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Southern Pacific says:

Carrizozo to become crew-changing point

Southern Pacific Railroad headquarters in Tucson confirmed this week that plans to designate Carrizozo as a crew-changing point are definite, and that a crew of 50 is working on extending railroad sidings to accommodate increased traffic.

Richard Hall, public relations manager for the Southwest at Tucson, told the News Monday that the 4880-foot siding at Three Rivers is being extended to 9,000 feet; the 5800-foot one at Vaughn and the 5170-foot one near Santa Rosa will also be extended to 9,000 feet. These extensions will handle increased train traffic to start soon over the El Paso to Tucumcari route. The new and standard sidings are costing about \$2 million.

The Southern Pacific operates two lines to the Midwest. One, the Sunset, runs from California to El

Paso, through Texas to New Orleans and up to St. Louis. The shorter route is the Golden State (the one running through Carrizozo) which runs to Tucumcari, Topeka and Wichita to Kansas City. The shorter route and longer trains will save time and fuel, Hall said.

"No final decisions have yet been made for placing railroad personnel at Carrizozo," Hall said. "A decision on these matters will be made shortly after the first of the year." He added that any changes must also be approved by the unions.

For the present, at least, Carrizozo will serve as a crew-changing station. A train's normal complement is a crew of four. He also said unions would have to approve plans to provide food and shelter for crews beginning and ending their runs here.

(The News reported last week that Willie Silva of the Four Winds Restaurant had signed a contract with Southern Pacific to provide 24-hour food service. Silva has made a bid, but the contract has not been awarded as yet. The proposed motel to be built across from Jackie's Restaurant is not involved in any contract with the SP line, Silva said.)

All grading work on the three locations for siding extension has been done, and rail extension and bridges will be completed in early 1983.

Under present plans, train crews take over at El Paso and end the run at Tucumcari, Hall said. Plans for placing any other railroad personnel at Carrizozo are incomplete.

The Golden State Route which runs from Los Angeles to El Paso and northeast to Kansas City will

enable the railroad to compete a more high-speed, competitive line, to save fuel, and to haul longer trains because it is the shortest route to the Midwest, Hall said.

"Too," he said, "Like everybody else, we are hoping for an economic recovery in 1983 and that there is going to be additional traffic to be handled on this line because of improved facilities."

Last year the SP spent \$97

million rehabilitating the line between Tucumcari and Topeka and turned it into a first-class, high-speed railroad, according to Hall. The next step in upgrading the line is the sidings in New Mexico. The long range plan is to make El Paso to Tucumcari line highly competitive with heavy traffic.

Just how much traffic will increase through Carrizozo has not been determined, Hall said, but he promised to get back to the newspaper with figures after the first of the year.

Target plane goes down in malpais

A radio-controlled target drone being used in target area at White Sands Missile Range malfunctioned and landed in the malpais about five miles north of Carrizozo Friday.

The craft's engine failed and range officials were unable to keep the drone on range, according to Debbie Bingham of the WSMR public affairs department.

The pilotless aircraft landed about 10 a.m. between US 54 and the lava beds west of Carrizozo, off the range and outside the WSMR's northern area.

The drone was being used as a target and was about 23 feet long with a 13-foot wingspread. It caused no damage and was recovered by range personnel.

Cause of the malfunction was engine failure. The craft's parachute was activated and allowed the craft to land without incident.

Morales leaves state

Johnny Morales, 19, charged with DWI and careless driving following a Dec. 8 car accident west of town, failed to appear in Magistrate Court at 11 a.m., Dec. 17, for arraignment on the charges.

Magistrate S. M. Ortiz told the News Tuesday that when Morales failed to appear a warrant for his arrest was issued and given to New Mexico State Police Officer Randy Rhue to be served on Morales.

According to Ortiz, when the officer Rhue went to the Morales residence to serve the warrant, he was informed by Chief of Police C. A. Morales, the father, that his son had gone to California.

Ortiz said the warrant could not be served in California because the charge is a misdemeanor. However, he added that Morales is still facing a burglary charge arising from the burglary of the Gamble-Means store a few weeks ago, and is expected to return.

On the burglary charge facing Morales, under consideration is a plan to drop the charges against Morales provided he enlists in the armed forces.

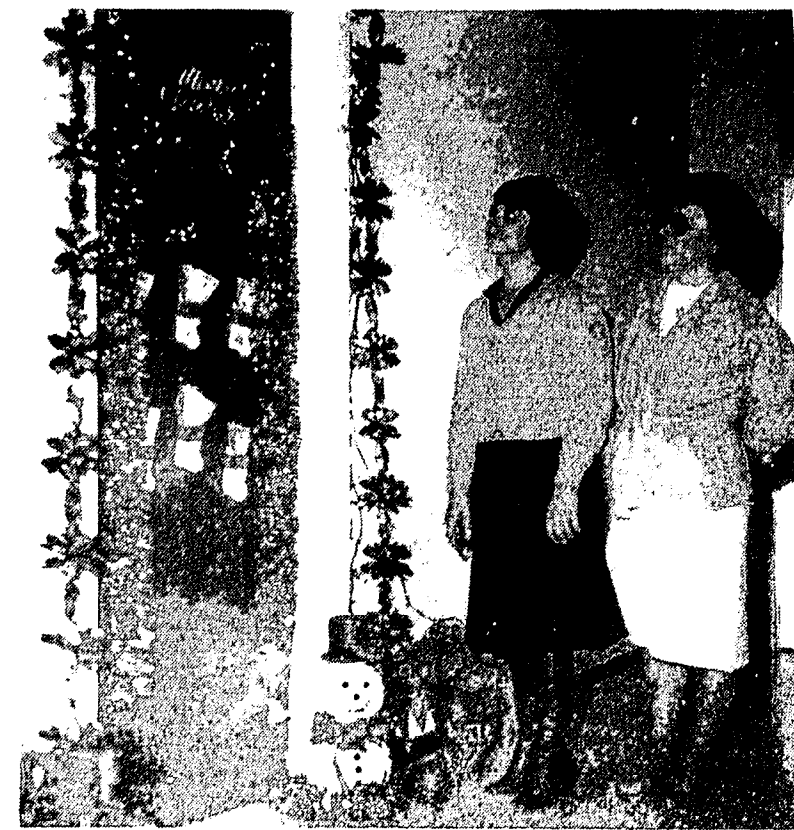
Ranchers get chance to air complaints

The General Accounting Office will meet with ranchers who lost their land to White Sands Missile Range in Las Cruces some time next month, according to Cong. Joe Skeen.

The meeting, which will give ranchers a chance to air their complaints about the manner in which the US government went about getting control of their lands, resulted from a pledge made by Skeen and Sen. Jack Schmitt to Dave McDonald and his niece Mary in exchange for them vacating their former home on USMR several months ago. The McDonalds had moved back onto the range and were prepared to stay on their former ranch until the government settled with them.

"This thing has been going on now for more than 40 years," Skeen said, "and there's not going to be any easy solution. But at least we've gotten to the point where both sides can sit down and discuss the alternatives. We just may come up with something."

The controversy over whether



MOST CREATIVE door in the Christmas door decorating contest at the courthouse goes to the Treasurer's office. The door featured stockings stuffed with money (play money, naturally). Treasurer Kaye Allison admires the handiwork, along with Viola Fenter, staff member.



A CHRISTMAS play, "Christmas Customs Around the World" was presented Dec. 13 by Carrizozo elementary students. Shown with Santa (John Hausenbuhler) are members of part of the cast, standing, from the left: Melinda Florian, Fernando Medina, Jenny Vinson, Justin Hefker. Seated: Christi Brown, Thomas Schreckengost and Kay Phipps.



A THOUGHTFUL Clement Clarke Moore (Coby Sims) gets a visit from St. Nicholas during the reenactment of Moore's famous Christmas poem, a part of the Christmas program.

the ranchers who gave their ranging operations to the government for the missile range were fairly compensated has been brewing since the range was first established during the early years of World War II.

"Every Congressman that New Mexico has had over the past 40 years has had to try to deal with this problem," Skeen said. "As a rancher myself, I've been an interested observer of the process over the years. I know the complications involved and I'm not about to promise that I'm going to be able to solve this thing overnight. But a solution has to be found and I'm going to do everything I can to find it."

One of the complications, Skeen said, is the fact that some 29 of the cases are still pending in the courts. Other cases were considered closed because ranchers had accepted compensation. Some of those ranchers now maintain the compensation was not adequate.

"There's going to have to be

some give on both sides if we're going to get this thing worked out," Skeen said. "And once an agreement is reached, both sides are going to have to abide by that agreement. We can't just keep going back to the well."

Skeen also said he will invite Jim Baca, newly elected New Mexico land commissioner, to the Las Cruces meeting next month. Baca has been pressing for legislation requiring the federal government to give New Mexico federal lands in exchange for 341,000 acres of state-owned land that was taken for White Sands.

Rep. Manual Lujan has already introduced a bill in Congress requiring the federal government to give private landowners the option of an exchange or a cash payment if the government decides to exercise its right of eminent domain.

Sen. Pete Domenici's office said the senator has also introduced similar legislation, and would take another look at the problem next year.

New Bishop pays a visit here

Bishop Ricardo Ramirez of the Diocese of Las Cruces was speaker at this month's Youth Sunday, held Dec. 19 in Carrizozo.

The event was held at Santa Rita's parish hall for members of the Catholic Youth Council (CYC) of Carrizozo and the Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) of Capitan.

Youth Sunday began with the con-celebration of Mass by Bishop Ramirez and Fr. Dave Bergs, pastor of Santa Rita Catholic Church and its missions, Capitan, Fort Stanton and Lincoln. CYC members Stephanie Saucedo and Christetta Chavez, both of Carrizozo, read from the scriptures. Sacred Heart Choir of Capitan and Santa Rita Choir were in charge of the singing and music.

Following Mass, CYO president Mark Lobb of Capitan and CYC president Juan Osorio of Carrizozo escorted Bishop

Ramirez to the parish hall for lunch. Mabel Candelaria coordinated the meal for the youth and their guest.

The subject of the bishop's talk to the youth organizations was, "How we encounter God." High school students from Carrizozo, Capitan, Fort Stanton, and Ruidoso participated in the session. Youth Sunday adult advisors, Joe Salazar of Capitan and Donna Clark of Alto, were present.

Later that afternoon, a parish-wide turkey supper was held to honor the bishop on his first pastoral visit since his installation on Oct. 18 in Las Cruces. The Santa Rita quilting Group sponsored the meal which included a cake, baked and decorated especially for the event by Ramona Ortiz of Carrizozo. The cake depicted the coat of arms of the new diocese and Bishop Ramirez.

The quilt group had on display a quilt top which on completion will be presented to Bishop Ramirez. Designed by Polly Chavez of Carrizozo, it featured the state of New Mexico with its southern one-third outlined to show the counties which make up the new diocese (Hidalgo, Grant, Luna, Sierra, Dona Ana, Otero, Lincoln, Chavez, Eddy and Lea).

Design on the quilt top included the Zia symbol and the eagle, which are part of the official coat of arms of both the diocese and the bishop.

The bishop concluded his visit to Lincoln County by participating in posadas at Lincoln on Sunday evening.

Posadas, a native folk drama, is a procession of carolers going from door-to-door re-enacting the search by Mary and Joseph for an inn the night of the birth of the Christ child.

Capitan Zia Senior Center is opened

A longtime dream came true Friday morning when the Capitan Zia Senior Center held its formal opening.

There were more than 150 people attending. They enjoyed the Capitan School Choral singing Christmas songs, under the charge of Churchill Cooke, band director.

After the pledge of allegiance, Rev. Lane, Church of Christ

pastor, gave the invocation.

Superintendent of Capitan Schools David Lee spoke for the school board and administrative staff and complimented the seniors for remodeling the building.

Mrs. Sharon and Margarito Trujillo spoke on behalf of the mayor and city council. They postulated of the city's endeavors in the transfer of the building from

the state to the senior citizens and the leasing of the area for the building to the Woman's Club of Carrizozo, for a period of 99 years.

Frank Miller outlined the first procedures for accomplishing the original building from the Capitan Municipal School Board.

Stanley Pew, master of ceremonies, explained the many obstacles, regarding labor, funds,

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Capitan News

By MARGARET RENCH

I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas. May the real meaning of Christmas penetrate all lives with genuine happiness. God bless you.

We have had several very pretty warm days with very cold nights. There has been many variations of weather. Some very terrific winds, etc. At least it taken all pollution away, if there was any.

Last Thursday the school Christmas program was attended by a large crowd. After the program the students sang carols. They came to my home after nine and I truly did enjoy their songs of happiness. That was a very sweet gesture. I appreciated that. Thank you.

At noon Monday, Dec. 20, the fire whistle sounded and our fireman with two trucks and the rescue unit responded and had the fire under control. It was a grass fire just south of the county highway and east of the Senior Citizens home. It burned a large space nearly to the highway and on east heading to the Soil Conservation Building.

The Smokey Bear Museum will be closed one-half day

Christmas Eve and all day Christmas. They send their wishes for a merry and safe Christmas.

The tree lighting was 9 a.m. Tuesday morning at the Smokey Bear Museum with Santa Visiting. It was a great and happy occasion.

The Capitan varsity and the Junior varsity girls played Ruidoso there last Friday night. The Junior varsity girls won and the varsity girls lost.

The Magdalena Backletter games were canceled Saturday night

The Senior Citizens Building ribbon cutting was Friday morning. A large crowd enjoyed the beautiful building. It took a long time but was worth the wait. May they enjoy it for many years to come.

Eleanor Jones recently underwent hip surgery in Las Cruces and is at this time doing O. K.

Amelia McKnight returned home from Ruidoso Hospital last Thursday and is getting stronger. I wish both ladies a good and complete recovery.

Lynne Story took her mother, Cathleen Massey to Albuquerque last Wednesday for a medical checkup. Returned home Thursday, and Friday she was taken to Alamogordo for further checkup. Next Wednesday they will take her back to Alamogordo for treatment.

Eltha Merrell, who suffered a stroke last spring and was in a nursing home in El Paso, died Thursday, Dec. 16. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Tuesday, Dec. 21. Interment was in the Capitan Cemetery. She was a long-time resident of Capitan and was loved by all who knew her. We will miss her.

Nancy Guck was called to the bedside of her father Thursday, Dec. 16, in Wyoming. We do miss her and wish her father a speedy recovery.

We have new teachers. Sherry Feral in business, who will fill the vacancy caused by Judi Whitecotton's leaving. She will live in the Shanks duplex. Pam Noriega, 3rd grade, replacing Ric Higginbotham, who resigned to fill a vacancy in Ruidoso School where his wife Cindy is teaching. Both of these lovely people will be greatly missed as they were excellent teachers. I wish them the best in their new places. Karen Roybal is the new teacher's aide for the 3rd grade. We wish our new ladies lots of success with us.

Christmas vacation at Capitan school will start Dec. 22 at noon. Opens Jan. 3. Have a Happy Holiday.

The Prehm Brothers of Carrizozo purchased the Myrtle Pope property on West First Street in Capitan. Last Thursday two Ryder trucks arrived and took Myrtle's possessions away. Wednesday morning Myrtle left for Carlsbad where she will make her home. We have enjoyed the years with Myrtle and wish her happiness and contentment in her new home.

Gid Allen, Jim Bob Allen and Grady Lee Eldridge attended a calf roping school in Roswell, instructed by Jeff Copenhaver, world champion calf roper, last Sunday and Monday.

The 3rd grade held a going away party for their teacher, Ric Higginbotham, who resigned to accept employment in the Ruidoso school.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Strickland had a few of their friends in for Christmas cheer last Saturday night.

The Bob Finley family, formerly of Capitan now in Louisiana, has been in Capitan visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Martin moved from Capitan to their ranch and new home in late November. They have rented their trailer home to Mr. and Mrs. John Delano and family.

The S. M. Cozzens family held their family reunion Thanksgiving in Tucson, AZ. They had dinner at a nice hotel, attended a western show, enjoyed dinner Saturday and then many had to leave. They plan to hold the reunion in Flagstaff next year. Twenty attended.

Marilyn Cozzens of Santa Clara, CA will spend two weeks with her mother, Winifred Cozzens, and her sister, Jane Cozzens, in Alamogordo Christmas and return home Jan. 3.

Tammy Dean fractured her

O. K. I wish her the very best recovery.

Bob Littleton leased the Kenneth Lacy Building on West Third Street and has been doing mechanic work. He has been there for three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Runnels and son Robbie and his mother, Louise Runnels, are spending Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Arrington, in Las Cruces.

The Orville Runnels family, Bonnie Runnels family, Mother Runnels and Robert, Mary Lou Reed and her husband Frank, and baby daughter Sadie will enjoy the remaining holidays with his son, Robert Runnels, and family here in Capitan.

Jane Allred and Mary Trujillo's nephew, Thomas Vogler, died in DeKalb, IL, Dec. 10.

Capitan's FFA was treated to a pie and ice cream supper by the club's "greenhands" at the Ag Building, Dec. 14. A club project is to take grapefruit to Camp Sierra Blanca and present it to prisoners at their Christmas party.

Alice Traylor was hostess to the Capitan Roundtable Club, Dec. 16. Eleven members were present. Angie Provine was a guest. The home was decorated for Christmas, and members enjoyed a holiday dinner and were given favors of red pin cushions. Rosebud pals were revealed with gifts. Bessie Jones will be hostess on Jan. 20.

The annual Christmas tea party hosted by Stacy, Karie and Kelly Cox, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Cox, coincided with the opening of the Capitan Zia Senior Citizens Center. The party was held at the Hitchin' Post Lodge, home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton B. Whittaker.

Rites held for Saudia Palomarez

Saudia Frances Palomarez, Ruidoso, died Saturday, Dec. 18, at her residence.

Miss Palomarez was born July 4, 1956 in Carrizozo, where she graduated from Carrizozo High School in 1974. She was a member of the Catholic Church. Survivors include her mother, Vivian Dupree of San Francisco, CA; brothers, Bernard Altamirano, Bobby Altamirano, and David Palomarez, all of San Francisco; Uncies, Joe and Nat Palomarez of Carrizozo, and Dick Palomarez of San Francisco; aunts, Beatrice Garcia, Phyllis Munoz, Hope Razura, all of San Francisco; and Lydia Stogden of Ruidoso.

Rosary was recited at 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 20, in Santa Rita Catholic Church of Carrizozo, with Father David Berg officiating. Further services and interment were in San Francisco, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Pallbearers were Arthur Zamora, Arthur Zamora Jr., Rafael Aragon, Johnny Stogden, Henry Vega and Salvador Ortiz. Honorary bearers will be her classmates of the 1974 graduating class of Carrizozo High School.

Clarks Cahpel of Roses, Ruidoso, was in charge of arrangements.

Center

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state and federal regulations the center had encountered in achieving its goal. He expressed gratitude for the donations.

Suzanne Cox, Lincoln County manager, Carrizozo, complimented the seniors for their accomplishment.

Floral donations were contributed by: Area Agency in Aging, Roswell; Zia Senior Citizens, Carrizozo; Zia Senior Citizens, Corona; and Chamber of Commerce, Capitan.

The facility is an adobe building housing a full kitchen, bathroom and large meeting rooms. There is a pool table, ping-pong table and record-player.

Burt Sorrels is site manager and is responsible for operation of the center. He will plan entertainment and educational events, and plans to institute transportation services for those who need it.

The Capitan center is patterned after the ones in Carrizozo and Corona. After locating an old building at Capitan High School that had been abandoned and slated for destruction, a group of volunteers persuaded the school board to donate the building to the Village of Capitan. The village, in turn leased the building and some land east of town for 99 years at no charge, with the village agreeing to supply water and sewer services free to the center. In 1981 the building was moved to the leased land plot and set on its foundation.

Senior and non-senior citizens donated time to digging ditches, cleaning, laying tile, and many other types of construction work. Funding came from federal and state funds, \$1600 coming from each. That money was turned over to the Carrizozo Women's Club, the facility's sponsor, and another \$3,000 was raised by donations. Barbara Ward, Carrizozo, project director, assisted in getting donations from businesses and individuals.

At the ribbon-cutting ceremonies Friday morning were Ward; Amy Barton, chairman of the area advisory council; and Olivia Reed, executive director, Area Agency on Aging.

Senior citizens in the Capitan area now have a place to go for fellowship, entertainment, and services available to them from local, state and federal agencies.



Mistletoe enlivens Christmas holidays

One of the Christmas traditions is the custom of hanging mistletoe—a custom dating back to pagan times when the plant was supposed to bring good luck to the house and signified a pledge of peace and friendship to all who crossed the threshold.

Mistletoe was sacred to the Sun God, was dedicated to the Goddess of Love and was the symbol of immortality. All who embraced beneath it would be blessed with good fortune and enjoy a happy and healthy life.

Throughout history mistletoe has been associated with good luck and happy times, so it seems only logical that it became the indispensable part of the kissing bough at Christmas time.

However, to the home gardener who has mistletoe growing on one of his prize landscape plants, he may think it is far from good luck and happy times!

Mistletoe is a parasitic plant that grows on trees and obtains its nourishment by sending root-like structures (haustoria) into the food conducting tissue of the inner bark.

There are two types of mistletoe, belonging to the genus Phoradendron, growing in New

Mexico. Along the Rio Grande, one can often find a cottonwood tree heavy laden with the American or true mistletoe. The plant is evergreen, having opposite leaves and producing white berries. The berries are spread by birds and other animals.

The dwarf mistletoes attack western pines and junipers in New Mexico. The plant is related to the Christmas Mistletoe, but it is smaller and leafless. The dwarf mistletoe has a pink berry. These parasites can stunt plants and eventually kill them.

Mistletoe is extremely difficult to control since it is so closely related to the host plant. If an infestation is present, cut off branches six to 12 inches beyond any evidence of mistletoe. In many instances the main trunk may be infected. In such cases, keep the mistletoe pruned off to prevent the formation of berries and further spread of the infestation.



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Corona News

Remember the candlelight service at the Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m. on Christmas Eve. All are cordially invited to join for this annual event.

Cedar Temple, Pythian Sisters, met for its December meeting Monday in the Pythian Temple. The meeting was preceded by a Christmas dinner and an exchange of gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shumate brought the roast turkey and dressing from Roswell.

Congratulations to Willie Brunson and John D. Holleyman who were in Albuquerque Saturday for the finals of the Old Timers Rodeo Assn. Mr. Brunson and A. J. Killough won the buckles for first place in team roping for the year. Mr. Holleyman's first place buckle is for steer stopping.

'Father of Year' E. Dimmitt Bond

E. Dimmitt Bond, a rancher in the Corona area, has been chosen 1982 Crown CowBelle Father of the Year.

Dimmitt and his wife Johnnie have two children and four grandchildren. They have been in the cattle business for more than 40 years. Dimmitt says he likes ranching because it is a way to combine cattle, land and weather to make a living.

Dimmitt is a member of New Mexico Cattle Growers and Johnnie is a charter member of Crown CowBelles.

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Sales Representative will be in Carrizozo on 1st & 3rd Thurs. of each month.

Sherrill Bradford spent two days here the first of the week and attended the Pythian Sister dinner and the school program and heard the Millers sing.

George James returned from the hospital Wednesday, less than a week after major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davidson came up from Deming to play Santa for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson.

Walt Pfeiffer was reported Monday to be improving in an Albuquerque hospital.

The Larry Roberts were here from Ruidoso to spend Sunday with Dell Roberts.

Mrs. Dick Wiegert left Wednesday for Duncan, OK, to visit a sister, Mrs. Levi Jackson, who is ill, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Al James and family of White Rock stopped briefly here Saturday and Monday enroute to and from Alamogordo to spend part of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bradley.

Frank Sultemeier Sr. was reported improved Monday in a Roswell hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Sultemeier are with his parents this week. Other family members were in Roswell last week.

The December CowBelle meeting was cancelled because of icy roads to the Latham Ranch. The next meeting will be Jan. 13, Thursday, in the recreation room. There will be installation of officers. Linda Ponder, outgoing president, has sent her officers a caldron of Christmas candy topped with a ceramic cow. Thank you Linda from all of us. We appreciate your leadership this year.

Darrell Thomson and Judy Griggs, Bloomfield, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thomson.

Kelly Gibbs has earned her degree this semester at UNM. She will take graduate studies and continue her work as editor of the Daily Lobo.

Ken Gibbs has been initiated into the ENMU chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clein Dopoho, Clayton, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bradley, Alamogordo, met here and visited the James and Mulkeys Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Donoho are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Keelin were in Albuquerque to see his doctor Monday.

Herman McKibben remains on the critical list.

Dickie Winchester is again hospitalized in Ruidoso with problems resulting from the accident.

Mrs. Raymond Blynon is reported in satisfactory condition in an Albuquerque hospital following open heart surgery.

Sandra Bond, El Paso, stopped by Monday to see her uncle, Dimmitt Bond, and Mrs. Bond. She was on her way to Colorado for the holidays with her family. College students are arriving home for the holidays.

Merry Christmas, one and all!



Tammy Sultemeier of Corona, a member of Chaparral 4-H Club, is the 1982 winner of an Arabian colt, donated for the annual statewide contest by Jim Miller, right. At left is Lincoln County Extension 4-H agent Rick Richardson. The colt is named It's Magic. (NMSU Ag Info photo).

Sherrill services today

R. L. (Friday) Sherrill, Carrizozo, died Monday, Dec. 20, in the Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital, Alamogordo, following a lengthy illness.

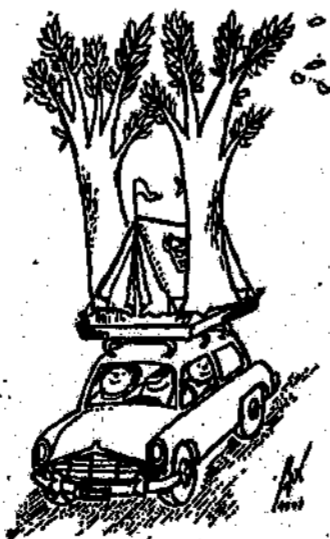
Mr. Sherrill was born Aug. 6, 1902 in Whit, TX, and was married to the former Alma Lane on Aug. 14, 1938 in Alamogordo. He was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church of Carrizozo, and the Carrizozo Lodge No. 41, A.F. & A.M. He served as Magistrate Judge in Carrizozo.

Survivors include the widow, Alma L. Sherrill of Carrizozo; a son, Wesley C. Dean of El Paso, TX; a brother, Ralph Sherrill of Spur, TX; three grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 23, in the Trinity United Methodist Church of Carrizozo, with Rev. William Syscar and Mr. Ray Welts officiating. Graveside services will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday in the Lake Arthur Cemetery, Lake Arthur, NM.

Pallbearers will be Joe Lane, Al Lane, Kevin Lane, Wade Lane, Wesley Lane and Wesley Dean. Honorary bearers will be Bobby Shafer, Bill Gallacher Jr., Wayne Withers, Johnson Stearns, Bill McVeigh, Kenneth Means, Bud Payne and Bob Watson.

Clarke's Chapel of Roses, Ruidoso, are in charge of arrangements.



4-H'er wins Arabian colt

CORONA — Tammy Sultemeier, 13, believes her winning of an Arabian colt through 4-H had a touch of magic to it.

The youngster is the 1982 winner of a purebred colt donated by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller, owners of Jim Miller Training Center and Magic Park Arabians of Albuquerque.

Tammy's sorrel colt is appropriately named It's Magic — Magic for short.

This is the second year the Millers have donated a colt for a youngster in 4-H to win. Children ages 12 to 14 from throughout New Mexico can apply. They must explain in writing why they want to win the colt and how they will care for him. They also promise, if they win, not to sell the colt for two years and to remain in the 4-H Horse Program during that time.

Tammy, who rides a 13-year-old gelding, wrote, "I have not had the opportunity to handle a young horse. I would love the chance to raise a colt and train him. Teaching a colt takes patience and love. I think I have both of these qualities." She continued, "I am sure that a colt will teach me as much as I teach him. Having a colt to take step by step through training and see our progress as we learn new things together may encourage other 4-H'ers to try for this and other good 4-H programs."

Now Tammy has set specific goals: "I'm going to try to show him as much as I can, but I want him to be able to work around the ranch."

The daughter of Clint and Lea Sultemeier regularly works on the family's sheep and cattle ranch. She and her younger brother Emmet have 20 head of sheep for their 4-H project.

Tammy is a member of the Chaparral 4-H Club, whose leaders are Denise and Bob Byrd. She is taking horse as a project for the second year and also has participated in baking, sewing, wool judging, veterinary science and cake decorating 4-H projects.

Tammy receives help from her dad in working with the colt. She has found it different from working with her horse, T. J. "Magic's younger and doesn't know as much... I have to teach him. He's a lot littler."

The 4-H'er has also found her colt to be gentle-natured and considerate, she says. "I work with him if I can every day."

Although the Millers offered to help train the colt if it is returned to them for a time, Tammy plans for Magic to remain on her family's ranch.

"I feel I know him better. My dad's raised a lot of colts and has trained them."

Tammy's mom said her daughter's objective for the colt

now is to "keep him gentle. We'll teach him to stand to show in the halter course. She's working with his feet so he'll be gentle when they shoe him. She rubs a saddle blanket over him so he gets used to the idea, for when somebody gets on him." Mrs. Sultemeier noted Magic can't be ridden until he is 2 years old. The colt was 6 months old when Tammy won him during the State Fair.

Since then, Tammy has corresponded with Miller. "He said he'll help with anything she needs," Mrs. Miller said.

Tammy considers the Arabian Colt Program a valuable experience in many ways, and she thinks other 4-H'ers should enter the contest.

"You get to meet the man (Miller)," she said. "He gets to tell you all about the horse's ancestors."

"A lot of kids didn't apply. They didn't think they could win. I think a lot of kids from around here will apply next year now."

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Opinion

ONE OF the charms of Christmas is that one must wait a full year from this glorious experience to another. There is no such thing as "instant Christmas." It can't be packaged and merchandised like coffee or store-made clothing. No matter how rich, powerful, petulant or impatient one may be, he'll still wait 365 days for another Christmas. It must be frustrating to those who find themselves accustomed to having everything they want, and right now about it. A few years ago a night club hit on the idea of having a Christmas Eve party every Saturday night. It was as ridiculous as it was a failure. Christmas is something special in this mostly Christian nation, and nothing can change it. It matters not that some people mail Christmas cards at Thanksgiving and decorate the house in yuletide motif even before the Thanksgiving turkey is out of the oven. Christmas is Christmas and it still comes on Dec. 25. It can't be kicked around like Labor Day or even Thanksgiving, at the whim of Congress (or labor leaders yearning for an extra day's holiday pay). We are delightfully stuck with Christmas on Dec. 25.

AS A child on a Texas Panhandle ranch I recall that Christmas was only a two-day affair. On Christmas Eve a scrawny scrub pine ravaged from a distant hillside was put up. We began making decorations for it by popping and stringing popcorn. We strung cranberries to be looped around the tree branches. Paper chains were made from construction paper and colored with crayons. The tree was lighted by tiny candles attached to the tree foliage. (We never had a tree catch fire, and never heard of anybody who did. In those days we didn't have the government to protect us, so we used more caution). The family was up at dawn Christmas morning. It was a festive and joyous occasion even though the gifts were on the skimpy side—running to oranges, apples, nuts (I was 21 years old before I knew a nigger-toe was actually a Brazil nut!). I remember running down the road for five miles to meet the wagon that was bringing my Christmas present, a little red wagon, from the nearest town 20 miles away! What a great day Christmas was then! Relatives lived too far away to permit visiting. There was only one church within 15 or 20 miles, and services at the small building put Christmas in proper perspective. Christmas ended as abruptly as it began. On Dec. 26 the tree was taken out and burned. The menfolk were back riding the range. But the spirit of the day lingered on, and it was around July 4 that the feuding and fist-fighting broke out among the children again!

I HAVEN'T heard much about "Christmas Eve gift" in recent years, and I never did know what it meant. But in those days everybody in our house tried to be the first one up on Christmas Eve to wake the household with cries of "Christmas Eve gift!" Whoever was first was the day's hero. I don't recall what benefits accrued to him for disrupting early morning sleep, but it was a part of the magic of the season. It happened again on Christmas morning. The first person up roused everyone with the cry of "Christmas gift!" Everybody else moaned and lamented they had lain too long abed to claim the honor. I never knew the significance of "Christmas Eve gift" and "Christmas gift." SUII don't. I only know it was terribly important.

LIKE ALL good things, Christmas has its detractors. Upton Sinclair, the late socialist writer, once wrote: "Or consider Christmas—could Satan in his most malignant mood have devised a worse combination of graft plus buncombe than the system whereby several hundred million people get a billion or so of gifts for which they have no use, and some thousands of shop-clerks die of exhaustion while selling them, and every other child in the western world is made ill from over-eating—all in the name of the lowly Jesus?" Fortunately for Mr. Sinclair, he wasn't asked to prove his statement. He would have had difficulty finding one shop-clerk who died of exhaustion from selling Christmas gifts, or one child dead from overeating on Christmas. Since Sinclair wrote that nonsense in 1927 nobody has bothered to refute him, a gift of indulgence the American people reserve for their more literate non-conformists. That Christmas survives its detractors is testament that Bethlehem, the Manger and the Star in the East still represent man's best hope for a better world.

SINCE Christmas frequently war among themselves, it is no surprise that some seek to undermine the spirit of Christmas by pointing out that Jesus was not born on Dec. 25. So what? They point out that the early church did not celebrate His birthday. True, they say Santa Claus, the Christmas tree and the custom of exchanging gifts are from the pagan past and are condemned by the Bible. True again. As far back as 1660 in this most Christian nation, Christian opposition to Christmas is illustrated by a statute of the Massachusetts Colony:

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Observation of Christmas having been deemed a Sacrilege, the exchanging of Gifts and Greetings, dressing in Fine Clothing, Feasting and similar Satanical Practices are hereby FORBIDDEN With the Offender liable to a Fine of Five Shillings.

IF CHRISTMAS is indeed rooted in paganism, does it matter? If it does, we had better examine the cherished institution of marriage and its rites, for it is deeply rooted in paganism. So is hunting, fishing, delly, family, love, loyalty and the doctrine of "do unto others." It probably doesn't distress any of you that you can trace your ancestry back to pagan days?

NO MATTER. This year our schools are jammed with children participating in plays, songs and pageants tuned to the birth of Christ in spite of those who try to erase any religious overtones in education. They fail miserably, and justly so. At this season our churches are packed with worshippers, and their church bells join with those of churches around the world in pealing tribute to the Prince of Peace. Each church, civic club and organized group in our town has been busy for weeks preparing food and cheer for others than themselves. There are not enough needy in New Mexico to consume this outpouring of heart and treasure. The biggest

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"AVON CALLING!"

Editorial Comment

Merry (X-ray laser) Christmas!

Those who made something of a career of being frightened at the prospect of nuclear war may have some good news this Christmas.

The US is on the verge of technological breakthroughs to create a new type of nuclear weapon which will radically alter the nature of modern warfare. Dr. Edward Teller, nuclear physicist, has been calling for funding for this new defensive weapon.

The weapon is an X-ray laser type powered by a nuclear explosion from a compact warhead. The explosion takes place inside a ring like device, triggering intense X-ray beams from pipes of a special material surrounding the central explosive.

These beams, Teller says, can destroy a target (such as a Soviet ICBM taking off for the US) by pulverizing it. Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory in California has successfully tested a prototype X-ray laser, according to The American Sentinel, nationally circulated newsletter.

The X-ray laser belongs to the third generation of nuclear weapons. The

blast, heat and radiation effects can be controlled to make the weapon highly effective for specific defensive and offensive operations. They produce little fallout and other harmful effects for the country using them first.

The Senate Armed Services Committee, The American Sentinel reports, is enthusiastic about these devices. "These concepts could result in weapons which can only be used to destroy the offensive systems of a potential adversary, and may well render offensive nuclear weapons ineffective," says the committee, "thus removing the threat of nuclear war."

So, if research and development on the X-ray laser goes ahead, the Soviet missiles may soon be dead in their silos; and no need for massive nuclear arms buildup in the US; no need for those Catholic Bishops to make fools of themselves; and our young revolutionaries who dream of Red Stars in the East must find a different horse to ride.

It should add hope at Christmas for a safer, saner world.

New Mexico in Washington

Washington terrorist a 'crusader'

By LESTER KINSOLVING WASHINGTON — Both of New Mexico's members of the House of Representatives, Joe Skeen and Manuel Lujan, voted to support President Reagan's dense pack MX missile program, even though it was decisively defeated by their colleagues.

They supported the President despite the fact that three of the five members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff — the ranking officers of the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps — had opposed the plan when asked for their professional opinions and in confidence.

On the day after this Reagan MX defeat, the House voted by a similarly overwhelming margin to pass a record \$231 billion defense budget. Just before this vote, anti-nuclear activist Norman Mayer went into action.

By driving a truck to the base of the Washington Monument and warning the public that it was full of enough dynamite to blow up the Monument, Mayer succeeded in closing down a large segment of our nation's capital for 10 hours. Nearby buildings were evacuated into one of the city's worst traffic jams in history, while at the White House the President and his guests were moved to an area less vulnerable to an explosion.

The following day, on page one The Washington Post headlined this madness as "A Lone's Crusade."

On page three, the Post's syndicated columnist Mary McGroarty compared this anti-nuclear terrorist to the Reagan Administration in a sicko column headline: "IS 'M-X' THREAT MORE RATIONAL THAN THREATS TO A MONUMENT?"

How did President Reagan's spokesman Larry Speakes respond to this incredible journalism? At the White House's daily press briefing, I asked Speakes:

"This morning, Norman Mayer was described as a

crusader on page one of the Washington Post. And on page three, Mayer was compared to the Reagan Administration's MX proposal. Does the White House regard this as rational journalism or not?"

THE WHITE HOUSE: I'm tempted, but I don't have any comment.

QUESTION: Would you regard the Provisional Wing of the Irish Republican Army as a "crusader" organization or not?

THE WHITE HOUSE: Lester, I don't have any comment.

At the Pentagon, spokesman Henry Catto was asked what Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger thinks of such journalism as compares Mayer "The Crusader" to the MX program.

Catto replied that he had not learned what Weinberger thinks of this. So we asked:

"As spokesman for the Department of Defense, what do you think, Henry?"

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE: You can guess! (laughter)

QUESTION: Something specific.

DEPARTMENT OF

DEFENSE: Give me a specific question.

QUESTION: Do you think this, (in the Post) is rational? Or do you think that it is journalism gone ape?

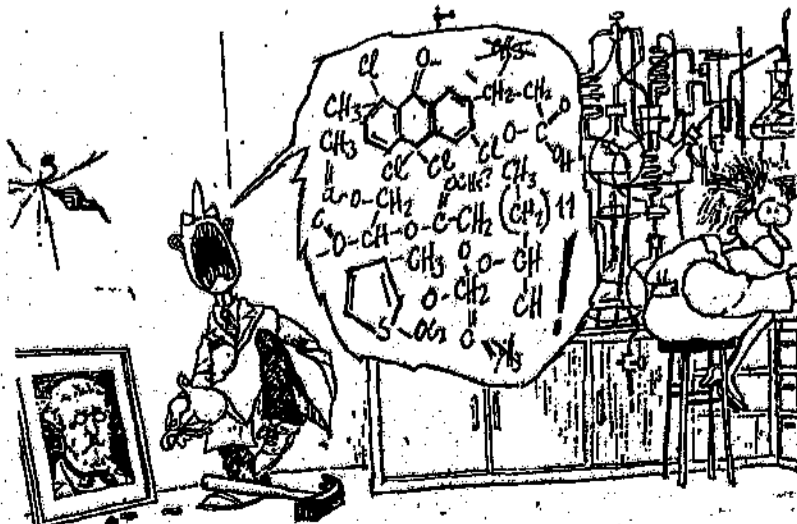
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE: I wouldn't want to characterize it either way. Obviously we have differences.

QUESTION: Strong differences? (Laughter) Would you say strong differences?

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE: I'd say that!

And thus, the Department of Defense, which along with most of the rest of the Reagan Administration is savaged daily by The Washington Post, decided to fight back — gently.

Catto, who is far and away the ablest and most charming of all the Reagan Administration spokesmen, was on a tightrope, because there are very few Washington PR people who want to annoy Mrs. Katharine Graham's Powerful Post. But at least the Department of Defense defended — which was more than was done by the Commander-In-Chief's spokesman at the White House.



Letters to the Editor

Brings back 'fond memories'

EDITOR—Having the opportunity to peruse a copy of your paper from time to time, I have noted with interest the appreciable changes in the format and content since your acquiring of the Lincoln County News, foremost among them being your editorials and other commentary. My congratulations to you on the many improvements.

Of no great import, except to my own fancy, are the facts that I have lived in Carrizozo, where you now reside, and have also lived in Santa Rosa, California, whence you came. In addition, the illustrious Rev. Lester Kingsolving, now a regular columnist in your paper, was at one time the priest of an Episcopal church near my present home in Salinas. I find his current literary contributions almost as fascinating as his acting abilities when he appeared as Professor Doolittle in a local Little Theater production of "My Fair Lady." His stage triumph brought Episcopalians out like no pulpit oratory ever could!

I have yet another purpose in writing this letter—to ask that the remainder of Bertha Hunter's subscription to the Lincoln County News for this year be mailed to my address. I am enclosing my check to cover subscription in my name for 1983.

My uncle, Paul Mayer of El Paso, has already notified you of my mother's death. She was born in White Oaks during its heyday, the daughter of Charlie and Ina Wauchope Mayer, Lincoln County pioneer residents. Her mother, a granddaughter of John Wilson of the Homestead Mine, came to White Oaks in 1880. Her father operated a blacksmith shop in White Oaks in the early days and later became a merchant, both in White Oaks and later in Carrizozo.

By marriage I am related to the Larry and Carrie Peppin Dow family, also early day settlers in White Oaks and Lincoln, having married their son Charles. His father was Lincoln County Assessor for many years, and his grandfather, George Peppin, was once sheriff of Lincoln County. My grandfather, Charlie Mayer, was a deputy sheriff, somewhat during the same era. In going through my mother's and grandmother's things, I have come across many poignant mementos of bygone days in Lincoln County, including many old letters and clippings from the Carrizozo papers. They bring to life again many of the people I knew in Carrizozo and many of the stories of the old days that I have often heard over the years. The roots go back a long way.

I have always been glad I had the chance to live in the Land of Sunshine and to know some of the people who made Lincoln County what it is today. When I lived in Carrizozo I worked in Rolland's Drug Store which enabled me to meet almost everyone in the county at one time or another. I know Rolland's Drug is no more, but I have fond memories of people there and send best wishes to all.

INA HUNTER DOW,
Salinas, CA

Are 12 days too many?

(Anyone who has ever struggled through a Christmas program featuring "The 12 Days of Christmas" will appreciate the dilemma presented in this exchange of Christmas cheer between John and his girlfriend Agnes. Commonly called "A partridge in a pear tree," it's much easier to read than to sing.)

Dec. 14

Dear John:

I answered the door today, and the postman delivered me a partridge in a pear tree. What a thoroughly delightful gift. I couldn't have been more surprised.

With deepest love and affection,
Agnes

Dec. 15

Dear John:

Again today the postman brought me a beautiful gift from you. Just imagine, two turtle doves! I'm delighted at your thoughtful gift. They are absolutely adorable.

All my love,
Agnes

Dec. 16

Dear John:

Aren't you the extravagant one! Now I really must protest. I don't deserve such generosity — three French hens — they're darling, but I must insist; you've been too kind.

Love,
Agnes

Dec. 17

Dear John:

Today the postman delivered four calling birds. Now really, they're beautiful, but don't you think enough is enough? You're being top romantic.

Affectionately,
Agnes

Dec. 18

Dear John:

What a surprise! Today the postman brought me five golden rings, one for each finger. You're just impossible, but I love it. Frankly, all those birds squawking are beginning to get on my nerves.

All my love,
Agnes

Dec. 19

Dear John:

When I opened my door this morning there were six geese a-laying on my front steps. So you're back to the birds again, huh? These geese are huge. Where will I keep them? The neighbors are starting to complain about the noise and the smell, and I can't sleep a wink. Please stop.

Cordially,
Agnes

Dec. 20

Dear John:

What's with you and these blasted birds? Now it's seven swans a-swimming? What kind of lousy joke is this? Bird droppings are all over the house. The noise is unbearable. I can't sleep. It's not funny any longer so stop it immediately!

Sincerely,
Agnes

Dec. 21

OK, Buster:

What the hell am I going to do with eight maids a-milking? I prefer the birds. It's not enough with all those birds and maids, they had to bring their cows with them. The lawn is a mess. You have to

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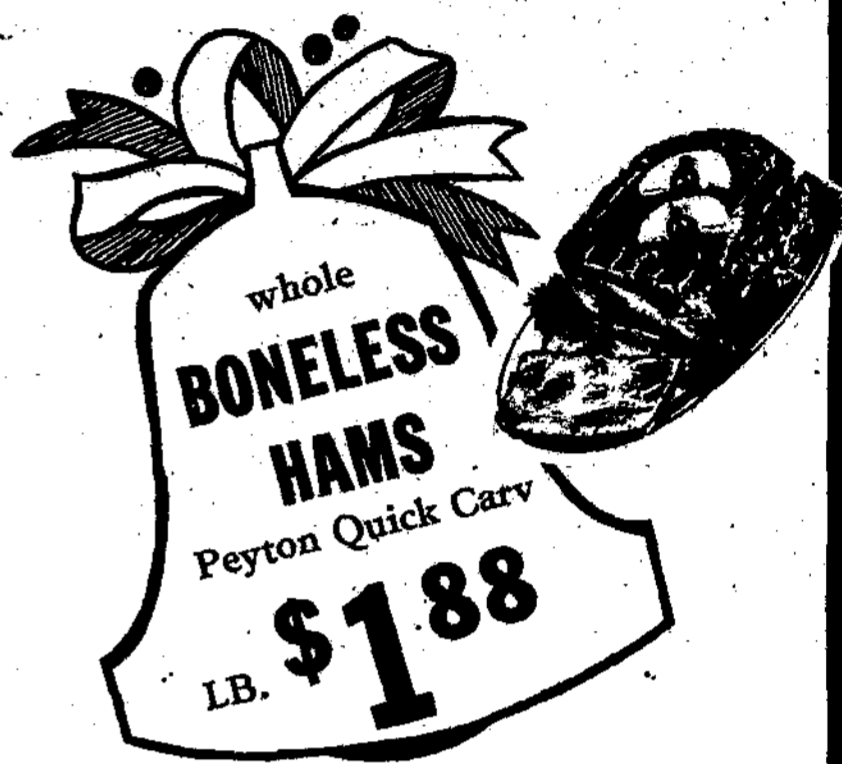


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LISA ENCINIAS
Estancia



CAROL SWALWELL
Secretary



DONNA WOOD
Bookkeeper



SCOTT M. SHAFER
President

Born in Carrizozo, January 1961. Graduated Carrizozo High School 1968, Graduated New Mexico State University 1973, Graduated from New Mexico School of Banking in 1977. Commenced work with Citizens State Bank as Management Trainee January, 1974; Manager, Estancia Bank, Feb. 1975 to Aug. 1978, returned to Carrizozo bank at that time. Member, Trinity Methodist Church, Chairman Adm. Council and Choir Director, Member & past president Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce, Worshipful Master Carrizozo Masonic Lodge, Member Vocational Adv. Council, Carrizozo High, Co-chairman, Livestock Sales Committee, Lincoln County Fair, Member of Board of Directors Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity New Mexico State University, Member Agricultural Credit Committee New Mexico Bankers Association, Member Airport Advisory Committee, Town of Carrizozo, Married former Rosemary Cassabone of Hope, N.M., have two children Keri Marie, 4, and Robert Malcolm, 10 months.



LUCAROL DURAN
Vaughn



DOROTHY GARCIA
Vaughn



ARCHIE WITHAM
Asst. Vice President

Born July 13, 1935 and raised on the Bonito. Graduated from Captain High School 1953, attended University of Houston, graduating with accounting degree in 1957 and Law degree in 1968. Attorney with Allied Chemical Co., Houston, 1965-1973, private Law Practice, Carrizozo, 1973 to 1980, loan officer Security Bank 1980-1982, married to former Gloria Blackwell of Meridian, Mississippi, 3 sons, Walter, Robert and Keith, this family lives at Nogal. Archie is active in US Army Reserves, instruct command ord. General Staff College Classes at White Sands on weekends.

Promoted from Assistant Cashier to Cashier, family moved to Carrizozo 1930, graduated Carrizozo High School May, 1943, was employed by Carrizozo Hardware Company until 1961, moved to Roswell and stayed until January 1965, re-employed at Carrizozo Hardware until Nov., 1960, began work at Citizens State Bank in the operations department. His two sons - William Roy and David Earl. Her father, Earl Crumpley, worked for the Southern Pacific Company in the water department for many years. Lillian's mother, Beesie Crumpley, resides in Carrizozo.



LILLIAN SWIFT
Cashier



FAUSTINO GALLEGOS
Custodian



PEGGY NAJJAR
Bookkeeper

Born Vaughn July 21, 1946. Married Sue George of Alamogordo November 1969, two sons, Bryan, age 11, and Dante, age 4. Graduated from Vaughn High School 1964. Attended N.M.M.I., Roswell, Junior College 1965-66, completed 1 year Colorado School of Banking, Boulder, Colo. Joined Citizens State Bank as a bookkeeper in June, 1968. Called to the Army in Nov., 1968. Worked at CSB-Vaughn during leave and transfer between duty stations while in the Army between Nov., 1966, and discharge from active duty Oct., 1968. Discharged as Sgt. E-5 with a Top Security Clearance. Most of tour duty was served in Munich, Germany. Returned full-time to CSB-Vaughn Oct., 1968. Has been an Officer of CSB for 13 years. Elected as Advisory Director in 1971. Elected to the Board of Directors in Sept., 1973. Manager the Torrance County Branch from July, 1971, to August, 1973, when he returned to Vaughn. President - Vaughn Board of Education, Mayor - Town of Vaughn, Secretary - Vaughn Rotary Club, Director - Eastern Plains Council of Governments, Director - Eastern New Mexico Rehabilitative Services for the Handicapped, Member and Past Commander of American Legion Post #53, Treas. - Guadalupe County Republican Party, Owner - Sands Motel and Restaurant.



GEORGE LEE STRALEY, JR.
Vice-President
Manager, Estancia Office



GEORGE A. DEL CURTO
Executive Vice President
Manager, Vaughn Office

Born February 26, 1935 in Carrizozo. He attended grade school in Ancho and completed his secondary school education in Carrizozo in 1953. He attended New Mexico State University. After a two year span in the U.S. Army, Lee returned to the family ranch where he remained as owner and operator until 1977 when he leased the ranch and went to work for Citizens State Bank as Agricultural Loan Officer. In 1978 he transferred to the Estancia Branch of the bank and was promoted to Branch Manager and Assistant Vice President. Lee is married to the former Dorothy Moore. She is employed as Fiscal Officer for the Seventh Judicial District Court. They have three children; LeAnne Byrd, who is a Vice-President of Chaves County Savings and Loan Association; G.L., who is Assistant Vice-President of Roswell Federal Land Bank Association, and Phil, who will receive his B.A. degree in Agriculture Economics at Texas Tech University this year. Lee formerly served as County Commissioner of Lincoln County. He is active in the Estancia Rotary Club, is Master of Estancia Lodge #33, A.F. & A.M., is Secretary of East Torrance County SWCD, a member of the Advisory Committee for Torrance County Extension Service, a member of the Estancia Public School Educational Advisory Committee, and will be Chairman of the Administration Board of the Estancia United Methodist Church for 1983. Lee's parents, George and Katie May Straley, live on the family ranch at Ancho.



PEGGY MYERS
Estancia



SHARON LUERAS
Teller

Elected Chairman of the Board and to serve in Advisory Capacity. Born Carrizozo, August 27, 1917. Graduated Carrizozo High School 1936. Married Margaret Shafer, May 23, 1937. Three children Bob Stearns and Linda Gibson, Carrizozo, Judy Glover, Las Cruces, 6 grandchildren. Started with Citizens State Bank part-time 1948. President since 1969. Served: President of Carrizozo School Board, Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce, Carrizozo Rotary Club, Carrizozo Industrial Development Board, Mayor, Carrizozo, 1968-1974, Member: Old Lincoln Memorial Commission, Carrizozo Soil & Water Conservation Board, Chairman, Lincoln County Municipal Hospital Board, Past Master Carrizozo Masonic Lodge, presently Secretary, 23 years Treasurer Nogal Mesa Ranchmen's Camp Meeting, Elder Nogal Presbyterian Church. Johnson's Mother, Pearl Stearns, who will be 100 years of age on her next birthday, resides at Betty Dare Good Samaritan Center in Alamogordo.



JOHNSON S. STEARNS
Returning President has been elected
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CORRINE BRAZELFIELD
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Grady, Hondo winners in local tournament

The Grady girls basketball team took first place in the Grizzly invitational by defeating Tularosa, 71-41, and the Hondo boys team placed first in the round robin set up tournament in the boys division.

The Goddard JV girls defeated Carrizozo for third place with a 63-38 win on Saturday, the final day. The Carrizozo boys placed third in the round robin. On the first day of the tournament for the boys, Carrizozo defeated Vaughn 72-60 and Hondo defeated Quemado 46-53. The second day Hondo won over Carrizozo, 46-48, and Quemado topped Vaughn 63-42. On Saturday Vaughn came out on top and defeated Hondo 43-42 and Quemado had a 41-37 win over Carrizozo.

On the first day of the tournament, Thursday, Carrizozo girls had a 75-24 victory over Quemado. The next day Carrizozo lost to Tularosa 68-61.

Three Carrizozo's players were named to the boys' all-tournament team—Timmy Vega, Alex Serna and Kevin Wilmore. Other all-tournament players named were: Charlie Chavez

(Hondo), Sean Washburn (Quemado), Ben Serna (Quemado), Jerry Baca (Vaughn), and Leroy Rael (Vaughn).

Mary Jane Ferguson and Christetta Chavez of Carrizozo were chosen on the all-tournament team. Other all-tournament team girls were: Lanie Boid (Grady), Jana McDaniel (Goddard), Julie Blackburn (Grady), Billy Sidwell (Tularosa), Sandra Moore

(Goddard), and Mylissa Wellborn (Quemado). The all-tournament teams are chosen by all the coaches of participating teams.

Teams which competed in the tournament and their placement is as follows: girls — Grady, 1st; Tularosa, 2nd; Goddard, 3rd; Carrizozo, 4th; Quemado, 5th; Hondo, 6th; Vaughn and Mountaintop. Boys — Hondo, 1st; Quemado, 2nd; Carrizozo, 3rd; and Vaughn, 4th.

12 days (continued from page 4)

be careful where you step. The house is a mess. I'm warning you — lay off!

Agnes

Dec. 22

Hey, Jerk:

What are you? Some kind of a sadist? Today there's nine parties playing. All they do is chase the maids. The cows are upset and are stepping on those screeching birds. What am I going to do? The neighbors have started eviction proceeding against me.

You'll get yours, Agnes

Dec. 23

You rotten knucklehead:

Now there's 10 ladies dancing! Those sluts play with the pipers all night long, the cows have diarrhea. The head of Health is threatening to condemn the diarre. I've had it, you stupid blockhead. I'm siccing the police on you.

One who means it, Agnes

Dec. 24

Listen, you goon:

What's with the 11 lords a-leaping? And those maids and ladies? All 23 of the birds are dead, trampled to death in the orgy. I hope you're satisfied, you rotten, vicious goon.

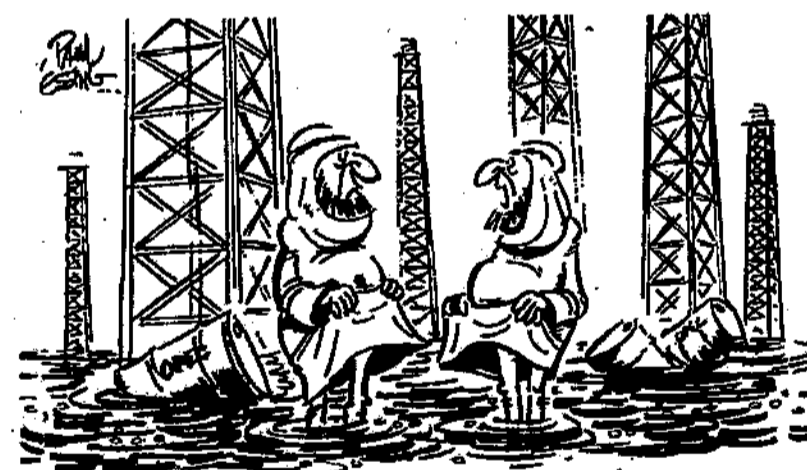
Your sworn enemy, Agnes

Dec. 25

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge your latest gift of 12 fiddlers fiddling, which you have seen fit to inflict on my client, Miss McMurtree's destruction was, of course, total and she is now at Happy Dale Sanitarium, where attendants have instruction to shoot you on sight. Enclosed please find a warrant for your arrest.

Yours Truly, G. F. Bailey, Attorney-at-Law



By the way

Polky E. Chavez

GOOD OL' DAYS

Reading through the 1935 NEWS on file, I paused to see what area folks were doing this time of the season 47 years ago, five years before I was born: A Betty Boop cartoon was showing at the Lyric, train traveling during the holidays was cheap — and wait, there's more.

According to the NEWS of Dec. 20, 1935 the following young ladies were voted by the student body as princess candidates for the Sun Bowl Carnival in El Paso — Evelyn Hall, Evelyn Claunch, Gene Miller and Dorothy Nickels. Purchasers of the Dorothy Nickels then cast their votes for their favorite.

Other December items in that same issue:

BUSINESSMEN'S REPORT — The seats for the big Sun Bowl football game in El Paso, Jan. 1st, have practically all been sold. The football game will be played between Hardin-Simmons University and the New Mexico Aggie team.

BASKETBALL NOTES—Last Friday night the Grizzlies went to Captain to play. At the end of the first half the score was 12 to 4 in the favor of the Grizzlies, but the Captain team settled down to basketball and the second half was not so easy. The game ended with a final score of 18 to 23.

AT THE LYRIC—“Folies Bergere” with Maurice Chevalier, Merle Oberon and Ann Sothern. A good comedy with a good story too, also a Betty Boop cartoon.

CHRISTMAS EXCURSIONS—Southern Pacific agent C. P. Huppertz will be happy to arrange details for holiday roundtrips to all S. P. stations. For example: Los Angeles and back \$23.99 for coach-tourist and \$35.25 for first-class. Coffee or milk 5 cents, sandwiches 10 cents, donuts 10 cents. Remember—children under 5 years of age ride free; from 5 to and including 11, half fare. What better present could you give than

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES—The Cotillion Club will sponsor its first dance tonight at the community hall. (Note: now the Shop Rite Building) This is the beginning of a regular activity for the high school.

SANTA'S HEADQUARTERS—The Titsworth Co., Inc. of Capitan is again making the store headquarters for Santa Claus. They have a large stock of Christmas goods and toys display.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL—Ben Dow came home last Tuesday night from San Diego to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dow.

CAPTAIN ITEM—Mr. L. L. Buck has leased Bernard Pfingsten's farm on the Mesa and has taken charge of his school route. The Bucks expect to move to the Mesa some time soon.

CLASSIFIED—John E. Hall, attorney and counselor at law, Carrizozo Hardware Building, upstairs.

PUBLIC DOMAIN OFFERED—New Mexicans are offered 280,000 acres of public domain in the state for sale, lease or exchange as the result of a recent executive order according to Mr. A. D. Molohon, regional director of service for the Department of the Interior.

LINCOLN LOCALS—A Christmas program, “Christ's Birth,” was presented Wednesday night at Lincoln by the unemployed Girls' Camp of Capitan.

XMAS DINNER—The Waffle House Cafe and Annex in Carrizozo will have Christmas dinner on their menu: Cream of celery soup, combination salad, roast young turkey, oyster dressing, giblet sauce, baked

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Christmas '82
"Vivles skeerce both horses lame, but Merry Christmas jest the same!"

Opinion (Continued from page 4)

problem is to find enough people upon whom to shower these gifts. Local citizens are sending gifts of money and food to people in more than 80 nations of the earth. That money is in short supply and taxes a crushing burden makes no difference, for it is Christmas. The elderly, the sick—and always the children—are remembered. The lonely are comforted and the hungry fed. There will be fewer fights in the saloons and taverns in Christian countries. Everywhere is the ring of "Merry Christmas!" The police officer is more accommodating and more cheerful, and he issues fewer citations for minor infractions. People who don't speak all year exchange seasonal greetings. The girl on the street whom you never met returns your smile. More children are patted on the head more than at any other time of the year. In stores there is less haggling over prices, less complaining about shoddy goods, and the sound of Bing Crosby's perennial "White Christmas" brings tears to eyes that haven't been moist since this time last year. All because it's Christmas.

● HOW TRAGIC that wars cannot be made to begin on Christmas—when nobody would have the heart for them! For during this one time each year there is an outpouring of love, understanding, generosity, kindness and consideration among people of the Christian community. And some damn fools want to change Christmas!

● ONE OF the miracles of Christmas is that no man, however poor, sick, suffering, lonely or low-placed or ill-used can fail to be spiritually uplifted and touched in his soul by the magic of the day. Christmas can be shared by believers and non-believers; by all races and creeds. I am happy to share this Christmas with you all; and, whether you know it or not, you're sharing your Christmas with me. Merry Christmas!

Inside Religion

A smear of the Salvation Army

By LESTER KINSOLVING,
According to managing editor Linda Marie Delloff of the inter-denominational Protestant weekly Christian Century magazine, the Salvation Army recently withdrew from active membership in the World Council of Churches (WCC) because: "According to one source, it was actually the result of pressure from large corporations that make substantial contributions to the Army."

In New Jersey, director Ralph Chamberlain of the Salvation Army's National Information Service, when asked about this anonymous and damaging charge, replied:

"There is no truth in such a statement and there is no evidence of any such thing."

Chamberlain went on to explain that the Army's decision to withdraw from membership status (but to continue as a WCC observer) was not made in the United States but in London by

General Arnold Brown, who has since retired.

"This was a decision made without any pressure from the outside," he emphasized, "although—understandably, some of our own people in places like Rhodesia were anguished over World Council grants to terrorists."

In Chicago, where the Christian Century is published, managing editor Delloff declined to reveal the identity of her sources.

We asked if this concealment of her source was provided out of a fear of possible Salvation Army retaliation; some sort of threat to life or livelihood?

The Salvation Army has no known (or even suspected) record of sending out either hit men or death squads to deal with its critics. So editor Delloff opted to explain instead that this information was "given to another person on our staff"—whom she refused to identify.

Who are the corporations that allegedly pressured the Salvation Army to withdraw from the WCC?

"I didn't ask the source," replied the managing editor of liberal Protestantism's Bible-s surrogate.

Where did Delloff's source hear this information?

"This person heard it when it was given to a group of journalists (unidentified)," explained Delloff, "by a person (unidentified) within the World Council of Churches. Ask the Council's office in New York."

At the New York office of the WCC, the Rev. Keith Bridston declared: "I have heard of no one from the World Council of Churches who has made such a statement."

Bridston, a Lutheran, also declared that he knows of no evidence to support what the Christian Century has published.

When we telephoned editor Delloff to convey this news, she became agitated.

"I have no more time to talk to you!" she cried—and hung up.

The ethics of the Christian Century (which recently published a strong criticism of Mother Teresa of Calcutta) are apparently such that allow publication of totally unsubstantiated slurs—attributed to an unidentified source.

Janet Cooke Journalism—the kind of "sourcery" which led the Washington Post into its worst embarrassment—is apparently alive and well in some sections of the religious press.

Last rites for Bayard resident

Johnnie Raymond Littleton, 68, died Dec. 7 at Bayard, NM. Interment was at Memory Lane, Silver City.

Survivors include the widow, Lillian, of Arenas Valley; three sons, James of Deming, Grady of Arenas Valley and Bud of Capitan; a daughter, Margaret Monroe of Capitan; three sisters, Edna Bule of Alamogordo, Edith Leonard of Indiana and Dorothy Curant of Carrizozo; a brother, Floyd Littleton of Arizona; 11 grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous other nieces and nephews.

GOP women install officers

Dorothy D. Smith of Capitan was installed as president of Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County in ceremonies Tuesday.

Serving with her will be Dorothy Barber, Ruidoso, first vice-president; Noema Page, Alto, second vice-president; Maggie Bohks, White Oaks, secretary; and Pat Hume, Nogal, treasurer. They will serve two-year terms. Installing officer was Penta Pool of Hondo, state vice-chairwoman of the New Mexico Republican Party.

At the Christmas party preceding the ceremonies, members collected gifts to be distributed to female residents of the Ruidoso Care Center and collected money to be used toward the purchase of a wall clock for that facility.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 18, at a time and place to be announced later. For further information, contact Smith at 354-2399 or Barber at 258-2348.

Bud Payne's Weekly Weather Report

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Nogal student is honored at NMSU

Robert P. Richardson of Nogal was recently accepted into New Mexico State University's Crimson Scholars programs.

Richardson is a senior at NMSU majoring in civil engineering. He is a 1978 graduate of Capitan High School.

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5,000 New Mexicans get Christmas bonus

WASHINGTON — Unemployment compensation benefits for about 5,000 New Mexicans would be extended an additional four weeks under an amendment sponsored by Sen. Pete Domenici which passed the Senate Thursday.

By a vote of 89-4, the Senate approved Domenici's amendment to the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982.

"We need this stopgap measure because of so many people — especially in New Mexico — who no longer have extended benefits," Domenici said. "For some people, their extended benefits ran out two weeks ago," he explained.

"This should especially help the hundreds of unemployed workers in the Silver City area where the unemployment rate has been hovering around 36 percent and the Grants area where unemployment rate has been 18 percent or higher."

Domenici's amendment would add four weeks of benefits for people who exhaust their benefits between the date of enactment of the bill and March, 1983.

In Silver City, much of the copper mining industry has been shut down because of current economic conditions. In the Grants area, much of the unemployment is due to the sharply reduced demand for uranium — thus idling many uranium miners and workers.

"This should greatly help our unemployed New Mexico workers while they are looking for other jobs," Domenici added.

A vote on the overall bill is expected in the Senate within the next few days.

In a speech on the floor of the Senate, Domenici urged passage of his amendment, noting the unemployment rate across America is 10.8 percent with about 12 million people out of jobs.

"When Congress enacted supplemental employment benefits, it was expected that new employment opportunities would emerge during the program's six-month duration," Domenici told his colleagues.

"This has not yet happened, he said. "In fact, unemployment has increased."

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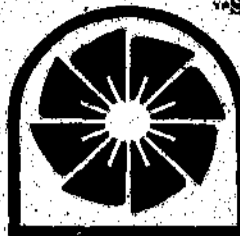
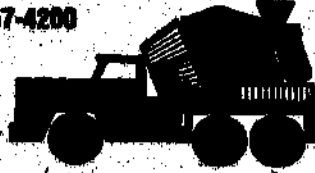
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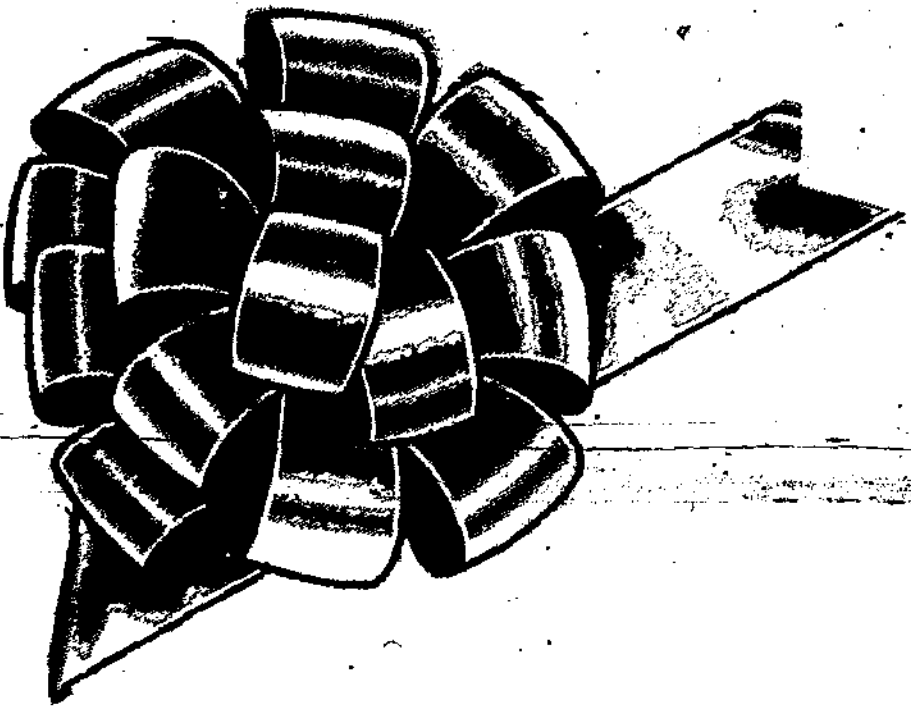


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participated in Eye Bank program; paid for a stereoptic kit to be used by county nurse.
 Collected and sent used prescription glasses and frames to distributed where needed; provided opportunities for local talent to perform in annual talent show; donated \$50.00 to Carrizozo Library (CHS); gave \$25.00 to needy family; donated all contributions from rifle and rifle case raffle to worthy club projects; participated in annual PTA Halloween Carnival.
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LEGALS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT STATE OF NEW MEXICO
KATHLEEN V. BATES, formerly known as KATHLEEN V. SOUTHER, Plaintiff,

vs. Cause No. CV-307-82 Division II

ROBERT E. SOUTHER, Defendant.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

The State of New Mexico to Robert E. Souther:

You are hereby notified that there is pending in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, a civil action, Cause No. CV-307-82, in which Kathleen V. Bates, formerly known as Kathleen V. Souther, is the Plaintiff and you are the defendant. The general object of said action is foreclose her judgment lien against your undivided one-half interest in certain property which you and she hold as tenants in common to satisfy a judgment against you.

Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 20th day of January, 1983, judgment will be rendered against you as requested in said Complaint by default. Attorneys for Plaintiff are Hebard & Hebard, P. O. Box 806, Alamogordo, -New Mexico 88310. Witness my hand and seal this 7th day of December, 1982.

MARGO LINDSAY District Court Clerk

SEAL

By: (s) Joy Leslie Deputy

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT STATE OF NEW MEXICO
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: JOSEPHINE KIMBRELL, Deceased.

NO. PB-46-82 Div. I

NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO: TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JOSEPHINE KIMBRELL, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE KIMBRELL, DECEASED, OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER MENTIONED HEARING.

Hearing on the Petition filed by the undersigned Personal Representative for confirmation and appointment of the undersigned in a formal proceeding, a determination of heirship and determining that the decedent died interstate will be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico on the 28th day of January, 1983, at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

Pursuant to Section 45-3-403 NMSA, notice of the time and place of hearing on said Petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week, for two consecutive weeks.

WITNESS our hands and the seal of this Court.

DATED: December 1, 1982

Margo Lindsay Clerk of the District Court

By: (s) Joy Leslie Deputy

SEAL

NANCY KIMBRELL Personal Representative

604 Mississippi El Paso, Texas
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NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of November, 1982, in a certain cause pending in the District Court of the Twelfth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Lincoln and numbered CV-194-82, upon the docket thereof, wherein the First National Bank of Lordsburg, a New Mexico banking corporation, is Plaintiff, and Richard R. Blakey, Earlene R. Blakey and Dexter Shook are the Defendants. Judgment was entered against said Defendants for the sum of \$69,199.35, accrued interest in the sum of \$8,625.40, and also the sum of \$7,781.39 for attorney's fees, and costs amounting to the sum of \$58.00, together with interest accruing thereon at the rate of 18.25 percent per annum.

WHEREAS, in and by said judgment, it is adjudged that Plaintiff in said cause had a first and prior lien by virtue of a certain mortgage in said judgment described upon the hereinafter described land and premises to secure the amount adjudged to be due to Plaintiff from Defendants as aforesaid; and

WHEREAS, in and by said judgment it is adjudged that the Defendants do pay unto Plaintiff the amounts as aforesaid adjudged to be due and owing to Plaintiff on or before the 6th day of December, 1982; and that in case of Defendants' failure to do so the land and premises hereinafter described, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be sold to satisfy said indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned was by said judgment appointed Commissioner of said Court to sell the hereinafter described lands and premises for the purpose of

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satisfying said judgment.
NOW, in pursuance of the power and authority given and granted by said judgment, the undersigned Commissioner does hereby give notice that on Friday, January 14, 1983, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon on said day at the front door of the Courthouse in Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, she will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, those certain lands or parcels of land situated lying and being in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, as more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 29, Block 2, White Mountain Estates, Unit 4, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, together with improvements thereon.

From the proceeds of such sale, the Plaintiff will satisfy, after payment of the costs of said sale, the judgment entered herein against Defendants in the amount of \$85,863.13, together with accrued interest to the date of sale in the amount of \$2,998.10, for an aggregate of \$88,861.23.

DATED at Silver City, New Mexico this 10th day of December, 1982.
Roberta B. Reynolds, Commissioner

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NOTICE

The Behavioral Health Services Division of the Health and Environment Department hereby provides notice to all agencies, organizations, groups, and individuals intent upon competing with any current contractor of the Division for the provision of treatment services to developmentally disabled, mentally ill, alcohol abusing-alcoholic, and/or drug abusing-addicted individuals or for the provision of prevention services to individuals potentially at risk of behavioral health problems: Any such agency, organization, group, or individual intending to compete with ongoing service provision must send a letter, notifying the Division of that intent, to Ms. Clarice Getz, Bureau Chief, Program Support Bureau, BHS, HED, P. O. Box 968, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-0968; by January, 1983. The letter must clearly specify (a) the type of service (s) which will be provided, (b) the catchment area for the intended program, and (c) the current BHS contractor with which the new applicant would be competing.

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AMANDATORY RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CALLING OF AN ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING MEMBERS OF THE CARRIZOZO SCHOOL BOARD

WHEREAS, on December 14, 1982, the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal Schools adopted a resolution calling for a regular School Board Election to be held on February 1, 1983; and

WHEREAS, said Resolution incorrectly designated one of the positions to be filled as being for a six (6) year term; and

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal Schools hereby adopts the following amended resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that the regular school district election be held in the Carrizozo Municipal School District on the 1st day of February, 1983, this being the first Tuesday in February, to fill the following positions on the Board of Education:

- Position Three-3 year term
- Position Four-6 year term
- Position Five-2 year term

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that positions shall be designated on the ballot as Position Three and Position Four and Position Five and only one (1) member shall be elected for each Position; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any resident of the Carrizozo Municipal School District who is a qualified elector of the State of New Mexico who

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desires to become a candidate for the office of member of the Carrizozo School Board shall file a declaration in the office of the Superintendent of the Carrizozo Municipal School District at least thirty-five (35) days before the date of the election; beginning 8:00 a.m. on December 18, 1982 and continuing through 5:00 p.m. on December 28, 1982; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that for this election the precincts and location of polling places are consolidated as follows: Lincoln County (Carrizozo and Nogal Precincts) and Socorro (Claunch Precinct) Schools are to VOTE at the Carrizozo Municipal School Conference Room.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that absentee voting shall be permitted in the manner authorized by paragraphs 22-6-21 through paragraph 22-6-34 NMSA 1978, and the Absentee Voter Polling Place shall be at the School District Office, 800 D Avenue; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each polling place be open from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that electors be registered in the Office of the County Clerk and that the registration books shall be closed by the County Clerk at 5:00 p.m. on December 21, 1982; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be published on the 16th and 23rd days of December, 1982, in the Lincoln County News, having general circulation within the Carrizozo Municipal School District.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the resolution duly adopted by the Carrizozo School Board at regular board meetings held on the 14th day of December, 1982, and amended on the 20th day of December, 1982, at which meetings a quorum was present and a majority voted in favor of the resolution.

STIRLING SPENCER
President of the School Board

Attest:
Mary V. Chavez
Acting Secretary

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RESOLUCION Y PROCLAMACION DE ELECCIONES PROVEYENDO PARA LA LLANADA DE UNA ELECCION CON EL PROPOSITO DE ELEGIR MIEMBROS DEL CUERPO DE EDUCACION PARA EL CUERPO MUNICIPAL DE EDUCACION EN EL DISTRITO ESCOLAR NUMERO SIETE DEL PUEBLO DE CARRIZOZO, NUEVO MEXICO.

Puesto que, la seccion 22-6-1 del codigo de las escuelas publicas de Nuevo Mexico provee lo siguiente:

A. Una eleccion del distrito escolar tomara lugar en cada distrito escolar con el proposito de elegir personas calificadas para un puesto en el Cuerpo de Educacion.

B. Una eleccion regular en el distrito escolar tomara lugar el primer martes de febrero de cada ano impar.

Por cuando, todos los electores elegibles en el distrito escolar numero siete del Condado de Lincoln y Socorro son intitulado para participar en dicha eleccion;

y
Por cuando las siguientes divisiones y consolidaciones de distritos electorales con el proposito de votar en la eleccion escolar que tomara lugar el dia de febrero, 1983 parece ser lo mas factible en vista del numero de votantes, disponibilidad de facilidades y gastos; y
Por cuando, todos los votantes en el distrito podran, bajo el siguiente plan, participar en la dicha eleccion escolar;

Ahora pues sea resultado que una eleccion por dicho proposito se verificara el dia 1 de febrero de 1983, A.D. para elegir tres miembros al Cuerpo de Educacion de la Ciudad de Carrizozo en el distrito numero 7 de las escuelas municipales y tambien incluyendo el distrito escolar conocido mas antes como 7 Condado de Socorro, Nuevo Mexico.
Ademas sea resultado que para el

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proposito de tal eleccion, los citados distritos son divididos en divisiones de votar como estan señalados en la siguiente NOTA MUNICIPAL DE LA ELECCION DEL CUERPO DE EDUCACION y que los sitios de votar alli mencionados.

Por este medio, sean señalados como las divisiones de votar para dicha eleccion, los sitios para tener tal eleccion y las personas quienes presidiran sobre tal eleccion y tales sitios de votar.

Ademas de eso, sea se resultado que considerando que el Estado de Nuevo Mexico tiene leyes con mandatos que se tienen que usar las maquinas de votar sean usadas durante la eleccion del Cuerpo de Educacion.

Ademas de eso sea se resultado que el secretario del Cuerpo de Educacion haga una proclamacion de la eleccion que sea publicada (en las idiomas ingles y espanol) en la prensa de Lincoln County News en la siguiente fecha: 16 de diciembre de 1982 y que esta resolucio constituirá la proclamacion de la eleccion. La siguiente noticia de la eleccion sera publicada:

NOTICIA DE LA ELECCION DEL CUERPO DE EDUCACION MUNICIPAL

Por lo cual se da aviso por este medio que una eleccion tomara lugar el dia 1 de febrero, 1983 dentro de y para la Escuela Municipal Distrito Numero siete, incluyendo el Distrito Numero 7, del Condado de Socorro; que el proposito de tal eleccion es para elegir tres miembros al Cuerpo de Educacion de Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico, llenar la "posicion numero tres (3) termino de seis años, numero cuatro (4) termino de seis años, y posicion numero cinco (5) termino de dos años." Los miembros elegidos serviran en ese pupuesto comenzando el dia 1 de marzo, 1983. Electores calificados votaran solamente por un candidato en cada posicion.

Ahora sea dicho que un aspirante candidato tiene que registrar una declaracion de su candidatura en la oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas de Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico a las cinco o mas antes de la tarde el dia 28 de diciembre, 1982 declarando formalmente su candidatura dando su residencia legal, afirmando que es elector calificado del Estado y que es residente del Distrito Escolar Numero Siete y afirmando ademas que el candidato es debidamente calificado bajo la ley y que no esta en ninguna dificultad temporaria o permanente con la ley.

La eleccion del distrito sera non-partidaria y los nombres de todos los candidatos por la posicion en el Cuerpo de Educacion de las Escuelas Municipales de Carrizozo se pondran en la boleta sin designacion de partido. La orden en que se escriban los nombres de los candidatos se determinara por suerte.
Provisiones seran hechas para los votantes en ausencia.
Aplicaciones para la distribucion de los boletas de votar en ausencia seran obtenidos en la oficina del Superintendente de escuelas despues del dia 28 de enero de 1983.

Libros de registraciones seran cerrados por el escribano del condado a las 5:00 de la tarde del dia 21 de diciembre de 1982.

Para esta eleccion los lugares de votacion se abriran a las 8:00 de la mañana y se cerraran a las 7:00 de la tarde del dia mencionado que es el 1 de febrero, de 1983.
Lugares de votacion para la dicha eleccion seran designados asi con los precinctos de votar consolidados para el proposito de esta eleccion. Los precinctos son como siguen:

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La Oficina del Superintendente de las Escuelas, 800 D. Avenue, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Hecho en Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico, el dia 16 de diciembre, de 1982.

Stirling Spencer
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