

Commissioners

County budget gets an 'A' from auditor

Lincoln County Commissioners were pleased at the Dec. 20 meeting to learn that the State Auditor found only two minor flaws in the 1982-83 budget. One objection was to a verbal contract instead of a written one with TRIADIC of Deming for use of computer equipment in case of emergency. The other was that the cost of county buildings should be listed at actual cost rather than replacement cost.

Commissioners passed Resolution No. 72-27 requesting that Lincoln County be included in the 1984-85 budget of the New Mexico State Highway Dept. The county had been informed that it will be dropped from the County Cooperative Road Program funding in the 1984-85 budget. Lincoln County received no cooperative funds in 1983, and depends heavily upon such funding for repair and maintenance of county roads. Gov. Anaya recently announced that responsibility for road work will fall more heavily on the counties in the future. This would seriously affect Lincoln County, which doesn't have the money to maintain its present road system.

In other action commissioners requested a budget increase for Emergency Medical

Services in the amount of \$4,151 in additional funding. The previous budget was \$3,200 for needed equipment whereas the actual cost would be \$7,351. Of this amount \$1247 will go to Hondo Ambulance Service, \$1674 to Carrizozo Ambulance Service and \$1668 to Alto Ambulance Service.

Turned down a request by Jerry Keaton to gravel roads in Homestead Acres. Keaton operates a gravel pit which can

be activated by dynamiting. He asked the county to pay for the dynamiting, which commissioners declined to do.

—Tabled until budget time a request for additional funds for the White Mountain Search and Rescue.

—Amended the Planning Commission Ordinance to provide for nine members instead of the present seven to comply with existing law.

—Agreed to pay \$450 per

month for three months as rent on Capitan Clinic, which will operate one day a week. This arrangement is only a trial basis to determine whether the clinic can be self-supporting. The move was prompted by the appointment of Nancy Guck to fill the vacancy left by Rosemary Zink at Carrizozo Clinic when she resigned to become county health nurse. Guck built the Capitan Clinic and opened it only recently. The request was made

by Dr. Dan Blodgett.

—Approved revenue sharing certification.

—Approved the application of the Glencoe-Palo Verde Fire Dept. to participate in the 1983 fire protection fund distribution. The group has been in existence the required one year, which makes it eligible for funding. Total request for Dec. 1, 1983 through June 30, 1984, \$6,975.

—Went into executive session to discuss pending litigation.

Livestock board has new director

The New Mexico Livestock Board has hired Jarales resident J. C. Schwartzman as its new executive director. Board Chairman Jack Butt said Schwartzman, a rancher, will begin official duties on Jan. 3.

The hiring of Schwartzman as executive director of the board came after a three-month search by board members. Butt said, "after reviewing all candidates we feel Mr. Schwartzman is the best man for the job and the board is satisfied that his

background will be beneficial to the board as he acts on our behalf as director of an agency in charge of the state's livestock laws."

Schwartzman is a native of New Mexico, educated in the Albuquerque public schools and served in World War II. He has been in the farming and ranching business and the packing house and feedlot industry all of his life. Schwartzman supervised up to 150 employees through the packing house and feedlot operation. He will be taking over an agency with 80 employees, both clerical and inspection personnel. The livestock board is charged with the supervision and guidance of livestock brand and health law.

Schwartzman replaces G. M. "Doggie" Jones who has been executive director since 1978. Schwartzman is married and the father of three daughters and has six grandchildren.

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Water levels in area to be checked

Commencing Jan. 3, 1984, personnel from the State Engineer District Office in Roswell will be measuring water levels in wells in the Roswell, Hondo and Penasco Underground Water Basin.

The measurements are part of a continuing long-term program to determine fluctuations of the water table in the basins. Measurements of approximately 850 wells are made every five years by the State Engineer Office, with the last such measurements having been made in 1979.

It is anticipated that six to eight personnel will be in these areas from January through most of March. If any persons desire more information or information concerning measurements on specific wells, they may contact the State Engineer Office in Roswell, NM.

Cardinals take the Eagles

The Corona Cardinals defeated the Hondo Eagles in Corona Land Tuesday night, Dec. 20, 45-29. The Cardinals dominated the Eagles in all except the second quarter.

Jaime Sanchez was high point man for Hondo with 11 points. Wayne Sanders was high scorer for the Cardinals.

In an earlier game the Hondo girls won over the Corona girls 25-22.

Information on dope requested

The vice-president's task force for the interdiction of narcotics says it needs your help. If you have information about narcotics smuggling, call 1-800-DOPE TIP. The call is free.

Everett Turner, Southwest Region (staff) Coordinator of the Vice-President's National Narcotics Border Interdiction System (NNBIS), said today that citizens frequently have information about narcotics smuggling that is of exceptional value in fighting the drug traffic.

Recital kicks off Christmas festivities

Mrs. Eleis Jordan presented a piano recital Sunday evening Dec. 18 at her home in Lincoln. This began a week of Christmas festivities in this community.

The historic San Juan Bautista Church was the place Dec. 21 for an evening of caroling, handbell ringing and Christmas readings.

Refreshments were served following the program at the Wortley Hotel.

Protestants and Catholics met for joint services Dec. 22 in the Catholic Church. The service was followed by a pot luck dinner at Dora and Chris Zamoras.

Just before Christmas luminarios will be on display along the street in Lincoln.

Winter sports outlook good

Holiday activities on the Lincoln National Forest will focus on winter sports. Although no significant amounts of snow fell on the forest this past week, overcast skies and freezing temperatures have maintained the snow depths at the higher elevations.

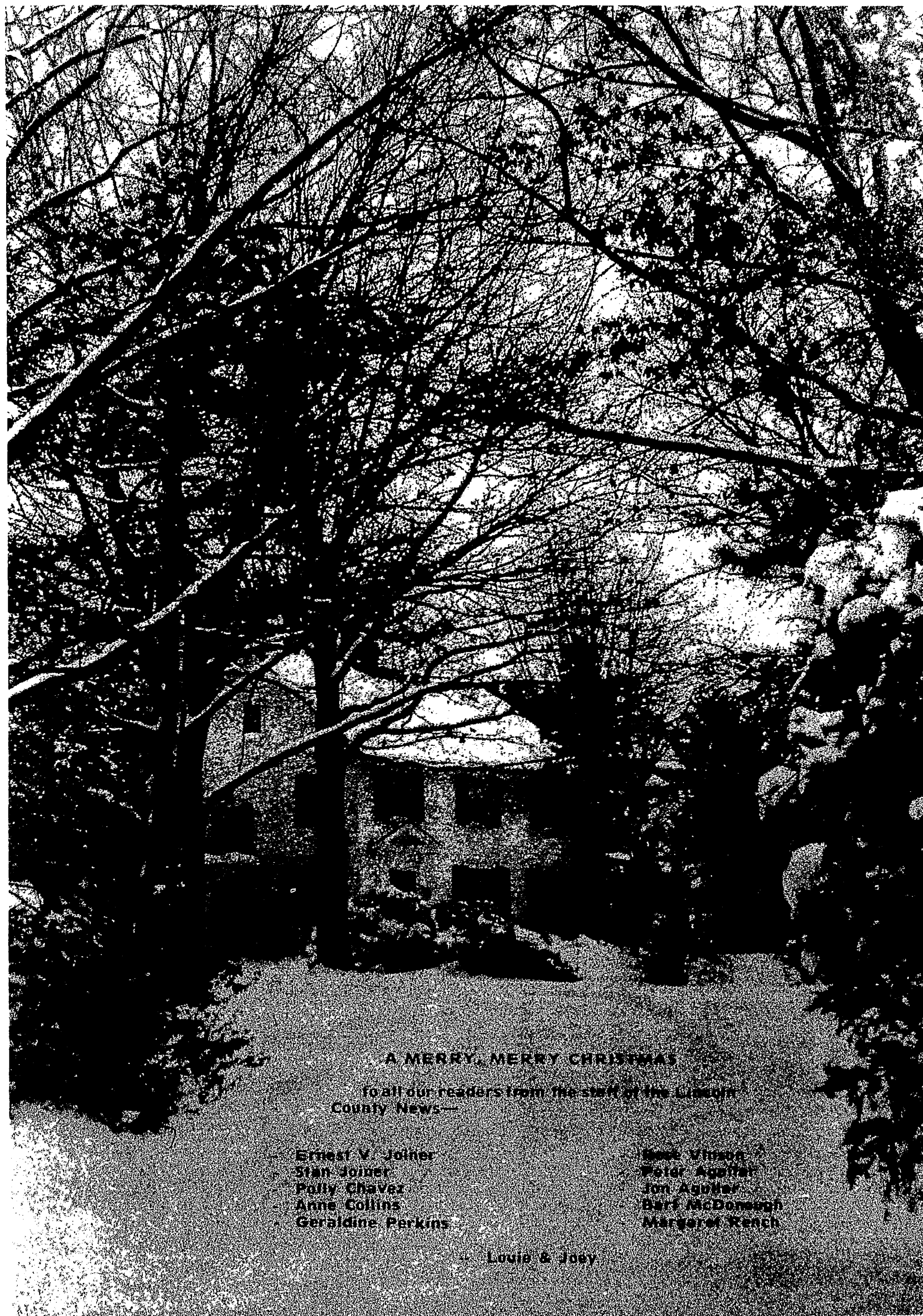
Ski conditions are reported as fair to good at Sierra Blanca Ski Area (257-9001) near Ruidoso on the Smokey Bear District. All lifts and trails are open daily, weather permitting. Three Rivers Campground is open for winter camping. Check with the Ranger Station at 257-4095 for current road and fuelwood information.

On the Cloudercroft District, Ski Cloudercroft (682-2333) skiing conditions are expected to be good this weekend. Upper Karr, Benson Ridge and Sleepy Grass are recommended areas for snowmobiling and 3 wheeling. Cross-country skiing is good on the Apache Loop Trails, although there may be an occasional bare spot. Three wheel motorcycles and snowmobiles are prohibited on cross-country ski trails.

Silver Snowplay Area will close at noon on Christmas Eve and remain closed through Christmas Day, if no snow falls, it will be closed beginning Saturday morning until snow conditions improve. Both commercial snowplay areas near Cloudercroft will be open all Christmas weekend. Karr Canyon Road is closed because of snowpacked, icy conditions. Long Ridge fuelwood area is open, call 682-2551 for current conditions. Permits are required for all fuelwood areas on the Lincoln.

Guadalupe District near Carlsbad received a skiff of snow this past week, and temperatures are very cold. Roads may be icy in places. Sitting Bull Falls Picnic Area is closed for the winter. Fuelwood areas are open. Caving activity is expected to be heavy over the holidays. Firewood areas are open, call 885-4181 for current conditions.

On the Mayhill District, James Canyon Campground is open, fuelwood areas are open, and fishing is fair on the Penasco River. Mayhill's phone number is 687-3411.



A MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS

To all our readers from the staff of the Lincoln County News—

Ernest V. Joiner
Stan Joiner
Polly Chavez
Anne Collins
Geraldine Perkins

Bob Vinson
Peter Agutter
Jon Agutter
Barb McDonough
Margaret Rench

Louie & Joey



By the way

By POLLY CHAVEZ



HOLIDAY BIRTHDAY

Mrs. T. J. Chisholm celebrates a birthday on Christmas Eve. She will be 91 years old on Dec. 24. Mrs. Chisholm is home recuperating after suffering a broken hip. Here to help on her return from the hospital was her granddaughter Miss Elsie Catherine Chisholm of Lambert, MS. Miss Lambert is back home.

AT GRANDMA'S

Bloomfield, NM residents Kristine, age 6 and her sister Toshia, age 3 are visitors in the White Oaks home of their grandmother LaRue Wetzel. The girls are daughters of Walter and Cindy Wetzel, who will travel from Bloomfield in time to spend Christmas with the Wetzel family.

ATTEND ANNIVERSARY

Rick and Jennifer Hollis and fifteen month old son, Brandon were here from Las Cruces to attend Rick's grandparent's 50th wedding anniversary. The event

in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hollis, Oscura, was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hollis.

Rick received a degree in business this past spring at the college at Hobbs. He is currently enrolled as an agriculture major at NMSU. His brother Robbie, a junior at NMSU is home in Carrizozo for the Christmas break. Robbie is majoring in physical education and science.

VISITED IN TEXAS

Don and Joan Means were in Texas the weekend of Dec. 10-11 to visit friends and attend the Dallas Cowboy versus Washington Redskins game held at Dallas Cowboy Stadium. The couple visited in Decatur with Jim and Sally Florian and their family. The Florians are former Carrizozo teachers.

BEHIND THE SCENES

Lincoln County News staff member, Bart McDonough joined the ad department this past October. Bart, who is single (unmarried) is no stranger to Lincoln County. He was Capitan school band instructor and English teacher from 1960 to 1973. Following that he was employed in the same field elsewhere in the state.

Bart, who travels up and down the county in connection with the ad business is very active in Masonic work. He is a member of Carrizozo Lodge 41, Ft. Worth Chapter and Council, Worth Commandery and Ballut Abyad

Shrine Temple in Albuquerque. He has a daughter, Gaylea Horner who lives in Germany with her husband who is in the Army.

FRIEND AND SISTERS

On chatting with Sarah Carwile of Boles Acres I learned that she grew up in Carrizozo. Sarah has been selling Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls and other items in Carrizozo this holiday season. Like me, Sarah is a cloth doll and quilt enthusiast.

She is sister to Verna Rodman, Carrizozo and Mary Etta Miller, Nogal. They have another sister, 'Cookie' who lives in Alamogordo. The four sisters are friends and have dabbled in all forms of handicrafts. Sarah and Verna, who currently is doing acid etching and sand blasting on mirrors, joined forces and sold their wares in Carrizozo. Verna also makes custom mirrors for the shop at Crazy Horse Memorial in South Dakota.

The four sisters are members of the Means family, who were raised in Carrizozo. The girls have six brothers, including Bob and Don of Carrizozo and Hank of Nogal.

RIGHT HAND MAN

Sarah and her husband, Earl are parents of two daughters who live in Alamogordo and Minnesota and a son, Ron who lives with them at Boles Acres. The couple has three grandsons. Sarah made dolls for her daughters when they were young and went into the doll business three years ago. The family lived in Alamogordo for 20 years. Sarah was a clerk at Furr's for fourteen and a half years during their residence in Alamogordo.

Earl is retired and is Sarah's right hand man. He assists with cooking and housekeeping. He also helps stuff doll arms and legs. Sarah loves children and dolls and has given away many dolls to children whose parents' budget does include dolls.

CHRISTMAS FOR OTHERS

Cast, producers, music director, pianist and others did an outstanding job at this year's annual Christmas play. Teacher Jane Erwin designed and painted the background scene which featured the interior of a cozy home, complete with cast iron wood stove.

The Grizzly band provided Christmas music. Beaming parents and grandparents enjoyed the delightful production starring students grades K through fourth. Proud parents took lots of pictures. The dimmed gym was bright with the camera flashes at Monday's play.

Plays like this one and the one produced last Sunday by the Trinity United Methodist Church reminds one that Christmas and everyday should be a time of Christian love, joy, song and music. The programs help put commercialism aside and makes

us stop to think of fellowship regardless of nationality or religious differences.

LIBRARY CORNER

The picture of John Harris has been added to the 'proud poster' at the school library. Since his employment in August 1982 as music and band teacher, Mr. Harris made many improvements in the department. He is the father of Julie and John. He and his wife Jackie are awaiting and awaiting the arrival of a third child due any day.

In other library news the Book Fair books have been received and have been distributed. Student library aides for this semester are Amy Means, Dino Baca, Gene Luna and Vickie Vermillion, who are taught library skills by Julie Hollis.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

This was how the birth of Jesus Christ took place. His mother was engaged to Joseph, but before they were married, she found out that she was going to have a baby by the Holy Spirit. Joseph was a man who always did what was right, but he did not want to disgrace Mary publicly; so he made plans to break the engagement privately. While he was thinking about this, an angel

of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, descendant of David, do not be afraid to take Mary to be your wife. For it is by the Holy Spirit that she has conceived. She will have a son, and you will name him Jesus—because he will save his people from their sins."

Now all this happened in order to make come true what the Lord had said through the prophet. "A virgin will become pregnant and have a son, and he will be called Immanuel" (which means, "God is with us"), — Matthew 1:18 - 23

New Year's Eve services at Baptist Church

The annual community New Year's Eve service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Dec. 31 at 8 p.m.

A video of the movie "Chariots of Fire" will be shown. "Chariots of Fire" received the Oscar for being the Best Film of the Year. It tells the story of Eric Liddell, the Olympic star who, almost 60 years ago, didn't just run for God, he lived for Him.

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Lindsay, Senior Deacon, Roy N. Dow, Junior Deacon, Billy Bob Shafer, Senior Steward, Jesse C. Harris, Junior Steward, Ralph Dunlap, Tyler, Bill MacVeigh Sr., Marshall, W. L. Crain. These officers will be installed Dec. 22 in a 7 p.m. meeting at the lodge hall.

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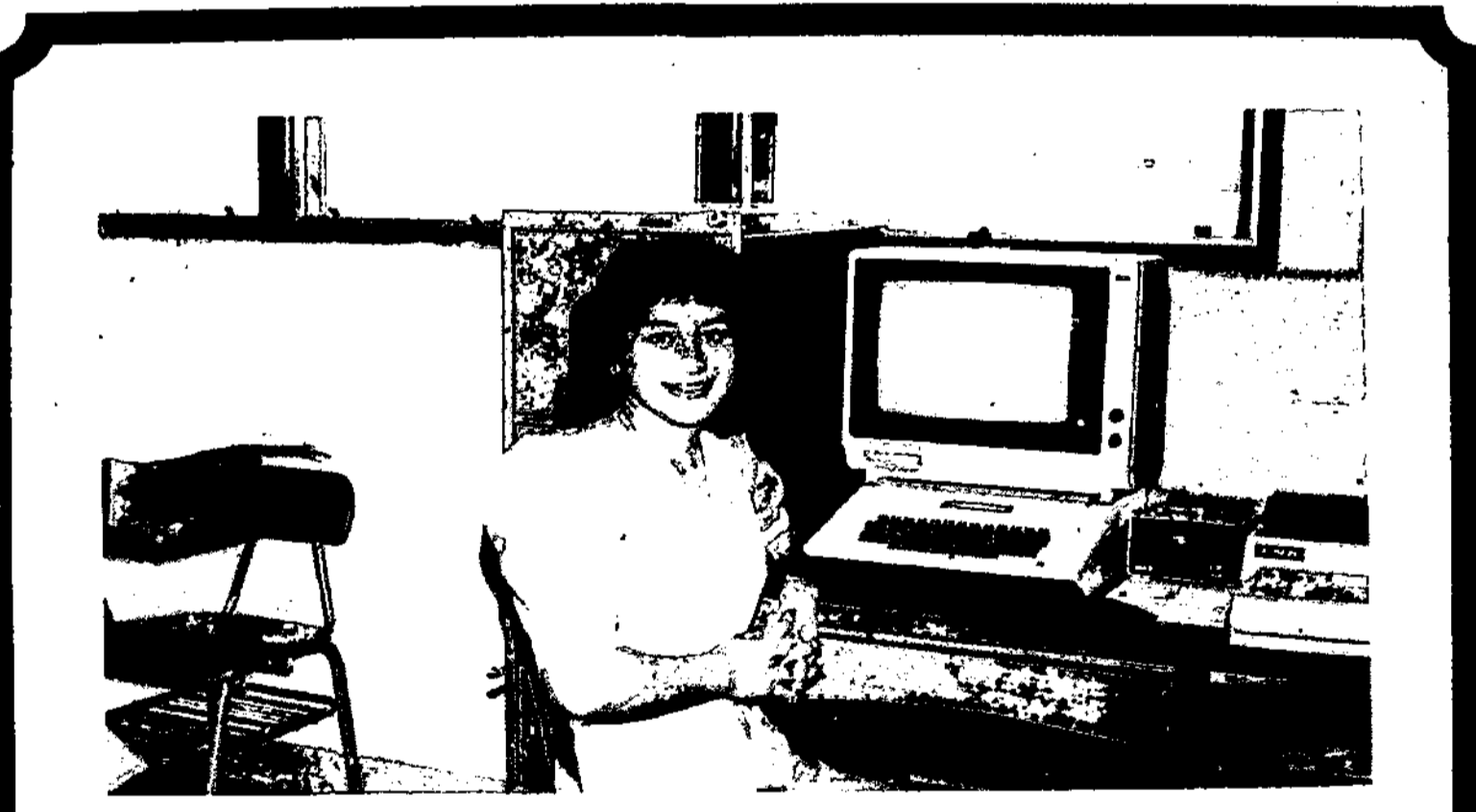
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Stephanie Saucedo, a 17 year old senior at Carrizozo High School, has been selected 'Student of the Month' for November by the Carrizozo Math Department.

Stephanie was selected for her outstanding work in the three courses she is taking in the math area. These courses are Advanced Math, Computer Math and Physics. According to her teachers, Stephanie has demonstrated a high level of aptitude and scholarship in the field of math and science. Stephanie plans to continue her interest in this field by attending college and majoring in engineering and computer science.

Stephanie is also enrolled in Journalism, Office Education II and U.S. Literature. She is active in cheerleading, FHA and OEA.

Stephanie is the daughter of Max and Pat Saucedo of Carrizozo.

The faculty and administrative staff of Carrizozo schools are very proud of Stephanie and her accomplishments.

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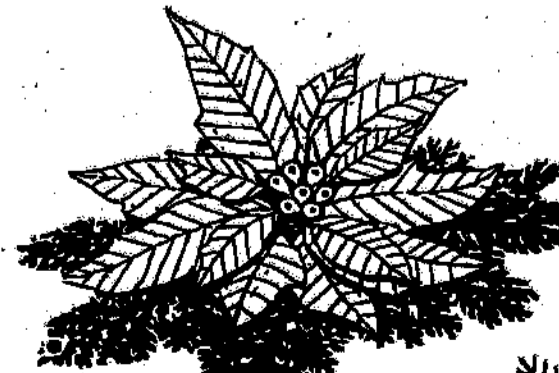
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+ To Date

● **THE New Mexico Independent**, a sassy newspaper published in Albuquerque, recently published a rousing defense of Ebenezer Scrooge written by Kent Brandley, now of Albuquerque, but who once edited the same newspaper I did in Sebastopol, CA. I thought it sporting that someone come to Ebenezer Scrooge's defense, especially at Christmastime when grudges are often forgotten in the spirit of the occasion, and when some good can always be found in the worst of us. Here it is, "In Defense of Ebenezer Scrooge:"

Scrooge was right to begin with. There is no doubt whatever about that. But, his side of the story has never adequately been told. He was quoted out of context and his grumpiness wasn't explained. Charles Dickens, we are forced to conclude, did quite a bit of editorializing in A CHRISTMAS CAROL by modern journalistic standards. No doubt, if Ebenezer Scrooge were alive today, he would sue Dickens for libel. Consider this description of poor old Ebenezer made by the young cub reporter Dickens:

"He was a tight-fisted hand at the grindstone, Scrooge! A squeezing, wrenching, grasping, scraping, clutching, covetous, old sinner!"

"Hard and sharp as flint, from which no steel had ever struck out generous fire; secret, and self-contained, and solitary as an oyster."

Translated into modern terms, keeping current libel laws in mind, Dickens, the dewey-eyed neophyte, would have to describe Scrooge like this:

"He was a frugal and hardworking man, Scrooge! A sharp businessman who took advantage of every available opportunity, he was keenly competitive, and he enjoyed the finer things in life."

"Solid as granite, he was dependable and intelligent. He investigated charities before giving because he was called on all too frequently by all manner of people to give. A quiet man, who preferred solitude, he seldom boasted about his civic contributions."

A good modern lawyer might make mincemeat of Charles Dickens' writing when he gives his degrading physical description of poor ugly Ebenezer.

In essence, Dickens says Scrooge was thin, mean and cold throughout.

In reality, poor Scrooge was thin from worry and over-work (he was his own boss — ask any businessman.) Scrooge was irritable because of high taxes, bureaucratic forms and deadbeats who wouldn't pay. He was cold because business wasn't too hot and he had to save on the ever rising fuel bill.

Dickens also makes the reader feel keen sympathy for Scrooge's counting-house clerk Bob Cratchit and his nephew Fred.

Few are aware that Cratchit only worked when old Eb was watching and even then he moved like he worked for the post office.

The nephew was a 19th century lowrider whose attitude quite naturally caused his uncle to exclaim "Bah humbug!"

Scrooge was a sincere and straightforward individual who was sickened by the commercialization of Christmas. "Bah humbug!" he said disgustedly when merchants began displaying Santa Claus shortly after removing the Halloween pumpkins from their windows.

As for Dicken's spooky details on Jacob Marley and the other ghosts?

Can we blame Ebenezer if he ever imbibed in spirits in light of all his troubles? And who is to say that young Charlie hadn't had a few when he wrote it.

● **THERE'S A story going around New Mexico** about the state's governor, Toney Anaya, who is about to press for \$269 million in taxes after already having raised them upon assuming office on a platform of "no new taxes." If the Lord still presides over the destinies of mortals, this bum will be a one-term governor. The story is a riddle. "Why does California have herpes and New Mexico has Toney Anaya?" Answer: California had first choice! His mentality is explained by his decision to move the welfare office from Carrizozo to Alamogordo. (Note Lincoln County is a Republican stronghold.) Forcing welfare recipients to travel 120 miles to pick up a meager welfare check is, to him, fitting punishment for being, or consorting with, Republicans. The welfare folks are expected to do their shopping in the town where they pick up their checks, which will punish Carrizozo merchants for being or consorting with Republicans. The last time there was such a dazzling display of gubernatorial vengeance, Gov. Jerry Brown appointed Rose Bird to be chief justice of the California Supreme Court.

● **IF YOU believe in the efficacy of prayer, now is the time for it.** The US is considering withdrawing from UNESCO, the United Nations educational organization. By Dec. 31 the Reagan Administration must decide on the withdrawal from a Third World boondoggle that has concerned itself with the politics of Israel and South Africa, along with some pretty weird disarmament proposals—none of which would redound to the benefit of the US. In November, the US cast the only vote against UNESCO's \$375 million budget because it was excessive and because Soviet and Third World countries wanted to impose press regulations to restrict freedom of the press. The big US media, which is so concerned with freedom of the press where Grenada is involved, is not opposing the Soviet press restrictions through UNESCO. Reagan may have to rescue the US media by withdrawing from an organization that has become a political arm instead of "educational, scientific and cultural." We have only two days to pray that we be shed of this costly dog—then we can start praying to throw the United Nations out after it.

● **WHAT'S WRONG with being big, especially when "bigness" results in a kind of efficiency that has provided American citizens with the cheapest and finest telephone service in the world?** Our Democratic-controlled Congress, over objections of the Reagan Administration, has broken up the giant American Telephone & Telegraph (AT&T) Company's Bell System; and, come Jan. 1, you will feel the result of the act to break Bell System into several independent units. First, your telephone rates, local and long distance, are going to increase; second, you will have more difficulty getting phone service and

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Inside Religion:

'French bishops know about being conquered; US bishops do not

By REV. LES KINSOLVING
By a majority of 82-2, the Roman Catholic bishops of France have endorsed deterrence by means of nuclear weapons.

This vote, taken at their Nov. 8 meeting in Lourdes, is a considerable contrast to the nuclear freeze proposal of the US Catholic bishops which was given such enormous publicity by America's Big Media.

For a great many of the rank and file of Catholic laity, this French bishops' position will provide a badly needed and thoroughly refreshing antidote to that extremely clever and influential national Catholic headquarters Rasputin of unilateral disarmament, the Rev. Bryan Hehir. (Father Hehir is that soulful and fallow priest

with the deep set and hypnotic eyes, who was so often photographed while whispering into the ear of Chicago's powerful Archbishop Joseph Cardinal Bernardin.)

Elsewhere in Washington, the Rev. Reginald de Rocquois of St. Louis Parish is chaplain to the French Catholic community in the United States. Father de Rocquois has served in the US for the past 15 years, but he knows all of the French bishops, including Jacques Jullien of Beauvais, who helped write this nuclear disarmament statement entitled: "Winning The Peace."

When asked by this column whether any of the French bishops are too young to have remembered their country under the conquest of the Nazis from

1940 to 1945, he replied: "None of them fail to remember."

Q: Is it possible that the difference in the statement of the French bishops as compared to the statement of the American bishops is due to the fact that the French know what it is to be conquered by such people as the Nazis — while the American bishops have never had such an experience?

FATHER DE ROCQUOIS: I won't disagree with that.

In their statement, the French Catholic bishops include the following:

"Would not an unconditional refusal to defend oneself mean giving a premium to blackmail? A nuclear war could annihilate the earth...but in order to save peace must we give

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Watch over Washington

LA Times chief charges Reagan with contempt of media

By LES KINSOLVING
WASHINGTON — According to Jack Nelson, Washington Bureau Chief of The Los Angeles Times, the Reagan Administration:

— "Has a contempt for the press and is extremely good at promoting secrecy in government."

— "Is good at public relations, that is, exploiting any vulnerability they can find in the media."

— "Has taken 30 steps to restrict the flow of information."

Nelson was one of five panelists on a US Chamber of Commerce-sponsored forum on "A Free and Responsible Media." The Times bureau chief and Pulitzer Prize winner even cited a Reagan joke as evidence of what he claimed is the President's contempt for the media:

"I think he (Reagan) has a certain contempt for the press. I saw him on television just the other morning. He was at a ceremony honoring former General Jimmy Doolittle. And he makes one of his one-liners about 'General, how did you get by without taking the press to Tokyo?'"

"I don't think he sees this as a serious issue!" declared Nelson, with obvious anger. "I see it as a serious issue — not just Grenada but as an extension of this government's policy."

Nelson went on to contend that Grenada was "the first time the press was kept out of a military operation like this in history." But he did not explain the apparent absence of reporters on the Doolittle Raid over Tokyo, or the absence of reporters with Washington as he crossed the Delaware, or the absence of reporters with Sherman in South Georgia.

When questioned about the widespread hostility of the public to the media (which was the subject of a Time magazine cover story four days earlier), Nelson replied vehemently: "It doesn't make it right that the public is hostile. I recall one politician who said: 'Sometimes the public ain't no damn bargain.'"

When asked after the close of the panel how he differentiated between this and William Vanderbilt's statement, "The public be damned!" Nelson declined comment. He also refused to elaborate on his statement that "We (of the media) are fathers; we've got religion."

During the panel, Nelson said that Presidential Counselor Ed Meese "distrusts the press." He asked about reporter Lyle Denniston of The Baltimore Sun, who has stated publicly that "he (Denniston) will steal, if he gets the chance, any government secret from the desk of the Secretary of Defense — and this morality, he added, would have applied to both the Manhattan Project as well as the time and place of the Normandy Invasion."

Q: "Would Mr. Nelson seriously expect the Administration to launch a top-secret military operation with our young men — possibly his own son if he has one of that age — accompanied by a pool of reporters consisting of Denniston, Janet Cooke (fired by the Washington Post for lying), Michael Daly (fired by The New York Daily News for lying), Christopher Jones (fired by The New York Times for lying), Robert Scheer (who has publicly advocated lying, cheating and stealing for the sake of obtaining a story), Laura Foreman (fired by The New York Times, because she had become the mistress of a male politician she was supposed to be covering), Ann Compton (ABC News reporter caught in the White House inspecting and making use of obviously confidential government papers which were on a secretary's desk) and Seymour Hersh (seconded by New York Times publisher Arthur Sulzberger, —

after Hersh said that it is the government's job to keep secrets — it is his job to find and report them) — given their ethics regarding confidential government material?"

L. A. Times: Well, I don't want to comment on any of those individuals and what the record may be on secrecy. I think that

that's beside the point.

Q: You mean there's a "No Comment" — like we hear at the White House, Jack?

L. A. Times: No. It's not a "No Comment." I don't think much of the question, I'll have to say that, Lester.

Q: You mean it's embarrassing. You'd rather not deal with it?

L. A. Times: Well, in answer to your question: No. I would not want all those people along on a combat mission.

Bureau Chief Nelson walked away before we could ask him about one of these reporters he wouldn't want: Robert Scheer. For Mr. Scheer writes for the same Los Angeles Times.

Mr. Nelson as one of the Media Barons of Washington is very adept at putting hard questions to government leaders and at voicing strong — even harsh — complaints. But his reaction to being himself subjected to questioning indicated that he did not like this at all.

At the White House, Presidential Spokesman Larry Speakes when asked about this charge of contempt, replied with a smile: "Not guilty."

And columnist Frank van der Linden of The Sacramento Union commented:

"It looks like Nelson has been suffering withdrawal pains ever since Jimmy Carter left the White House. Considering all the favors done him by Jody Powell, this is something on the order of Paradise Lost!"



Letters to the Editor

'The Day After' needs a sequel

EDITOR—I have written the following letter to ABC TV executives Fred Peirce, president, American Broadcasting Company, and Brandon Stoddard, president, ABC Motion Pictures, at 1345 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY to ask if ABC will follow its anti-nuclear extravaganza with an equally well-heeled effort to depict life in the United States if disarmers should succeed in leaving us defenseless before Soviet missiles. I suggested that their next production include scenes that show Soviet-style slave labor camps, relentless brutality, bread lines, secret police, barbed wire fences, religious persecution, Berlin walls, and much more—all of which exist in Soviet dominated nations and are precisely what can be expected here if we disarm.

Stoddard might also be asked why there was no mention of the treasonous aid and trade, the unbroken record of Soviet duplicity in negotiations, the beneficial effect of our ability to deter the use of nuclear weapons, etc.

I have heard many excuses from our Representatives in Washington on the subject of aid and trade and why it cannot be stopped. Most of them focus on profits to be made by trading with the Soviets or a supposed inability to put a stop to the treachery. What would have happened if the same excuses had been made to benefit Hitler? If our nation became overwhelmingly united in isolating the German tyrant, then it could and should be similarly united with regard to the Soviet barbarism. ABC TV should help, not hinder, such sorely needed unity.

JOHN E. ROGERS, Acampo, CA.

Espionage in the US

EDITOR—Americans everywhere should be concerned about the extent to which diplomats from Communist countries are using their outposts in our country, at the United Nations and elsewhere, as spy stations.

According to Senator Al D'Amato, for instance, that the FBI says that nearly 40 percent of the 3,000 Eastern European diplomats currently stationed in this country are actively involved in operations designed to transfer military and industrial secrets to Moscow and other Communist capitals.

More than 20 different nations have expelled Soviet diplomats who had been spying. These Soviet nationals are part of an international network which has been established to divert high-technology with potential military application. Such transfer of our technology to the Soviet Union "poses a clear and immediate threat to our national security." FBI Director Webster has already indicated that this is a serious problem in the United States. The FBI should conduct a full scale investigation to determine the extent of espionage activities being undertaken by diplomatic personnel from communist nations.

At the present time there are approximately 14 Soviet KGB agents or diplomats from the Soviet bloc to every one of our FBI agents, so this would appear to be an almost impossible task. One sure way of reducing the number of Soviet spies or KGB agents would be to get the United States out of the United Nations and the United Nations out of the United States.

CHARLES W. WAGNER, Lodi, CA.

Anaya may have hard time selling his tax

By COLIN McMILLAN
Fort, secretary of taxation and revenue, has announced that current tax revenues are off 18 percent from a year ago.

Fort blames the decrease on technical factors.

Could it be New Mexico has recently failed to keep pace with the rest of the country in economic growth?

Could it be the Anaya administration does not want to admit its anti-business posture and tax increases have been counterproductive in terms of revenues to the state (as well as jobs for our unemployed.)

Before the Legislature votes a \$269 million tax increase, the Anaya administration needs to address several issues:

—What effect will another large tax increase have on the state's economic recovery?

—Will such a tax increase have the long-term effect of decreasing revenues because of a lack of business development?

Another question is what is the dollar amount needed to hire and retain teachers, particularly in the sciences and math?

There is little question that our education system can be improved. Money is one of the ways to improve the system.

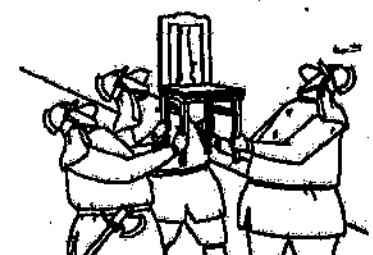
The United States must increase the technical skills of its young people in order to compete with the rest of the world.

Unfortunately, some people will have trouble believing that the new Anaya tax increase will improve the quality of education when they recall that the same man who is now telling them he will improve education is the man who a little over a year ago was promising he wouldn't raise taxes.

The fact is in the fiscal year ending in 1981, the year prior to the enactment of that bill, the per capita burden from state and local taxes was \$1,085.

With only the first Anaya tax increase enacted this last January, that figure is estimated by the Legislative Finance Committee to increase to \$1,158 for every person in the state for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1984.

In the past few days, Denise



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 Cory

Carrizozo honor roll released

Carrizozo Municipal Schools has released its roster of honor roll students for the second six-week term, as follows:
 5th grade—Valerie Archuleta, Stacy Padilla, Raoul Sandoval, Ben Brumlow, Eva Chase, Nicole DeBerge, Jennifer Jiron, Loren Patterson, Nancie Vega, Laurie Zamora.

8th grade—Ruben Gallegos, +Julie Harris, +Lisa Hightower, Denise Hill, Rachel Monreal, Sabrina Padilla, +Valerie Padilla, +Suzanne Saucedo, Cindy Silva.

7th grade—Jonna Gibson, Wayne Nickason, +Leah Patterson, Jeanna Sims, +Fred Vega.

8th grade—Clarica Carpenter, Craig Collins, Lee Ann Richey, Marcella Sandoval, John Saucedo.

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10th grade—Michael Cooper, Kenneth Crenshaw, Linda Garcia.

11th grade—+Gray Gallacher, +Zada Maxwell, +Amy Means, Adrien Sanchez, +Stevie Stearns.

12th grade—Pam Beltran, +Mary Jane Ferguson, Judi Ortiz, Juan Osorio, Misty Ramirez, John Rouche, Stephanie Saucedo.

Dear Santa,
 I have been a good girl all year long. I help when I can around the house. I go to school half a day and my teacher is Jane Erwin. First I would like a Glow worm and a Cabbage Patch doll, some clothes, I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas.
 Love
 Victoria Vega

Dear Santa
 I want a Little Melissa good and bad girl. I would like a Gabbage Patch doll, clothes, pants, a little car.
 Love
 Melissa Nava
 Age 3

Opinion (Continued from P. 4)

phone repairs; third, you may be getting more than one bill for phone service each month. I've been a Bell customer for half a century and I have always marveled at its efficiency, expertise and ability to communicate with its customers. I recall when you could order a phone installed and get it done the same day, and anybody could afford one. But Democrats wouldn't leave that alone. With the help of that renegade Republican Sen. Bob Packwood of Oregon and liberal Reps. Timothy E. Wirth (D-CO) and John D. Dingell (D-MI), the one utility that always provided the world's best service at the lowest cost is no more. These are the "leaders" who whine and bleed for the poor then enact legislation to rob them of needed services at higher cost. It just may be that AT&T represents all these people hate—large, successful, profitable, efficient corporations. May we now confidently expect these poverty fighters to force the divestiture of Big Government? After all, the federal government has reduced state governments to mere administrative units, and they are funded from federal funds with the usual strings attached. It certainly has no competition and can be said to enjoy a monopoly not unlike that of AT&T. Following the AT&T precedent, the federal government should break itself up into 50 subsidiaries as the US Constitution provides. Messrs. Packwood, Dingell and Wirth aren't likely to look kindly upon this suggestion.



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Robert Williams reports three warm days last week with temperatures rising to 53 degrees on the 7th, 8th and 11th with the low 14 on the 5th.

Cedar Temple met Monday at noon in the Pythian Hall. Husbands were guests for the turkey dinner and gift exchange. A brief business meeting followed the meal and plans were made for projects for next year. The next meeting will be Jan. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shumate and J. L. Rogers came

from Roswell for the Pythian Sister party. Mr. Rogers will be 94 next month.

Friends are distressed over the death Sunday of Kathryn Price. Mrs. Price often accompanied her husband, Dr. Sheldon Price, when he was serving as interim minister at the Presbyterian Church here. Memorial services were scheduled for Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Price is survived by her husband of the family home in Roswell, two daughters and four grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman, Lois Ann and Lon Holleyman left Thursday for Oklahoma City where they attended the National Rodeo Finals.

Greetings from the Winchesters indicate that they are enjoying their new home in the eastern part of Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davidson came from Deming Sunday for an overnight stay at the ranch. They were accompanied by a niece of Debbie, two-year-old Casey.

Mrs. V. C. Waldon made a business trip to Albuquerque Monday and enroute spent two days with the Miles Waldons.

Paul and Fred Lackey received word Thursday of the death of an aunt, Mrs. Ida Herring, 82, at Tucumcari. Mrs. Herring was the widow of Ernest Herring who died 10 years ago when they were living at Melrose. The Harrings formerly lived near Cougar Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Atkinson were here from Belen Wednesday for lunch with Ernest Dishman.

Mrs. Sam Elkins, Duncan, is planning a show of her turquoise jewelry in Alamogordo Thursday evening and will show in Corona Friday afternoon at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom C. Livingston were called to Booneville, AR, by the death of his uncle, Guy Richardson.

The mercury reached a high last week of 53 degrees on the 12th and dropped to 8 the 18th. About one and one-half inches of snow held only 0.03" moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore spent last weekend in El Paso with their son and his family.

The Rev. Frank Crown of Ruidoso was dismissed Friday from an Albuquerque hospital where he had undergone surgery on his heart, a valve. Mrs. Shadrick Seela writes

from her home in Central Point. OR that Mr. Seela had been killed instantly when his pickup was struck by another vehicle.

We have received word from the Lytles that their daughter Ruth graduated from the San Francisco Theological Seminary in June. She was ordained Sept. 25 to the Presbyterian ministry and in the little Congregational Church she and Don serve jointly in Suisun, CA. Ruth teaches in the speech and holistics department at the seminary 20 hours each week and co-pastors with Don the other half.

Funeral services for Eula Mae Varney were held Saturday in Las Cruces. Interment was Monday in Albuquerque. Mrs. Varney died Wednesday at age 98. She visited in Corona last summer enroute home from a vacation trip to the East Coast and stated that she was looking forward to her 100th birthday. She was the widow of A. W. Varney, manager of the Corona Trading Co. for several years. They moved from here with their three children to Albuquerque where Mr. Varney opened a grocery store on North Fourth St.

Mrs. Varney is survived by one son, Harold, of California and one daughter, Edna Conway, Las Cruces, one sister, three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Dinner guests of the Gibbs Thursday evening were Kelly Gibbs and Steve Brewer, Albuquerque, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brewer, Pine Bluff, AR.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Holleyman were in Albuquerque Saturday for the New Mexico Old Timers Rodeo Assn. finals and remained for the awards banquet in the evening.

Brunson received buckles for winning the steerstopping and team roping at the finals. Mr. Holleyman won three second places in steerstopping at the finals and the buckle for the year in steer stopping. Mr. Brunson received a breast collar for second place for the year. Mr. Holleyman received a satin NMOTRA jacket for third place in team roping for the year and a sweatshirt for who knows what?

Recommended reading: "Are We Getting a Bum Steer About Beef" in the January issue of Readers Digest.

Graveside services were held Thursday morning in Roswell for Mary Allen Talley of Claunch who died early Wednesday after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Berle Talley of the family home; two daughters, Joyce Ansley, Roswell, and Berlene Bogard, Irvine, CA; a

brother, Loy Robinson, Cedarvale; a sister, Carmen Petross of Washington; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday for Larry Null, 64, who died Sunday. He had served as interim pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church where he was a substance abuse counselor. He was a Presbyterian minister and had served churches in Roy, Willard and Corona before moving to Clovis in 1974. He is survived by his wife, Betty, of the family home, two sons, Phillip and Sheldon, one daughter, Nancy Taylor, and four grandchildren, four brothers and four sisters.

The Art Club sponsored a display of art from K-12 Thursday afternoon: very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heisch, Portales, stopped over Thursday night with the Sharps, spent Friday night with the Wayne Tubbs, Casa Grande, AZ before going on to Phoenix for the holidays.

Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas Prestridge, Las Cruces, and Todd Schreiber, Amarillo, TX stopped by the Perkins Saturday for a brief visit and to leave a bag of cracked pecans. Nice.

Arrangements were pending late Monday for Joseph Atkinson who died about noon that day in an Albuquerque hospital after a long illness.

The Corona Extension Club met Monday at the home of Denise Byrd for their annual Christmas party. Co-hostesses were Judy Byrd, Beverly Merritt, Allene and Katie Sultemeier. There were present 16 members and three guests, Hazel Bickford, Louise Korges and Eleanor Smith.

The main dish was the traditional posole served with tortillas. Punch, coffee and an assortment of goodies completed the lunch.

Those present drew for three tree ornaments brought by those present. Gladys Keelin's tatted snowflakes received compliments. Then came the main gift exchange - hilarious!

Favors were pint jars holding a mixture of blackeyed peas, frijoles, navy and lima beans with a recipe for friendship soup.

The next meeting will be on

the regular day, the third Thursday in January at the recreation room.

The column this week has not been an easy one to write. Nevertheless we wish for each of you happiness during the holiday season and much better things for next year.

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Capitan

News

By MARGARET RENCH

I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas. Count your blessings and remember the real meaning of this season. Love to all.

The Candy and More Store held its grand opening Dec. 17. Santa Claus was present Saturday and Sunday. Lots of children enjoyed that. Marlene Lobb won the necklace and Mrs. Rosina Locke of Lincoln won a box of candy given at the raffle. They are now having a sale on Christmas stockings. That is such a nice little store. We are proud of it.

The Smokey Bear Museum had 92 registered visitors Dec. 12-15.

Thanks to the ladies that helped with Smokey's Christmas Party. Willie was unable to be here due to jury duty.

The city hall has pretty Christmas decorations. Each business has responded. That always gives so much cheer.

The Capitan Junior Riding Club holds its 11th annual award meeting at the Fair Building Dec. 12. Eighty-one children participated in the summer play days, and each was given an award.

Watch for the Capitan Four Square Church live Nativity Friday, Dec. 23 and Saturday, Dec. 24 at their church ground on Highway 48 on edge of Capitan, 7 to 9 p.m. Their cantata will be Sunday at 7 p.m. followed by a bonfire.

Saturday night an ice storm arrived in this area. Everything was like Fairyland Ice and snow covered and remained that way

all day Sunday through Sunday night. From Angus Mountain top the sun was shining on to Ruidoso. It was the east side of the mountains where the ice storm remained. It was very cold. Still is, though the sun is shining.

Happy birthday to Jerry Lobb whose day was Dec. 20. Jerry's sister Judy and her family from Florida are here visiting for the holidays. While here Judy's stepson will be lion hunting with Robert Runnels. A big ole mountain lion sure would be a great Christmas present for the family.

Happy birthday to Jana Leslie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leslie, will have her 9th year some time this week. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Story. Jerry's day was Dec. 14 and Lynne's was Dec. 18.

The gas company will be closed for the holidays, Dec. 23-26.

Thank you, to the FFA chapter for the Christmas carols and pumpkin pie. I did appreciate them. You did real well.

The fire alarm sounded at 10 p.m. Dec. 15 and our fire department responded at once to the LeRoy Montes home in the subdivision west. A fire started from the fireplace into the ceiling. There was minor damage.

Stephen Strickland, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Strickland is to enter Shriners Hospital in Houston, TX, Jan. 5, 1984 to undergo tests and possible

surgery to enable him to walk.

Marilyn Cozzens of Santa Clara, CA is visiting her mother, Winifred Cozzens, in Capitan. They left Dec. 17 for Portales to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Grace Cozzens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cozzens. Then they went to Albuquerque to spend the holidays with her daughter, Jane Cozzens.

Historical ordinance hearings set

The Lincoln County Planning and Zoning Commission met on Dec. 15 and heard a request from Tom Ward and LaRue Wetzel for the White Oaks Ordinance to be rewritten. They expressed their concern to protect and preserve places and areas of historical value.

The Lincoln County Planning and Zoning Commission will recommend to the Lincoln County Commissioners that this ordinance be re-written as soon as the Lincoln Historical Ordinance is completed.

The Lincoln Historical Ordinance framework has been completed and public hearings will start in February, 1984. Questionnaires will be mailed out to residents of Lincoln so that their comments can be considered for inclusion in the ordinance.

The re, 'at of Lot 2, Block 4, "C" Hill Subdivision was referred to the Village of Capitan because this lot is in the village limits of Capitan.

Grizzly girls stand 5-5 at the Christmas break

Carrizozo High School girls basketball program has finished its pre-Christmas schedule and stands even with five wins—against Mountainair, Magdalena, Vaughn, Eunice and Hondo — and five losses to Tularosa (twice), Capitan, Animas and Jal.

The pre-Christmas schedule was marked by relatively easy wins over Mountainair, Magdalena, Vaughn, Eunice and Hondo. The girls completely outclassed these five opponents on the court. Christetta Chavez has led the girls in all five victories with her scoring and rebounding, and Mary Jane Ferguson has led the team in assets and floor

leadership. Some bright spots for the girls have been the play of Lynn Gallacher, Anisa Luterus and Julie Vega. Lynn has turned in some fine performances on the defensive rebounding of the court while Anna has had some very hot shooting nights for the Grizzlies.

In all, five losses the Grizzlies have suffered from poor shooting performances, both from the field and from the free throw line. Another problem the Grizzly girls will face all year is their lack of height. This hurts most in the rebounding phase of the game and puts the girls at a disadvantage during the up-

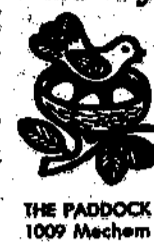
coming Capitan tournament (Jan. 5-7) and district plays.

However, Carrizozo High School and sports fans feel that with more practice the shooting should improve and that this

along with a consistent defensive effort will enable the hard

working girls to compete successfully in their upcoming district games.

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All-around money saving ideas, hints, advice, solutions, shortcuts for mothers and others.

By POLLY CHAVEZ

EGGNOG FRENCH TOAST

To make scrumptious French toast use leftover eggnog and stale bread. Try powdered sugar or jelly instead of syrup.

HOLIDAY HAIRDO

Sprinkle a little bit of gold glitter on freshly sprayed hair. This will add a sparkling touch to holiday dressing.

LAST-MINUTE GIFTS

Give homemade cookie dough and directions for baking. Enclose a can of prepared frosting and chopped nuts. How about a gift for the pet of the house? Like a catnip mouse, a rubber bone or some birdseed.

QUICK FROSTING

Keep plenty of unfrosted cupcakes for unexpected holiday guests. Make a quick frosting for cupcakes by placing a marshmallow or a piece of chocolate on each. Place in the oven. When it has melted, swirl with the back of a spoon.

CHRISTMAS COOKIE STORAGE

If you find yourself loaded with lots of soft cookies and you want to keep them soft, place a piece of bread in the cookie jar to keep them from hardening. If you buy or are given crisp cookies and prefer soft cookies, a piece of bread will soften them to suit your taste.

GREEK CUSTOM

After the feast comes the cleaning up, even if you decided to use paper plates, cups and plastic spoons. If you don't feel like clearing the table right away because you'd like to go into the living room with the rest of the crowd to enjoy the party, go right ahead. It's an old custom in Greece to leave the dishes, the leftovers, the spills, the crumbs on the table in the hope that St. Basil will come and partake of the remains. Merry Christmas!

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Inside Religion

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up our liberty, or dignity?"

"To tell the truth, no one wants war, and least of all the specialists who are best informed of the risks. The 'victor' would find that he too was ruined, and there is no evident advantage in lording it over an adversary who has been 'vitrified.' But certain countries really intend to obtain the advantage ensuing from a war without paying the price of launching it: By simply brandishing the threat, they exert a permanent blackmail. Hitler used this strategy toward the Western democracies. They held back so as not to 'provoke' him on the occasions of rearmament in the Ruhr, the occupation of Austria, then the Sudetenland, then the whole of Czechoslovakia. The invasion of Poland was necessary before their difficulties had increased. The conqueror always loves peace. He would like to penetrate your territory without meeting

resistance,' wrote Clausewitz, a craftsman in the trade."

"The present situation is not without analogies. While former democracies are held by force in the area of the East, constant pressure is exerted upon the Western democracies to neutralize them and make them enter into the sphere of Marxist Leninist ideology as far as possible. This sphere is convinced that it holds the secret of total liberation of mankind and peoples and believes itself authorized to impose what it thinks is for their greater good...It would be unjust to lump everybody together and close one's eyes to the domineering and aggressive character of the Marxist-Leninist ideology. For it, everything, even the people's aspiration to peace, must be used

for the conquest of the world." —"In these conditions, does not an absolute condemnation of all war put peaceful peoples at the mercy of those who are animated by an ideology of domination? For the sake of escaping war, these peoples risk succumbing to other forms of violence and injustice: colonization, alienation, privation of liberty and identity. In the end, peace-at-any-price leads a nation to all sorts of capitulations. Unilateral disarmament can even provoke the aggressiveness of neighbors by feeding their temptation to seize too easy a prey. 'We would be better off to become their prey. We should indeed be made slaves, but at least we should live,' said the contemporaries of Judith, terrorized by the exactions of Holofernes, who was

encouraged by their defeatism. (Judith 7:27 — in the Apocrypha.)"

"In a world where a man is still a wolf to man, turning into a lamb can provoke the wolf, ill-enlightened generosity has at times provoked the perils which it thought it had exorcised. Ill-adjusted non-violence can provoke chain reactions of inextinguishable violence. This is what made the German bishops write: 'Unilateral and declared renunciation of this protection and this resistance may, as the experience of history has taught us, be understood as a sign of

weakness, and eventually as calling for political blackmail. Such renunciation is of a kind of favor exactly what it is meant to prevent: innocents being oppressed and becoming victims to suffering and violence."

"There is the case of Ghandi in particular. All this ought to be taken into consideration. But may we affirm that such methods are convincing to the point of making armed defense obsolete? It can be imagined what holocausts resistance, even passive resistance, would lead to when entire peoples were delivered

over, without external military support, to unscrupulous executioners? (FOOTNOTE): We might ask, for example, how far Ghandi would have gotten if, instead of having Lord Louis Mountbatten as his counterpart, he had some of the celebrated executioners of Europe. Persecution of the non-violent in the East should also lead to reflection on this one-way movement."

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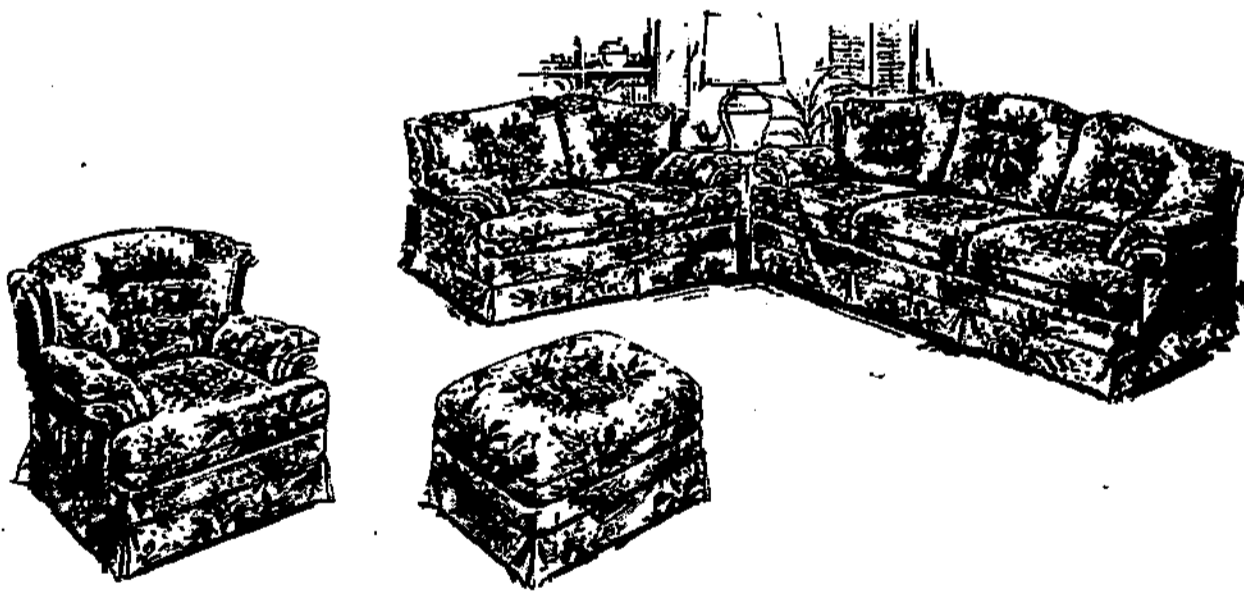
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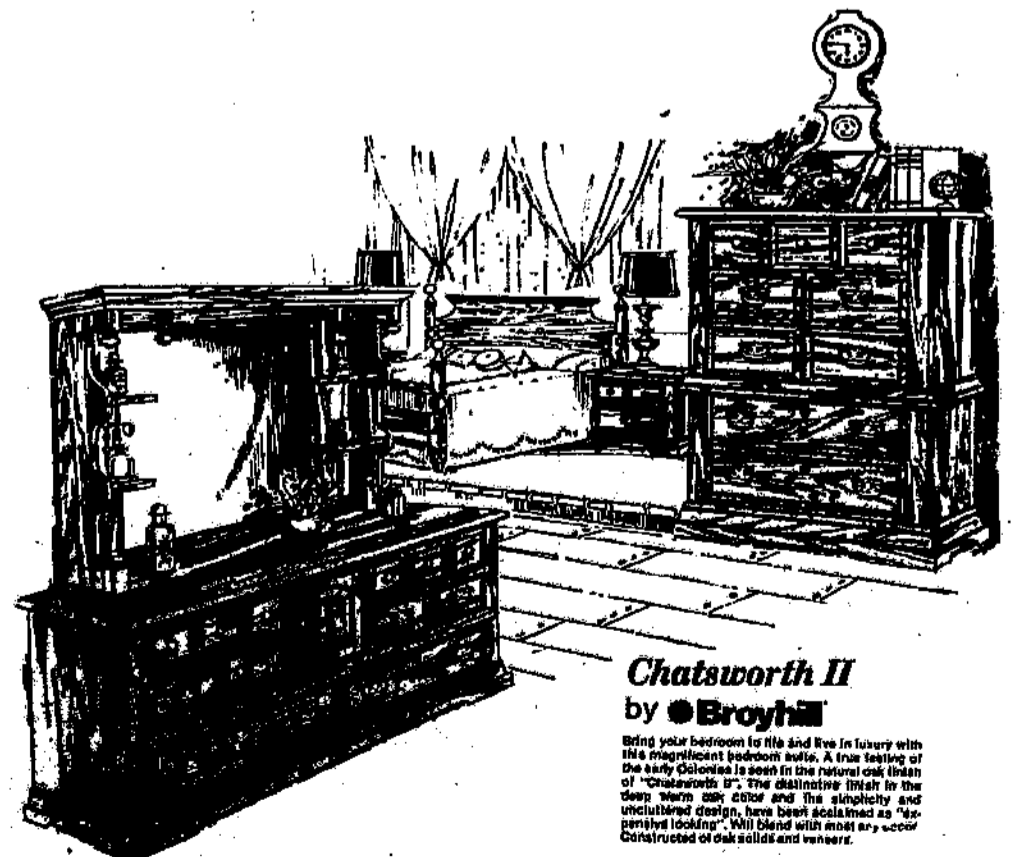
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Hunters spent more than \$57 million in November

SANTA FE, NM — A filling station owner in Capitan said simply: "I depend on deer season to carry me through February and March."

To him and others in the travel and sporting goods businesses, and to those retailing food and other necessities, the flow of campers, four-wheel-drivers, motor homes and ordinary sedans with orange-clad hunters in them means a flow of money through cash registers during an otherwise slow time of year for the travel industry.

According to figures derived from state Game and Fish Department license sales and a US Fish and Wildlife Service survey of hunters' expenditures, the just-ended rifle season alone pumps something more than \$57 million into New Mexico's economy each November.

The figure represents two-thirds of the estimated \$87 million expenditure by hunters each year in New Mexico—the average 100,000 rifle deer hunters representing about two-thirds of the 153,000 residents and nonresidents who annually hunt in the state.

Making the additional expenditures are bow and muzzle-loader deer hunters, elk, antelope and turkey hunters, and upland game bird and waterfowl hunters. Smaller numbers pursue the exotic big game species—Barbary sheep, oryx and ibex—and such native species as bear, cougar and javelina.

The state's Tourism and Travel Division estimates that a minimum five percent of the monies return to the state General Fund through gross receipts, income and other taxes—\$4.35 million. Hunting license sales in fiscal 1981-82 totaled close to \$3.2 million.



JENNIFER Mansell, who portrayed a Christmas star, prepares to decorate the tree featured at the school play. Other students represented cranberries, snow crystals, popcorn, walnuts and lights.



THE Grizzly Band in spanking new uniforms kicked off the annual Christmas program with holiday music. Some of the trumpet players shown here are Mark Guevara, Phil Hill, Pat Vigil, Duane Vinson, Sylvia Archuleta and Valerio Padilla.

DAR meets in Capitan

Thursday, Dec. 8 "The Sierra Blanca" Chapter of the DAR met at the Hotel Chango in Capitan for a noon luncheon.

Then went to the home of Leota Pflingsten of Lincoln for a dessert business meeting and exchange of gifts.

Gifts were brought for Veterans at VA hospital and a prayer service was held in memory of our Regent, Juanita Bush who passed away suddenly.

Those attending were Cleo Dodds, new regent, Lucy English, Aileen Lindamood,

Florence Clark, Leota Pflingsten, June Rawley, Marion Spencer, Alice Wright, Hilda Young, Marti Yoder, Mary Dea, Roberta Burkstaller. New members Doris Mellen and Nadine Burt; guests Alice Blastad, Alice Traylor, Harriet McGinnis and Betty Schrecengost.



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Joyous Greetings

As you celebrate Christmas, we extend best wishes for your holiday. "Thank you."

TOMMY'S BARBER SHOP

US funds groups that vow to weaken us all

By RICHARD A. VIGUERIE
WASHINGTON, DC — Few aspects of the Reagan Administration have been more surprising than its failure to stop the flow of taxpayers' money to left-wing political organizations.

Each year thousands of liberal groups receive billions of dollars in money from the government. These organizations claim to represent groups such as consumers, racial and ethnic minorities, homosexuals, the elderly, or blue-collar workers; in fact, they advocate liberal positions ranging from forced busing to unilateral disarmament. What they have in common is that, day after day, their leaders attack President Reagan and his policies. They are united in a single goal: defeat of Reagan and the conservatives.

Many of these liberal organizations would not exist without the subsidy they receive from the federal government. The administration should move immediately to "defund" them. Otherwise we will continue to see examples, like these, of your tax dollars at work:

—\$107,630 to the United States Student Association, July 31, 1983. According to the weekly publication Human Events, USSA is a "pro-Marxist student group that recently elected as its vice-chairman one Pedro Rodriguez, the former national student secretary of the Young Workers Liberation League, the youth arm of the Communist party."

—\$156,345 to the National Organization for Women's Legal (CONTINUED ON P. 12)



Merry Christmas

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The Old Time Christmas

I liked the way that we used to do, when cattle was plenty and folks was few. The people gathered from far and near, and they harvested a big fat steer. The kids tried piglets' antics because, they reckoned they might catch Santa Claus. Next morning 'you'd wake 'em up to see, what he'd been and put on the Christmas tree.

It was Christmas then for the rich and poor, and every ranch was an open door. The waddy that came in a company boss was treated the same as the owner and boss. Nobody seemed to care if you was big among friends or you wasn't there. For every feller in them days knew to behave himself as a man should do.

Some had new boots, which they'd show admit when they warm their feet in front of. And the women folks had new clothes, too, but not like the women of these days. Some times it diffier came falling in, some feller that never was seen again. And each Christmas day as the years went on we used to wonder where they'd gone.

I like to recall the Christmas night. The tops of the mountains capped with white. The stars so bright that they seemed to blink, and the foothills swam in a silver haze. Then good old Santa'd get his gear. The time and the world and the change pass on. And you can't do things like you used to do when cattle was plenty and folks was few.

—We wish each and everyone of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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HUBERT Quintana of Southeastern Economic Development Dist. met with community leaders Saturday for a planning session to identify current community problems, to establish objectives and deadlines for community improvement projects. Another session is planned for early January.



METHODIST play—A host of angels were part of the cast of Sunday's Christmas program at Trinity United Methodist Church. Angels are Kari Shafer, Brea Pafford, Amanda Ashley, Chasity Ashley, Danielle Giordano, Cara Baker and Heather Miller. Cara holds Baby Jesus.

US funds . . .

(CONTINUED FROM P. 11)

Defense and Education Fund, Oct. 16, 1982.

At least \$12.5 million to the AFL-CIO since Reagan took office, plus \$89,008 to the George Meany Center for Labor Studies for "processing the AFL-CIO archives," February, 1982.

—\$1,586,015 to the Madison, WI, office of the pro-abortion lobby Planned Parenthood, March 1, 1982. One estimate puts Planned Parenthood's total annual take from the federal government at over \$100 million.

—\$300,000 to the Council on Foreign Relations, a small private establishment organization already well-funded by David Rockefeller and other multi-millionaires.

—\$370,500 to the Universal Fellowship of Metropolitan Community Churches "to provide half-way houses for homosexual Cuban refugees."

—And according to the Washington Times, of the 30 leftist groups organized to promote the nuclear freeze, at least 15 receive federal money.

It's a rare liberal organization that does not receive federal funds. Groups that have lined up at the trough include the American Civil Liberties Union, the Martin Luther King Jr. Center for Social Change, the Friends of the Earth, the National Education Association, the Feminist Press, the National Urban League, Cesar Chavez's United Farmworkers, Tom Hayden's Laurel Springs Institute, Ralph Nader's Center for Auto Safety and Jesse Jackson's PUSH-EXCEL.

The left has become so dependent on billions of dollars in government money that, if its subsidy were suddenly withdrawn, it would be severely weakened.

Imagine what liberals would say if instead of the Rev. Jesse Jackson receiving a \$650,000 grant from the Department of Education in 1981, it was the Rev. Jerry Falwell. Most would be justly upset.

Conservatives don't want money going to any group that advocates a particular political viewpoint, whether it is conservative or liberal. It is wrong to use taxpayers' money to advance a belief the taxpayer may oppose.

It is true that in those few parts of the government where conservatives are in charge, some funding abuses have been eliminated. But in most cases the administration went about it in exactly the wrong way, proposing to reduce the subsidies rather than zero-funding (eliminating) them. Left-wing groups that survive by government grant are like wild animals; they are most dangerous when wounded.

Dominic Vega and Carlos Sanchez both pumped through 14 points each for the victorious Grizzlies. Roueche also contributed 8 points for the Grizzly cause.

The annual Hondo Elementary School Christmas program was presented Tuesday, Dec. 20. The teachers had to improvise with the space available. The new gym is still not completed.

The Hondo Schools dismiss for the Christmas holidays on Dec. 21. School is scheduled to resume Jan. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Leslie and son Rob of Carrizozo visited the Curtis Paynes last Friday.

As Senator Jeremiah Denton put it. "When an effort is made to cut unnecessary and wasteful programs, the groups that benefit from them organize marches and mobilize their public relations departments. They shout that Reagan is trying to hurt the needy."

Weed Bulldogs take one from Hondo Eagles, 47-26

The Weed Bulldogs built up a 23-6 halftime lead over the Hondo Eagles and went on to a 47-26 victory in a game played Dec. 9 in Weed.

Gerre Maes scored 10 points for the Eagles. Also scoring for Hondo were Jamie Sanchez 7, Philbert Candelaria 7, David Chavez 2.

Also seeing action were Michael Trujillo, Paul Gomez, Benjie Romero and Tito Salcido.

Rounding out the Eagle squad were Kerry Clements, Tony Chavez, John Tally, Eli Polaco, Frank McTeigue,

Michael Polaco and George Fresquez.

In a game played Dec. 13 in Carrizozo the Grizzlies stopped the Eagles 45-39. The Eagles had trouble getting started in the first half. Hondo outscored the Grizzlies in the second half 28-22 but could not overcome a 12 point halftime deficit. Jamie Sanchez had the hot hand for the Eagles, scoring 17 points. It was Tito Salcido 7, Philbert Candelaria 6, Gerry Maes 6 and David Chavez-3.



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Christmas Wishes

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**LINCOLN COUNTY
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**OPEN MEETING
NOTICE AND RESOLUTION**
WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1 (c) NMSA 1978 requires this Board to determine "What notice for a public meeting shall be reasonable", NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 13th day of December, 1983 by the Board of Education, Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7 that:

- (1) Notice shall be given at least five (5) days in advance of any regular meeting scheduled by the Board at its last meeting.
- (2) Notice shall be given at least three (3) days in advance of a special meeting called by the President of the Board; or by any two members of the Board.
- (3) Notice shall be given at least twelve (12) hours in advance of any emergency meeting called by the President of the Board.
- (4) Notice requirements as set out in Sections 1, 2, and 3 of this resolution are complied with if notice of the date, time, place, and general subject matter to be discussed at the meeting is disseminated to no fewer than the one newspaper most frequently read by the client population served by the Board and by posting in the local post office.
- (5) Notice is hereby given that the regular meeting of the Carrizozo Board of Education will be held on the third Tuesday of each month, at the hour of 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room, Administration Building. Copies of the agenda will be available to the public at the office of the Superintendent at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the meeting.

(s) Wallace Ferguson,
President,
Board of Education

(s) Thomas Guevara,
Secretary,
Board of Education

Date 12-13-83

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**RESOLUTION AND NOTICE
OF PUBLIC SCHOOL
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS
TAX/ELECTION
and
SCHOOL BOND ELECTION**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 22-25-3, NMSA 1978, the Board has determined, and does hereby determine, that there should be submitted to the electorate at the special election to be held on February 7, 1984, the question whether or not a property tax of \$2.00 per each \$1,000.00 of net taxable value of property allocated to the District under the Property Tax Code should be imposed for the property tax years of 1984, 1985 and 1986, for the purpose of capital improvements in the District; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7 (herein the "Board") in the Counties of Lincoln and Socorro and State of New Mexico, has determined upon its own initiative to submit to a vote at a special election to be held on February 7, 1984, the question of the issuance of its general obligation bonds in the maximum amount and for the purpose hereinafter specified, as per-

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mitted by Section 22-18-2B, NMSA 1978, and the Bond Election Act; and

WHEREAS, neither the bond question herein submitted nor any other bond question has been defeated at a bond election held within a period of two years from the date of bond election hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7 CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNING BOARD OF SAID DISTRICT, IN THE COUNTIES OF LINCOLN AND SOCORRO AND STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. On the 7th day of February, 1984, there will be held in Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7, Lincoln and Socorro Counties, New Mexico, a special election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of creating a debt by the issuing of general obligation bonds and for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of whether or not a property tax should be imposed for the purpose of capital improvements in the District.

Section 2. All precincts in the District shall be consolidated for this election. The entire District shall constitute a single consolidated precinct and all qualified electors (except those voting absentee as herein provided) shall vote at the office of the Superintendent, 800 D Avenue, in Carrizozo, New Mexico. The Judges of Election shall be Joan Means (Presiding Judge), Cecilia Ortiz and Margaret Chavez and the Clerks of the Election shall be Zillah Watson and Ruth Wilson.

Section 3. The polls for said election will be open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

Section 4. At such election, the following question shall be submitted to such qualified, registered electors of the District:

GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7, Counties of Lincoln and Socorro, New Mexico, be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the District, in one series or more in the aggregate principal amount of not exceeding \$160,000, for the purpose of erecting, remodeling, making additions to and furnishing school buildings, and purchasing and improving school grounds, said bonds to be payable from general (ad valorem) taxes and to be issued and sold at such time or times upon such terms and conditions as the Board may determine?"

At such election, the following question shall also be submitted to such qualified, registered electors of the District:

PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TAX QUESTION

"Shall the Board of Education of Carrizozo Municipal School District No. 7, Counties of Lincoln and Socorro, New Mexico, be authorized to impose a property tax of \$2.00 per each \$1,000.00 of net taxable value of the property allocated to such District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 1984, 1985 and 1986 for the purpose of the following capital improvements in the District, i.e. erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for and furnishing school buildings, purchasing and improving school grounds, and maintenance of public school grounds exclusive of salary expenses of employees of the District?"

Section 5. A person is a qualified elector of the District if he or she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age on the day of the election and a resident of the District on the day of election. In order to vote, qualified electors of the District must have previously registered with the County Clerk of Lincoln County or the County Clerk of Socorro County in accordance with law. Any qualified elector of

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the District who is not now registered and who wishes to vote at such special election should register during regular office hours at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, at the County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, or at the office of the County Clerk of Socorro County, at the Socorro County Courthouse in Socorro, New Mexico depending upon which county in which such elector resides, or at the office of any deputy registration officer appointed by the County Clerk of the county in which the elector resides (including the municipal clerks of all municipalities in Lincoln County except the Town of Carrizozo and of all municipalities in Socorro County except the City of Socorro) prior to 5:00 p.m. on December 27, 1983.

Section 6. The tax contemplated by the capital improvements tax question shall be in addition to the tax contemplated by the bond question and to any tax imposed to pay debt service on any bonds or for any other purpose. Such capital improvements tax shall be authorized pursuant to the Public School Capital Improvements Act, i.e. Sections 22-25-1 through 22-25-10 NMSA 1978 (being Chapter 5, Laws of New Mexico, 1975, Special Session, as amended and supplemented).

Section 7. Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner authorized by Sections 22-8-21 through 22-8-34, NMSA 1978. Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained from the office of the Superintendent of Schools, at the Office of the Superintendent, 800 D Avenue in Carrizozo, New Mexico and may be cast up until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 3, 1984; but at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 3, 1984, the Superintendent is required by statute to destroy unused absentee ballots, so completed applications must be returned to the Superintendent prior to such time. The absentee voters' polling place shall be located at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, at the Office of the Superintendent, 800 D Avenue, Carrizozo, New Mexico. The judges and clerks for absent voters as appointed by the Superintendent of Schools of the District, shall be:

Presiding Judge: Susan Wells,
Judges: Maria Vega, Clerks:
Eugenia Vega, Margaret Serna.

Section 8. Voting shall be by voting machine, except for absentee voting which shall be by paper ballot. At least one voting machine shall be used at the polling place for the single consolidated precinct.

PASSED AND ADOPTED
this 13th day of December, 1983.

(s) Wallace Ferguson,
President.

(SEAL)
Attest:
(s) Thomas Guevara,
Secretary

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**RESOLUCION Y NOTICIA
DE ELECCION
DE IMPUESTOS
DE MEJORAMIENTOS
CAPITALES
DE ESCUELAS PUBLICAS
Y
ELECCION DE
BONOS ESCOLARES**

POR CUANTO, segun la Sección 22-25-3, NMSA 1978, el Consejo ha determinado y por esta determina, que sera sometido a los electores en una eleccion especial que tendra lugar el 7 de febrero de 1984, la pregunta si un impuesto de propiedad de \$2.00 por cada \$1,000.00 de valor neto sujeta a impuestos de la propiedad alocada al Distrito bajo el Código de Impuestos de Propiedad sera impuesto para los años de impuestos de propiedad de 1984, 1985 y 1986, para el proposito de mejoramientos capitales en el Distrito; y

POR CUANTO, el Consejo de Educacion del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo No. 7 (de

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aquí en adelante el "Consejo") en los condados de Lincoln y Socorro y el Estado de Nuevo Mexico, ha determinado bajo su propia iniciativa a somer a votacion en una eleccion especial que tendra lugar el 7 de febrero de 1984, la pregunta de la emision de sus bonos de obligacion general en la cantidad maxima y para el proposito de aquí en adelante especificado, como es permitido por Sección 22-18-23, NMSA 1978, y el Acta de Eleccion de Bonos; y

POR CUANTO, ni la pregunta de los bonos por esta sometida ni cualquier otra pregunta de bonos ha sido derrotada en una eleccion de bonos que haya tenido lugar en un periodo de dos años anteriores a la fecha de la eleccion de bonos por esta expuesta.

AHORA, POR ESTO, SEA RESUELTO POR EL CONSEJO DE EDUCACION DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR MUNICIPAL DE CARRIZOZO NO. 7 QUE CONSTITUYE EL CONSEJO GOBERNANTE DE DICHO DISTRITO, EN LOS CONDADOS DE LINCOLN Y SOCORRO Y EL ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO.

Sección 1. En el 7 día de febrero de 1984, tendra lugar en el Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo No. 7, Condado de Lincoln y Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, una eleccion especial para el proposito de somer a los electores calificados del Distrito la pregunta de crear una deuda emitiendo bonos de obligacion general y para el proposito de somer a los electores calificados del Distrito la pregunta si un impuesto de propiedad debe ser impuesta para el proposito de hacer mejoramientos capitales en el Distrito.

Sección 2. Todos los precinctos del Distrito seran consolidados para esta eleccion. El Distrito entera constituirá un solo precincto consolidado y los electores calificados (exceptuando esos que votan por ausencia como esta proveida por esta) votaran en la oficina del superintendente de escuelas, 400 D Ave. en Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico, siendo el mismo paraje de votacion establecido para la eleccion regular de los oficiales del Distrito que tendra lugar el mismo día. Los Jueces de la Eleccion seran Joan Means (Juez que Preside), Margaret Chavez y Cecilia Ortiz y los Escribanos de la Eleccion seran Ruth Wilson y Zillah Watson.

Sección 3. Los parajes para dicha eleccion estaran abiertos entre las horas de 8:00 a.m. y 7:00 p.m. el día de la eleccion.

Sección 4. En dicha eleccion, la siguiente pregunta sera sometida a tales electores registrados, calificados del Distrito:

PREGUNTA DE BONOS DE OBLIGACION GENERAL

"Sera autorizado el Consejo de Educacion del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo No. 7, Condados de Lincoln y Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, a emitir bonos del obligacion general del Distrito en una serie o mas, en la cantidad principal agregada a no exceder \$160,000, para el proposito de eregir, remodelar, hacer adiciones a y amueblar edificios escolares, y comprar y mejorar los terrenos escolares, dichos bonos a ser pagables de impuestos generales (ad valorem) y a ser emitidos y vendidos a tal tiempo o tiempos y bajo tales terminos y condiciones como determine el Consejo?"

En dicha eleccion la siguiente pregunta tambien sera sometida a los electores registrados, calificados del Distrito:

PREGUNTA DE IMPUESTOS DE MEJORAMIENTOS CAPITALES DE LAS ESCUELAS PUBLICAS

"Sera autorizado el Consejo de Educacion del Distrito Escolar Municipal de Carrizozo No. 7, Condados de Lincoln y Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, a imponer un impuesto de propiedad de \$2.00 por cada \$1,000.00 de valor neto sujeta a impuestos de la propiedad alocada a dicho Distrito bajo el Código de Impuestos de Propiedad para los años de impuestos de propiedad de 1984, 1985 y 1986 para el

proposito de los siguientes mejoramientos capitales en el Distrito, es decir, eregir, remodelar, hacer adiciones a, proveer equipo y amueblar edificios escolares, comprar y mejorar terrenos escolares, y el mantenimiento de los terrenos publicos escolares exclusivo de los gastos de salarios de los empleados del Distrito?"

Sección 5. Una persona es un elector calificado del Distrito si el o ella es un ciudadano de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 años de edad el día de la eleccion y es residente del Distrito el día de la eleccion. Para poder votar, electores calificados del Distrito deben de haberse registrado anteriormente con el Escribano del Condado del Condado de Lincoln o con el Escribano del Condado de Socorro segun la ley. Cualquier elector calificado del Distrito que no esta ahora registrado y que desea votar en esta eleccion especial debe registrarse durante horas de oficina regulares en la oficina del Escribano del Condado del Condado de Lincoln, en la Casa de Corte del Condado en Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico, o en la oficina del Escribano del Condado de condado de Socorro, en la Casa to Corte del Condado de Socorro, en Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, dependiendo del condado en que vive el elector, o en la oficina de cualquier oficial deputado de registracion apuntado por el Escribano del Condado del Condado en que vive el elector (incluyendo los escribanos municipales de las municipalidades del Condado de Lincoln excepto el Pueblo de Carrizozo y de las municipalidades del Condado de Socorro excepto la Ciudad de Socorro) antes de las 5:00 p.m. del 27 de diciembre de 1983.

Sección 6. El impuesto contemplado por la pregunta del impuesto de mejoramientos capitales sera en adicion al impuesto contemplado por la pregunta de bonos y de cualquier impuesto que sea impuesto para pagar servicio de deuda en cualquier bono o para cualquier otro proposito. Dicho impuesto de mejoramientos capitales sera autorizado segun el Acta de Mejoramientos Capitales de Escuelas Publicas, es decir, Secciones 22-25-1 hasta 22-25-10 NMSA 1978 (siendo el Capitulo 5, Leyes de Nuevo Mexico, 1975, Sesion Especial como esta enmendado y suplementado).

Sección 7. Votacion por ausentes sera permitido en la manera autorizada por Secciones 22-8-21 hasta 22-8-34, NMSA 1978. Aplicaciones para boletos de ausentes pueden ser obtenidos de la oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas, en la Oficina del Superintendente, 800 Avenida D, en Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico y pueden ser echados hasta las 5:00 p.m. del viernes, 3 de febrero de 1984; pero a las 5:00 p.m. del viernes, 3 de febrero de 1984, el Superintendente esta requerido por estatuto a destruir los boletos de ausentes no usados, así que aplicaciones completas deben de ser regresadas al Superintendente antes de dicho tiempo. El paraje de votacion para votantes ausentes estara en la oficina del Superintendente de Escuelas, en la Oficina del Superintendente, 800 Avenida D, Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico. Los jueces y escribanos para votantes ausentes como son apuntados por el Superintendente de Escuelas del Distrito, seran:

Juez que Preside Susan Wells, Jueces: Maria Vega, Escribanos: Eugenia Vega, Margaret Serna.

Sección 8. Votacion sera por maquina de votacion, excepto por la votacion de ausentes que sera por boleto de papel. Se usara tan sigüera una maquina de votacion en el paraje de votacion para el solo precincto consolidado.

PASADA Y ADOPTADA esta 13 día de diciembre de 1983.

WALLACE FERGUSON
Presidente

(SELLO)
Atestigo:

TOMMY GUEVARA
Secretario

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NOTICE: The Town of Carrizozo Board of Trustees will at its next regular meeting on Jan. 9, 1984, at 6:00 P.M., will consider to amend certain sections of the 1983 New Mexico Uniform Traffic Ordinance 83-124 to make the following corrections:

Section 12-6-6.1 (16) should read: between a curb and sidewalk or between a curb or lateral line of a roadway and the adjacent property line. (+)

Section 12-6-13.1, TITLE, should be changed both in the table of contents within Article VI and in the section itself. OFFENSES RELATING TO DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE.

Section 12-6-14.9 B. should read: The provisions of article 4 of this ordinance and Sections 12-6-12.1 through 12-6-12.3 of this ordinance shall apply upon the streets and highways and elsewhere throughout this municipality. (66-7-2 NMSA 1978)

Carol Schlarb, Town Clerk.

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AMENDED NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

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

CARRIZOZO TOWNSITE COMPANY;

The following named persons, if living; if deceased, their unknown heirs:

MRS. MARIA C. SANCHEZ; MARILLITA CASTILLO De SANCHEZ;

UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF.

GREETINGS: You and each of you are hereby notified that ALBERTO

(D. C. SEAL)

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MERRY Christmas
We sincerely hope that your stockings are filled with the blessings of good health, love and happiness.
Thanks for your good will.
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WARM GREETINGS
We hope your holiday is filled with cozy family gatherings and beautiful memories!
Our gratitude to all our patrons.
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SANCHEZ, as Plaintiff, has filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Cause No. CV-83-209, Division I, wherein you are named or designated as Defendants and wherein the said Plaintiff seeks to obtain constructive notice of service upon you.

The general object of said action is the establishment of the estate of the Plaintiff in fee simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause against the adverse claims of the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, and that the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the estate of the Plaintiff, and that the title of the Plaintiff 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:

Lots 17, 18, 19 and 6' of Lot 20, of Block 38, of the O. P. Addition of the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in the said cause on or before the 12th day of January, 1984, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted.

The name and post office address of the attorney for the Plaintiff is as follows: Bill G. Payne, Drawer 39, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this 29 day of November, 1983.

(s) MARGO LINDSAY District Court Clerk

(D. C. SEAL)

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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

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

ROBERT GONZALES; DAMACIO Y. PRUDENCIO; JOSEFITA PRUDENCIO; CASIMIRA Y. PRUDENCIO; ROBERT PRUDENCIO; EVA GONZALES MONTOYA; JUAN SANCHEZ MONTOYA; UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF INTEREST IN THE PREMISES ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFFS.

GREETINGS:

You and each of you are hereby notified that Kenneth Nosker and Irene Nosker, his wife, as Plaintiffs, have filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Cause No. CV-83-330, Division I, 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

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simple in and to the property described in the Complaint in said cause against the adverse claims of the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through, or under them, and that the Defendants, and each of them, and everyone claiming by, through or under them, be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon, or any right, title, or interest in or to the said real estate adverse to the estate of the Plaintiffs, and that the 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:

(A) A tract of land situate within the SE4 SE4 of Section 20, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the East 1-16 corner common to Sections 20 and 29, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M.; Thence North 0° 55' East, 1052.0 feet to a

point in the North R.O.W. line of US Highway 70; Thence South 89° 32' East, along said R.O.W. line, 408.1 feet; Thence North 0° 30' West, 266.2 feet; Thence West 403.4 feet; Thence South 0° 55' West, 263.5 feet to the point of beginning, containing 2.47 acres more or less.

(B) A tract of land situate within the SE4 SE4 of Section 20, and within the NE4 of Section 29, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the East 1-16 corner common to Sections 20 and 29, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M.; Thence West 329.9 feet to a point in the center

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of Ruidoso River; Thence following said river Southeastly approximately 1118 feet; Thence North 0° 30' West 1526.8 feet to a point in the South R.O.W. line of US Highway 70; Thence South 89° 30' West 415.0 feet; Thence South 0° 55' West, 726.0 feet to the point of beginning containing 14.90 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 25th day of January, 1984, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you by default, and the relief prayed for in the Complaint will be granted.

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

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on this 13th day of December, 1983.

(s) Margo Lindsay, District Court Clerk

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

In the Matter of the Estate of JUANITA HECK BUSH, deceased.

Cause No: PB-83-58 Division I

NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION

TO: The unknown heirs of Max David Heck, Jr., Jan Heck, Max David Heck, Sr., Paul Herbert Heck, Irene Kaminski, Mildred Carlyle, and all unknown persons claiming any right, title and interest in and to the estate of Juanita Heck Bush, deceased.

Hearing on the Petition filed by the undersigned seeking among other things the formal probate of the Last Will and Testament of Juanita Heck Bush, deceased, and an Order determining the heirship of the decedent and the formal appointment of the undersigned as a Personal Representative

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without bond in an unsupervised administration and the issuance of Letters Testamentary to the undersigned, shall be held at the District Courtroom of the District Court of Lincoln County, in Carrizozo, New Mexico, on the 2nd day of February, 1984 at 9 o'clock, A.M.

Pursuant to Sec. 45-1-401 and Sec. 45-3-403, N.M.S.A., 1978 Comp., notice of the time and place of the hearing on said Petition is hereby given you by this publication once each week for two consecutive weeks.

ALBERT J. RIVERA, Attorney for the Petitioner P.O. Box 121-1105 Michigan Alamogordo, NM 88310

MAX DAVID HECK, JR., 6716 NW 61st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73100

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NOTICE AND WARNING

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with section 53-4-5 of the New Mexico Statutes Annotated, Compilation of 1953, The Laura McDonald Estate and Robert Creel desire to protect the game birds and animals within their enclosures; said enclosures being more particularly described as follows:

Lot 1, Section 19, Township 8 South, Range 9 East, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 20, T8S, R9E. Lots 3, 4, 5, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 21, T8S, R9E, N 1/2 Section 29, T8S, R9E, NW 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 27, T8S, R9E, SE 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 28, T8S, R9E. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, S 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 15, T8S, R9E. Lots 1 and 2, Section 21, T8S, R9E. N 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 22, T8S, R9E.

All persons are further warned that it shall be and is, after publication of this notice, unlawful for any person to kill or injure any birds or animals within the boundaries of the said lands at any time without permission of the undersigned.

- Robert Creel

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