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Council cancels meeting

There was no business conducted at the Jan. 26 Carrizozo town council meeting due to a lack of a quorum. Mayor Bob Hemphill and trustees Eddie O'Brien and Linda Haller were present but trustees Patsy Sanchez and Albert Baca were absent.

The entire agenda was tabled until the Feb. 9 meeting at 6 p.m. in city hall. The house numbering system will be discussed at that time.

Hemphill did announce that the floor of the water storage tank had been cleaned on Jan. 20 and the tank had been sanitized and refilled. The entire inside of the tank will be sandblasted and repainted probably in early June when the temperature of the steel will be above 50 degrees.

Three men arrested

Paul Wersich, investigator with the Lincoln County Sheriff's office, reported three arrests have been made following intensive investigations.

Chris Yparrea was arrested and charged with a convicted felon in possession of a firearm. He was booked in the county jail. Magistrate Judge Wheeler set bond at \$10,000 which was reduced to \$5,000.

William Gardner was arrested on a warrant and charged with aggravated burglary. The information for Gardner's arrest was obtained through the Lincoln County Crimestoppers.

Charles Frank was arrested and charged with possession of stolen property, three counts. Wersich said that stolen property valued in excess of \$2,500 was recovered, including electronic equipment, jewelry and tools.

Voters must register by Tuesday

Persons planning to vote in the municipal elections March 1 must be registered by 5 p.m. Feb. 2 when voter registration books close. Any changes in residence are to be reported by that date also.

The municipal elections will be held in Carrizozo, Capitan, Corona, Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs.

Sheriff may face civil rights charge

Attorney Elizabeth Simpson of Albuquerque has announced that a suit will be filed in federal court within the next few days charging Lincoln County Sheriff Don Samuels with civil rights violations.

Simpson said that the core of the suit will be the civil rights violations with a request for damages. Plaintiffs in the suit will be Jimmy Luna, Orlando Montes, Ron Harrison and Lerry Bond.

Woman's Club calendars being distributed

Carrizozo Woman's Club president Sue Stearns announced that the calendars have been received and are being distributed by club members.

Persons who have ordered the calendars may pick them up from Lucy Rickman at United New Mexico Bank.

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10 percent of registered voters sign

Petition to investigate county officials filed

A petition circulated last week asking the district court to convene a grand jury to investigate the county commissioners, county attorney and county manager has garnered 576 signatures—10 percent of the county's registered voters.

Only 288 signatures were required to convene the grand jury—5 percent of registered voters.

Audean Franklin of Alto spearheaded the drive where two dozen voters carried the petitions to all parts of the county.

The petition bearing 576 signatures were filed with the district court Monday after-

noon by Mrs. Franklin. The petition now goes to the county clerk for verification of signatures. The final action is for the petition to be returned to the district court after which District Judge Richard A. Parsons is expected to convene the grand jury.

The petition drive was triggered by the commissioners court filing in district court a massive petition for declaratory judgment or application for issuance of a writ of mandamus and complaint for damages against Sheriff Don Samuels, individually and as sheriff.

This petition reads as follows:

"The undersigned registered voters of Lincoln County hereby petition the District Court within and for the County of Lincoln to convene a Grand Jury for the purpose of investigating: the Board of Lincoln County Commissioners, John Allen Hightower, Ralph Dunlap and Bill Karn; the County Manager, Suzanne Cox, and the County Attorney, Gary C. Mitchell. The Grand Jury is hereby petitioned to investigate and report on the actions of the above referenced individuals and entities in their official and individual capacities to determine their compliance with New Mexico law in their dealings with the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department, the Lincoln County Clerk's Office and other offices of Lincoln County, and to determine whether or not these individuals and entities have committed any capital, felonious or infamous crime with respect to their dealings with the above referenced county offices, and to determine whether they have committed a violation of any other State law."



SAND WAS removed from the bottom of the Carrizozo water storage tank on Jan. 20. The sand was a result of build-up from the wells through the years. The Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Department flushed out the tank and it was sanitized prior to being refilled. Helping with the task were city crews and representatives from the New Mexico Rural Water Association. Mayor Bob Hemphill took his turn at wielding a shovel to remove the sand.

Capitan to vote on 2 mil levy

Voters in Capitan School District #28 will have the opportunity to go to the polls on Tuesday, Feb. 2, and approve or reject the continuation of the present 2 mil levy.

School officials noted Monday that there will be no additional cost to the taxpayer since the tax is already in place.

The primary purpose of the 2 mil levy is to repair facilities and upgrade instructional equipment.

There are leaks in the high school and both gyms that require attention. The old gym must be made accessible to the handicapped. The restrooms and locker rooms in both gyms need renovation.

There is a need to con-

struct and equip a modern computer lab. School officials would like to modernize the business education program with computers.

Voters should note that the revenue from a bond issue is used for major construction and not for the repair of existing facilities.

Superintendent Scott Childress informed the News that "it is essential that the Capitan school patrons vote for this issue. It is important if we are to maintain our present excellent facilities and allow our students to move into the computer age."

Voting will take place at the fairgrounds in Capitan between the hours of 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.

School library will sponsor a book fair

The Carrizozo school library will sponsor a student book fair, Feb. 1-5. All profits will be used to purchase library books.

The library will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. displaying new books from many major publishers in all popular price ranges. All reading interests will be represented, including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts, mystery and reference books.

Engleking represents United Bowhunters

Charley Engleking of Capitan has been appointed as field representative for United Bowhunters of New Mexico for the Capitan area.

The appointment was made by Stu Ware, southeast regional director for United Bowhunters of New Mexico.

"Charley Engleking's selection is due to his outstanding knowledge of bowhunting within the state of New Mexico," Ware said.

United Bowhunters of New Mexico was formed recently with official incorporation being accomplished in July 1987. The organization was started by an enthusiastic group of bowhunters with the sole objective of improving the total

sport of bowhunting in New Mexico.

Success has already been realized in improving bowhunting seasons for 1988 in cooperation with the New Mexico State Game Commission and Game and Fish Department.

Printed materials that are available include "Why the United Bowhunters of New Mexico was Founded;" their information brochure "Join the UBNM Today;" Articles of Incorporation, the by-laws, and the first edition of their premier publication, "The New Mexico Bowhunter." The NM Bowhunter is available for \$1.50 and contains all of the above-mentioned materials;

or the other materials are available free of charge.

Activities for the future include seminars, jamborees, meeting and the annual bowhunters convention in April.

Memberships are being actively solicited, with several types available; individual membership is \$10 per year, which includes a subscription to the NM Bowhunter, which is published bi-monthly.

For more information contact UBNM, P.O. Box 20298, Albuquerque, NM 87154 or Engleking at Pine Lodge Route, Capitan, NM 88316.

Engleking is a deputy sheriff with the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department.

'Ambassador' Patterson speaks to Woman's Club

By Ruth Hammond

Leah Patterson was guest speaker at the Jan. 14 meeting of the Carrizozo Woman's Club. Patterson was Carrizozo high school ambassador at the Hugh Obrian Youth Foundation leadership seminar held in Albuquerque in June.

The Woman's Club sponsored Patterson's participation in the event which is for sophomores in high schools in the state. Objectives of the seminar are to seek out, recognize and reward leadership potential in high school sophomores, encourage and assist members in their quest for self-identification and self-development, interface with recognized leaders in business, government, science, education and the professions through give-and-take workshops, present through exposure, both exploration and advocacy of the American economic incentive system and our democratic process and to stimulate opportunities for these young people to demonstrate their leadership abilities when they return

home for betterment of community and country.

"It gave us a better understanding of people," Patterson said of the seminar. She told of some of the activities, one in which she earned an arm patch for meeting everyone in the room in 12 minutes, and "making lots of friends."

Some of the results of the seminar are that students are more willing to make decisions and be responsible for the effects of those decisions, they begin to think about new career possibilities, they have received awards for school and community activities, many are pointed toward careers in business, industry, law and the health sciences and HOBY alumni have a grade point average of A.

Lisa Hightower has been selected by the school as the HOBY ambassador for this coming summer.

In other business, calendars were distributed to members. Persons who have not received their calendars are asked to contact club president Sue Stearns or Lucy

Rickman at United New Mexico Bank.

Plans were made to conduct a bake sale at United New Mexico Bank on Feb. 12 starting at 9 a.m. Ramona Ortiz will make a pillow to be raffled at the bake sale.

Courtesy Cart chairman Debbie King announced that four visits to newcomers will be scheduled for this month.

Stearns announced that Myrtle Arrington of Ruidoso won the doll and wardrobe of clothes. A total of \$250 was made on the doll raffle that was held in December.

Members agreed to sponsor the Alamogordo Music Theater production of "The Unsinkable Molly Brown" in Carrizozo March 13. Debbie King and Ruth Hammond are on the committee to publicize the event.

Plans were made to work with the school on several projects: the outdoor classroom, suicide prevention group, working with parents on AIDS information program



SANTA FE—Economic Development and Tourism Department employees Linda Branson Smith and Richard Sandoval deliver New Mexico products to Sweeney Convention Center in Santa Fe for the New Mexico Products Showcase to be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Feb. 4. Skis are made in Taos by DP Skis and the soft sculpture cactus is produced by Back Porch Productions in Alamogordo.



SEVERAL BOYS signed up at last week's newly formed Boy Scout Troop 153. Shown left to right, Lenny Beltran, Heath Rickman, Mory Pitkofsky (scoutmaster), Rick Wiener (district executive for Conquistador Council), Dennis Means and Archie Witham, committee chairman at Capitan.



EAGLE SCOUT is the highest rank a Boy Scout can achieve. Mark Hays was awarded this honor Jan. 24 in Capitan. Mark has earned 25 merit badges. From the left are Scoutmaster Larry Bandy, Mark Hays, parents Barbara Hays and Dr. Leonard Hays. Boy Scout Troop #124 is sponsored by the Capitan Chamber of Commerce.

Carrizozo organizes new Boy Scout troop

Boy Scout Troop 153 was formed in Carrizozo last week, the result of an organizational meeting at the Rec Center for parents and their sons.

Rick Wiener, Roswell, senior district executive for Conquistador Boy Scout Council, explained the purpose of scouting.

Scouting promotes the ability of youth to do things for themselves and others, teaches patriotism, courage and self-reliance.

Wiener said that those

will accept the scout oath and the 12 fundamental principles of scouting can become scouts.

State Policeman Mory Pitkofsky will serve as scoutmaster for the newly formed scout group. Pitkofsky, who has an extensive background in scouting, both as a scout and as an adult leader, told how scouting is a "fun learning experience" and aids a boy of the "I'm bored syndrome."

He told of plans to involve scouts in outdoor activity such

as hiking, nature study and camping. Scouting is a year-long activity program. Guest speakers, tours and troop invitational events will be scheduled.

Pitkofsky stressed that "scouting provides leadership experience."

The community benefits from scouting through service projects undertaken by the troop.

Scouting brings parents, scout, and families together through shared activity and ceremonies. Pitkofsky added that support from parents is an important part of a successful troop.

Dave Vermilion and Steve Graham are Troop 153 volunteer assistant scoutmasters. Mary Means will serve as committee chairman. All three have experience as former scouts or as adult leaders.

Archie Witham of Nogal helped sign up the new scouts. Witham is committee chairman of Boys Scout Troop 124 and Cubs Scout Pack 124 in Capitan.

Boys and parents who were unable to attend the Jan. 21 meeting may attend a meeting tonight at 7 p.m. at the Rec Center. Prospective scouts, parents and interested persons are encouraged to attend.

Boys must be 10½ years old or older and must have completed the 5th grade to be eligible to join.

For more information contact Pitkofsky at 648-2123 or the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office at 648-2341.

Telephone numbers of Troop 153 adult leaders are 648-2590 for Vermilion, 648-2976 for Graham, and 648-2866 for Means.

By the way

By P.E. Chavez



CREAM PUFF WRITING?

Frances Dolfin, former society editor of the Albuquerque Journal, died this month after a brief illness. She was 71 and had worked for 25 years for the Journal prior to her retirement in 1986.

Journal columnist Jim Arnholz said she wrote all the engagements and wedding stories, among other things.

Arnholz: "Cream puff stuff you say? Don't say it. No red-faced, cursing mayor plays in the same league with a bride (or worse, mother of the bride) whose Aunt Bertha was inadvertently dropped out of a wedding story."

"She didn't have by-lines on page one or interviewed the rich and famous or disclosed corruption in high places. She didn't have flash in an age where flash seems to be so important."

Before joining the Journal, Dolfin had been editor of the Girls' Companion magazine, society editor of the Amarillo Times and the Amarillo Globe-News, and food editor and assistant women's editor of the Wichita Beacon.

She was a member of Women in Communications, the New Mexico Press Association and the Albuquerque Press Club.

DID YOU KNOW . . .

I didn't know that singer Linda Ronstadt is of Mexican ancestry.

Ronstadt's "Canciones de mi Padre" (Songs From My Father), her first album sung entirely in Spanish, is both a musical recognition of her Mexican roots and a personal reminder of childhood memories. (When she was 8 years old she would follow the mariachis around town, standing outside the cantinas.)

Ronstadt credits her father, also a singer, for introducing her to Lola Beltran and other legendary Mexican singers. The desert scene on Ronstadt's "Canciones" album back cover was painted by her father. She also sings trios with her brothers Mike and Pete in such songs as "La Calandria" (The Lark), a traditional folk tune.

Ronstadt rejects the notion that she dusted off her Mexican heritage to take advantage of America's Latino market.

LET'S EAT!

The Christmas holidays are over and you have lots of peanuts in the shell. I made peanut brittle with my stash of peanuts. The following recipe is prepared, using a microwave oven.

Peanut Brittle
1 cup raw peanuts
1 cup granulated sugar
½ cup light corn syrup
1/8 teaspoon salt (optional)
1 teaspoon butter or margarine
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 teaspoon baking soda

Stir together peanuts, corn

Tiger Cubs share their experiences

The Carrizozo Tiger Cubs met Jan. 19 at the home of Gary and Mary Nickless. Activities for the program include sharing family experiences and painting ceramic items.

Tiger Cubs is for boys 6 and 7 years old and their family members. The Tiger Cub program helps prepare boys for Cub Scouts as well as giving them opportunities to search out new activities, discover new things and share them with one another.

"Search, Discover, Share," is the motto of Tiger Cubs. All boys aged 6 and 7 are invited to join the once a month program. For more information contact Gary and Mary Nickless.

Four manufacturers displayed so-called yuppie bread makers recently at the International Housewares Exposition in Chicago. The bread makers cost upwards of \$300 but convenience is their big selling point.

Throw in the flour, yeast and other ingredients and the machine mixes them, kneads the dough and bakes it at a preset time. (Gee-whiz.)

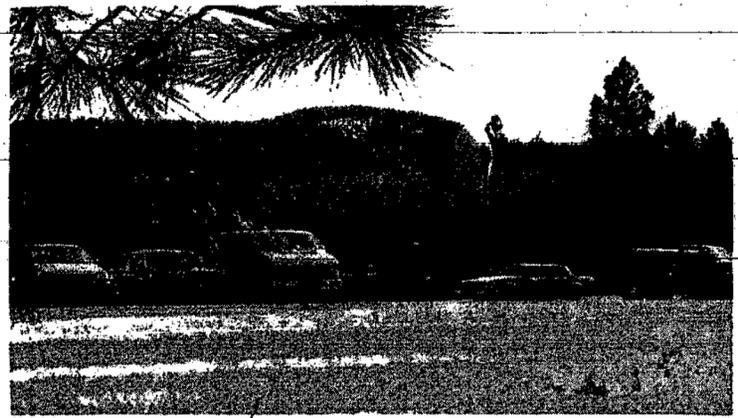
Panasonic's Bread Bakery is the only one available in stores now, but reproduction models were shown by Sanyo, Hitachi and Welbilt. Panasonic expects to sell 24,000 in the US this year, but that projection may be modest if Japan is a

machines. Microwave oven. So what's next?

How about a gee-whiz appliance that mixes, kneads and bakes homemade bread while the owner is sleeping or at work?

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THESE 2ND graders in Capitan read lots of books. Pictured from left to right with the number of books read, Krystal Kern 120, Jennifer Brockman 60, Tisha Lovelace 70, Arthur Miller 80, Veronica Roybal 60, Jonathan Hill 55, Michele Wilson 148, Heather Woodell 68, James Tacey 103, Lance Jones 70, Monica Gonzalez 60, Jason Montes 60. Not pictured, Brad Holland 60, Tawnya Reynolds 116, Philip Koreny 100. The 2nd grade teachers are Dottie MacVehg and Mary Shanks.

Capitan News

By Margaret Rench

From Tuesday, Jan. 19 to Jan. 25 we received two inches of light snow, and terrific winds and sub-zero temperatures.

Our mayor attended the opening session of the legislature in Santa Fe last week and enjoyed it.

The Smokey Bear Museum had 164 registered visitors, Jan. 19-24.

Members of the Roundtable Club enjoyed dinner and a good visit at the January meeting at the home of Bessie Jones.

Roll call is always interesting with the poems, jokes and inspiration articles given as each member's name is called. Leota Pfingsten, president, conducted the short business meeting. Hattie Phillips, a charter member, resigned from the club. The club appointed her an honorary member. Amolene McIntosh won the raffle. The February meeting will be with Frances Shaw.

Gid Allen made the dean's list at ENMU in Portales. He is the son of Butch and Tommie Allen, former resident of

Capitan 4-H held its meeting Monday at the Fair Building.

Ty Paul of T or C, NM visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Paul, for a few days last week. A couple of days he and his grandmother visited relatives in Carlsbad. He joined the Navy and will leave March 1.

W.L. Baker is very ill in Ruidoso Hospital. I wish you a good recovery, Mr. Baker.

Mrs. Fannie Horton died last Friday in Carlsbad after a long illness.

Capitan, and grandson of Mary Allen of Capitan. We are very proud of him. Keep up the good work, Gid.

Lois Coons is back on duty at Capitan Mart after three weeks absence following the sudden death of her husband, Richard (Pappy) Coons. We are so glad to have you with us again.

Happy birthday to Shorty Long, Jan. 20, with good health always.

The Capitan varsity basketball boys were in Dexter through Saturday and played well in the basketball tournament.

ENMU honor roll names Capitan student

PORTALES—Betsy Eldridge Martin from Capitan is among 442 Eastern New Mexico University students named to the 1987 fall semester Dean's Honor Roll. Martin, a freshman elementary education major at ENMU, has been designated a summa cum laude student.



MARY SPENCER (third from left) with her 4th grade class. Mrs. Spencer recently assumed her duties with the Capitan School System. The students pictured here are, Brent Allen, Ray Barela, Tyler Clees, Rochelle Ford, Arlo Doyle, Lynette Gallimore, Phillip Garcia, Robert McCarty, Marjorie Nevarez, Josh Peralta, Jimbo Reese, Zeke Sharp, Wendi Stahl, Kaylee Tejada, Jonathan Ugulano, Jaylen Ware, Justin Weber and James Flores.

Children's Dental Health Month

Health Center to promote oral health for children

National Children's Dental Health Month, a national promotion by the American Dental Association, is observed annually in February.

The Carrizozo Health Center dental office has planned several public education activities for the month to promote good oral health for all children. Cherri Goad, certified dental assistant, will present programs to children in Carrizozo, Capitan and Corona schools.

"The first visit to the dentist can influence a child for life," Goad said, and explained that positive associations as well as lifelong habits begin early and that is why dental care is so important.

"Parents can give their children a valuable start toward having healthy teeth and gums earlier than they think," she added.

A parent's introduction to oral care should begin immediately after birth. Parents can get their child accustomed to oral hygiene as a pleasant, everyday routine by gently cleaning their baby's gums with a soft damp washcloth or clean gauze pad after each feeding.

A child's introduction to professional dental care should take place early in life as well. The New Mexico Dental Association recommends that a child's first dental visit take place by age one, after the baby's primary teeth begin to erupt. The earlier a child is seen by a dentist, the better chance the dentist has to prevent problems.

It's wise to acquaint a child with the dentist and dental office before a dental emergency or the need for treatment arises. Parents should foster an image of the dentist and dental staff as friends who will help the child take care of his teeth and gums.

The first dental visit should be a positive, non-threatening experience. Parents should treat the trip as an adventure and something to look forward to. During the visit the child should be allowed to explore the dental office with the dental staff's guidance.

At each step during the examination the child should be told what is going to happen in advance. The more in control a child feels, the more pleasant and rewarding the experience will be.

Welcome to Carrizozo

Lee and Martha Blackwood arrived in Carrizozo in their RV on Jan. 1. On Jan. 20 they bought a home in Carrizozo. On Jan. 22 Lee was driving his pick-up on Hwy 37 near the Bonito Lake turnoff when he hit an icy spot in the road, rolled the vehicle and slammed into a dirt embankment, totaled his vehicle and escaped with minor injuries. Don't tell the Blackwoods that January is a dull month!

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Outreach Seminar on Feb. 3.

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How a Government Procurement Outreach Center can Help the Local Communities.
 The Exciting Profit Potential for Small Businesses.

How the Center can Enhance the Economy in Southeastern New Mexico.

The seminar will be held in the Campus Union Building of ENMU-R from 1 until 3 p.m. For information contact Beth Leigh at the Small Business Resource Center, 624-6133, Roswell.



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OPINION

● The present Democratic congress has given taxpayers their customary Christmas present. It has raised taxes by \$124 billion over the next two years. The Seven Dwarfs of the Democratic Party campaigning for the Democratic presidential nomination in New Hampshire and Iowa are demanding a balanced budget. All seven are identified and on record as raising taxes by \$124 billion—not a cent of which will go toward balancing the federal debt. Their arrogance is only exceeded by their hypocrisy, for they have already voted to increase spending by more than \$100 billion with nothing to be paid on the national debt. For example, to help fund their extravaganzas, every telephone call a taxpayer makes will cost 3 percent more than before. Most of the increased taxes, however, fall on business, where the increase is well camouflaged. Then God, the president or the Republicans will get the credit when business, because of the new taxes, will lower wages and profits, cut back on jobs and raise prices of their goods and services. Few people will blame congress for the resultant increase in cost of living. Most will blame it on the Reagan Administration which has, on the contrary, no say in the matter. People still don't understand that the president can't impose any kind of a tax or spend a dollar without the consent of congress. Only congress imposes taxes and only congress spends money. But when they do either, they blame the president and his administration. Are you beginning to understand why I strongly believe that any and all congressmen deserve to be in jail?

● It is with ill grace that we receive news that the Albuquerque Journal has, in a Jan. 24 editorial, come out in favor of more pay for New Mexico legislators. The editorial points out that every state in the region compensates its legislators better than does New Mexico. That smacks of "me-tooism." Can the Journal produce evidence that New Mexico legislators, because of their low pay, are less competent than legislators in neighboring states? Does New Mexico's legislative pay schedule deprive us of the best brains in the state, and does it inhibit good candidates from running? There is no such evidence. What makes New Mexico's legislature unique is because lawmakers are limited to \$75 per day during session, plus mileage to and from Santa Fe. The greatest virtue, however, is that legislative sessions are limited to 60 days duration; 30 days in the short session. Does this work a hardship on legislators? Apparently not, considering that at every election there is no dearth of candidates vying for the honor of serving in the legislature.

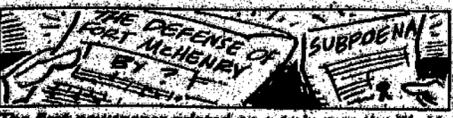
● Does paying high salaries attract a higher caliber public servant? California settled that issue several years ago when it began paying state lawmakers a salary commensurate with congressmen. What happened? The same bunch that was in office at the lower salary is the same bunch now in office at the high salary. Take congress. Up to 1946 they received an annual salary of \$12,500. In 1956 the pay was raised to \$22,500. Now they are being paid \$89,500 per year. Do we have brighter, more capable congressmen at \$89,500 than we had at \$12,500? Certainly not. A review of congressional caliber in the 1940s indicates the offices attracted a more competent class than the 1980s has produced. No 1940 congress gave away the Panama Canal, for example! Look at the garbage we have in congress at \$89,500—Ted Kennedy, Christopher Dodd, Alan Cranston, Ron Dellums, Mark Hatfield, George Crockett and a couple of avowed homosexuals like Gerry Studds and Waxman—who, in the 1940s would have been considered the scum of the earth.

● Congressional salaries are seven times higher today than they were in the 1940s. Are today's congressmen seven times better than their 1940s counterparts? If not, we're wasting money. Worse, we're attracting less qualified people today than we were then.

● Remember when we were going to attract brighter teachers and solve the nation's educational problems simply by raising teachers' salaries? Care to compare the current educational standards with those that prevailed when teachers received \$75 a month?

● Money is not the answer to better government and less government. We can get less government by not extending legislative sessions. New Mexican legislators can do in 60 day sessions all the damage we can afford. More emphasis on electing candidates with moral values, respect for law and order, and patriotism enough to put public good before personal gain is how we can achieve a better, more effective government in this state. We probably have the best system of any state in the nation right now. Please don't tamper with it.

● Thanks to US Sen. Jeff Bingaman (D-NM) the outrageous \$603.9 billion federal budget mentioned here last week contains a bit of pork for his friends in New Mexico. Among the oddities in the appropriation bill is \$50,000 to study wildflowers in New Mexico. What Americans can gain from a study of wildflowers in New Mexico boggles the mind. Bingaman says "It's a good way to help develop jobs." No kidding! What kind of jobs, and for whom? For the sake of argument, let's say the senator is right, and studying wildflowers creates employment. In all fairness, should taxpayers nationwide finance such a venture? If wildflowers are so important to New Mexico employment, why do not taxpayers fund the project at the state level? The answer is, if Bingaman had proposed that New Mexico fund the study of wildflowers as a means of boosting local employment, he would have been bound, gagged and put in a detoxification center. But at the federal level, nobody knows about such idiocies until it is too late and the funding bill has already been passed.



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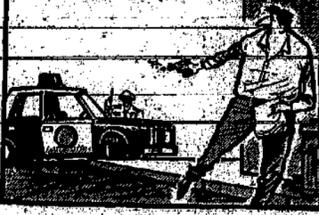
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Inside the Capitol

By Jay Miller

SANTA FE—Opening day of the legislature is always a big occasion. The governor delivers his State of the State address to a joint session of the house and senate in the house chambers.

It is the only time guests are allowed in the chamber. There are legislators' families and friends, state officials and party officials. All are dressed in their finest. There is an air of festivity.

The gallery is always overflowing. Never mind the asbestos scare this year. Just don't be too much of a Capitol wall-leaper, lest some of it rub off. Seats are available only for those who arrive an hour before the noon starting time.

The senate gallery is usually almost deserted, since senators journey over to the house chambers to hear the governor's address as soon as they organize and sign in.

This year the tables were turned, however. Organizing in the senate was not expected to be that simple this time. There were vacant seats in the house gallery just before the speaker rapped his gavel the customary three times to start the session.

There wasn't a seat to be found in the senate gallery until Senate President Jack Stahl announced for the benefit of the gallery that the organizing votes wouldn't be taken until after the governor's address. The exodus looked as though someone had just yelled "fire!" or, maybe, "asbestos" or, worst of all, "WIPP!"

Yes, the WIPP protesters were there for opening day of the legislature. They demonstrated outside in Santa Fe's frigid January weather as Garrey Carruthers spoke inside. Former Eddy County representative Jim Otts and I braved the cold just long enough to copy the slogans from some of the picket signs.

Some of the slogans suitable for printing in this family newspaper were: "WIPP-Casa Chernobyl, Crack the WIPP, WIPP is Cracked, Stop Plutonium in the Pecos, No nine-legged frogs, Radiation—the Gift that Keeps Giving, Nuke Spills Can Be By-Passed, WIPP Trucks—Unsafe at Any Speed, Whip WIPP, WIPP is Wet—All Wet, and We're Not WIPPed yet."

Last week's honoring of house sergeant-at-arms Willie Grijalva upon his retirement from 44 years of service with and to the house brings to memory one of the more spectacular opening days.

It was 1967. The legislature had just moved into its new Capitol Building. An extra-large crowd was on hand to witness the historic occasion.

One of the duties of the sergeant-at-arms is to introduce dignitaries and groups of dignitaries as they enter the house to pay an official visit. One of these groups is the senate when it comes to hear the governor's opening address. The lieutenant governor, as president of the senate, leads the delegation.

The new lieutenant governor that year was E. Lee Francis, a political unknown from the Grants area. Grijalva committed a faux pas of which many others were also guilty—but never so publicly. In an official and grandiose manner, he announced to all present the arrival of "Lt. Gov. Francis E. Lee" and members of the senate.

There were other occasional misstatements, such as introducing U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici as New Mexico's "senior citizen" instead of "senior senator." But Grijalva served the house of representatives and New Mexico admirably for 28 years after first serving as a member of the house representing McKinley County for 16 years.

Another duty of the sergeant-at-arms is to enforce the very strict dress code of the legislature. Members, for instance, must wear ties at all times while in the chambers of either house.

Also in 1967, Jake Chee, one of the first Navajos elected to the New Mexico Legislature, showed up for a Saturday session of the house wearing a bolo tie, containing an im-

pressive amount of silver and turquoise. Grijalva met him at the door to the house chamber and turned him away because the tie did not meet traditional standards.

Chee explained that his tie was a New Mexico tie and, besides, it was probably worth more than those of all other members combined—but to no avail.

The story made front pages throughout the state the next day but Willie held firm and has ever since. Legislative rules still prohibit bolo ties to be worn by legislators when either house is in session.

The biggest opening-day surprise this year was that the senate reins of power were exchanged with a minimum of pain, suffering and gnashing of teeth. There were predictions that the fighting and maneuvering could last into this week, just as they had done last year.

Fortunately for New Mexico, cooler heads prevailed. It is a horrible thought, but if we had elections this year, we might see a little more of this statesmanship.

Lioness Club lists community service

The Valley of Fires Lioness Club of Carrizozo installed four new members this month, Terry Brazie, Donna Doty, Rita Narvaez and Esther Midget.

Since the beginning of the club's fiscal year, July 1, 1987 this community-minded club has given the clients of New Horizons a monthly Bingo game with cash prizes; given \$50 to the chamber of commerce for Christmas decorations; given \$50 cash plus canned food to the Lincoln County Food Bank; donated \$50 to a needy family whose son has cancer; donated money to the Senior Citizens Olympic Fund; given a Christmas party with presents for all clients of New Horizons; and made and delivered fruit and candy Christmas baskets to over 30 senior shut-ins.

The club has regular meetings each 2nd Tuesday at the R.E.A. building. They are presently planning their annual diabetes screening to be given free to the public. This year they are planning on going to Corona and Capitan with the screenings.

The club is presently collecting used eye-glasses. Those who have any old glasses and would like to donate them to the club, please leave them at the R.E.A. office in Carrizozo.



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Letters to the Editor

The continuing saga

EDITOR—Can one commissioner bankrupt Lincoln County? With no opposition from the other two, he may. The filing of suits against the county officials, which are brought on by the commissioners are attempting to run the individual county offices when obviously they cannot efficiently run the county business which is their responsibility.

Will the people of Lincoln County stand for this and pay for it with additional taxes? I doubt it.

B.T. VAN CLEAVE, Carrizozo.

Don't let it happen again!

EDITOR—Gov. Garrey Carruthers has put the Dena Lynn Gore bills on call for this legislative session.

The Dena Lynn Gore bill states, "If a defendant is convicted of a capital offense, he shall not be entitled to release pending appeal. If a defendant is convicted of a non-capital offense, and is sentenced to a term of imprisonment not suspended in whole, he shall not be entitled to release pending appeal unless the court finds the convicted is not likely to pose a danger to other persons or flee."

44,000-plus individuals have demanded in writing this Ball Bond law for the protection of their families. While human predators kill and mutilate, we see a narrow difference in our laws between right and wrong. The public demands a strong, honest leadership at a time when the criminal justice system is in a shambles.

How many people will stand in the gap between right and wrong and demand tougher laws to deter runaway crime?

Contact your legislators today; tomorrow may be too late.

OPAL RHYNE, President, The People's Commission for Criminal Justice Inc. Artesia.

'The people are fed up'

EDITOR—For the past five days concerned citizens have been carrying a petition around the county asking that a grand jury be convened to investigate the county commissioners. Of more than 585 people asked to sign, only 19 refused. Two of the 19 thought the wording was too strong (the New Mexico Constitution states how the petition is to be worded). Two people said they did not sign petitions. Nine said they would like to sign but couldn't because they didn't want the county manager to see their names on the petition. Two were state employees and couldn't sign, but said they felt something needed to be done. Only four declined to sign because they supported the commissioners.

We were overwhelmed by the concern and support of the citizens. We thought because of all the front page newspaper articles by the county commissioners trying to discredit Sheriff Don Samuels and County Clerk Fran Siddens that people might believe what they read. It was just the opposite. People were so fed up with all the garbage in the newspaper, and felt the commissioners needed to tend their own business and let the other elected officials take care of their offices.

Many were concerned because Sheriff Samuels had not spoken out more. I know for a fact that Don Samuels wishes he could take each charge printed in the newspaper and explain, one by one, what they are about, and let them know his side. But until he goes to court his attorney has advised him to say nothing.

It is difficult for him not to defend himself when people are hurting his family and tearing down everything he has worked for. But his day in court will come and the truth will be told.

Voters are not as stupid as the commissioners would like to believe. They are reading between the lines; and they know the county commissioners, county attorney and county manager are trying to discredit Don Samuels before the upcoming election.

The commissioners and county attorney have had their say in the newspaper about County Clerk Fran Siddens refusing to delete certain paragraphs in the minutes that made the commissioners look bad. When Fran wrote the letter to the editor, commissioner John Hightower told her she had gone too far and that she was going to pay for it! He said it wasn't a threat. What does it sound like to you?

The next day commissioners voted to take her to court, but I haven't seen anything in the newspaper about the commissioners backing off and deciding not to take her to court.

Commissioners don't want it know they made a mistake.

The wool is not being pulled over our eyes. I hope the truth will prevail in a court of law.

AUDEAN FRANKLIN, Alto.

Call the grand jury

EDITOR—The following is my opinion on recent attacks on Sheriff Don Samuels and County Clerk Fran Siddens. I feel there is an issue that needs to be addressed as to what is happening within our county government. Let's ask ourselves if it might be possible that this whole thing may be a political move, one to discredit the present Sheriff Don Samuels by those people who are in a position to do it. Let's ask ourselves why this might be happening.

We know that Suzanne Cox is the county manager. We know that she is married to Charlie Cox. We know that Charlie Cox was under-sheriff to former Sheriff Tom Sullivan. We know that Charlie Cox ran against Sheriff Samuels and lost. We know that Gary Mitchell is the county attorney. I understand that Charlie Cox has been employed by Gary Mitchell on a part-time basis. I have heard that Charlie Cox had done some part-time work for a present county commissioner. I have heard that Tom Sullivan has ambitions to be the next Sheriff of Lincoln County.

I have also heard that once again, if elected, he will employ Charlie Cox as his under-sheriff. Sounds like one

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CALENDAR of EVENTS

Thursday, January 28
 Quarterly meeting of Association for Retarded Citizens (ARC) of Lincoln County 7 p.m. at New Horizons Development Center in Carrizozo. The public is invited.
 Carrizozo varsity cheerleaders will sponsor a hamburger supper in school cafeteria from 4:30 to 7 p.m.
Tuesday, February 2
 Lincoln County Commissioners meet at 10 a.m. in courthouse in Carrizozo.
 Carrizozo Lions Club meets at Four Winds Restaurant in Carrizozo at 7 p.m.
Thursday, February 4
 Corner Chapter 228, O.E.S., meets at 8 p.m. at Masonic Lodge in Carrizozo.
Friday, February 5
 Sid Gordon will make 4-H presentations at 9 a.m. at Capitan elementary school.

Corona FFA sweeps field in district leadership contests

The Corona FFA started off another year in FFA leadership contests by winning seven 1st place plaques in the District I contests held Jan. 20 in Albuquerque. Corona garnered 1st place in every available leadership contest held and also a 2nd and 3rd place to add to their winnings. The Greenhand parliamentary procedure team, composed of Tina

Aaron, Les Owen, Randy Lesly, Dan Bell, Jesse Post, J.J. Young and James Miller, walked away with 1st place in their contest while Reserve FFA took 2nd place honors. Both teams will compete at the state contest in June, as will all 1st and 2nd place finishers in each of the seven contests. The Chapter Farmer parliamentary procedure team, consisting of Clay Post, Tye Lightfoot, Denise Lightfoot, Sandra Copeland, Shane Owen, Emmet Sultemeier and Lee Land, also took 1st place honors. Albuquerque Cibola FFA took 2nd.



CORONA FFA WINNERS—These members of the Corona FFA Chapter display plaques they won at the District I Leadership Contests. They gathered seven 1st places in the seven available contests. Front row, left to right, are Emmet Sultemeier, Tina Aaron, Sandra Copeland, Jason Gibbs, Jesse Post, Les Owen, Clay Post and James Miller. Back row, Denise Lightfoot, J.J. Young, Randy Lesly, Lee Land, Dan Bell, Shane Owen and Tye Lightfoot.

Miss Copeland made it a clean sweep in her two contests by winning the 1st place plaque in extemporaneous public speaking while Michael Pounds finished a close 3rd. Also in the Chapter Farmer prepared public speaking, Corona FFA was well represented as Jason Gibbs took 1st place award and Traci Kelley walked away with 2nd. In Greenhand public speaking, Jesse Post took top honors, while Les Owen grabbed a 1st place in the Greenhand

quiz and the Greenhand creed contests. The chapter looks forward to state contests in June because for the first time they will be entered in all seven of the leadership contests on the state level.

In another note the chapter is planning a potluck supper for the night of Feb. 10. This supper will highlight the activities of the chapter for the fall semester of 1987. It will begin at 6:01 p.m. in the Corona High School auditorium. Finally the supper will feature the district president and Corona FFA member Beverly Belt as the keynote speaker.

People with mental retardation
 Mental retardation cuts across the lines of race, educational, social and economic background, according to the Association for Retarded Citizens. It can occur in anyone. In fact, hereditary components are known to account for only a fraction of the causes of retardation, according to the ARC.

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big happy family to me. Sorry Fran, I guess you weren't one of the "family." I wonder who they have in mind for your elected position?

I am sure if we all looked seriously into the matters at hand, we would discover that there were similar problems in former Sheriff Sullivan's administration that did not ever make it to the public's eye. For example, that a felon was employed to maintain county radios and that Tom Sullivan and Charlie Cox "trusted him with their lives." That this felon took off one day after disposing of an unpublished amount of county equipment. That certain personnel from his staff were charged with false arrests and police brutality, and that accusation are still pending in court against Tom Sullivan and the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department on these charges. Apparently he had some personnel problems, too. I wonder if he had problems with his budget, too. Enough about what Tom Sullivan did nor did not do.

I feel that the commissioners have only one problem with what they are doing. I believe that they are listening to the wrong two people. Maybe they should be listening to those people who elected them instead of listening to those whom they have employed. There just might be some unhonorable reasons for what these employees are doing.

Let's discuss the petition for signatures that is currently being circulated for a grand jury investigation into this whole matter. I signed it. I would appreciate someone looking into this matter. Why should they care if they have nothing to hide?

What shocks me most is the number of people who want to sign but are afraid to sign this petition for fear of some type of retribution.

Let's find out what's really happening in Lincoln County government. Let's ask some questions. Let Lincoln County speak for itself. I haven't heard of a petition to impeach the sheriff yet. So, it's apparent that a few people in county government have taken it upon themselves to mastermind a plan to harass him right out of office or certainly try to rid him of any chance of re-election.

Let's ask ourselves, "Isn't this whole thing happening at a real convenient time?" It's about time for campaign announcements and campaigns to begin. Now that Sheriff Samuels has been hung out to dry, it's possible for Tom Sullivan to announce that he is here to save the day. That he is able to leap tall buildings with a single bound. I am sure Tom Sullivan could honestly say that he would not have any of these problems with the commissioners, county manager or county attorney.

I assume that the commissioners and county manager are making a set salary. Sure hope we aren't paying overtime on this. I assume that the county attorney, on the other hand, is on hourly wages. I wonder how much this is going to cost us? I wonder if this will also have to come out of the Sheriff's budget? Who is paying for this campaign, anyway? I think we all are.

Keep your heads up, Fran Siddens and Don Samuels. They are riding you hard, but I don't think Lincoln County will let them put you up wet.

JAMES C. McSWANE,
 Capitan.

(ED. NOTE—Mr. McSwane was an investigator for former Sheriff Ernest Sanchez. He has been a police officer for Carrizozo, investigator for the district attorney, former employee of the Corrections Department of Santa Fe, and currently a licensed and bonded private investigator.)



CORONA LIBRARY volunteers include, left to right, Mary Frances Fuller, Juanita Owen, and Robin Pfeiffer. Hazel Burton and Kristin Sultemeier are not pictured.

Library kept open by volunteers

Five volunteers are filling a need at Corona School by working in the library each weekday morning. Mary Frances Fuller, Robin Pfeiffer, Juanita Owen, Hazel Burton and Kristin Sultemeier are donating one morning a week for library work.

The need for volunteers arose when budget and personnel cuts threatened to close the school library. Through the efforts of Supt. Lucille King, volunteers were found to keep the library operating fulltime.

School librarian-side Marie Owen explained that volunteers do "just about anything that needs to be done. They are very dependable, and they come on their assigned morning—smiling, ready, and willing to work."

Their jobs may include cataloging new books, filling catalog cards, checking in returned books, and numerous other library chores.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Owen both expressed their appreciation for the volunteers. "The library would not be able to operate without them," said Owen.

Margaret Louise Bliznak of Corona has been named to the New Mexico Highlands University dean's list for the fall semester, 1987.

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Girl Grizzlies edge the Tigers

By BART McDONOUGH

In a hard fought contest Saturday night the Carrizozo lady Grizzlies squeaked past the Capitan lady Tigers 53-52. Lora McKay kept the Tigers in the game with 22 points. Sherri Gowen found the range for 10 followed by Kateri Sanchez and Marnie McDaniel with 8 points each. Claudia Lopez led the way for the Grizzlies with 16 points. Marcia Hefker and Marcella Sandoval were close behind with 15 and 13 points respectively. Judy Vega helped out with 7 points.

These same Grizzlies will be in Capitan Saturday to play four games beginning at 2 p.m. Loving visits Capitan on Friday for three games scheduled for 4:30 p.m.

Tatum got away fast Monday night and posted an easy 80-49 victory over the lady Tigers. The lady Coyotes led by a 23 point margin at halftime. Lora McKay hit for 16 points followed by Sherri Gowen with 7. Karl Cox, Nanette Boyd, and Kateri Sanchez each contributed 6. Lisa Jones had the hot hand for Tatum with 23.

The Capitan JV girls overcame an 8 point deficit at halftime to defeat the lady Coyotes 45-44. Nita Hale was high scorer for Capitan with 10 points. Tinnie Trollinger and Tyana Trollinger each had 9 followed by Leslie LaRue with 7 and Gina Griego with 6.

The Capitan varsity boys played in the Dexter Tournament last weekend, losing in a strong Jal team 63-31. Tino

Gallegos was the big gun for the Tigers with 16 points. Ortega led Jal with 19 points followed by Reeves with 18 points.

Capitan came back on Friday to defeat the host team 58-52. Tino Gallegos was again high point man for the Tigers with 15 points. Hintikka helped the Tigers scoring 12. Chad Reynolds scored in double figures with 11. Banda led Dexter with 15.

The Tigers rallied in the 4th quarter but were defeated by NMMI in the Saturday game 43-40. Hintikka led Capitan scoring with 11 points. Payne helped out with 8. Kirschbauer ripped the cords for NMMI with 19 points.

Carrizozo tramples Corona Jrs.

Corona Junior High basketball action continued this week with a disappointing 12-38 loss to a tough Carrizozo team.

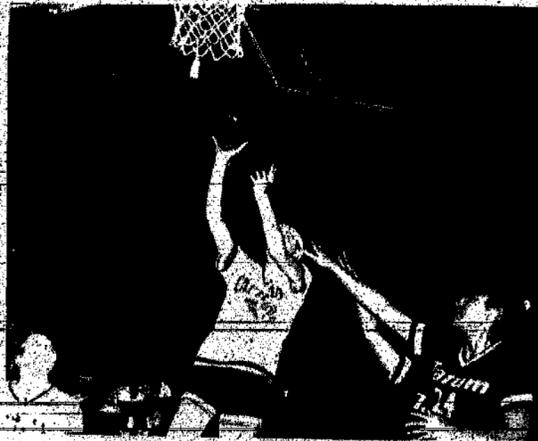
Corona's hopes for avenging the close 32-28 loss in Carrizozo two weeks ago were quickly dashed as the Grizzlies took an 8-0 lead at the end of the first period.

Low Owen managed a Cardinal point shortly after second quarter action got underway. Jesse Post and Garrett Marshall added to the tally, but it wasn't enough to keep pace with the visitors. The Grizzlies added 10, making the score 18-7 at the half.

The Cardinals couldn't get anything going during the 2nd half and managed only 5 points from Post, Owen and Marshall. The trio shared high point distinction with 4 each. Meanwhile, 8th grade Grizzlies Chris Barela, James Silva, Val Reyes, Lee Roy Zamora, Raphael Chavez, Coby Sims, Alfonso Lucero and Lee Najar loaded up and shot for 20 points during the same 12 minutes. High point honors went to Chavez and Reyes with 8 each. Barela and Silva each put in 6.

Disappointed with the loss, Corona Coach G. Ray Johnson had hoped for a much closer game and noted that the Cardinals were playing without the services of James and Paul Miller.

Corona Junior High travels to Albuquerque this weekend with the Cardinal varsity where they will participate in the Bean Valley Tournament.



COLYNN WASHBURN goes high during the Tatum game. Tatum won this one 80-49.

Corona girls place 3rd in tournament

Corona girls basketball team took 3rd place at the Cliff Tournament last weekend and Coach Jamie Widner expressed his satisfaction with the girls' performance.

"They came back to beat Lordsburg after Cliff handed us a big setback. They (the girls) know they can beat the good teams now."

Widner was referring to Corona's 69-46 loss to Cliff and the ensuing 42-39 victory over Lordsburg in which Denise

Lightfoot accumulated 18 points. Tina Aaron and Mary Romero each totaled 9. Lightfoot tallied 28 points during the Cliff game.

Corona met Weed for their tourney opener, and after trailing 37-36 at the half, held on for a 50-47 win. Lightfoot was again high scorer for that game with 17. She was followed by Traci Kelley with 15 and Tina Aaron with 12.

Corona girls will again play on Feb. 4 at Mountainair.

Around Corona

Sandra and Ron Merritt are parents of a daughter, Stacey Reannon, born Jan. 16 in Roswell.

Plans are being made for a pie supper to benefit Sydney Lahti. The funds raised will help her defray the high cost of radiation therapy. The pie supper will be an added feature during the basketball homecoming celebration when Corona plays three Fort Sumner teams here, Feb. 5.

The regular meeting of Crown CowBelles will be Thursday, Feb. 4. Members will meet for lunch at school and then go to the recreation room for a program to be presented by the FFA parliamentary procedure and public speaking teams.

Charles Babb was expected Tuesday from San Jose, CA to attend Thursday funeral services for his sister, Jeanne Kessler. Mrs. Kessler was killed Friday in a one-car accident between Elephant Butte and T or C.

Recent guests of Mr. and

Gnatkowski named to 'Who's Who'

NEW ORLEANS—Mel Gnatkowski of Corona, NM, was among 43 students from New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary selected as national outstanding campus leaders to be included in the 1988 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Gnatkowski holds a bachelor's degree and a

master's degree from New Mexico State University, a master's degree from New Orleans Seminary, and is a student in the doctor of theology degree program at New Orleans Seminary.

He joins an elite group of students selected from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and

several foreign nations. The students were chosen by a campus nominating committee based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities, and potential for continued success.

Corona's honor students

Corona Public Schools has released its honor roll of students who have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher for the fall semester.

High School—Sandra Copeland, Julie Furgason, Jason Gibbs, Tommy Mulykey, Wanda Miller, Lee Land, Teresa Jimenez, Traci Kelley, Michael Pounds, Clay Post, Denise Lightfoot, Tye Lightfoot, Mary Romero,

Shane Owen, Tina Aaron, Emmet Sultemeier, Randy Lesly, Maria Arellanes, Dan Bell, Les Owen, Orlando Chavez, Katrina Archimista, Cantilee Byrd, Michelle Hendricks and Garrett Marshall.

Grade School—Callie Gnatkowski, Ace Swift, Stana Chavez, Barbara Bradley, Faith Smith, Lindsey Bonds, Angie Luemas, Mike Smith, Melissa Lesly.

Co-op members get refund

Approximately 3,400 capital credit refund checks, totaling more than \$188,000 were sent out to member-consumers of Central NM Electric Co-op last month who had service during the years of 1958, 59 and 60.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
NO. CV-87-406 III
ALBUQUERQUE FEDERAL SAVINGS AND
LOAN ASSOCIATION, a federally
chartered savings and loan
association,**

- Plaintiff,**
vs.
- Rosalinda Dromondo AMORES
 - Elias Acosta BELTRAN
 - Ramon Perez BUENIA
 - Elias Acosta Soto CAMPA
 - Gustavo Lopez CARBAJAL
 - Enrique Puente CASTELAZO
 - Rafael Rivera CHAVERO
 - Gabriel Sanchez CORTES
 - Carlos Ruiz DE CHAVEZ
 - Marisela DE HERRERA
 - María Teresa DE HORA
 - Yolanda DE LA TEJA
 - María Elena Ramirez DE SNYDER
 - Armando DROMUNDO
 - Margarita DROMUNDO
 - Rolando DROMUNDO
 - Pablo Rea ECHEVERRIA
 - Adda Rosa Lara ESCALANTE
 - Pablo Rea ESTEVEZ
 - Enrique ESTEVEZ
 - Sergio Gonzales FAJARDO
 - Hector Amabilis FRANCHESCHI
 - Alejandro HERRERA
 - Manuel JARILLO
 - Enrique MANJARREZ
 - Jose Francisco Aguilar MARTINEZ
 - Eugenio Elizondo MENDOZA
 - Sergio Ayllón MONROY
 - María Luisa MONTES
 - Thomas Viguera MONTES
 - Gilberto Rodríguez NAVIDAD
 - Lorenzo Oaxaca RIVERIE
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 - Luis Miguel PEREZ
 - Carlos PUERTAS
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 - Federico Ramirez SNELL
 - Gyula Nagy SUGAR
 - María Ater VELASQUEZ
 - Luis Gutierrez VILLALOBOS
 - Dr. Francisco Chihu VILLASENOR,

and All Unknown Claimants,
Defendants.

Track on Highway 70 East, Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346.
The sale will be made pursuant to the Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Order of Sale and Appointment of Special Master entered on December 31, 1987, in the above entitled and numbered cause, which was a lawsuit to foreclose notes and mortgages held by the above-named Plaintiff. Plaintiff was awarded Judgment of \$2,132,140.73, including costs and reasonable attorneys' fees; plus interest totalling \$93,307.05 to date of sale, plus all costs of sale, including publication and Special Master's fee. The Special Master will sell the property as a whole, or in mass, to the highest bidder, for cash or certified funds, payable by 5 p.m. the day of the sale, and Plaintiff may bid at the sale, in whole or in part, its judgment amount as if the same were cash.

DATED this 11th day of January, 1988.
SARAH PROTHRO
SPECIAL MASTER
By: KELEHER & McLEOD, P.A.

By William M. Casey
Attorneys for Plaintiff
Post Office Drawer AA
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103
Telephone: (505) 842-6262
Published in the Lincoln County News on Jan. 14, 21 and 28; and Feb. 4, 1988.

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY
FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION FUNDS**
Be It known that New Horizons Development Center, Inc., 804 "E" Ave., Carrizozo, NM, 88301 intends to apply for financial assistance under Section 16(b)(2) of the Urban Mass Transportation Act in the amount of (\$14,000). If awarded, this grant will allow the purchase of a van which will in turn, allow the operation of transportation services for handicapped to be offered to the citizens of Carrizozo. Federal law and State Administrative procedures require that all other transportation providers serving in the area be given a fair and timely opportunity to participate to the maximum extent feasible in the planning and provision of the proposed transportation services. Comments on the proposed service will be received until Feb. 15, 1988. Comments should be directed in writing to Jenny Kelly, R.O. Box 187, Carrizozo, NM 88301.
Published in the Lincoln County News on January 28 and February 4, 1988.

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2. comprar or mejorando terrenos de escuela publica y
3. mantener edificios de la escuela publica, exclusivo de gastos de sueldo del los empleados del distrito de escuela?

El distrito de votantes para esta eleccion sera coma sigue: 7:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Distrito entero de escuela: Hondo School
Votantes de ausencia puede ser en el lugar: Oficina de la escribana del Condado Lincoln, Carrizozo, NM

Jurisdiccional Mesa:
Juez Presidente-Alice Blakestad
Juez de eleccion y traductor: Martha Fresquez
Juez de eleccion-Martha Proctor
Escribana - Dorothy Talley
Alternates: Thelma Chipman, Phyllis Zumwalt.

Esta Noticia es Publicada en mi Capacidad-Correa-Propio-Oficial Achiver de esta Eleccion.
FRAN SIDDENS,
Escribana del Condado, Lincoln
Published in the Lincoln County News on January 21 and 28, 1988.

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE PADILLA, DECEASED

CAUSE NO. PB 87-46 Div. No. III

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the undersigned has been appointed as Personal Representative of this Estate. All persons having claims against this Estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative of P.O. Box 249, Hagerman, New Mexico, 88322, or filed with the Clerk of the District Court, in Carrizozo, New Mexico. DATE: January 15, 1988.

ALBERT J. PADILLA,
Personal Representative.
Published in the Lincoln County News on January 21 and 28, 1988.

Financial aid workshop set

A Parent/Student Financial Aid workshop will be held Tuesday, Feb. 9, 7 p.m. at Ruidoso High School. Sponsored jointly by Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell and New Mexico Military Institute, the workshop will provide information for anyone interested in attending college during the 1988-89 school year.

Betty Chancey, director of Financial Aid at ENMU-Roswell, and Dorothea Stone, director of Financial Aid at NMMI, will review the 1988-89 financial aid forms. According to Mrs. Chancey, "There have been significant changes in laws governing financial aid programs for the new year. We hope to assist residents in the procedure." This workshop is for graduating seniors, their

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 16th day of February, 1988, at 10:00 a.m. at the Front Entrance of the Ruidoso Downs Municipal Building, Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico, sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash or decreed liens all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants in and to the following described real property located in Lincoln County, new Mexico:

- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 9
- Timeshare Unit 514, Week(s) 13, 14-36
- Timeshare Unit 402/511, Week(s) 9, 10, 51/29
- Timeshare Unit 510, Week(s) 9
- Timeshare Unit 522, Week(s) 3, 4, 36
- Timeshare Unit 514/522, Week(s) 24, 27/19
- Timeshare Unit 510, Week(s) 14
- Timeshare Unit 511, Week(s) 22
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 2, 3, 46
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 48, 49, 7, 34
- Timeshare Unit 403/505, Week(s) 12, 48 & 49
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 28
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 13
- Timeshare Unit 511/402/407, Week(s) 7, 8/22/51
- Timeshare Unit 502, Week(s) 30
- Timeshare Unit 402/511/505, Week(s) 7-8/34/51
- Timeshare Unit 508/511, Week(s) 8 & 9, 50
- Timeshare Unit 514, Week(s) 22, 23, 46
- Timeshare Unit 508, Week(s) 34
- Timeshare Unit 508/505, Week(s) 13, 14/46
- Timeshare Unit 511, Week(s) 23
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 5, 6 & 47
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 13, 14, 32, 51
- Timeshare Unit 502/505/522, Week(s) 13-14/24/50
- Timeshare Unit 402/511/502, Week(s) 13-14/21/51
- Timeshare Unit 508/511, Week(s) 10 & 11/46
- Timeshare Unit 502, Week(s) 34
- Timeshare Unit 514-407, Week(s) 9, 10-44
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 7
- Timeshare Unit 508, Week(s) 22
- Timeshare Unit 505, Week(s) 10, 11 & 14
- Timeshare Unit 402/522, Week(s) 29/6-7-49
- Timeshare Unit 511/514, Week(s) 4/5, 45
- Timeshare Unit 514, Week(s) 49, 50, 37
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 11
- Timeshare Unit 508/502/413, Week(s) 46, 47/08/31
- Timeshare Unit 514-502, Week(s) 47, 48-45
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 10
- Timeshare Unit 402/511/508, Week(s) 3-4/31/15
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 24
- Timeshare Unit 505/403, Week(s) 47, 10 & 11
- Timeshare Unit 522, Week(s) 12, 13, 39
- Timeshare Unit 510, Week(s) 12
- Timeshare Unit 514-413, Week(s) 11, 12-38
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 8
- Timeshare Unit 402/511, Week(s) 5-6/33-51
- Timeshare Unit 511-403, Week(s) 12, 13-36
- Timeshare Unit 303, Week(s) 8
- Timeshare Unit 522, Week(s) 10, 11, 37
- Timeshare Unit 510, Week(s) 11
- Timeshare Unit 522, Week(s) 1, 2, 20
- Timeshare Unit 513, Week(s) 14
- Timeshare Unit 514, 522 Week(s) 29, 30/42
- Timeshare Unit 510, Week(s) 50
- Timeshare Unit 511, Week(s) 24
- Timeshare Unit 511, Week(s) 1/10/11
- Timeshare Unit 402/508/522, Week(s) 23/ 2, 3/47
- Timeshare Unit 502, Week(s) 29
- Timeshare Unit 508, 517, Week(s) 7, 48 & 49
- Timeshare Unit 511, 403, Week(s) 2, 3/1, 21
- Timeshare Unit 402/511, Week(s) 1, 2/14, 30
- Timeshare Unit 522/511/402, Week(s) 8-9/28/49
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 29
- Timeshare Unit 505, Week(s) 7, 8 & 50
- Timeshare Unit 514-403, Week(s) 7, 8-41
- Timeshare Unit 303, Week(s) 28
- Timeshare Unit 508/505/403, Week(s) 48, 49/07/22
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 23
- Timeshare Unit 403, Week(s) 8, 9, 30

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL CAPITOL IMPROVEMENTS TAX ELECTION

On the 2nd day of February, 1988, there will be held in the Hondo Valley Public School District No. 20, a special School District election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the following question:

Shall the Board of Education of the Hondo Valley Public School District No. 20, Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, impose a property tax of two dollars (\$2.00) per one thousand dollars (\$100.00) upon the net taxable value of property allocated to the School District under the Property Tax Code for the property tax years of 1988, 1989, 1990 for:

- erecting, remodeling, making additions to, providing equipment for or furnishing public schools buildings;
- purchasing or improving public school grounds; and
- maintenance of public school buildings or public school grounds, exclusive of salary expenses of school district employees?

Voting for this election shall be as follows: Hours 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Entire School District Polling Place: Hondo School Gymnasium, Hondo, New Mexico

Absentee Voting: Office of the Lincoln County Clerk, Carrizozo, New Mexico

Practinct Board:
Presiding Judge-Alice Blakestad
Election Judge-Martha Fresques (Translator)
Election Judge-Martha Proctor
Election Clerk - Dorothy Talley

Alternates: Thelma Chipman, Phyllis Zumwalt

This Notice is published in my capacity as Proper Filing Officer for this election.

FRAN SIDDENS,
Lincoln County Clerk.

Published in the Lincoln County News on January 21 and 28, 1988.

NOTICIA DE ESCUELAS PUBLICAS DE ELECCION DE IMPUESTOS PARA MEJORAMIENTOS CAPITALES

El día 2 de Febrero, 1988, habra en el Distrito Num. 20, de las Escuelas Publicas del Valle Hondo, Condado Lincoln, Nuevo Mexico, una eleccion especial en el Distrito escolar con el pro-

posito de someter a los electores calificados en el Distrito la siguiente cuestion:

Debe la Mesa de Educacion de el distrito de la escuela Publica del Valle Hondo, No. 20, Condado Lincoln, Estado del Nuevo Mexico imponer el neto valor que es puede cargar de la propiedad que esta distribuido para el Distrito de Escuela debajo del



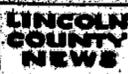
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Mrs. Suzanne Cox, Lincoln County Manager.

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Woman's Club...

(Cont'd from P. 1)

and other groups as can be arranged.

Door prizes were won by Debbie King, Lucy Rickman and Sharon Heiker.

Peggy Najjar was appointed as parliamentarian to fill the vacancy since Nancy LaFayette moved out of town.

Members agreed to finish a quilt square with a hedgehog cactus on it for the state club president.

By the way...

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guide. In 11's first three months there 300,000 bakers were sold. YANKEE'S ROVING REPORTER

I discovered another interesting magazine—"Yankee," published by Yankee Publishing Inc., Doblin, NH. They also publish The Old Farmer's Almanac, established in 1792; Yankee Magazine's Travel Guide to New England, established 1973; New England Business Magazine, established 1953; Yankee Homes Magazine, established in 1984; and various New England books.

Damon Ripley, reporter for the magazine's Small Business and Crafts section, always has something of interest to capture my attention.

Time, money and for woodstove owners, dry firewood—these are some things in life you can't get enough of, says Ripley.

He wrote a story about Ray Colton, a Plattsfield, VT firewood dealer, who came up with a solution to one of those problems. Colton has designed a way to bring wood from stump to stove in three days. He bakes it, not in an oven, but in a kiln, the same way lumber is dried for construction.

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EMPLOYMENT NOTICE MAINTENANCE. Applications are now being accepted for a temporary maintenance position. Obtain application at the Lincoln County Manager's Office or by calling 648-2385. Deadline for receiving applications is February 4, 1988.

1tc-Jan. 21

CHILD CARE in my home Monday thru Friday. Please call Laurie Ventura 648-2153.

1tc-Jan. 28

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee shall hold their regular meeting at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, February 10, 1988, in the Commissioners Meeting Room, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo.

Mrs. Suzanne Cox, Lincoln County Manager.

Published in the Lincoln County News on January 28, 1988.

WESTERN DANCE: White Oaks Saloon, Saturday, January 30. Lone Star Express Band, no cover charge/band prices. \$20 cash prize for the most unusual object (returnable). For more information call 648-2297. 2tc-Jan. 21 & 28.

Causes of mental retardation Any condition that hinders or interferes with intellectual development before or during birth or in the early childhood years can be the cause of mental retardation, according to the Association for Retarded Citizens. Although more than 250 causes are known, these account for only one-fourth of all identified causes.

Obituaries

REBEKAH GARNER

Rebekah Garner, 73, of Ruidoso died Jan. 19 at Lubbock (TX) Methodist Hospital after a brief illness.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m., Jan. 22 at Bowman Chapel in Lubbock with Rev. Archie Echols of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Burial followed at Resthaven Memorial Park, Lubbock.

Mrs. Garner was born in San Angelo, TX and had been a resident of Lincoln County since 1975.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe P. Garner, in 1967.

Survivors are a son, Joe Bob Garner of Levelland, TX; a daughter, Etta Sue Butler of Anton, TX; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

C. three sons, Michael Kessler and wife Renee of Corona, Jimmy C. Kessler and William (Billy) Kessler, both of Albuquerque; a daughter, Kim Marie Padilla and husband Audie of T or C; her mother, Mrs. Elsie Snodgrass of Fort Sumner; stepfather Noble Snodgrass of Corona; a brother, Charles L. Babb of San Jose, CA; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Jo Lewis of Albuquerque, and Carol McConnel of Corona; five granddaughters and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, Jan. 28, from the Corona Presbyterian Church in Corona with Revs. Sloan and Patrice Humphreys officiating. Burial will follow in the Corona Cemetery.

ROANN MAVIS BLAKE

Roann Mavis Blake, 34, of Mescalero died Jan. 18 at St. Mary's Regional Health Center in Roswell.

The funeral mass was said Jan. 23 at 1 p.m. at St. Joseph Mission, Mescalero, with Fr. Larry Gosselin, pastor, officiating.

She is survived by the husband, Myron Blake; three sons, Edward, Alex Michael and Junior, Blake, all of Mescalero; a foster daughter, Norma Kazhe, Mescalero; brothers, Rodrick and Norman Kazhe, Baldwin, Waldo and Sheridan, Lester, all of Mescalero; sisters, Lila Chino, Birdie Grace and Rae Joyce Niko of Mescalero and Bernadette Eppler of Ruidoso.

JEANNE MARIE KESSLER

Jeanne Marie Kessler, 48, a resident of Corona, died Friday, Jan. 22, the result of a motor vehicle accident near T or C, NM.

She was born Sept. 18, 1939 in Sierra Blanca, TX, the daughter of Oscar Lewis Babb and Elsie Mae Locke.

She attended schools in Corona, where she graduated in 1957. She married William D. Kessler on May 2, 1957 in Albuquerque.

She worked in several New Mexico Public School systems as a secretary. These schools included Moriarty, Corona, T or C and Albuquerque. She also worked at Kirtland Air Force Base in Albuquerque as a secretary.

She made her home at the family ranch near Corona in 1987.

She was a member of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority in Corona. Survivors include her husband, William Kessler of T or C.

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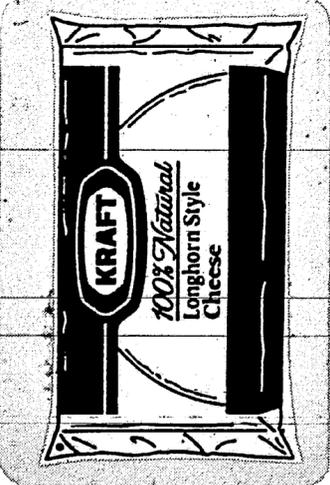
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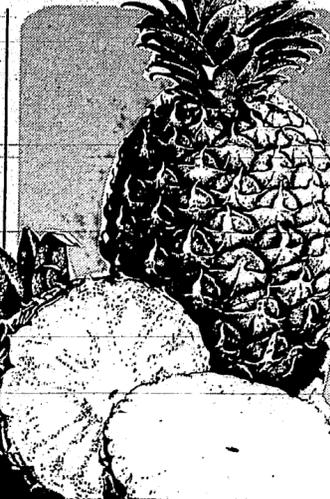


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