



ERNIE GONZALES (left) and Steve Keller after the county commission meeting Monday

Hemphill resigns; Petty takes rein

By Ruth Hammond

"This is the biggest can of worms I've ever seen opened because of lack of documentation," Lincoln County Commission Chairman Bob Hemphill said Monday night when commissioners approved paying Physician's Assistant Ernie Gonzales the \$38,000 net salary he had been promised.

The commissioners were in closed session one hour 15 minutes to discuss personnel and litigation before taking the vote to pay Gonzales the

promised amount.

Hemphill said, "I believe Ernie Gonzales was promised the \$38,000 salary." Hemphill made the motion to pay Gonzales the promised amount and commissioner Rick Simpson seconded the motion.

Commissioner Karon Petty said, "That will be a gross pay of around \$61,000 a year. I am not convinced that was the understanding when Ernie was hired."

Hemphill and Simpson voted in favor of paying Gonzales the promised amount and Petty cast a nay vote.

The motion carried.

Commissioners also agreed to uphold the recommendation of the grievance board to terminate Joe Wheatley as appraiser in the assessor's office. Wheatley had filed a grievance in the matter and went before the grievance board to present his case.

Hemphill resigned as chairman of the commission and Karon Petty was elected chairman. Petty said, "At the start of our term it was decided we would change chairmen every eight months. Rick Simpson will

be the next chairman."

In other business commissioners approved a resolution authorizing investments of county money in local short-term investment funds operated by the state treasurer.

"The use of interest money earned on hospital mill levy funds will continue to go into the county general fund instead of being added to the mill levy fund."

Action was tabled on amending an ordinance to give the county planning and zoning commission additional powers.

P&Z members asked for direction of how to begin zoning the county in accordance with the new zoning ordinance.

"I am not personally ready to start zoning Lincoln County. I am not happy with our zoning ordinance," Petty said. "I am convinced no one really knows what it says. Maybe we can re-write the ordinance to fit the needs of the people instead of herding people."

Petty said she would like P&Z to conduct another workshop with county commissioners to "really look at the ordinance," and think about how different areas would be zoned.

"This zoning ordinance does not fit Lincoln County, in my opinion," Petty said.

Former county commissioner Bill Elliott said, "Karon Petty is against the zoning ordinance. How do the other commissioners feel about it?"

Hemphill said he was "for the zoning ordinance" and Simpson said he would like to see some small changes made.

When commissioners discussed giving P&Z the authority to make decisions instead of all planning and zoning requests coming before the county commission. Elliott said, "You were elected to take the heat on this."

The News mentioned that public hearings would be held before the final zoning for the county was approved. County attorney Bob Beauvais agreed.

County commissioners will meet in joint session with P&Z Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. to discuss the matter further.

Action was tabled on amending an ordinance to change the membership of the extra-territorial zoning authority from elected officials to appointees.

The replat of lot 14 in Pine Point Estates Subdivision was approved.

County history was made when commissioners flipped a coin to decide which bidder would be awarded the contract to stripe Gavilan Canyon Road.

Both bids received were for \$15,190. J-H Supply Co. Inc. won the toss of the coin and the bid was awarded to J-H. MCL Construction Inc. of Bosque Farms submitted the other bid.

Bids were awarded for road department materials. Contech Construction Products Inc. was awarded the bid for culverts and bands at a cost of \$10,663.28. Pat L. Huey submitted the low bid of \$91,200 for 7,600 cubic yards of base gravel. J.W. Jones submitted the low bid of \$31,500 for 3,600 cubic yards of base gravel. Ferreri Concrete Structures, Inc. submitted the only bid for a double tee bridge at a cost of \$14,500. No bids were received for timber.

Action was tabled pending further information concerning a joint powers agreement with the village of Ruidoso to extend the one-mile extra-territorial zone to three miles and to include a one-mile corridor centered in the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport access road.

Field agreement between the county and USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, animal damage control program, for predator and rodent control was approved.

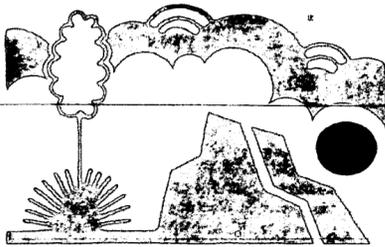
The agreement allows the county to pay \$10,000 for predatory animal control. The money was set aside in the budget process.

Agreement with Economic Development Corporation of Lincoln County

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SAM CONN (right) dismantles the KOAT-TV camera after taping a portion of the Carrizozo Town Council meeting Tuesday night. Front row from left: Cecilia Kuhnel, Butch Smith and Ernest Joiner.

Event taped for TV

Kuhnel faces town council on Girard Hotel issue

Carrizozo town business received statewide attention Tuesday night when KOAT-TV taped a portion of the town council meeting. The segment was scheduled to be shown on Action 7 News yesterday.

Cecilia Kuhnel, owner of the old Girard Hotel in Carrizozo, had received a letter from town attorney Bob Beauvais regarding a potentially hazardous situation at the property.

Kuhnel asked the council if she was the only person who received the letter.

Mayor Bob Hemphill said, "Yes," that she was the only person who received the letter.

"Is there a reason I was singled out?" Kuhnel asked.

She was told the town had received four or five formal complaints about the building during town council meetings.

Hemphill said he anticipated other people getting the letter which quotes from state statutes: "Whenever any building or structure is ruined, damaged and delapidated, or any premise is covered with ruins, rubbish, wreckage, or debris, the governing body of a municipality may by resolution find that the ruined, damaged and dilapidated building, structure or premise is a menace to the public comfort, health, peace, or safety and require the removal from the municipality of the structure, ruins, rubbish, wreckage or debris."

"There are a number of eyesores in this town," Kuhnel said and suggested other areas be addressed, "to improve the image of the town." Her list of places included weeds at the school, two adobe buildings on 12th Street, Sunset Motel and Restaurant, the back side of the old Lincoln Motel, the frozen food lockers and brick buildings owned by the town near the overpass, and the remains of the burned Carrizozo Trading Company on Central.

"I am more than willing to do my part," Kuhnel said, "but it would behoove you to address these other problem areas and not single out one person."

She said she has contacted a demolition contractor to take care of the situation and said the matter will be resolved as soon as possible.

While Kuhnel spoke to the council, the entire event was being taped for Channel 7 KOAT-TV by Sam Conn of the Roswell bureau. Conn asked the council, "If Mrs. Kuhnel does not comply, will the town take legal action against her?" He added that he saw many buildings in town that were as bad or worse than Girard Hotel.

Ernest Joiner told the council the burned ruins of the old Pehm building were in a state of disarray with three walls standing and ready to fall at any time, one could fall out into the street.

Joiner also asked if letters will be sent to other property owners or if the town would wait for people to file formal complaints.

"What if I file formal complaints on 25 pieces of property?" Joiner asked.

He was told the town would pursue the matters.

"Am I to understand unless a formal complaint is lodged nothing will be done?" Joiner asked. "You might have had more interest in this matter if other people had been notified instead of singling out Mrs. Kuhnel."

Hemphill remarked about the dramatics involved in the handling of the matter, apparently referring to the TV camera and lights.

Joiner said he would write the letters to the town lodging formal complaints about other property needing attention.

Conn also taped the portion of the meeting where Verna Rodman complained because her poly kart of garbage had not been emptied for four weeks.

Rodman said she had notified town hall many times and the only time the garbage was emptied during the four week period was when town employees emptied the container into a pickup and hauled it off.

Rodman made a request that she not pay for the month of garbage service. Trustees could take no action

because of a lack of a quorum. Later in the meeting trustee Harold Garcia arrived at the meeting, constituting a quorum. The council agreed to give Rodman credit for the month.

In other business, Carrizozo School Superintendent Danny Burnett asked for permission to close 10th Street between B Avenue and C Avenue for four hours during home football games.

Burnett said people are parking in the area, drinking alcoholic beverages, littering, blocking traffic, and causing a policing problem for the school during the games.

He said blocking the street would cause a minor detour around the block but the barricades could be moved "in a matter of seconds" for emergency

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Morales strikes again

An arrest warrant has been issued for Johnny Morales of Carrizozo concerning a fight Morales had with Carrizozo police officer Rick Emmons Friday night.

The warrant charges Morales with aggravated battery, aggravated battery on a peace officer and resisting arrest. Bond has been set at \$4,500.

Morales is presently on probation and the district attorney's office is asking that probation be revoked in addition to the other charges.

Assistant district attorney Scot Key said the whereabouts of Morales is not known and the DA's office is requesting help from citizens of the community in locating Morales.

Danny Morales, brother of Johnny Morales, is alleged to have been involved in the same incident. Danny is being charged with resisting, evading or obstructing a peace officer. A summons is to be sent to Danny Morales.

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Suspected leaking dynamite is old railroad flare

Explosive specialist Sgt. Bill Hanson, New Mexico State Police, was in Carrizozo yesterday to investigate a report of leaking dynamite.

Hanson was summoned to Carrizozo from Alamogordo by the Lincoln County Sheriff's office when Carrizozo police investigated a breaking and entering in the old Pehm house at the corner of Drexel and E Avenue.

What was thought to be leaking dynamite was an old railroad flare. Carrizozo police are continuing the investigation into the breaking and entering.

Sheriff department activities for the week included a call about a bear being in a house in the Alto area Sept. 6. The bear is reported to have raided the refrigerator and went out of the house through the window when the people returned.

Sept. 9 a deputy responded to assist Carrizozo police officer Rick Emmons in an alleged fight at the Morales residence.

Sept. 9 criminal damage to property and vandalism to an empty house at the edge of Carrizozo was reported.

Officers investigated a report of youths shooting BB

guns at a fruit stand in San Patricio Sept. 9.

Sept. 9 deputies assisted state police and Capitan police when Eulogio Otero, 53, of Fort Stanton was arrested. Otero was charged with possession of a controlled substance less than one ounce, to wit marijuana.

A two-vehicle accident was reported seven miles east of Carrizozo at 9 a.m.

County personnel handbook

County employees could be fired without notice or cause

Lincoln County officials are writing a new Lincoln County Employee Handbook.

A draft copy of the handbook contains an introduction, disclaimer and acknowledgment statement, message from the commission and employee guidelines.

The draft copy contains the statement, "Employment with the county is at will, meaning that employment may be terminated by the facility or an employee at any time without restriction."

"At will" employment could possibly mean employ-

ees have no job security when new officials are elected. Present laws safeguard all county employee jobs with the exception of the chief deputy.

Newly elected officials may appoint a new chief deputy when they take office.

"Changes will be made in the handbook," county manager Nick Pappas said. "Revisions, changes and updates will be made to make the handbook more consistent with federal and state laws."

The handbook will not take effect until after a new

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Student 'adopt-a-block' plan to clean Capitan

The Capitan Chamber of Commerce spent the major portion of its Monday meeting discussion a project proposed by Frank Miller. Miller was appointed chairman of the project.

Under the plan, Capitan School classes would each adopt a block in the Village of Capitan and help keep it clean. This would be an on-going project and prizes would be awarded.

Miller said he has \$125

committed to the project so far.

High school principal Bill Stowe agreed to help move the project forward from the school angle.

It was announced that the final count for entries in the recent Smokey Bear Stampede Parade stood at 54.

The chamber will run an ad in the vacation guide of the New Mexico Magazine in January.

The chamber meets the 1st Monday of the month at the Smokey Bear Restaurant, 11:30 a.m.

It also sponsors bingo on Thursday nights in the building east of the bank. The door opens at 6 p.m.; bingo begins at 7.

Capitan village council

Chairman Frank Warth of the planning and zoning commission told the Capitan village council Monday night that the street numbering of homes in Capitan is 50 percent completed.

The fiscal budget for 1989-90 has received final approval of the DFA and the village council.

After some discussion, Guy Henley was reappointed to the gas board.

Engineer Jack Atkins told the council that well #2 is producing good water at 650 feet. The second well will be equipped with a diesel generator. Various parts of the second well will be interchangeable with the first well.

A joint powers agreement will be drawn up by village

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Hefker to compete for state fair queen title

Marcia Hefker of Carrizozo, 1989 Lincoln County Fair Queen, will compete for the title of New Mexico State Fair Queen in Albuquerque Sept. 16-20.

The 21 contestants will participate in five rodeo grand entries. The horsemanship and riding competitions will be held in Tingley Coliseum Sept. 17 and 18 at 10 a.m. The queen's luncheon and personality contest will be at the Ramada Classic Hotel Sept. 20.

The 1990 New Mexico

State Fair Queen will be crowned at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 20.

Marcia is a 1989 graduate of Carrizozo High School and is attending New Mexico State University. Her parents are Jack and Sharon Hefker of Carrizozo.

Bells to ring out Sunday

A ringing tribute to the signing of the United States Constitution will be held Sunday, Sept. 17 starting at 4 p.m. E.D.T. (2 p.m. New Mexico time).

Individuals and groups across the nation will simultaneously ring bells for up to 202 seconds.

On this date in 1787, 39 men signed their names to a document which established the world's first government of the people, by the people and for the people.

To commemorate the historic moment when the constitution was signed, the Commission on the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution is inviting every American and every institution from religious and educational to social, service and professional to join in Bells Across America, a Ringing Tribute to the constitution.

The tribute can be made with bells, chimes and carillons to echo the sentiments of a grateful nation. During the ceremony Americans can reflect upon the blessings of liberty and the ideals of justice and equal opportunity made possible by the constitution.

The past couple of years we have only had April for spring bear season. Bears typically hibernate until the second week of May. Having bear hunting season in April is the same as not having a spring bear hunt. There are a few bears that move around in late April but the majority sleep until mid-May.

District Court Docket

12th Judicial District Div. III court docket for Judge Parsons for week of September 18-September 23:

Monday, Sept. 18
9:00 a.m.—Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. vs. Allen H. Jacobs, 1 day.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. vs. Alfredo Parra, et al. 1:30 p.m.—Joseph P. Mulqueen vs. Doran-Smith Enterprises, et al. Pre-trial.
2:30 p.m.—Ira Regard d/b/a Sandrine Realty vs. John W. Delling, et al.

Tuesday, Sept. 19
9:00 a.m.—State vs. Doug Burns (Otero) Jury trial. —2 days.

Wednesday, Sept. 20
9:00 a.m.—State vs. Doug Burns (Otero) Jury trial. —2 days.

1:30 p.m.—Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. vs. Thomas Skidney Orr, et al.

Thursday, Sept. 21
9:00 a.m.—Walker Strada vs. Manuel Oguin, et al. Socorro County, 1 day.

4:00 p.m.—Ruidoso State Bank vs. Fred R. Heckman, et al.

Friday, Sept. 22
9:00 a.m.—Continuation of State vs. Burns jury trial if necessary.

10:00 a.m.—State vs. Luis Chavez, pre-trial conf.
11:00 a.m.—Cadle Company of Okla. Inc. vs. Danny C. Cline, et al. Motion.

Saturday, Sept. 23
9:00 a.m.—State vs. Philip Somers, 1st. day.

Weather has nothing to do with summer bear problem

By ROBERT RUNNELS

New Mexico Game officials would like to blame the recent bear problems on the dry spring and summer. The entire southwest is typically dry country and there have been many dry years.

Mother Nature always provides for the bear. Maybe there was not a bumper acorn crop this year but there have been many similar years.

Bears are much like hogs; they can eat anything. In the spring and during the summer bears graze on green grass just as a cow does. Bears eat many different kinds of herbaceous plants, roots, grubs, bugs, bees, and yellow jackets.

After the nuts and berries get ripe, usually in mid-August through September, bears live almost entirely on acorns, juniper berries, pinons, mesquite beans, choke cherries, raspberries, elderberries, prickly pear apples, and various other wild fruits and nuts.

Bear food was not produced everywhere but there are isolated pockets throughout the mountains where there is plenty of food. If the truth were known, the Arabela bears didn't move off the Capitan Mountain because they were sheep hungry. There is a food source somewhere in that area that is drawing the bears.

Juniper berries, prickly pear apples, live oak acorns, or something that bears eat has concentrated the bears in the Arabella area.

The sheep were there and naturally a few of the bears in the area decided to try some lamb chops. I can guarantee that all the bears killed in that area were not killing sheep.

The Capitan Mountains comprise some big country. The East Mountain alone is approximately 25 miles long. The country is rough and rugged and there are many bears that call it home.

The 23 bears killed by Game officials and sheep ranchers did not dent the bear population in the Capitan Mountains. However, it is too bad that these bears were not relocated or harvested instead of being wasted.

The past couple of years we have only had April for spring bear season. Bears typically hibernate until the second week of May. Having bear hunting season in April is the same as not having a spring bear hunt. There are a few bears that move around in late April but the majority sleep until mid-May.

The majority of the bear problems this summer have been in August. The bear season wasn't open this year in August as it has been in the past.

Contrary to what Game and Fish officials would like us to believe, bear populations in the Capitan Mountains, White Mountains, Sandia Mountains, and most other areas, may be overpopulated. We ought to be talking about increasing seasons and harvesting some bears rather than closing the season.

I have to ask, if I have too many bear in town and the bear are killing livestock, do we really want to close the season and raise more bears?

I, for one, like most outfitters and true sportsmen, don't ever want to see any game species endangered. However, we can lean too heavily toward over-protection.

Anyone interested in helping restore the August bear season in the fall and the May bear season in the spring, please contact your New Mexico State Game Commission and let them know your thoughts. Also

plan to attend the Game Commission meeting Sept. 22 and 23 in Santa Fe. All big game seasons for 1990 will be set at this meeting.

New Mexico Game Commissioners addresses:

Commissioner Gerald Maestas, chairman, New Mexico State Game Commission, Unit 1, Box 15, La Puzblo Rd., Espanola, NM 87532.

Mrs. Christine DiGregorio, Commissioner, 1103 Susan, Gallup, NM 87301.

Dr. Thomas P. Arvas, Commissioner, 9204 Menual NE, Albuquerque, NM 87112.

Richard A. Allgood, Commissioner, P.O. Box 1379,

Silver City, NM 88062.

Bob Jones, Commissioner, Slash Triangle Ranch, Dell City, TX 79837.

Robert Runnels has a BS degree in range management and wildlife biology from New Mexico State University, Las Cruces. He worked for the US Forest Service for 14 years, serving as a specialist in range management and wildlife biology in Gila National Forest, Santa Fe National Forest and Carson National Forest. For the past eight years he has been affiliated with a family-operated Runnels Outfitter Guide Service out of Capitan.

Take a bear, don't kill it Killgo objects to News' bear killing article

Larry Killgo, district supervisor of USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service animal damage control division, objected to the News' coverage of the bear slaughter in Lincoln County.

Killgo said the animal damage control program was started in 1931 for the purpose of helping agricultural producers with any animal that impacts crops or agriculture.

"Our job is to alleviate the damage," Killgo said. He added that the program is very controversial and, "We realize many people don't go along with our program."

The main thing Killgo objected to about the article was the use of the word "slaughter." According to the New American Webster Dictionary, slaughter means "to kill."

Killgo preferred to use the term "take" when he spoke of killing the bears. He said the New Mexico Game and Fish Department had instructed animal damage control officers to "take the animal." Several times during the phone conversation with Killgo he used the term "take" instead of saying the bears were killed.

He said the bears are in poor condition at this time and want to "eat a lot before winter and hibernation." He said the bears become gluttons and forage to get their bodies in condition for the annual hibernation.

Killgo denied using non-resident hunters and stated airplanes and helicopters are not used to chase bears out of the forest.

"Using dogs is the most efficient way to take a bear," Killgo said. "It is the easiest way to track a bear to a tree and then shoot the bear in the tree."

All killing of bears is conducted under the supervision of the USDA animal damage control program which is under the umbrella of the New Mexico Game and Fish Department.

"We feel we run a very professional program here,"

he said. "We have to go by the book because we are under scrutiny by everyone. There is no room for error with wild animals."

He did admit the bear remains are being left in fields according to instruction by the Game and Fish to "let nature take its course." He said the hides are worthless and the meat is not good because the bears are in such poor condition.

The last bear was killed Sept. 1 and as of 3:50 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Killgo said, "We are not actively pursuing bears at this time but we are getting more reports of bears in the area."

"We don't relish killing bears," he said and added the Game and Fish will not move the bears that are killing sheep or other domestic livestock. He did say one bear cub was taken to the Clovis Zoo.

Apparently his office is receiving calls of a mountain lion making a kill every week or two. The mountain lion makes a 30-mile circle during that time.

The animal damage control program is 90 percent coyote control in Lincoln County. Funding for the program comes from county funds, state and federal cooperatives, rebates from the farm and range improvement fund and the enabling act which is a tax on sheep and cattle.

Killgo said he hoped recent rains in the area would alleviate the problem of the bears killing for food.

Those participating in the bear killings are three personnel from animal damage control and Killgo, assisted by ranchers in the area.

A permit is required from the Game and Fish to kill a game animal, even when the agency supervising the killing is another governmental agency.

Ranchers are legally allowed to kill game animals when the predators are found killing livestock.

Petty...

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(EDC/LC) was approved for the county to provide 3/16th mill, as collected, to EDC/LC. EDC is to furnish quarterly reports to the commission.

County clerk Martha Proctor was given permission to proceed with the purchase of five reconditioned voting machines, contingent on approval by the state department of finance and administration.

The 6.15 levy on property in Sun Valley Sanitation District was approved. The assessor will levy the tax.

Budget increase of \$2,517.50 for unbudgeted revenues for Bonito Fire Department was approved.

Five members were appointed to the Lincoln County Fair Board. Reappointed were Gordon Barham, Linda Fuchs, and Hub Traylor. Candy Trujillo was appointed to replace Mack Bell and Debbie Bird was appointed to replace Inez Marrs.

Maggi Bohks was appointed civil preparedness coordinator.

Action to appoint five alternates for the Lincoln County Personnel Board (grievance board) was tabled.

Len Stokes presented information about landfills.

Card of Thanks

Special thanks to Freda McSwain and the EMT's, the Lincoln County Medical Center Emergency Room people, and Dr. Hall who headed the emergency room. Thanks to Rev. Johnnie Johnson and the musicians, and to the staff at Lorraine Funeral Chapel for their assistance during the sudden illness and death of our beloved Iris Crane.

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FROM THE LEFT, Commander Robin Crouse, Chris Shanks, Tammy Longbotham and President Toni Otero.

Reorganized American Legion holds banquet in Capitan

Capitan's American Legion Post 57 and auxiliary held a banquet Sept. 11 with 36 attending. Boys State and Girls State representatives were featured speakers.

American Legion Post 57 sponsored Capitan High School senior Chris Shanks to Boys State in Socorro. The auxiliary sponsored Tammy Longbotham to Girls State in Las Vegas, NM.

Shanks said he won the primary for county commissioner, but lost the general election by one vote. He said the most important thing he learned was patriotism. Shanks became city clerk.

Longbotham learned "You've got to help each other." She became an election official after unsuccessful attempts at other offices.

Tammy felt the debates were outstanding. Both speakers were accompanied by their parents at the banquet.

The Legion is an organization of those men and women who laid aside their own everyday lives to answer the call of the nation to serve in national defense. The Legion boasts a membership of nearly 3 million in some 16,000 posts.

Post 57 meets the 1st Monday of the month at 7 p.m. The fairgrounds is the meeting place.

Officers are Robin Crouse, commander, Frankie Silva, vice-commander, Robert Stephens, executive officer, Edwin Kettler, chaplain, Floyd Danielson, finance officer, Herman Otero, sergeant-at-arms and

Maggie Trujillo, service officer.

Toni Otero is the president of the auxiliary, Thelma Stephens, vice-president, Pat Bailey, treasurer, Mae Crouse, secretary, and Erma Trujillo, historian. The post sponsored a baseball team this summer in Ruidoso. Bob Sims was manager and Terry Cox was coach. The team won its division.

The flag project on holidays is a joint venture with the Capitan Chamber of Commerce. The flag pole at the Capitan Cemetery was constructed and is manned by the Legion. The post conducts Memorial Day ceremonies and ceremonies for Veteran's Day. When requested,

the military portion of funerals is also done.

Post 57 was named after James Hipp. It was re-activated March 8, 1988.

The activities committee is chaired by Herman Otero and consists of Maggie Trujillo, Bob Sims and Roland Bailey. Frankie Silva is chairman of the membership committee. Ed Kettler, Mike Otero and Floyd Danielson also serve on the committee. Roland Bailey is chairman of the information, business and flag committee. Bob Stephens is chairman of the firing squad. Robin Crouse, Art Blazer, Maggie Trujillo, Mike Otero, Bob Sims and Frankie Silva also serve on the committee.

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attorney Don Dutton to allow the village and the Capitan-Carrizozo Natural Gas Association to use each other's equipment in emergencies. This agreement must be approved by the DFA.

Dr. Reimann commented on solid waste. He said the village operation depends on what the county does. He recommended that the village join the county effort.

Coker proclaimed the week of Oct. 1-7 as Mental

Illness Awareness Week in Capitan and Sept. 17 as "Bells Across America Day."

The Water Defense Association was represented by Hubert Quintana. Quintana said the attorneys have been paid. \$225,000 has been set aside for the appeal.

The Capitan Village Council meets the 2nd Monday of the month, 7 p.m. at the village hall.



ELLEN EARNHARDT Morrison was in Capitan Sept. 6 to sign copies of her book "Guardian of the Forest." Pictured, l. to r., Ray Bell, Dorothy Guck, Smokey, Morrison and Willie Hobbs. Bell took Smokey to the vet in Santa Fe. His wife got the bear cub to eat. Smokey was flown to Washington, DC by Frank Hines of Hobbs. It was Bell's idea to make Smokey the living symbol of the poster. He now lives in Las Cruces. Guck helped gather copy for the book. Hobbs operates the Smokey Bear Museum in Capitan.

Carrizozo school students display art at State Fair

Carrizozo school students from kindergarten to 12th grade are showing their talent at the New Mexico State Fair school art display.

On the east end of the flower building, fair visitors will find 2,500 to 3,000 works of art displayed by students from state-supported schools and private, public and parochial schools.

"All the kids will be recognized with ribbons. It's not a competition. It's a recognition. We're not out to make Picassos," says Vicki Breen, art consultant for the New Mexico Department of Education.

From the exhibit last year, Breen has designed a school-art poster given away this year at the school art display. The student art was selected from works of art representing 50 schools and districts.

Thirteen pieces of student artwork from the schools participating this

year will go onto the 1990 poster.

With this recognition of student work, the department provides an illustration of artistic growth and development kindergarten through grade twelve.

Carrizozo student art work at the State Fair in Albuquerque is represented in pencil, pastel, collage, crayon, ink, tempera, watercolor, paper weaving, colored pencil, computer graphics, cut paper, markers, and crayon resist, a method where an image is colored in heavy wax crayon and a watercolor wash is applied to entire surface.

This year's art program at Carrizozo schools, under Polly Chavez, is helping students recognize the five basic elements of shape in drawing. An inclusion of art history will contribute to the students visual language as well as experiments in "scissoring," pasting and folding.

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Ernest V. Joiner's OPINION

● Every day, it seems, the media report the deadly impact of another food or drink on the health of American consumers. It can be said with some certainty that whatever we eat, drink, breathe, wear, live in or travel in contribute to poor health and even death. The American people have been scared pantsless. They have been convinced by "authorities" that if they get out of bed in the morning they will come down with cancer, and if they stay in bed in the morning they will develop heart disease. Maybe all this is why we have such a high suicide rate. Rather than die of any or all of the above, the logical approach is to end it all with a bullet in the brain.

● Now we have a new and different danger to confront in our quest for survival. Jack D. Key, formerly of Carrizozo and now medical librarian at the prestigious Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN has supplied me with a copy of the Minnesota Daily dated June 13, 1989 which has an engaging headline, "Cow emissions could endanger ozone layer." It was written by Michael Olenick, a staff reporter for the Daily, a point I include to escape responsibility for concocting the story myself. From here on it is Mr. Olenick speaking:

● Aerosol cans, car exhaust and power plants aren't the only causes of global warming. Scientists think they smell a new culprit which may be a bit more difficult to control. Methane gas emitted by cows—in other words, cow farts—is believed to be an additional major cause of global warming, according to Donald Johnson, an animal scientist at Colorado State University. "From what I understand, methane is something like 18 percent of the warming problem," Johnson said in a telephone interview.

● Carbon dioxide from such sources as power plants and automobile exhaust are the main cause of global warming, followed by chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) in refrigerator coolant and aerosol cans, he said. Methane could become the second major cause of warming if federal legislators ban chlorofluorocarbons, said Johnson, who is recognized as an expert in animal energetics, or the study of how animals process food energy. While all animals, including humans, emit methane through flatulence, the multiple digestive tracts of cows and other ruminants produce a relatively large amount of the gas, he said.

● Other ruminants besides cows, include antelope, deer and sheep, according to Dick Goodrich, professor and head of the university's animal science department. "Presently the best estimates say that cattle and livestock are one of the five major sources of

● Cows emit an average of five liters of methane a day, according to Phil Goodrich, a university professor of animal sciences. Currently, research is underway to determine exactly how much methane cows and other ruminants produce and how the amount can be reduced. One method involves the use of antibiotic-like substances, called ionophores, which reduce methane production. Another possibility is to change the eating habit of cows by feeding them a less gas-producing diet. The research is being funded by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

● Four other major sources of methane are swamp gas, mining operations, rice paddies and the burning of forests, Johnson said. Cows are of particular concern to scientists because vast areas of South American rain forests are being razed and replaced with grazing land for cattle. Acting something like a giant sponge because they are so rich in plant life, rain forests convert carbon dioxide to oxygen and thus serve to maintain a balance between plant and animal life. Some scientists say that replacing rain forests with animals is tipping this balance.

● Global warming is caused by pollutants being poured into the atmosphere. These pollutants act as a blanket around the Earth, preventing excessive heat from escaping back into space.

● Now, back to me. What will our environmentalists do now that they have been acquainted with scientific evidence that nursing animal wildlife is more important to human survival than Houston loads or oil spills? We already have laws putting air bags on cars manufactured after next year. Shall we push for laws putting air bags on people and animals, collect the methane gas and dump it into a giant reservoir to provide a powerful source of energy that replaces the hated nuclear power plants? As for me, I will not take the bullet way out of all this. I want to hang around and watch the steady forward march of civilization.

● Meanwhile, don't walk behind the cow.

ED FISCHER



Behind the headlines

Fiscal finagling on Capitol Hill; or, turning deficits into assets

By PHILIP C. CLARKE

Despite all its talk about cutting government spending, congress is taking no chances on running out of money.

By year's end, congress is expected once again to raise the legal limit on the national debt—this time to at least three trillion dollars. That's a better than 300 percent increase since 1980 when the national debt stood at \$908 billion.

The late Senator Everett Dirksen once admonished his colleagues that "if you add a billion here and a billion there, the first thing you know you're talking about real money." Today, he'd probably change that to "a trillion here and a trillion there."

Nonetheless, the financial wizards on Capitol Hill have devised some creative ways to make it appear congress is reducing outlays when, actually, spending continues to rise.

For example, congress has passed a resolution to reduce the federal deficit by \$28 billion in fiscal year 1990 beginning this Oct. 1. The reduction is required to meet provisions of the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings Act of 1986. But nearly one-half of the \$28 billion cut will be achieved through what the Congressional Budget Office calls accounting devices and the one-time sale of government property.

Thus, the fiscal 1990 budget will show a \$470 million credit for uncashed food stamps. And \$800 million in farm subsidies, scheduled for fiscal 1990, will be made before October, so they will not appear on the 1990 books.

The Coalition for Sound Money, a private watchdog organization dedicated to monetary reform, cites the recent savings and loan bailout bill as another "monument to fiscal finagling."

The coalition's newsletter, *Money Matters*, says that although the bill is expected to cost between \$150 billion and \$250 billion over the next 30 years—and more than \$50 billion in the next two years—"it is written in such a way that it appears as a \$9 billion drop in total spending and the deficit for fiscal year 1990."

"The method used to accomplish this," said the coalition, "is to create a new corporation... authorize it to borrow money—money which is not included in the federal budget—and then have the taxpayers guarantee the new debt. The same method was used in 1987 when congress created and authorized the Financing Corporation for the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation."

Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation.

In the case of the new government "finagle," the \$50 billion borrowed by the (so-called) "private" Resolution Financing Corporation, or RFC, would appear in the federal budget as a reduction in both outlays and the deficit. "This bit of budgetary trickery," said the Coalition for Sound Money, "is justified on the basis that the RFC is required to turn over all the money it borrows to the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation or to another government corporation, the Resolution Trust Corporation, which is liquidating or merging failed S & L's."

Concluded the coalition's newsletter: "Despite the best efforts of politicians to hide the fact, the enormous cost of these programs will be paid

by the taxpayers, whether the programs are labelled 'off-budget' or 'on-budget.'"

Although much of the fiscal finagling on Capitol Hill escapes public scrutiny, most taxpayers are increasingly aware that basic economic rules are being ignored.

Citizens for a Sound Economy, a Washington-based group, says that in the past two years it has enlisted nearly 300,000 Americans in support of a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced budget and a limit on congressional tax increases. As Sadie Adamson of Fort Myers, Florida, said in a typical letter, "One rule all my life has been, 'live within your income.' I don't understand a group of supposedly intelligent congressmen doing otherwise with our national income."

Area ABWA to be formed

Area businesswomen now have the opportunity to share experiences with more than 100,000 women who are members of the American Business Women's Association (ABWA). The new chapter is being sponsored by Enchanted Chapter, Roswell, NM.

Spearheading the project are steering committee co-chairmen, Virginia Tingley and Norma Savage. "The mission of the American Business Women's Association is to bring together businesswomen of diverse backgrounds and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition," they said. Established in 1949,

ABWA has more than 100,000 members and 2,100 chapters throughout the United States and Puerto Rico.

ABWA members share a commitment to the educational advancement of women. Last year the association, through its local and national scholarship programs, awarded more than \$3,352 million to women.

Those interested in learning more about the new ABWA chapter are encouraged to attend a "get acquainted" meeting Sept. 19 at 7 p.m. at Texas New Mexico Power Co., 1100 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso. More information may be obtained by contacting Virginia Tingley, Box 457, Ruidoso, 257-9854 or Norma Savage, 304 S. Birch Ave., Roswell, phone 822-6832.

Federal loan to ENMR phone

WASHINGTON—Senator Pete Domenici, R-NM, has announced that the Clovis-based ENMR Telephone Cooperative has been granted a \$4.6 million loan from the Department of Agriculture's Rural Electrification Administration.

"I am pleased to announce that this money will allow ENMR to meet the tele-communications needs of the people in the 13 New Mexico counties that it serves," Domenici said.

The loan, issued at 8 percent interest over 15 years, will be used to finance new toll equipment at the cooperative's central office, phone engineering equipment, and financial systems improvements. ENMR currently serves the New Mexico counties of Curry, Union, Lincoln, Quay, Chavez, Roosevelt, Harding, Colfax, Santa Fe, San Miguel, Socorro, Guadalupe, De Baca, and Torrance; in addition to Farmer and Deaf Smith counties in West Texas.

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Inside The Capitol

By Jay Miller

SANTA FE—The GOP continues to make inroads on the Demo vote registration advantage according to figures released earlier this month.

According to the secretary of state's office, Demos now hold a 1.61 to 1 registration advantage. There is a footnote advising that Rio Arriba figures are not available. Shame on those people for embarrassing me like that. I had said so many good things about Rio Arriba last November for having gotten its general election vote reported a day or so before Bernalillo County. It seems like old times.

With the Rio Arriba County figures added in, the ratio will become something like a 1.64 to 1 Demo advantage. That is still no solace for the Demos. They have seen their numbers slip from a 2.5 to 1 advantage for many years to less than half that superiority now.

The GOP has been chipping away at its registration deficit, gaining about 6 percent a year recently. If they continue that pace, New Mexico would become a Republican state at just about the turn of the century.

Lincoln and Los Alamos counties remain the only ones to carry the GOP banner. Los Alamos just became a Republican county a year ago. It will soon be joined by Chavez County which has lowered its Demo advantage to 1.03 to 1, a 10 percent movement in a year.

GOP leaders can't wait for the day when populous Bernalillo County goes Republican. Party registration efforts have lowered that county's ratio to 1.22 to 1. San Juan County, at 1.19 to 1 is figured to precede Bernalillo County into the GOP column.

Or will the trend be stopped before New Mexico turns Republican? Demo efforts center on trying to get more voters registered. Their theory is that most of the unregistered are potential Democrats. Notice that efforts to make registration easier are always led by Democrats, both in New Mexico and anywhere else in the nation.

Republican leaders train their sights on registered Demos they feel are susceptible to being romanced away from their party. One knowledgeable source tells me GOP leaders are having great success recruiting Hispanics to run in 1990 legislative races across the state. Their hope is to woo other Hispanics into the party to support those candidates.

One area where Hispanic recruitment may not be the GOP strategy is Grant County. I have received a piece of paper that says it is a copy of an advertisement from the March 16, 1989 Silver City Daily Press. It was paid for by the Grant County Republican Committee.

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many candidates because they are concerned about maintaining the purity of the Republican breed. What if someone got elected whom we aren't really sure about? But Demos are accustomed to big fields in their primary races.

The Demo worry is that after the donnybrooks are over, the wounds often don't heal quickly enough for a unified effort in the general election. State Demo chairman Ray Powell is busily extracting pledges once again from all Demo statewide candidates that they will faithfully support the winners in next June's primaries.

Time will tell if Demo leaders will have any more success than usual in bringing some discipline to their party.

SANTA FE—State officials and private individuals are teaming to fight an important battle in New Mexico's war on drugs.

Gov. Garrey Carruthers is chairing the second New Mexico Red Ribbon Campaign, a volunteer effort aimed at educating New Mexicans about drugs and alcohol problems in their communities. Carruthers' personal commitment to the war on drugs has been strong ever since he took office.

The national co-chairs for the Red Ribbon campaign are New Mexicans Frank and Susan Borman. Susan is one of the founders of the organization, which had its beginning in Pade County, FL. Frank was president of the Miami-based Eastern Airlines at the time.

The purpose of the campaign is drug education, probably the most important of the tools for eliminating the drug scourge in this nation. Carruthers outlined the many problems involved with stopping the supply of drugs. Headlines from Colombia are ample evidence of the near impossibility of eliminating drug suppliers as long as the demand in the United States remains at its current level.

As long as our nation's tremendous addiction to drugs continues, drug traffic will never be stopped, according to Robert Kemble, secretary of the Department of Public Safety. "You can't win the war on the enforcement side," Kemble said. "You can only restrain it."

In the 1970s the Arab oil cartel was able to figure out that there was enough spendable income floating around in the United States to make \$1.50-a-gallon gasoline acceptable to our nation's consumers.

It appears that the world's drug lords must be using the same economists. They know they can raise the price of drugs high enough that it will easily cover any busts that may occur along the way.

With all the publicity surrounding the US government's massive aid to the Colombian drug crackdown effort, somebody is bound to suggest once again that drugs just be legalized. The claimed effect would be to drastically lower prices and make it no fun to be a drug lord any longer. In the stroke of a pen an entire class of criminals would be eliminated and drug dealing would be taken over by legitimate big businesses.

If this unlikely event were ever to transpire, it would make drug education programs even more important because it would be our only line of defense.

For the Democrats, the Red Ribbon Campaign is a labor of love. It is up to the GOP to get worried about too

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By the way

By P.E. Chavez



FAMILIES IN TRANSIT

Between 1840 and 1870, a quarter of a million Americans crossed the continental United States in one great migration West to claim free land in the Oregon and California Territories. They also went West to strike it rich by mining gold and silver.

Cooking, out-of-doors in all kinds of weather, driving oxen, collecting buffalo chips and weeds to build fires, helping to pitch the tent, washing on river banks. These chores were described by the women who journeyed west. The work of packing and unpacking was dreaded and never-ending. It had to be done at major river crossings, after heavy rains, and when wagons got stuck in the mud.

"Women's Diaries of the Westward Journey" tells of fighting the Indians, the terror of buffalo stampedes, battling cholera, measles and mountain fever. Accidents, hunger and deaths are recorded as daily occurrences.

"I write on my lap with the wind rocking the wagon," penned Algine Ashley.

When I traveled by plane to Houston I wrote on my lap and didn't even feel the "air pockets" I had been warned about.

How times change.

QUITE MERCHANTS

"Even though there's a militant bunch of non-smokers and a no-smoking law in Albuquerque, it is interesting to note that none of the Duke City merchants turned down any of the \$2.9 million brought in to the city from people attending the national tennis tournament a couple of weeks ago, sponsored by Virginia Slims cigarettes," writes Chuck Mittlestadt in his Hobbs Flare column.

WHERE'S GRANDMA?

If Carrizozo merchants do not mind the money spent in nearby communities by

local residents, who should?

There are even enterprising business people who travel to Carrizozo to help us cart our money off.

How about that meal-on-wheels deal in the form of frozen goodies delivered to Carrizozo driveways and to our ranching neighbors every other Thursday?

And how about the candy and nuts in baskets that make the rounds in Carrizozo? The person conducting brisk business does not look like Little Red Riding Hood, but I do believe he lives near tall pines in the land of milk and yummy.

CATERED MEALS

The Great Montana Centennial Cattle Drive is a six-day, 60-mile journey from Roundup, MT to the stockyards of Billings. It is the largest spectacle in Montana's year-long celebration of its birthday as a state.

The cattle, herded by a band of 105 drovers, was joined by a contingent of about 300 covered wagons and 3,000 riders prepared to spend a week on the trail. Whistling and whopping drovers in bright yellow slickers and waving lassos and bullwhips urge the steers along the trail. Trucks brought 200,000 gallons of

water and 70 tons of hay each day to the animals.

On the trail, even the riders ate catered meals and were entertained nightly by country-western performers. How times change.

CHILD NEGLECT CHARGES

Socorro parents who do not ensure that their children are attending school this year will face misdemeanor charges of child neglect. District Attorney Lee Deschamps received full backing from the school for his effort to cut down on truancy in Socorro schools.

The DA will receive weekly reports on attendance to monitor children who are absent. He also offered to work with the school on a drug policy to ensure that the schools are within the law in the way they handled drugs.

LAUGH AT THE LAW

Policeman to burglars: "Did you guys come in by the front door?"

A Lincoln, NB ordinance makes it illegal for burglars to come in or go out the front door.

Obituary

WILLIAM S. NORMAN

William S. Norman, 96, died at his home in Albuquerque Sunday.

He was born Oct. 22, 1892 in Lincoln and lived in Lincoln County many years.

Mr. Norman was reared and married in Lincoln County. His wife Laura preceded him in death in 1976. His family owned the Wortley Hotel in Lincoln.

He was an engineer with Southern Pacific Railroad and lived in Carrizozo and Tucumcari until he retired in 1957 and moved to Albuquerque. He was a member of Elks Lodge 1172 in Tucumcari, American Legion in Carrizozo, a World War I Navy veteran and a lifetime honorary member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He was a member of St. Bernadette's Catholic Church in Albuquerque. Survivors are two

daughters, Edith G. Manfredi and husband Frank; Jane LaRue and husband Jim, all of Albuquerque; six grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren; sister-in-law Josephine "Pi" Norman of Alamogordo; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral Mass was held Sept. 13 at St. Bernadette's Catholic Church in Albuquerque and burial was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Albuquerque. Memorial contributions may be made to HOSPICE, Hospital Home-Care, Inc., 405 Grand Ave. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87102.

DR. TURNER DIES

Dr. James P. Turner of Pajo Pajo, American Samoa, died Sept. 10. A complete obituary will be announced later. He was a former resident of Carrizozo.



BETHANY SANCHEZ, 7, daughter of Reyes and Yvonne Sanchez of San Patricio, recently competed in the "Kids of America" grand finale in Dallas, TX. She placed 2nd in the showbiz competition singing a patriotic medley. She finished in the top 10 finalist in the 7 to 9 year old division. Bethany is a 3rd grader at Hondo Valley Public Schools.

FmHA farm borrowers invited to meeting

Lincoln County farmers with loans from the Farmers Home Administration are invited to a meeting on Sept. 25 on how FmHA's computer program is used in considering loan servicing options such as rescheduling and writedowns, according to FmHA County Supervisor Woods.

The meeting will be at 1 p.m. at Southwestern Public Service Bldg., Board Room, 111 E. 5th St., Roswell.

Woods said the meeting is particularly important for FmHA borrowers behind in their payments and those

having difficulty with their loans.

"We will go over all the options available to those borrowers and explain how to go about finding one that will keep them in operation," he said. "We will be putting emphasis on the Debt and Loan Restructuring (DALRS) computer program that was developed just for this purpose."

Woods said DALRS does many mathematical calculations quickly and in a number of combinations in helping in the analysis of farm financial plans.

Inside . . .

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of love, Susan Borman says her prayer is that our drug problem hasn't gone too far to stop. She says the battle against drugs will have to be fought just like the effort to defeat polio—with a broad-based fundraising effort similar to the March of Dimes. She says the answer is "money, money, money" to finance the necessary education efforts.

Frank Borman responded that the reason he and his wife moved to Las Cruces from the Miami area is that they lost all their friends in Florida by continually asking them for contributions to the Red Ribbon Campaign.

Carruthers says 278,000 New Mexicans participated in the campaign last year by wearing the distinctive red ribbons. The goal this year is to distribute 600,000 ribbons during Red Ribbon Week, Oct. 22-29.

Parents for Drug Free Youth is directing this year's program under a contract with the Governor's Sub-

stance Abuse Advisory Council, according to Carruthers.

Secretary Kemble, who says he has known the Bormans "longer than any of us would like you to know," revealed many disturbing statistics about New Mexico's drug problem among our youth. He says 80 percent are there because of offenses related to substance abuse. Either they were under the influence of drugs when they committed their crimes or they were stealing in order to purchase drugs.

Carruthers disclosed that youth are the only group in New Mexico in which the death rate is increasing and that is largely due to drugs. About 65 percent of young suicides in our state are related to drug or alcohol abuse, according to the governor.

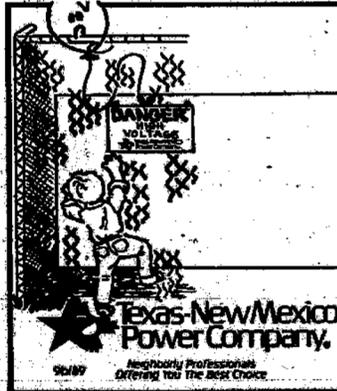
With statistics like that looking us in the face, we must wish Carruthers and the Bormans well with their campaign, and let us all pitch in to help any way we can.

Paul & Susie Luchsinger Psalms Ministries



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CAPITAN NEWS

By Margaret Rench



25 of rain last week. We awakened to 24 degrees Monday morning.

The senior volleyball team of Capitan played Cloudcroft Friday and Saturday and won their games. The junior team will play in Tularosa Thursday.

The football team played Texico last Friday and lost 21 to 6. The homecoming game will be with Tatum Friday.

The Junior Riding play day last Sunday is the last for this season.

The Capitan Junior Brownie Girls are going to meet every Tuesday after school.

Bow deer hunting season is now on.

The Smokey Bear Museum has 944 registered visitors last week. Among them last Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith of Corpus Christi, TX with his two sisters, Lola Alga Bearden of Avery, TX and Laverne Shultz of Hereford, TX. Their love and kindness for one another was shining. Mr. and Mrs. Smith celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary July 15. They were on TV at that time. He will celebrate his 70th year Sept. 24. I wish him many more healthy happy birthdays and many more years of wedded bliss. Your papers will be sent to Lavere Schultz, Hereford, TX.

They were registered in Ruidoso and are just touring this area. From here they were going to the Malpais, Carrizozo.

George and Elaine Beaudry just returned from a month's trip to England, Scotland and Wales. They visited relatives of the Beaudry clan for the first time and had a wonderful time. The scenery was spectacular and the food sublime. Their only complaint was trying to get accustomed to driving on the left side on narrow country roads.

Happy birthday to Doria Salazar, 18, Sept. 7; Lois Coons, Sept. 11; Bud Payne, Sept. 10; and Richard Pine, Sept. 12.

Angie returned from Czechoslovakia. She reports the trip to a communist country was very different but interesting. Her friends are looking forward to seeing pictures she had taken and glad that Angie made it home safely.

Richard Purcella of Albuquerque spent last weekend with his parents, Rae and Andy Purcella.

The Curtis Payne family enjoyed Sunday dinner with Dorothy and Bud Payne in Carrizozo celebrating Bud's birthday. Also attending were Darlene and Kevin Gilliland of Tularosa and Jim and Sandy Robinson of Roswell.

Mike and Julie Krause, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Banfro of Capitan, were in

ginia Beach, and became parents of a daughter, Jessica June born Sept. 4. They will be transferred to El Paso, TX in January.

Mary Dean underwent surgery in the Eastern New Mexico Medical Center in Roswell Monday morning. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Our deepest sympathy to Lou Roberts and her relatives on the death of her husband, Melvin Roberts. Memorial services were held Sept. 9. He was buried in Portales. Lou is a teacher in our school.

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Fred Gehring of Grants died in the hospital in Albuquerque August 26. His survivors are his wife Billie and sister Lucille Tiffin of Canyon City, CO.

New teachers, staff at Corona introduced

Corona School Superintendent Lucille King announced nine new staff members at Corona School for the 1989-90 school year.

Walter "Wally" Feldman will be part-time principal, social studies teacher, and coach. He received his bachelor's degree from Lubbock Christian in Texas and a masters degree from West Texas State. He taught seven years at Bovina, TX. He and his wife have three children.

Leon Porter is vocational agricultural teacher, science teacher and coach. He received his bachelor's degree and master's degree from New Mexico State University. He taught four years at Murray College and Kiowa High School in Oklahoma. Porter is originally from Tularosa. He and his wife have one child.

Business teacher Robin Rhodes will teach several computer classes. This is her first year to teach. She is from Ruidoso and earned her bachelor's degree at NMSU.

Jennifer Tubbs will teach 5th and 6th grades and be part-time counselor. She has a bachelor's degree from NMSU. She has taught one and one-half years in Las Cruces and Dumas, TX. Originally from Deming, she married Leon Tubbs, formerly of Corona. He works at the experimental ranch at Corona for NMSU.

Helen Kremke has two years experience in Indiana. She will teach special education. She earned her bachelor's degree from Indiana State University. She has one son.

Cathy Heckendorn teaches 3rd and 4th grades. She taught one year at Hondo Valley Schools. Cathy is a former resident of Tucumcari and earned her bachelor's degree at NMSU. Her husband is John Heckendorn, an

employee at United New Mexico Bank in Carrizozo. Ann Dee Porter is instructional assistant at the high school. Her husband is Leon Porter.

Terry Brown is instructional assistant at the elementary school. Her husband is Dennis Brown, a New Mexico state police officer. They have two daughters.

Joie Alirez of Corona is assistant cook. She is married to Mike Alirez.

Tigers lose to Texico; brace for homecoming

The Capitan Tigers traveled to Texico Sept. 8 and lost to the Wolverines 21-3.

Once again fumbles and mistakes hurt the Tigers.

Dan Seay got the Tigers on the scoreboard first with a 26 yard field goal.

Stormy Trost did a good job for the Tigers at center. Ronald Reynolds, Larry

McEuen and Heath Huey looked good on defense.

Friday, Sept. 15, is homecoming in Capitan. The Tigers play the Hagerman Bobcats in Tiger Stadium. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

David Lynn is in his 1st year as head coach at Hagerman. The Bobcats were 5-5 last year, 3-2 in district play.

The Hagerman defense is sound. Coach Lynn said "to win close games we'll have to develop our offense. One thing I really like is our team speed."

The Tigers continue to improve gradually as they get playing time and experience. Many feel that this will

be a close game.

The homecoming queen will be chosen from seniors Lora McKay, Kim Eckland and Tonya Payton.

Representing the 11th grade will be Kammi Jolly. Micki Griegi will represent the 10th grade in the queen's court, and Kelly Cox will represent the 9th grade.

There will be a homecoming dance after the game.

Tigerettes win Cloudcroft tournament

The Capitan Lady Tigers fought hard in the championship game to defeat Texico and win the Cloudcroft Tournament.

Coach Pam Allen said her girls won the tournament with "pure determination and a fighting heart."

Capitan opened play Sept. 8 defeating Grady 15-11, 15-12 and 15-2. Karie Cox looked good with 10 straight points in the 1st game. Kelly Witter contributed 4 straight points in the 2nd game. Steady Lora McKay helped out with 7 points in the 3rd game.

The Lady Tigers tasted

victory once again in semi-final action dumping Dexter 15-7, 8-15, 15-5 and 15-6.

Karie Cox and Vickie Sedillo fired off 4 points each in the 1st game. Lora McKay had 5 points in the 3rd game, and Karie Cox led the way for Capitan in the 4th game with 9 points.

Texico proved to be a formidable foe. The championship match went 11-15, 15-8, 15-11, 10-15 and 15-13.

Capitan scoring leaders are: 1st game, McKay 5, Sedillo 3; 2nd game, Cox 8, Sedillo 6; 3rd game, Cindy Castillo 4, Kim Eckland, Lesley LaRue and Karie Cox,

Reward offered

Ruidoso CrimeStoppers has offered a reward for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of Elmo Silva. Silva is the man alleged to have raped a woman in Ruidoso Aug. 27. Silva, 28, is 5 feet 8 inches or 9 inches tall, His-

panic, has a slight mustache, medium build, and has tattoos on his knuckles and arms. Silva is considered to be armed and could be dangerous.

Any person with information about Silva is asked to contact CrimeStoppers.

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

GREETINGS:
You and each of you are hereby notified that TRANS-AMERICA FINANCIAL SERVICES, as plaintiff, has filed an action in the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, civil docket no. CV-89-155, Div. III, wherein said plaintiff seeks to obtain constructive service of process upon you.

The general object of said action is Complaint for Foreclosure of Mortgage.

You and each of you are further notified that unless you enter your appearance on or before the 15th day of October, 1989, judgment will be rendered against you by default, and the relief prayed for in the complaint will be granted.

The name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is: Darrell N. Brantley, 1216 New York Avenue, Alamogordo, New Mexico 88310.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 21st day of August, 1989.

MARGO LINDSAY, CLERK.

By: Elizabeth Lueras, Deputy.

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ELECTION NOTICE (Second Notice)

UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

To all owners of land lying within the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District, in the counties of Lincoln, and Chaves, in the State of New Mexico.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of October, 1989 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., an election will be held to elect one supervisor of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District in accordance with the Soil and Water Conservation District Act of the State.

The position up for reelection on the district board is currently being held by Paul H. Jones. All persons, firms, and corporations who shall hold title to or shall be in possession of any lands lying within Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District as owners are eligible to vote.

The annual meeting will be held at Capitan School Cafeteria beginning 7:00 p.m. Please note the change in meeting place - from Fairgrounds to School. Additional nominations from the floor may be made at that time.

The polling place for the election is as follows: Soil Conservation Service Office, Hwy 280 West, Capitan, NM 88316.

Eligible voters residing within the district shall obtain and cast their ballots at the polling place. Eligible voters who will be absent on the day of the election may apply in person or in writing to Sue Stearns, Election Superintendent, at Box 900, Capitan, New Mexico, for absentee ballot, or obtain a ballot at the office, Hwy 280 West, Capitan. Absentee ballots will be available on September 15, 1989.

Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned or possessed, and interest therein, and shall return a completed ballot by October 4, 1989.

Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District, Shirley Goodloe, Chairman.

Dated 14th day of September, 1989.

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ELECTION NOTICE (Second Notice) CARRIZOZO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

To all owners of land lying within the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District, in the counties of Lincoln, Socorro, and Torrance, in the State of New Mexico.

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of October, 1989 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., an election will be held to elect two supervisors of the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District in accordance with the Soil and Water Conservation District Act of the State.

The position(s) up for reelection on the district board is currently being held by William G. Bryan and Billy Bob Shafer.

All persons, firms, and corporations who shall hold title to or shall be in possession of any lands lying within Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District as owners are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms, and corporations are eligible to vote.

The polling place for the election is as follows: Soil Conservation Service, Courthouse Annex Upstairs, Carrizozo.

Eligible voters residing within the district shall obtain and cast their ballots at the polling place. Eligible voters who will be absent on the day of the election may apply in person or in writing to Sue Stearns, Election Superintendent, at Box 457, Carrizozo, New Mexico, for absentee ballot, or obtain a ballot at SCS Office, Courthouse Annex. Absentee ballots will be available on September 18, 1989.

Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned or possessed, and interest therein, and shall return a completed ballot October 2, 1989.

Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District, William G. Bryan, Chairman.

Dated 14th day of September, 1989.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo did on September 12, 1989 Regular Meeting date adopt Ordinance 142 enacting, amending and repealing certain sections of the 1983 New Mexico Uniform Traffic Ordinance and did adopt Ordinance 143 an ordinance relating to the New Mexico Uniform Traffic Ordinance amending a penalty assessment program: Defining Penalty Assessment Misdemeanor; Establishing listed schedule of penalty assessments; and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therof.

Ordinances are available for inspection to the public during normal business hours Monday thru Fridays, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Office of the Clerk.

Ordinances become effective five days after publication, in accordance with the laws.

CAROL SCHLARB, CMC, Town Clerk, Town of Carrizozo.

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NOTICE: The Governing Body of the Village of Corona is accepting bids on a riding mower, specs are available at the Village Hall Tuesday thru Friday 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. or write to Village Hall, P.O. Box 37, Corona, New Mexico 88318. Bids are due by Thursday October 12, 1989, 4:30 p.m. The Village reserves the right to refuse any or all bids. Further to accept the bid that is in the best interest of the Village.

Village of Corona, Beatrice Chavez, Clerk.

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OPEN DIVISION BAKED GOODS
Biscuits, James Hanson, 1st. Tortillas, Inez Matre, 1st and Patsy Paralta, 2nd. Any other, Bea Payton, 1st. Any Other Cake, Patsy Vallejos, 1st. Mary Holder, 2nd and Linda Joseph, 3rd. Quick Bread, Bea Payton. Any other pie, Myrl Ray, 1st. Chocolate Cake, Theresa Baca, Cream Puffs, Theresa Baca, Doughnuts, Corina Rodriguez, 2nd. Any Other Candy, Mae Crouse, 2nd.

Students Under Teacher, Landscape, Dorothy Lacy, 4th. Pastel, Sandra Shaw, 3rd, Dorothy Lacy, 3rd.

Portrait, Doria Salazar, 1st. Best Animal, Doria Salazar, 4th. Pencil, Doria Salazar, 2nd, Jim Griego, 1st.

Advanced Sculpture, Joe Salazar, 1st, Gwen Blancy, 1st, Gwen Blancy, 2nd.

ADULTS AND STUDENTS: Architectural, Willie Kern, 1st. Best Landscape, Jean Moman, 2nd. Human Interest, Willie Kern, 1st. Flower, Erica Trujillo, 3rd. Pencil, Willie Kern, 1st, Still Life, Willie Kern.

Pastels: Landscape, Marcela Reeves, 3rd. Animal, Sandra Shaw, 1st. Portrait, Lee Seltmeier, 2nd. Human Interest, Mike Riska, 1st. Best Amy Riddle, 2nd, Sherry Rouleau, 3rd. Any Other, Coyle Robbins, 3rd, Bill MacVeigh, 3rd, Waylon Thompson, 3rd. Silhouette, Sherry Rouleau, 1st. Sunset, Sherry Rouleau, 4th. Photo, Landscape, Mike Riska, 2nd, Bill MacVeigh, 1st. Sunrise, Sherry Rouleau, 2nd. Architectural, Bill MacVeigh, 1st. Seascape, Mike Riska, 1st, Sherry Rouleau, 2nd, Amy Riddle, 3rd. Photography, Flower, Bill MacVeigh, 1st, Mike Riska, 2nd. Animal, Cheryl Gnatkowiak, 1st, Coyle Robbins, 1st, Mike Riska, 2nd.

KNITTING: Blouse, Carol Northrop, 2nd. Bebe Andrews, 1st. Scarf or Stole, Betty Lou Joiner, 2nd. Sweater, Margaret Lightfoot, 2nd, Bebe Andrews, 1st. Mens Sweater, Bebe Andrews, 1st. Vest, Mae Crouse, 1st. Best of Show, Any Other, Bebe Andrews, 1st. Any Other Item, 2nd.

EMBROIDERY: Candlewicking, Mae Crouse, 2nd. Dresser Scarf, Mary Holder, 2nd. Picture, Melanie McDaniel, 1st. Cheryl Gnatkowiak, 1st. Best Pillow, Jan Moudy, 2nd. Tea Towel, Carmelita Roybal, 2nd. Carmelita Roybal, 1st. Cross Stitch, Mae Crouse, 1st. Linda Joseph, 2nd. Picture, Robin Armenta, 1st. Best, Pam Skinner, 3rd. Betty Browning, 2nd. Shirt, Betty Browning, 1st. Dorothy Lightfoot, 2nd. Any Other, Pam Stinger, 1st. Knas Item, Melaine McDaniel, 1st. Purse, Betty Browning, 1st. Hat, Betty Browning, 1st.

CREWEL EMBROIDERY: Framed Picture, Brenda Peterson, 2nd, Hazel Day, 1st. Any Other, Mary Holder, 2nd. Quilts, Judy Beavers, 1st. Applique, Ruth Cooper, 2nd. Infant or Childs Quilts, Janice Gnatkowiak, 1st. Betty Lou Joiner, 2nd. Novelty Bedspread, Barbara Langley, 1st. Best. Betty Lou Joiner, 2nd. Machine Quilting, Barbara Langley, 1st. Oldest Quilt in Good Condition, Mary Dean, 1st. Pieced Quilt, Judy Beavers, 2nd. Trapunto Wall Hanging, Hazel Bradford, 1st. Pillow, Hazel Bradford, 1st. Quilted Wall Hanging, Jeanene Perry, 2nd. Quilted by Group, Betty Browning, 1st. Any Other, Jeanene Perry, 2nd. Quilt by person over 85, Ruby Fuchs, 2nd.

NEEDLEPOINT: Framed Picture, Marian White, 1st, Phyllis Zumwalt, 1st. Pillow, Hazel Day, 1st. Needlepoint, Hoopa, Marian White, 2nd, Train, Marian White, 1st.

CROCHET: Afghan, Carol Northrop, Hon. Ment. Bea Payton, 1st. Barbara Kiser, 2nd, Dorothy Talley, 3rd. Bed Spread, Eve Latham, 1st. Best Childs Garment, Amanda Torres, 2nd, Dolly Evanna Weatherby, 1st. Dressed Doll, Jo Mayberry, 1st. Hat, Amanda Torres, 1st. Pillow, Amanda Torres, 1st. Pot Holder, Renita Trujillo, 1st. Sweater, Amanda Torres, 1st. Any Other, Pam Skinner, 1st. Toy, Renita Trujillo, 1st. Mae Crouse, 2nd. Any Other, Amanda Torres, 1st.

WOOL WEAVING: Afghan, Beanie Jones, 1st. Vest, Beanie Jones, 1st. Best, Shavel, Beanie Jones, 1st. Table Runner, Beanie Jones, 1st. Loom Weaving: Jeanene Perry, Hand Spun Wool, Beanie Jones, 1st. Hand Spun Mohair, Beanie Jones, 1st. Chair Set, Beanie Jones, 1st. Purse, Beanie Jones, 1st.

HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES: Handkerchiefs, Baby Doll, Myrl Ray, 1st. Best Dressed Doll, 1st. Knas Decorative, Myrl Ray, 1st. Cloth Wipe, 2nd. Jelly Bean, 3rd. Doughnuts, Theresa Baca, 1st. Leather Small Article, Beanie Peterson, 1st. Lavina Reba, 2nd. Metal craft, Jack Forrester, 1st. Textile painting, Audrey Davis, 1st.

Woven pot holder, James Hanson, 2nd, Inez Dominguez, 2nd, Kiley Knight, 1st. Needle point Dorothy Lightfoot, 1st, Mae Crouse, 2nd. Any other, 3rd. Knas Decorative, Myrl Ray, 1st. Knas Decorative, Myrl Ray, 1st.

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Dobbie Bird, 2nd, Judy Blucher, 3rd. Woodcraft: Joe Gonzales, 1st, Lorenzo Vargas, 2nd, Mancoi Montgomery, 3rd.

Antique Reproductions: John Miller, 1st. Grand. Large Item John Miller, 1st. Lamp: John Miller, 1st. Walking Cane: Jack Forrester, 1st. PuffPaint: Julie Burham, 2nd. Wood Burning: Sherry Rouleau, 1st. Any Other: John Miller, 1st, Kevin Taylor, 2nd, Alex Aragon, 3rd. Table: Beanie Peterson, 1st. Acrylic Art: Wyn Salazar, 1st, Joe Mayberry, 1st. Paper Weight: Theresa Alvarado, 1st, Fagrene Kiper, 2nd. Refrigerator Magnet: Sara Castenada, 2nd, Elizabeth Burton, 1st, Sandia Serna, 3rd. Models, Stacey Cox, 1st. Picture Album, Mae Crouse, 1st. Tin Punch: Michael Byland, 2nd, Ruben Dominguez, 1st, Felix Acosta, 3rd.

Musical Instruments: John Miller, 1st. Wood Stools, Harry Romero, 2nd, Robert Brovo, 1st. Antonion Villareal, 3rd. Miniatures: Dan Reba, 1st, John Miller, 2nd, Dan Reba, 3rd.

Ceramics Glaze Combination: Carmelita Roybal, 1st, Margaret Lightfoot, 2nd. Under Glaze: Renita Trujillo, 1st. Over Glaze, Margaret Lightfoot, 1st.

Latch Hooked Rugs: Carol Beth, 1st, Grand, Ruth Seepker, 2nd. China Painting: S.J. Hammontree, 1st. Vase: S.J. Hammontree, 1st.

PERENNIALS: Geranium, Judy Blucher, 1st. Periwinkle, Jeanette Smoot, 2nd. Verbena, Jeanette Smoot, 2nd, Holly Hocks, Trisia Montes, 1st, Judy Blucher, 1st, Dale Quintana, 3rd. Diantha, Jeanette Smoot, 2nd. Althia Zehrens, Cody Erwin, 2nd. Red Hot Pokers, Beverly Payne, 1st, Rosalite Dunlap, 2nd. Gloriosa Daisy, Cody Erwin, 1st.

BULBS, CORMS & TUBERS: Gladiolas, Cody Erwin, 1st, Richard Hill, 1st, Patty Lovato, 2nd, Tom Wolf, 2nd, Betty Young, 3rd.

CANNED GOOS: Spiced Beets, Judy Blucher, 1st. Bread & Butter, Judy Blucher, 1st. Dill Pickle, Anna Mae LaMay, 1st, Judy Blucher, 2nd, Dorothy Talley, 3rd. Pepper, Judy Blucher, 1st. Peaches, Dorothy Talley, 1st. Fancy Packed Pickles, Judy Blucher, 1st, Anna Mae LaMay, 2nd.

RELISHES: Chile - Hot Sauce, Theresa Baca, 1st.

JELLIES: Apple Jelly, Pattie Gillison, 1st.

Current, Anne Mae LaMay, 1st. Any Other, Phyllis Zumwalt, 1st, Mae Crouse, 2nd, Anna Mae LaMay, 3rd.

PRESERVES: Apricot, Dorothy Talley, 1st. Raspberry, Phyllis Zumwalt, 1st. Fig Preserves, Myrl Ray, 2nd, Dorothy Talley, 1st.

BUTTER, JAMS, MARMALADES, CONSERV: Pear Butter, Judy Blucher, 1st. Peach Jam, Brenda Marshall, 1st. Rhubarb Jam, Carol Keys, 1st. Strawberry Jam: Brenda Marshall, 1st.

ANNUALS: Calendulas, Judy Blucher, 1st, Diane Riska, 2nd, Judy Blucher, 3rd. Cosmos, Cody Erwin, 1st, Judy Blucher, 2nd, Dale Quintana, 2nd. Corina Rodriguez, 2nd, Kaley Brophy, 3rd, Jimmy Baca, 2nd, Mariogold, Pat Morales, 1st, Daniel Chaveria, 2nd, Dale Quintana, 3rd, Patty Lovato, 3rd, Jimmy Baca, 3rd, Dwarf Marigold, Ray McCright,

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OBITUARIES

MEL ROBERTS
Mel Roberts, 49, of Captain died Sept. 6 at the Lincoln County Medical Center. Funeral services were held Sept. 8 at Trinity Southern Baptist Church in Carrizozo with Rev. Floyd Goodloe of Trinity and Rev. Ed Kettler, retired Baptist minister of Angus officiating. Interment was in Restlawn Memorial Park in Portales, NM; with LaGrone Funeral Chapel in charge of services.
Mr. Roberts was born July 4, 1940 in Boswell, OK. He was married Aug. 16, 1965 in Portales to Luella Sanders. They moved to Goldsmith, TX. He was a heavy equipment operator.
He is survived by his wife, Luella Roberts of Captain; two brothers, Gary Roberts of Stuart, OK and Leonard Degman of Shawnee, OK; three sisters, Melba Moore of Andrews, TX, Wanda Hilliard of Amarillo, TX and Lynell Daniels of Mt. Pleasant.

New Mexico Mounted Patrol for 10 years. He was a life member of the American Academy of Family Practice.
Dr. Hume served as physician at Ft. Stanton Hospital for 10 1/2 years, retiring in December 1987. He was a graduate of Baylor University in 1948, graduated from Baylor Medical University in 1955, and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army Air Corps.
Survivors other than his wife are four daughters, Debbie Frank of Hanalei, Hawaii, Leslie Evans of Ruidoso, Gay Wilson of Lindsay, OK, and Lysa Shunkweiler of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; a step-mother, Louise Hume of Akron, Ohio; a brother, Harold Hume, also of Akron; two sisters, Olivia Hume of Jackson Heights, NY and Joy Paulson of Phoenix, AZ; and seven grandchildren.

JAMES "JIM" LITTLEFIELD

James "Jim" Littlefield, 88, Ruidoso, died at his home Sept. 10.
Memorial services were held Sept. 12 at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount with Rev. John W. Penn officiating.
Mr. Littlefield was born Jan. 4, 1901 in Ft. Smith, AR. He was married Nov. 8, 1922 to Mildred Henley. They moved to Ruidoso in 1955 from Ft. Smith.
The deceased was a graduate of Kemper Military Academy, a former member of the Ruidoso Rotary Club, and a retired real estate agent.
He is survived by his wife Mildred of Ruidoso; a daughter, Faye Littlefield Collins of Lamesa, TX; two grandsons, four great-grandchildren; a brother and three sisters.

In the service

Navy Lt. Cmdr. Richard H. Payne, son of Thomas L. and Alice M. Payne of Ruidoso, recently reported for duty with Carrier Airborne Early Warning Squadron-110, Naval Air Station Miramar, San Diego.
A 1977 graduate of Texas A and M University, College Station, TX, with a bachelor of science degree, he joined the Navy in December 1977.

Navy Midshipman Adrien Sanchez, son of Anthony L. and Patsy Sanchez of Carrizozo, recently completed the US Army Airborne Course at the Army Infantry Training School, Fort Benning, GA. Sanchez underwent rigorous physical fitness training, intensive parachute technique exercise and two drops from a 250-foot training tower.

Upon completion of the course, Sanchez was authorized to wear the Basic Parachutist Insignia.
He is a 1985 graduate of Carrizozo High School.

Cadet Linda C. Zamora received practical work in military leadership at the US Army ROTC advanced camp, Fort Lewis, WA.

The six-week camp, attended by cadets normally between their third and fourth year of college, includes instruction in communications, management and survival training.

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