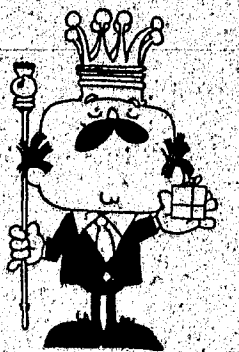


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"Do I hear a motion to adjourn - a second?"  
— All that is left of Monday's meeting —

## Carrizozo Town Business Meeting-- Three Councilors Walk Out of Meeting

Dark clouds. Lightening. Thunder. All this was experienced last Monday within the town hall during the regular monthly meeting. While Mother Nature provided the town with a generous rainstorm outside, the council and audience were brewing their own storm indoors. The activity centered on the heated topic of the evening regarding an executive session involving Chief of Police C.A. Morales and Officer Russel Smith. The large audience participated in the police matter by voicing their opinions and hand clapping. The majority of those present were in favor of Morales, who has been with the police department for 22 years.

The meeting adjourned late and sudden with most of the scheduled business on the agenda left unfinished. One trustee, Ruben Zamora was all that was left after the brief expiring of three trustees. One walked off, two resigned. The trio were unsatisfied with the closed session results.

Zamora, who heads police works had made the motion to go into executive session, early in the meeting, to "discuss allegations against Mr. Russel Smith." He also stated that he was the person that charged Smith with the allegations and that he had witnesses in the audience.

Upon returning from Monday's closed session, Mayor Hernandez announced that the council had discussed the personnel matter, and that they were presented with evidence. He then asked Morales what action he wanted to take. "As far as I'm concerned Officer Smith is terminated as police officer in my department. My letter still stands." He said he was releasing Smith because of misconduct as an officer.

Orsak moved to overrule the Chief's decision. A second came from Moreland. A vote taken resulted in two "for" and two "against." Harmon sided with Zamora in upholding Morales's ruling, but only after asking town attorney Bill Payne about "legal aspects." The mayor said, "It's up to me to break the tie. I am with Harmon and Zamora to go along with the Chief."

At this point Orsak picked up his papers and walked towards the door. Hernandez said, "The meeting is not over, sir." Orsak responded with, "Goodnight!" and left the town hall. The council started to proceed with the next item of business, "Public Housing," when Moreland interrupted to say that an injustice had been done concerning the Smith business and that the procedure of the problem had been inadequately handled, he added that he was "sending my resignation."

Moreland said he had three reasons for resigning, one being that the council did not offer Smith any disciplinary action, only termination. "I'm upset", he concluded. Harmon refused to accept Moreland's resignation. Moreland agreed to present a written resignation at the next regular meeting in July. "OK. You're dismissed," said Hernandez. Moreland left.

Harmon who had been on the council the longest, six years, state, "I'll resign too! I'm not even going to wait until the next meeting!" And he too left the town hall.

This turn of events at Monday's meeting followed an evening of confusion. Throughout the public meeting where many council "ayes" and "nays"; show of hands from audience as requested by the mayor; motion opinions from each trustee; and Harmon often asked Payne for "legal advice." There was one time Payne answered "I frankly do not know."

During the closed session the entire council returned to their seats because Orsak, a stickler for

parliamentary procedure in the past, wanted something cleared. Orsak wanted the record to show that he and Moreland voted against an executive session. Then it was back into the closed for the town fathers at this June meeting.

This police problem originated with the May meeting when Morales had a letter listing offenses by Smith. The audience were requested to leave at this May meeting because a closed session was in order. No meeting was held because, according to Hernandez, Orsak "threw the letter out" because of a 90-day probation period clause. Hernandez felt this was not right.

At this May meeting the police personnel matter was tabled; Moreland was removed from police works and replaced with Zamora. Morales went on a vacation for an indefinite time.

Last week Hernandez suspended Smith. Hernandez changed his mind and allowed Smith to work until Monday's meeting, at which time a closed session was to be held concerning Smith's employment status. At Monday's meeting Hernandez gave Smith the option of a public or closed meeting. Smith preferred the closed session but argued with the mayor that Hernandez was not following proper procedure. Smith said the matter should have been turned over to the chief of police (Wheeler, who was filling in for Morales) for further investigation to determine if such a meeting should be held.

At Monday's meeting witnesses were on hand on Morales' behalf. Moreland said that Smith was not informed to have witnesses for his defense.

A move tabled the Smith executive session for a special meeting which was to be held Thursday, June 12. Smith's "working suspension" was question. Smith was given an extension on the suspension until the special meeting. The new suspension ruling was to start Monday night, this time without work and pay. The uniformed Smith asked, "Does that mean I'm not working?" Smith left the town hall when he learned that he was truly suspended this time.

Motion time again-- Orsak moves to cancel the Chief's suspension of Smith. Zamora opposed Orsak's motion; Moreland is for motion and Harmon prefers not to vote. Hernandez who wants the Smith-Morales business taken care of that evening asked for a show of hands from the public. "People are tired of matters being tabled."

Then a council vote was taken to bring Smith back to the town hall for a closed session. Zamora and Harmon vote "yes with Harmon first inquiring about legalities. Hernandez breaks the tie. Morales and police clerk, Rosamary Gallegos try to locate Smith who has left the premises thinking he was suspended until Thursday.

## Capitan Council Handles Water

The Capitan Town Council got the verdict on the village sewer lagoon from the EID - start working on something better now.

John Burkstaller, field engineer EID, told the council that the current procedure of letting lagoon overflow out into Maggado Creek is illegal. The village has no permit to discharge, the lagoon system originally designed to handle ten-years sewerage employing the evaporation method.

Increased population and poor design has created the present situation, the Council concluded. The village is seeking a new engineering firm to help the lagoon problem and heard representatives from Muir-Seraphini-Muir, Albuquerque. Selection of a firm will be on a competitive basis so the village can "get the most" for the money they will receive.

Burkstaller urged the Council to get cost estimates to begin loan application from FHA.

The Council approved taking the steps to drop the retainer with the engineering firm presently working for the village. A special meeting on June 20, 7 p.m. was called to decide on a replacement for that firm.

Jokingly, the Council stated the lagoon problem may not be any problem because of the lack of water. The lack heated several tempers attending the meeting. Pat Sullivan requested the Council set a moratorium on additional water taps,

even within the village limits. Her property located on the western side of a subdivision was without water completely.

Hollis Cummins, village businessman, complained that in the twenty-one years he has lived in Capitan he did not have enough water to flush his toilet. He voiced his

concern as a businessman and as a citizen of the village over the lack of water to take care of those who have chosen to make Capitan their home.

The lack of water was not because there is no water but the 4" lines which carry water from Bonita Lake

(con't. on P. 2)

## C'zozo Places 4th in Nation

An eight-unit housing complex for low income senior citizens in Carrizozo, N.M. won the fourth place prize of \$2,500 for the Carrizozo Woman's Club in the national Community Improvement Program (CIP) sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs and Sears, Roebuck and Co.

Announcement was made during an awards presentation at the GFWC's 89th annual convention in St. Louis, Mo. Making the presentation were Mrs. A.M. Quint, GFWC president, and Charles W. Harper, vice president-public relations for Sears. Accepting the award for the Carrizozo Woman's Club was Mrs. Ruth Armstrong, CIP co-chairman. The housing complex has been a

community project of the Carrizozo Women's Club since 1978. Overcoming obstacles and determination to get a loan, build and manage the complex for the duration of the loan has become a reality - ground-breaking started Feb. 4, 1980.

The eight-unit complex is being built in one of the best areas in the community - close to a shopping center, post office and health care center. The apartments will have a laundry room and carpeting in addition to hot water, electricity and heat. One unit is being specially designed for a handicapped resident with lower light switches and electrical outlets, plus an alarm system which can be activated in case of emergency.

Competition was fierce with delegates and entries from around the world. First prize went to Doylestown, Penna. for a community hospital, second place went to an abused children's center in Morristown, Tenn., third place went to a Los Angeles shelter for battered wives and fifth place went to a retired adults home.

The Carrizozo delegates were headed by Ruth Armstrong, who received the award on behalf of the Carrizozo Woman's Club. Ruth, who had the original idea, is on the Board of Directors. Local women who made the trip of cheer her on were Carolyn Cantrell, Mary Ellen Payne, Sue Stearns, Mary Spencer, Viola Fenter, Chris Fenter, Lyn Miller, Sister and Mary Thorpe.

The Community Improvement Program under which the local senior citizen housing falls, is a world-wide program sponsored by the Sears Foundation. Prize money must go back into another project for the good of the community.

Carrizozo has now attracted national attention, the honor being far greater than the Lincoln County Wars of Billy the Kid. It is unbelievable that a tiny town with it's few women workers could achieve such a project. The top winners were from large cities with hundreds of members in their clubs.

Carrizozo Woman's Club was the smallest club in the finalist group and one of the smallest in the nation. It was an honor just to be mentioned let alone to receive fourth place out of 10,415 entries. It is an honor the Women's Club will long remember and one they hope to surpass in the coming years.



## Twister sighted east of Carrizozo Monday night

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## LEGAL NOTICE

DECLARATION AND RESTRICTIONS ON WATER USAGE FOR THE VILLAGE OF CAPITAN

PURSUANT to the power and authority vested in me, pursuant to the laws and statutes of the State of New Mexico and the Ordinances of the Village of Capitan, I, Don Stark, the mayor of the Village of Capitan with the unanimous consent of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Capitan, having declared a state of emergency due to the inability of the Village of Capitan to provide a safe and adequate supply of drinking water for the residents of the Village of Capitan, do hereby impose the following restrictions regarding the use of water by the residents of the Village of Capitan and others using the Capitan water system:

Until further notice, there shall be no further watering of lawns, shrubs, flowers, trees and other outside plants not fit for human consumption, and/or washing of automobiles. There shall be no other uses of water except for human consumption, i.e., water used for drinking, cooking, bathing, disposal of human waste and the washing of clothing; and providing drinking water for pets and livestock, and as more particularly set forth below.

Water for construction use, for watering the Capitan school football field, any parks and/or recreational areas in Capitan and fruit tree watering shall be by permit only; said permits to be obtained from the Village Clerk of the Village of Capitan.

There shall be no new water taps issued from the Village of Capitan until further notice.

For the purposes of water rationing, the Village of Capitan is broken down into the following twelve areas:

Area No. 1 - All Mesa Verde Subdivisions,

- Area No. 2 - Big Country Subdivision,
- Area No. 3 - Hideaway Hills Subdivision,
- Area No. 4 - Mt. Capitan Subdivision,
- Area No. 5 - Thunderbird Hills Subdivision,
- Area No. 6 - Boomer Annexation,
- Area No. 7 - Draper Area,
- Area No. 8 - 1st St. North to City Limits, including S. on Bonita to City Limits,
- Area 9 - Hideaway Hills to Nogal - 1st St. S. to City Limits,
- Area No. 10 - Nogal to Bonita - 1st St. to 3rd St.,
- Area No. 11 - Nogal to Bonita - 3rd St. to S. City Limits,
- Area No. 12 - All outside City Limits users.

The watering of gardens used to supply food for human consumption shall be watered as follows:

- A. Monday through Thursday; areas 4, 5, 8 and 11
- B. Tuesday and Friday; areas 1, 2, 5, and 7,
- C. Wednesday and Saturday; areas 3, 9, 10 and 12.

All watering shall take place between 5:00 p.m. and midnight; and no other times.

Violation of the above restrictions is a violation of a City Ordinance and may be punished according to law.

The mayor and the trustees of the Village of Capitan respectfully request that the users of the water from the Capitan water system voluntarily limit their use of water by restricting the number of clothes washings; the number of baths and the number of toilet flushings.

The above restrictions shall remain in effect until further notice. Residents are urged to check with the Village Clerk and other Village authorities regarding questions.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Don Stark, Mayor  
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## Portable Spray Vat Purchased

Lincoln County has purchased a portable spray vat for control of parasites on livestock. The spray vat was purchased with money in Farm and Range Improvement Fund and is available to all livestock producers in Lincoln County.  
Barry Herd, Lincoln County

Extension Agent will demonstrate using the spray vat at the Fair Grounds in Capitan Friday the 13th between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

More information about the spray vat may be obtained by calling the County Extension Office in Carrizozo at 648-2311.

# M-Y T-I-M-E

by Michael Swickard

In the last few weeks, I have talked to many Lincoln County residents that have told me that they have found the articles in the Lincoln County News to be entertaining, especially concerning Carrizozo's non-elected Mayor.

Let me make one thing clear. This really is not a laughing matter. I did not write my comments to entertain anyone. The problems described in the paper are real problems, though, I have to admit that they do seem humorous some of the time, but they are not. MS

Each week I think to myself that things have got to get better, but so far they are not. This last week, Monday night, three town councilors walked out of the meeting rather than continue with the Mayor.

Two of the councilors announced their resignation while the other left without speaking.

Now I don't know about you, but I get the feeling that the town is falling apart with Mayor Hernandez at the helm. The only thing to do is have a special election. Over and over there has been shown a lack of confidence by the people in the Mayor.

With this much controversy, it would seem time for a special election to answer some questions. Then if Mayor Hernandez was elected Mayor, we would all know that it was the wish of the people, and I would not say another bad thing about the Mayor as long as he is Mayor, I promise. And if the rest of the board would resign, we can answer the question of what the people want, and then we can go from there.

The controversy does nothing to help the town, and it is time that we do something to resolve the controversy. MS

The town council of Capitan is a different bunch of people from the Carrizozo bunch. And here I am talking about the mayor mostly.

The town of Capitan has water problems and the Mayor is taking positive steps to work toward a solution. He, and the Capitan Council are doing a pretty good job of town government. The proclamation on page one of this issue of the NEWS is a step in the right direction. There comes a time when watering the lawn must stop so that we have water to drink. The over-all solution to the problem of the 4 inch line bringing the water will take much time and effort. MS

I was disappointed that the proposal for the draft registration did not include women. The worry being that somehow, women might end up in combat. In other countries, this is just what has happened. And the women have done an equal job.

In the United States we are talking about the Equal Rights Amendment, and telling the young ladies that they don't have to serve in the Military.

For every combat person in service, there are six back up persons in the support services. Our combat forces could be kept just men, and the women could take the place of the men going to combat.

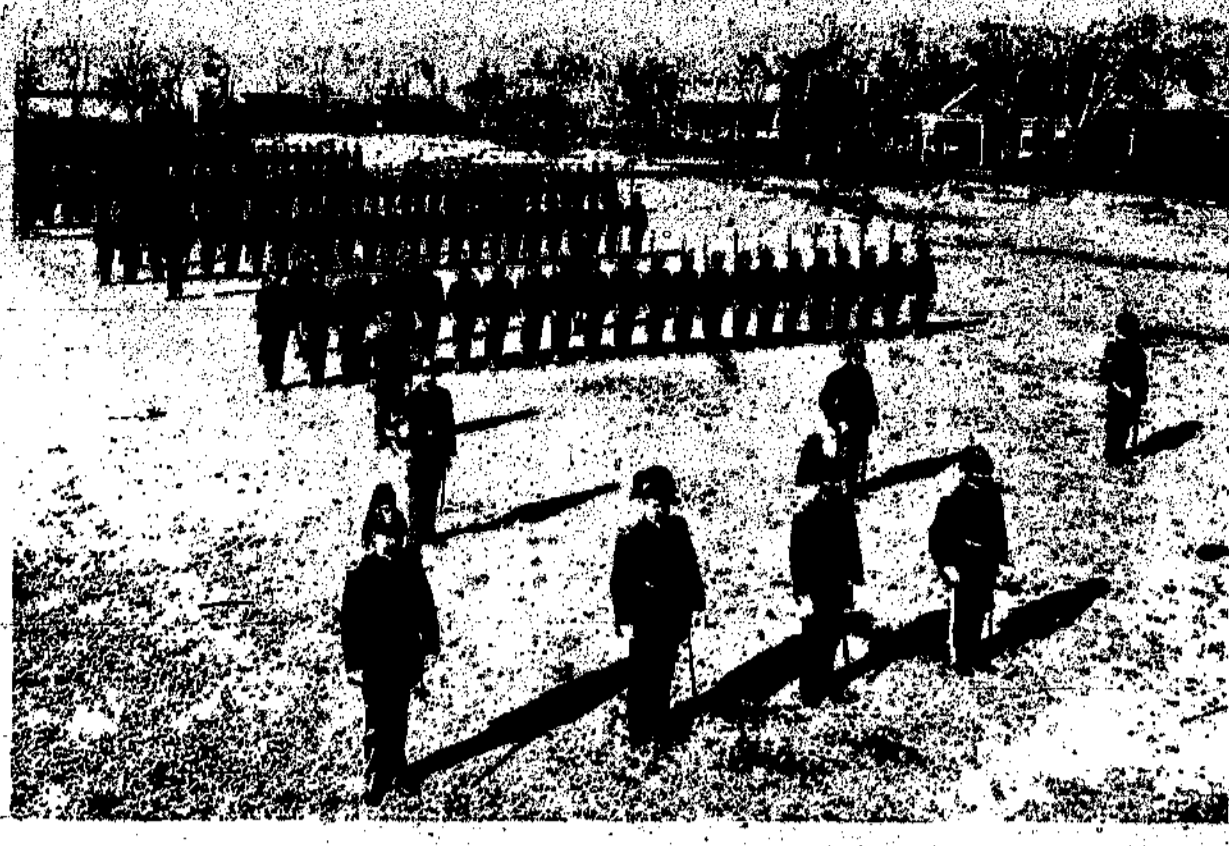
I see no reason that women should not be registered for the draft. And I see no reason why they shouldn't be drafted. Along with the male 18 and 19 year olds.

I understand that the 18 and 19 year olds are opposed to the draft, little wonder that they are, but if they are to live in the land of the free, they must help protect the afore mentioned land. MS

It is funny that most of the people at the coffee shop have somewhat the same sense of humor as I. When Mt. St. Helens blew recently almost to the moon, the next day everyone at the coffee shop was quietly whispering plans to carry three out to Mt. Carrizozo and light them so that the innocent would think that volcanoes were spreading in our direction.

I admit that I considered it, but never got around to it.

I was told of one bunch of pranksters that did just the several years ago. I could mention names, but I won't. I'll wait to see if anyone sees up publicly. If anyone has any pictures of Mt. Carrizozo burning, bring them on by the office. MS



Fort Stanton Troops 1880's

## Golf Tourney a Success

The 5th Annual Billy the Kid Open was held May 31 and June 1. The summer tournament golfers did exceptionally well considering the weekend was very windy. The 2-day tour consisted of 18 holes each day with two tee pits each day. The morning tee off was for handicaps of 11 and over; the afternoon tee off was for handicaps 10 and under for the better golfers.

Sunday evening trophies were presented to the first 3 place winners and certificates were awarded to the rest. Ten golfers represented Carrizozo.

Winners in Low Gross: 1st - John Fields, Albuquerque; 2nd - Carlton Blewett, Roswell; 3rd - Tom Hornbuckle, Roswell; 4th - Bill Wyles, Roswell; 5th - (tie) Ted Martinez, Albuquerque and Leland Smith, Belen; 6th - (tie) Bill Carlisle, Capitan; and Kino Ortiz, Cloudcroft.

Winners in Low Net: 1st - Doug Burns, Alamogordo; 2nd - Harrahl Blewett, Roswell; 3rd and 4th - Howard Hassell, Ruidoso; and Buddy Sanford, Alamogordo; 5th - Rtyne Roman, Las Cruces; 6th (tie) Bennie Coker, Capitan and George Halle, Capitan.

Capitan's Rusty Anchor sponsored the event. The Carrizozo Mens Golf Association greatly appreciated the help of Bennie Coker and Van Norman of the Rusty Anchor, also Jackie Martin of Carrizozo for all the help she donated to the golfers' big day. The Carrizozo Women's Golf Association provided concessions for the golf tournament.

The next big tournament (Four Winds Open) will be held in September. A 'Scramble' organized with both men and women is tentatively scheduled for July.

## Local Boxer to Nationals

Three of Carrizozo's Boxing Team Members represented the three division - Junior, Intermediate and Senior - at the New Mexico Junior Golden Gloves Tournament. The 2-day event was held at the Civic Center in Albuquerque and was sponsored by the VFW.

Zozo boxer, Leroy Silva was unopposed in the Junior division. Silva was awarded a first place trophy. The 132-pound entrant will travel to California to box in the national level, along with all the 14 to 15 age group winners. All expenses for the boxers for the 4-day trip will be paid for.

They will compete in Los Angeles on June 28 against the California Junior Golden Gloves team. Albuquerque coaches Joe Turritta of the Parks and Recreation boxing team & Henry Anaya of Henry's Boxing Club will be the coaches.

Last Friday evening, in the 12 to 13 age group, Zozo's Gabriel Chavez, 85 pounds, was defeated by a tough, experienced opponent, Gerald Trujillo of Albuquerque's PAL. Trujillo is a former Junior Olympic and State Silver Gloves champ and has fought over 100 fights. Trujillo also won Saturday's final championship.

Pete Narvaez, who weighted-in at 90 in the 10 to 11 age group was unopposed. He received a Junior Golden Glove State Champ first place trophy like Silva. Only the Junior division 1st place winners participate in the California bouts.

All three Carrizozo boxers were presented with boxing medals in the Duke City tournament last weekend. Coach Nat Chavez was assisted in the corner by Louis Ortega. Juan Ocorio, manager was unable to attend. Chavez was pleased that three of his boxers were able to attend the event. It was good experience for the local boxers to fight & watch strong competition, Chavez said.

The 2-day trip was possible because of the generous money contributions by local individuals and merchants which are too numerous to mention.

The team is planning a Carrizozo Smoker on Sunday, June 22 in the old gym at 1:00 p.m. During intermission a belt buckle will be raffled off. The silver buckle features inlaid work and a Grizzly bear. The money from this raffle project will be used to purchase the trophies for Zozo's home event.

## Penny Art Winners Named

The winners of the May Penny Art Show sponsored by the Carrizozo Women's Club has been announced. The talent contest was open to eight grade students and were previously awarded ribbons. This time, the Senior Citizens participated in the judging. Cash prizes were given. Bonnie Jo Sheppard won \$10.00 for her drawing in pastels of a buffalo. Dolores Zamora won \$7.50 for her rendition of a bird on a branch, also in pastels. Denise Marlin won \$5.00 for a drawing of fish. These drawings, together with other art work, will be entered in the Lincoln County Fair in the fall according to Mr. J. DeTevis, art instructor at the Carrizozo Municipal Schools. The art department of the school wishes to thank the Women's Club for their active participation in this annual event and for their encouragement to young artists of this area.

## Club to Sell Hot Dogs

The Capitan Athletic Club will again have the hot-dog concession at the Smokey Bear Stampede at Capitan on July 4th and 5th. We will also have a concession at both dances. We are now selling chances on a 25-06 Ruger Rifle which was donated back to the Club by Bill McCarty of Ruidoso. Donations are \$1.00 each and can be obtained from any member and several of the businesses in Capitan. The rifle will be given away at midnite, July 5th at the Smokey Bear Stampede Dance.

The money raised by these projects will go to pay for the basketball goals recently installed in the Lewis Cummins Gym.

Among the most recent donors of time and money are Mr. Charles Morgan who furnished ice for our concession stands, Cummins Grocery, Ruidoso State Bank and many others with their time and support.

We would like this opportunity to thank everyone for their support and help and we again solicit your help and support.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, June 10th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Capitan School Cafeteria. Please come and join to help us support our children in their activities. WE NEED YOU!

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## Thank You

A very special "THANK YOU" to the 489 people that voted for me in the June 3rd Primary.

God Bless You

Max O. Watson

## In Memory Of

In loving memory of our beloved father and husband, Andy Luera, who passed away June 2, 1973.

When the month of June rolls around And fresh green grass covers the ground Our thoughts go back to that sad day

When you closed your eyes and went away No more tomorrows only yesterday

When we were together happy and gay We, picture your face and your loving hands

Hands that helped and comforted, hands that thrived for goals Sometimes out of reach

Hands that gave, worked and played, friendly hands that taught us how to care.

And now on this day, Your Anniversary We clasp our hands in prayer For our loving Father and husband who is in God's loving hands and care

We love you now as we did then Sadly missed by

Auggie Rose

and the rest of his family.

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## Capitan Council Con't. - Water Problems

and Eagle Creek do not have enough volume to handle the demand made by the village.

Water Supervisor Larry Caywood told the Council a 6" line was needed for the treatment plant could handle three times the amount of water. A raw-water storage has been considered and steps to get this have been taken. Presently, an 80 gal-min well will supplement the village water supply. The well will give the water a slightly different taste but will be treated as all the other water coming through village taps.

The Council approved meeting and adopting an emergency rationing

## Party Planned for Dr. & Mrs. Nelson

The Carrizozo Health Center Advisory Board will host a going away get together for Dr. and Mrs. Craig Nelson & daughter Veronica this Friday, June 13th at 8:00 p.m. at the Woman's Club building.

Bring finger foods and join us in saying thank you for their service to us this past two years.

power in order to enforce rationing. The situation came out of refusals to comply to the volunteer lawn watering cutback. The emergency power will also allow a moratorium on new water taps in the village, even though an ordinance states taps can be given within the village limits.

Two petitions to annex property into the village were given exception to the present ordinance. Curtis Payne and Marlene Labb both petition to become part of the village, and to pay village rates. Payne's meter is within village limits, but his house is outside and he has paid the standard three times the regular rate. Labb has been billed erroneously as village rates but was discovered to be outside the limits. Both petitions were approved.

Two resignations were approved. Bill Allred resigned from the Capitan-Carrizozo Gas Association and replaced with Dr. David Bouleau. Larry Caywood, Water Supervisor formally resigned, effective June 30.

Caywood's resignation comes after two years of dealing with water problems. The replacement of the downtown pipes was a large project completed under Caywood, a project estimated to have saved the village thousands of gallons of water every day in leaks. Replacement for Caywood was not made, only two applications at the meeting were considered. The position will be posted through this week.

The newly formed Capitan Chamber of Commerce requested \$600 to help sponsor a New Mexico Junior Rodeo Association event in June 1981. President Mark Delgado told the council the events elsewhere have proved to be fruitful for the community. The request was approved for the 1980-81 budget.

The Council approved the ordinances concerning water sewer and garbage rates. The water rates will be \$4.50 for the first 2000 gallons & \$1 for 1000 gallons over. Outside users will be charged three times the regular rate.

Sewer rates: \$4 for single family dwellings, and \$4.50 + 10 percent of the water rate for commercial users.

Garbage rate: \$3.00 single family, \$6.00 commercial. The garbage increase is due to the \$1800 loss on trash collection last year.

Benny Coker was reappointed to the Sierra Blanca Airport Commission, again putting Capitan's hat into the airport support. Coker had continually urged Capitan's part in this.

R.L. Van Norman will serve on the Eagle Creek Water Board. A complete description of the village limits for the NM Tax and Revenue Department was approved.

The final Budget proposal was approved. Total expenditures of \$258,676 carries a \$12,800 deficit which the council hopes the \$25,580 estimated carry-over will handle. This will depend upon approval by the Santa Fe office. If no approval is made then the village will have to cut in order to make up the deficit.

Revenue sharing will amount to \$20,806, but could be more.

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## Around Town & Surrounding Areas

Monday, June 2nd, 5:30 a.m. saw ten bleary-eyed women packing a van and cars to start the long trek to St. Louis. Only the vision of a first place award and strong coffee kept them awake. They made it to Tulsa, Okla., the first night with lots of short stops in between. As spritzes picked up so did the driving and they made it into St. Louis to the Chase Park Hotel by 5:30 p.m. Tuesday afternoon. After registering, checking with Women's Club officials and changing clothes, they had a gracious dinner in the Tack Room and ended up clapping to country western music in a saloon on the top of the hotel.

Wednesday was the big day. Up early with the storm clouds over St. Louis, sight seeing was the first thing on the agenda. As they walked at a covered bus stop to go downtown, it started to rain and a siren began screaming. As it kept up, they finally asked a bus driver what was going on. Tornado warning! Racing across the street in a downpour, they fled to the basement where they spent an hour in the proper tornado position sitting on the floor with head between knees. Finally the tornado passed over St. Louis, the siren stopped and the tour began again. This time they made it to the top of the arch in downtown St. Louis. Looking over the city from the 600 ft. height, they caught sight of the

Robert E. Lee steamboat restaurant and dropped down for lunch. All through the two hour lunch, the waiter argued over separate checks. He was so busy arguing with everyone in the restaurant over separate checks that he forgot coffee and tea. Needless to say, his tip was rather small. The group then split, half of them going back to the hotel to get ready for the big event and other half traipsing through the Famous Barr department store.

Looking elegant in long, flowing gowns the women went to the main ball room. A delightful puppet and marionette show was presented plus the new documentary film of GIP projects of the past narrated by Eve Marie Saint. A short slide presentation of each of the final projects was shown with the representative stepping forth at the appropriate time. Ruth Armstrong, looking lovely in a two tone beige chiffon gown, sat on the state with the other award receivers.

The suspense mounted as Mary Elizabeth Quint, GFWC President and Charles W. Harper, VP Public Relations for Sears, Roebuck & Co. presented the awards. Not only checks were given but engraved silver trays as well.

One group that stood out was the Korean delegation. Looking like lovely butterflies in their long embroidered gowns, each was a different color. The gowns were all made alike with long sleeves, high neck and empire type bodice. There were at least ten women and the older leader wore a black gown with silver embroidery.

Thursday the group slept late then five managed to make it to the St. Louis zoo. Due to Sue Stearns passionate love affair with Siberian tigers, most of the time was spent at the tiger enclosure. Hanging over the fence she managed to get a picture of her heart's desire while the huge male tiger lay sprawled in a pool, watching his heart's desire who hid behind a bush.

Dragging Sue out of the zoo, the brave five went back to the hotel and rounding up cars, van, luggage and other members were soon on the road. Admittedly a little dejected, after hoping for first place, they made it to Joplin, Mo. Friday was a very long day although enhanced by a stop at a walnut bowl factory. Arriving in Carrizozo at 1:30 a.m. Saturday morning, the tired group, having a delightful and memorable time, was determined to try again, this time for first place.

Sgt. David Chavez is home from Germany. David, a former Captain student, is staying in Carrizozo with his mother and her husband, Tomasita and Ramon Aragon. After a month's stay he will report for duty July 7 at Camp Carson, Colo.

On May 24, Wesley, Marjo and son Daryl Lindsay attended the wedding of Stanley Steingraves and Susan Lenley in Las Cruces. Also present were Mrs. Jean Cox and Anne Wright of Cranee, Texas, former residents of Carrizozo. Mrs. LaRue Wetzel and Bryan were there from White Oaks.

Treat your old man on Dad's Day to flapjacks, sausage, juice and coffee at Santa Rita Parish Hall. The breakfast will be held following the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass. The price of the flapjacks will include a movie featuring football bloopers. Carol Baum celebrated her 15th birth-

day last Sunday, June 8. Her brother Ronny Baum and his friend Benny Murphy were here from Capitan for the occasion. They and Kenny and Timmy, Carol's two other brothers enjoyed a Sunday treat of homemade ice cream and "scratch" cake as prepared by their mom Georgia Baum.

Birthday greetings to Wesley Lindsay, June 12; Laura Jones, Milton May, June 13; Pate Guskowski, John Hemphill, Wally Ferguson, Ann Ferguson, Margaret McKinley, June 14; Beatrice Ortiz, Veronica Zamora, Mary Jane Ferguson, Alex Serna, Robert Vega, Jake Herrera, June 15; Stirling Spencer, Guy Brown, Barbara Harkey, Gabriel Samora, June 16; Paul Wetzel, June 17; Sarah Guskowski, June 18. Women's fault are many, men have only two - everything they say and everything they do. (Just kidding.) Happy Birthday to all! Happy Father's Day to all Dads and father surrogates or substitutes!

High schoolers Susie Castillo and Lisa Crenshaw were in Lindsay, Oklahoma for a week recently. The Grizzly girls were at a basketball camp where they brushed up on basketball skills. Following this, Susie went on to another camp at Dora, N.M. and has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Linn Ellison of Alamogordo and their son, Linn Jr. were in Las Vegas, Nevada with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Alvord. The five were on a 4-day vacation.

Sunday visitors in the home of Rebecca Warner were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chavez and sons of Ruidoso.

Rebecca's grandson, Paul Utley, Jr. spent two weeks recently in Carrizozo. Paul who was born in Carrizozo lives in Camden, Tennessee and is planning to enter the Air Force in the near future. While in Carrizozo Paul was seen giving the Little League teams a helping hand. He is the son of Paul Sr. and Frances Utley.

A going away community party to honor Dr. Nelson and his family will be held this Friday, June 13. The event will be held at 8:00 p.m. at the Carrizozo Woman's Club building. People are asked to bring "finger food."

Mel Mourreal, George Serna and Danny Sandoval went on motorcycles to Durango, Colorado last week. The trio's plans for the trip included the wearing of sensible and practical clothing as they did not plan to attend any formal gatherings. They experienced some difficulty in renting rooms at motels due to their "attire."

The Canyon Cowbells enjoyed a salad luncheon last Wednesday at the REA. Guests joining the Cowbells at their June Meeting were Johnny Bond and his daughter, Betty Ann Bell, both of Corona and Mattie Brieger of Nogal Mesa. Hostesses were Jane Shafer and Doris Maxwell.

The members discussed their quilt raffle project. The quilt is in the process of being quilted at the Zia Senior Citizen Center. Cowbells and other quilt lovers may stop at the Zia Center for the progress on the quilting. The quilt is going to be an outstanding work of art. It will be raffled during the Lincoln County fair.

At this June meeting the Cowbells filled litter bags with goodies. They will be distributed one to a family at the June 14 Ranch Tour. The bags contain county advertising, recipes and other interesting items. The Cowbells and the other organizations sponsoring the Ranch Tour plan to make this a yearly event. The event will prove to be educational as well as entertaining for those attending. Us city duds should remember not to wear sandals and white britches.

The Cowbells will not meet for a July meeting. Sharon Letchworth and Jeanette Smoot will be hostesses for the Thursday, August 7 meeting. This will be held at the Smoot Ranch, the other side of Capitan.

Marshall Beck of Berger, Texas was in town last Saturday visiting friends. Marshall, a Zozo graduate of the class of 1956 had not been here in about 50 years. He was surprised at changes at the school plant.

A golf enthusiast, he was pleased with Zozo's golf course and plans to return to the ol' home town in the future to try our greens. Roy Harmon

enjoyed touring the town with Marshall. Marshall is a retired electrical engineer & alumni of NMSU.

Lola McBride spent five days with Mr. & Mrs. Wally Ferguson & family. Her parents, former residents, Mr. & Mrs. Frank McBride live in Reno, Nev. Lola attended college at Riverside, California this past school year.

Robby Simpson, son of former residents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson of Pilot Rock, Oregon stopped at the Ferguson ranch to visit. Robby had been visiting his grand parents in White Oaks. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson. Robby was accompanied by two friends, John and Mike.

Welcome back home to Jad Gabel. Jad is home after a 6 day stay at Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Memorial Hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gabel.

Brothers Sammy and Nikko Chavez accompanied friends and neighbors, Pete, Jacob, and their mom Rita Narvaez to Roswell last week. The trip included a tour of the museum, a stop at the game machines at a mall and they "munched out" at local pizza burger joints. They spent the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nunez.

Saturday, June 7 a team of 4-H'ers and their adult leaders, Barry Ford and Rick Richardson were on a livestock judging project. They stopped at the Tom Knight ranch to judge sheep and cattle and later stopped to judge Billy LaMay's swine.

4-H'ers who were on hand: Troy and Tracey, Todd Proctor of Capitan and Toni and Roxanne Gable, Lynn Gallacher, Mary Jane Ferguson of Carrizozo's surrounding areas. The day long event was in preparation of the upcoming June 12 County Judging contest to be held at Capitan's fair grounds. For this, Lynn Gallacher insure to pack her lunch in a cat-proof container. Seems a ranch kitty was attracted to something mighty delicious that Lynn packed for lunch in Saturday.

The Carrizozo Women's Golf Association encourages ladies to join their golf team. They meet every Thursday for a day of fun and practice. They have made arrangements to have a baby-sitter at the golf course for mothers with little ones on hand. Inquire about this from any woman golfer. Now mom and the kids can both enjoy the spacious golf course facilities at the same time.

The Carrizozo Board of Education has been designated as a Board of Finance for the Carrizozo School District during a recent evaluation visit. Conducting the visit was Mrs. Rebecca Delgado, Deputy Director of the State's Public School Finance Division.

As a Board of Finance, the Board of Education will be able to act as its own fiscal agent beginning, July 1. The Board was previously represented by the Lincoln County Treasurer in fiscal transactions.

During the two hour evaluation visit, the Public School Finance delegation reviewed District accounting procedures, physical facilities, and District personnel. Local bankers Carolyn Ladd and Scott Shafer, as well as County Treasurer Mike Kimbrell participated in the evaluation. School district staff members Mrs. Nena Vega, bookkeeper; Mrs. Helen Lock, Administrative Aide; and Dr. Jim Miller, Superintendent also successfully completed an accounting examination at the conclusion of the visit.

Delgado presented the District with a certificate from the Department of Finance and Administration, officially designating the District as a Board of Finance. With this designation Carrizozo now joins 21 other New Mexico Districts, out of 50, so designated.

Mary and Hank Means won first place in their bowling league.

## Letter to The

# Editor

I would like to write this letter on behalf of the Capitan Woman's Club. It is not often in these days that a small town high school girl gets the opportunity to represent her family, school & country as an exchange student in a foreign country. With the world in such a chaotic situation, there is but a small number of countries accepting exchange students. However, the opportunity is there for someone willing to work and sacrifice for it. Such is the case of Debbie Castillo here in Capitan. Debbie has been chosen by the Rotary Club of Ruidoso to participate in the Rotary Exchange Program for 1988-89. Debbie applied for the program last fall and went through an intensive screening process before her final selection. In the meantime, Debbie served as President of the Class of 1988, President of the Future Homemakers of America-Capitan Chapter, National Delegate for FHA,

A member of Honor Society and graduated with honors this past May. She has worked at the Swiss Chalet in Ruidoso several years and is presently employed there as night desk clerk.

As an exchange student, Debbie will be required to live with four to six host families and attend school in the host town. Her host town is Milberton, South Africa, located on the very tip of South Africa close to Capetown. She will attend school there as a senior. Her first host family has already contacted Debbie by letter and seem to have much in common with Debbie and her family. She has an exciting year ahead of her. After Debbie has acquired her Visa and Passport, she will be fairly set to leave around the first August.

Part of the responsibility as an exchange student is the purchase of her own travel tickets to South Africa,

and school uniform expenses during the school year. This totals almost \$2500. The Capitan Woman's Club is proud to help sponsor Debbie in her efforts. During the Smokey Bear Stampede Parade, the Club will sell cold cokes and snacks in front of the new museum, and hopefully, have some kind of food concession at one of the rodeos. Then, on July 18, 19, and 20 the Club will sell concessions at the Chamber of Commerce Arts and Crafts Fair at the Fair Grounds. We are in the process of securing a raffle item with the help of Angie Provine and Frankie Silva.

Debbie and her family are all working hard to get her to South Africa. She will be an outstanding representative of Capitan and Lincoln County. I would like to see this area rally behind Debbie in this once-in-a-lifetime experience. Support the concession stands or make your personal contribution to: Debbie Castillo to South Africa Fund C/O Capitan Woman's Club Capitan, N.M. 88316.

Thank You!  
Dottie Macveigh  
President, Capitan Woman's Club

## CORONA NEWS

225 patrons of the Corona community attended the dedication program recently for the Corona School Auditorium. The Auditorium was officially dedicated to the education of present and future generations of students by Mr. A.J. Gibbs, President of the Corona Board of Education.

People in attendance were treated to a musical talent contest by the students of Corona Public Schools. Winners of the talent contest were: Elementary vocal, Tommy Mulkey, Elementary Instrumental, Sandra Copeland; Elementary group, Wanda & Matilda Miller; High School vocal; Joe Miller, High School Instrumental, Donna James, High School group, seventh Grade Chorus.

Additionally, the Sagebrush Revue presented the following numbers: "Orange Blossom Special", "Foggy Mountain Breakdown", "Beaumont Rag", "Crispy Critters", "London Homeless Blues", and "Devil Went Down to Georgia". The Sagebrush Revue is a group of talented musicians, all former or present Corona High School students, made up of Walter Garfield, 1975 graduate, lead guitar, Melvin Yancey, 1974 graduate, bass; Ken Gibbs, 1979 graduate, drums, and Olan James, Corona High School junior, fiddle. The leader of the band is Walter Garfield, who served in a dual capacity of Master of Ceremonies for the evening, and member of the band.

Additional components of the dedication were the presentation by Superintendent Mel Root of Service Award pins to the following employees for 5 or more years of service: Irma Bryna, Jeanne Gibbs, Charlotte James, Bill Bryan, Patricia Perkins, Royce Washburn, Betty Douche, and Gayle McCloud; and 10 or more years of service: Helen Kilgore, Neva Brown, Sherry Lueras and Sue Garfield.

Mr. A.J. Gibbs presented 10, 15 and 20 year pins to board members from previous years. These distinguished service pins were awarded to people who had served 10 years or more on the Board of Education, or their families, because of the tremendous contribution they had made the educational progress of Corona Schools. These awards went to Labe Sharp, Frankie Sulteneier, Tom DuBois, Chancey Thomson, Dimmit Bond, Corbin Hester, Willis Lovelace and W.S. Dishman. Mr. Gibbs also recognized the efforts of

the 1978-79 board members: Ernest Sulteneier, Ronnie Merritt, Trinidad Chavez Don Surratt; and the 1979-80 board members: Clay Crist, Ronnie Merritt, Bob Byrd and Mack Bell, who were instrumental in the planning, funding and building of this modern facility.

Mrs. Esther Lopez, representing Dr. A.L. Clemmons and the Division of Public School Finance, was in attendance and made brief remarks pertaining to their role in helping to finance this building. Public School Finance had contributed \$181,000 toward the erection of this building from emergency funds. Esther noted the Public School Finance was pleased to have had "a small part in the erection of this building". Mr. Rolfe Heltman, representing Mr. Leonard DeLays and the State Department of Education, made some remarks pertaining to the proposed use of the building. Mr. Heltman is in charge of Fine Arts for the State Department of Education, and expressed his gratitude to the Corona residents for their commitment to development and maintenance of a fine arts facility and program.

The invocation was given by Rev. Bill Scholes of the Corona Presbyterian Church, and the Benediction by Rev. A.L. Miller of the

Corona Baptist Church. Refreshments were provided by the Corona Board of Education. Souvenir Programs, showing a drawing of the building and historical information on the building which it replaced, as well as the program itself and information on the new building, were presented to each family represented at the dedication.

## NOGAL NEWS

by Linda Greer  
Nogal Water Ass'n met last Wednesday. Our water grant has been approved and the meeting was to discuss the next step.

Shelly and Shanon Wiggy of Roswell are here visiting grandparents Sam and Loraine Cox.


Lorrie Porter and Sheila Zumwalt went skating in Ruidoso. Hankie and Amy Means went too.

Alice May went to Lordsburg to visit family. Leon brought her back Monday night.

Lloyd and Brenda Zumwalt and Family went shopping in Albuquerque Monday.

Mary and Bill Greer came up to visit Opal and Randal. They brought Melissa and Keith to visit because they are going to be gone visiting their other grandparents in Silver City.

I wish to thank all the voters of Lincoln County who gave me their vote of confidence in the June 3 Democratic Primary.



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# Capitan Village News

by Margaret Rench

Visitors continue to pour into Capitan. The Smokey Bear Museum has had 1898 visitors to date this month. Of which we are so happy to report. The N.M. State Park report lots of visitors top. They are busy working on the park.

Capitan is starting to have water problems at this time. They are checking as to the cause. Perhaps its due to the drought. I have been expecting that. Its so very dry. Much more than it has ever been before. Windy and hot.

Land scaping is going on in front of the new school building. Lots of dirt is being hauled in. There are Aspen trees planted and evergreens and nice shrubs. It looks nice. But there is much more to be done. It will be very beautiful of which we are very proud.

Wayne Hobbs dropped a large battery on his right hand last week and broke the hand. There is so much swelling at this time but Dr. expects to put a cast on by Wednesday. I so wish the very best recovery.

Richard (Pappy) and Lois Coons are the owners of "Pappy's Friendly Taxi Service" Ruidoso. They have three new Mercury Station Wagons for their operation which will be in full service by next Thursday. I wish them success and happiness.

James Muse has taken his first test in Roswell for entering the Air Force. He made 90 on the tests. He soon will go to Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean, Jr. visited his sister Janie Randle Friday thru Tuesday last week and enjoyed fishing. They returned home but left the children there with the Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dean Sr. and they all came home Sunday bringing Joe Paul with them for the summer.

It is good to see the many travelers coming thru and stopping in Capitan. I am happy that people can have at least that much recreation.

Theima Apgar, Agnes Hein, Frances Shaw and Doris Pounds attended the Eastern Star Official home coming in Clovis last Saturday night. They reported a good crowd and happy meeting.

Doris attended the regular meeting of Eastern Star in Carrizozo last Thursday. The Chapter is recessed from July and August.

The old landmark "Mount home Motel" once owned by Maude Kingston will soon be just past history as the cabins are over half taken down and the lumber is being salvaged. Soon it will be just a memory for some. The first half of those cabins were built in early 1931. The remainder were completed in 1932.

N.E. Britton returned home last Thursday from one week in the Ruidoso Hospital after a horse threw and broke three ribs and punctured a lower lung. He is convalescing nicely. Keep that chin up Mr. Britton and get well and strong quickly.

Danny Chavez is home on furlough from three years service in Germany visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Aragon. He will be stationed in Colorado.

Tuesday, June 3, Election Day was a happy. We ladies in Capitan always enjoy working together and enjoy seeing all of the people. I so much enjoy it all.

Mr. and Mrs. LaMoyn Carpenter celebrated their wedding Anniversary June 5th. His mother Inez Carpenter of Clovis enjoyed a birthday June 6. I wish all of them many more happy years of happiness.

The last weekend of May, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Westbrook and son Jason of Lubbock were guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. N.C. Grantham.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moss of Wichita Falls, Texas are spending one week with their friends Mr. and Mrs. N.C. Grantham of Capitan.

Mable Bailey and family returned to Oklahoma from Capitan to make their home. They had lived here several months.

Gene Keize motorcycle Policeman in Ruidoso was hit by a fast moving pickup and killed last week. They never stopped. He left a wife and three children in Mesclero Hospital. Her mother Rose Henley of Capitan had to take care of everything and spent one week with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klid who vacationed last weekend on the Ruidoso came to Capitan Friday, and they enjoyed visiting his sister Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright.

Birthdays came in a bunch this month. David Bailey son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey became one year old June 3rd. His great mother Emma

Morehouse of Indiana was 89 years young that same day. His grandmother Pearl Spohn had a birthday June 8. Tommie Aragon June 6th, Her husband, June 7. Their son Stephen was four years old June 14. All of these people are friends and employed at Ft. Stanton except Grandmother Morehouse. Therefore they always have a happy get together in June to enjoy that occasion. I wish them each one the happiest and best birthdays ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jorday and family of Junction, Texas and Delma and Deanna Odom and four sons of Texas are guests of their sister Mr. and Mrs. Olin Booher and family.



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## Carrizozo Youth - Honor Graduate

One Carrizozo youth was graduated with the highest honors awarded the 289 graduates of the junior college, high school divisional continuing education divisions of New Mexico Military Institute this year, as NMMI observed its' Eighty-seventh Commencement activities in late May.

Graduated with High School highest honors was; Audrey Melanie Vega, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vega.

As a member of this year's graduating classes, Cadet Vega participated in the Institute's traditional final week activities, which are noted for their pomp and circumstances as well as their emphasis on academic achievement. Highlights of the Commencement Week included an ROTC and academic awards assembly, the Final Ball, a final review and parade, the commissioning of 97 ROTC Contract Cadets and the final formation on Saturday morning for Commencement exercises.

Featured speakers for the graduation ceremony were Senator Harrison Schmitt, United States Senator from New Mexico, and Mr. Tim Kreager, the Regimental Commander for the 1969-70 Corps of Cadets. Speaking at the final review was Major General Franklin Miles, Adjutant General on the New Mexico National Guard, while Chaplain (Major) Peter Winterble, the Rector at St. John's Episcopal Church in Washington, D.C. and an NMMI graduate was the speaker for the Baccalaureate ceremony.



Audrey Vega

## Basketball Program Organized

Girls in grades 9 thru 12 are invited to join a summer basketball program to be held Sunday afternoons, Monday evenings.

Scrimmages will be held on Friday evenings against other area high schools.

The program will involve both basketball and volleyball skills and techniques.

For more information contact a Charlie Castillo at 648-2327 or be at the old gym in Carrizozo Friday, 5 p.m. to join.

## Crown Cowbells Meet

The May meeting of Crown Cowbells was held jointly with the Canyon and Chuckwagon Chapter at the home of Brenda Copeland. Forty-three people attended & enjoyed a delicious luncheon featuring foods from Germany. First vice-president, Dorothy Vaughan, State Treasurer Abby Hofman, and National Officer Wilma Fulham shared a program outlining upcoming cowbelle activities. The "Chuckwagon 5" along with some "short and tall" volunteers provided the entertainment. Crown members have beef license plates, cookbooks, napkins, Ag cards and beef emblems for sale. Anne Foster has made and donated a beautiful afghan which is to be raffled during the Summer Festival. Welcome to all the new members who have joined since January and special thanks to all cowbells for their help with the important business of Beef Promotion.

Saturday, June 14th is the date for the Lincoln County Ranch Tour. Crown Cowbells are helping with registration and door prizes. Registration begins at 9 a.m. at the Valley of Fires State Park. It sounds like an interesting day with a variety of activities on area sheep, cattle and horse ranches.

The July meeting will be in the evening of July 3rd at the home of the George Ramneys.



Tammy Owen - Fred Bennett

## Owen - Bennett Announce

Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Owen of Corona, N.M., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Tammy to Mr. Frederick Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brian Bennet of New York City. Tammy is a 1979 graduate of West Texas State University & is working as a registered nurse on pediatrics at St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell. Fred is a 1978 graduate of Eastern New Mexico University and is employed with the State Environmental Improvement Agency in Roswell as an environmentalist. The wedding is June 28 at 3:00 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Roswell. All friends of the bride and groom are invited in lieu of invitation.

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Card of Thanks Cards of thanks to the many friends in Carrizozo for helping us at such a time as the loss of our beloved son & brother James E. Rowin. To Ray & Margie Wells; Rev & Mrs. David Lynch; Fran & Earnest Fordilla, the ladies of United Methodist Church, the Four Winds Restaurant, Jackie's Cafe, The Lions Club & Lions Ladies and so many more friends than we have space to write.

God Bless all of you Marvin & Charlotte Rowin; Marvin P. & Eloisa Rowin, Grants N.M.; Allen & Kathy Rowin of San Diego California, Esther & Wilbur Hair; Grants, Linda & Lynn Ellison, Alamogordo, N.M. and all of our many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Card of Thanks We would like to express our Thanks and Appreciation to all our neighbors and relatives for their flowers and food during the loss of our son, grandson, nephew and cousin. Tillman A. Burch Sr. & Family Edna Burch & Family Charlie Burch & Family Ken & Ellen Means & Family Ruben & Loyce Morris & Family Spencer & Carmen Burch & family

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROMAN SANCHEZ AND FLORINDA SALSBERY SANCHEZ, Deceased. No. PR-80-14

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at Route 1, Box 35-V, Roswell, New Mexico 86201, or filed with the Lincoln County District Court, P.O. Box 725, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301. DATED: 5-19-80

BREZEL SANCHEZ Route 1, Box 35-V Roswell, New Mexico 88201 Published in the Lincoln County News for four (4) consecutive weeks only, June 12, June 19, June 26, and July 3, 1980.

VILLAGE OF CAPITAN ORDINANCE NO. 80-8 BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Village of Capitan at an emergency meeting, that the following Ordinance was approved and adopted on the 10th day of June, 1980:

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO A WATER DEPARTMENT, amending prior Water Ordinances and declaring an emergency.

Said Ordinance may be inspected and read in its entirety at the Office of the Village Clerk, Capitan, New Mexico, during business hours and a copy may be purchased at the Clerk's Office for the sum of \$1.00. (s) Gary C. Mitchell Attorney for Board of Trustees, Village of Capitan Published in the Lincoln County News one time only, June 12, 1980.

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT Applications are being accepted for one full-time Custodial-Maintenance position with the Carrizozo Municipal School District. Contact James Miller Superintendent of Schools. Closing date for applications is Thursday, June 19, 1980. Published in the Lincoln County News one time only, June 12, 1980.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

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

GROUP I: THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS, IF LIVING; IF DECEASED, THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS: Albina Mary Chavez; Jola A. Kirkland; T.H. Kirkland; O. T. Nye;

GROUP II: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED DECEASED PERSONS: Jose Chavez y Sanchez; Maria Chavez de Gonzales; Jose Gonzalez y Torres; Marcus Baca; Ambrosio Chavez; Pablo Chavez; Francisco Chavez; Ambrosio Chavez y Luna; Mojesilla Chavez; Cornelia Pacheco de Sanchez; Jesusita Analla; Patrocinio Chavez; Faustino Salcido; Cristina Romero, a-k-a Cruzana de Romero; Francisca L. De Chavez; George L. Torres; Avery M. Cieney; Pleasant J. Hyde; A.F. Stover; Beatrice Stover;

GROUP III: SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, a New Mexico Corporation; GROUP IV: RUIDOSO WATER USERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a defunct corporation; GROUP V: UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS. GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that MANUEL ROMERO and STELLA GOMEZ ROMERO, his wife, as Plaintiffs, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Cause No. CV-148-80, Division II, wherein you are named or designated as Defendants and wherein the said Plaintiffs seek to obtain constructive service of process upon you.

The general object of said action is the establishment of the estate of the Plaintiffs in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint For Quiet Title in said cause against the adverse claims of the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, and that the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, be barred and forever stopped 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 title 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:

TRACT I: A parcel in the South Half of Section 4, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., Lincoln County County, New Mexico, more particularly described as follows:

From the South Quarter Corner of Section 4, N. 01 degrees 27' E., 865.1 feet to a point and place of beginning; thence N. 80 degrees 40' W., 627.1 feet; thence N. 02 degrees 47' E., 347.8 feet; thence N. 20 degrees 49' E., 187.1 feet; thence N. 04 degrees 26' W., 288.95 feet; thence N. 02 degrees 38' E., 335.5 feet; thence N. 03 degrees 50' W., 357.0 feet; thence S. 30 degrees 10' E., 394.7 feet; thence S. 46 degrees 13' E., 230.2 feet to the center of Rio Bonito; thence Southeasterly along the center of Rio Bonito to the West Boundary line of the SE-4 of Section 4; Thence South along the West Boundary line of the SE-4 of Section 4 to the point and place of beginning.

LESS AND EXCEPT a tract in the Southeast corner of the NE-4 SW-4 and Northwest corner of the SE-4 SW-4 of Section 4, with the following metes and bounds: Commencing at a point at the South edge of the Rio Ruidoso and approximately 80 feet West of the East Boundary line of the NE-4 SW-4; thence S. 70 degrees 29' W., 153.32 feet; thence S. 04 degrees 41' E., 188.72 feet; thence N. 86 degrees 28' E., 187.58 feet; thence N. 01 degrees 27' E., 130.0 feet; thence N. 22 degrees 37' W., 107.32 feet to the point and place of beginning, containing approximately 0.881 acres.

TRACT II: A tract of land located in the SE-4 of Section 4, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M., being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point where the West line of the SE-4 of Section 4 crosses Rio Bonito; thence South to

the Southwest corner of said SE-4 of Section 4; thence along the South line of Section 4 to the Southeast corner of said Section 4; thence N. 31 degrees W., 125.0 feet; thence Northwesterly along the center of the old river channel to the center of the present Rio Bonito; thence along the center of the Rio Bonito for a Northwesterly direction to its confluence with the Rio Bonito; thence in a Northwesterly direction along the center of the Rio Bonito to the point of beginning.

LESS AND EXCEPTING from the above described the following described land: A tract of land lying in Section 4, being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Section 4; thence N. 86 degrees West along the section line a distance of 197.8 feet; thence North 240 feet to the center of the river (old river channel); thence Southeasterly along center line of the river to the Southeast corner of the Rose Tract, a distance of 188 feet; thence South 31 degrees East a distance of 125 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 0.93 acres, more or less.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in the said cause on or before the 8th day of July, 1980, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint For Quiet Title will be granted.

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

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 20th day of May, 1980.

(s) Margo E. Lindsay District Court Clerk Published in the Lincoln County News for four (4) consecutive weeks, May 22, May 29, June 5, and June 12, 1980.

LEGAL NOTICE A public hearing shall be held at 10:00 A.M., June 24, 1980, by the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners, at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, to consider the application of Andy Rue, P.O. Box 848, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301, to transfer the ownership and location of Liquor License No. 367 from J. Richard Flores, Corona, New Mexico to Andy Rue, Corona, New Mexico.

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

Cause No. PB-16-80 ESTELLA E. WITHERS, Deceased. DIVISION I

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative at P.O. Box 216, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301, or filed with the District Court Clerk, Carrizozo, N.M., 88301. DATED: June 5th, 1980 (s) Wayne C. Withers Personal Representative Published in the Lincoln County News for two (2) consecutive weeks only, June 12, and June 19, 1980.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS SEALED BIDS FOR THE FOLLOWING WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE CARRIZOZO BOARD OF EDUCATION, P.O. BOX 89, CARRIZOZO, NM 88301, UNTIL FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1980, 10:00 A.M. AT WHICH TIME BIDS WILL BE OPENED AT THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

No. 80- BUSINESS MACHINE ROOM SPECIFICATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT. ALL BIDS MUST MEET OR EXCEED THAT OF THE SPECIFICATIONS. THE SCHOOL DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS. SIGNED: James P. Miller Jr. Superintendent Published in the Lincoln County News one time only, June 12, 1980.

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY - LINCOLN COUNTY MANAGER'S OFFICE REQUIRED PERSON WITH BROAD EXPERIENCE IN ALL PHASES OF OFFICE MANAGEMENT. SHORT-TERM DESIRABLE, BUT NOT MANDATORY. STARTING SALARY ABOUT \$600 PER MONTH DEPENDING UPON EXPERIENCE. APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN JUNE 20, 1980. Published in the Lincoln County News one time only, June 12, 1980.

VILLAGE OF CAPITAN ORDINANCES BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Village of Capitan, that the following Ordinances were approved and adopted on the 9th day of June, 1980:

ORDINANCE NO. 80-5 WATER RATES; Said Ordinance established the water rates, amounts of water used and the rates to be charged therefor.

ORDINANCE NO. 80-6 SEWER RATES; Said Ordinance established the monthly service charge for the use of sewer lines and sewage system.

ORDINANCE NO. 80-7 GARBAGE COLLECTION RATES; Said Ordinance establishes a monthly service charge for garbage pick-up.

Said Ordinances may be inspected and read in their entirety at the Office of Village Clerk, Capitan, New Mexico, during business hours and a copy may be purchased at the Clerk's Office for the sum of \$1.00. (s) Gary C. Mitchell Attorney for Board of Trustees Village of Capitan

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS SEALED BIDS FOR WORKER'S COMP EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY COVERAGE AND BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE CARRIZOZO BOARD OF EDUCATION, P.O. BOX 89 CARRIZOZO NM 88301 UNTIL FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1980, 10:00 a.m. AT WHICH TIME BIDS WILL BE OPENED AT THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT. ALL BIDS MUST MEET OR EXCEED THAT OF THE SPECIFICATIONS. THE SCHOOL DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS.

SIGNED: James P. Miller Jr. Superintendent Published in the Lincoln County News one time only, June 12, 1980.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Services for Betty M. Forster were held Monday afternoon in the Corona Baptist Church. Officiating was Howard Hallmark, minister of Grandview Church of Christ, El Paso, Texas. The singers were from the Carrizozo Church of Christ. Pall bearers were W.T. Tyros Jr., Don Fretter, Ole Stimmens, Doyle Houde, Donald Kaiser, and Floyd Earl Proctor. Interment was in the Corona Cemetery under the direction of the Hamilton Funeral Home of Alamogordo.

Betty Marian Cox, daughter of Marion and Edna Simpson Cox was born August 13, 1916 in Monahans, Texas. She passed away June 8th in an El Paso hospital after an illness of two months. Mrs. Forster, known affectionately to family and friends as "Bill" was preceded in death by two children and by her husband, Paul. Mr. Forster died in 1981. Survivors include one son, Fred, of Houston, TX, three daughters, Iris Todd, Dering, Pauline Addison, Tularosa, and Alice Berry, Chapparral, two sisters, Yolla Cox, Monahans, Texas and Lilly Bryan, Alamogordo, seventeen grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. A nephew, Tommy Tyros, and a sister-in-law, Loreta Proctor, reside in Corona. To all of these we extend sincere sympathy.

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