penny Pitch, Dart Throw, Hayride-Pony Ride, Ring Toss, Bean Bag Throw, Fortune Telling Booth, Talent Show, Dance, Picture Taking Booth, Moon Walk.

The Carnival is open to the public. Donation for prizes on the raffle will be greatly appreciated. Elizabeth Pittam donated the handmade afghan. The hog and turkey are from the Fort Stanton Farm. The carnival will begin at 1:00 p.m. Plan to come out, visit the Fort, and have fun.

The first cook off will be March 4 at 3:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. Prizes will be awarded for the best desserts. There will be four teams competing:

Dietary Men vs Luna Women & Dietary Women; Maintenance Men vs Housekeeping & Infirmary Women; Education & Administrative Men vs Office Staff Women; Cottage Staff Men vs Cottage Staff Women.

Categories to enter:

Cakes, pies, doughnuts, cookies, no bake desserts, breads, cream puffs, fried pies.

Winning recipes will be printed. Jané Erwin has been hired to teach in the Vocational Department. She has worked at the Fort previously and we are happy to have her back.

Last week the Vocational Department was discussed. We have several other departments at the Fort including: 1) Cottage Life, 2) Education, 3) Recreation, 4) Infirmary, 5) Maintenance, 6) Housekeeping, 7) Dietary, 8) Administration.

There are five cottages currently in operation. Hidalgo houses ten boys who are completing vocational training. The boys run their own dorm with only minimum supervision.

Socorro has 38 male residents. The majority are now in vocational programs. The others attend classes at Luna School. Jake Chavez is acting QMRP. Serapio Montes is his assistant. Other employees are: Eddie Jones, Robert Trujillo, Eddie Romero, Sylvia Chavez, Rudy Chavez, Laura Hopkins, Lydia Lopez, Albert Luna and Anna LaMay.

Eddy Cottage has 36 male residents who are in pre-readiness programs. Bill

Morris is the QMRP. His assistant is Victor Ramirez. Other employees in Eddy are: Sammy Lopez, Steve Brewer, Charlene Whited, Leroy Ortiz, Steve Moro, Crisita Maza, Jim McEuen, Elizabeth Pittam, Mona Griego, Norman Ham, Richard Ernest, Rebecca Vigil, Katie Gaston, Virgie Samora, Molly Arellano, and Jim McEuen.

Sierra I and Sierra II are the cottages for the female residents of Ft. Stanton. Joyce Thompson is the QMRP and Mrs. Jobe is her assistant. Other employees are: Elsie Romero, Wilda Ernest, Irene Nevarez, Mae Padilla, Lucy Lueras, Connie Montes, Phyllis Burch, Angie Delgado, Elma Capbell, Clarice Torres, Tomasita Aragon, Pereal Spohn, Alice Griego, Pauline Zamora, Lucy Osorio, Bertha Griego, Bernice Pittam, Lucy Montes, Esther Pino and Melba Allen. Joyce Thompson is being transferred from Sierra into a Resource Room Teaching position.

On Wednesday there was a fire in the infirmary. The small blaze was contained in less than 5 minutes. The volunteer fire department reacted

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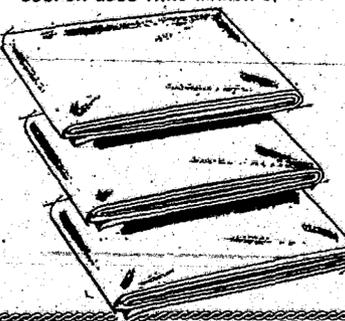
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Kimberly LaMay and Gay Ann Dobbs found a wonder world of books for little girls and boys at the Carrizozo Book Fair. These are students in the second grade.



Sitting on the floor is Kathy Hillard while Raymond Lueras, Melissa Greer, Bryan Cantrell and Richard Guevara discuss the books they would like to have. The children were customers at the Book Fair this week.



Librarian Sally Florian (right) and Leroy Lopez, Johnny Gallegos, Kathy Hillard, Sandra Ware, Karen Baroz and teacher Myrtle Williams (back right) help the children at the book fair. Richard Guevara, Frank Gallegos, and Joe Lueras were busy ready and making their selections.



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High school student assistant Deborah Bower helps the second graders select books for their homes at the Carrizozo book fair. The children are (from the left) Joe Lueras, Frank Gallegos, Theresa Guevara, Raymond Lueras, Becky Silva, Lisa Howard.

A bowl of activities
From Nogal
by Roby Burke

A BOWL OF WEIGHT TIPS
Weight yes it's on everyone's mind very few people do not have to worry about weight at some time in their life. Let's mix a few things together to get slim.

1. First of all vitamins and minerals are essential. When going on any diet.
 2. Carbohydrates are the demons that plague you they come in forms of sugar or starch, refined and natural.
 3. Read your labels some canned foods are filled with sugar some are not.
 4. Avoid sugar in the refined form. Eat only natural fruits and fresh vegetables. Frozen vegetables have no sugar.
 5. Ration your starches eat whole wheat bread without sugar added.
 6. Avoid all foods that are processed "BHA & BHT", is added to almost all foods on the market. Try to get foods that will spoil. Foods that have no additives, will save your health.
 7. Use honey instead of sugar—but go easy on that.
 8. Avoid all refined flours and sugars.
 9. Dairy products are important for vitamins A.
 10. If you can get real fresh milk from a tested cow it is much better for you.
- This is taken from Herbert B. Godman, M.D.
If you want to cut down come to the Medallion room in Carrizozo on Monday nights at 7:30 and let's do it together, it is more fun.
A PINCH OF SEWING HINTS:
I have made gym bags for boys and

girls out of outgrown pants or jeans. I open legs at inside seam and cut one half of bag from each leg (Side seam of jeans will be the middle of front and of back) Right sides together sew up sides and bottom. Turn top edge down an inch, stitch, and run through clothesline cord or rope for handle. Add iron on stars and etc.

ROBBIE'S BOX
Let's see what the box has in it today.
Dear Robbie,
Did you ever see a coin operated pencil sharpener?
M.B.

Dear Robbie,
A fellow told me the other day that his hearing aid was on a party line, how about that.
C.D.

Dear Robbie,
I'm so tired of doctors specializing nowadays if the head cold moves into your chest you have to change doctors.
S.B.

DO YOU KNOW?
That gal who used to live in Nogal that cooks at the Wortley hotel in Lincoln, and yum, yum it is good.
The two neighbors in Nogal who escaped to Alamogordo for shopping.
That lady who is still looking for her wig?
The extension leader who came to the rescue of the Womens Club last week.
Here is a recipe for a no calorie dessert.

- 1 envelope of gelatin
 - 1/2 cup hot water
 - 1 fruit allowance for the day
 - 1 lemon (fresh)
 - 1 can of diet ginger ale
 - 1/2 can of concentrated orange juice
- Combine all ingredients and chill.

- MEAT LOAF**
- 3 lbs. lean ground beef
 - 1 cup tomato puree
 - 1/2 cup non fat dry milk
 - 2 tablespoons prepared mustard
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 2 c. of wheat germ, homemade bread crumbs or cracker crumbs
 - 2 onions grated
 - 2 eggs
 - 1/2 teas. pepper, parsley flakes & dry mustard
- Combine all ingredients form into large loaf pan bake 350 about an hour and a half. This is a low calorie loaf.

AROUND THE BOWL
Spring is trying to peep it's head around, you better get those trees trimmed within the next week if you haven't had time so far. It is a good time to clean up your trash, cover your trash holes, clean out your beds. It will be so nice to have some warm weather. However Ma Stearns said, the winters use to be very cold, so she was use to it.
A special visitor is coming to Nogal to visit her grandmother and grandfather Porter this week. Mrs. Cox has been visiting her grand baby boy. How is Sarah Maxwell doing, haven't seen her lately. Two little puppies found their way over to Sunda this week. We fed them and kept them until, Archie Witham came by to get them.
Bye now, till next week.
Robbie

Two sales set
Dates for the two horse sales at Ruidoso Downs during the 1977 season were announced by General Manager Al Rosa.
Both sales will now be held in afternoon sessions instead of night, and will be staged on non-race days to provide a smoother-running, easier-to-handle format.
"After an intensive survey of consignors and buyers, and various

people in the sales industry, we decided the afternoon format would be a great improvement," Rosa said. "By not being held on race days, the sales will now fit more effectively into the Ruidoso schedule, and will allow more time to be devoted to each horse."
Rosa noted the new format will also dovetail effectively with the schedules of horsemen and owners.
The two Ruidoso sales are the Select Summer Sale of Thoroughbreds and Quarter Horses, and the All-American Quarter Horse Yearling Sale.
The 5th annual Summer Sale will be held in a single session on Tuesday, July 5. Entries will close on April 15. The sale is open to thoroughbreds and quarter horses of all ages with the exception of yearling quarter horses.
Sales Manager Richard Thompson noted the '76 Summer Sale put 182 head through the auction ring. "We expect to attract about 200 entries for the 1977 sale," he said.
The All-American Yearling Sale—the world's largest and most prestigious sale for quarter horses—is slated for Aug. 29, 30, 31 (Monday through Wednesday). Each session will get underway at 1 p.m.
The All-American Sale, beginning the day after the All-American Derby and wrapping up a few days before the \$1 million All-American Futurity, remains a major highpoint of All-American Week.
Last year, 444 head were sold in the All-American Sale, and the gross receipts were \$3,839,600—an industry record. In addition, the sale average of \$8,647 also set an industry record.
This year, Thompson expects about 460 head to go under the All-American gavel, and he projects total sales of \$4 million. Entry blanks will be going in the mail in late March. Entries will close on May 1.
Anyone requiring more information on the two Ruidoso Sales is invited to contact Thompson at 505-378-4431.

Bernice is sweetheart
On February 17th at 7:00 p.m. the fifth annual Greenhand Installation was held in the Carrizozo School Cafeteria.
Rex-Wilson, president, opened the Installation. Mona Payne recited the official FFA creed. Ten greenhands were installed. They were: Maurita Lovelace, Mona Payne, Audrey Vega, Lorri Porter, Carrie Sue Dobbs, Michael Baroz, Marc McKinley, Robby Simpson, Robert Hopkins and Vince Vega.
Then the greenhand officers then performed a Parliamentary Procedure demonstration. And did extremely well.
President Rex Wilson then asked Vice President Billy Bob Shafer to take the chair. Billy Bob introduced the Sweetheart Candidates for 1977: Bernice Sambrano, Laurie Voss, Lois McBride and Carrie Sue Dobbs. They all gave very meaningful speeches. Billy Bob then asked for the envelope with the winners name in it.
The 1977 Carrizozo Chapter Sweetheart is Senior Bernice Sambrano. Bernice has been in FFA for 3 years. After graduation, Bernice plans to attend UNM and major in Pre-medicine and go on to get her Doctor's Degree in Pediatrics.
The Chapter wishes the best of luck in the future to the Greenhands & to the 1977 Chapter Sweetheart Bernice Sambrano.

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Sultemeier and Proctor both offered materials and water from their ranches for the work.
Peshlak said that in the past his company had put large sums of money into the road but it had not been used effectively. He said that the company might be willing to make a further contribution if it was felt the results would be effective.
Mrs. Russell said that the road had been almost impassable several times this winter and that she and others were totally dependent upon it.
The commissioners said work would begin on the road as soon as possible, in the next few weeks and that it would be maintained in the future.
Wilson discussed possible legal problems concerning the breakdown and repairs to the courthouse heating system. He read correspondence from attorneys for Johnson Controls, the company which had the service contract on the equipment prior and during the breakdown.
The county believes that improper maintenance was responsible for the trouble, that the service company should reimburse the county for some or all of the expenses. The company has not accepted the responsibility. Wilson said he would continue to negotiate with the parties involved.
The district attorney's office will have opinions on two matters ready for the next meeting of the commissioners, Wilson said.
The first matter involves an agreement with the state on use of the penitentiary for county prisoners who are considered dangerous at a time when the jail is filled beyond capacity. Wilson will also have an opinion on a possible county ordinance involving control of dogs. The sheriff's department has had a number of complaints involving dog packs. Also at the request of the sheriff the district attorney will look into ordinances controlling rural door to door magazine salesmen.
Pete Jones appeared with Attorney Archie Witham to request a change in the Nogal County road entrance. Jones said the present entrance was dangerous and asked that the county make a change. All of the property involved belongs to Jones. The commissioners indicated a willingness and will take the initial steps on the matter.
Joe Orsack of Carrizozo was appointed to the Mental Health Board and Mrs. Edna Falls was named pending her acceptance of the position.

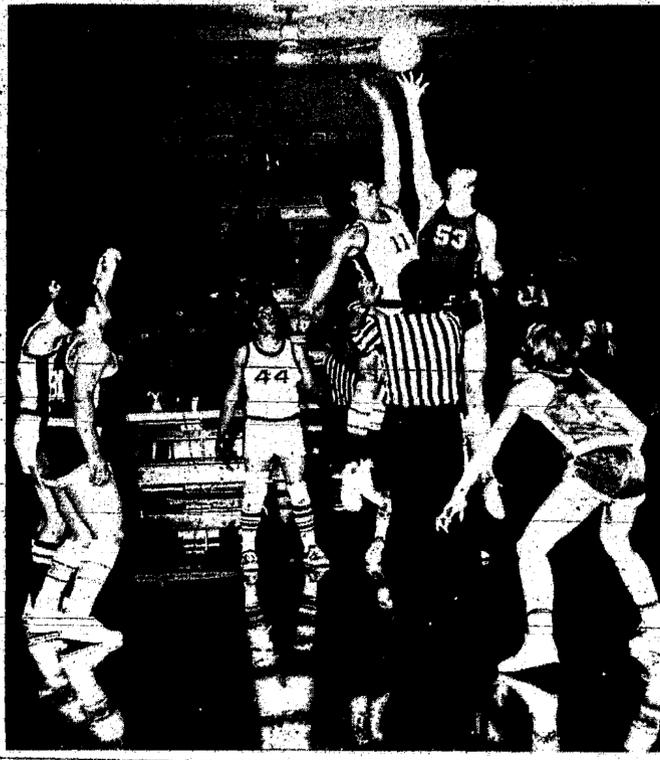
Engineer Tom Ward presented plans for planters for shrubs and trees on the paved courthouse area. The Commissioners recessed to look at the area. They gave approval to concrete planters but asked that the plan be revised where it would require breaking into the paving. Instead, it was suggested that planters be put on top of the surface. Lee Straley said he was afraid planters would increase the problems of moisture accumulation in the courthouse basement.
Shorty Stoneman was named by his fellow commissioners to the Ruidoso-Ruidoso Downs Sewage Treatment Board which has been formed to consider a new treatment plant in that area.
The commission voted to put an old calculator up for sale. It is in storage and County Manager Les Olson said that some individual might be able to use it.
A service contract for the electrical equipment and wiring in the courthouse was discussed. Bids for the work ranging from \$12.50 an hour to \$16.50 an hour were heard. The decision will be made at the next meeting.
IBM was awarded the contract for lease of a copier providing that adequate service will be provided. Jane McSwane, County Clerk, said that the IBM equipment, was in her opinion the best but that in the past the service representative had been unsatisfactory.
Dean Oil Company of Capitan got the contract for gasoline for the county equipment. The bid was 46.5 cents for gas and 35 cents for diesel.
J.C. Moore Insurance Company was the only bidder for the county's vehicle insurance. The tag for liability and some comprehensive insurance will be about \$8500, Olson said.
The county provided raises for some personnel in the sheriff's department and promoted Paul Baca from Appraiser I to Chief Appraiser. His salary is increased from \$656 to \$750.
The pay raises in the sheriff's department range from \$50 to \$100 per month. Top pay in the department will be \$300. Speaking for the increases, Sudderth noted that the deputies often work more than 60 hours a week and are on call for dangerous duty day and night. He told of the long, hard hours that he had personally observed.
A suburbanite put on a last-minute spurt of speed to catch his train—but missed it. A bystander remarked, "If you had just run a little faster you would have made it."
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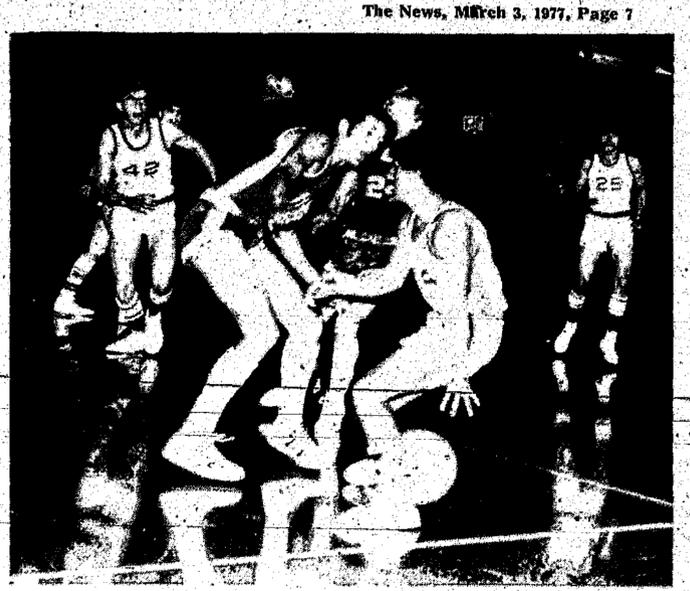
Cloudercroft downed the Grizzlies in an action packed district playoff game in Alamogordo Saturday. The Carrizozo team looked good but couldn't put a win

together and ended with a fourth place. Eugene Vallejos (35) puts it in the basket and Raymond Beltran (11) waits for the rebound.



Raymond Beltran (11) and Cloudercroft's No. 53 jump for the ball.

Billy Bob Shafer (44) is ready with Ricky Hollis.



Ray Hernandez dribbles the ball around the Cloudercroft defense. In the play are Rex Wilson (42) and Bobby Vallejos (25).



The cheerleaders did their part in the final game of the season. They are

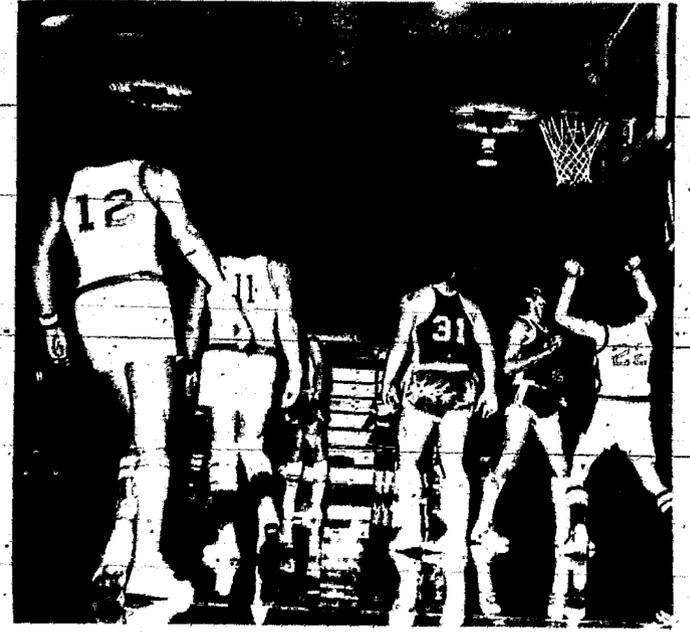
Bernice Sambrano, Lois McBride, Brenda Lindsay and Welda McKinley.



Grizzly defenders Billy Bob Shafer and Ricky Hollis leap for a block against the Cloudercroft Bears. The finals saw Weed taking the district title from Hagerman who had defeated Cloudercroft by one overtime point the previous night.



Rex Wilson moves in four directions with the help of Mike English and Jimmy Samora in a scramble for the ball under the basket.



Ricky Hollis puts one in for Carrizozo. The points failed to register the fine individual efforts which took the Grizzlies to the district playoffs.



Capitan

By Margaret Rench

The Smokey Bear Museum has had up to this last day of February for the month 1426 visitors. It continues to grow of which we are so happy to learn. There was a very nice man from Cheekoslovicia who visited last Sunday. He was very interested in the rock wall because in Communist Labor Camp he was forced to build rock walls. He at this time was touring the United States.

Residents of Sierra Blanca, Camp have offered their services to help beautify the Village of Capitan, particularly demolishing buildings that have been condemned. They have also helped repair the school building under direction of Mr. Abbott. Another home on First and Nogal was taken down and the lot cleaned. A good job well done and thank you.

Mr. Abbott Councilor of Capitan School has also on voluntary basis started a class at Sierra Blanca Camp. Teaching abnormal psychology, English I and II and math. There are 11 at this time involved in the classes. Mr. Abbott, there is a good deed. May God bless you and help you always in your work.

Mrs. DeWeber is doing a good job of taking the Bobby LaMay house down. It is to the adobes. Soon it will be past history and another corner cleaned and looking better.

There has been so many good items taking place that our Village does look better and it does please me to have lived to see these changes. I have wanted that to happen to us for many years. Our new people like our Village and things will go forward.

The former Skinner Cabin on the Bonita was burned last Friday. It is thought that it was caused by electrical shortage. The owners were home.

Mrs. Jay (Dorothy) Johnston's father Mr. Alexander of Oklahoma passed away Tuesday February 22. He was laid to rest there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rooney of Hondo Valley were business visitors in Capitan, and Lincoln. They made the circle and enjoyed the day.

Mrs. Don (Sarah) Stark returned home last Wednesday from the Ruidoso Hospital where she underwent surgery and she is doing nicely. I do wish you continued progress to good health, Sarah.

Lois Aldrich came home from two weeks in the Ruidoso hospital after successful surgery. I wish you continued good health, Lois.

Mrs. Howard Wright accompanied their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright and two week old daughter to Roswell last Saturday on business.

Mrs. Winifred Cozzens spent a few days in Alamogordo with daughter Jane, and returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. Herbert Lee Traylor now owner of the former Jenkins building, renovated and remodeled the entire inside and now we learn we are going to have an insurance agency there. As it progresses we will tell you more.

We had three inches of wet and blowing snow Thursday and Friday. It has been so much colder since but most of the snow is melted. The skies are very blue and clear and the cold seems colder. The moisture was great.

My Happy Birthday wishes go to Mrs. Gilbert (Chole) Peters Wednesday, Feb. 23. Ted and Sallie Cummins of Garden Grove, California, had birthdays on Feb. 23 and on the 28th. I do wish each one of you many more such happy and healthy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw returned Sunday evening from one weeks vacation in Tucson, Arizona.

Mrs. Maude Kingstom accompanied Mrs. Rench to Ruidoso on business last Saturday and Monday. The drive was beautiful. There is lots of snow in their mountains.

Mrs. Wayne (Juanita) B. Adams passed away last Friday at their home after a long illness. She was born August 24, 1907 and was 69 years old. She and her husband have lived in Roswell for many years and Wayne is in real estate. She was born at Hartis, Saskatchewan, Canada. Her survivors are her husband, Wayne, three sons and two daughters and their families.

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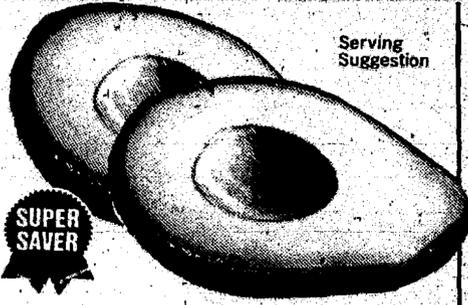
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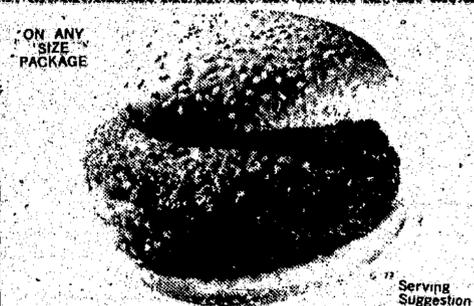
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Whole Carrots DEL-MONTE 16-Oz. Jar **49¢**
Mixed Vegetables DEL-MONTE 16-Oz. Can **36¢**
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Grade-A Fryers HOLLY FARMS Whole Lb. **49¢**

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 USDA Choice Grade-Beef 7-BONE CUT Lb. 85c
Pork Steaks BLADE BOSTON CUT Lb. **98¢**
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COUNT ON EVERYDAY LOW PRICES
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Del-Monte Peaches 29-Oz. Can HALVES or SLICED **61¢**
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MR. CLEAN LIQUID CLEANER 28-Oz. Btl. **\$1.19**
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COUNT ON EVERYDAY LOW PRICES
POOCH CAN DOG FOOD 15.5-Oz. Can **16¢**
LOVIN' SPOONFULS CAT-FOOD 12.5-Oz. Can **39¢**
FRISKIES CAN DOG FOOD 15.5-Oz. Can **29¢**

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
Fabric Softener 1-Gal. Jug STA-PUF **\$1.29**
EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
Lux Liquid 22-Oz. Btl. DETERGENT **94¢**
EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
Era Liquid Detergent 64-Oz. Btl. For Your Laundry. **\$2.55**
EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
Daisy Shaver 2-Ct. Pkg. DISPOSABLE **99¢**
EVERYDAY LOW PRICE
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REWARD: For the return of 3 handguns stolen from 1307 Ave. C. Carrizozo, N.M. No. questions asked. Contact Lincoln County News. 9-1p

Gard of Thanks

We would like to express our thanks and gratitude for all the food, flowers, prayers and sympathy shown us during the loss of our beloved mother.

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ENVELOPE SPECIAL - While they last, envelopes with Grizzly Country label \$1.75 per 100 at the News. 10-4p

FOR SALE: 1968 Pontiac 4 Dr., 1970 Buick 2 Dr. HT. Both real good. Priced below book. Capitan Auto Clinic 354-2615. 8-21c

(3) - 1974 - F100 Ford pickups 302-360 motors and (1) F250 Ford - 390 XLT with 12-950 tires - camper special. Gordon Racher on 54-848-2515. 11-1p

FOR SALE - Two Firestone tubeless rayon cord snow and mud tires, 8:85-14. Almost new, \$20 each. Also one Maytag gas range, 40", white. Good condition \$35. Call 257-2220 or 257-2993. 10-21c

FOR SALE: 1970 - Model Wayside Mobile Home, 12x65. Located on corner lot, Aspen St. Will sell trailer and lot or trailer separately. See Rosemary Gallegos, Carrizozo. See after 5 p.m. 9-1p



Cardinal Capers

By Kathy Garfield



Monday night, March 7, the National Honor Society will conduct the induction ceremonies for new members Annette Root, junior, and Ken Gibbs, sophomore.

The regular meeting of the Corona Board of Education will be held Tuesday, March 8 at 8:00 p.m. All patrons are always invited.

The Corona Cardinals have won the right to play in the Regional Tournament Friday and Saturday, March 4 and 5. Friday night, Feb. 25, the Cardinals battled the Mountainair Mustangs for first and second place in the District tournament. The game was a close one, but the Cardinals came out in second place with a score of 48-56. The Regional Tournaments will be held at Reserve.

Corona

Last weeks high of sixty-one degrees on the 21st was also the high for the month. Lows were 10 degrees on the 20th and for the month minus three on the 3rd. February snows measured forty-three inches with six inches falling Friday and Friday night during which our highway crew worked seventeen hours. There were several mishaps. At millport 19 a Ryder truck pulling a pickup overturned. There were no injuries. Officer Clouse was checking this one when a head on was reported at millport 151 where a car with two young women met head on with a van. There were injuries and the Carrizozo ambulance was called. The Sheriff's department checked this one.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Thomson and James Wayland came over from Albuquerque last week. After a short stay, Derrell went on to Cotton City, while Veronica and the baby visited relatives and then returned to Albuquerque with the Floyd Earl Proctors who were here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Neighbors and daughter, Elizabeth, of Amity, Arkansas were in Albuquerque with the Bill Kilgore last week but returned home after Mr. Kilgore's heart surgery was postponed. Mrs. Neighbors and Mrs. Kilgore are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Welch and Ricky visited the Jerry Welch family in Lovington and the Bobby Clouses in Eunice over the weekend.

Mrs. Marge Tarpley was the honoree at a party February 19th marking her 90th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Tyree Jr. attended from Corona as did several from Duran and Vaughn. The party was held at Coronado Village in Albuquerque and was given by Mrs. Tarpley's three children, Lake Tarpley, of Tucumcari, Frances Nash of Albuquerque, and Gin Deemer of Farmington. Five generations were present.

Mike Nalda returned about two weeks ago to his Roswell home where he is reported recuperating well from his surgery.

The Buchtels, Wayne, Sue, John 4 years and Kathy 9 months, stopped at the post office for a brief chat Tuesday. They were returning home to Los Alamos from a visit with friends in the area where Mr. Buchtel was pastor at one time.

Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. Don Surratt, Mrs. W.T. Tyree Jr. and Mrs.

John Danley were in Santa Fe Thursday to attend the legislative tea sponsored by the New Mexico Cowbells and held at the residence of Gov. and Mrs. Jerry Apodaca.

Kathi Garfield and Mrs. R.A. Perkins were in Carrizozo on business Friday. The Lyndon Robinsons of Greeley, Colorado have a new daughter. Five year old Rebekah-Mary Ann arrived from Manila on Feb. 3rd and was greeted at Stapleton airport in Denver by her new family. She is reported to be adjusting quickly to her parents and two brothers.

Mrs. R.L. Sharp accompanied the Paul Cartwrights to Albuquerque last week. Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Cartwright shopped while Paul attended an insurance convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Griffin, and children, Kay, Ty, and Cory have been over from Reserve to visit Glyn's grandmother, Mrs. Cleve Griffin and the Robinsons.

Mrs. Dave Barrow and Mrs. Butch Johnson were over from Moriarty to see the Dishmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete McCloud, Gail and Kathy were in Las Cruces two weeks ago to spend the weekend with the Leroy McClouds. Mr. and Mrs. McCloud, accompanied by Mrs. W.C. Smith, returned to Cruces last weekend and went on to Deming Sunday to attend a party for Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Edith Hileman of Bayard. Mrs. Hileman's daughter, Mrs. Mick Teague, and Mr. Teague gave the party for about forty family members for the honoree's 95th birthday.

Tawnya Alford and Kathi Garfield were in Portales to attend the state girls basketball tournament and were guests of the Pat Alford family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quinn of Clovis spent Sunday at the Davidson ranch. Mr. Quinn is a brother of Mrs. Jack Davidson Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tyree and Casey were over from Albuquerque for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tracey, Cotton City, were here with their families for two days last week. Kay and Russ McKibben, Albuquerque joined them for an over night stay.

Mary Kilgore brought her parents home from the hospital Saturday and went on to Portales where she is a student at ENMU.

Pam Vickrey has been unable to reach the ranch in her car on her weekend trips from the Four Corners area. She stops with her grandmother, Mrs. L.K. Merritt, until picked up by her father in a vehicle with more clearance.

Tim Keelin and a friend from Alamogordo spent the long weekend with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Keelin while his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Keelin went on to Albuquerque.

Mrs. Cleve Griffin is spending a few days in Mountainair with Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Hiner returned Tuesday from a business trip to Roswell and Hobbs.

Mrs. Louis Erramouspe is visiting friends in Ruidoso this week.

Cedar Temple No. 26, Pythian Sisters, met Monday at the home of Mrs. L.L. Vick with MEC Edna Robinson in charge of the business session. Mrs. Robinson was elected grand representative with Mrs. W.T. Keelin her alternate. Books were audited and the annual report signed. Jeannette Henley Supreme Chief, has announced three projects to be stressed during her term of office with state chairmen and a chairman in each temple.

Aid to the Blind which is also the project of Grand Chief, Marguerite Zimmerman, has as Grand Temple Chairman, Bertha Goldston with Leta Sharp for Cedar Temple. For Membership are Ethel Floyd and Mota Vick. For Pythian International are Lois Wilson and Geraldine Perkins.

Mrs. Vick served chips, dips, cheese sandwiches, olives, angel cake, ice cream, nuts and coffee. Mrs. L.K. Merritt was a guest for the canasta which ended the afternoon.

Bill Mayfield of Bent, N.M. and El Paso, visited with John and Colleen Danley in Corona last Tuesday. Mr. Mayfield is the man who built Sunrise Shopping Center in North El Paso several years ago. Colleen Danley was his secretary for several years and still serves in that capacity on part time basis.

Honor Society from Corona include (back row) Lon Holleyman, Cynthia Nalda, Kathi Garfield, Socit Nalda, Ken Gibbs, Laura Stewart, Aurora Chavez, sponsor Neva Brown (sitting) Dale McConnell, Cully Nalda, Kelly Gibbs, Robert Stewart, Nadine Chavez and Esequiel Mares.

Ag demand strong

The demand for agricultural credit will probably remain strong during 1977, says Robert Coppersmith, Extension economist at New Mexico State University.

Within the livestock sector, the demand for both feeder cattle loans and loans for general operating expenses will probably run about 1976 levels. Naturally, this projection assumes a strengthening in fed cattle prices, the specialist says.

Hog producers will probably require more capital financing in 1977. This reflects an expected increase in production. Credit will also be needed to continue the trend toward large confinement farrowing and feeding operation.

With roughage relatively scarce, the demand for dairy operating loans may increase, Coppersmith says. However, expenditures for capital improvements and herd upgrading may remain below the 1976 level as lower milk prices prevail.

Crop farmers will increase operating expenditures again in 1977, the economist predicts. This factor will keep loan demand strong. Although the rate of price increase for crop inputs has tapered off in the past couple of years, this will be offset by an increase in volume of purchases.

Furthermore, contrary to many expectations, the January Planting intentions report suggests corn acreage may hold very near the 1976 level, while the acreage of other feed grains grown will be expanded. Corn is usually a large crop. Soybean plantings will probably be up, too, Coppersmith says.

White capital expenditures will probably remain strong during 1977, they will not be as buoyant as in 1976. Capital expenditures for machinery and farm equipment hold the best prospects for increase in 1977, followed by spending for buildings and facilities.

The growth of outstanding loans probably will not match the 1976 record. Cattle feeders should find themselves in a better financial position by the end of this year. This should reduce the rate of renewals and extensions at many banks.

The flow of funds into banks from beef producers will probably be somewhat offset by lower profits in the hog sector.

The crop producer's fortune is closely tied to weather conditions. Those having difficulty meeting payments on non-real estate loans may be inclined to take advantage of increased farmland values and relatively low interest rates. They may convert their short-term debt to longer-term real estate debt, Coppersmith says.

Fed cattle prices will show substantial strength by early summer & should be in the \$45 range in August.

There will be some decline in cow and non-fed steer and heifer slaughter during the next 60 days. However, the decline will be more than offset by an increase in slaughtering fed cattle, the specialist says.

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SS address change urged

"People whose social security payments are deposited directly into their checking or savings account should notify the Social Security Administration whenever they change their home address," Dan Mathis, social security field representative, said today.

Over 4 1/2 million people have arranged with their financial organization for direct deposit of their monthly social security benefits.

"But, social security information that might affect their eligibility or payment amount is sent to their home. Prompt notice of a move will help assure delivery of that information without delay or interruption," Mathis continued.

People whose payments are sent to their home should also notify social security when they move to help assure prompt delivery of their checks.

A beneficiary may call, write, or visit any social security office to report a change of address. Or, he can use the change-of-address form printed on the back of the envelope in which his social security check is delivered.

Mr. Mathis may be contacted at the County Commissioner's Room in the Courthouse in Carrizozo on Tuesday, March 15, between the hours of 10-12.

At the same time, pork production will increase by about 15 percent. Overall, there will be a greater supply of beef and pork. This will prevent much price improvement in either cattle or hogs for at least 60 days, Coppersmith says.

Feeder cattle and calf prices in 1977 will continue to rise over 1976 levels. The high number of cow slaughter during 1976 reduced total cow numbers to below \$2 million head. This will mean a smaller calf crop this year.

With fewer feeder cattle coming to the market, feeder cattle and calf prices will show some improvement this spring. By next fall, prices should be around \$4 per hundred above 1976 prices, the NMSU specialist says.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF NAMES OF PERSONS APPEARING TO BE OWNERS OF ABANDONED PROPERTY

Pursuant to Section 22-22-13 NMSA 1953 (67 PS) notice is hereby given that the persons listed below appear to be owners of unclaimed money or other personal property. Information concerning the amount or description of the money or other personal property and the name and address of the holder may be obtained by any persons possessing an interest in such abandoned property by writing Fred L. O'Cheskey, Commissioner, Bureau of Revenue, P.O. Box 630, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503, or telephone the Unclaimed Property Unit at 827-3221, giving the name of the holder, the name and the address of the owner and the identifying check, policy or other number shown in this notice. Unless proof of claim is presented to the holder's satisfaction within 65 days from the date of the second publication of this notice, the abandoned property will be placed, not later than 85 days after such publication date, in the custody of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Revenue, to whom all further claims must thereafter be directed.

ATLANTIC RICHFIELD COMPANY NUMBER 161775, NAME: Estella De Ford Graham, ADDRESS: Ruidoso, NM

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY D19477, Frank Montgomery, Ruidoso, NM

D81967, Dr. W.T. Carson, Ruidoso, NM

E1137, Dr. W.T. Carson, Ruidoso, NM 1101, C.N. Copeland, Ruidoso, NM 1168, O.T. Stockton, Ruidoso, NM 12225, T.L. Modgling, Ruidoso, NM 22306, W.A. Graham, Ruidoso, NM 24702, Theta Williford, Ruidoso, NM

EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY None, Ara L. Shrecengost, Lincoln, NM

R.J. REYNOLDS INDUSTRIES None, Southwestern Music Company, Carrizozo, NM

SEARS, ROEBUCK AND COMPANY 190821, E.H. Starr, P.O. Box 487 Ruidoso, NM

A.B. Sneed Commissioner First published in the Lincoln County News, March 3, 1977. Last published March 10, 1977.

NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lincoln Historical Review Board will meet on Monday, March 7th, 1977, at 7:00 P.M., in the Lincoln Courthouse Museum, Lincoln, New Mexico, for the purpose of discussing the following:

1. Consideration of applications for construction and/or modifications of buildings in the area, and for such other business as may properly come before the Lincoln Historical Review Board. Members of the Public are urged to attend this meeting.

-s- Bill G. Payne Chairman Published in the Lincoln County News Thursday, March 3, 1977.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
 CITIZENS STATE BANK, a New Mexico Banking Corporation, PLAINTIFF,

-vs- ROYCE A. COX a-k-a R.A. Cox, and JEAN COX his wife, DEFENDANTS.

Cause No. 00008
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER FORECLOSURE DECREE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, under and by virtue of the Default Judgment entered by the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 17th day of February, 1977, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., on the 21st day of March, 1977, at the Northeast Door of the Lincoln County Courthouse, in Carrizozo, New Mexico, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the approval of the Court, the following described real estate situated in the Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, to-wit: Lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 - Block 10, of the ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF CARRIZOZO, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the official plat of said Townsite filed in the Office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, July 13, 1911, and ALL of the Southside of the alleyway between Lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 and Lots 1 and 2 in Block 10 of the Town of Carrizozo (being a strip of land approximately 6 feet by 125 feet).

TOGETHER with all equipment, fixtures, and inventory of the business known as the General Lumber Company in Carrizozo, New Mexico (located on the above described real estate). Together with all and singular the land, tenements, hereditaments, appurtenances and improvements thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits. Said above described property having had Plaintiff's liens foreclosed against it, the principal sums of which, together with costs of suit, attorney fees, and accrued interest to date of sale, are as follows:

TOTAL AMOUNT OWED TO PLAINTIFF AS OF DATE OF SALE, is \$135,575.54, which includes principal, costs of suit, attorney fees, and accrued interest to date of sale.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the following costs were, in addition to the above amounts, also awarded by the Court in said Default Judgment to be realized at said sale from said property:

Costs of sale, including Special Master's fee of \$75.00 and the costs of publication thereof.

The terms of sale are that the purchaser must pay cash at the time the property is struck off to him, with the exception that the Plaintiff may bid the amount of its Judgment.

DATED this 22nd day February, 1977. -s- Lois Roper Special Master First published in the Lincoln County News February 24, 1977. Last published March 17, 1977.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,

-vs- CASE NO. 76-673-P

TONEY R. MUSTACHIA and BARBARA A. MUSTACHIA, his wife, SECURITY BANK OF RUIDOSO, Ruidoso, New Mexico; Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Under and by virtue of a Consent Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure and Order of Sale issued by the United States District Court for the District of New Mexico on February 7, 1977, in the above-entitled action, wherein the plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree against the above-named defendants Toney R. Mustachia and Barbara A. Mustachia, his wife:

I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece, and parcel of land situated in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, more particularly described as follows:

Lots 8 and 9, Block 12 of Paradise Canyon Subdivision, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the Second Supplement Plat thereof filed in the Office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, April 26, 1956; together with all improvements thereon, subject, however, to all valid outstanding easement, rights of way, mineral leases, mineral reservations and mineral conveyances of record.

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of March, 1977, at 1:00 p.m. of that day, at the front door of the Lincoln County Courthouse at Carrizozo, New Mexico, I will, in obedience to said Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure, sell the real property above-described or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder, payment must be in cash, in lawful money of the United States.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1977. D.R. BACA United States Marshal First published in the Lincoln County News February 17, 1977. Last published March 10, 1977.