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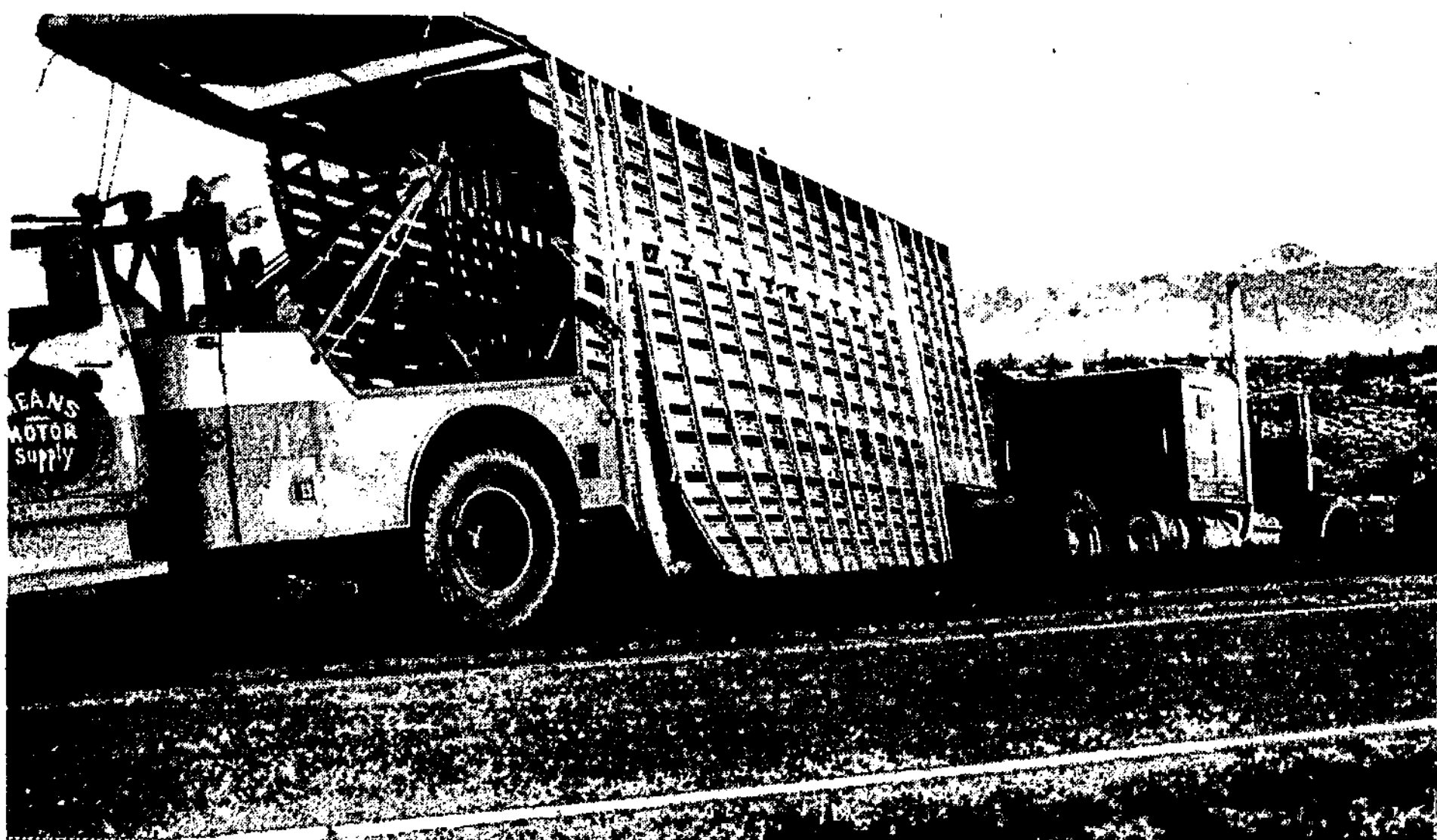
CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO

ESTABLISHED IN 1905

Weather

By Bud Payne

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Dec. 15	50	24	18	.00
Dec. 16	53	27	38	.00
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Dec. 19	57	38	48	.023



J. Spears of Corona was not injured when the empty cattle truck he was driving would up in the ditch 1 mile north of Carrizozo. Spears allegedly was trying to pass another cattle truck driven by R. Raleigh of Sunland Park, when the Spears truck struck a culvert and overturned. Spears was cited for reckless driving and racing on the highway. Raleigh was not injured but was cited for racing on the highway.



Mid-School Chorus

Entertaining parents at the Christmas Concert Monday night, was this group of youngsters, directed by Mrs. Veda Lou Stephenson at the Carrizozo gym.

Judge has Xmas Visitor

Last week was a busy week for Judge Zimmerman in Carrizozo. He had two trials last into the evening on Wednesday and Saturday, a long with the Saturday workday. Some of the Jurors spent the entire week doing their public service.

Relaxing at dinner Saturday night and waiting for the Jury to come in, Judge Zimmerman talked about some of the happenings.

First off in all of his days as judge which date back to March, 1963, Judge Zimmerman had never had Santa Claus in the courtroom. But not now, for at about 2:00 p.m. Saturday as Santa was spreading good cheer throughout Carrizozo from the back of the Fire truck (reindeer breakdown) the Judge saw the door of his court room cautiously opened and upon the beakoning of Judge Zimmerman, the entire court room was awed at the sight of Santa Claus.

Every one in the courtroom including the Jurors, Judge Zimmerman, the court reporter, the defense, prosecution and the spectators, equally were given a bag of holiday good cheer consisting of an apple or orange, some pop corn and tandy.

Judge Zimmerman stated that he was very impressed by the effect that Santa had on everyone present. They were all just delighted.

Also on Saturday, one of the jurors had a birthday, and Judge Zimmerman announced to the jury rather matter of factly that one of the jurors had a special diet at lunch and then dismissed them for lunch.

What awaited the birthday juror was a cake at the 4-Winds and the other Jurors had chipped in and bought a present.

Zimmerman commented, "It's nice to see the holiday spirit even in court."



Bowls Perfect Game

FRED VEGA, local bowler poses with score sheet which shows Vega rolling a perfect 300 game, and his first 800 series at the Carrizozo Recreation Center Tuesday night.

Editorial by Mike Swickard —

Carrizozo Board; Recent Decisions

The Lincoln County News is what can be called a "Smiling" Newspaper. It is the editorial aim of this newspaper and myself to show the positive side of Lincoln County. The paper does not like to have unpleasantness recorded on its pages. I feel safe in saying that I can leave that for the daily newspapers, magazines, and of course television. I usually can be sort of a public relations worker for Lincoln County and do my best to show the best side of Lincoln County.

There comes a time when the Lincoln County News must say some very unpleasant things.

Mind you the Carrizozo School Board is not very different from every other school board in New Mexico. The

members act as they feel is the best for the community.

The problems arise, though, when they act in a way that the community feels is not the best.

The board members are faced with the terrible choice of doing what they honestly think is best, or follow what the community thinks.

It is a common problem, and the result is also fairly universal, the board members look for ways of rationalizing their own independent actions.

Every school system in Lincoln County to some degree is faced with a hassle with the community they serve.

The problems arise from one fact. The school is the one and only place in the community where all of the

members of the community regardless of political affiliation, religious belief, economic stability; regardless of all of the factors that usually divide a community; these people all use the school to the same degree. The different views are all tied together by a common goal with the school, namely to educate their kids the best that is possible. This is the one place where all of the members of the community have a mutual and equal interest.

For this reason there is always discontent with the various school systems.

The people that serve on the board of education in the towns are of strong conviction, and it is usual for one "faction" to dominate.

This always causes discontent among the members of the various other interest groups.

But in the case of the Carrizozo school system, the discontent with the board and the administration seems to be well founded.

A case by case view of the actions of the Carrizozo School Board in their last meeting does little to inspire the confidence of the community in the School Board and the Administration.

In the School Board meeting in November, the subject of affiliation with the North Central Accreditation Association was on the agenda. The meeting was held at the same time as a parent-teacher conference night, so some of the parents were late coming to the school board meeting.

The board voted unanimously to affiliate with North Central just 8 minutes after the meeting came to order and without discussion. The board neglected to even ask the superintendent for his recommendation.

Chairman Ray Wells summed up the board's feelings by stating at that time that the board's mandate from the community was clear and therefore they, (the board) would follow the community's wishes.

There were many parents in the audience ready to speak out for affiliation with North Central, but after the vote, everyone was satisfied and felt further comment would be in order since the decision had already been made. It would seem that the board should have indicated at that time they sort of voted for North Central but didn't really mean it.

Just one month later at their next regular scheduled meeting, the board recinded their action with Wally

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Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus

One of the most famous newspaper editorials of all time has to do with Christmas. It first appeared September 21, 1897, in the pages of a leading newspaper of the day, the New York Sun.

Virginia O'Hanlon, eight years old, was torn between the doubts placed in her mind by playmates and her own sincere belief that each Christmas a jolly old man came to help spread joy through the world. To settle the matter, she posed the question to the editor of the Sun. Francis Pharcellus Church replied as follows:

I have a little faith!

It is the greatest gift ever given to man, and that gift is the imagination. It is the power that makes the world what it is. It is the power that makes the world what it will be. It is the power that makes the world what it should be.

Dear editor:

Some of my little friends are asking me if there is no Santa Claus. Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?

Virginia O'Hanlon,
113 The Church Street

Virginia, my little friends are wrong. They have been allowed by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except what they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds are like that, and the great mistake of parents is to let them create an impression of reality which is not true.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. The greatest gift ever given to man, and that gift is the imagination. It is the power that makes the world what it is. It is the power that makes the world what it will be. It is the power that makes the world what it should be.

Not believe in Santa Claus? You might as well not believe in justice. You might get your hope to live, but in all the changes of Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus. But even if they did see Santa Claus coming down what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither address nor men, nor see, and you see Santa Claus in the heart. The heart is not a part of the body, but it is the part that they are not there. Nobody can ever see or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unthought in the world.

You keep your little faith, and all that makes the world inside, but there is a real world, the world of the mind, and the strongest man, not even the strongest of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart that faith. Faith, faith, faith, have romance, can push aside the curtain and show and justify the supernatural beauty and glory beyond it. It is all that the imagination in all the world there is nothing like it.

No, Santa Claus I don't think he lives, and to live forever, a thousand years from now, Virginia, may be true, but thousands of years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.



Around Town Polly's Potpourri & Surrounding Areas

Merry Christmas and Happy Birthday to Melinda Florian, Phil Hill and Justin Jack Heifer on Dec. 25! Holiday Greetings and Happy Birthday to Arsenia Narvaez, Joan Means Dec 21; Lefty Hayes, Patrick Means Dec 22; Tom Sidwell Dec 23; Richard Cantrell, Kelly Stephenson, Mrs. T.J. Chisholm, Edna Gallacher Dec 24; Christopher Barela, David Free Cantrell Dec 26. This evening (Dec 21) the public is invited to attend a reception honoring Laurie Voss, 1978 Carrizozo Sun

Duchess. Laurie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jete Voss. The reception is at the Woman's Club at 7 P.M. Laurie, a freshman at N.M.S.U. represents Carrizozo at the Sun Carnival Parade in El Paso in January.

The Presbyterian Churches of Ancho, Corona & Nogal have the following Christmas schedule: Christmas Candlelight Services - Nogal, Saturday Dec 23 at 7:30 P.M.; Corona, Sunday Dec 24 at 7 P.M. (Ancho held services on Wednesday Dec 20). Christmas Sunday Worship at 11 A.M. on Dec 24 at Ancho only, United Service.

Luminaries and Christmas lights greeted the young-marrieds and singles class of the Church of Christ, Friday night at the home of Dr. Dale and Cheri Goad. The evening began with a Christmas dinner followed by singing and an exchange of gifts around the tree by Santa Claus. The party closed with caroling in the neighborhood.

Guests in the home of Rachel West last Sunday were T.J. Hughes and Gladys Anthony of El Paso. Elva Wilson joined them for a trip to Nogal where they attended the Presbyterian Church Christmas program which included the beautiful choir singing. T.J. Hughes is Rachel's nephew.

Christmas for anyone who has any Spanish or Mexican blood means special holiday eating and "Las Posadas! Las Posadas is a unique drama representation of Mary and Joseph seeking shelter where they might prepare for Christ's birth. Most foods are special to the holiday season because of tradition, getting large families together and because they take a long time to prepare. The dishes include Menudo, Tamales, Biscochitos, Empanadas, and Posole. The tasty meals are handed down from generation to generation and measurements vary. Tradition is something vital that unites the past to the present. The Spanish and Mexican people are great believers in tradition, because it served them in molding their national and racial characteristics.

Bernice Sambrano, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moises Sambrano is here on leave for the holidays. PFC. Sambrano is stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas with the U.S. Army.

Lorenza Trujillo and Mary Trujillo of Capitan stopped at Spencer Park last Saturday where their children were treated to goodies by Santa Claus, who arrived by fire truck. They also stopped to visit at Lorenza's parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Verdugo.

The Senior Extension Club met Dec 11 for their monthly meeting. They completed the January to August program scheduling for their year book. Hostesses that day were Earlena Tubbs and Ethel Roberts. The January meeting will feature velvet flowers. Dorothy Currant will present the program.

The CYC and all Santa Rita parish youth are invited Friday at 4 P.M. to make Luminarias followed by a hot dog and bean supper and caroling. Small children are asked to be accompanied by at least one parent, anyone in grade school.

Capitan CYO, Sacred Heart Parish will make Luminarias this Sunday at 4 P.M. followed by hot chocolate at the Tiger Den.

The Gift Gallery will be open Saturday, Dec 23. Jane Allred will have her art work available for last minute gift shoppers at 25 percent off. Jane has offered beautiful door prizes every week of her art show. This Saturday will include door prizes for adults and

youngsters. Mr. Joe DeTevis will resume student art classes on Jan 4.

Holiday greetings on the windows of Carrizozo stores make for a cheery, holiday town spirit. School youths under the direction of Mr. DeTevis did a terrific job. The art class and other helpers held a Christmas party and gift exchange at the last scheduled art class, Dec 14. About 23 young people turned out.

The TV commercials advertise dolls that crawl, walk, dance, burp, bubble, eat, write, wets its diaper, has a heart beat and develops diaper rash. I've been playing with dolls for the past 20 years. Its amazing what dolls will do now. The Raggedy Ann I just stitched up as a Christmas gift just floppily sits waiting to be gift wrapped.

Tive Jiron was the lucky winner of the mixer raffled following the 9 A.M. Mass at St. Rita. The proceeds of the raffle was for the benefit of Robert Portio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Portio. Mrs. Edward Vega and Mrs. Leandro Vega, Jr. headed the project to help the Portio family with medical, expenses and traveling costs.

The Junior Extension Club held their monthly meeting last week. Winners of the door prizes were Mary Najjar and Sharon Lueras. The club exchanged Christmas gifts and en-

joyed holiday goodies—egg nog and rum cake. The group had as guest speaker, Ursula Hansteen Ellison, who gave an interesting talk of her life in Germany, her home land.

Carmen Hill's home was the site for the holiday birthday party of Georgia Ortiz's birthday. There to celebrate with Georgia were friends and relatives: Stella Ortiz of Albuquerque, Minnie G., Sharon L., Mary N., Arlene N. and Peggy N.

Skiing enthusiasts Mario Ortiz, Rita and Danny Narvaez were at the slopes at Sierra Blanca Dec 13. They enjoyed a fine time. Next day Mario was sporting a sling on his arm. Mario, who is an excellent skier had a little freak accident. As a navy man in Spain he often wnet skiing.

My youngest brother, John Sanchez has completed his navy training at Great Lakes Naval Training Center. He is presently in San Diego, California.

John, former Carrizozo student, graduated from Las Curces High and is a dental technician with the Navy. John who is talented in the field of art, designed his company flag.

Christmas is the day on which Christians celebrate the birthday of Jesus Christ.

Felis Navidad, you all! You hear?

Village of Capitan News

by Margaret Rench

The storm we had last week gave us 20 inches of wet snow and 26 degrees below zero. At this time much has melted and there is lots of ice in all parking lots. Traffic was at a standstill for several days. Our highway was snow packed for several days and required chains. Sunday the highway to Ruidoso was clear but did not dare to get off of it. We really had more snow than between here and Ruidoso. The ski traffic was very heavy. It is surprising to see so many going to ski.

Willa Mae Luck, her sons, Dan and wife Cathy and Robert of San Diego, California Saturday near noon with their camper pickup and 10 foot U-Haul trailer. Packed possessions of her mother deceased Maude Kingston left mid afternoon Sunday. They have more but will return later.

Mr. and Mrs. Champ Ferguson made a business trip to El Paso Tuesday last for a health check.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Qualls of Dardenelle, Ark. spent several days with their son Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Qualls and family.

Mr. Alice Hutchinson of Adams Center, New York is spending the

winter with her son Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hutchinson... I hope you enjoy every moment here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright prepared a birthday dinner Sunday December 10 honoring their daughter in-law, Linda, Mrs. Jimmy Wright and family. I do wish you many more healthy and happy birthdays Linda.

Little seven year old Daniel Booher son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Booher is a very happy little boy as he is going to be the King in the Christmas play.

I am very sorry that news is so scarce but people have stayed in and are preparing for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright did make a business trip to Roswell last Saturday. Stated when they were going that they wished they had not as the highway was icy. But they did make it safely.

The school busses all have made their routes this week but it was difficult.

Mrs. Rench did accompany Nora and Linda Silva to Ruidoso last Monday on business.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

Margaret



Season's Greetings
Lincoln County News Staff

Mike-Jackie-Peter
David-Maurita-Peter
Henry



Tiger Sports

by Dottie MacVeigh

The Tigers and Tigerettes played Lake Arthur Friday night in Capitan. The J.V. boys played another "squeaker" to the finish coming out just 1 point down. The score ended 42-43 with the final Lake Arthur point made with 3 seconds left on the clock.

The Varsity Tigerettes came out in the second game of the night and downed the Lady Panthers 53-43. After the 1st quarter tie of 10-10, the Panthers never caught up as the half ended at 24-16 for Capitan; at the 3rd quarter it was 40-26 and finally ending at 53-43.

Donna Cooper netted 12 points in the offensive attack and pulled down 12 big rebounds. Lisa Lamb led all scorers with 29 points. The Panthers' high-point scorer was transfer student Kelly Palmer who made 19.

It was excitement city as the Tiger Varsity boys took on the Panther boys in the final game Friday. The Tigers play a fast motion offense and it kept the Panthers hopping as the first half ended at 17-18. Lake Arthur with a slim 1-point lead.

Coming out in the 3rd quarter, Ritch Sanchez stole the ball several times to get his team the lead at 27-26 by the end of the quarter.

The 4th quarter saw Clyde Cranwell rebound and put the ball back up for four important points that put the Tigers in Control.

Sanchez fouled out after making a defensive effort and David Rooks was sent in. Rooks took charge and was immediately fouled while shooting a field goal. He was awarded a chance at the free throw line and made it to put the score 43-37. Two final points by Clyde Cranwell left the score 45-37 for Capitan. Adding to the success were Alex Trujillo at 12 high points, Harvey Martin with 13 rebounds and Tim Proctor on tough defense.

Saturday night three games were played against the Quemado Eagles. The J.V. boys won handily 38-25. Scoring for the Tigers were Deke LaMay with 6, Lee Coleman with 6, and David Rooks had 9.

The girls varsity played Quemado's fast run-and-gun team to a 57-61 score. The Tigerettes were as much as 16 points down when they showed comeback power spurred by the steals and lay-ups of Lisa Lamb who ended the game with 27 points. Donna Cooper scored another 11 points, Ann Womack

had 8 and Sandy Cranwell added 7. The Tigerettes' record is now 2-2.

The boys varsity from Quemado also took a game from the Tiger boys by a score of 52-57.

The Quemado team based their victory on the free-throw line making 23 of 28 attempts while the tigers had only 7 tries making 2.

In the Saturday night game Harvey Martin had 17 points, Ritch Sanchez 14 and Alex Trujillo 8 points.

The Tiger teams are now looking forward to the Smokey Bear Classic to be held January 4-6, 1979.

Rain Waters Send Students Home

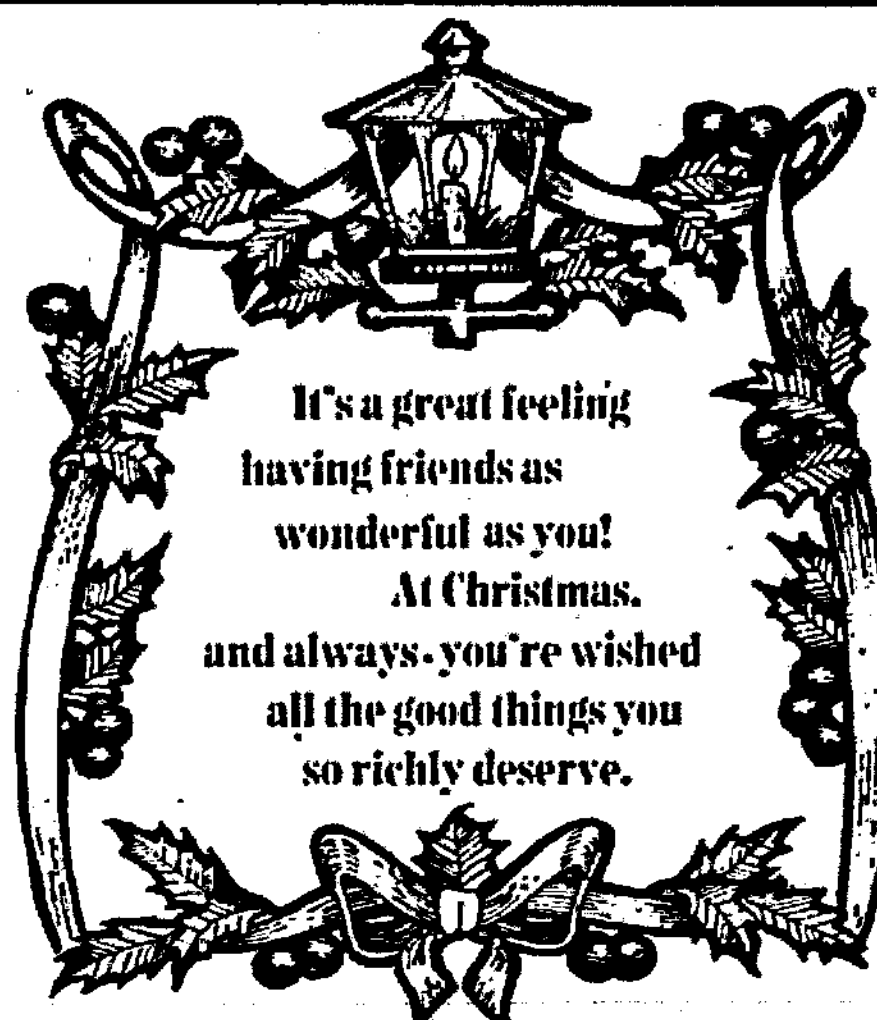
Tuesday morning three bus loads of students from Hondo School were dismissed early due to flooding waters on the Ruidoso River. Mr. Glen Crane, Principal at Hondo, cited that more than half of the students live in and around the San Patricio Valley and that students would be cut off from their homes if the river flooded.

Thus, by noontime almost one-half of the student body had been let-out due to the rising waters. At Hondo, every student is transported to school by way of buses or they drive their personal vehicles when a condition such as this occurs almost all of the students are affected.

A few students were late to classes as they helped fathers and neighbors pull sheep and cattle from the flooded river banks.

Mrs. George Leonard, Math teacher in the high school, found river crossing a definite danger. On her way to school from her home close by the River Ranch Campground, she has to cross the water at a cemented crossing area. Her car became stalled as she worked to get it started the stream began to rise and she was forced to climb out the window and wade to dry ground. A wrecker was called and retrieved her car from the river now having risen considerably.

School was carried on for the remaining students with a watch kept on the river running behind the school.



It's a great feeling
having friends as
wonderful as you!
At Christmas,
and always, you're wished
all the good things you
so richly deserve.

Monte Vista Texaco
Jack, Jim & Cat

Bells peal joyously from church towers everywhere spreading a message of Peace. We say thanks for their jubilant message.

Rusty Anchor Bar
Capitan, New Mexico

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

To All Of Lincoln County

RUIDOSO STATE BANK

Ruidoso — Ruidoso Downs
— Capitan
Gateway — Carrizozo



The Bear Facts

By Jetty Jo Paul, Counselor

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Christmas Concert on Monday, Dec. 18 was a big success and enjoyed by all who attended. The mid-school chorus under the direction of Mrs. Veda Stephenson sang Christmas Bells, Silver Bells, Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree, The Chipmunk Song, Jingle Bells, Christmas Bell Carol, Sing We All at Christmastide, Tiny King, Alleluia, Holly Jolly Christmas, and White Christmas. Members of the mid-school chorus are Roddy Aguilar, Liz Beltran, Tammy Barnes, Sammy Chavez, Grey Gallacher, Lyn Gallacher, Melody Hefker, Junior Hill, Anna Lueras, Zada Maxwell, Debbie Najar, Joey Otero, Linda Ortiz, Sandra Silva, Janette Silva, Stevie Stearns, Julie Vega, Diana Vega, Valerie Verdugo, Vickie Vermillion, Janet Willis, Kay Zumwalt, Ruben Zamora, Daniel Samora, Bennie Zamora, Donald Zamora, Dino Baca, Marina Baca, Brenda Baroz, Pam Beltran, Elmer Hopkins, Robert Montano, Judy Ortiz, Pauline Palomarez, Joey Paul, Diana Silva, Terry Willis, Kevin Wilmore, and Dwayne Zamora.

The Carrizozo Concert Band under the direction of Mike Hogeboom played Christmas Chimes, Supersonic Santa, Promenade in Swingtime, White Christmas and Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer. Members of the band are Monica Ortiz, Mary Jane Ferguson, Shirley Simmons, Roxanne Gabel, John Vega, Stephanie Saucedo, John Ventura, Timmy Vega, Robert Wetzel, Alex Serna, Steve Howard, Delores Samora, John Herrera, Terry Nickason, Sandy Hobbs, Eric Vega, Jon Tod Aguilar, Clarence Beltran, Chris Chavez, Jimmy Portio, and J. D. Niederstadt.

The Carrizozo high school chorus under the direction of Mike Hogeboom sang Sundown, Twelve Days of Christmas, Mr. Bojangles and His Name is Jesus. Members of the high school chorus are Cathy Hemphill, Kim Valleges, Sandy Hobbs, Shirley Simmons, Lorrie Porter, Monica Ortiz, and Carrie Sue Dobbs.

OEA

The OEA met during lunch on Dec. 14 and discussed activities for this week. Mary Ann Padilla, president, called the meeting to order. Most of the members were present. On Tuesday, Dec. 20, the club members will visit the Zia Development Center and take some cookies to the students there. On Wed., Dec. 20, the club will have a Christmas Party in Mrs. Vega's room during 4th period class. Refreshments will be furnished by club members. The group also decided to save all the Campbell soup labels for the Zia Center's project.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The following students were invited and have joined NHS: Tim Curtiss, James Lueras, Gary Vega, Carrie Sue Dobbs, Steve Howard, Marc McKinley, Mona Payne, Lorrie Porter, Jaylen Vega, and Vince Vega. Returning members from last year are Lisa Ferguson, president, and Kaye Portillo, secretary. Mr. Ed Lawson is the advisor. The new members will be formally installed in the spring. Of special note is the induction of Carrie Sue Dobbs whose mother, Mrs. Patsy Dobbs, was a charter member of the NHS in 1961. NHS members are selling candy as a money-making project. Three different varieties can be purchased from any member. The candy sells for \$1.

PSAT RESULTS

Meeting with Mrs. Paul for interpretation of the PSAT results on Tuesday, Dec. 19, in the conference room were Tawnya Caster, Carrie Sue Dobbs, Robert Hansteen, Cathy and Robert Hemphill, Steve Howard, Roby McDaniel, Marc McKinley, Mona Payne, Lorrie Porter, Jaylen Vega and Vince Vega. The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test is given to juniors who are interested in attending college. It prepares students to take the ACT or the SAT as seniors.

FHA

B-Craft items are in. If you haven't gotten your order, you should get it soon. Roy Dow at the Gift Gallery has been kind enough to save some space for the FHA members to wrap presents for Christmas giving. The price will vary depending upon the size of the package. The Zia Senior Citizens Center has invited the FHA-HERO members to a Christmas party. Everyone is looking forward to this event.

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY CLASS

Marriage and Family Living class has been enjoying outside speakers this semester. Gail Stackpole brought a very interesting program on mental retardation. She showed slides and explained causes of mental retardation. She also suggested ways that we can relate to the mentally retarded to help them and to help us, too.

Polly Chavez gave a program on breast feeding and La Leche League. She cited the many physical and emotional advantages of breast feeding to both the baby and mother.

Hazel English showed some very interesting film clips and gave information on family planning. The class is asking her to return and give a program on venereal disease.

The class is also working on special research projects, some of which have

already been completed. Topics being researched are child abuse, divorce, genetic influences, adoption, family crises, and similar areas of current interest.

STAFF CHRISTMAS TEA

The annual Christmas tea for the Carrizozo School staff was held on Monday, December 18. Most staff members attended and enjoyed the refreshments which were served in the Home Ec. lounge. The next monthly CTA meeting will be Tuesday, January 9.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES

The elementary school parties (grades 1-4) will be after lunch on Thursday, Dec. 21. The kindergarten party will be Thursday morning. There will be no parties in the mid-school and the high school. Students will return to school after lunch and will be dismissed for vacation at 1:30.

ACTIVITIES TO REMEMBER

Junior high basketball at 4:00 with Captain here on Tuesday, Dec. 19.

Varsity and JV boys basketball with Tularosa here at 6:00 on Tuesday, Dec. 19.

School resumes at 8:30 on Wednesday, January 3, 1979.

Varsity boys and girls will participate in the Smokey Bear Invitational Tourney at Capitan on January 4-5-6.

Second Annual Grizzly Invitational Tourney for varsity boys and girls will take place January 11-12-13.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Varsity teams will have practice during the vacation. See the coaches for times and dates. The girls varsity includes Lisa Ferguson, Lisa Crenshaw, Sandra Beltran, Kim Vallejos, Jaylen Vega, Tami Ortiz, Debbie Gallacher, Mona Payne, Kaye Portillo, Shelly Portillo, Crista Bell Hill and Denise Vega. The boys varsity includes Lorenzo Sambrano, Gary Vega, Robbie Hollis, Marc McKinley, Vince Vega, Orlando Samora, Orlando Perea, Michael Baroz, Pay Ventura, Gaby Palomarez, Christy Beltran, Rudy Samora, and Ralph Delgado.

GUEST SPEAKER IN SCIENCE

Mr. Richard Thorpe, biology professor at ENMU-R was guest speaker for Mrs. Stone's classes this past week as part of the visiting scientist program. The program is sponsored by the colleges of the state and is free to secondary schools within New Mexico. Under this program college faculty members and persons with specialized fields are available to speak to classes in hopes of providing an interesting supplement to regular course work.

In the morning classes Mr. Thorpe has a slide presentation and spoke on "Endangered Species." His talk began with endangered species worldwide and then narrowed to endangered species within New Mexico. He brought out that the rarest animal in New Mexico is so rare they have no pictures and little information about it. This rarest animal is a bat seen for the first time near Ghost Ranch, New Mexico, that has three small white spots on its forehead.

In the afternoon classes, Mr. Thorpe presented slides and spoke on "Famous Men of New Mexico." This lecture began with Folsom Man whose artifacts have been found in New Mexico and date back 26,000 years. The talk then proceeded to Cabeza de Baca and other conquistadores, early mountain men, and participants in the Lincoln County War. His slide program ended with a slide of a boulder with inscriptions found near Belen. As it turns out the inscription was in early Hebrew and is the Ten Commandments.

The Hondo Eagles

WHO'S WHO

Who's - Who in American High Schools has recognized five outstanding students at Hondo. Receiving this honor are Cynthia Chavez, Sandra Gomez, Helen Cox, Ramona Kimbrell, and Naomi Brady. These young ladies are in the top one-fourth of their class and all are carrying a high grade point average. They are selected by members of the faculty and recommended to the organization by the school counselor.

HONOR SOCIETY

November 14 was installation day at Hondo for four members of the Honor Society. Achieving this membership were Naomi Brady, Sandra Gomez, Cynthia Chavez and the only senior Ramona Kimbrell. The members are selected on "Superior" ratings by faculty on items such as character, leadership and service. They also must reach and maintain a 3.5 grade point average. The Honor Society is sponsored by Miss Donna Parker.

OEA HOLDS INSTALLATION

Members of the Hondo Office Education Association were installed in a joint ceremony with the chapter from Lake Arthur October 23, at the Hondo gym.

The program began with a welcome from Romona Kimbrell club president. Cynthia Chavez led the Pledge of Allegiance followed by the Salute to New Mexico by Terri Parham.

Members and officers installed from the Hondo chapter include: President - Ramona Kimbrell, Vice President - Novelda Gutierrez,

Around Corona

Robert Williams reports a low of 5 degrees on the 11th, and a high of 42 on the 15th.

W. T. Tyre Jr. and Mitch Tyree are wearing new belt buckles, safety awards from the Tucson Division of the Southern Pacific R. R.

The John Blevins family stopped over with the Gordon Owens on their way from Gallup to spend Christmas in El Paso.

Friends have been told of the death of Clayton Crumley who died early Sunday in Denver where he was visiting his only grandchild. He suffered a stroke. Mr. Crumley is survived by his wife, Iris Porter Crumbley of the family home in Deming, three sons, one daughter, and a grandchild.

Mrs. John D. Holleyman visited the Dwayne Kibbes in Floyd last week and while there made a business trip to Lubbock with Mrs. Kibbe and Kasi Jean.

The Sharps, Hughes and Tubbs families were in Lubbock last weekend for a calf show.

Bill Tyree expected to enter Holy Cross Hospital in Taos on Tuesday to begin skin grafts on his hands which were burned when he suffered an electrical shock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ednen Hindi, Albuquerque, are the parents of a daughter born Dec. 15th. The baby has one brother.

We wish you joy at Christmas and throughout the New Year.

SECRETARY - TABITA CHAVEZ, TREASURER - NELLIE SANCHEZ, HISTORIAN - CYNTHIA CHAVEZ, MEMBERS - GARY ARMIGO, NAOMI BRADY, HELEN COX, TERRI PARHAM, LOUISA POLACO, WANDA POLACO, YVETTE POLACO, MATILDA SANCHEZ, JOY SANCHEZ AND LE ANN SURRATT.

Professional members are Mrs. Modesto Chavez and Mrs. Willie Gomez.

Miss Julann Langenegger, President of the Hagerman Chapter, led the installation ceremony for the two chapters.

BASKETBALL

The Hondo Eagle boys varsity and

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Highway Reviews Annual Snow Removal Battle

"Snow in New Mexico, you've got to be kidding." That might be a typical reaction from someone who thinks of the state in terms of desert and year-round hot, dry weather. State residents and visitors familiar with the excellent ski areas in both the northern and southern parts of New Mexico know differently.

Heavy wet snow, vision-obscuring wind-driven snow, glare ice and road-closing high drifts are all part of the winter scene in the Land of Enchantment. "The Highway Department's job is to keep the roads open, keep the traffic moving," said Chief Highway Administrator Fred L. O'Cheskey.

WINTER MAINTENANCE COSTLY. "Winter highway maintenance is costly in terms of both manpower and money," O'Cheskey said. The department's maintenance bureau estimates for the 1978-79 winter season projects the use of 159,048 manhours and the expenditure of \$4,071,940 for winter highway maintenance. The dollar amount includes labor, equipment use and material costs. Maintenance bureau officials note that these figures are estimates. Actual expenditures will depend on the weather itself.

The Highway Department's overall goal is to build and maintain roads in such a manner as to enable motorists to travel from one part of the state to another with reasonable speed, safety and comfort. The department's maintenance manual stresses this goal in regard to winter highway maintenance. "It is the policy of the Highway Department to prosecute snow removal operations vigorously on all state highways so that traffic may move freely without interruption. Snow removal is an emergency operation and takes precedence over all other work," O'Cheskey said, quoting from the manual.

The district engineer in each of the department's five operating districts has the responsibility for the planning and operation of a winter highway maintenance program within his district boundaries. The districts differ markedly in their climate, terrain and weather history. Plans for winter maintenance activities will differ accordingly.

Using the guidelines developed through the department's maintenance management system, the district engineers and maintenance engineers prepare definite assignments for er-

maintenance patrol. They have a meeting with the patrol foremen each year prior to the onset of the winter season.

The maintenance patrol is the operating unit for maintenance in the department. Each segment of state highway is assigned to one of the more than 85 patrols stationed across the state. At the winter maintenance meeting, assignments are made to set crew responsibilities and establish equipment allocations and priorities for snow removal. These assignments become the standing orders for patrol winter highway maintenance operations.

The weeks preceding the first snow removal are also busy ones for the maintenance patrols. Equipment must be checked and necessary repairs made. Additional preparations include the clearing of road shoulders, erection of snow fences, guideposts, and special signs along with one stockpiling of necessary salt, sand and cinders for ice control use.

TRAFFIC SHAPES PRIORITIES The priorities for snow removal are based on use considerations. Interstate highways serve as the major carriers of vehicular traffic both intrastate and interstate and receive the highest snow removal priority. Also in this category are primary roads with an average daily traffic count (ADT) in excess of 5,000 vehicles.

Other primary roads and important connecting secondary roads are assigned the next priority. An example of such secondary roads would be a road which provides sole access to a small community. All other paved roads on the state maintenance system are in the third priority category.

Roads leading to winter recreation areas are given second priority. Each year the state Tourism and Travel Division and private enterprise spend thousands of dollars to attract winter sports enthusiasts. Their presence has a significant positive economic impact on the state. Roads to these sports areas are given a high priority to insure the safe maximum use of the facilities by visitors and residents alike. Such use provides a maximum economic benefit to the state. Also taken into consideration is the ADT increase on such roads because of seasonal use.

DISTRICTS DIFFER Each of the department's five operating districts is responsible for winter highway maintenance on state

highways in a four to eight county area. Within each district there is a variety of terrain and population concentration with a resultant potpourri of winter maintenance problems.

District 2 is headquartered at Roswell, in the southeastern part of the state. District patrols are responsible for the maintenance of state roads in an eight-county area. Chaves, Curry, DeBaca, Eddy, Lea, Lincoln, Otero and Roosevelt are the counties which form the district.

The district includes the southeastern plains area and a portion of the east central plains as well as the capitan, Sacramento and Guadalupe mountains. Nationally known tourist attractions such as the Carlsbad Caverns and White Sands National Monument are located in the district.

Two popular ski areas, Sierra Blanca Ski Resort and Ski Cloudcroft, draw many people to the mountains in the winter months. During the winter snow blowers are used to clear mountain roads to the ski areas. But, says District 2 maintenance engineer Worthing Smelser, "Motorists, particularly those unfamiliar with mountain driving in winter, should be particularly careful on these roads."

District 2 also has the largest concentration of urban areas within the state. Cities such as Clovis, Portales, Hobbs, Roswell, Artesia and Carlsbad dot the plains while Alamogordo is situated on the western slope of the Sacramento Mountains.

Traffic is heavy around and between these urban areas, Smelser noted. "Rain and fog, freezing rain, snow and ice, usually in one combination or another, can cause severe problems for motorists and keep maintenance patrols busy round-the-clock," he added.

SALTING AND SANDING Salting and sanding was until recent years the standard treatment for snowpacked and icy roads. More recently, government agencies, including the state Highway Department, have been taking a hard look at the use of salt in winter highway maintenance. "The department has and is continuing to monitor the use of salt in an effort to modify negative environmental effects and damage to road surfaces, bridges and vehicles," said maintenance bureau chief Charles Barbee.

Each patrol foreman is responsible for the modification of salt use on the

roads in his patrol area. However, the reduction of chemical use must be consistent with the safety requirements of the winter highway maintenance program. "Safety is and will continue to be the priority consideration," Barbee said.

WEATHER MONITORED During the winter months, maintenance personnel at each district headquarters office monitor the weather reports and advisories issued by the National Weather Service office in Albuquerque. When necessary, patrols will be alerted and placed on standby. When a storm hits, the snow removal procedure is the responsibility of the individual patrol foreman.

On weekends and after normal working hours on weekdays only part of a patrol may participate in initial snow removal efforts. The remaining patrol members may be held in reserve to take over as the storm continues. If a patrol foreman sees that his crew is unable to keep up with the work, he will inform his district maintenance engineer or supervisor and request additional help from one of the district special crews.

In some situations, where a patrol is small in number or a storm particularly severe in nature, some of the patrol members may put in two or three 18-hour days in a row.

The personnel of the department's public affairs office in Santa Fe also monitor winter storm progress. An information officer will gather data from the National Weather Service, the department's own radio network, local police agencies, ports of entry and other sources. Road condition advisories are prepared by the information officers and phoned to various radio stations. The same advisories are also furnished to the newspapers, wire services and television stations. Every effort is made to keep the motoring public advised about a storm and road conditions within the storm area.

OPEN ROADS "Traditionally the Highway Department has attempted to keep all roads open and as free of snow and ice as possible," O'Cheskey said. This means that while the roads can not be kept completely free of ice and snow, they will be plowed, salted and sanded as necessary to provide free access to motorists," he added.

Severe storms with heavy snow can make these goals very difficult to achieve. Often strong winds ac-

company the storms and blow the snow right back on the road as soon as it is plowed away.

In some cases on the interstate and other four-lane highways it will take all of the available manpower to keep just one lane open in each direction. Under such circumstances a second lane is opened as soon as weather and manpower permit.

The Highway Department tries not to close roads. However, motorist safety is the paramount consideration. If a road becomes impassable to the average vehicle or road surface conditions fall below reasonable safety limits the road will be closed.

Most road closings are of short duration. There are times however during a severe storm that a road must be closed for an extended period of time. When this happens, the road is blocked with barricades manned by Highway Department personnel. Signs are also placed at the nearest road junctions and towns to notify travelers of the road closing. The closed segment is also thoroughly searched for stranded motorists.

The Highway Department works closely with the State Police and local police agencies in situations where road closings are required. When necessary, the department's public affairs office notifies radio stations in the affected area.

The effects of severe winter do not end with the melting of the snow. Snow, ice, freezing and thawing all have a wear and tear effect on the roads. Cracks, potholes and eroded shoulders are the legacy of a hard winter. During milder winter weather temporary road repairs are made by the patrols. More

permanent pothole patching, shoulder repair and crack sealing are deferred until spring when warmer temperatures allow the use of permanent patching materials.

MOTORISTS SHARE RESPONSIBILITY

The whole purpose of this heavy expenditure of manpower and money on winter highway maintenance is to enable motorists to travel within and through the state safely, with reasonable speed and comfort. The men and women of the Highway Department work hard to achieve this goal.

Success however is dependent, in part at least, not on department efforts but on the driving skills and good sense of the individual motorists. "All motorists must accept the responsibility for their own winter driving safety," O'Cheskey said. Their vehicles must be properly maintained and winterized. Chains or snow tires along with a box of sand and a shovel should be standard winter equipment in snow-prone areas.

Good winter driving habits must be learned and practiced. Weather awareness must become a part of travel plans. The driver who ignores weather forecasts and makes unnecessary or hurried trips into a storm area is asking for trouble.

The combination of the Highway Department's aggressive snow removal program and individual motorist winter driving care will help to achieve the department's goal. That combination will enable motorists to travel within and through the state safely and with reasonable speed and comfort.



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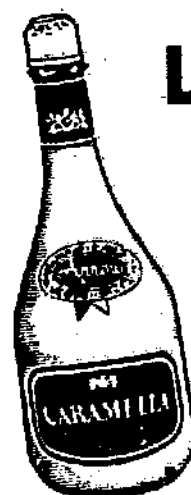
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Arabelo Rt.
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December 4, 1978

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Love,
Jennifer Cooper



December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
I want some ear rings. Santa I want a ring, and a baby do't cry. I want a necklace.

From you friend,
Margaret Cano.



December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
I want 1 BB Gun and 3 pax of bbs. and a pet bird and a taperecbr and 3 tapes. and a horse

your friend,
MOSES

December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
Will you bring me baby wet care for Christmas?
I hope you bring me some earrings. I especially al bike.

Your frinend,
Camille Gomez



Dear santa
Please hdme a loglog truck and two me a trucks and a bicke
Love
-Grante



December 6, 1978

Dear Sant Claus,
I want a drtt bike for Christmas. I want a menebic for Christmas. I want some tene for Christmas. I want some gavs for Christmas.

Your friend,
Charlie



December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Clays,
I Want a pellet gun for Christmas.

Your friend,
Harold

December 6, 1978

Dear Santa
I want a green cabtrock and a logen trock and to more trocks and I want a bat man bocken bog and a bike and a big bocket of Brix blox and a Str wars set. And gonzela.

I Love you Santa, with all my heart thank you. From Vance



Dear Santa Claus,
I Want a Bike for Christmas. And a Babegun for Christmas foot ball.

Your friend,
Joseph

December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
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Your friend
Alden Norwood



December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
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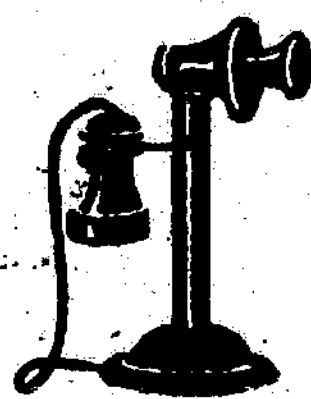
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December 6, 1978

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Your friend,
Paul Posey



Mandy Morton
P.O. Box 631
Tinnie, N.M.
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December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus
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Love
Mandy Mortan



Cynthia Montez
P.O. Box 221
Hondo N.M.
88363

December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
-I hope I get lot of presents for Christmas. On Christmas I hope I see you. For Christmas my mom wants lots of julry and shoes. I want two barbbies with a set. When you come I hope Rudolph is there

Your friend,
Cynthia Montez



Kenneth Thompson
P.O. Box 43
Picacho N.M.
88351
December

Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good boy. This is what I want for Christmas.
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December 6, 1978

Dear Santa Claus,
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Your friends,
Alec



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Ernie Mills

By Ernie Mills
Santa Fe--Don't Say We Didn't Tell You: Governor-elect Bruce King's press conference late last week to announce another batch of Cabinet Appointments gave plenty of evidence that it will be a much tougher King taking over the Governor's chair January first compared to the Bruce King of eight years ago.

For example, when King announced the appointment of Eric Serna to head up the Employment Services Division of the huge Human Services Department, he left no doubt that, in effect, he was naming a person to a thirteenth Cabinet seat.

This column has predicted that King would ask the next session of the Legislature to okay a Labor and Employment Cabinet Department—a move tried by incumbent Gov. Jerry Apodaca that failed last go-round.

The incoming Governor also made it crystal clear he will personally see to it that the New Mexico Comprehensive Employment and Training program will be brought under the control of the Governor's office in his Administration.

That will remove a big headache from the Human Services Department, but also will entail legislation to make the move possible. The Comprehensive Employment and Training Act program is our old friend CETA.

Probably the biggest insight into the "change" in Bruce King comes from those who talk to the Governor-elect behind the closed-doors of the transition office. Years ago, people would come out of a King interview sometimes a little confused whether they had received a yes or no to their requests.

Apparently, this time, Big Bruce is leaving no room for doubt and his firmness of purpose is carrying over to his press conferences as well.

Booze Talk: Our Sources say legal beagles at the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Department, were hoping to meet with incoming Attorney General Jeff Bingaman to discuss some pending lawsuits against the liquor control agency.

One area of special interest involves four suits filed by out-going Attorney General Toney Anaya against the issuance of the so-called canopy

liquor licenses. Canopy licenses are those issued to a single facility that includes several other establishments under a common roof. A.G. Anaya claims that one license cannot legally serve other units under the same roof.

The administration of liquor director Carlos Jaramillo disagreed and permitted such licenses. Our "birdies" say at least one attorney at ABC is hoping to convince Bingaman to drop the suits instituted by Anaya. That attorney contends the canopy issued should be settled by the State Legislature and not the courts.

More Booze Talk: State Rep. Fred Mondragon's proposal to create special beer and wine licenses during the 1979 Legislative Session has received considerable pre-session publicity.

Some staffers at the Alcoholic Beverage Control agency suggest that such licenses should carry a heavy fee—sometimes in the vicinity of \$5,000.

The Bernalillo County lawmaker, Mondragon, has advocated that such licenses should not cost as much as other liquor permits.

The ABC types say an expensive license would "encourage" restaurant owners to keep their establishments above board in order to protect the license from being revoked by enforcement authorities administering the liquor laws.

Three Cheers: The 1978 General Election campaign officially over this week—Friday, December 22nd to be exact.

That's the day the final state election code matter is addressed. In the presence of a District Court judge or his designate, ballot boxes are opened and their contents burned.

At that point, New Mexico voting machines are opened and cleared for future use.

Final Note: This column has to end with our warmest and very best wishes for the healthiest and most prosperous holiday season and 1979 for all of our readers throughout the Land of Enchantment.

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Edgewood & Sandia Knolls: 832-4483

My family and I might get our Christmas tree next week or some other day. The 3rd grade are having a program the 20th of Dec. Will you write back to me? I hope to see you and Rudolph soon.
Your friend,
Melissa Candelaria

Dear Santa Claus,
Hi! How are you? I am fine, I hope you come to my house and give me gifts for Christmas.



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A Bowl of Activities

From Nogal

Hang your Heart on the highest Christmas tree & have the happiest Christmas ever.

Nogal Wishes for everyone: The twinkle of sleigh bells reindeer & candy canes, candle light, snow flakes and fun. We wish you dancing & laughter & Christmas carols holly wreaths mistletoe & goodies and wine. Silver tinsel, red ribbons and bows colored lights a glow. Oen rose bud to dream on the xmas tree. We wish you a star to wish on for love, joy, peace, hope, and happiness and wonder, and all the magic of this magical night. We wish you a stable, a star, a baby boy, the shepherds the Virgin Mary and the wise men—but above all—we wish you and yours Happiness and a Merry Christmas.

—From Robie

a saint because he served God. And throughout centuries he gave presents and served his fellow man, so you don't have to worry about telling your children there isn't a Santa Claus ever—because there is one for Grown Ups and all.

A Cup of Hints
Cut out the pretty parts of old xmas cards and clip them to the tree.

Wrap your gift to a home seamstress, in pretty apron material, and tie it with matching rickrack or other trim, basting spools of thread to the bow.

Do You Know?
That xmas will be here and gone in no time at all.

The Cantada in the Mt Ministry this past Sunday was out of this world. If your spirit was dead it revived it.

The young matron who has a twin and they work very hard indeed - in womens club, church, in school, in home - they sometimes meet each other coming and going.

That Mrs. E. Breiger created a lot of concerne and excitement at the Country club last week. Bust she is fine now.

Robie's Box
A dash of Wisdom
Remember that Santa Claus is not a fable. There really is one, and each child should know that Santa's real name was Saint Nicholas, the Bishop of Myra, whose life on earth ended in 343 AD he was the Patron Saint of children. Many tales of his goodness and customs have evolved such as the hanging of the xmas stocking, his red robe, the color of a Bishop's vestments, and white beard are naturally copied by those who work for him and imitate him. This Bishop was not only a good man but he was a diciple of the Lord Jesus. He was called

Around the Bowl
Even during xmas love, life and death seems to go on—and this past week Mr. Miles Williams lost his father. We would like to dedicate a few words to him.

To see the world in a grain of sand
Heaven in a wild flower,
Hold infinity in the palm of your hand
and eternity in an hour.
By William Blake


Your Recipe this' week—
I am giving you the recipe for the candy that I helped the girls in the womens club make. "four's"

- 1 qt. of caro (dark)
- 1 box of brown sugar (16 oz)
- 2 1/2 cups of granulated sugar
- 1 qt. of whipping cream
- 3 sticks of butter (real)
- 2 cups of nuts—pecans.

Put all ingredients except 1 pint of the whipping cream, into a large pan (at least 10 inches high) cook until it is mixed up and boiling—then pour the other pint of whipping cream in keeping the candy boiling all the time you are

pouring the whipping cream in. Cook until it's very thick reaching about 238 degrees F. test with water until it forms a firm soft ball.

Pour into a greased pan about 10 by 14 inches let cool then flip over out of the pan and cut into squares. They are then ready to dip in chock.
Bye now until next week Robie



Wishing you and your a safe and Merry Christmas


Dr. & Mrs. Dale Goad
Dr. & Mrs. Craig Nelson



PEACE

Wishing you a season filled to the brim with warmth and contentment.

GIFT GALLERY
Roy Dow




Holiday Wishes.

We're all set for merry-making and celebrating and thoughts of peace and love. May you find this holiday time to be the best ever! Enjoy it!

Tommy's Barber Shop

Tommy, Martha, James, Theresa & Robert



Season's Greetings

As we celebrate His birth, may the spirit of peace and love fill your hearts this Noel.

Central Package Store

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hernandez



Warm wishes for a wonderful holiday season blessed with love and peace and lasting joy to all. Our many thanks to our faithful patrons.

Coffee Cup Cafe

Paul & Ramona Ortiz



Holiday Cheer

Sending a sleighful of warm wishes this holiday season to you and yours... Merry Christmas all!

Lincoln County Abstract

Pai & Jete Voss — Carrizozo, N.M.



Greetings Seasons

Together, we can make this the best Christmas yet. Have a happy, one and all!


Bob Means & Family



Let the joy of the first Noel bring to you... peace, contentment and renewed spirit. Many thanks to all our friends.

Simmons Auto Repair

O.S. Simmons & Family



Christ is Born

... let us all worship and give thanks.

Pat Vigil Insurance Agency

Pat, Jackie, Brian, Kelli & Patrick



Holiday Greetings

It's a magical season, filled with dreams come true! Hope your holiday's brimming with smiles and laughter!

White's Auto

Frank, Josie & Family
CARRIZOZO, N.M.



NOEL

Here's hoping you and yours experience all the joys of the holiday... peace, brotherhood, and much love. Merry Christmas to all!

The Little Store

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Merry Christmas

Santa knows... It just wouldn't be Christmas without all the traditional merriments... carolling, good times, lots of holiday cheer. Enjoy it to the fullest!

The Grocery Basket

Bill & Liz MacVeigh

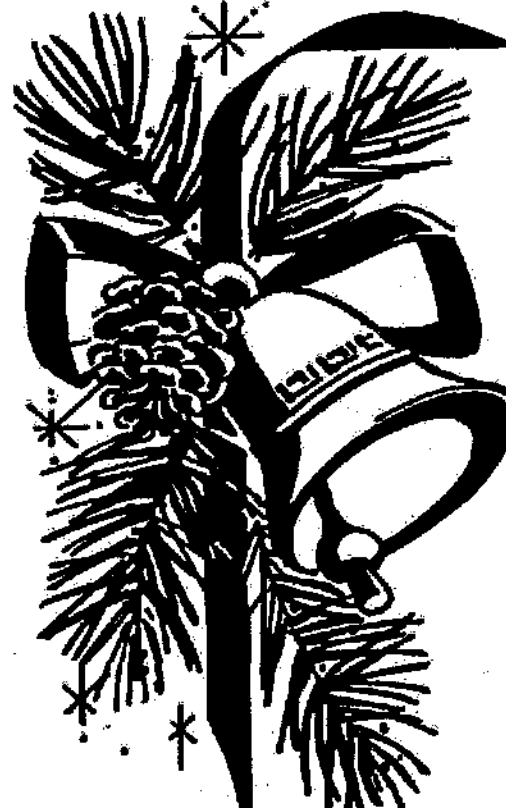


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Season of beauty for young and old

By HELEN KLEIN
Metro Newspaper Services

The Christmas season raises expectations in people of all ages, faiths and nationalities. There are very few, indeed, who do not look forward eagerly in one way or another to the holidays, do not anticipate the wealth of sensations, the multitudes of joys that make up that great, big, brilliantly wrapped package we know as "Christmas."

For older people, Christmas is a time for nostalgia, a chance to look back on the pleasures of the past, to revel in memories that are more and more special as the years go by.

For children, Christmas is a time of anticipation, an opportunity to look forward to a myriad of experiences, both large and small, that will eventually become their past to look back on, gladly and fondly.

Any Christmas is successful if it matches the precious recollections of the old and fulfills the sugarplum dreams of the young and innocent.

Memories of Christmas are like family heirlooms, glittering ornaments on a stately tree that are passed down lovingly from generation to generation. They are somewhat faded pictures in the album of the past, perpetuated, almost as bright as ever, through retelling to the young.

So many elements make up the holiday season, elements that are integral parts of the abundant, joyous memories to be treasured for years to come.

There are sights and smells and tastes, hundreds and hundreds of things which, all together, form the unique entity that is Christmas.

When the Christmas season opens, the gay garlands of green and red lights go up on Main Street, becoming incandescent in the misty twilight of a frosty winter evening. Shop windows take on a festive air, those that are simply decorated as well as those that are elaborately arranged with intricate, fantasy-filled dioramas.

The aroma of pine is everywhere. Fir branches festoon the lofty ceilings of large department stores where happily frenetic crowds throng the aisles in search of the special gift for that special person.

Outside, the streets are scented with roasting chestnuts, peanuts, other taste treats particular to the time of year, Santas, of every shape and size, stand guard over chimneys and kettles and remind the endless stream of passers-by that Christmas is a time for generosity to those who are in need.

ipes: frosted gingerbread cookies in fanciful shapes; luscious buttery cookies decorated with colored sugar; sweet, sticky fruit cake; brandied mincemeat pies.

Everyone begins dreaming of turkey with stuffing and cranberry sauce; plump, glazed ham studded with cloves; cranberry egg nog; and old-fashioned plum pudding; all the traditional Christmas dinner treats that are food for smiles.

Christmas tree ornaments, collected over the years, are taken out of storage lovingly in preparation for the tree itself, which will majestically dominate the scene.

The rich, joyous sounds of carols are ever-present. Everyone, from the Santa at the corner to the neighborhood merchant, seems to have a tune on his or her lips. Everywhere, bells are ringing.

Sprigs of holly and mistletoe find their way to the oddest places as December passes.

Everything reminds one that it is, in truth, "the season to be jolly." As the great day comes closer and closer, the excitement builds.

Everyone glows with the dual joys of giving and receiving. Junior dreams, perhaps, of the new train set he hopes to find under the tree; Mom, of his face as he opens the large, somewhat unwieldy box that means so much.

All dream of the family reunion they have been eagerly awaiting for months. And then, at long last, Christmas arrives, fulfilling the fondest wishes, making the dearest dreams come true and becoming the material of which memories are made.

With some preparation and a lot of love, this Christmas will be the Christmas to remember... always.

Old-style music fest

Christmas caroling is a fairly common practice, but how many of you have really ever had an old-fashioned Christmas music fest right at home?

It's a great way of gathering family and friends together to display their varied talents and join in for an evening of good music and good cheer.

If you have a piano in your home, you're ready to make plans for this tuneful celebration.

Have the family pianist gather all of his or her Christmas sheet music together—some for special solos and as many songs as possible for a rousing sing-along finale.

Have one and all come with flutes, drums, tamborines, strings, horns, guitars and voices tuned for performance. (For the shy, why not suggest musicians double up for some delightful duet work?)

MERRY CHRISTMAS to ALL!

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Lower Gateway — Ruidoso, New Mexico

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Christmas Greetings

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Christmas Wishes

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Happy Holiday

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Greetings

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Looking Back Through Our Files — by Jackie —



Seventy Years Ago

Sheriff Owen passed through Carrizozo Monday on his way from Carrizozo to Lincoln having in custody two men who had been bound over for shooting up Carrizozo.

The task of getting water into Carrizozo from the South Fork of Bonito was completed this week, the water being turned into Carrizozo pipe Tuesday, and two days later, the pipe being laid, it was on tap at Coyote, a station twelve miles north of there, and in a reasonably short time all along the line as far as Santa Rosa will be supplied with the best quality of aqua pura to be found in New Mexico...water from the Rio Bonito.

This luxury will be appreciated by the people along the eastern division of the E. P. & S. W. system, who heretofore have been compelled to quench their thirst with alkalai and gypsum compound, most of whom had to pay 75 cents a barrel for that doubtful luxury.

Buffalo Bill has publicly endorsed the President's policy in preserving the game of the country. The erstwhile hunter, guide and Indian fighter has safely landed on the opposite side of the fence from the fakers.

A traveling tent show whose main attractions were performing dog and ventriloquist, blew into town this week, but the wind was blowing a gale, so, they decided not to elevate the canvas, as the company was headed for Kansas by the overland route and did not want the tent to get there ahead of them. There was no show.

The new telephone building is assuming proportions under the guidance of its contractor. The building is at the rear of the post office and is to be brick structure, modernly heated and with plumbing throughout.

Three Carrizozo banks were represented at the Bankers gathering in El Paso Monday.

The Fort Stanton Minstrels came over Wednesday and gave their performance at the Carrizozo Theatre to a good crowd.

Think of it! The Western Garage is selling the new 1918 Ford Touring car for \$360.00 They urge prospective purchasers to give their orders, without delay.

The Government advises storing coal. Get storage prices from Humphrey Brothers.

Last Friday evening a large crowd gathered at the Lutz Hall to enjoy the entertainment and bid adieu to eighteen soldier boys who had been called to entrain for Fort McDowell, California.

Fifty Years Ago

Miss Mary Fritz, County School Superintendent, left Wednesday for Los Angeles to attend a convention of the Rural Educators of the Western Division. Miss Fritz is one of the three delegates from New Mexico.

A number of local golf enthusiasts left this morning for Magdalena to take part in the Southern New Mexico Golf Tournament. They are: M.U. Finley, T.E. Kelley, Pat Dolan, F.E. Hendrick and Will Ed Harris. Come on boys!

The heavyweight fight last night, between Gene Tunney and Tom Heeney in the Yankee Stadium in New York was accorded Tuney in the 11th round. The water is fine at the West swimming pool.

The new road equipment—red graders and redder caterpillars—for Lincoln County is here and all people have heard and most of them seem to have seen these costly machines. It was, and still is, a most noble and inspiring spectacle just before election. Local dairies have notified the community that after Nov. 15 the price of milk will be 20 cents a quart and 10 cents a pint.

Herman Kelt was down from White Oaks Tuesday, delivering coal. Herman says the demand for coal is slackening even though lingering winter has chilled the lap of spring.

“Atlantic and Pacific ocean commercial flying is fifteen years away”, Commander Richard E. Byrd said at Dallas last week. He was making a lecture tour in the interest of his proposed South Pole flight.

Pick Warden returned Saturday from a visit to his old home in West Virginia.

F. A. English, local Delco Dealer represented Lincoln County at a Delco Dealers Convention held in Dallas this week.

Forty Years Ago

The historical pageant given at the High School Auditorium Monday night was quite impressive and interesting. Uncle Sam, Miss Liberty and all the states were represented with brief historical sketches. Children from Ancho, White Oaks and other schools took part under the direction of their teachers and Mrs. Ola C. Jones, sponsor.

Cadet Maurice R. Lemon graduated from the United States Military Academy in the graduation exercises held Tuesday.

Construction of a new service station opposite the News Office was started last week.

We are informed it will be a Standard Oil products station.

The brick layers are at work on the building which will be the new Power Plant.

Mr. Donald McKay, President of Eastern New Mexico College, Portales, visited Carrizozo High School last week and made an interesting talk to the senior class.

Mrs. Elva S. Wilson accompanied the Ancho students to Carrizozo Monday to help stage the historical pageant.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walker, the forward looking operators of the Lyric Theatre, installed 340 new, luxurious leather cushioned seats in the Lyric yesterday.

Joe West was elected Commander of the American Legion Post at a special meeting held July 14th.

One hundred visitors attended a picnic and barbecue at the Vera Cruz mine last Sunday.

There are 54 pupils enrolled this year in the first grade.

Fire Chief Harkey and the entire department are very proud of the new fire engine which has new high pressure and low pressure pumps mounted on 1949 Chevrolet chassis, furnished from Thunderbird Sales Corporation, Phoenix, Ariz. One Wednesday the department will give a public demonstration in oil and gas fires, in connection with Fire Prevention Week. The Ancho Carnival and Bazaar is set. The ladies of the P.T.A. are getting lots of sewing done each Wednesday.

Boy Scouts, under the direction of their leader, Mr. Warren Ratliff have been cutting weeds and cleaning off the vacant lots around town. Lots next to the Lyric Theatre and at the rear of the Masonic Temple have been cleared. Mr. Ratliff and his troop will leave for Camp-o-ree near Capitan today.

Bobby Peebles, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Peebles of Nogal has entered thirteen of his prize sheep in the Roswell Fair. Five to be in a pen of ram.

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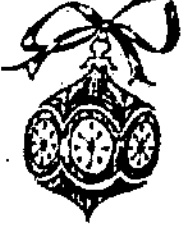
lamb, and consigned to the first ram sale.

Carrizozo is still improving at a fair rate and more buildings are being added to the business section.

Mr. Robert Means of Bob Means Tune-Up and Body Shop starts this week to level lots between the Odd-fellow Hall and the former Carrizozo Auto Co. Bldg. on main street preparatory for the construction of a garage building.

Sand and gravel are hauled and the excavation for the Bear machine is made.

The Carrizozo Woman's Club is sponsoring a Lincoln County Arts and Crafts exhibit. This is to be strictly a "home talent" exhibit. If you paint, or sculpt, carve, weave baskets or rugs, crochet, knit, make laces, quilts, pottery, or work in brass, silver, copper to tin, or tool leather, and wish to exhibit any of your work, please contact immediately any one of the committee.



Twenty Years Ago

The first event of the 1958 March of Dimes in the Carrizozo area is to be a dance this Saturday at the White Oaks school house. The dance is to start at 8 and refreshments will be served throughout the evening. Children will be entertained with pony rides and games.

Ghost Towns of the Southwest will be the highlight of an interesting program at the Carrizozo Woman's Club meeting.

The highway crew has started oiling the Nogal road. The oil job is to hold the grade until spring when it can be blacktopped. With this improvement the era of stuck cars during rainy days has come to an end. The crew started working on the Nogal hill Monday.

Mrs. Eaker's Doll Show was a huge success. We never saw so many pretty dolls and stuffed toys of all sizes. There were 76 dolls entered.

The number of light meters in use in Carrizozo reached a new high of 579 during January this year. The number of meters in use during the same month last year was 545.

A boys' 4-H Club is to be organized in Carrizozo Monday at the Junior High School building. County Agent Ralph Dunlap asks that any boys who are interested in 4-H Club work attend this meeting.

Linda Stearns, nine year old daughter of the Johnson terns, entered the Carrizozo Hospital last Thursday and returned home Monday.

Mrs. Alma Sherrill spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. O. V. Moore, at T or C.

The attention of motorists is called to new traffic signs that have been put up on the E Avenue bypass between Highways 64 and 380 in Carrizozo. A 25-mile speed limit has been posted for the entire street, with "Quiet, Hospital Zone" signs in place on both sides of the hospital. The labor in putting up the signs was by city prisoners.

Mrs. R. E. Lemon entertained the Past Matrons Club of the Order of Eastern Star on Tuesday.

Henry Vega left the first of the week for La Junta, Colorado to pick up a semi-truckload of grain for the Vega Feed Store.

Nat Palomarez left last week for Albuquerque where he was inducted into the Army. From Albuquerque he was flown to Ft. Ord, Calif.

Ten Years Ago

Nellie Lee Baker had guests this weekend—Miss Jan Marble of N.M. State University, Mrs. Baker's son, Bradley Baker from Santa Rosa and Walter Korn from Jackson, Wyoming. Mr. Korn is her son-in-law.

Mannie Hernandez was home from Tucson, Arizona visiting friends and relatives.

Mabel Rentfrow and Olive Harte attended a dessert bridge in Tularosa last week at the home of Mrs. Elmer Cole.

Tawn Colwell was elected 4-H Happy Homemaker Girl of the Month for November. Officers for 1968 are president, Nancy Dross; vice-president, Jackie Dross, secretary-treasurer, Tawn Colwell.

Carrizozo school officials are making plans to receive the new building the first week in October.

Shifting of classes will take place Oct. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ortiz and family will leave Thursday for Phoenix, Arizona to attend the wedding Saturday of their daughter Rita to Wm. Allen Hankerson.

Mr. Jim Ham visited relatives in Oklahoma this weekend.



Let us, one and all, delight in the treasures and adornments that decorate Christmas! Our thanks.

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LEGAL NOTICES

RESOLUTION NO. 1

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR AND GIVING NOTICE OF A REGULAR SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION TO BE HELD WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CAPITAN MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28, ESTABLISHING THE DATE WHEN THE ELECTION WILL BE HELD, THE OFFICES TO BE FILLED, GIVING NOTICE OF QUESTIONS RELATING TO THE CREATION OF INDEBTEDNESS, IMPOSITION OF TAXES AND THE DATE AND TIME OF CLOSING OF THE REGISTRATION BOOKS BY THE COUNTY CLERK AS REQUIRED BY LAW AND THE FINAL DATE AND TIME FOR FILING A DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of the Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, Lincoln County, New Mexico, that:

A. A regular school district election shall be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of February, 1979, within the limits of Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. The following offices shall be filled:

1) The office of member, Board of Education, Position, at-large for six (6) year term.

B. The following questions relating to the creation of school district indebtedness and the issuance of general obligation bonds of Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, and the imposition of the two mill levy shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the school district:

QUESTION NO. 1:

Shall the Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, Lincoln County, New Mexico, create a debt by issuing its general obligation bonds in the total sum of \$860,000, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing, remodeling and making additions to school buildings, and purchasing and improving school grounds in said District?

QUESTION NO. 2:
Shall the Capitan Municipal School District No. 28, Lincoln County, New Mexico, impose a property tax of two dollars (\$2.00) per each one thousand dollars (\$1,000) upon the net taxable value of property allocated to the Capitan District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 1979, 1980, and 1981, for the purpose of the following capital improvements in the school district:

(1) Erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment or furnishing public school buildings;

(2) Improving public school grounds and

(3) Maintenance of public school buildings.
All exclusive of salary expenses of the employees of the District?

C. Voter registration books maintained by the County Clerk shall be closed by the County Clerk at 5:00 p.m. on the forty-second day preceding the election.

D. Declarations of candidacy for all offices enumerated in Section A of this resolution shall be filed by candidate for office, or his authorized representative, in the office of the Superintendent of Schools before 5:00 p.m. on the thirty-fifth (35th) day before the election.

The voting districts, their boundaries, and the polling places therein are as follows (where general election precincts are designated, only those electors residing within those portions of the precinct within the school district shall be entitled to vote):

VOTING DISTRICT NO. 1: For all electors residing within general election precinct Nos. 1 & parts of 2 & 12, at the Fletcher Hall Arena, Capitan, New Mexico.

VOTING DISTRICT NO. 2: Absent Voter District: For all electors voting by absentee ballot, office of the Superintendent of Schools, School Administration Building Capitan, New Mexico.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 14th day of December, 1978.

Virgil Hall Jr. President

ATTEST:
Richard Phillips Secretary

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RESOLUCION NUMERO 1

UNA RESOLUCION LLAMANDO Y DANDO AVISO DE UNA ELECCION REGULAR DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DENTRO DE LOS BORDES DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR MUNICIPAL DE CAPITAN, NUMERO 28, PARA ESTABLECER LA FECHA EN CUAL HABRA LA ELECCION, LAS OFICINAS QUE SERAN LLENADAS, PARA PUBLICAR LAS PREGUNTAS SOBRE LA CREACION DE OBLICION, Y IMPOSICION DE IMPUESTO Y LA FECHA Y HORA DE CERRAR LOS LIBROS DE REGISTRO POR EL ESCRIBANO DE CONDADO ASI COMO SE LE EXIGE LA LEY Y LA FECHA FINAL Y LA HORA PARA DECLARAR CANDIDATURA

SE RESUELTO POR el Consejo de Educacion del Pueblo de Capitan, NUEVO MEXICO, que:

A. Habra una eleccion regular del distrito escolar el martes, dia 6 de Febrero, 1979, dentro de los limites del Distrito Escolar y Municipal de Capitan, Numero 28, desde las ocho de la manana (8:00 a.m.) hasta las siete de la noche (7:00 p.m.). SS

A. Habra una eleccion regular del distrito escolar el martes, dia 6 de Febrero, 1979, dentro de los limites del Distrito Escolar y Municipal de Capitan, Numero 28, desde las ocho de la manana (8:00 a.m.) hasta las siete de la noche (7:00 p.m.). Se eligiran las siguientes oficinas:

(1) La oficina de Miembro, El Consejo de Educacion, La Posicion Numero 1, general, para un periodo de seis (6) anos.

B. Las siguientes preguntas relacionadas a creacion de obligacion del distrito escolar y la publicacion de bonos de obligacion general del Municipal Escolar de Capitan Numero 28, y imposicion de impuesto, veran sometidas a votacion de los electores qualificados del Distrito Escolar.

PREGUNTA NUMERO 1:

Debe crear el Distrito Escolar y Municipal de Capitan, Numero 28, en el Condado de Lincoln, Nuevo Mexico, una deuda para emitir los bonos de obligacion general en la suma total de \$860,000, para que se edifique, se amueble, se modele de nuevo y se anada a los edificios escolares y comprar y mejorar terrenos de la escuela en dicho Distrito?

PREGUNTA NUMERO 2:

Debe imponer el Consejo de Educacion del Distrito Escolar y Municipal de Capitan, Numero 28, en el Condado de Lincoln, Nuevo Mexico, un impuesto de propiedad de \$2.00 a cada mil dolares (\$1,000) segun el valor del impuesto de propiedad alocado el distrito de Capitan por el Codo de Impuestos de Propiedades para el impuesto de propiedad en los anos de 1979, 1980 y 1981, y para que se realicen los siguientes mejoramientos de capital en el Distrito Escolar:

(1) Edificar, remodelar, anadir a, hacer provision para equipar y amueblar los edificios de las escuelas publicas;

(2) Mejorar los campos alrededor de las escuelas publicas; y

(3) Mantener los edificios de las escuelas publicas. Todo exclusivo de los salarios de los empleados del Distrito?

C. Los libros de registracion de votantes mantenidos por el escribano del condado seran cerrados por el escribano del condado a las 5 de la tarde del cuarentesimo-segundo (42) dia antes de la eleccion.

D. Declaraciones de candidatura para todas las oficinas ofrecidas en la parte (A) de esta resolucion seran registrados por el candidato para oficina o su representatante autorizado, en la oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas antes de las 5:00 de la tarde, el trigesimo-quinto (35) dia antes de la eleccion.

Los distritos de votacion, sus limites, y los sitios de votacion son los siguientes (donde se apuntan los precinctos de eleccion general, solo los electores que viven dentro de esas partes del precincto dentro del distrito escolar tendran el derecho a votar):

DISTRITO DE VOTACION NUMERO 1: Los bordes de tal distrito de votar concurrir con los bordes del distrito escolar. El sitio de votacion sera el edeficio de Fletcher Hall, Capitan, Nuevo Mexico.

DISTRITO DE VOTACION NUMERO 2: El Distrito de Electores Ausentes: Para todos los electores que votan por boleto ausente, la oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas, edeficio de administracion, Capitan, Nuevo Mexico.

PASADO, APROBADO Y ADOPTADO este dia 14 de Diciembre, 1978.

Virgil Hall Jr. Presidente
(SELLO)
Doy fe:
Richard Phillips
Escribante

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Legal Notice

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, in open session, at its Regular Meeting to be held commencing at 7 o'clock P.M. on the 8th day of January 1979, at the Town Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico, shall consider final action on the adoption of the following Ordinances:

1. An Ordinance amending Section 4-4-2: SEWER TAP FEE. The proposed amendment would increase said fee from \$25.00 to \$50.00.

2. An Ordinance amending Section 3-3-23: WATER RATES. The proposed amendment would increase the tapping and meter fee from \$100.00 to \$150.00.

3. An Ordinance allowing and permitting ARL L. COPE, JR., d-b-a Tularosa Cable TV, to transfer and assign his rights and privileges under Ordinance No. 76-110 and amended Ordinance No. 76-114 to MR. OMER L. GIBSON (transfer of ownership and management of the Cable TV System in Carrizozo).

Copies of the proposed Ordinances shall be available to interested persons during normal and regular business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk upon request.

Bill G. Payne, PAYNE, MITCHELL & WILSON, LTD., ATTORNEYS FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TOWN OF CARRIZOZO. Published one time only Dec. 21, 1978.

Legal Notice

APPLICATIONS REVIEWED

The proposal review advisory council of the behavioral health services division will be reviewing applications affecting planning districts II, III, and VI on December 21, 1978 at 9:00 A.M. Crown Building, 725 St. Michael's Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico. The public is welcome. For further information call 827-5271, ext. 305.

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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED OR DESIGNATED DEFENDANTS:

GROUP I:

E. C. TAYLOR;
CAROLYN S. TAYLOR;
LLOYD L. DAVIS, SR.;
MARY D. DAVIS;
LOTTIE BETH DAVIS;
YEULETA F. ISLER;
ESTELLE D. COMBS;

GROUP II:

L. D. THRANE;
WILLIAM E. POWELL;
LEE W. SMITH;
ALICE B. BOLLEN;
SANFORD C. COX, JR.;
EUGENE B. THURSTON;

GROUP III:

WESTERN LAND ASSOCIATES, INC., a New Mexico Corporation;
MESA INVESTMENT COMPANY, INC., a Corporation;
VALLEY LAND AND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, INC., a Corporation;

GROUP IV:

EDWARD C. FREDERICK, if living; if deceased, his unknown heirs;

GROUP V:

RUIDOSO LAND SALES COMPANY, INC., a defunct corporation;

GROUP VI:

UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVEETING TO THE PLAINTIFFS.

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby KENNETH R. KOETHER, as Plaintiffs, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Cause No. CV-255-78, Division I, wherein you are named or designated as Defendants and wherein the said Plaintiffs seek to obtain constructive service or process upon you.

The general object of said action is the establishment of the estates of the Plaintiffs in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause against the adverse claims of the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title, or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the estate of the Plaintiffs, and that the titles of the Plaintiffs thereto in fee simple be forever quieted and set at rest, said property being that certain land situate in Lincoln County, New Mexico, described as follows:

Lot 28 of Block 14, of PINECLIFF, Unit 4, as shown by the Amended Plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Exofficio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on August 7, 1967, in Tube No. 284.

Lot 4 of Block 4, of APACHE HILL SUBDIVISION, AS SHOWN BY THE Plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Exofficio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on March 27, 1967, in Tube No. 266.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in the said cause on or before the 25th day of January, 1979, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted.

The name and post office address of the attorneys for the Plaintiffs is as follows: Bill G. Payne, PAYNE, MITCHELL & WILSON, Ltd., Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this 7th day of December, 1978.

Margo E. Lindsay District Court Clerk

(D.C.SEAL)

By (s) Joy Leslie, Deputy
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Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY NEW MEXICO

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF THE DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP

OF: SYBYLE HULBERT, Deceased. Cause No. PB-41-78

Division I

NOTICE OF HEARING TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP

TO: Glenda M. (Millie) Ortiz, formerly Glenda M. (Millie) Hudgins, 3824 Headingly, N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico, 871, and to all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in and to the estate of said decedent.

GREETINGS

You and each of you are hereby notified that Phillip Ortiz has filed in the above entitled cause a Petition to Determine Heirship and ownership of certain real estate owned by Sibyl E. Hulbert, deceased, at the time of her death on January 24, 1970, there having been no administration of the decedent's estate in the State of New Mexico, and Petitioner having availed himself of the provisions pursuant to Section 31-12-22, N.M.S.A., 1953 Compilation; and the Court having designated Thursday, the 25th day of January, 1979, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., as the day and time, and the District Courtroom at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the place for a hearing to determine the heirship of said decedent; the interest of each respective claimant in and to the real estate involved; and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof.

A description of said real estate is: Lots 12, 13 and 14 — Block 28, of McDONALD'S - ADDITION, Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, Spetember 13, 1966.

The attorneys for the Petitioner are PAYNE, MITCHELL & WILSON, Ltd., Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court this 12th day of December, 1978.

(D.C.SEAL) Margo E. Lindsay District Court Clerk

By (s) Joy Leslie, Deputy
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Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RHEA DOWNEN, Deceased.

No. PB-38-78

Division 11

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION IN FORMAL INTESTACY PROCEEDINGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Richard A. Downen has filed with the above named Court a Petition in the Formal Intestacy Proceedings, a copy of said Petition is being furnished to all known interested parties.

Hearing has been set to consider the Petition on the 15th day of January, 1979, at 1:00 o'clock P.M., Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo New Mexico before the District Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The attorney for the Petitioner is James E. Snipes, P.O. Box 1565, 205 North First Street, Lovington, New Mexico, 88260.

DATED this 20th day of November, 1978.

RICHARDA. DOWNEN, Petitioner
1315 North Golder
Odessa, Texas 79761

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Legal Notice

WHEREAS Section 77-5-2A N.M.S.A. public School code of New Mexico provides as follows:

"On the first Tuesday in February each odd numbered year, a regular school district election shall be held in each school district to elect qualified persons to membership on the local school board to fill any vacated positions of a member whose term has expired."

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED that an election for said purpose be called to elect one (1) member to the Capitan Board of Education Municipal School District No. 28 Lincoln County, New Mexico in said district on the 6th day of February 1979 for the following position:

Position 1

Term six (6) years
Declaration of candidacy must be filed in the office of the Superintendent of schools no later than 5:00 p.m. January 2, 1979. Registration books shall be closed by the county clerk at 5:00 p.m. on December 26, 1978. The school district shall be composed of one voting place, the Fletcher Hall Arena. The boundaries for voting in the municipal school district No. 28 are as follows:

Including the original school district No. 28 and all consolidated districts. Section 77-5-21 N.M.S.A. Public School Code of New Mexico, provides for absentee voting for any qualified elector of the school district for regular school district election as defined in Section 77-5-21 N.M.S.A. through 34. Information and absentee ballots may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of schools in Capitan, New Mexico. The Superintendent's office will be closed December 22 through 25, 1978 and January 1, 1979.

Virgil Hall, Jr., President
Capitan Municipal School Board of Education
School District Number 28
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Legal Notice

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals for furnishing of all labor and materials for construction of Renovation & Addition to Corona Auditorium, Corona Municipal Schools, Corona, New Mexico, will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Corona Municipal Schools, Corona, New Mexico, until 1 PM (MST) the 4th day of January, 1979 at which time and place bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Instructions to Bidders and Contract Documents are available to interested contractors at the office of Charles E. Nolan, Jr. & Associates, AIA Architects, 301 11th Street, Alamogordo, New Mexico 88310.

General Contractors may obtain three (3) sets of plans and specifications upon a deposit of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each set. Sub-contractors and material suppliers may obtain one (1) set at the stated deposit.

If plans and specifications are returned to the Architect in good condition within ten (10) days after receipt of bids, the full amount of the deposit will be returned to contractors submitting a bonafide bid.

Proposals must be submitted in accordance with the details plans and specifications on the forms prescribed for that purpose and the Owner reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive any and/or all formalities.

Each bidder is to deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

Ordered by the Board of Education, Corona Municipal Schools, Corona, New Mexico.

Ernest Sulfemeler, President
Board of Education
Corona Municipal Schools
Corona, New Mexico
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SCHOOL BOARD
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Ferguson citing a lack of pressure on the part of the people in favor of affiliation. How they did not announce their intention to re-hash this subject. They did not let anyone know that they were even considering this action. The parents that were in favor of North Central, were not at the December meeting, so they did not have an opportunity to speak out upon this subject. It wasn't until the next day that the people that were for the North Central affiliation learned that the board had pulled a fast one on them.

The vote to rescind the November decision was legal, but in extremely bad taste. This sort of run around does not inspire confidence by the community in the school board. This is the very thing that festers in a community and causes dissension.

But this wasn't the most absurd incident at the meeting. Later in the meeting the superintendent had some recommendations for the boards consideration as per the parent concerns of November 14th.

Superintendent Recommendation:
The board to instruct the Superintendent to hold a conference and/or a hearing for parents with concerns of Nov. 14, 1978.

Conference:
Call in parents, students, teachers, and witnesses.

Superintendent-hearing officer, make recommendation to board.

Members of board may attend as observers, not as board members.

- Parents for conference:**
1. Mr. & Mrs. Phillip Ortiz
 2. Mr. & Mrs. Ruben Zamora
 3. Mr. & Mrs. Neo Vallejos
 4. Gayle Bush
 5. Earl Bragg
 6. Stanley Turnbull
 7. Mable Candelaria
 8. Mrs. Theresa Baca
 9. Mrs. Ruth Silva

Hearing:
Before an impartial officer (person appointed by the board).

Legal council to represent school and personnel.

Parents must prove charges against Superintendent as indicated:

1. Request for appearance before school board "Lying by school personnel"
2. Charges made at Nov. 14, 1978, school board meeting. Superintendent is a liar.

3. Richard Vega amendments to the minutes of Nov. 14, 1978. Witnesses to subpoena as per 77-4-2-L School Code: Mr. & Mrs. Frank Montoya and children; Mrs. Bonnie Shepperd and children; Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Paul; Mrs. Stephenson; Mrs. Pherigo; Richard Vega; other parents as determined by conference; other students who know of situation.

The state statute that is referred to, 77-4-2-L states:

77-4-2. Local School Boards—Powers—Duties—A local school board shall have the following powers or duties...L. for good cause, subpoena witnesses and documents in connection with a hearing concerning any powers or duties of the local school board.

Evidently the superintendent thought that gave him the power to hold a hearing to "clear" his good name. The board never grasped that first off, they could not just call these people, they had to file suit in District Court in order to get an order from the district court. Second the hearing in the statute talks about the powers and duties of the local school board, not the superintendent. The statement that Legal council to represent the school is odd, since it would seem that the school did not use council in finding this statute.

I took this to a prominate. New Mexico attorney who stated the above objections, and then added that this amazing recommendation violated Amendment I of the Amendments to the constitution of the United States...abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

The parents had the right to question the school without this kind of harassment.

Also since the superintendent stated that the board could use this to get the copy of the 400 names that indicated as a poll that they would be in favor of affiliation with North Central, so this violates Amendment 4.

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, PAPERS, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures.

This amazing document also violates the 5th, 6th, and 7th Amendments as they pertain to the Due process of law.

In general the effect on the concerned parents was one of panic at the thought of going to court. In fact the board adopted an amendment to the recommendations that stated if the people were willing to admit that they, the people publicly lied, well then the charges and the hearing would be dropped. Again a violation of every ethical code in education.

It is incredible that the board of Carrizozo allowed and even endorsed this action.

What stands out foremost in the minds of most people is the School's continuing attempt to intimidate anyone and everyone into silence. If anyone says anything critical about the school, the uproar that is caused is deafening.

But for the parents that had the courage to set forth their concerns at the november meeting, this kind of intimidation and harassment is a bitter pill at best.

We must step a ways back and repeat. The school does not and can not own and run the community. We, the

community run the school.

These kind of tactics can not be tolerated by freedom loving people or we will not have our freedom long.

Not that the reader needs anymore problems shown, but one more problem stands before the community. That is that on December 9th, three days before this meeting, the Carrizozo School Board held a secret meeting as is defined by the "Open meetings law".

The news got a call on Thursday the 14th and in response to a request by Mr. Sammy Pacheco of the New Mexico Attorney General's office, I called on Ray Wells and asked him this question.

"Did the Carrizozo School Board meet anytime other than the regularly scheduled times? He responded that they had not, I then asked if the board had met on Saturday December 9th. He said, "well, not as a board, they had had a workshop."

I then called Mr. Steinepreis, and his reply was almost a carbon copy. No there hadn't been any other meeting, and when asked about Saturday, yes he now remembered that they had had a workshop. He stated it was legal to hold a workshop and the members of the board just sat around and discussed their problems, but no decision was reached.

When I asked him if he had knowledge that an unannounced meeting regardless of whether it was open or closed was strictly illegal. Mr. Steinepreis replied that he had gotten approval from Mr. Mel Cordova from the New Mexico School Board Association.

Mr. Cordova stated to the news that he had talked to Mr. Steinepreis about holding a workshop but advised (he has no power to authorize) the Carrizozo School Board to hold their meeting the same as they hold their board meeting with a published statement as to the fact that they would be meeting.

The NEWS cannot guess what transpired at the secret meeting, but giving the fact that the board made two incredible decisions, one on North Central, and the other on the recommendation of the Superintendent, and also Mr. Steinepreis gave his resignation at the meeting, three very difficult decisions, the NEWS has no other alternative than to reason that these actions were discussed.

But incredible as it seems, the resignation by Mr. Steinepreis was not accepted by the school board, making it a token resignation. A check with the School Board's Association indicated that the Carrizozo School Board has not given them the word that the Board is looking for another superintendent, and in fact there is not a vacancy declared.

Again it is the confidence of the people of the school district that is at stake. I can not have confidence in the school with these kinds of things going on. What is at stake, the children are too important to me to sit idle while this is going on. I realize as did the parents that had concerns, that quite an attempt will be made to silence and chastise me for my criticism. It was done last July upon an unfavorable editorial.

In my Christmas issue I would have liked to keep the controversy out, but alas, these are things which must be said. The facts speak for themselves.

It is the hope for the Lincoln County News, though, that we can sit with the board at a workshop session before the next regular board meeting and work these problems out to the benefit of the School, Community, and most importantly to the benefit of the children. After all, that is what all of this is all about.

We must get everyone together and hear all of the sides and have the time to discuss in a rational manner these problems, or the controversy that has plagued the Carrizozo School System will not end.

We must do this for the Children. I can leave and most everyone else can leave if they see fit, but the children must go to school by law, so it is our duty to get together and settle these problems for the sake of our most precious possessions, our children. MS

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cheeked caroler
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and wishes for a
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from us to you!



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Legal Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on December 6, 1978 Eagle Creek Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 1417, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 filed application number H-1140-S with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to use

an existing shallow well drilled under H-1140-Expl. to be renumbered H-1140-S and located in the SE 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 33, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M. for the purpose of supplementing shallow well No. H-1140

located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of said Section 33 for the diversion of 14.96 acre feet per annum of shallow ground water for recreational (snowmaking) purposes on 5.2 acres of land described as follows:

SUBDIVISION	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE	ACRES
Pt. SW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4	33	10 S.	13 E.	2.9
Pt. NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4	33	10 S.	13 E.	2.1
Pt. SE 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4	33	10 S.	13 E.	0.2

Any person, firm, association, corporation, the State of New Mexico or the United States of America, deeming that the granting of the above application will impair or be detrimental to their water rights, may protest in

writing the proposal set forth in said application. The protest shall set forth all protestant's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with S. E. Reynolds, State Engineer, P.O. Box

1717 Roswell, New Mexico, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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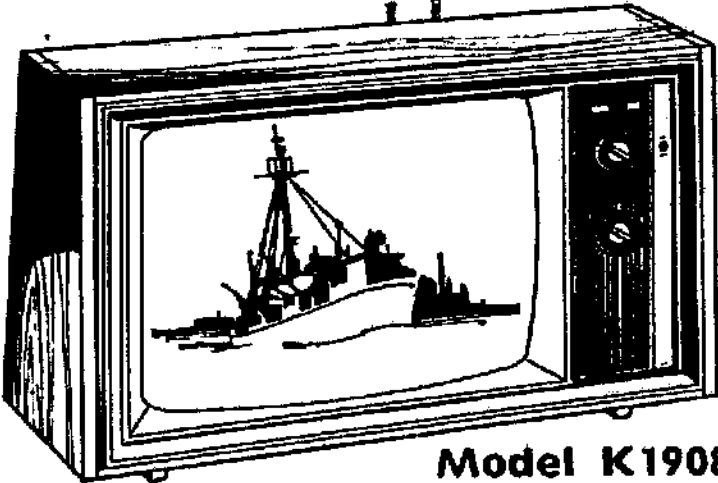
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