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## School board election results

The Capitan School bond issue was voted down during Tuesday's school board elections while Corona voters approved a two-mill levy.

A total 451 Capitan voters went to the polls with 260 votes cast against and 179 in favor of the bond issue.

Corona's mill levy passed with 137 votes for and 37 votes against.

Election results for all school districts in Lincoln County:

Capitan Position 1: (1) Bartley McDonough 167; (2) Ronald Roybal 277. Position 2: (1) Victoria J. Hall 170, (2) Preston Stone 282.

Carrizozo Position 3: (1) Peter Aguilar 51; (2) Dale Goad 113; (3) Tommy Guevara 54; (4) Paul W. Collins 6; (5) Eugenia Vega 132. Position 4: (1) Richard Hollis 108; (2) Lucy Rickman 84; (3) Nick Serna 161.

Corona Position 3: (1) Sherry E. Lueras 95; (2) John McKibben 91. Position 5: (1) Gordon Roy Owen 82; (2) Melvin W. Johnson 104.

Hondo Position 2: (1) Beatrice Gomez 114; (2) Fermin Herrera 49. Position 3: (1) Thurman Sanchez 67; (2) Emma J. Herrera 24; (3) Kenneth Pendergrass 75.

Ruidoso Position 4: (1) Wanda Lynn Moore 15; (2) Katharine S. Travis 210; (3) Fred "Lynn" Willard 225; (4) Eloy L. Candelaria Jr. 37. Position 5: (1) Bernita J. Deaton 49; (2) John R. Adamson 268; (3) Susan Marie Lutterman 170.

All results are unofficial until the canvass is completed this week.

## Fire forces evacuation of residents

A section of Highway 70 south of Ruidoso was closed Saturday while hundreds of firefighters battled grass and forest fires.

The blaze was started when 60 to 75 mile per hour winds blew a tree into electrical lines.

Area residents were evacuated until the fire was contained. Slurry bombers from Holloman Air Force Base made three passes over the area before the blaze was extinguished.

An estimated 35 to 50 acres of forest burned. No injuries were reported.

## No formal hearing in alleged child abuse charges

Assistant District Attorney Scot Key reported that no formal court hearing has been held in an alleged child abuse case.

Key said he had a private meeting to discuss the situation. No charges have been filed.

When asked if the law sanctions spankings in school and if so, to what extent, Key responded, "No comment."

## CHAMBER TO DISCUSS CIMARRON MILL SITE

The Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce will discuss the Cimarron mill site during the Feb. 14 noon meeting at United New Mexico Bank. Persons attending are asked to bring their own lunches.

## Mescaleros to appeal water rights decision

The Mescalero Apache Tribe will appeal the decision handed down by retired Supreme Court Justice LaFel Oman in the water rights case.

The Jan. 26 decision provided the Tribe with 1,372.4 acre-feet of water annually for existing uses and 950 acre-feet annually for growth.

The Water Defense Association (WDA) is not pleased with the announcement that the Tribe will appeal the decision. Phelps Anderson, president of the WDA, said, "The decision by Justice Oman provides for everyone—both Indian and non-Indian—to have adequate water, both now and in the future."

The Tribe had asked for 17,931.7 acre-feet of water a year from the Hondo basin. Water rights owners in the Hondo basin challenged the Tribe's request. The WDA was formed in 1986 to protect the interests of the stream system's non-Indian water rights holders.

The stream system has an average annual flow of 9,200 acre-feet of water. Justice Oman in his decision found that the proposed diversion by the United States and Tribe of surface

water of the Rio Ruidoso watershed would upset the hydrological balance of the Rio Ruidoso stream system, reducing the amount of surface water available in the stream to recharge the alluvium and to enter the hydrological stream of the Roswell basin as underflow or floodflow.

The Tribe proposed agricultural projects in the Rinconada and Pajarita regions of the reservations. Detailed plans of the extended agricultural operations were presented during the trial.

Hubert Quintana, director of WDA, said, "The stream is extremely water short during the critical irrigation months already and Justice Oman in his review of the testimony and evidence found that there was no water supply for either of the Tribe's proposed agricultural projects."

Quintana added, "The Tribe has been very successful in diversifying their non-agricultural economic interests as exemplified by the Inn of the Mountain Gods, Ski Apache, recreation use lands, successful elk hunting operation, and the new sawmill and forestry operation."

The court agreed with WDA's assertion that the

continued prosperity of the Tribe and the successful economic use of their lands were not dependent on the proposed agricultural developments.

Anderson stated that if the United States and the Tribe had been successful in their claim the result would have caused a severe impact on the environment and economy.

"The decision is fair and reasonable," Anderson said. "We are all neighbors and the economic impacts—good and bad—to either the Indian or non-Indian will affect all of us. Economic implications of this decision do not stop at the reservation line and certainly affect the lives of thousands of down-stream users in Lincoln and Chaves counties."

The United States represented the Mescalero Tribe in the water suit.

It is estimated the appeals process could take years and millions of dollars.

## EDC hires executive director

Carroll N. "Buddy" Bunkick, president of the Economic Development Corporation of Lincoln County, announced this week that the corporation hired an executive director at its Feb. 3 board meeting.

George Puckett of Austin, TX assumed the position on Monday of this week.

"We are pleased to have been able to attract a candidate for the position with Mr. Puckett's experience," Bunkick said. "Puckett is not only concerned with industrial development in Lincoln County but also in protecting the environment."

"I regard the environment and people as the greatest assets, and I want to make sure we protect both of those," Puckett agreed.

Puckett's experience comes from working with industrial real estate, determining site locations and working with corporations. Marketing manufactured buildings in small communities has contributed to his expertise in economic development.

An electrical engineering degree from Texas Tech University in Lubbock, TX and experience in the high tech field gives Puckett an understanding of assorted industries and what they will require to locate in Lincoln County.

"I'm very excited about the communities in the county and the quality of life this county offers. I feel this county has tremendous possibilities for attracting quality industries, and with the excellent capabilities of the board members and the other splendid resources in the county we have a lot to be excited about," he concluded.



SNOW REMOVAL equipment left piles of snow in Carrizozo following the winter storm early this week.

## 80-mile winds, snow and zero temperatures slam county

The winter storm that has plagued most of the nation visited Lincoln County Sunday night bringing snow to all parts of the county and wind gusts up to 80 miles per hour in Carrizozo.

District Judge Richard Parsons postponed the Steve Huston murder trial that was scheduled to begin Monday, Feb. 6. Parsons said the jury trial will be continued at a later date and was postponed due to the bad weather and road conditions.

Lincoln County Sheriff James McSwane reported no major incidents. He said he restricted his officers to using four-wheel drive vehicles.

The Lincoln County Commissioners held an emergency meeting Tuesday to drive over the old Fort Stanton road to see which parts of the road the county will maintain to keep the road open to the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport.

County road crews have been working long hours removing snow. First priority for snow removal is the driveways where emergency vehicles are parked and school bus routes. Roads with the most traffic have second priority and the third priority for snow removal is secondary roads in the county.

Wind gusts up to 80 miles per hour were reported in the

Carrizozo area Sunday and Monday. Bud Payne, Carrizozo, reported a temperature of zero with a wind chill of 55 degrees below zero over the weekend.

Wind gusts caused roof damage at the Carrizozo Golf Course building and other buildings in town. A four-foot section of a cinder block fence and a wooden gate were blown over by the wind in Carrizozo.

Relief from the storm was evident as warm temperatures returned and piled snow was melting Wednesday afternoon, but the weather predictions are for another winter storm to be heading into the area.

## Four sentenced in district court

District Judge Richard Parsons passed sentence on four people Feb. 3.

Kerry Eugene Avery, aka John Sykes, 29, of Ruidoso entered a plea of no contest to four charges. He was charged with three counts residential burglary, all 3rd degree felonies; and one count of commercial burglary, a 4th degree felony. He also admitted to being a habitual offender with one prior felony conviction.

Parsons sentenced him to three years on count I, three years on count II, 18 months on count III and three years on count IV with all four sentences to run concurrently

for a total sentence of three years.

Parsons suspended one year of the total sentence making the full sentence for two years. Parsons then added one year sentence for Avery being a habitual offender for a total sentence of three years with a mandatory two-year parole.

Avery will be transported to the Intake Classification center at Western New Mexico Correctional facility in Grants.

Richard O'Brien, 30, entered a plea of no contest to escaping from Camp Sierra Blanca and admitted to being

a habitual offender with two prior felony convictions.

O'Brien was sentenced to six years and Parsons suspended five years of the sentence leaving a one-year sentence to run consecutively with O'Brien present sentence. A four-year sentence was added for O'Brien's being a habitual offender. This four years will run consecutive to the one year sentence for a total of four years with mandatory two-year parole. O'Brien will be sent to Grants.

Debbie Canup, 33, Carrizozo, entered a plea of no contest to four counts: commercial burglary, a 4th degree felony; larceny over \$250 but less than \$2,500, a 4th degree felony; and two counts of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, both 4th degree felonies.

Parsons ordered Canup to undergo a 60-day diagnostic evaluation at Grants before sentencing. Canup was involved in the breakin at the Outpost in Carrizozo on or about Sept. 25, 1988.

Robert Collins Jr., 22, Alamogordo, was ordered to undergo a 60-day diagnostic evaluation before sentencing on charges of violation of probation. He will be sent to Grants.

## County to receive input for CDBG grant application

The County of Lincoln will conduct a public hearing on Feb. 13, at 10:30 a.m. at the Lincoln County Courthouse, County Commission Room, Carrizozo. Input will be received on community development and housing needs and discuss the 1989 New Mexico Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program.

The state expects to receive \$8.4 million to be distributed statewide on a com-

petitive basis. Eligible funding categories include community infrastructure (streets, sewers, water lines, etc.); housing; public service capital outlay; economic development; emergency and planning.

For questions concerning the public hearing or grant programs, contact the County Manager's Office, Box 711, Carrizozo, telephone (505) 648-2385.

## State plans \$33 million in road work for county

The state Highway and Transportation Department's recently approved five-year construction plan targets \$33.1 million for road work in Lincoln County, Department Secretary Dewey Lonsberry said.

The plan was approved by the New Mexico Highway Commission at its January meeting.

Projects planned for Lincoln County during the five fiscal years (FY) include: overlay of 4.0 miles of N.M. 48 south of the N.M. 37 junction, FY 89/90, \$2 million; four-lane reconstruction of 2.6 miles of N.M. 48 south of the N.M. 532 junction, FY 90/91, \$3.7 million overlay of 7.32 miles of U.S. 70 starting 2.8 miles east of the N.M. 214 junction and new construction of 5.0 miles of N.M. 532 (Ski Apache Road), FY 93/94, \$4 million.

The five-year construction plan is the department's basic long range planning document, Lonsberry said. The plan is updated each year, with the closest year becoming the agency's annual program and new work added to the plan's fifth year.

The plan calls for the expenditure of \$1.3 billion from July 1989 through June 1994, including \$965 million in the six highway districts and another \$345 million in statewide activities such as school bus routes, county and municipal arterial projects, bridge deck work, the chip seal program and WIPP related relief routes.

During various periods, more will be spent in some counties than in others, he said. The amount is determined by the nature of the roads, interstate, primary or secondary highways; their condition and the mileage involved. The plan is designed to maintain a level of road quality throughout the state and provide for changing and developing needs, he added.

Cost figures for projects are estimates and will change, particularly for projects in the later years of the plan, because of the effect of inflationary factors on road construction. The proposed work is also subject to the realization of appropriate state revenues and the availability of federal money for work eligible for federal aid project assistance.

## Commissioners to meet Feb. 13

The Lincoln County Commissioners will meet in regular session at 6 p.m. Monday, Feb. 13 in the commissioner's meeting room in the courthouse in Carrizozo. The public is invited to attend.

Valentine's Day is February 14

# By the way

By P.E. Chavez



**TEAPOT DOME**  
Warren Harding, 29th president of the United States, brought so many friends to Washington that they became known as "the Ohio gang." According to the World Book report about Harding's administration (1921-1923) some of these friends were untrustworthy, but he enjoyed them as social companions and gave them important jobs. A tide of corruption soon began to rise. The Teapot Dome scandal

was an example. It involved Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, who accepted a bribe for leasing government-owned oil reserves to private companies. He was sent to prison in 1931.  
A senate investigation in 1923, as well as subsequent testimony in court trials, revealed that Fall had persuaded Secretary of the Navy Edwin Denby to transfer government oil reserves at Elk Hills, CA and Teapot Dome,

WY, to the Department of the Interior. Fall then leased the reserves to private oil producers E.L. Doheny and Harry Sinclair. These leases were made without competitive bidding. In both cases, Fall received large sums of money for helping to arrange the transfers—\$100,000 from Doheny for Elk Hills and \$300,000 from Sinclair for the Teapot Dome. The scandal forced Fall to resign in 1923.



WHICH OF THE following captions best fit this photograph: (1) "They did WHAT to Ted Bundy?" (2) "You're pleading not guilty?" (3) "You want a deferred sentence?" Or make up a better one, send it to the NEWS and win a year's subscription to the Lincoln County News. In reality, the scene is at the Jan. 1 swearing-in ceremonies for newly elected officials. Freda McSwane captured a bit of hilarity shared by Hazel Miller, left, Dist. Judge Richard Parsons, and Sheriff Jay McSwane.

## BIBLE QUIZ OF THE MONTH

Introductions: Place letter of the correct answer in the blank.

- 1.) In relations to new testament law, the old testament law (A) Was superior (B) Is equally binding today (C) Was faulty and a temporary shadow (Hebrews 8: 6, 7, 10:1).
- 2.) One of the main purposes of the Old Testament law was (A) To confuse those who read it (B) Act as Gods law for all nations (C) Lead people to christ (Galations 3:23-35).
- 3.) In order for christ's new Testament to go into effect, christ had (A) Only to be born (B) To die (C) Only to teach (Hebrews 9:15-17).
- 4.) When Christ died on the cross the Old Testament law (handwriting of ordinances) was (A) Nailed to the cross in its entirety and taken away as a binding covenant (B) Partially nailed to the cross (C) To continue as a binding covenant (Colossians 2:14;-Ephesians 2:14 15).
- 5.) Today christians (A) Must keep the Sabbath, new moons, etc. (B) Obey christ when they observe the Sabbath, new moons, etc. (C) Are not obligated to keep the sabbath, new moons, etc. (Colossians 2:16-17; Galations 5:3-4).
- 6.) Which of the ten commandments are also included in the New Testament law? (A) All except the sabbath-law (B) None (C) All. (Colossians 2:16-17; Rom 13:8-10; Gal 5:19-25).
- 7.) The early church assembled to worship on (A) The sabbath (seventh day) (B) Sunday (The first day) (Acts 20:7; cor16:1,2)

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## FORTY—SEVENTH STAR

"In its national platform of 1908, the Republican party concurred and unqualifiedly endorsed statehood for Arizona and New Mexico. That statehood was finally granted in 1910, should perhaps be credited to the efforts of Albert B. Fall, one of New Mexico's ablest political leaders."—Warren A. Beck in "New Mexico, a History of Four Centuries".

Reading about state history is like eating potato chips... can't stop. I had to learn more about Fall and some interesting items surfaced.

## DID YOU KNOW?

By judicious control of water holes, some men held huge ranges through possession of grazing rights on state and federal land. One great cattle baron was Fall. He amassed approximately 750,000 acres of grazing land. The Fall ranch, near Three Rivers included some 40 different small ranch units, each with its separate houses, windmills and pumping stations.

Fall arrived in Las Cruces in 1888 from Kentucky and was admitted to the bar soon after his arrival. He was appointed a judge of the territorial Supreme Court by President Cleveland in 1893. Thomas B. Catron and Fall became NM's first US Senators.

Fall catered to his home state's preference for western attire. He had a winning personality well suited to the personal political contact of New Mexico. Beck writes that when Secret Service agents were investigating Fall, one of them was told in Alamogordo that "Albert Fall is a pretty big man around here. He's always taken care of us, and we aim to take care of him." Along with being refused information, one agent had his briefcase stolen and was threatened with mob violence if he didn't leave the state immediately.

## THINGS POLITICAL

Clinton P. Anderson came to New Mexico for reasons of health. A native of South Dakota, Anderson earned a highly desirable reputation as an Albuquerque newspaperman. A story is told that Fall stormed into the offices of the Albuquerque Journal after a series of articles dealing with

## Leslie artwork on display at school

By P.E. CHAVEZ

Appreciation of one of the oldest means of expression can be acquired by visiting an art gallery. This is one way to gain an insight into various techniques and various media utilized by artists. An art gallery can be a source of inspiration.

If it isn't feasible to load a bus with students and take them to an art gallery miles away, the next best thing is to bring the gallery to the students.

The art program at Carrizozo Municipal Schools made arrangements for this method of enhancing it's art program.

The board meeting room in the school's administration building has been transformed into an art gallery, at least temporarily. The art collection (32 works) includes various media—oil, pastel, charcoal and watercolor. The subjects: landscapes, seascapes, domestic animals, wildlife, portraits and architecture.

The art work display was made possible by local artist Dorothy M. Leslie. She is no stranger to Lincoln County, having attended school in White Oaks and later by bus to the then growing community of Carrizozo. Her maiden name is Pratt.

Leslie has no formal art training. As a small child she remembers school days at White Oaks when the teacher set aside an hour once a week for "art." A fresh apple became the subject for a still life and students would paint in watercolor.

After marriage, she and husband Robert, also from White Oaks, headed for Alaska, where they made their home for many years and raised two sons. He worked in Fairbanks engineering for the Army.

Leslie was always drawing. Holidays throughout the year provided an abundant source of drawing ideas. But it was after the sons married

and grandchildren arrived that she turned to painting.

"Too busy" with children, housework and assisting her husband in Alaskan adventures were reasons Leslie gave for not painting in earlier years.

The couple served as a team when they participated on a project prospecting for the state of Alaska. In remote areas of Alaskan wilderness the pair panned for gold, collected chemical samples, mapped the area and kept journals as part of their duties.

Many of Leslie's art subjects reflect the Alaskan surroundings where she and her husband spent the major part of their life.

"Far Country," a large oil that features a man and his

(Cont'd on P. 3)

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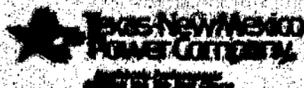
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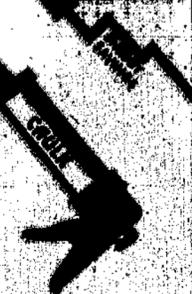
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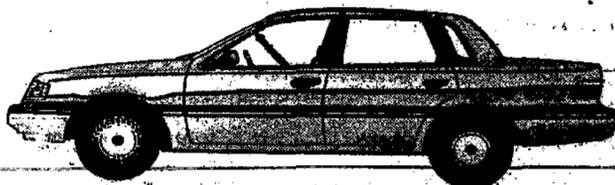
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**Selective Service**

# Men turning 26 face ordeal for failure to register

Young men who will turn 26 in 1989 will be reaching an important milestone, according to the Selective Service System.

Beginning on Jan. 1, 1989, men who were required to register with Selective Service in 1981 will be turning 26. Selective Service does not have the authority to accept late registrations after a man reaches his 26th birthday.

Selective Service State Director Mucio Yslas Jr.

warned that, with few exceptions, a man who fails to register before turning 26 will permanently forfeit his eligibility for certain federal benefits such as student aid, job training, and most federal employment, in addition to facing possible prosecution as a felon.

Some states also require registration for state student aid, entrance to state-supported colleges and universities, state employment, and permission to practice

law. Many of the men who have not registered may be unaware of the requirement or do not understand the importance of the obligation to register. Some may even have served in the military but failed to register either before entering the armed forces or after leaving active duty. Others may have been institutionalized or incarcerated at the time of their 18th birthday and did not realize they were required to register if released prior to age 26.

Yslas points out that men age 18 through 25 who have not yet registered can avoid the risk of prosecution and loss of benefits by registering promptly at any local post office. Failure to register is a felony punishable by a fine of up to \$250,000, up to five years in prison, or both.

For those men born in 1969 who have registered, 1989 also marks the year that ends their eligibility for selection for induction under present law.

Over 21 million men have registered with Selective Service since registration was reinstated in 1980. Currently, 84,848 New Mexico men age 18 through 25 are registered.

**In the Service**

Navy Seaman Recruit Ramon J. Lueras, son of Rose V. and Ramon F. Lueras Sr. of Carrizozo, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego. A 1988 graduate of Carrizozo High School, he joined the Navy in May 1988.

**Artwork . . .**

(Cont'd from P. 2) pack dog, is an example of Alaskan memories as is Mt. McKinley, Eskimos of the Tetlin tribe, and wildlife. The years spent homesteading for the government of Alaska provided many opportunities for sketching and painting.

The versatile artist calls her interest in art merely a "hobby." She has painted many canvases for relatives and friends, as the many portraits, family pets and ranch scenes testify. A Carrizozo friend, Albert Roberts (now deceased) requested a painting of the old Lincoln County courthouse in Carrizozo. The painting shows the red brick splendor of the two-story building which is only a vague memory to long-time county residents. The painting was loaned for the school art exhibit by Roberts' sister, Bonnie Fortenberry.

The public is invited to view the Leslie collection Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., throughout the month of February.

**It takes three to tango**

# Golf course plan must be a 'packaged' deal

By J.A. "Al" Jungo  
Not since the discovery of the Ruidoso River has such an attractive and intriguing idea come to Ruidoso.

The proposed golf course to be built on the old airport land at Ruidoso is a great idea. Since the golf course will encompass just about all of the available airport land there is one distinct advantage in turning over the airport land to the Golf Course Developers. By doing so, many months and perhaps years of indecisions by future councils and committees will be eliminated in attempting to evaluate requests by those who would prefer to see the airport land used for other purposes, most of which would result in indecisions, delays and, in the final analysis, the airport land would remain vacant and unproductive.

So, what about a golf course?

The proposed golf course is one part of a triad.

The triad is made up of three parts: 1.) a golf course, 2.) an adjacent hotel, and 3.) an airline agreement to serve the new airport on a daily or acceptable schedule.

(1.) The golf course. Apparently the proposed

layout of the golf course is satisfactory to present day golfers. A need for water presents no serious problem. The fact that the extension of Warrior Drive will cut through the heart of the course should be questioned. The extension was considered long before the golf course was conceived and may be out of date with the present proposal.

(2.) A proposed hotel. A hotel is the key leg of the triad. Without a hotel there will be no airline service of any consequence. Without a hotel there will be no influx of new visitors who would use the airport facilities and the golf course. The lack of hotel facilities would have a staggering effect on the patronage of a golf course.

(3.) Airline service at the Sierra Blanca Airport. Acceptable airline service at the Sierra Blanca Airport is a must and represents still another leg in the triad. Without airline service the success of 1.) the golf course and 2.) the hotel would be in serious doubt.

During the days of construction of the Sierra Blanca Airport questions concerning an airline service were mostly shunted aside as irrelevant. To construct an

airport was enough and airline service would follow as a matter of course.

This was not proven to be the case.

So what is the answer? Each part of the triad is dependent on the other two parts of the triad. Each part has a certain degree of success with the other two parts. A single part or even the acceptance of two parts is not desirable. Simply put, all three parts, the golf course, the hotel, and the airline are necessary for the success of the overall plan for the airport property.

The ball is in the court of the Golf Course Developer.

We should work together

to assure the taxpayers that the entire package mentioned here comes to a reality.

Anything less is doomed to failure.

# Up With People to be in Alamo

Up With People will celebrate its Silver Anniversary with the world premiere of an all-new show, "Face to

Face" in Alamogordo Feb. 16. The show will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Alamogordo High School Gymnasium.

The production will feature an international cast of 150 students representing 20 countries. The show contains a variety of music and dance from gospel and rock 'n' roll to international numbers and a medley of hits from the 1960s.

The aim of Up With People is to encourage understanding among people of all nations through a unique program of intercultural education, musical performance and public service.

Each year the five casts spend 11 months traveling to distant lands, entertaining audiences worldwide, learning and sharing, and involving themselves in community activities and civic affairs wherever they go.

Tickets for the Alamogordo performances are available at KPSA Radio and at Squash Blossom. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$6 for students and senior citizens.



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Jamie "Dale" Good

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# OPINION

● Congress was scheduled to vote Tuesday on a nefarious plan to raise their pay without having to vote on the matter, thus evading confrontation with their constituents. In the past few days the American people have responded angrily to the idea; and the plan, which seemed certain to succeed in the beginning, may force congressmen to reject the raise or suffer eviction from their cushy jobs at the next election. What follows this paragraph was written four days ago when it seemed certain the pay hike would be implemented. If the people prevail, good. But whether they do or not the following assessment of congressmen is still valid.

● "It could probably be shown by facts and figures that there is no distinctly native American criminal class except Congress," Mark Twain once wrote. We are witnessing an act that will put his theory to the test. By the time you read this, congressmen may have had their salaries increased by 51 percent—from \$89,500 to \$135,000 per year. Too cowardly to vote openly on the issue of a payraise for themselves and other high government officials, congressmen engineered a plan by an "independent committee" to recommend the payraise which would take effect only if members of congress did not vote on the recommendation until it had become law. This devious plan, which would be called theft and conspiracy among the less elite, would save voters from knowing who voted for the raise and who did not, thus ignoring public opinion and insuring their return to office at the next election.

● The \$89,500 salary a congressman gets now puts him in the top one percent of the nation's wage earners for 1987. Recipients claim they cannot live on \$89,500 a year, and they do not. Their present income is augmented by many "perks" they have quietly voted themselves over the years without the public even being aware of what they were up to. At this moment, with their present salaries, their average income from the offices they hold is more than \$136,000.

● Let's examine some of the "gravy" they enjoy that they don't like to talk about. First, there's their salary of \$89,500. Now start with generous, tax-paid pension system that has an estimated value of \$50,000 a year, and which will make most of them a million dollars richer upon their retirement. Their free medical care and prescription service averages \$2,643 for each of them. They get free travel and expenses that average \$23,900 each per year. Each congressman gets an average of \$3,150 a year for out-of-pocket car expenses. They get a special \$3,000 tax deduction; \$500 for newspaper and magazine subscriptions, free taxi service up to \$150, \$1,200 in free parking privileges, \$600 to enjoy the finest gymnasium in Washington, \$5,000 in tax-paid mailing privileges, and an average of \$18,000 per year for outside in speaker fees. That isn't all, but it's good for openers. These perks add up to about \$108,250 per year. Add that to the \$89,500 salary and you get \$197,750. Now they want us to add another \$50,000 in additional salary to make their total take \$247,750 per year. This is what they want in pay for doing what they have done, and will do, to our nice country. Mark Twain was right. But I'm not through.

● Nobody has made a point of how much money these clowns earn, aside from their salaries. Sen. Alan Cranston of California earns more than \$55,000 a year in rentals of commercial property in California. Rep. Claude Pepper of Florida gets \$22,500 from a Miami law firm with which he is associated, along with \$15,713 in Social Security benefits. Sen. Alfonso D'Amato of New York earned an additional \$14,500 as a lecturer at Long Island University. Rep. Norman Sisisky of Virginia reported making \$90,000 from stocks. There's more.

● Until 1946 a congressman operated his office without a staff. Today there are 20,000 people working as aides, advisers, counsels and secretaries to 535 congressmen, and they actually do most of the congressmen's work. Taxpayers, at the request of congress, provide House members with \$513.8 million a year to pay a staff for doing what the congressman was elected to do. On the Senate side, the cost is \$337.3 million a year.

● The US congress is the highest paid legislative body on earth. Various polls indicate that 85 percent of the American people oppose the 51 percent pay hike for congressmen. Why? Because they haven't earned it. To earn a pay hike they should solve the debt crisis which they engineered, balance the national budget which they alone can do, and stop stealing their constituents blind. They should be paid solely on the basis of merit. No solutions, no pay raise. Produce or get out.

● Twenty years ago I resolved never to vote for a sitting congressman beyond a four-year term. If an aroused American constituency would do the same, the debacle in congress would end, and quickly. There are still good and capable men and women who would devote four years to doing something for their country instead of for themselves. Someone once said, "patriotism is the last refuge of a scoundrel." Correction: "congress is the last refuge of a scoundrel."



The longest picture ever in existence is probably The Great Wall of China, completed in 1980, after two and a half years of work. It is 13,147 miles long and 20 feet wide. It is the longest wall ever built, 70 feet high and 20 feet wide.



"There's been so many frightening things happening lately he won't come out unless we turn off the news..."

## Inside The Capitol

By Jay Miller



SANTA FE—GOP Rep. George Buffett of Albuquerque is a very unusual lawmaker.

On the surface, Buffett appears to be a man of contradictions. But the longtime candy maker insists that a closer look ties everything together.

Buffett has worked hard for his Republican party over the years heading fundraising committees. He has gained a reputation for devising novel schemes to extract just a few more bucks from party financial supporters. He has composed many a clever fundraising letter.

But this six-term lawmaker has introduced only one piece of legislation during his past ten years in office. Moreover, he never rises to debate a bill on the floor of the House. He is sometimes described as the House's quietest member.

The man can't be lazy. He started a business in Albuquerque on \$250 in 1952. He now operates three successful businesses and has significant land and stock invest-

ments. It appears obvious he isn't bashful or dumb either.

So why does a successful businessman and party fundraiser take a back seat to the "other 111 lawmakers when it comes to introducing the 1800 measures that glut a 60-day session of the New Mexico Legislature?

Buffett believes there are far too many legislative proposals brought before each session. He sees part of his job as being to help kill off bad legislation. He hasn't met many bills he likes. He is good at voting "no."

But that isn't the main reason for Buffett's silence. Although it is not noticeable today, Buffett says he had a horrible stuttering problem as a child. As a result, he has never been a talker. Campaign speeches are difficult for him so he makes as few as possible. He is not the prime sponsor of legislation because he wants to avoid all the debate that is required to guide bills through their many committee and floor hearings.

Buffett has made up for

his quietness by being a doer in his business. "You can only learn to cook by using your hands," says Buffett. "You've got to be up to your elbows in candy before you really understand how to make it."

The fact that Buffett is no longer writing fundraising letters as head of the Republican Legislative Campaign Committee has not stopped his letterwriting. Buffett wrote all chambers of commerce in the state and asked for a mailing list of their boards of directors. He got about 500 names out of that solicitation.

Recently that mailing list received a two-page letter that has become infamous in the corridors of the Round House. Buffett opens his letter by explaining that he decided to write business people around the state to tell them what really goes on in Santa Fe during legislative sessions. He says he has become more partisan every year after seeing what Democrats do to the business community.

Buffett's examples include passage of the "feed bill" to fund the legislature. The bill contained a 70 percent increase in Senate expenditures to up the number of attendants from 52 to 90, analysts from 17 to 26 and secretaries from 23 to 44. He also railed against the suggestion of Santa Fe Democrat Max Coll that legislative employees be given year-round medical insurance and a retirement plan.

"The business community gets the shaft," Buffett says, "because Democrats figure by the next election the business people are too dumb to remember what is done to us. Their theory has been proven right many times over."

When Senate President Pro Tempore Manny Aragon got his hands on a copy of Buffett's letter, he started the missile on its road to fame by reading the entire two pages on the floor of the Senate. Aragon then fired back. He said Buffett's vicious lies destroy the bipartisan spirit this legislature is trying to attain.

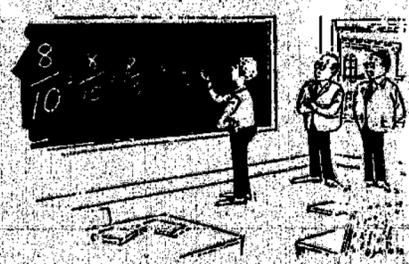
Aragon also maintained, "George is a very lucky man. Few of us will ever attain the wealth he has. His quest is to achieve the wealth of his uncle."

Buffett says Aragon is referring to his cousin, Warren Buffett, who is said to be the seventh richest man in the United States. Buffett says if making money were his main object, he wouldn't be in the legislature.

In the meantime Buffett will continue writing more letters, which he calls "Buffett's bullets." Judging from experience, many of those bullets will find their mark.



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## Letters to the Editor

### Defends student spanking

EDITOR—I'm writing a letter in regard to your article on child abuse in the Carrizozo schools.

I'm really tired of hearing only negative things that supposedly go on in our school system. Some of the things you print simply are not true.

The kids know that when they fight, they get spanked. If Ms King doesn't want her child spanked, I suggest she teach him to follow rules. And if she's so disgusted with the way our school is run I suggest she enroll him somewhere else. I for one am proud of the job Mr. Burnett, Mr. Holland, the teachers and the school board are doing.

I appreciate the fact that they want my children to behave and expect good conduct from them. It's time for the silent majority to stand up for what's right in this school system and keep people like Mr. Holland around. He's good for our kids.

Tired of this garbage,  
CHARLENE BROWN,  
Carrizozo.

### Students defend Holland

EDITOR—This letter is on the behalf of Mr. Holland in the most stupid case of "child abuse."

First of all, we would like to state, "Why don't people see the kids Mr. Holland has turned around?" The things printed in the paper about Mr. Holland are totally distorted. Apparently, the teens who were punished did not tell Mrs. Linda King the "whole story."

We personally believe Mr. Holland is the best principal this school has had. Do you really think the teens who were punished are so innocent? We've seen their behavior and treatment towards teachers and fellow classmates. The teachers surely haven't shoved anyone's head into a desk! There are always two sides to a story and we feel the truth has not been told. We think this letter tells how the student body feels about our principal.

(ED. NOTE: The letter was signed by 62 students.)

### Two faces of abortion

EDITOR—Jan. 22 came and went, and we had a lot of talk and a lot of demonstrating both for and against the 1973 Supreme Court hearing, Roe vs Wade, the decision that legalized abortion.

If those 22 to 24 million aborted babies have liberated as many women as had been claimed, then Roe vs Wade, and abortion on demand, has liberated more people than the Emancipation Proclamation of 1863. Maybe we should proclaim Jan. 22 a national holiday.

On the other hand, if the destruction of those 22 to 24 million fetuses really is what the Right to Life people charge that it is, "murder of the unborn," then it has got to be the worst slaughter in the history of North America. In that case, maybe we should make it a day of national mourning and repentance.

RAYMOND C. WILSON,  
San Juan Bautista, CA.

## By the Way . . . (Cont'd from P. 2)

his activities as secretary of the interior had appeared, shouting, "Where's the — — — that's been printing all the lies about me?"

Anderson rose from his desk to confront the irate Fall and mildly answered him, saying, "I'm the man, and I don't print lies."

As Congressman from 1941 to 1945, as secretary of agriculture from 1945 to 1948, and as senator since 1948, Anderson emerged as one of the nation's outstanding statesmen.

It was not easy for Fall's friends to believe that a man of his intelligence and record of service to the state would betray the public trust as he did. Fall is depicted as a victim of circumstances who was taken in by his old friend Doheny. Beck writes that the full story may never be known.

### DURING TOWNHOUSE

During a business trip to Alamogordo last Saturday I met Eva Watkins, owner of the Gift Box on 10th and New York. I was introduced by Lincoln County native Barbara Jean Brannum who now resides at LaLuz. Barbara was there visiting with friend Eva. After catching up on family news I browsed around in the Watkins store filled with Nambe works, silk

flowers, quilt pictures and other works of art. Room after room the prices have been cut because the business is planning to re-locate. The store's new site will be the former Albert B. Fall townhouse at 1205 Michigan.

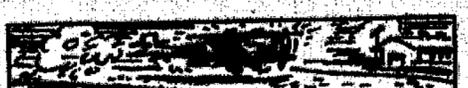
Small world.

### THEN AND NOW

The art of quilting, or stitching layers of fabric together, sailed across the ocean with early English, Welsh and Dutch immigrants. But it was in the hands of pioneer women, says Grit writer Jane Snow, that the patchwork quilt and a new American art form was born.

Annabel Baugher of Galt, MO, is a modern pioneer in that craft. Departing from the customary cotton, she chuses a 100% polyester crepe that will hold its shape through washing and wearing for her blue ribbon all-white quilt, "Peacocks."

Like Baugher, more and more women of all ages are drawn to this homespun craft. As an art form, quilting is a crowd pleaser at museums. Her newest quilt is drawn from a design using a small French painting from the Baltimore Museum of Art, the border from a Mother's Day card.



Baugher's all-white quilt was first exhibited in 1978.

# Corona FFA captures leadership contests

The Corona FFA chapter started off another year in FFA leadership contests by winning the leadership sweepstakes.

This was done by taking four 1st place plaques in the District 1 contests held in early January in Socorro.

Busloads of FFAs from Corona, Belen, Santa Fe, Albuquerque, Cibola, and Reserve registered for the contests. On hand was Jason Gibbs, Corona FFA member and District 1 president, and also from the state officer team there was secretary Ernest Cummings and president Randy Bouldin.

The Greenhand parliamentary procedures team, composed of Candice Byrd, Garrett Marshall, Callie Young, Karna Bluford, Aleatha Knight, Randy Lueras, and Nancy Riley, came away with 2nd place. The Chapter Farmer parliamentary procedure team, Clay Post, Tye Lightfoot, Shane Owen, Randy Lesly,

Dan Bell, Emmet Sulzmeier, and Barbara Maness, also took 2nd place.

Candice Byrd made it a clean sweep in her four contests by winning the 1st place plaque in public speaking, creed, and the quiz. Karna Bluford came close with a 3rd in public speaking as did Garrett Marshall with a 3rd in the quiz. Also in Chapter Farmer, Clay Post came away easily with a 1st in public speaking. Also participating was Michael Pounds and Randy Lesly in extemporaneous public speaking.

On Jan. 30 in Portales the State Parliamentary Procedure contest was held. It was moved from June to speed up the state convention a little more. Corona again this year was 4th in the state. Dorá was the big winner, taking 1st.

All other contests will be held in the state convention in Las Cruces.

# Spelling bee winners named

There was a spelling bee Feb. 2 at Capitan Elementary School to select five winners from grades 4, 5, and 6.

The 1st place winner is Kimberly Wright of the 6th grade. Fourth grader Keith Witham placed 2nd. Tay LaRue, Meghan McGrath and Shane Carpenter also placed.

These five students will compete in another spelling bee Feb. 9 which will include 7th and 8th graders in Capitan Schools.

The winner of the second spelling bee will go to El Paso April 10 to participate in the regional spelling bee. The winner of regional competition goes to Washington, DC June 1 to compete on the national level.

The pronouncer for the initial spelling bee was Jacque Childress. Judges were Sandy Bean, Tommie Neal, and Ruby Johnson.

Words used in the competition were selected from the Scripps-Howard national spelling bee booklet.

Elementary school principal Jerry Newsom told the News that the national winning word in 1988 was "elestial." "Staphylococci" was the national winning word in 1987.

# Guevara attends coloring workshop

Theresa Guevara, owner of Theresa's Beauty Salon in Carrizozo, attended a hair coloring workshop in Alamogordo, Jan. 30. She learned all types of frosting and highlighting and the latest techniques.

She will conduct a color workshop at her salon featuring spring and summer colors.

# 'Food for Tots' letters available

"Food for Tots," a series of four letters dealing with nutrition for children, will be mailed to parents of preschool children each week beginning March 10.

The letters will be sent by the Lincoln County Extension office and are sponsored by New Mexico State University Cooperative Extension.

There is no charge for the letters. Those wishing to receive them must register with the county extension office, Box 217, Carrizozo, or by calling 648-2311 before Feb. 20.

The new learn-at-home program will contain information on food and eating habits. Lincoln County Home economist Betty McCright said, "Unfortunately, we aren't born knowing how to teach our children good eating habits that will last for the rest of their lives."

The letters discuss roles that parents play as models, directors and stage managers and as providers. The last letter answers a series of commonly asked questions about child feeding. The answers are based upon nutrition research.



**THANK YOU!!!**  
I want to thank the voters for electing me to represent them on the Carrizozo School Board. I will make every effort to do a good job.  
Nick Serna

# CowBelles plan March 22 Ag Day

Canyon CowBelles met Feb. 1 in the Steak Room at Four Winds Restaurant in Carrizozo.

Lisa Shivers was elected secretary following the resignation of Elizabeth MacVeigh.

Canyon was honored for being second highest in the state in donations for the 1988 Cattle Drive for Hunger.

Donations will be made to Dan Bell and Tina Aaron of Corona to attend the National 4-H Convention in Washington, DC.

March 22 will be Ag Day in Carrizozo. CowBelles will host the Carrizozo school ag department, home ec depart-

ment and school personnel with grilled beefburgers, beans and dessert in appreciation of their aid and support. Head chefs will be Johnson Stearns and Wally Ferguson.

A donation will be given to Carrizozo school librarian Julia Hollis with the money to be used for supplies or books for the library. The donation is for Hollis' help to the CowBelles by publishing the yearbook the last several years.

The March meeting will be held at the Carrizozo School Ag Department March 22 in conjunction with Ag Day.

# NMSU to host ag students

The following Capitan ag students will attend an agriculture college day at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces Feb. 9:

Andrea Barton, William Beekley, Sarah Dockery, Lisa Edwards, Erik Fuchs, Gina Griego, Della Joiner, Rachel Lacy, Shane LaMay, Kent McInnes, Guy Payne, Pauline Montes, Brian Parker, Danielle Riska, Alec Romero, Warren Russell, John Watson and Owen Washburn. Joel Edwards is their teacher.

FFA students Rachel Lacy and Warren Russell have applied for the state farmer degree. Teacher Edwards told the News the results will be known around May 1.

Edwards also told the News that his students are getting ready for the Carrizozo invitational judging meet scheduled for March 11.

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# SPORTS

By Bartley McDonough

## Grizzlies on the road

The Carrizozo Grizzlies were on the road last weekend at Mountainair and Vaughn. They defeated Mountainair Friday night 57-39.

Coach Ron Becker's well balanced attack was led by Dennis Vega and Mike Chavez with 13 points each.

The Lady Grizzlies lost a close one to the Lady Mustangs 47-44. Tennis Trolinger had a good night, scoring 19 points. Marcia Hefker and Leah Patterson found the range for 12 points each.

Dennis Vega made two free throws with 13 seconds left Saturday night to assure

a 54-52 victory for the Carrizozo boys. Scoring in double figures at Vaughn were Mike Chavez 13, Chris Schlarb 12 and Fred Vega 10.

The Lady Grizzlies had no problem with Vaughn, winning 48-29. Tennis Trolinger scored 19 points for the 2nd night in a row. Marcia

Hefker also looked good on offense. Jeanna Sims and Laurie Zamora continued their steady play on defense.

Ft. Sumner visited Carrizozo Tuesday night for make-up games. Jacob Narvaez led the Grizzlies to a 76-58 victory over the Foxes, scoring 23 points. It was Dennis Vega 17 points and Fred Vega 16. Mark Guevara, coach Becker's 6th man, enjoyed a good defensive game. Fred Vega looked good on offense.

Becker said "this was as good a team effort as I've ever witnessed." The Grizzlies now boast a 6-0 record in district play and 16-2 on the season.

A strong bench helped Ft. Sumner defeat the Lady Grizzlies 50-36. It was Tennis Trolinger 11, Leah Patterson and Marcia Hefker 8 points each.

The Grizzlies travel to Ft. Sumner Feb. 10 for games beginning at 4:30 p.m. Corona comes to Carrizozo Saturday evening for games beginning at 6 p.m.



THESE HONDO Valley High School cheerleaders are in charge of school spirit at the games. They also perform routines between games. From the left, kneeling, Stacey Maez, and Tonya Carmichael. Standing, Danelle Marquez, Teresa Montez, Angie Romero, Anitra Torrez, Celena Copeland, and Robert Chavez.

## Lady Tigers swamp opponents

The Capitan Lady Tigers added two more wins to their record last weekend, defeating Lake Arthur 64-14 and Weed 56-34.

Lora McKay led the Tiger attack against Lake Arthur scoring 13 points. Kim Eckland and Marnie McDaniel scored 10 each, Nita Hale 9 including a basket from behind the 3 point line. Cindy Castillo also had a 3 pointer and a total of 7 points. Also scoring for the Lady Tigers were Sherry Gowen, Karis Cox, Lesley LaRue and Kerri Runnels.

Lora McKay's 21 points led Capitan over Weed. McKay scored 21 points in an earlier game this season against Weed which the Lady Tigers won by only 3 points. Lora continues to average 18 points a game and four assists. Marnie McDaniel's average of 12 rebounds a game is an important winning factor. The Capitan girls play well together and the rest of the Tiger attack was well balanced.

The Lake Arthur varsity boys defeated the Tiger varsity boys for the 2nd time in district play. Guillan led Lake Arthur to the 72-68 victory.

Scoring in double figures for Capitan were Jerrod Martin 16, Tino Gallegos 15, Hinrik Petursson 11 and Anthony Sanchez 10 points. Also scoring for Capitan were Johnny Castillo, Erek Fuchs and Warren Russell.

The varsity boys had no trouble defeating Weed Saturday night at home 76-54. The complete Tiger scoring is as follows: Sanchez 13, Castillo 13, Gallegos 9, Warren Russell 8, Petursson 8, Jerrod Marth 7, Guy Payne 4, Heath Huey 3, Nathan Roybal 3, Owen Washburn 2, Sean Seay 2 and Chris Shanks 2.

The boys season record stands at 11-8. In district play they are 7-3.

The Tiger junior varsity

## Bowling results

Team standings for the Monday Night Roadrunner bowling league for Jan. 30: (1) The Misfits, 10 wins, 2 losses; (2) United New Mexico Bank, 9 wins, 3 losses; (3) Three Amigos, 8 wins, 4 losses; (4) The Trouble Makers, 6 wins, 5 losses.

Individual high scores: scratch game, Lucy Rickman 203; handicap game, Cheryl Sparks 243; scratch series, Lucy Rickman 587; handicap series, Lucy Rickman 689.

United New Mexico Bank won all team high scores: scratch game, 553; handicap game, 659; scratch series, 1,652; handicap series, 1,970.

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boys won their game 57-45. The sports calendar this weekend has Cloudcroft at Capitan on Friday for games beginning at 4 p.m. The band boosters will sponsor an enchilada dinner to coincide

with the games.

The Tigers travel to Hagerman Saturday for games scheduled for 4 p.m.

A district FHA meeting is scheduled for Feb. 11 in Las Cruces.

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## LEGALS

This sale is held pursuant to the Stipulated Judgment ("Judgment") entered on January 11, 1988 in the above-entitled action for collection under promissory note and for foreclosure under a mortgage wherein the Court awarded Defendant and Counter-Plaintiff Doris Maxwell the sum of \$160,361.92, principal, interest and attorney's fees, together with interest thereon at a rate of 8.5% per annum from and after December 6, 1988.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that the proceeds of the sale will be applied first to all costs and expenses of the sale including the Special Master's fees, and then to the amounts owing under the Judgment as of the date of sale, including all accrued interest.

**NOTICE IS FINALLY GIVEN** that the Defendant and Counter-Plaintiff Doris Maxwell and other parties holding judgments herein may bid and purchase the property at the foreclosure sale and that the Defendant Doris Maxwell may apply all or a portion of her judgment toward the purchase price.

MARtha A. GARCIA, Special Master.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners are hereby accepting nominations to the Lincoln Historic Preservation Board for one member-at-large to fill a vacancy which will expire December, 1989, and for one member whose term will expire December, 1990, and is required to be a property owner in the Lincoln Historic District.

Nominations shall be made in writing to the Lincoln County Commissioners for appointment to the Lincoln Historic Preservation Board. In making the appointments to the Board, the County Commissioners shall give consideration to maintaining the balance of interests and skills of the Board, and to the individual qualifications of the candidates, including their interest, experience and knowledge in community and cultural traditions.

Nominations will be accepted by the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners or the County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 5:00 P.M. on Monday, February 27, 1989.

ROBERT E. HEMPHILL, Chairman LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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**LEGAL AD PROPOSALS FROM ATTORNEYS FOR LEGAL SERVICES** BID NO. 88-11

Lincoln County is requesting proposals from attorneys to provide legal services. A general job description may be obtained from the County Manager's Office in the Lincoln County Courthouse, or by sending a letter requesting "Bid No. 88-11" to: County Manager, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301. Deadline for receipt of Bid No. 88-11 is February 27, 1989, before 5:00 p.m.

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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Post Office Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 3:00 P.M. May 12, 1989, for the below listed property and casualty insurance coverage for a three year period (with an option to renew for one additional year), effective May 23, 1989:

1. Comprehensive General Liability
2. Public Officials Liability
3. Auto Liability and Auto Physical Damage
4. Property Coverage on Buildings and Contents

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5. Money and Securities  
6. Public Employees Faithful Performance Bond  
7. Equipment and Voting Machine Floater  
8. Seller and Machinery  
9. Volunteer Firemen Accident.

Requests for proposals with specifications may be obtained by calling the County Manager's Office at 653-4025.

The opening and review of

the proposals will be at the same location at 3:00 P.M., May 12, 1989. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will award the bid at their regular meeting on May 22, 1989, at 10:00 A.M.

Lincoln County reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any proposal, waive minor technicalities and award the proposal to best serve the interest of Lincoln County. All proposals must comply with the New Mexico Procurement Code.

Mrs. Suzanne Cox, Lincoln County Manager.

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**SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE**

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold a special meeting on February 13, 1989 at 10:30 a.m., Lincoln County Courthouse, County Commission Meeting Room, 300 Central Ave., Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301. The purpose of the meetings is to receive input on community development block grant program.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

Cause No. DR 88-75 Div. III

JACOBO LOPEZ, Petitioner,

vs. DARLENE LOPEZ, Respondent

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: The following named or designated defendant:

DARLENE LOPEZ

GREETINGS: DARLENE LOPEZ YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that: JACOBO LOPEZ, as Petitioner has filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, Cause No. DR 88-75, Division III, wherein you are named as Respondent; and wherein the Petitioner seeks to obtain constructive service of process upon you.

That unless you enter your appearance or file a responsive pleading or motion in said cause on or before March 10, 1989, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Name and address of Petitioner's Attorney:

James E. Askew, Jr. 613 Sudderth Ave., Suite E Ruidoso, NM 88345 (505) 257-3075

WITNESS THE SEAL OF THE 12th JUDICIAL COURT

MARGO LINDSAY, Clerk of the District Court.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

NO. CV 88-378 Judge Parsons

**FARM CREDIT BANK OF WICHITA, W/A FEDERAL LAND BANK OF WICHITA, Plaintiff,**

vs. ULA L. GIPSON, a single woman, JAMES L. GIPSON, FRANKIE R. GIPSON, and ELNA MAXINE GIPSON, nee WHITAKER, current wife of James L. Gipson, VALLEY BANK OF ROSWELL, SAM BURSUELAS and FRATES BEELIGSON, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: SAM BURSUELAS and FRATES BEELIGSON, Defendants upon whom constructive service is sought to be obtained.

GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff has brought suit against you in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, under Cause NO. CV 88-378, the general object of which is to recover on promissory note and foreclosure of mortgage.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 17th day of January, 1989.

(s) Margo E. Lindsay, Clerk of the District Court By Elizabeth Lueras, Deputy.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

No. CV. 88-388 DIV. III

**TRANSMERICA FINANCIAL SERVICES, Plaintiff,**

vs. FRANK H. RACA and SARA E. RACA, Husband and Wife, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF**

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance on or about the 8th day of March, 1989, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Plaintiff's attorneys are Martin, Crosswell & Hubert, Hernandez & Roggvo, P.A., 2100 N. Main, P.O. Drawer W, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-1997.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 17th day of January, 1989.

(s) Margo E. Lindsay, District Court Clerk. By Elizabeth Lueras, Deputy Court Clerk.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

Cause No. CV-87-448 Division II

**THE BANK OF RUIDOSO, a State Chartered Banking Institution, Plaintiff,**

vs. C.S.D., INC., a New Mexico Corporation, et al, Defendants.

**AMENDED NOTICE OF SUIT**

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANT DIVERSIFIED MANAGEMENT, INC. GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that cross plaintiff National Western Life Insurance Company has filed a crossclaim in the above-entitled court and cause against you, the general object of which is to foreclose a mechanics dated April 6, 1986, and recorded on pages 1178-1180 of the lien records of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and assigned to you by Triangle Electric Company against described real property in Lincoln County, New Mexico:

A tract of land in Lot 3 of the C.A. EILAND TRACT, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, June 24, 1981, in Cabinet B, Slide No. 235B, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Lot 3; thence S 89° 48' 32" E along the North boundary of said Lot 3 a distance of 225.58 feet; thence S 00° 11' 26" W a distance of 76.42 feet; thence S 88° 41' 40" W a distance of 224.81 feet; thence N 00° 23' 00" W a distance of 78.37 feet to the said place of beginning and containing 0.400 acres, more or less.

AND Lot 2B of the C. A. EILAND TRACT, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the replat of Lot 2 of C. A. EILAND TRACT, filed in the office of the County Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, December 16, 1982, in Cabinet D, Slide No. 108.

Unless you enter your appearance in this Court and cause on or before the 15th day of February, 1989, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

RODEY, DICKSON, SLOAN, AKIN & BOBB, P.A. (Debra Romero Thal), P.O. Box 1888, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103 are attorneys for the Plaintiff.

WITNESS the Honorable Judge Doughty, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of Lincoln County, this 9th day of January, 1989.

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**RITE**

MON-SAT.  
8 AM-7 PM

THESE ITEMS & PRICES EFFECTIVE: FEB. 8, 1989 thru FEB. 15, 1989.

# SHOP RITE

4th Avenue and Highway 54 in Carrizozo

SUNDAY  
9 AM-5 PM

**SHOP**



**RITE**

DOUBLE  
COUPONS  
7-DAYS  
A WEEK!!



**CHICKEN  
DRUMSTICKS**

Lb. **79¢**

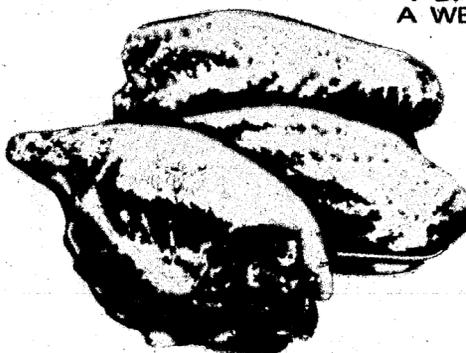
Family Pack



**CRISCO  
SHORTENING**

48-Oz. **\$2.59**

Regular or Butter Flavor



**CHICKEN  
THIGHS**

Lb. **89¢**

Family Pack



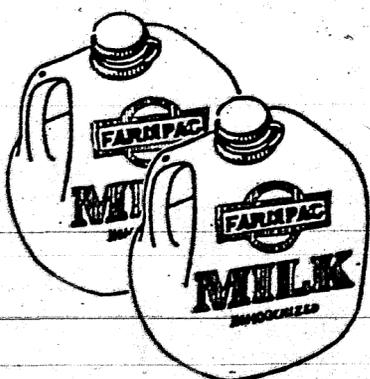
**COUNTRY  
CROCK**

3-Lb. **\$1.59**

Shedd Brand / Bowls

Louis Rich **VARIETY PAK**..... 12-Oz. **\$2.39**  
 Louis Rich **SALAMI** ..... 8-Oz. **\$1.29**  
 Farm Pac, Buttermilk or Sweetmilk **BISCUITS** ..... 7.5-Oz. **4 for \$1.00**  
 Top Frost, Frozen **CORN ON THE COB** ..... 4-Ct. **98¢**

Gold Medal, Assorted **FLOUR**..... 5-Lb. **99¢**  
 Ragu Homestyle **SPAGHETTI SAUCE** ..... 32-Oz. **99¢**  
 Skinner, Thin or Long **SPAGHETTI** ..... 24-Oz. **99¢**  
 General Mills, Honey Nut **CHEERIOS** ..... 20-Oz. **\$2.99**



**HOMO  
MILK**

**\$1.99**

Gal.

Farm Pac Brand

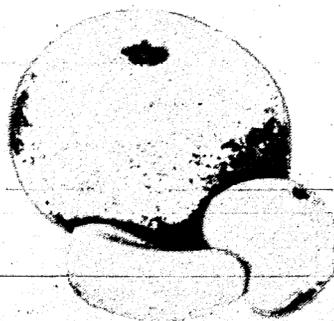


**CHEER  
DETERGENT**

**\$5.99**

147-Oz.

Box



**JUICY  
ORANGES**

**\$1.49**

Bag

4-Lbs. Each



**RED  
GRAPES**

**99¢**

Lb.

Seedless

**2 for \$1**  
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