

Water rights at stake

# Hondo Valley challenges Mescalero claims

By RIGO CHAVEZ

Hondo Valley farmers and landowners from throughout the Rio Ruidoso valley will gather on Sunday to organize for what could be a fight for their livelihood and their way of life. A battle for water.

In a 5 p.m. meeting at the Hondo Valley School, organizers hope to form a

water users association to begin litigating claims made by the Mescalero Apache Tribe that could take up to 91 percent of the summer flow from the Rio Ruidoso.

"We want to mobilize everyone involved for a public protest. We want to get funds together for expert testimony and attorneys," Michael Hurd, one of the organizers, said.

Most of the people who live in the Hondo Valley had not heard about the tribe's claims until a series of public meetings were set up last week by the State Engineer's Office to explain in a suit that was argued for five weeks in March and April.

During the trial, the tribe and the federal government acting on their behalf

presented plans for two irrigation projects.

One of the projects would be in the Riconada area and would involve tunnels and pipelines to take water to the Tularosa Basin for irrigation. The other would be near Pajarito Mountain and involve 4 wells as deep as 1,000 feet also for the irrigation of high profit crops such as strawberries,

Vickie Gabin, an attorney for the State Engineer's Office, told a group of about 100 people last week.

Gabin was one of the attorneys that presented the state's case in the suit this spring.

"Nothing was decided in that trial, because the judge suggested that we allow you to challenge the Mescalero

priority date on their water rights. Tribal and US attorneys claimed their rights should start in 1852, the date Congress settled with the tribe, while the state argued that legislation establishing was not actually enacted until 1873.

"This is going to be your one and only chance to challenge the Mescalero claim," she told the group.

The state will not be participating in the next phase of the trial.

"We took our shot," Gabin said.

One of the elements the state argued was the tribe's

priority date on their water rights. Tribal and US attorneys claimed their rights should start in 1852, the date Congress settled with the tribe, while the state argued that legislation establishing was not actually enacted until 1873.

The court did not rule on the priority date, Gabin said.

The state also argued that the irrigation projects proposed by the Indians were not economically feasible.

"We tried to show that the estimated construction costs were too low and the predicted crop yields were too high," Gabin said.

Hurd said what he and his group would do was raise other issues not addressed by the state.

Bill Karn, a candidate for Lincoln County Commission, noted that one of the issues not raised was how they could change the whole ecology of the valley.

"How could the law allow them to do that," Karn asked at the meeting.

Another issue Hurd said will probably be raised is also associated with the ecology. "We want to see how much water has to be left in the river to keep it a flowing river," Hurd said.

Gabin noted that water rights holders would be receiving documents from the US Attorney's Office in Roswell later this month asking them if they want to participate in the litigation.

The documents must be returned by Nov. 17 if the right holder wants to participate.

On Nov. 24, a pre-trial conference will be held in Roswell to acquaint the parties as to the direction each will take.

"That's what we're organizing for," Hurd said adding that key committees will probably be set up at the meeting on Sunday.

"We are talking \$100 million worth of water. It's a big gamble," he said. "Our purpose is to unite both the public and private interests to fight this thing."

Hurd said that Roswell attorney Doug Perrin and the village of Ruidoso's attorney John Underwood would be at the meeting on Sunday.

"Everyone will be affected if they get this water. All you'll have left is a desert plains with mountains," Hurd said.

Gabin said that it is expected that the suit will go to trial again in April 1987. "It's really not much time to prepare," Hurd said.

Tribal officials could not be reached for comment.

Gabin said in a telephone interview on Tuesday that she had heard that tribal attorneys were trying to get an injunction issued prohibiting her from conducting any more public meetings on the case.

"They want to enjoin me from speaking on the evidence," Gabin said.

## Carrizozo to receive \$250,000

Carrizozo will receive an additional \$250,000 for paving of streets. News of the grant money approval from the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) was received last Thursday. Mayor Bob Hemphill, trustee Linda Haller and city clerk Carol Schlarb were in Santa Fe when the announcement was made.

This \$250,000 added to the first grant of \$231,000 and the town's share of \$25,000 brings the total to more than half a million dollars to pave Carrizozo streets.

The dirt streets in Carrizozo should be paved by this time next year. The latest grant will enable the town to pave those streets that were removed from the list for the first grant street application.



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## Carrizozo offers incentives for economic development

Members of the Carrizozo town council, chamber of commerce, economic development committee and the Carrizozo industrial development committee met Sept. 23 to discuss ways to induce industry to come to Carrizozo.

Steve Massey, economic development specialist with the Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SENMEDD) attended the meeting to explain laws and give further information. Mayor Bob Hemphill said that this meeting is a coordinated effort to see what the town can do and to get all groups to work in the same direction toward industrial development.

Ruth Armstrong told about the Carrizozo Industrial Development Committee that was organized in 1965 from business people in town. The non-profit organization has one meeting per year for the board of directors. She said the group needs new members since several of the members have moved away from Carrizozo.

Hal Sims has agreed to be the contact person when requests for information are received concerning industrial development. The entities involved agreed that if the town or chamber of commerce should get an inquiry that it would be referred to Sims. Sims will then work with the economic development committee to draft a letter to send to the inquirer.

Enticements to bring industry to Carrizozo could be: negotiable rent of land in the industrial tract; low lease with option to purchase a parcel of land; low interest revolving loans; financing for building assistance available; industrial revenue bonds; low tax base; and free technical assistance from SCORE, a group of retired persons willing to help new businesses and industries.

The group then discussed placing signs on Interstate 25 with illuminating letters that list tourist attractions to be found on highway 280 East such as White Sands Missile Range, Carlsbad Caverns, Ski Apache, Valley of Fires State Park, etc.

After the meeting on economic development, a regular town council meeting was held. Sims brought up the need for a week ordinance to make the town look better for prospective newcomers to the area. The object of a week ordinance would be to clean up the town to make it look more attractive.

The board of trustees agreed to look at sample weed ordinances at the Oct. 14

meeting. The public is urged to attend and voice their opinions.

It was announced that weeds in alleys are the responsibility of the citizens.

Mayor Bob Hemphill signed a proclamation that the week of Oct. 5-11 is National Employ the Handicapped week.

The board of trustees will discuss and possibly make a decision at the next meeting about charging to use the city dump and to eliminate the Thursday pickups by the city crew. The city crew has been making Thursday pickups of refuse too large for the regular Wednesday refuse removal. The public is urged to attend and voice their opinions on the solid waste removal and

charges.

Proposal was accepted from Everett Greer for work at the old landfill not to exceed \$1,000 for leveling and necessary work to comply with state requirements.

Carrizozo chief of police C. A. Morales requested a fence be installed at the dog pound that would enable the animals to be unloaded within a fenced area. This would keep animals from getting loose while being moved from the animal control truck to the pens.

Morales said that his department is actively enforcing the animal control ordinance.

Trustees set the pickup fee of animals at \$10 and each additional day will cost the owner \$5 per day.

Trustees agreed to add the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag to the meeting agenda.

A request was received from Risk Management about who can ride in police vehicles. Risk Management reported that police liability protection only covers the city employees, city council, salaried city employees and volunteers that are in recognized volunteer programs. Hemphill instructed employees to have only authorized people in city vehicles or police vehicles.

Hours at the police department were changed on Friday only from a closing time of 5 p.m. to a new closing time of 4:30 p.m. with only a 30 minute lunch break.

## CDBG funds Corona streets for \$183,840

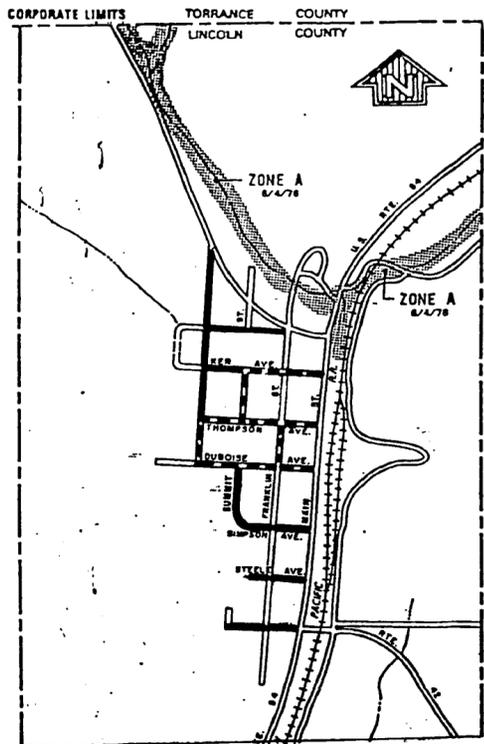
Village officials learned last Friday that Corona will receive \$183,840 in a Community Development Block Grant for street improvements. The funds are in addition to a \$179,253 grant received earlier this year for phase I of a federally funded street paving project. That money is to be used for improvement of village streets used by school buses, and the project is currently in the engineering phase with actual paving scheduled to begin in March or April.

Concerning the new CDBG funds, Mayor Ernest Lueras explained that east-west streets would be targeted for improvements. "These streets need to be paved because of the run-off problem from the mountain. The paving will help keep all the mud from washing through town every time it rains," he said. Streets to be paved with the new money are Steele, Simpson, Ker, old Highway 42, and two unnamed streets.

Village Council will consider the next steps in the street paving projects during their meeting Thursday, Oct. 9 at 6:30 p.m. A representative

from the Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District will attend in order to further advise the

council concerning the use of CDBG funds. The SENMEDD was hired by the Village to administer the first CDBG.



MOST CORONA streets should be paved in the foreseeable future. Money allocated last February is being used in Phase I of the project which will pave DuBois, Ker, Franklin, Old Highway 42, and Summit (indicated by the dotted line); these should be completed in March or April of next year. With CDBG funds allocated just last week, Old Highway 42, Ker, Summit, Simpson, Steel and two unnamed streets (indicated by a solid line) are to be paved.



GAYLEE OSBORNE

Nov. 22

## Osborne in Miss NM-USA Pageant

An 18-year-old Ruidoso woman will represent the village in the 1986 Miss New Mexico-USA Pageant on Nov. 22 at the Inn of the Mountain Gods.

Gaylee Osborne, who moved to Ruidoso eight months ago, will be one of 40 young women vying for the title of Miss New Mexico and a chance to compete for Miss USA in February.

Osborne is a graduate of Hedley High School in Hedley, TX, and is no stranger to pageant competitions. She captured the title of Miss Photogenic in the Our World's Little Miss Pageant in 1978, her first pageant.

"The pageants have given me self-confidence and maturity," she said. "I may not always win, but I still have fun because winning is not the only thing I'm after."

Osborne is currently employed as a clerk at the Revco drug store in Ruidoso. She would like to become a pharmacist.

"If I can work out a grant from Revco, I'd like to go to Southwest Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, OK," said Osborne who finished high school two years early.

After that first taste of the life of a beauty queen, Osborne was hooked. In 1979 she entered the Cinderella Miss

pageant, and followed up with the Cinderella Beauty in 1980, the Cotton Queen in 1982 and Miss Donley County in 1983-86.

In the most recent Donley County pageant she was the first runner up and Miss Congeniality.

She competed in her first statewide pageant in 1981 as she tried for the title of Texas Cinderella Beauty. Her younger sisters, twins Amy and Tammy, also competed in that pageant.

"It was really hard for my mom to get all three of us ready. She got the Cinderella Beauty Mother Award," Osborne said.

The twins are active in Ruidoso High School sports, but Osborne said she never really had a talent for sports.

"They were always good in basketball and I found that I did well in the modeling and speaking it takes in pageants. It's something we can help each other with," she said.

For the November pageant Osborne will be judged on poise, beauty and intelligence. There will be swimwear, evening gown and interview competitions.

A little nervous about her first swimsuit competition, Osborne vows to give it her best shot.

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OCT 4 & 5  
'Century of Fun'  
Aspenfest in  
Ruidoso  
and  
Cloudcroft  
Annual Octoberfest  
Join the Fun!



THE SANCHEZ family from left: Tony, Midshipman Fourth Class Adrien, Patsy and Brian.

## Sanchez reports to Naval Academy

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Sanchez and son, Brian, of Carrizozo, NM recently visited their son Midshipman Fourth Class Adrien Sanchez, during Parents' Weekend at the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD.

Midshipman Sanchez, who graduated in 1985 from Carrizozo High School, is one of the 1,363 members of the academy Class of 1990 who reported to Annapolis in July for intensive military training as a member of the Brigade of

Midshipmen.

The Naval Academy is the undergraduate college of the Navy. Upon graduation, midshipmen receive bachelor of science degrees and are commissioned as officers in the Navy or Marine Corps.

### CALENDAR of EVENTS

- Thursday, October 2
  - People for Kids 7 p.m. at Carrizozo school.
- Saturday, October 4
  - Clouderoft annual Octoberfest today and tomorrow.
  - Aspenfest in Ruidoso today and tomorrow.
- Sunday, October 5
  - The Carrizozo Annual staff will present a fall fashion show at the Carrizozo Woman's Club. Tickets are being sold by annual staff members and will be sold at the door. Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given.
- Monday, October 6
  - Overeaters Anonymous 5 p.m. REA Building in Carrizozo.
  - Capitan Greenhand party-roller skating and pizza in Ruidoso.
  - "Positive Discipline" a parent study group will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. each Monday in the Carrizozo school library. This is sponsored by the Carrizozo schools and the course is free. Everyday problems between parents and their pre-school or elementary children will be discussed under the leadership of Dr. Birgit LaMothe. For more information call 648-2587, 354-2761 or 257-2723.
- Tuesday, October 7
  - Carrizozo Lions Club 12:30 p.m. at Four Winds Restaurant.
- Thursday, October 9
  - Pre-school story hour in Carrizozo school library 8:30 to 9:25 a.m. All pre-school children and parents invited.
  - Carrizozo Woman's Club 7 p.m.
  - Parent-teacher conferences will be held at Carrizozo schools from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Refreshments will be served.



**Art School at Carrizo**  
Fall Classes for October

Oct. 6-10: Bettye Givens-creative writing and Les McDonald-water color.

Oct. 13-17: June F. Johnston-water color, Cecil Wilcox-acrylic and Dwade Engle-oil; Oct. 20-24: George Pate-watercolor, Louisa Boshard-oil; Oct. 27-31: Ken Hosmer-watercolor, Ann Templeton-oil, T. Szajko-pastel, Jo Fultz-cast paper, S. Yablonski-bird carving and John S. Houser-sculpture.

CALL Art Director at 257-9131 for more information!

## 4-WINDS RESTAURANT & LOUNGE

--We will open "Willie's Steak & Pizza Room" Oct. 13th. We will be offering you a variety of Pizzas in three (3) different sizes. 16 Inch, 12 Inch, and 9 Inch. We promise you that our pizzas are every bit as good, if not better, than anybody else's. We will not cut corners in quantity or quality! Only the best ingredients will be used and we will not be skimpy with our offering!

--Don't forget that Oct. 13th thru Oct. 18th will be Promotion Days and ALL Pizzas will be discounted from regular price and will include a FREE Cold Drink with each pizza purchases.

Reservations Are Not Required, but Will be Greatly Appreciated.

**Ph. 648-2964**  
**CARRIZOZO, N. M.**

# Ugly contest continues

Lincoln County bartenders will be invited to participate in a regional pour-off for the Ugly Bartender Contest at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 2 at The Barn in Ruidoso.

Sponsored by the New Mexico Multiple Sclerosis Society (MS), the pour-off will feature a number of other events to raise money for MS research.

Bartenders from the Rus-

ty Anchor in Capitan, The Four Winds Lounge in Carrizozo, the Bull Ring, The Barn, the Ruidoso Inn, Cochera, Prime Time, Nottingham's and Win, Place and Show, have been invited to participate, Gene Reeves, who is coordinating the event, said.

In the pour-off competition, the bartenders will be judged on the speed, accuracy, neatness and showmanship

they demonstrate in pouring beer.

Other games include an Ugly joke contest; nuts and bolts, where the bartenders will be given bolts and must search for the waitress who has the nut to fit it; waitress stacking, in which waitress will stack drinks; and an Ugly pool contest.

Proceeds from entrance

fees will go to the MS society. MS is a disease of the central nervous system that affects the ability to walk, talk or see. The winner of the statewide Ugly Bartender Contest will be announced on Oct. 14 in Albuquerque.

## Embezzlement charges filed

The District Attorney's Office is to present evidence to a grand jury in connection with the arrest of G. Raymond Reeves on charges of embezzlement.

Reeves, 51, of Ruidoso, was arrested and arraigned last week on three counts of embezzlement in connection with the withdrawal of \$13,700 from a trust fund account for Jockey Steve Harris.

Reeves, who runs The Barn restaurant and lounge,

was one of the trustees for the account after he organized a fund raising event for the injured Harris this summer.

According to court documents \$5,000 was withdrawn from the account on July 22, another \$6,700 on Aug. 7 and \$2,000 on Aug. 14.

Preston Isaacs, vice president of Ruidoso State Bank, told police that the withdrawals had been made by Reeves, court documents said.

A bank teller also told investigators that Reeves wired \$5,000 to Continental National Bank in El Paso on Aug. 14. A Continental Bank teller told police she had received the \$5,000 on Aug. 15 and that the money had gone toward paying Travis Hausler for the lease on The Barn.

Reeves was released on \$25,000 bond and a public defender has been appointed to represent him.

If convicted on all three charges, Reeves faces up to seven years in jail and \$15,000 in fines.

Evidence in the case is set to be presented to a Lincoln County grand jury on Oct. 17, Assistant District Attorney Harry Wilcox Jr., said.

## Curtiss places first

ALBUQUERQUE—Riders in the opening reining competition at the 1986 New Mexico State Fair shared in more than \$2000 in purse money awarded at the annual event.

Winning first place was Bob Curtiss on "Rogers Silverette," owned by Ray and Bobby Dean Rogers, CARRIZOZO. The winning duo received the NRHA bronze trophy.

Dolly Wallace and "K. A. Kennito," Los Lunas, took home second place honors in the opening reining division. The horse is owned by Donald and Josephine Ellis, Los Lunas.

In the non-pro reining division, first place honors went to Robin White on "Miss Okie Power." The duo is from Craig, CO.

## CowBelles represented at Fair

Annie Withers and Elizabeth MacVeigh traveled to the State Fair in Albuquerque Sept. 20 to represent the Canyon CowBelles at the state CowBelles booth.

Canyon CowBelles also discussed at their last meeting this year's Beef Poster Contest, appointing Veda Stephenson to contact the new Carrizozo art teacher, Stella Montoya, about the details of the contest. Judges for the contest will be Bessie Leslie, Bunty Richardson, and Elizabeth MacVeigh.

Because of cattle roundup and shipping, there will be no October meeting of the Canyon group. At the meeting on the first Wednesday of November, at the REA building, the nominating committee, comprised of president Jan Barham, Jane Shafer, Bunty Richardson and Annie Withers will report on nominations for officers.

## Church sets Diamond Jubilee

Trinity United Methodist Church of Carrizozo, has set Sunday, Dec. 14, 1986 to celebrate their Diamond Jubilee.

Friends, as well as former pastors and members are invited to be a part of this special occasion.

Please share with us any memorabilia or reminiscence you may have dating back as far as 1911 when we began as a Methodist Episcopal Church, South. If you cannot attend, but have something to share, call 648-2946 or 648-2254 or write Box 397, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

Details and program times will be announced in the NEWS at a later date.

## Academy accepts Mathews

Paul J. Mathews Jr., son of Paul J. Mathews Sr. of Ruidoso NM and Juaneita Armstrong of Rural Route 3, Hartford, AL, has been officially accepted into the US Military Academy's Corps of Cadets as a new member of the class of 1990 during the annual acceptance parade.

The parade followed six weeks of rigorous basic cadet training at the West Point, NY academy. Training in military customs and courtesies, drill and physical conditioning, tactical exercises and the firing of weapons introduced the basic cadets to military life with special emphasis on leadership, duty, honor and country.

The academy is a four-year educational institution graduating men and women to serve as career Army officers. In addition to military training, the academy offers athletics and an academic curriculum which includes basic and engineering sciences and social sciences and the humanities.

## Pageant...

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"I just want to represent Ruidoso well."

The interviewing and modeling are old hat. In previous pageants she has faced such questions as "What three things would you take to the moon?" and "Why do you want to be Miss So-and-So?"

To the moon she would take a telephone, "so I could keep in touch with my family and friends," a book, "most likely the Bible," and a male companion, "so I wouldn't get bored," she said.

The Miss USA pageant will be in Albuquerque in February 1987.

"When they (New Mexico pageant officials) called to tell me I would be representing Ruidoso in the state pageant, they said, 'we have some good news and some bad news.' The good news was I'd been picked, the bad news was that the Miss USA pageant wouldn't be in some exotic place like Miami Beach."

Osborne is nonetheless looking forward to both pageants.

"I want to encourage everyone to come out to the Inn for the pageant because I'm there to represent Ruidoso and I need the encouragement," she said.

Among the Ruidoso groups sponsoring Osborne are the Fraternal Order of Police, Handl Hanks and Tallman Enterprises.

## An Open Letter to the Voters of Lincoln County

\*(Carrizozo, Corona, & Alto areas)



DEAR VOTERS:

We would like to introduce our friend STEVEN K. SANDERS, the Democratic candidate for State Representative, District 52.

Steve was born in Sierra County, New Mexico. His parents are Dell and Anita Fandey Sanders. His dad is a veteran of WWII and Korea, and the past commander of the Sierra County D.A.V. He is active in the Masonic Lodge.

Steve attended elementary school in Truth or Consequences, Roswell and Alamogordo. He graduated from the University of New Mexico with a degree in economics in 1971. In 1974 he graduated from Las School cum laude. Steve is a former district attorney here in Lincoln County and was president of the New Mexico district attorney's association from 1983 to 1985. He has served as the Lincoln County attorney since 1980.

Steve learned many important lessons from his father and grandfathers. They taught him to fish and hunt. But Steve learned more than sportsmanship and good hunting and fishing skills from his family. Steve worked in his grandfather's sporting good store. There he swept the sidewalks, mowed the grass and waited on customers.

Under his grandfather's care, Steve learned about the people of southern New Mexico. Many long talks were held about the effects of taxes on the people. His grandfather frequently would not charge gross receipts tax on purchases made by people in his store because he knew that the tax was unfair to those on limited incomes. These taxes were paid for out of his grandfather's pocket instead.

Steve has not forgotten his grandfather's values of hard work, thrift and really caring for your fellow man. Steve also learned the lessons of honesty, trustworthiness and deep religious commitment from his family.

It is these values, hard work, thrift, a deep concern for his fellow man, especially for those less fortunate, honesty and religious commitment which we believe will make Steve an excellent State Representative from this county. We hope you will remember Steve's upbringing when you make a decision on your candidate for State Representative in November.

Paid for by the people who support Steven Sanders for State Representative, Katherine Fandey, Chairman, Tillie Candelaria, Treasurer.

### ELECT—

## Coleta Elliott

Candidate for  
**Lincoln County Treasurer**

Pd. for by Committee to elect Coleta Elliott County Treas., George Beaudry, Treasurer.

# By the way

By P.E. Chavez



## CHILDHOOD TREASURES

"That's how Barbie used to look when I was little," a young mother told her 8-year-old daughter, Barbie, the famous 11½-inch doll on display, had a bouffant hairdo.

"What's 10 percent of \$90?" a teen-aged girl asked her mother. The two were amazed with a life-sized newborn baby doll.

"Don't tell daddy how much that bear was," warned a mother as her child hugged a newly purchased brown stuffed bear.

The preceding is a sampling of the conversations overheard Saturday when I attended the Desert Doll Guild show and sale at Alamogordo Civic Center.

Sixty tables of antique, collectible, modern dolls, doll related items and teddy bears were on sale during the 2-day event. The 37 merchants from Albuquerque, El Paso, Deming, Carlsbad, Denver, Tucson, Phoenix, Roswell, Tularosa and Holloman AFB joined Alamogordo doll hobbyists. Merchants also traveled from Masterson, TX; Anckerly, TX; Fountain, CO; and West Covina, CA to participate in one of the major doll shows and sales of the Southwest.

## LIBRARY FRIENDS

Admission proceeds of the event went toward purchasing a glass and wood display case for the Alamogordo Public Library. Members of the Desert Doll Guild, in past years have donated more than \$800 in books to the library. Charitable contributions to the Otero county community last year totaled \$1,500.

Twelve members with an interest in dolls make up the membership of the guild. Seven of the members are dollmakers. During the recent show and sale the members set up a porcelain doll-making demonstration.

## LIMITED EDITION

With my interest in doll-making (cloth) I could not resist attending the doll show and sale. Three sons, who accompanied their dad and me to Alamogordo last Saturday, said they would be "bored" so all four went to find something to do... like eating.

Two women show goers asked me if I have ever seen a "sex doll." I wasn't sure what they meant. They showed me

a modern doll, a baby boy. I had never seen an anatomically correct doll.

Many men were seen at the doll show and sale, as spectators and manning the booths. The doll collecting business is not limited to females. Antique dolls are worth a small fortune. If you have one, hang on to it.

## WISH BOOK

Our 1986 Christmas wish book was waiting at the post office last week. The holiday season has officially started. The partnership of Richard Warner Sears and Alvah Curtis Roebuck proved to be a winning business combination for them.

Sears and Roebuck, like hamburger and French fries has become an indispensable part of America's roots. Their catalog was originally directed toward rural families, who found its offerings of farm equipment, tools, plain clothing and simple but reliable household goods an endless source of fascination and temptation. The mail-order books continue to work their spell on small-town families.

## COUNTRY NEWSPAPER

Officially titled the "Consumer's Guide" (customers almost invariably called it the "Wish Book"), the Sears and Roebuck catalogs were little more than pamphlets at first. They were filled mostly with lists of watches and watch chains, some diamonds and a few other pieces of jewelry, all accompanied by descriptions Sears had written.

Sears had a natural instinct for advertising and a gift for exciting in the minds of prospective customers a desire to purchase merchandise they had never before thought they either needed or wanted.

As Sears' ads reached wider audiences (he advertised extensively in country newspapers), the volume of his business began to accelerate. Sears knew and loved the advertising business. His newspaper notices were often downright exaggeration. He claimed that his goods were the "best in the world" and "would last forever." He would not have remained in business if his customers were not satisfied with his goods.

The 1891 catalog ran only 32 pages. By 1900, the Sears, Roebuck catalog had more than 1100 pages of text and was illustrated with more than 4,000 engravings.

## NEWSPAPER ADS

It was in 1886 at a railroad station in south-central Minnesota, that Richard Sears started the world's largest merchandising company. He took the railroad job because the position was a way he could pursue his real love... buying and selling.

When a jeweler refused to accept a shipment of watches sent over the railroad, Sears decided that he would sell

them himself.

In 1887, he moved to Minneapolis and set up the R. W. Sears Watch Company. Most of his advertising was conducted by mail, though he was beginning to use the newspapers in an effort to reach a wider public.

Sears looked for a watchmaker, someone who could repair timepieces and even assemble complete watches. Alvah Roebuck answered the ad.

In March 1889, Sears decided that the time had come to sell the Sear Watch Company. The two men later went on to establish a mail-order business and the Sears, Roebuck "wish book" which offered something for everyone—watches, phonographs, buggies, and even homes.

## COURTESY

A Mexican was riding a little mule and his wife was walking behind him.

"Friend, why is your wife not riding?" inquired a visitor. The Mexican replied, "She ain't got no mule."



MARY G. TRUJILLO

Mary G. Trujillo, of Capitan, died Saturday, Sept. 27, at the family residence following a lengthy illness.

Trujillo was born March 15, 1922 in Carrizozo. She was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Capitan and the Capitan Senior Citizens.

Survivors include her husband, Candelario Trujillo of the family residence; sons, Ernest Trujillo of Capitan, Alfredo Trujillo of Ruidoso, Fernando Trujillo of Roswell and Candelario Trujillo Jr. of Capitan; daughters, Bennie Stensrud of Chigo, CA, Cecilia Ortega of Capitan and Barbara Sanchez of Ruidoso; sisters, Tillie Romero of Roswell, Lucille Baroz of Alamogordo, Pauline Lehman and Jane Allred of Capitan; and 15 grandchildren.

A rosary was said Monday and a funeral Mass was said Tuesday at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, with Father Dave Bergs officiating. Burial followed in the Capitan Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Bill Allred, Solomon Trujillo, Eddie Ortega, Luvin Sanchez, Leroy Montes and Wayne Hobbs. Honorary bearers were Margarito Trujillo, Fernando Trujillo Jr. and Ernest Trujillo Jr.

## Laser Light Show Debuts

A new light show will debut this weekend at the Clyde W. Tombaugh Space Theater in Alamogordo. The new show will feature laser light effects and musical selections for a general audience. It will comprise a mixture of classical, popular, country western, and humorous material.

Laser light programs are part of the FAMILY SHOW presented each Friday, Saturday and Sunday evening at the Tombaugh Space Theater. The FAMILY SHOW also includes a planetarium program and an OMNIMAX feature. The current OMNIMAX film is the perennial favorite "TO FLY."



Lovely view of the earth isn't it? About 300 years ago, some people believed that migratory birds spent their winters on the moon.



PROMOTING TOURISM is the object of this group of people from El Paso. Their tours of areas surrounding El Paso included a trip to the Carrizozo area last weekend.

## 'Discover El Paso'

# Tourism group visits area

A group of people interested in promoting tourism in and around El Paso was in the Carrizozo area on Saturday and Sunday to see what this area has to offer tourists.

"Discover El Paso" is the name of the group that meets each month in El Paso and makes regular visits to surrounding areas. Two months ago a bus load of members went to Chihuahua City, Mexico.

"Discover El Paso" started 11 years ago with 12 members and has more than 100 members in the group now. Last week the group met at the South American Pavillion at the El Paso zoo and donated \$500 to the educational fund.

Many of the members are in tourist related industries and use the information acquired in their work. Among those touring the Carrizozo

area were a tour guide, tax assessor-collector, archeologist-curator, builder and executive director of the hotel-motel association.

Alex Apostolides, archeologist-curator of the Wilderness Park Museum in El Paso, is a member of the group and spoke about the petroglyphs while they were at Three Rivers and told them about the mal pais when the group toured the nature trail at the Valley of Fires State Park.

Meeting the group for dinner at the Four Winds Restaurant on Saturday were Carrizozo trustee Linda Haller, Carrizozo, chamber of commerce executive director Woody Schlegel, chamber of commerce treasurer Phyllis Schlegel and Don Ward. Ward was tour guide for White Oaks and spoke to the group about

tourist attractions.

In addition to visiting White Oaks, and the Valley of Fires, the group toured My House of Old Things in Ancho before leaving Sunday.

## Candidate forum

A candidates forum featuring both Democratic and Republican candidates for state and local offices will be held at the Women's Club in Ruidoso on Oct. 8 at 9:30 a.m.

Sponsored by the Ruidoso Federated Women's Club, the event will give voters a chance to meet and talk with candidates before the November election.

Those interested are invited to bring a sack lunch and join the women at noon, club member Sharon McIntire said.

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During the five-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center Millington, TN, Mulkey received introductory instructions on the characteristics and operating principles of jet engines.

His studies included engine lubrication, ignition and fuel systems. He also studied the procedures for refueling and defueling aircraft, for removal and installation of aircraft engines and for the operation of aircraft ground handling equipment.

A 1982 graduate of Corona High School, he joined the Navy in February 1986.

## TIP CLIPS



By POLLY CHAVEZ

### EASY HASH BROWNS

Rub a little oil on the cheese grater before grating boiled potatoes for hash browns. The grater will wash off easier.

### WARMER BREAD

Line your biscuit and roll basket with aluminum foil, then a napkin or paper towel. The biscuits or rolls will stay warmer longer.

### SANDWICH TIME

Mix one can of deviled ham with a spoonful of mayonnaise. Stuff into a sopapilla or Indian fry bread. Serve with a pickled chile.

### SUPER SANDWICH

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# The New "Ugly American"

By WILLIAM R. HAWKINS

[Editor's Note: The author is a contributor to *Chronicles of Quatre*]

Star athletes die from cocaine while others are indicted. The Pornography Commission reports on the effects of the smut business. The AIDS epidemic threatens to spread beyond the subterranean world of homosexuals and drug addicts. Child abuse and abortion are on the rise. Public corruption breeds a cynical distrust of democratic government. These and other signs of moral decay have shocked Americans into wondering what has become of their country.

People in other parts of the world also hear these stories and wonder about the kind of society the United States has become. The term "Ugly American" which once denoted obnoxious tourists now calls forth a more dangerous image—an image America's enemies are eager to exploit.

To Americans the Berlin Wall symbolizes a repressive communist society keeping its people imprisoned. However, the communists claim a moral justification for the Wall: It is to protect those living in the East from contamination by the decadence and crime of the West. Lurid examples from the American press are used to support such "defensive" measures.

American movies which dwell on the underside of society are touted in the East as typical portrayals of American life. To these, the Soviets add their own productions. A recent Soviet film, "Caucasian in an English Park," attacks the credibility of Radio Free Europe. In the film, the head of Radio Free Europe is not only depicted as a Mafia chieftain, but as a heroin addict as well. Pornographic photos decorate RFE's offices and the employees spend all their time either drunk, high or engaged in sexual affairs. The real business of RFE is not the reporting of news, according to "Caucasian," but the smuggling of drugs and pornography eastward. The film's hero, a stalwart KGB agent, easily defeats his degenerate foes.

Americans feel that their message of democratic freedom is more attractive in the global ideological struggle than is the totalitarianism of the USSR. Thus, they cannot understand when their beacon to the world is so often ignored. The answer is that, to many, "freedom" on the American model appears only to be a license to promote vice.

Unfortunately, there are many groups in the US that contribute to this misinterpretation. "Civil liberties" groups constantly defend pornography, abortion, homosexuality and drug use. They attack traditional centers of moral teaching in the schools, churches and homes all in the name of freedom, and "indivisible" freedom without limitation or inhibition. Even informal social pressures against immoral behavior must be abolished. This is the goal of the so-called "Gay Rights" movement which is not satisfied with toleration, but demands public approval.

This is not what the founding fathers meant when they talked of freedom. Freedom was to allow people to become the best they could be by removing artificial obstacles to achievement. Freedom was not meant to pull the supports out from under people so that they could be "free" to drop to the lowest level. Respect was based on a person's character and honor. The old advocates of freedom were optimists, believing that people would naturally choose right over wrong.

The new advocates of freedom, however, have blurred the differences between right or wrong. A large number of people take the wrong path without thinking. All they see is the instant gratification of a fast buck, a one-night stand or a snort of cocaine. Yet the rise in drug-related deaths, broken homes and AIDS reveal that there are still real and tangible penalties for the violation of traditional standards of behavior. After all, standards only last long enough to become "traditional by demonstrating their correctness over time." In contrast, libertarian societies have not endured.

Freedom and morality must be reconciled. If not, America will be judged a failure both at home and abroad and not just by its enemies.



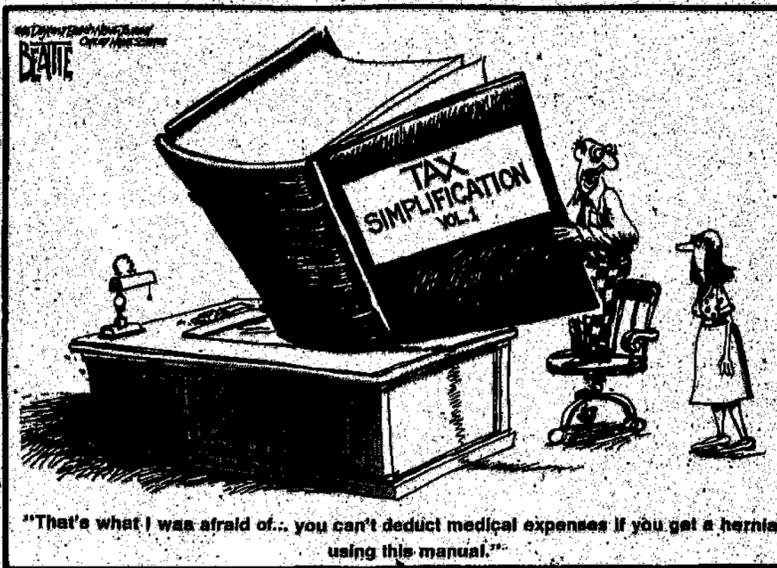
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## WASHINGTON

Les Kinsolving

### Massachusetts embarrassed

WASHINGTON—Both of the United States Senators from the People's Republic of Massachusetts were in the headlines this summer in what must have been among the Most Dubious Achievements of 1986. (Uncharitable critics might have entitled this twin bill: HOW TO BE AN ASS FROM MASS.)

The Senator from Chappaquiddick in full view of national television read aloud the restrictive clause in the deed of one of the properties owned by then-Associate Justice William Rehnquist. Big Ted was almost as melodramatic as Holy Joe Biden, the Delaware Demagogue. For he read, in highest dudgeon, the clause in the Rehnquist deed which bars sale of the property to non-whites.

Then Senator Kennedy suggested with awesome righteous indignation that it is totally inconceivable that Justice Rehnquist could have owned property that was subject to such language and be unaware of it. How little this ploy affected the full Senate is apparent from the overwhelming endorsement by both Democrat and Republican Senators of the nomination by President Reagan of Mr. Rehnquist to be Chief Justice of the US Supreme Court.

Within hours of this dramatic reading, however, it was discovered that in 1957, a purchaser of a house at 3077 N St. in Washington's fashionable Georgetown section, whose name is on the record as John Fitzgerald Kennedy, acquired this property which is still owned by the Kennedy family, despite its restrictive covenant that no part of the land "shall ever be used, or occupied by, or sold, conveyed, leased, rented, or given to Negroes, or any person or persons of the Negro race or blood."

When confronted with this hideous skeleton in the Kennedy closet, Senator Teddy, in one of modern history's most astounding and shameless flip-flops, insisted that he was sure his brother did not agree with this anti-Negro covenant (even though he sure as hell lived in it.)

Kennedy's grand scheme to smear Rehnquist then began backfiring all over the Democratic Party. For it was discovered that not one but three more of that Party's Presidential candidates — the Honorable George McGovern, Lyndon Johnson and Hubert Humphrey — also resided in racially segregated properties.

Thank you, Teddy, for uncapping this hornets' nest — and revealing how fast you can shift gears when the chickens come to the Kennedy home in order to roost.

Meanwhile, The Junior Senator from Massachusetts, John Kerry, was making his bid for national publicity. The *Washington Times* headlined it:

### KERRY'S ANTI-CONTRA EFFORTS: IN VAIN.

It seems that Mr. Kerry, a far-left winger, has gotten heavily mixed up with an organization called the International Center For Policy Development.

This organization is headed by ex-Ambassador Robert White. This incredible character was one of Jimmy Carter's hard-left foreign service people, whom the Reagan administration fired as Ambassador to El Salvador for several counts of political misbehavior.

Consorting with the likes of Bob White led to Kerry's involvement with one Peter Glibbery, a British adventurer who became a Kerry informant about alleged criminal activity by the Nicaraguan resistance forces.

This involvement very badly backfired. For Glibbery was imprisoned in Costa Rica and filed sworn affidavits charging Kerry's office with bribery. Glibbery has now retracted these charges, indicating the sterling quality and dependability of Kerry's star witness. But Glibbery told British Embassy officials that he expected Senator Kerry to put up his bail money and help him get work papers in the United States.

Inmate Glibbery is apparently aware that Kerry's staff of liberal extremists has been laying out all kinds of money in an effort to find and host anybody who will smear-testify against the Contras. The *Washington Times* reports that cross country flights were made to interview Nicaraguan refugees. At least \$10,000 has been spent on hotel bills, air fare and gas mileage for informants, who eventually denounced Senator Kerry's efforts as part of a disinformation campaign. The *Times* reported that Kerry aide Richard McCall paid \$1,193.83 to cover expenses of one informant, Phillip Mabry, who was housed at the Crystal City Marriott in Virginia adjacent to the National Airport across the Potomac River from Washington.

Informant Mabry also told *The Times* that two representatives of White's International Center For Policy Development sent him \$6,800 in money orders to cover travel expenses to Washington and to San Francisco. Just where White's outfit is getting its money is not altogether clear.

Mabry, who has said that he had evidence of Contra misuse of funds, initially cooperated with the Kerry investigation, but then denounced it as a "witch hunt."

Kerry's staff also engaged in reportedly furious battling with the staff of Senate Foreign Relations Chairman Richard Lugar (R-IN), who they asked to hold a hearing on the Contra abuses.

Lugar refused. Instead he

invited representatives of the Justice Department to listen to the Kerry staff accusations. This resulted in yet another major embarrassment for Massachusetts. For Justice Department Spokesman Patrick Korten declared: "We have looked into each and every one of these allegations, and none has produced any substantial evidence on the part of any mainstream Contra groups or any of their leaders."

If Senator Kerry is fond of hunting witches, why doesn't he try Salem, Mass.?

All this should have been dramatized. If only Peter Sellers were still alive to play the role of Inspector Clouseau in charge of Kerry's Keystone Kops!

## Skeen votes for tax reform measure

Congressman Joe Skeen, R-NM, said even though he has reservations about certain provisions of the tax reform bill, he supported the bill because it will benefit New Mexico and the nation.

"This bill will offer tax relief to middle and lower income families in New Mexico, it lowers tax rates for businesses and individuals and it should inject some much needed integrity into our tax code."

According to Skeen, eliminating tax loopholes may represent the most attractive part of the new tax bill. He said

## Capitol

By Fred McCaffrey

SANTA FE—New Mexico's next governor has felt no need to spell out his vision of the future.

That's true whether Garrey Carruthers, the favorite, or Ray Powell, the dark horse, is eventually elected. Neither has told us in any but the vaguest terms what he will do if entrusted with high office.

In Carruthers' case, that's understandable. His best bet, given the way things are, is to travel the state, flashing his smile and saying almost nothing of substance. He's banking on the fact that if he can only avoid a misstep, he and his running mate are in.

Almost all Republican voters, Carruthers has to figure, will stand behind their party's nominee this year: It would be an act of extreme disloyalty to desert the party now, just when it stands its best chance in two decades of sweeping to victory in state offices.

As for attracting sufficient Democratic and independent voters to add enough numbers to the Republican total to push him over the goal line, Carruthers puts his trust in the deep discontent of the citizens with their present government to do that for him.

THE OTHER SIDE: Though in reality Powell offers an alternative to the Anayites the citizens have grown so tired of, he does have the misfortune of being branded with the same party brand as Toney. He's a Democrat, and he can't away from that label. That's going to hurt him on election day in New Mexico this year, no matter what else he may successfully pull off.

His aim can be considerably narrower than the one the supporters of Carruthers-Stahl pursue, because if Powell-Luna can just hold on to those who are registered Democrats, they don't need the votes of others. Thus they can limit

themselves to tried-and-true Democratic party appeals.

What this whole campaign is likely to come down to is how much discontent there is out there in the body of potential voters, and how deep that feeling goes.

CLOSING THE GAP: Pollsters generally report the difference between the two groups at the top of the ticket is not as wide as it was when the campaign began.

That's to be expected. The underdogs almost always manage to increase their following rapidly, by the simple process of campaigning. It's also a whole lot harder to push an already high total higher than, it is to show substantial gains over an already low base.

But while all this has gone on, we have been left almost totally innocent of any knowledge about what each of these men in the governor's race really plans to do if he is told to move into the Roundhouse.

As a result, no matter which way we vote, we once again buy a pig in a poke.

KNOWLEDGE: This contrasts sharply with the situation in our state four years ago. At that time, both Toney Anaya and John Irick were remarkably forthcoming about their plans. In fact Toney, when once in office, tried to do just about exactly what he told us he was planning on. Those who were shocked at his approach just hadn't bothered to listen.

It looks like this year we won't be given that advantage of advance knowledge. We'll just have to pick one of these guys based on the way each of them makes us feel—and that is an almost infallible prescription for how to choose the wrong man for the big job ahead.

this will bring a fundamental change in the way investment decisions are made which will stimulate growth and create jobs.

"Under the new tax law individuals and businesses will make investment decisions based on the productivity and profitability of the investment. Current law rewards those who can find and take advantage of the most attractive tax shelter," Skeen said.

Skeen said today's tax law rewards investors who lose money as well as those who make money. "We cannot keep taxing middle-income people

at high rates while large corporations and a few wealthy individuals take advantage of tax loopholes and pay virtually no tax."

Making investments based on profitability and growth should stimulate the nation's economy, particularly at the local level.

Skeen said he opposes certain provisions in the tax bill including changes in the tax deductibility of certain IRA contributions and forcing federal retirees to immediately pay taxes on retirement benefits.

## \$373,246 in PILT for Lincoln County

The Department of the Interior will be sending payments of more than \$10.6 million to 32 New Mexico counties as their part of the federal government's Payment-in-Lieu-of-Taxes (PILT) program for 1986, Congressman Joe Skeen, R-NM, announced today. The funds are to help compensate counties for non-taxable federal lands within their boundaries.

Eddy County will receive the highest payment of \$933,703.00, with others being Chaves County, \$880,681.00; Dona Ana County, \$856,004.00; Grant County, \$639,471.00; Hidalgo County, \$258,349.00; Lea County, \$308,718.00; Lincoln County, \$373,246.00; Luna County, \$476,970; Otero County, \$926,874.00; Quay County, \$593.00; Roosevelt County, \$7,552.00; Sierra County, \$300,433.00; and Union County, \$37,283.

The counties can use the funds for the same purposes as they do general tax revenues, such as road repair and law

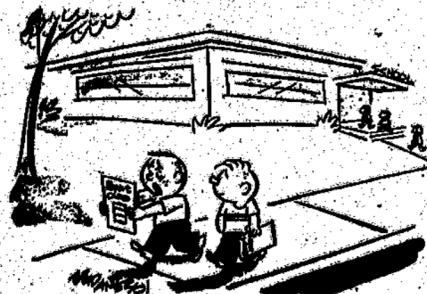
enforcement.

Skeen said the PILT funds are authorized by Congress which recognized that counties with substantial acres of Federal lands within their boundaries can not collect sufficient property taxes to provide needed services.

The amount of PILT funds a county government receives is based on the number of acres of federal lands within

each county, including lands in the National Forest Service, and the National Park Service, lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management and lands dedicated to the use of Federal water resource development projects.

This is the 10th year of the PILT program which has distributed more than \$1 billion to local governments.



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# Harmony Festival on Oct. 11

What usually travels in groups of four, sings at the drop of a hat and doesn't use a piano? A barbershop quartet.

Lincoln County residents will get a chance to hear some of these birds' warblings when Ruidoso hosts a Harmony Festival on Oct. 11. Six groups from Texas and New Mexico will perform at 8 p.m. at the Ruidoso Middle School.

"If you've never been to a harmony festival, it'll be a real treat. And, for old people it will be very nostalgic," said Ron McWilliams, one of the organizers from the Spirit of Ruidoso, which is sponsoring the night of singing.

About 75 barbershoppers are expected for the event that will include workshops. Three quartets are registered members of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America (SPEBSQSA).

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CERTIFICATE OF MERIT was presented to Faye Garcia (right) for providing jobs for the handicapped since 1983. Faye and her husband Harold are owners of the Outpost Bar and Grill. Making the presentation, from left: New Horizons workshop supervisor Betty Kirby, Joanna Gutierrez, Lucinda Garcia and Maria Lopez.

### 'National Employ the Handicapped week'

## Employers commended

New Horizons Developmental Center in Carrizozo will acknowledge National Employ the Handicapped Week on Oct. 5-11 by recognizing local employers who provide jobs for clients from the center.

Three employers to be commended for hiring the han-

dicapped and for giving them an opportunity to prove what they can do are Harold and Faye Garcia, owners of the Outpost Bar and Grill, the post office; and the Carrizozo Health Clinic.

The Garcias have provided jobs for the disabled clients from New Horizons since 1983.

Clients from New Horizons have been providing cleaning and maintenance of the post office building and grounds for three years.

New Horizons clients have been responsible for yard maintenance at the Carrizozo Health Clinic since 1979.

National Employ the Handicapped Week is being recognized by the Lincoln County and the town of Carrizozo. Lincoln County Commissioners signed a proclamation on Sept. 30 and Carrizozo Mayor Bob Hemphill signed a proclamation on Sept. 23 designating the week of Oct. 5-11 as National Employ the Handicapped Week.



CHRISTI BROWN designed the poster that took third place at the second annual Aspenfest Ball held Saturday at the Inn of the Mountain Gods. Christi received her certificate from Barbara Langley (left) and Jackie Martin. Christi is in fifth grade in Carrizozo.



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# Tiger sports



**TIGER HOMECOMING QUEEN**- Senior Chantille Points is crowned 1986 Homecoming Queen at the Springer game. Her escort is Doug Eckland. On the left is Robyn Peralta and Ronnie Sanchez. On the right is Katherine Sanchez and Will Griggs.

By BART McDONOUGH

The Springer Red Devils spoiled Capitan's homecoming last weekend defeating the Tigers 19-12, as the Tigers were unable to stop the Springer passing game.

The Tigers took the opening kick off and couldn't move the ball. John Parker, Greg Smith and Ronnie Sanchez got good "hits" early in the game.

Later a clipping penalty hurt Springer, but a 38 yard pass completion gave Springer a 1st down and the ball near the goal line. The Red Devils scored on 4th down. The PAT was blocked and Springer took a 6-0 advantage.

Capitan couldn't go anywhere and Parker got in a nice punt. Moments later Doug Eckland fell on a Springer fumble and Capitan was in business on the Springer 32.

Passes to Eckland and Griggs helped the Tigers but Capitan's drive eventually stalled and Springer took over on its own 14.

With the game now in the 2nd quarter Capitan's defense did its job and the Tigers began a drive from their own 26 yard line. A pass to Smith got 5 yards and Eckland got 8 more up the middle. Jay Eldridge once again thrilled the crowd as he shot through the right side of his line for 61 yards and the touchdown. Capitan 6, Springer 6.

Both sides exchanged punts before the Tigers began a drive on the Red Devil 45 yard line. Mike Shanks looked good here making a pass reception and romping 45 yards to the Springer end zone. Capitan's pass attempt for 2 points was no good and the Tigers went ahead 12-6. Clements intercepted a Springer pass just before the half ended.

Dick Efthimiou and the Capitan Student Council are to

be commended for putting on an excellent homecoming show.

Springer scored 4 minutes deep in the 3rd quarter when Parnell punched the ball over from the 1 yard line. The Red Devils couldn't add the extra point and a glance at the scoreboard showed the score tied again at 12-12.

Capitan appeared it might have something going with Eldridge getting 16, 14, and 11 yards in the drive. Clements and Padilla also helped out. A penalty eventually stopped the drive. Mike Lunn and Will Griggs, Clay Layher and Ronald Joiner teamed up for "hits" before the 3rd quarter ended.

The final touchdown came with 5:48 left in the game. A 4th down pass for the TD and a one point conversion put Springer out front 19-12.

Capitan drove down to the Springer 27 yard line before the Red Devils took over on downs. The Tigers did get the ball back just seconds before

time ran out. The Tigers travel to Dexter Oct. 3 for a 7:30 p.m. game with the tough Demons.

Tiger short note: The Capitan Junior Varsity defeated Eunice last week 16-8. Johnny Castillo got both touchdowns for the Tigers.

Homecoming notes: Chantille Points was crowned homecoming queen at halftime. Her escort was Doug Eckland. The other queen candidates were Katherine San-

chez-escorted by Will Griggs, and Robyn Peralta escorted by Ronnie Sanchez.

Other members of the homecoming court were: Katherine Sanchez escorted by Mike Shanks, Kimberly Huey escorted by Clay Guck, and LaShawna Tillotson escorted by Owen Washburn.

The homecoming attendants were Arthur Miller, Heather Wooddell, Veronica Roybal, Tara Townsend, Jason Montes, and David Worrell.

## Capitan spikers

The Capitan Tigrette Invitational Volleyball Tournament last weekend was won by Elida. Trophies were presented to the following: 1st place Elida; 2nd place Grady; 3rd place Hope High School. Hope also received the sportsmanship trophy. Ft. Sumner took home the consolation trophy. Other teams in the tournament were Hatch,

Cloudcroft, Eunice and the host team.

The following players were placed on the all tournament team: Elida, Tomera Morehead, Leslie Leah, Kelli Thurman; Grady, Shelly Lockmiller, Shanna Sumerall, Wendy Gerhart; Hatch, B. Bales, C. Trujillo; Hope, Anna

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## Capitan News

By Margaret Rench

3/10 inches of rain last week. High winds and very cold at night. We awakened one morning at 6 a.m. and found 22 degrees. It stays cold all day. The season is making its change slowly but surely.

Mayor Coker attended the CDBG hearing in Santa Fe Sept. 25. The state granted the Village of Capitan a \$25,000 CDBG grant for Planning Master Plan.

Virginia Spall, who has served as Capitan clerk/treasurer since May 1982, resigned and will leave her position Friday, Oct. 3. She will work as clerk administrator at Angel Fire, in northern New Mexico. She is moving there. We do wish her success and happiness and the very best luck in her new job. She will do well as she is well qualified and knows her business in whatever she undertakes.

Virginia Spall, remember we loved you here and may God bless you. You came to us when we were in great need, and have filled your position with the finest ability and excellence. It is our loss and Angel Fire's gain. Good luck and the best of everything to you always.

Janet Keel has been appointed as clerk/treasurer and is on duty. Janet, welcome! We wish you joy and happiness with us.

There were 784 registered visitors at the Smokey Bear Museum and Smokey Bear State Park from Sept. 22-28. There were lots of motorcycles. States represented were New Mexico, Mississippi, Texas, Washington, California, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Rhode Island, Arizona, Utah, Florida, Illinois, Colorado, Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Idaho, Maine and Alabama.

Mr. John Bowma from NM Magazine of Santa Fe was there last Friday. He is writing an article about Ruidoso and

surrounding area. It will be in the January issue.

Happy birthday to Lee Payne who reached his 17th birthday Sept. 29; Rosalie Gallimore Oct. 4; and Jimmy Wright Oct. 7. Good health and all of God's blessings with you always.

Robert Runnels had five antelope hunters on the Eldridge Ranch this last weekend and all were successful the first morning. Four of the five brought down animals that made the Safari Club International Record Book with two of those possibly Boone and Crockett. (They will have to be measured by official B&C measurers.) Three of Robert's hunters were from Saltillo, Mexico and the others from Texas and Oklahoma.

The Capitan 1st grade and their teacher visited Mr. Mayfield and his dahlias one day last week. It rained and he took them inside and visited with them and gave each one a flower from his garden which thrilled them. After they started back to school it started raining again. But their little hearts were so thrilled with joy and happiness they just ran on to their destination.

Cathleen Massey and daughter Colleen Salazar were called Monday, Sept. 21 to the bedside of her aunt Ear Battles of Portales who underwent knee surgery at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, TX. She is 88 years of age and alone. She is doing OK and should be home in a week and then will need someone to be with her. I wish her the very best recovery. They visited Mr. A. L. Massey in Clovis who is 94 years old.

Belle Silson of Lincoln, I know you are a subscriber of this paper. You have been away for over one year. Knowing you, though you cannot write due to your illness. You are perhaps reading this. My prayers are that you are and can realize that I and many of your old friends and neighbors constantly are thinking of you. We miss you but we are grateful you are in good care. Work hard to get well and be ever mindful though we are unable to see you or be with you, we are with you in prayer and thoughts. May God bless you constantly. We love you.

Another we miss is Loraine Cox. Let her know as she is there with you, that all of us miss her and wish her the best as well. Ladies we do care. Do not let melancholy thoughts ever challenge you differently. Stay smiling and happy and ever grateful for your constant care.

Jack Lou King had open heart surgery in San Antonio, TX recently at the Ft. Sam

Houston Hospital, where he is recovering nicely. He thanks everyone for their concerning prayers, cards and phone calls. I wish you the very best and good recovery, Mr. King.

Mary Trujillo of Capitan passed away at home Saturday morning after a long illness. Rosary was Monday night. Mass was Tuesday and she was laid to rest in the Capitan Cemetery.

Dick Efthimiou and the Capitan Student Council are to



KERRY CLEMENTS straight arms a Springer player while making a nice gain. Other Tigers in picture are: Mike Lunn (65), William Beckley (67), Troy Padilla (15) near far sideline, Jay Eldridge (20), John Parker (80) and Jeramey McCarty (74).

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Lincoln County

# 'Long Ago'

By Ruth Hammond

Lincoln County Leader, Devoted to the Best Interests of Lincoln County and the Development of Its Resources, published in White Oaks, Lincoln County, N.M., Saturday, April 5, 1896.

It seems surprising to think of a firm spending over half a million dollars a year for advertising, and yet there are several business houses in the world that are doing it. They have been at it for years and they find it pays them. P.T. Barnum has always been a tremendous advertiser. He spent thousands of dollars recently to advertise his Lon-

don engagement alone. He has always said that his newspaper advertising paid him best, and that posters and circulars simply benefit him by illustrating what had already been said in the newspapers. It is significant that this is the verdict of all great advertisers.

Deliberate with caution, but act with decision.

Far better is it to know every thing of a little than a little of everything.

One of the most effectual ways of pleasing and making oneself loved is to be cheerful; joy softens more hearts than tears.

The first object in all efforts must be, excellence. If that be absent, the attempt to rise above others is mean and dishonorable.

Never part without loving words for your loved ones to think of during absence. It may be that you will not meet again in this life.

A slip of the foot may soon be recovered; but that of the tongue perhaps never.

On the 21st inst., the district court for this county will convene at Lincoln.

J.M. Buck, deputy assessor, has been in town all week trying to ascertain what everybody was or is worth.

MILK—Sam Wells is now prepared to sell and deliver cow's milk to customers at the rate of 12 quarts for \$1.

The wife of Jones Tallaferro played a huge joke on her liege lord on April fool's day—she filled his arms with a brand new baby boy.

The first day of the first Spring month was more winterish than any day in Winter. It was cold, windy and altogether mean. November was meaner than any winter month, and April seems to have entered for sweepstakes.

Dr. Bearup wishes those whom it may concern to know that he can be found at Dr. Paden's office on the 12th inst., (Saturday of next week) where he will remain until demand for dental work is fully satisfied.

Married—on the 2nd inst., at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Dr. N. W. Lane, George McLellan Brown and Miss Lizzie R. Collier. Probably no couple in town are better known than this twain. The groom is the junior partner of Jno. A. Brown & Bro. and commands not only the respect but esteem of everybody. The bride has grown in this town from the condition of innocent childhood to that of cultivated and refined womanhood. Long may they live to revel in each others holy love.

An exchange says "one-third of the fools of the country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law, one-half think they can beat doctors healing the sick, two-thirds of them think they can beat the minister preaching the gospel, and all of them know they can beat the editor in running a newspaper."

TOMORROW will be Easter Sunday, the day devoted to the demolition of hen fruit.

Saturday, April 12, 1896  
WATER

We are pleased to record the fact, unwittingly omitted last week that Messrs. E. F. Comery and H. C. Williams have been entirely successful in their search for water at a point six miles east of Pinos Wells.

These gentlemen dug 31 feet and struck gypsum. They then put in the drilling tools and drove the hole to the depth of 174 feet. At that point they struck quick sand bearing a body of water under pressure. The water has risen to within ten feet of the surface.

There is no doubt that if the well is cased the water will flow from the mouth of the well. This is in a region hitherto regarded as dry beyond hope of remedy. The enterprise of Messrs. Comery and Williams has opened a new

region to the stock men of New Mexico. There is very little if any doubt but that the same or similar bodies of water can be found anywhere east of the new well toward the Pecos. If so, many thousands square miles of splendid range, hitherto valueless, will be made available, and that just when the overstocking of the old ranges renders it practically valuable.

Idaho and Montana have been admitted as States. New Mexico is still cracking her heels out in the cold.

Local Roundups  
Lent is over—save for editors.

Every baseball player should provide himself with the "Players' National League Base Ball Guide for 1890," which contains much information. The boys can secure it through Mrs. Timoney.

Jerry Hocradle and Henry Stutz, of the Nogal district, gave us a call on the 5th inst. Jerry is one of the old-timers of Lincoln County, and well known as an energetic, level headed mining man. Dry Gulch has a faithful, progressive man in Jerry. Many mining men are now turning their attention toward Nogal mining district, and we may soon look for a right royal boom in that hitherto quiet locality.

### JICARILLA MINING NOTES

Mr. Gilmore Moulton, of the Phantom Mine, says the Jicarillas are looking up in the prospects of a good mining camp. The Phantom, Mr. Moulton stated to a Leader reporter the other evening, is improving with depth.—A shaft of 48 feet deep, encountered two ore bodies. They had run a drift 26 feet to the mouth of the shaft and encountered a good, rigid vein of ore. No assays have been made, but from panning the value is estimated \$5 to \$7.50 per ton. Mr. Geo. B. Barber, our popular attorney, and Mr. Moulton, are the owners.

On the Buckeye State property Mr. A.N. Price last week encountered a fine body of ore at a depth of three feet, which pans well and gives hope of a valuable deposit.

There is no doubt of the value of the Jicarillas. It holds a vast amount of low grade ore and with sufficient water to run a milling plant to work the ore will develop one of the prominent and leading mining camps of Lincoln Co.

The boys are working energetically on the artesian well in Ancho Gulch, and with the vein of water already encountered at a depth of not more than 500 feet, there is a good prospect of a successful result when the proper depth has been reached.

## Obituary

STEPHEN C. GUITAR

Stephen C. Guitar, 69, of Mesalero died Sept. 26, at Memorial General Hospital in Las Cruces.

Guitar, a member of the Omaha Tribe, was born June 4, 1917 in Decatur, NE. He served in the US Army from February 1942 until January 1946, earning five Bronze Stars and a Good Conduct Medal. He was a hospital orderly.

Survivors include his wife Neva Kazha Guitar of the home; a sister Louise Guitar of Macy, NE; 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, Oct. 1 at Reformed Church in Mesalero with the Rev. Robert Schut officiating. Interment followed in Mesalero Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Wheeler Gayton, Vernon Doyeto, Jimmy Pesowoni, Frank Ybarra, Raphael Mendez and John Fossum.



A SUCCESSFUL BLOOD DRIVE was held at the Carrizozo Woman's Club on Sept. 26 with 24 pints of blood being donated. Oscar Sambrano, mobile specialist with United Blood Services of El Paso, (right) and Ricardo Ocon, UBS donor technician are with donors Phyllis Schlegel and Kim Roper.

## Blood drive is success

The blood drive held at the Carrizozo Woman's Club on Sept. 26 was a success. A total of 24 pints of blood was collected to be taken to United Blood Services in El Paso for typing and testing to ensure patient safety.

The blood that was donated will help as many as 96 people because many units of the 24 pints of donated blood will be separated into components. These components are red cells, platelets, plasma and cryoprecipitate.

Red cells may be used for surgical patients, plasma is used for shock and burn patients, platelets are vital for leukemia and other cancer patients and cryoprecipitate is a concentrate of a special blood clotting protein used primarily to treat patients with hemophilia.

Carrizozo Woman's Club president Sue Stearns' special project for this year is "blood". She is pleased that the blood drive was a success and sends a special "thank you" to all who donated and helped with the blood drive.

## Hondo Valley News

By PAMELA McARTHUR

Report your news to 653-4400.

Making a good showing at the Diamond A Cattle Company's Annual Picnic and Rodeo at South Springs Ranch Sept. 20 were several Hondo Valley residents and neighbors. Royce Griggs, Picacho, won 1st place in the cutting horse contest and 2nd place was taken by Ted Clements of the Diamond A Slaughter Ranch, south of Picacho.

Winning 1st place and 3rd place, respectively, in the Barrel Race Contest were Norma Jean Cunningham and her daughter, Casey, who is a 2nd grader at Hondo Elementary School, Earl Ashley, Riverside, worked as flagman for the competition and Lois Clements was busy videotaping the events.

Tinnie Baptist Church will host the annual meeting of the Valley Association of Southern Baptist Churches on Oct. 13. The Rev. Bill Jones says the public is invited. Expected are representatives from Alamogordo, Carrizozo, Capitan, Ruidoso, Weed, Cloudcroft and Mayhill. There will be business sessions during the afternoon; dinner serv-

ed at 5 that evening; and speakers beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Challenge and commitment paid off for Johanna Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson, Picacho. One of her Hampshire lambs won Reserve Champion in its class at the State Fair. This week she is showing other lambs at the Eastern New Mexico Fair in Roswell, but her dad says she shows every animal as if it is the grand champion.

Congratulations to Will Griggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Griggs, Picacho. Will was elected president of the Capitan High School senior class.

Parishioners from St. Anne's Chapel, Glencoe, met with the folks at St. Matthias Episcopal Church, Carrizozo, for a Eucharist Service and Potluck Dinner Sunday. Both parishes are part of the Episcopal Church of Lincoln County, under the direction of the Rev. Burdette Stampley, Ruidoso.

In the Valley, sunflowers are showing off the last of summer's glory even as cooler air ushers in another autumn. The

rains have been a mixed blessing for ranchers. As one cattleman put it, "It's been so good I've had to burn the weeds in my corrals so I can find the cattle." For weeks now, all hands have been busy working sheep. It looks like some of the local deer could use a dose or two if anyone can figure out how to administer it.

My summer journal could be entitled "An Account of the Rise and Fall of the Hondo River." The night of Sept. 20 found a lot of people waiting for creeks and arroyos to go down so they could get home after the deluge. Mac and I thought we had it made once we crossed Casey's Canyon, but Mother Nature had the last laugh. Two miles from the house, Spring Creek had made a three foot drop-off in the road. Mac walked home in mud and came back for me in the pick-up on the other side of the creek bed. Cowboy chivalry is alive and well in Lincoln County! However, alone, in the dark at midnight, I felt like Ichabod Crane. Every horror movie I saw as a teenager in the 50s came back to haunt me. Sacaton grass sure looks scary in the light of the moon, even for a grandmother-to-be.

Elect—  
**Bill Karn**  
Candidate for  
**Lincoln County Commissioner District 3**

Pd. for by Candidate

## Spikers...

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Hadley, Missy Reinert; Ft. Sumner Dana Clark; Cloudcroft, M. Warren.

There is further volleyball action this Saturday, Oct. 4. The Little Tigerette Volleyball Tournament will begin at 9 a.m. in the new gym. The Tigerette JV Round Robin will also begin at 9 a.m., in the old gym.

Teams entered in the Little Tigerette Tournament include Dexter, Tularosa, Cloudcroft, and Capitan. The teams that will be playing in the JV Round Robin are Cloudcroft, Dexter, Carrizozo and Capitan.

Elect—  
**Jim Nesmith**  
Candidate for  
**Lincoln County Sheriff**

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# Aspenfest

## A Century of Fun



Ruidoso will celebrate "A Century of Fun" this weekend with activities as varied as a bluegrass music festival and a bicycle hill climb.

The Aspenfest parade, a chili cookoff, a marching band contest and a bluegrass festival will all be on Saturday. A ski swap will run on all three days, Oct. 2-5, at the Swap Mart on Sudderth Drive near the "Y" in Ruidoso.

Set for two days are a Volkamarch, sponsored by the Ruidoso Women's Club, and an arts and crafts fair.

### The Parade

Floats, cartoon characters, bands and other marching groups will be part of the Aspenfest parade that begins at 11 a.m. on Saturday. Entrants will line up near the post office on Sudderth Drive and the parade will wind along the street to midtown Ruidoso where the entries will be judged.

"Because we are celebrating the Ruidoso Centennial, we are asking anyone in the county over 90 to ride in an old time trolley and serve as a parade marshal," Nancy Radziewicz, one of the parade coordinators said.

Fifteen groups of Shriners from around the state including a bagpipe band and an oriental band will be among the marches, Radziewicz said.

Also included will be commercial floats and those sponsored by non-profit groups. And, as always where there are people, there are candidates. Both the Republican and Democratic parties will sponsor floats.

High school students dressed as Smurfs, Big Bird, Tweety Bird, Goofy, Dumbo,

Pinocchio, Snow White, the Cookie Monster, Mickey Mouse, Miss Piggy, Yoda, Darth Vader, the Pink Panther and a host of other fictional characters will wander the parade route to entertain the youngsters. Most of the characters are sponsored by local businesses, Radziewicz said.

Seven bands are expected, she said adding that Sudderth Drive will close beginning at 10:45 a.m. on Saturday. Midtown will also be the sight of a street festival with entertainers and food booths.

### The Chili Cookoff/Bluegrass Fest

About 100 cooks are expected for the New Mexico open chili cookoff at the Tall Pines RV Park beginning Saturday at 9 a.m.

Cooks will test and prepare their recipes for the judges until the finals that afternoon. There will be plenty of the hot stuff for spectators to taste too.

Raymond Creasy of Ruidoso will emcee the bluegrass festival that will feature fiddlers and banjo players from Texas, New Mexico and Colorado.

Singer Ruth Shorter and James and Cindy Hobbs of the Flying J Ranch will also be on hand to strum and entertain.

Marching Band Contest Music other than bluegrass will be featured at a marching band contest that begins at 1 p.m. at Horton Stadium at Ruidoso Middle School.

Ski Swap Bargains on everything from parkas to poles will crowd the ski swap beginning Friday evening at 5 p.m. at the

Swap Mart on Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso.

Sponsored by the Junior Ski Racers at the Ruidoso Gymnastics Association, the swap will continue Saturday from noon to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Proceeds from the sale will go to help pay for ski trips for the racers and gym equipment and a building for the gymnasts.

Volkamarch Walkers of all ages are invited to participate in Ruidoso's 2nd 10-kilometer Volkamarch sponsored by the Ruidoso Women's Club Mountaimmarchers.

The walk will begin at the Women's Club Building on Evergreen Road at 8 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Registration is \$5, but anyone can walk the route for free. Those registered will receive a walking stick with a commemorative shield when they complete the walk.

Registered walkers can also receive awards for being the oldest walker or the largest group.

For more information, call Charlotte Jarratt at 257-5522.

Arts Fair

Local artisans will be displaying their crafts on both days in the parking area across from the Gazebo Center on Sudderth Drive.

### Bicycle Race

Some 12 miles of hills await participants in the White Mountain Challenge Cup bike race on Sunday.

The event will begin at the Eagle Creek Sports Complex and end at Ski Apache.

Registration is \$12 and racers may register at Foster and Foster Real Estate or on the day of the race at the sports complex until 7:45 a.m.

The first 100 registrants will get T-shirts and medals will be awarded to the top three finishers in each class.



RUNNING BACK Tommy Escamilla (left background) carries for good gain against the Anthony Wildcats in last Friday's homecoming game as (35) John Saucedo moves downfield to do some blocking. Anthony downed Carrizozo 28-9. The Grizzlies will have an open date this Friday.

## Lincoln Town

# Ramblings

By Rosalie Dunlap

Our cool nights and beautiful days are letting us know fall is here.

The La Junta Extension Club met at the home of Martha Fresquez for its September meeting. Phylis Zumwalt gave a program on efforts to raise the consent age for females from 13 years to 16 years. The appeal bond for criminals convicted of serious crimes was also discussed. Everyone should write their legislatures on these two serious subjects.

The Lincoln Pageant and Festival group met recently at the Wortley Hotel. A report on Old Lincoln Days was given. The group had one of its most successful years it has had for some time.

Plans for the upcoming year for the Wortley were discussed.

Kay and Glenn Dennis agreed to be managers for another year. These two people put in a lot of time, and effort into making the Wortley a success. Remember the Wortley restaurant is on winter hours,

Thursday thru Monday, 7 a.m.-8 p.m. The hotel is open for guest all 7 days.

Becky Angel and Matt Barowski and daughter spent a lovely week in Colorado. They attended the wedding of a friend of Matt's. Something different was held at the wedding, showing changing of tradition when a cash bar was held.

Jake Phillips is doing great and does his physical therapy faithfully everyday. Kay and Glenn Dennis, are both feeling better, yours truly back is doing fine. Si Salas is improving from his fall and Maurilda Perry is home. Lincoln has its share of weather barometers now.

Friday saw a lot of motocyclists in town. The Wortley was one of the stops of the Poker Run. Lincoln still has lots of tourists in town.

Episcopal church members had a good time last week picking apples at the Shrecengost orchard. The apples will be used in the church's Outreach program. After the apple picking, several enjoyed a spaghetti supper at the Shrecengost home.

Tom Ware is improving once again after suffering problems with his leg surgery — and had to be rushed to Albuquerque.

Looking out the window, Lincoln looks so pretty. Everything is still green, lawns are all mowed and a mood of tranquility and peace prevails. Some of the leaves show a tinge of yellow, so it won't be long before the wind comes and blows them into all our yards.

Ralph Dunlap spent 10 days at the NM State Fair in Albuquerque. He was Open Sheep Show Superintendent. Besides the wool and mutton breed show, he added a colored sheep show on the last Saturday of the fair.

These people hadn't ever shown before and had a great time. A large crowd watched the show. Some expected pink, blue, green sheep (half kidding?) but were treated with beautiful brown, black and mixed colors of brown/white/black sheep.

Also attending the fair was Pete Gnatkowski, Ancho, who helped with the Wool Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, Las Cruces, and Mr. and Mrs. "Gnat" Gnatkowski, Ancho, who helped with the Ladies Lead Class.

An important meeting will be held at the Hondo School Sunday, Oct. 5 at 2 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is for the Bonito Valley, Ruidoso Valley and concerned municipalities to unite and challenge the proposed water right claims on the Pecos River Basin, of which we are part.

Old Lincoln Days cachets are still available at the Lincoln post office. They will make nice Christmas gifts for the collector and are only \$1.



1986 CARRIZOZO HOMECOMING QUEEN Theresa Guevara was crowned during halftime ceremony Friday night. Escort of Miss Guevara was senior Brian Sanchez.

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## Star Party Saturday

The Alamogordo Amateur Astronomers are sponsoring a Star Party at Three Rivers Park near Carrizozo, NM on Saturday, Oct. 4 at 4 in the afternoon. The group will meet at the Petroglyphs site. Interested persons should bring something to eat, binoculars and a telescope, if possible.

The Alamogordo Amateur Astronomers is a member of the National Astronomical League and meets on the second Tuesday of the month at the Clyde W. Tombaugh Space Theater in Room 108. This month's meeting is set for Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. Weather permitting the group will also travel to the Buena Vista Observatory for an observation session. The group is open to all members of the community interested in astronomy. For more information call 434-0115.

## How can You Protect Your Family from Electrical Accidents?



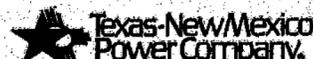
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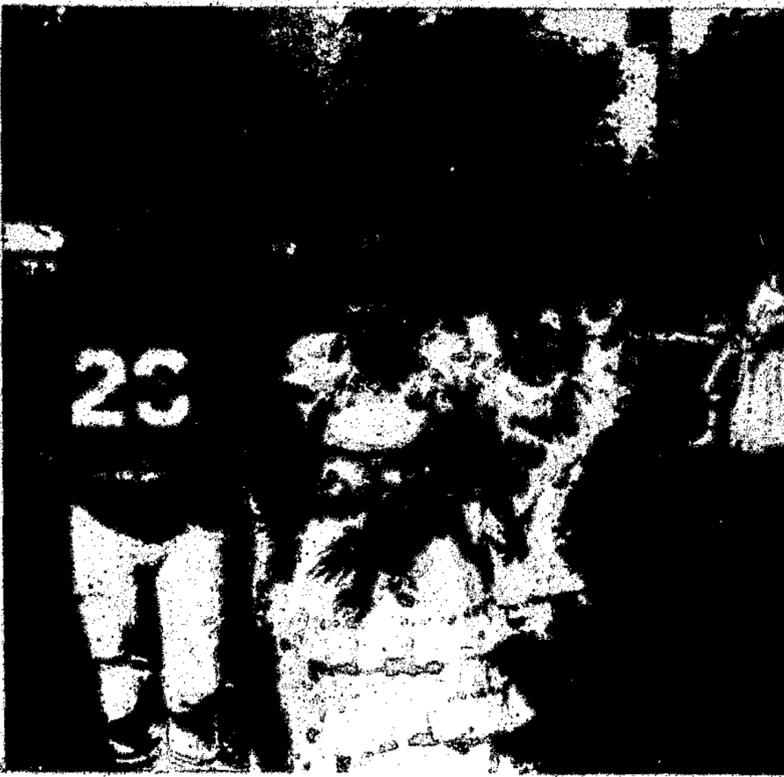
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## 'Queen' Kim Worley

Kim Worley, escorted by Eric Wetzel, was named 1986 Homecoming Queen during half-time ceremonies last Saturday at Corona. Beverly Bell, Student Council president, crowned Worley and presented a long-stemmed rose to each of the other candidates and attendants. She was assisted by crown bearer Daniel Chacon and flower girl Lindsey Bonds.

Queen candidates and their escorts were Tracie Proctor and Travis Lightfoot, Tammy Sultemeier and Danny Cordova. Attendants and their

escorts were Wanda Miller and Lee Land, Sherry Porter and Tye Lightfoot, Tina Aaron and Dan Bell.

The new Homecoming Queen is a cheerleader and participates in Corona sports. She is a member of FFA and National Honor Society and is Senior Class president. She is the daughter of Jerry and Barbara Worley.

Wetzel, a senior, is in National Honor Society and participates in Corona athletics. He is the son of Howard and Linda Wetzel.

## Lake Arthur drops Cardinals 53-20

Cardinal hopes for a perfect homecoming were blown away with the New Mexico winds in last Saturday's 53-20 defeat at the hands of the Lake Arthur Panthers.

Lake Arthur was ahead 16-0 with only 1:56 in the first quarter when Corona managed to put their first points on the scoreboard. Tommy Mulkey scampered across from less than five yards out and Travis Lightfoot completed a toss to Lee Land for the point after. Another six points were added when Lightfoot completed a long bomb to Mulkey in the second period, but Lake Arthur rolled up three TDs during the same ten minutes.

Corona's final score came during the third quarter on an Eric Wetzel to Lightfoot pass and Lightfoot to freshman Ernest Sultemeier for the PAT.

Corona's consistently competent Mulkey rushed for 63 yards in 19 carries and received three passes for 90 yards. Lightfoot made his capable contribution with 35 yards rushing in eight carries and 21 yards in the air. He was 3 of 6 in the passing department for 82 yards. Wetzel connected on 3 of 6 passes for 39 yards. Freshman Dan Bell rounded out the Cardinal offense with a 10 yard pass reception.

Corona meets East Fork this Friday at Quemado in another non-district encounter. Game time is 3 p.m.

KIM WORLEY, escorted by Eric Wetzel, was crowned 1986 Homecoming Queen last Saturday during Corona - Lake Arthur half-time ceremonies.

## Corona news

Members of Preceptor Alpha Nu of Beta Sigma Phi began their new year with a luncheon meeting in the patio of the Taos Apple Tree. Varied programs are planned to carry out the year's theme—"Share the Dream". The group stopped in Santa Fe for coffee before driving directly to the Rio Grande gorge for a walk over the bridge. There they were privileged to share the dreams of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Callinga, honeymooners originally from Vermont and more recently from Cape Cod and Houston.

The Millicent Rogers Museum was one high point of the trip. Mrs. Rogers had visited Taos and spent the last few years of her life living out her dream there. She converted some old stables into a museum of native American and Hispanic art where there is a fine collection of pottery, including pots by Maria and Julian Martinez, jewelry, textiles and paintings. After lunch visits were made to the pueblo, the Overland Coat Factory and several galleries including the Beloy Vigil Studio where a representative explained the techniques of lithography and China Cholle.

Roll call was a discussion of the geography, history, agriculture and art of the Espanola-Taos Valley. The dream-quality of the day was enhanced by the beauty of the double rainbows seen on the drive home.

The next meeting will be at 6 p.m. Monday, Oct. 6 in the school library. Special guests will be senior citizens. Mr. Earl Nunn of Santa Fe will be the speaker.

Cedar Temple No. 26 Pythian Sisters held an informal meeting in the Pythian Hall Monday afternoon. Members were surprised when they went out to pick apples from their tree to find no apples there. Plans were discussed for attending Grand Temple in Belen Oct. 8-11. Delegates will stay with Mrs. Joe Atkinson.

Cedar Temple had an ongoing project the Corona Cemetery. Beginning in 1958 with the near completion of that, their new project is to help with the Cedarvale Cemetery. Pauline McCloud reports their improvement fund now is \$230.

Cedar Temple takes an interest in the Pecos Valley Nursing Center where Mrs. Willie Griffin, mother of member Edna Robinson, is a resident. This is in line with the Grand Chief Virginia Tate's project of helping nearby nursing homes.

Mrs. Linnie Everett who resides in the Austin, TX area, visited here Thursday. She was accompanied by a daughter, son, and grandson. They hoped to find traces of the old homestead dugout near Lon where she lived with her husband and two small children in 1921. Mrs. Everett is interesting, sharp and lively at age 89.

Ordination services for Beverly Bartlett are scheduled for Nov. 16 in Roswell.

Beta Sigma Phi is sponsoring a meeting for senior citizens in the school library at 6 p.m. Monday, Oct. 6. Mr. Earl Nunn, Santa Fe, will speak on "The History of Education in

New Mexico." Mr. Nunn is well qualified having served as superintendent of schools in Springer, Alamogordo and Las Cruces. He has retired now as Executive Director of the School Administrators Association. Faculty and staff of the Corona Schools are welcome. There will be cookies, punch and coffee.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. Maureen Dayton honored her with an open house and buffet on her birthday Saturday afternoon Sept. 20. Hosts were Lewis, his children, Thomas and Heather, and Michael Dayton, all of Albuquerque, Phillip Dayton, Santa Fe, Sharon Celestini of Washington, DC, her daughters, Tamara and Anna all of whom were present for the occasion. The Celestini sons were unable to come. Phillip is a 1986 graduate of the Air Force Academy. Steven who is married, is on a scholarship to study space law at Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC. Tamara is a junior at VA Tech majoring in sociology. Anna is a junior at Oakton High School. Mrs. Celestini, a sculptor, is managing director of the Washington Printmakers Gallery. The Daytons moved to Santa Fe from Corona 20 years ago and have many friends here.

## October Skywatch will be Saturday

Skywatch, the Clyde W. Tombaugh Space Theater's free monthly planetarium program, will focus on the planet Jupiter, colossus of the Solar System, this Saturday, October 4, at 9 a.m. in the morning. Jupiter, with its gaseous core and 14 moons, almost resembles a separate solar system within the confines of our own Sun's system.

The show will also explore the heroic exploits of Perseus, Andromeda, and Queen Cassiopeia, characters from Greek mythology, and examine the constellations that bear their names.

The public is invited to attend the free program that is offered on the first Saturday of each month.

The Space Center is a division of the New Mexico Office of Cultural Affairs. For more information, please call 437-2940 in New Mexico or call 1-800-547-2121 out-of-state.

### LINCOLN COUNTY SPORTS SCHEDULE

- Oct. 3, Friday
  - Capitan vs Dexter varsity football, 7:30 p.m., at Dexter.
  - Corona vs East Fork, varsity football, 3 p.m., at Magdalena.
  - Corona vs Mountainair, volleyball, 5 p.m., at Mountainair.
  - Ruidoso vs NMML, varsity football, 7:30 p.m., at Ruidoso.
- Oct. 4, Saturday
  - Carrizozo vs Magdalena, volleyball, 2 p.m., at Carrizozo.
  - Little Tigrette Invitational - JV Round Robin, volleyball, 9 a.m., at Capitan.
  - Hondo vs Jesus Chapel, varsity football, 3 p.m., at El Paso.
  - Ruidoso vs Moriarty, middle school football, 3:30 p.m., at Ruidoso.
- Oct. 7, Tuesday
  - Carrizozo vs Ft. Sumner, volleyball, 4 p.m., at Carrizozo.
  - Capitan vs Hondo, volleyball, 6 p.m., at Capitan.
- Oct. 8, Wednesday
  - Capitan vs Tularosa, junior high football, 3 p.m., at Capitan.
- Oct. 9, Thursday
  - Capitan vs Ruidoso, volleyball, 5:30 p.m., at Capitan.
  - Ruidoso vs Portales, middle school football, 3 p.m., at Portales.
  - Ruidoso vs Goddard, freshman football, 6 p.m., at Ruidoso.



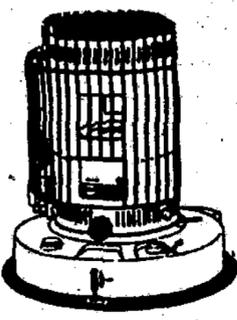
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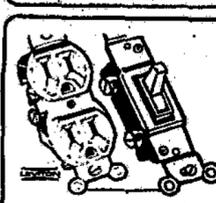
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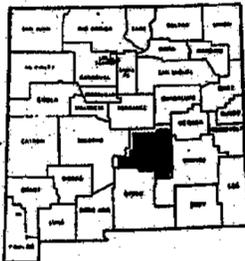
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**REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS**  
 The Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, requires the services of Financial Advisors in connection with issuance of Municipal Bonds. Copies of the proposal conditions may be obtained from Carol Schlarb, at (505) 648-2851 or by writing to the Town of Carrizozo, P.O. Box 247, Carrizozo, NM 88301.  
 Proposals must be received at the Clerk's Office, Carrizozo, New Mexico, on or before 4:30 p.m., October 28, 1986, at which time the proposals received will be opened and reviewed. Negotiations may follow thereafter.  
 The Town of Carrizozo reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.  
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**INVITATION FOR BIDS**  
 Capitan Municipal Schools is accepting bids for 325 linear feet of commercial grade chain link fence. Specification are available from:  
 Leonard Hays, Superintendent  
 Capitan Municipal Schools  
 P.O. Box 278  
 Capitan, NM 88316  
 (505) 354-2238  
 Published in the Lincoln County News on October 2, 1986.

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED NAME CHANGE**  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that PHYLLIS EARLENE BURCH will apply to the District Court in and for Lincoln County New Mexico, located in Carrizozo, New Mexico on October 14, 1986 at the hour of 9 a.m. there and then for an order changing Petitioner's name from PHYLLIS EARLENE BURCH to PHYLLIS EARLENE MURFIN.  
 That applicant resides at P.O. Box 223, Capitan, New Mexico 88316, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico; and that applicant's attorney is JAMES R. ASKEW JR., P.O. Box 835, Carrizozo, NM 88301, (505) 648-2172.  
 Witness the seal of the District Court.

MARGO LINDSAY,  
 District Court Clerk.  
 Published in the Lincoln County News on Oct. 2 and 9, 1986.

**ELECTION NOTICE (First Notice) UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT**  
 To all owners of land lying within the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District in the County of Lincoln and State of New Mexico:  
 Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of October, 1986 between the hours of 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., an election will be held to elect a 13 member Board of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District in accordance with the Soil and Water Conservation District Act of the State.  
 The position up for election on the district board is currently being held by Kent Cole.  
 Nominating petitions for the position of supervisor may be secured at the office in Capitan, nominations must be made for individuals who own land within the district. Nominating petitions must be signed by not fewer than 10 persons and returned to the office in Capitan no later than September 30.  
 All persons, firms, and corporations who shall hold title to or shall be in possession of, any lands lying within the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District in accordance with the Soil and Water Conservation District Act of the State, are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms, and corporations are eligible to vote.  
 The polling place for the election is as follows: SCE office in Capitan. Ballots will be mailed to all cooperators of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District and must be returned no later than October 20.  
 Eligible voters residing within the district shall either cast their ballot at the polling place. Eligible voters who will be absent on the day of the election may apply in person or in writing to the Board of Supervisors for a ballot at the County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, for absentee ballot, or may obtain a ballot at SCE office in Capitan. Each absentee ballot must be accompanied by a sworn affidavit, location and acreage of land owned or possessed, and interest therein, and shall be returned a completed ballot no later than October 20.  
 UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
 KEN COLE, Chairman  
 Published in the Lincoln County News on Sept. 4 and Oct. 2, 1986.

**LEGAL**  
 TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
 FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,  
 v. HENRY AL WIDENIS, COLLEEN WIDENIS, his wife, JOHN T. MCCORMACK, and AMY AND ALDOYNE, PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN AND TO THE REAL PROPERTY ADVERSE TO THE PLAINTIFF, Defendants.  
 NOTICE OF SUIT  
 STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Defendant(s), GREETINGS:  
 You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff (Petitioner) has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled Court and cause. The general object thereof being to foreclose that certain Mortgage dated October 4, 1984, by and between Jerry M. Widener and Colleen Widener, Applicants and First City Mortgage Company, Respondent being Lot 4, Block 11, Paradise Heights Subdivision, Unit 2, Ruidoso, Lincoln Co., N.M.  
 The undersigned, your undersigned or its responsive pleading or motion in said cause on or before the 21st day of October, 1986, judgment by default will be rendered against you. The real property described within herein is located in the County of Lincoln.  
 Name and address of Plaintiff (Petitioner): Henry M. Widener (s) Calvin Hyer Jr., 544 Carlisle NE, Albuquerque, NM 87102.  
 WITNESSE: The Honorable Richard A. Parsons, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County this 10th day of September, 1986.  
 MARGO E. LINDSAY, CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT.  
 (SEAL) Published in the Lincoln County News on September 11, 18, 25 and October 2, 1986.

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
 NO. CV-86-337 Div. III  
 THE FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,  
 v. ROGER L. ROSSI and DOLORES A. ROSSI, Defendants.  
 NOTICE OF SUIT  
 You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff filed suit in the above-entitled Court and cause against you. The general object of the suit is to foreclose a Mortgage dated August 30, 1984, given by ROGER L. ROSSI and DOLORES A. ROSSI to Realty Mortgage & Investment Company to secure payment on a Promissory Note of the same date. The Mortgage covers the following described real property in Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, to wit:

Lot 17, Block 18 of FOREST HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the amended Plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and EX-officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on September 20, 1973, in Tube No. 495.

Unless you enter your appearance in said Court and cause on or before the 25th day of November, 1986, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default. Margaret C. Ludewig, whose address is 201 Broadway, SE, Albuquerque, NM 87102, is attorney for Plaintiff.  
 WITNESS the Honorable Richard A. Parsons, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 Notice is hereby given that Competitive Sealed Proposals will be received by the Town of Carrizozo at their administrative offices in Carrizozo, New Mexico, up to 4:30 P.M., MDT, October 28, 1986.  
 Professional Services From Qualified Firms To Act As Bond Counsel For The Issuance of Municipal Bonds.

Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, this day 29th of September, 1986.  
 Margo E. Lindsay, District Court Clerk. BY: Elizabeth Luera, Deputy Court Clerk.  
 (Court Seal) Published in the Lincoln County News on Oct. 2, 9, 16 and 23, 1986.

**LEGAL IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
 NO. 1556  
 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WALTER H. WASILIK, Deceased.  
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
 The undersigned have been appointed Personal Representatives of this estate. Creditors of the estate must present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this notice or forever be barred.

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Further details and criteria may be obtained from Carol Schlarb, Town of Carrizozo, Box 247, Carrizozo, New Mexico.  
 Proposals duly delivered and received will be opened and reviewed at 6:00 P.M., on October 28, 1986. Proposals received after this time will be returned to the bidder unopened.

Until the final award by the Town of Carrizozo said Town reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals, to waive technicalities, to readvertise, and to proceed otherwise when the best interest of the Town will be realized thereby. Proposals will be submitted sealed and plainly marked with the date and time of opening.  
 CAROL SCHLARB, CLERK/TREASURER. Published in the Lincoln County News on October 2 and 9, 1986.

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:**  
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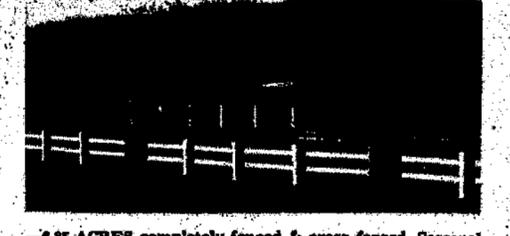
Lighting and Fan Shop, Inc., a New Mexico corporation. Jimmy C. Shaw and Ruth L. Shaw, as Plaintiffs, have filed CIVIL ACTION No. CV-86-160 in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, against you as Defendants.  
 This is a suit on Promissory Note and to foreclose a real estate mortgage which is recorded in Book 118, Page 1181, in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the real property described in the Complaint in this case which is described as Lots 778, 779 and 780 of Skyland, in Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico.  
 Unless you enter your appearance in this case on or before November 17, 1986, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default. The Plaintiff's attorney is Richard G. Bean, 115 West 12th St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201.

(s) MARGO E. LINDSAY, District Court Clerk.  
 (seal) Published in the Lincoln County News on October 2, 9, 16, and 23, 1986.

**Fees reduced**

The New Mexico Livestock Board approved a reduction in livestock inspection fees at their September meeting. Board members voted to reduce the inspection fee for cattle and hides by 5 cents. With the reduction, cattle inspection will now cost 25 cents a head and hide inspection will be 20 cents a hide. The board also voted to reduce the inspection fee on sheep and pelts by 2 cents. The new sheep inspection fee will be 8 cents a head and the pelt inspection, 6 cents a pelt. The fee inspection reduction is effective October 1.  
 Livestock board chairman Jack Butt said the board was reducing inspection costs to producers to give financial assistance to the livestock industry in time for the fall shipping season. Butt said the board is aware of the serious economic position of many livestock raisers and felt a fee reduction would help the industry during the distressful times livestockmen are experiencing.

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