

County still submerged in 'garbage business'

By Doris Cherry

County residents are looking at a garbage collection fee in the near future if a contract is approved by the Lincoln County Commissioners.

At their meeting Monday in Carrizozo, the only proposal for solid waste collection was reviewed and approved, the judge asked for more space, road priorities were set, and the 1988-89 audit

report was heard.

In response to a request for proposal issued Dec. 14, 1989, commissioners Karon Petty, Robert Hemphill and Rick Simpson heard from Joe Lewandowski, who represented Southwest Disposal Corporation (SDC) in Alamogordo, the only proposal submitted.

His company proposes to provide 20 six-cubic yard containers, emptied twice a week and taken to either the Lincoln County Landfill

located on Fort Stanton Mesa or to a site in Otero County. Presently, SDC dumps at the Dog Canyon site in Otero County, on a contract basis with Waste Control, the business which operates the landfill.

Petty questioned how the county will pay for the service which is estimated to cost about \$4000 a month for the 20 containers, emptied twice a week and taken to a landfill outside of Lincoln County. Dumped in the coun-

ty would cost about \$1000 a month less.

One of Petty's concerns was how to charge residents in an area where dumpsters are used by outside persons—ones who operate garbage collection business and dump in the containers without paying county fees or tourists passing through. She advocated an assessment district where residents would be proportionately charged for the collection service.

Hemphill said the user fees would not work and the result would be trash dumped in the "back canyons."

"I'm not convinced we (the county) should be in the garbage business period," Petty said.

"We've learned recently we can't bury on our own land," Simpson said.

County manager Nick Pappas and attorney Robert Beauvais reminded the commissioners the county is obli-

gated to provide a disposal system.

After battling the user fee around, commissioners heard from Lynn Stokes, also with SDC. He said SDC will try to identify the area with most use once collection begins. He encouraged the commissioners to approve his proposal because he "had the courtesy to come to the meeting." He did not want his quoted estimates to be used by competition companies who might bid at a later

date.

Stokes also said his company is flexible enough to adjust prices and disposal schedules when demand changes, such as in the summer when tourism is at a peak.

Simpson was in favor of the proposal because the county collection system faces equipment replacement or major repair—at a large cost to the county. "Our equipment is hanging on with a prayer," he said. At the estimated cost for the collective service, the county can contract for the service cheaper than it can replace or update the present system.

Petty questioned if the county could provide the service without a fee after this budgeted fiscal year. The collections fund was budgeted to allow for purchase of new equipment this year. Petty pointed out the collection budget the year before was only \$16,000.

Pappas said the county may not be able to dump at Dog Canyon, but that and other points in the contract with SDC will be negotiated by SDC and Beauvais for presentation at the next meeting Jan. 22.

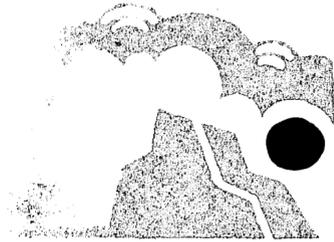
District Judge Richard Parsons reminded commissioners of another problem that tagged along from 1989—the need for additional courthouse space. Parsons said the problem began with the creation of the judgeship for Lincoln County, which he filled. Since that time, filings have increased 37 percent.

Critical cases require some witness and conference area, which the courthouse now lacks.

In Nov. 1989, Parsons issued an order to the commission to find additional space.

"The court order got our attention," Petty said. "We want to solve the problem with the facilities and money we have now." However, the county will not know how

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Water is subject of federal study

Water in the West is a precious commodity—so much so states go into court battles over it.

A recent water battle occurred between New Mexico and Texas over the sometimes trickle flow of water down the Pecos River in eastern New Mexico. In a

supreme court settlement, New Mexico was ordered to pay \$14 million, and 10,000 acre feet extra annually to Texas.

Landowners and water users along the Pecos watersheds began to wonder where the extra water will come from as well as how they use

the water and how much of it there is to use.

Because of this concern and the litigation involving water usage, 17 Soil Conservation Service (SCS) districts and two RC&Ds requested a study one and a half years ago to look at the river and its tributaries and

to find ways to increase watershed capabilities.

Thursday night in Carrizozo members of the boards of directors of the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District (UHSWD) and the Carrizozo Soil and Water Conservation District (CSWC) met with Bob McQueen, resource conservationist with the New Mexico Soil Conservation Service in Albuquerque, Doug Shaw with the US Forest Service and Dick Smith, a conservationist with the SCS Roswell office, to review the draft plan of work for the Pecos River Cooperative River Basin Study and to take additional public input about it. The men had been to three other input meetings in southeast New Mexico before they came to Carrizozo.

The primary objective of the study is to determine if vegetation changes on the rangeland and grazeable woodlands has influenced water yield and if improvement of the grassland condition can increase water quantity and/or improve the water quality. The study will include the groundwater aquifers of the basin.

The study will strictly address water-related land resources, McQueen said, not money to control brush, build fences or level land.

He anticipates his department will have staff on board by March 1, with little cost to taxpayers to conduct the study. The staff will inventory water and land use data already available to help answer the question of how to get more water for the Pecos Basin.

SCS is proposing a document to present to the state legislature to remove "noxious brush and weeds" and replace with grasslands, to yield more water.

McQueen admitted he did not know at this point how "broad" the study can go.

The major communities within the basin are Artesia, Carlsbad, Fort Sumner, Las Vegas, Roswell, Ruidoso and Santa Rosa. The UHSWCD is at the headwater of a major tributary—the Rio Hondo. Shaw, with the FS,

ase, Schlegel said.

At the last meeting Carrizozo resident Glen Ellison objected to the mill because of the operations at the site in the past and the need for the water which was the reason why the town purchased the property years ago.

Another concern at the last meeting was to have the Environmental Improvement Division (EID) check the site. Mayor Bob Hemphill said he did contact the EID and was told the approval to check into the site would have to come from Santa Fe.

Schlegel assured the trustees no toxic chemicals are at the site now.

A rumor the mill will be moved to just a short distance from the middle of town was settled when Schlegel said Gibbens stated he will move the mill 150 miles away from Carrizozo if he cannot secure the land on which it sits. Schlegel also said Gibbens is very concerned about a good "rapport" with the town and its citizens.

To avoid liabilities, trustee Harold Garcia advocated selling the property, a process both costly and long in legal terms.

"A good question and answer session would be beneficial for him if he is to keep in high regard with the people," Garcia told Schlegel.

Schlegel agreed to try to get Gibbens to attend the Jan. 23 meeting. At Garcia's request town attorney Robert Beauvais will attend the meeting with a legal opinion.

On town clerk Carol Schlarb's recommendation, trustees approved hiring Palomarez as full-time depu-

Trustees consider ore mill proposal

Carrizozo Town Trustees reviewed old business and hired Kathy Palomarez as full-time deputy clerk at their regular meeting Tuesday.

Carrizozo Realtor Woody Schlegel reviewed the proposal from Bob Gibbens, new owner of the old Scott Tex

Mill, to purchase or lease the six acres on which the mill sits, for the benefit of the two trustees who were absent at the last town meeting.

Gibbens proposes to crush ore with no toxic chemicals at the mill and hire five to six locals if he can secure some kind of lease or purch-

Student, 15, is suicide victim

Capitan High School students were saddened when they heard that 15-year-old classmate Corey Don Reynolds killed himself Saturday night.

To cope with the trauma and possible consequences of the incident, Capitan administration, with help from deputy medical investigator Nancy Guck and state police officer Dan Kiper, organized an assembly and time for small group counseling Monday. Psychologists Dr. Birgit LaMothe and Dr. Bob Walters talked to the student body to help them relieve fears and guilt associated with the death. Counseling was to continue throughout the week.

Reynolds, born March 24, 1974, was an A-student in his sophomore class at Capitan High School. He belonged to no sports teams, and according to staff, Reynolds was quiet and had said nothing of his problems except to a few friends.

His parents are Sandy and Jerry Reynolds of Capitan.

Capitan-school Supt. Dr. Scott Childress said Reynolds' death has so affected

some students they are beginning to open up with their problems and fears, enabling the school staff to identify these students with problems, and get them help.

Childress also said the decision to have counselors address the student body and conduct group sessions was to prevent the possible chain reaction of more suicides and attempts.

Lincoln County Sheriff James McSwane and his wife Fredda, who is an Emergency Medical Technician, were the first to respond to the scene. Reynolds was pronounced dead of a self-inflicted gunshot wound to the head by investigator Guck. His body was transported to the Office of the Medical Examiner in Albuquerque for autopsy. McSwane said no notes were found.

McSwane said the suicide points up the difficult process through which teenagers must pass—where young people look at life right now. "There will be more time later and better times to come," McSwane said. "Such

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MONTE RANGLES, left, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, and Jimmie Rutan, right, Worthy Grand Patron, will pay their official visit to the Carrizozo OES, Comet Chapter No. 29, on Jan. 11. Dinner will begin at 6 p.m. with the meeting scheduled for 7:30 o'clock. A reception will follow. All Eastern Star members are invited.

Candidates file for municipal offices

Candidates kicked off the 1990 election season when they filed at their various county municipalities Tuesday.

CAPITAN

In the Capitan race, incumbent Mayor Benny Coker will seek the four-year office again. He will have competition from Frank Warth who also filed for the mayor's slot.

Jack Pogue, Lawrence Brinkley, Gilbert Montoya and Jimmy Wright filed for the two, four-year trustee positions.

Alfred LeRoy Montes, Myrl Ray and Joel Darby filed for the two-year trustee position.

Municipal Judge Jimmie Stewart was the only person who filed for the judgeship.

CARRIZOZO

Candidates for positions in Carrizozo will run uncontested unless someone files as a write-in candidate. Cecilia Kuhnel filed for the four-year mayor's position, Gilbert E. Archuleta for the four-year trustee and Patsy Shaw as the other four-year trustee position.

For Carrizozo municipal judge, incumbent S.M. Ortiz

filed as did David Vermilion and Johnny Johnson.

CORONA

Incumbent Corona Mayor Ernest Lucras will run uncontested, if no write-ins file Jan. 23. Crystal Lucras was the only person who filed for a four-year councillor's position.

Two slots remain open for a four-year councillor and a two-year councillor. Unless the positions are filled by write-in candidates, the mayor will appoint the councillors, said Corona Village Clerk Beatrice Chavez.

RUIDOSO

The race for mayor in Ruidoso has four candidates: incumbent Lloyd Davis, Victor Alonso, Daniel Burrow and Daniel "Hoss" Garbey.

For the three, four-year councillor positions the following candidates filed: Tom McNeil, Kenneth Shockey, Larry Simon, John White, Bill Hirschfeld, Barbara Duff, Ron Andrews, Joseph Mulqueen, Jerry Shaw and William Karn.

Charles Hawthorne, Robert Beauvais and Bobby Thompson have filed for the Ruidoso Municipal Judge office.

RUIDOSO DOWNS

Ruidoso Downs incumbent Mayor Jake Harris will have some competition at the polls from Rex Vaughan, C. L. (Bones) Wright and Bill Smith.

Candidates for the four, four-year trustee positions are LaVern Cole, Travis Hicks, Tony Parker, Marion Addy, Ray Frederickson, Jacquelyn Brarrum and Wilma Webb.

For the two, two-year trustee positions, Jim Rethmel and Benjamin Jeffery are candidates.

Trustee Alice Allison has two more years to serve on her term.

In all municipalities where more than one candidate has filed for an office, the clerk will oversee the drawing for names for position on the ballot after 5 p.m. today (Thursday.)

Anyone who missed the filing date has time to become a write-in candidate. All procedures for the regular declared candidates apply to write-ins, with the deadline at quitting time on Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Water is subject

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described the Forest Plan completed in 1986, which determined resources use to manage local needs with much public input in the Lincoln National Forest. The Lincoln Plan will face changes if the Pecos Study changes water management policies.

The state and private research branches of the Forest Service works with the SCSs on projects by offering technical advice and development of alternative practices to enhance watersheds. Shaw said there is much data available on pinon-juniper eradication and other vegetation practices. One such project was conducted along the Gila River watershed where SCS looked at enhancement yield through vegetation management.

Other studies are occurring in Arizona to determine how to enhance watershed capacities also.

The study of the amount of precipitation which falls

on watersheds and the vegetation in the area and how to increase the watershed potential must answer questions of how to enhance without adverse affects to the ecologies and economies of the Pecos river and its tributaries, Shaw added.

Creation of a "mosiac" of brush with open area was found to be best in other studies, Shaw said, because of the enhancement for wildlife, water yield and aesthetics. He admitted aesthetic values are quite personal and vary with individuals.

"The Forest Service 1986 plan is not set in concrete," Shaw said about amendments to that plan.

CSWC member Carolyn Wilcox said she was not aware changes could be made in the FS1986 plan.

Members then heard from Smith, of the SCS Roswell office, who gave a little history of the Pecos basin and rainfall records since early 1900s. One measurement station on the Pecos

east of Artesia shows flow records from 1906. The average yield from 1906-1936 showed about 262,000 acre-feet a year. From 1937-73 it declined and from 74-86 it declined to about 114,000 acre-feet—a 50 percent loss on the water yield. Weather records from 1878 until 1985 indicate the area has experienced drought.

With less water and drought conditions, less acreage is under irrigation now than in 1940, Smith said.

He said reservoirs have not been the reason for less water either, but in the last 130 years vegetation has changed drastically. 1885 Army records indicated many areas were open grasslands, which now are brush covered or forested. When the ranching demands after the Civil War overextended the rangelands friction began between ranching factions.

"I don't need to tell people in Lincoln County about that—that was what the Lincoln County Wars were about," Smith said.

After the Taylor Grazing Act of 1924, ranchers began to fence their land.

"Today's rancher is doing a better job of managing resources," he said.

Smith continued the brushy conditions of watersheds and areas along the rivers came in after the natural cycle of fires were stopped by settlers. Fire is a natural, untampered by man, ecology kept the woody plants from invading the grasslands.

The study is to determine the extent of the change in vegetation and the impact on water yield, Smith concluded.

A solution to be proposed by SCS is expected to include land treatment program for noxious weeds and brush. "We have to include all environmental aspects, as required by the Environmental Improvement Division," McQueen said.

A series of public meetings will be conducted before the study is finalized in late 1992 or early 1993.

Input by SCS members at the Carrizozo meeting last Thursday included a suggestion by UHSWCD chairman Shirley Goodloe to make pilot projects to study the brush control on water yield. "We feel the answer is already there," she said.

Greg Hausler of the Soil Conservation Service office in Capitan said it would be "interesting to develop vegetation maps of the Pecos watershed as it was 100 years ago."

Hausler also said early surveyors used "bearing trees" to determine boundaries and often had trouble finding two trees close enough for such use: Now those same trees are in pine forests.

The scenario was not always the case, but does indicate the increase of woody plants.

UHSWCD member Fred Pfingston said old photos are available to compare vegetation now to what it was a 100 years ago. "It shows a tremendous increase in brush," he said.

McQueen said someone in the Artesia area also offered old photos for reference.

One of Goodloe's concerns was about how to deal with environmental groups who might oppose the study.

McQueen was not sure, although he did not "look for a lot of resistance."

"Something needs done now," Goodloe said. She advocated working together, to preserve certain species of trees in parks and not eradicate whole species.

"I can't visualize all the mesquite and cedar trees will be gone," McQueen replied.

Hausler said the environmentalists are not conservationists but rather preservationists with ideas based on how conditions are now and not before man tampered. The need to show how the area was before man came should be a basis of education.

McQueen said the districts hope to get input to help with meeting opposition groups.

Pfingston brought up his dislike of "endangered species" lists of plants. "These endangered species are often some weed we'd like to get rid of," he said and referred to loco weed.

Education—from what endangered species are to telling the public where the water comes from in the future—must be a concern which must be included in any study, the group concluded.

McQueen said the study may not encompass all the suggestions made at the input meetings because of limited budgeting and staff. "Some may have to be weeded out," he said.

But the all agreed with Goodloe when she concluded, "it's vital."

Students raise funds for Malis family

During December, despite the bitter cold, Hondo Elementary students learned a lesson in caring.

Grades K-6th were determined to participate in a "Walk-a-thon" to raise money for Michael Malis, who is recovering from a liver transplant. They walked around the football field and each time around it brought in more money for a total of \$324.16.

Other means of raising funds for Michael were fees from the movie for November and a donation can. The grand total handed in to the Malis family was over \$360.

"Our students carefully monitored and reported on Michael's progress by watching news reports and reading newspapers. They were very concerned and excited to be part of this project," stated organizers Yvonne Sanchez and Kathy Herrera.

Money for Malis Fund by class: K - \$53.50, 1st - \$74.50, 2nd - \$10.25, 3rd - \$26.55, 4th - \$57.68, 5th - \$60.83, 6th - \$28.00.

The entire elementary staff also participated and discussed the illness and recovery of Michael as he progressed through various stages.

Sheriff's report

Holiday crime rate is tapering off

A disturbance at a lounge, dog attack on Alto Lake ducks and a suicide were among the incidents investigated by the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department last week.

Jan. 4: At 8:54 a.m. Howard Puckett reported a burglary at his commercial business on Highway 70. Upon investigation, officers found nothing was taken after entry was made.

At 7:08 p.m. Kathy Austin of Ruidoso reported \$1477.50 worth of ski equipment was stolen at Ski Apache at the Day Lodge.

At 10:39 a.m. Cindy Livingston reported \$1068 worth of ski equipment and clothing was stolen at Ski Apache.

At 6 p.m. officers arrested 30-year-old Craig Randolph of White Post, VA for possession of a controlled substance—cocaine, a fourth degree felony. The cocaine was found in Randolph's vehicle in the Ruidoso Downs area, said Sheriff James McSwane. He paid the \$100 bond set by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr. and was released from Lincoln County Jail. A preliminary hearing will be set in district court.

Jan. 5: At 8:42 p.m. the office took a report that someone was riding a skateboard down Alto hill near High Country Lodge. Officers were unable to locate the subject.

At 9:03 a.m. Chuck Dunn of Alto Lake Country Club reported someone stole four signs and posts along High Mesa Drive.

At 10:09 p.m. Four Winds Lounge in Carrizozo called that a subject was causing trouble. Gilbert Silva, 20, Carrizozo, was arrested by Carrizozo Police Officers John Northrup, Rick Emmons and deputy Lerry Bond for disorderly conduct and public nuisance, allowing self to be served and resisting and obstructing an officer. He was incarcerated at the Lincoln County Jail with a \$1600 bond. He remains in the jail waiting for a determination of competency of defendant to stand trial from the district court. He appeared before Judge Dean on Jan. 8 at which time he was transferred to the district court.

At 10:19 p.m. a report was taken of criminal damage to property at Twin Spruce Trailer Court near Ruidoso. An aspen tree was run over by a vehicle.

Jan. 6: At 10 a.m. High Country Lodge in Alto area reported 15-20 of their ducks were killed at Alto Lake. Game and Fish officers

investigated and determined the ducks were killed by domestic dogs and referred it back to the sheriff's department. The dogs have yet to be located but will be destroyed immediately if caught killing animals, McSwane said.

Jan. 7: At 12:07 a.m. Jerry Reynolds of Capitan reported the suicide of his son Corey Don Reynolds at their home. See related article.

At 10:50 a.m. Cafe Ole in Capitan reported vandalism and criminal damage to property. The report was taken for the Capitan Police Department and is being investigated.

At 1:11 p.m. a report of criminal damage to property in the Alamo Canyon area was found to be the result of a

neighborhood dispute over property lines—a civil matter.

Jan. 8: At 7:58 a.m. Hondo Schools reported a larceny (under \$250) and burglary in the cafeteria. About 10 pounds of hamburger was taken from the cooler. No damage was reported.

At 10:32 Dorris Moore from Haskell, TX reported someone stole a .22 caliber automatic and a radio from her vehicle on Highway 380 west of Carrizozo. She later called and said she found the .22 under the seat, but the radio was still missing.

The sheriff also reported at least three ambulance runs were made to Ski Apache over the weekend and some domestic disputes were reported.

Trustees consider

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ty clerk.

Trustees also considered a letter from the Natural Gas Processing Company to the Capitan-Carrizozo Natural Gas Association offering to purchase the association and to offer natural gas to association customers at rates 40 percent lower than those now. Neo Vallejos, representing the association, said the rates on the proposal were not correct and the board of directors for the association are not satisfied with the contract.

Hemphill encouraged one of the two trustees who will remain on the council after election — Garcia and LaMay — to attend the association meeting in Capitan.

The town has received no reply to a letter mailed to the town disposal service, Waste Control, Hemphill said. Recently the town made a request for proposals for solid waste collection. Southwest Disposal Corporation in Alamogordo sent the only proposal. Joe Lewandowski was present Tuesday and suggested trustees call for proposals again, to make Waste Control respond.

Hemphill referred the

suggestion to the town attorney for a legal approval, and possible mediation.

In other business, the trustees:

—Approved a request from Albert Baca that Doug Whitaker be allowed to run a water line to a second building he is using for a residence and have the water meter at that second building taken out and plugged.

—Heard Hemphill say the town water pressure will be low Wednesday and Thursday Jan. 17 and 18 because of the one-year anniversary inspection of the town water tank.

—Approved Resolution 89-12; Open meetings act, Resolution 89-11 to create an Emergency Medical System (EMS) fund, and Resolution 89-10 the official holiday calendar which is the same as the state holiday calendar.

—Heard the mayor report the street light at the corner of E Ave. and Highway 380 is operating and a new sign designating times for the school zone has been installed.

The next town meeting begins at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Card of Thanks

A sincere thank you to all the loyal and supportive customers of my hair shop. It was a great pleasure to serve the Corona community and surrounding area. Again thank you and God bless all of you.

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Frances, Maggie & Charlie Flores
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Mary Helen & Ismael Rivera
Betty & Ray Rael
Jean & Tranquillo Chavez

REAL ESTATE UPDATE

CHUCK ROMINGER

BE WARY OF NET LISTING

QUESTION: I told my real estate agent that I wanted \$120,000 for my house. He offered to sell it if he could keep anything OVER that amount he received as his commission. What do you think of this arrangement?



ANSWER: If an agent proposes to guarantee you a certain sum from the sale of your home in return for the chance to keep anything OVER that amount, you have been offered a "net listing". This arrangement is open to so much abuse that it is illegal in about half the states.

Any number of complications can arise. The AGENT'S interests are now paramount although the law requires that you, the client, must come first.

THINK TWICE before offering to sell your home with a net listing. It is open to much abuse and is often illegal.

If there is anything I can do to help you in the field of real estate, please phone or drop in at ROMINGER REAL ESTATE CO., 1100 Second Ave., in Carrizozo. Phone 648-2900. One block NE of Courthouse.

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NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS

County still submerged . . .

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much money will be available until the budget hearings in June.

Parsons also requested another courtroom to accommodate additional cases heard from guest judges. When cases are moved to Carrizozo on a change of venue from other districts, Parsons said he was "out of business" until the trials are over. The commissioners' suggestions of using their meeting room and the existing conference room were turned down by Parsons. The meeting room is not set up for a trial and the conference room is too small and used by too many groups.

To accommodate a small library of books donated from the estates of deceased attorneys Richie Askew and Bill Payne and retired attorney John Thompson, Judge Parsons requested the commission approve him using the extreme northeast room of the courthouse. Although he thanked the commission for the recent lighting upgrading and wall painting, he considered the acts as temporary "band-aids."

A walking tour of the courthouse was proposed, but was canceled because Judge Parsons was unable to stay until the end of the meeting, which went into closed session at 8:30 p.m. and did not end until 10.

After considerable discussion, commissioners agreed to request state fund-

ing for school bus routes, county arterial program (CAP) and co-op projects. Schlarb Road, C-005 near Carrizozo was set as the first priority for the school bus route program, E-031 near Corona was the second choice. Alamo Canyon Road, B-010 near Hondo was placed first on the CAP and Nogal Canyon road was second. Cora Dutton Road, B-028 near Capitan was set first for the co-op agreement program and Spring Road near Ruidoso Downs was second.

The county receives 100 percent funding for school bus routes, 75 percent for CAP and 60 percent for co-op from the state. The projects must be approved by the New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Dept.

Petty also brought up the deplorable condition of the Bonito Lake road. Simpson said the county cannot repair the road until the water lines are replaced, or repaired. Negotiations with Alamogordo have resulted in no real commitment to repair lines.

Holloman Air Force Base owns the water lines and Alamogordo owns the lake and water.

County auditor Don Wingfield said it was his opinion the 1988-89 audit showed the county was in accordance to regulations with no disqualifications and he found no instances of non-compliance to federal financial assistance programs.

The county was involved with three federal programs last year: a traffic safety grant, a senior citizens grant and a community development block grant for a feasibility study.

Problems arose with the traffic safety grant because of poor documentation and lack of communication between two county departments—the sheriff

and manager. Also no one individual was responsible for grants management in the past, Wingfield said. The result was a situation which appeared to be in non-compliance.

"The county commission is ultimately responsible for all federal grants," he said. He recommended all grants be administered by the commission through the county manager's office, with an appropriate employee designated as "grants administrator."

Other findings in the audit included opinions: the county should upgrade its computer system to produce reports which classify revenues and expenditures into functional categories; time sheets must be monitored by the person in charge of payroll, as based on problems experienced and since corrected in the corrections department; general ledger access, both in the manager's and treasurer's office be limited to specific personnel and entries be documented in writing and properly authorized; all outside professional service contracts contain language concerning scope of work, compensation, contract term, reports to be produced and so on. The criteria will be included in the personnel policy which is expected to be ready for public review soon.

Wingfield also reviewed the Carrizozo Health Center which experienced an operating loss of \$221,499 and a net loss of \$58,451 after adding the mill levy tax revenues. Personal services portion of the expenditures exceeds patient fee income by \$262,106 to \$185,426 on the cash basis. He suggested that all costs be segregated or allocated to each of the functions of the center. After the costs have been classified, Wingfield recommended a study be made to determine each of the functions contribution to the operating loss and then to take corrective steps.

Problems found at the Zia Senior Citizens Center was in receipts deposits and classification. He recommended all funds received by the center be deposited with the treasurer the next working day and receipts transmittal form be coded for bookkeeping purposes.

Wingfield also suggested the county update road, personnel and purchasing policies and classification system.

Wingfield said the county operates very smoothly.

During the department reports, Pappas asked commissioners for direction on steps to take against "illegal" county subdivisions. Pappas, Beauvais and surveyor Tom Collins worked together to identify and compile information on subdivisions

which have not been completed.

The subdivisions are: Agua Fria, Cedar Creek Ranchettes, Alto Vista, Deer Park Meadows units 7-21, Deer Park Valley units 1-9, Deer Park Woods unit 6, Deer Park Woods townhouses units 1-17, Fox Run, Pines of Gavilan, Vera Cruz and Wilderness Acres.

The commissioners approved an affidavit be attached to the subdivision files in the manager's and the clerk's offices and to disclosure statements for the prop-

erties being sold. The affidavit will include the disposition of the subdivision (if bankrupt and so on) where the developer stands with the county in terms of approval and the condition and approval of the roads. Pappas later called the project a major updating and a significant move. The intent was not to create hardship on the developer but to just bring the subdivisions in compliance to county regulation, Pappas said.

In other business, the commissioners:

Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, Jan. 11:

—Capitan Board of Education meets at 7 p.m. in the school administration building.

—Lincoln County Planning and Zoning Commission will conduct public hearings beginning at 6 p.m. for a proposed subdivision plan for a cemetery near Fox Cave off Highway 70 and the proposed amendment to the Lincoln County Ordinance 85-3, regulation for collection and disposal of garbage.

—The Water Defense Association meets at 7 p.m. at Hondo School. Officers will be elected and new infor-

mation distributed at the annual meeting.

FRIDAY, Jan. 12:

—Carrizozo Grizzlies varsity boys and girls basketball teams and junior varsity boys will play at the Estancia teams beginning at 4 p.m. in Carrizozo.

—Capitan varsity and junior varsity boys and girls basketball teams will play Lake Arthur beginning at 4 p.m. in Lake Arthur.

MONDAY, Jan. 15:

—County offices and Carrizozo town hall are closed for Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday.

TUESDAY, Jan. 16:

—Carrizozo Board of Education meets at 7 p.m. in the school administration building.

—The New Mexico State Legislature begins in Santa Fe.

—Want to start finding your family history or continue present research? Come to the family History Center Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 12 miles north of Ruidoso on Highway 48. Open every Tuesday and Saturday from 1-4 p.m. For more information call Earle H. Rogers at 336-4176.

for renovation. A video is being produced to help the association get \$300,000 from the state legislature.

—Approved a \$15,000 contract with the Zia Senior Citizens after a discussion about how the money is to be used. The commissioners want the funds to go to roof and other renovation needs.

—Appointed Mike Randle and Audean Franklin to the county Planning and Zoning Commission.

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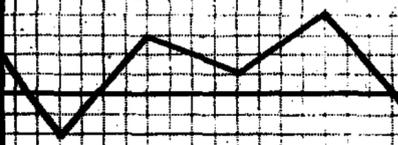
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OPINION

● I could expect it from readers of the Washington Post or New York Times, but not from readers of the Albuquerque Journal. Last week the Journal carried almost a full page of letters to the editor condemning the United States for "violating the sovereign" rights of Panama by our armed invasion of that country's communist regime. It left me slack-jawed. This will eventually get interesting, but hang on for some background of fact and-fiction of the meaning of "sovereignty."

● Webster's defines sovereignty as a "supreme power, especially over a body politic." In 1764 James Otis defined that word thusly: "An original, supreme, absolute and uncontrollable earthly power must exist in and preside over every society, from whose final decisions there can be no appeal but directly to Heaven..." Roughly, such is the meaning of sovereignty of any nation.

● But no nation on earth enjoys sovereignty. The rules of international law, to which all nations subscribe, impose limits upon any state's sovereignty. To enjoy the protection of international law, each state gives up its right to proceed adverse to the law and thus has relinquished a prime tenet of sovereignty. States that join and abide by dictates of the United Nations give up another portion of their sovereignty. If powers are relinquished to the UN, another bite is taken from a state's sovereign rights. Any state that enters into a treaty with another country also finds its sovereignty diminished, for in order to gain a point one must be given up to the other party. That also goes for any form of agreement between two or more states—a matter of *quid pro quo*, or "the exchange of something for something."

● How, then, can these people who write letters objecting to the violation of Panama's sovereign rights be serious about condemning the US for the military invasion of Panama? There is no treaty, law or accord that calls for surrender of the right of the US to defend its citizens in Panama from Noreiga's killing of US servicemen, personal attacks on some 25,000 Americans stationed in the Canal Zone; and Panama's violation of the Canal Treaty of 1977 by which our only confirmed idiot president Jimmy Carter, gave the strategic Canal to the irresponsible leadership of Panama. No law or treaty has ever abridged the right of any state to protect its citizens, at home or abroad. So where is Panama's sovereignty impinged by the invasion? What is a country like ours to do when a dictatorial wimp like Noreiga publicly declares war on the US—laugh it off and send them another billion dollars?

● How is the US to respond when communist dictators like Fidel Castro and Daniel Ortega of Nicaragua are conspiring with terrorists Yasser Arafat and Muammar Quaddafi to undermine the Colossus of the North? Both Arafat and Quaddafi have set up command posts in Panama. Why? And does the US have a right to respond to such subversion?

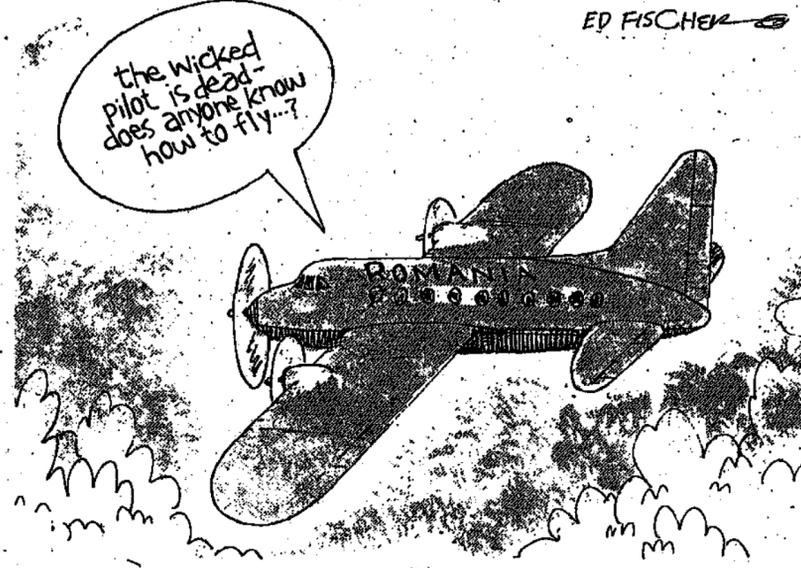
● Where were the indignant letters to the editor when the Soviets invaded Afghanistan to violate that country's sovereignty? We know where they were when Reagan ordered the invasion of Grenada and when he paid back Col. Quaddafi for bombing a Berlin discotheque by an air strike against his Libyan headquarters, but where were they when Angola, Mozambique, Hungary, Poland, Romania and Czechoslovakia were invaded by Soviet troops? Were not the sovereign rights of these countries invaded?

● Let's face it. There is a strong liberal-left, anti-American attitude in the United States that bring up such hypocrisy. This powerful political faction supports communist interests and opposes just about every move the US makes that threaten those interests. This is no better indicated that the storm of protest over our protection of American lives and property in Panama, even though the Panama Canal Treaty guarantees protection of our civilian and military personnel.

● The US is a member of the Organization of American States in which we again surrendered some of our sovereignty. The OAS recently voted 20 to 1 to censure the US for the Panama invasion. Ours was that one vote. It tells the world exactly when Central America states stand in the matter of communism versus the free enterprise system. It proves that the OAS is anti-American and that they are not our friends. A further delight to our liberal-left in America.

● Thanks to columnists Richard A. Viguierie and Steven Allen we can name some of the liberal-left "intellectuals" who support either the downfall of the US or its conversion to communism. Start with Rev. Jesse Jackson, who has strong support for President of the US. During a visit to Cuba Jackson said: "Long Live Fidel Castro!... Long live Che Guevaral Long live Patrice Lumumba! Our time has come!" The media are pro-communist, as witness Hendrick Hertzberg, editor of The New Republic and former speechwriter for President Carter; Andy Rooney of "60 Minutes"; Editor Lewis Papham of Harper's magazine; economist John Kenneth Galbraith; Paul Samuelson, whose pro-communist textbook in standard fare in US colleges; the late L. R. Stone, whom the major media recently eulogized as the "conscience of American journalism"; former ABC Howard K. Smith, who praised communism for "bringing economic benefits to the poorest layers of society"; Labor leader Walter Reuther; former Time correspondent Theodore White and Annalee Jacoby who praised the Chinese communist government; Christian Science Monitor reporter J. D. Cannon who praised Nicaragua's communist dictatorship; author Norman Mailer who

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ED FISCHER

Letters to the Editor

In defense of Dereck

EDITOR—It is very ironic, and at the same time said that a very serious charge being made recently at a school board meeting turned out like a three-ring circus, or community revival meeting. Some person or persons must have gone to a lot of trouble to send out personal invitations to exploit a very serious and unfortunate incident.

Most of you school board members and community people know me, as well as I know you. I do not know Mel Holland or Mr. Burnett, but I do know six-year-old Dereck extremely well. He is a very sensitive loving child. Dereck has always been eager to learn, loved going to school; is very polite and sensitive to other people's feelings. Dereck is a very special little person who has the comprehension and sensitivity that some adults in today's world are lacking.

Those of you that might not know Dereck, he was doing extremely well in school, participated in school functions and was recognized by the school board as student of the month. He is in the 1st grade. Mrs. Wetzel was his kindergarten teacher, whom he thinks the world of, and I too, have a great deal of respect for and admiration. Both of my children were very fortunate to have been her students. Mrs. Epperson, I do not know very well. I do know that she is someone very special and important to Dereck. In fact I have never known Dereck to dislike anyone.

Last year there was an incident when Dereck was giving his lunch money to another child, and had charged his noon meal for about nine days. When his parents were finally made aware of the incident, they asked Dereck and he admitted he had been giving his lunch money to another child so that he could eat and he had charged his lunch. He said he felt sorry for the boy and also wanted him to be his friend.

Now can any of you actually say this is a child prone to lying and a trouble maker? I hope none of you adults have ever told a lie worse than this. I know some adults to have such low esteem of themselves, that they will use their positions or titles to intimidate and harass children and subordinates in order to boost their own ego. Sad but true.

I don't believe Dereck would come home from school so scared and say Mr. Holland lifted him off the ground by his coat making the zipper bite into his neck, and so scared not to want to go back to school, when before his parents would have such a hard time keeping him from school, on days when he was ill.

Wally, I have always had a lot of admiration for you and your family. I think Lisa and Matt are a couple of nice decent children, adults by now, but I remember them at Dereck's age and through high school. Wally, you would not have referred to the incident as a "little bity picky thing." You would not have been "rocking the boat." You would have been turning it over to get to the bottom of it all if either of your children at six years old had come home crying and scared and barely able to speak.

You mention outlining the chain of command. Dereck was not part of the chain of command when Mr. Holland decided to confront and intimidate him first on something which Dereck was not even aware of. A meeting had already been scheduled with his parents concerning Dereck's P.E. activities. There was no need for

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Inside The Capitol

By Jay Miller



SANTA FE—The 1980s held some valuable lessons for New Mexicans. Were we listening?

The decade began with our state riding the crest of the biggest economic wave ever to hit us. Oil, gas, uranium, coal, potash, copper and molybdenum were all doing well to famously. New Mexico's tax system was geared to hitting these extractive industries hard. The battle cry around the Capitol was, "Let's hit 'em even harder. They have nowhere to go."

True. No one was going to open a mine or drill for oil in Iowa. But we were soon to learn we were overlooking some of our competition. Canada, with its government subsidized natural gas and potash industries began to steal markets from us. Third World countries began taking additional markets with their low wage scales.

With the price of oil plunging to a third of what it had been in the glory days and the uranium market disappearing to nuclear scares, another fact became evident: we have no control over these industries. New Mexico began to realize it is somewhat of a Third World country itself, yielding the fruits of its rich resources but with no control over when and how that is done.

Our state provides virtually no market for any of its precious raw materials. Our mineral wealth is shipped or piped out of the state for processing leaving others to profit. Will we find any answers to that dilemma in the '90s?

Politically, New Mexico was in transition at the beginning of the '80s. Gone were our once powerful US senators. Replacing them were Pete Domenici and Harrison Schmitt, a couple of new faces but with real potential. In the House, Manuel Lujan and Harold Runnels had built a decade of seniority—just enough to get them on some committees that might be of help to New Mexico.

Then came the Ronald Reagan landslide of 1980. With it, the GOP swept into control of the Senate. Pete Domenici, only two years into his second term, was already the ranking Republican on the Senate Budget Committee, a new panel created in 1975 in an effort to improve the cumbersome budget making process. Domenici became chairman of that group just as Reagan began selling his new economic philosophies to the nation.

Although the White House received much criticism for its economic ideas, Domenici received nothing but praise for his handling of the budget committee, which he quickly transformed into one of the most powerful in Congress. Through his new

position of great influence, Pete was able to funnel numerous federal projects to the state just like in the days of Dennis Chavez, Clint Anderson and Joe Montoya. But therein lies another of New Mexico's problems—great dependency on another outside source—federal military spending. With peace breaking out all over Eastern Europe, will we see big losses from Uncle Sam in the '90s?

Will New Mexico ever find the key to economic development? So far we have not been able to put together the right package to attract industry in any sizeable amounts. We have not been able to achieve significant technology transfer from our national laboratories.

In short, we have not exploited our natural advantages. Mineral wealth that is dug or pumped from our earth is taken elsewhere to be processed. The leading physics technology on earth is not utilized by our universities or business community.

We have capitalized to some extent on New Mexico's scenic beauty. Tourism is up. But might it be a lot higher if the legislature didn't keep whacking tourism promotion requests?

When extractive industries were enriching our economy and state coffers, we had some of the lowest tax rates in the nation. But did we advertise that in order to attract business? Absolutely not. That opportunity is gone for at least awhile.

But there are other advantages our state can exploit in the '90s. Will our leaders be up to the challenge?

By the way

By P.E. Chavez

TOYS FOR TOTS

Albuquerque motorcyclists brought in some 4000 toys as their annual part of the 1989 Toys For Tots Christmas campaign. Afterward, the bikers' girlfriends staged a topless contest. "And the police are upset about that," says Chuck Mittlestadt in the Hobbs Flare. Mittlestadt ends with this quip: "Gee Whiz, are the kids the only ones who are supposed to have fun at Christmastime?"

PEN WIELDER

Cartoonist Berke Breathed, age 32, discontinued "Bloom County." He says he could draw the comic strip with his nose and pay his cleaning lady to write it. His new strip, "Outland" is about the usual things he says: "Silliness, lipsuction, love, death, Trump."

"Does making fun of the political system change anything?" asks the interviewer in Time magazine.

Berke's answer: "Only the size of the cartoonists' egos. Nowadays political commentary, especially satirical commentary, is usually ink wasted. Eighty years ago that wasn't the case. At that time a political cartoonist could turn an election around. Before movies and radio, a drawing of a weasel with the governor's name on his butt went a long way in a public's imagination. Our political power today is illu-

sionary. A Johnny Carson monologue is today's real influence brokerage."

INDIFFERENCE IS ENEMY

People have complained that some of the cartoonist's work is offensive. Various comic strips have been refused by some newspapers. Rev. Donald Wildmon demanded that Berke be fired for slandering Christians. What do such reactions tell him about his work?

Berke responds: "People are reading, especially Donald Wildmon. They are probably angry, they are offended, but they read you every day just to find out how they are going to be offended for tomorrow and for the next day. Indifference is the enemy. When I've lost Don, I've lost the war."

ZOZO BEGINNINGS

According to my history notes, Carrizozo had its beginnings with the coming of the El Paso and Northeastern Railroad in 1899. The town was laid out by a subsidiary of the railroad company and soon after was made a division point with the erection of a roundhouse and shop employing many workmen. (Including my father.) In short time it became a supply center and shipping point.

A brief agenda item at this week's Lincoln County Commission meeting caught



rail route begin.

INFORMED STAFF

The New York Newsday included a list of specialty phone services called by public school employees in two New York school districts in 1988 and 1989. A city investigation found that school funds had been used to pay for more than \$17,000 worth of these calls to: Wrestling/Fantasy Girls, Auto Loan Store, Credit Information Line, Sports Trivia Game, Tarot Card Reading, Soap Scope Info., 550-CHAT, 550-GENT, 550-GIRL, Man to Man Line, Hugg Line/Teen Talk, Urban III Line/Cross Dressing, Spanish Dial-A-Porn, Marilyn Chambers Advice Line, The Sensuous Switchboard, News and Moral Beliefs.

DIAL-AN-INSULT

Dial-An-Insult was included in the list of school placed calls as well as: Dial-A-Hunk, Dirty Joke Line, USA Freddy, Party-Party Line, Star Trek, Hardcore Trivia Line, Ernie Lan-tati's Horoscope, Sear's Story Line, 970-PAIN and I Confess.

my attention: Iron Horse Railroad Foundation.

A representative told the commission about the rail transportation enterprise and plans to establish a yard "somewhere in this area."

Then my mind wandered back to the late 1800s and a bustling mining town White Oaks. A guide published by the White Oaks Historical Association says: "White Oaks had thought that the El Paso and North Eastern Railroad would be built through it and from time to time the newspapers wrote of the prospects. However, the people who owned the property wanted too much for the right of way and White Oaks was bypassed by the railroad. A town that started as one of the most promising of all New Mexico sank into oblivion."

Stay tuned to the Ruidoso-based rail foundation when negotiations for a

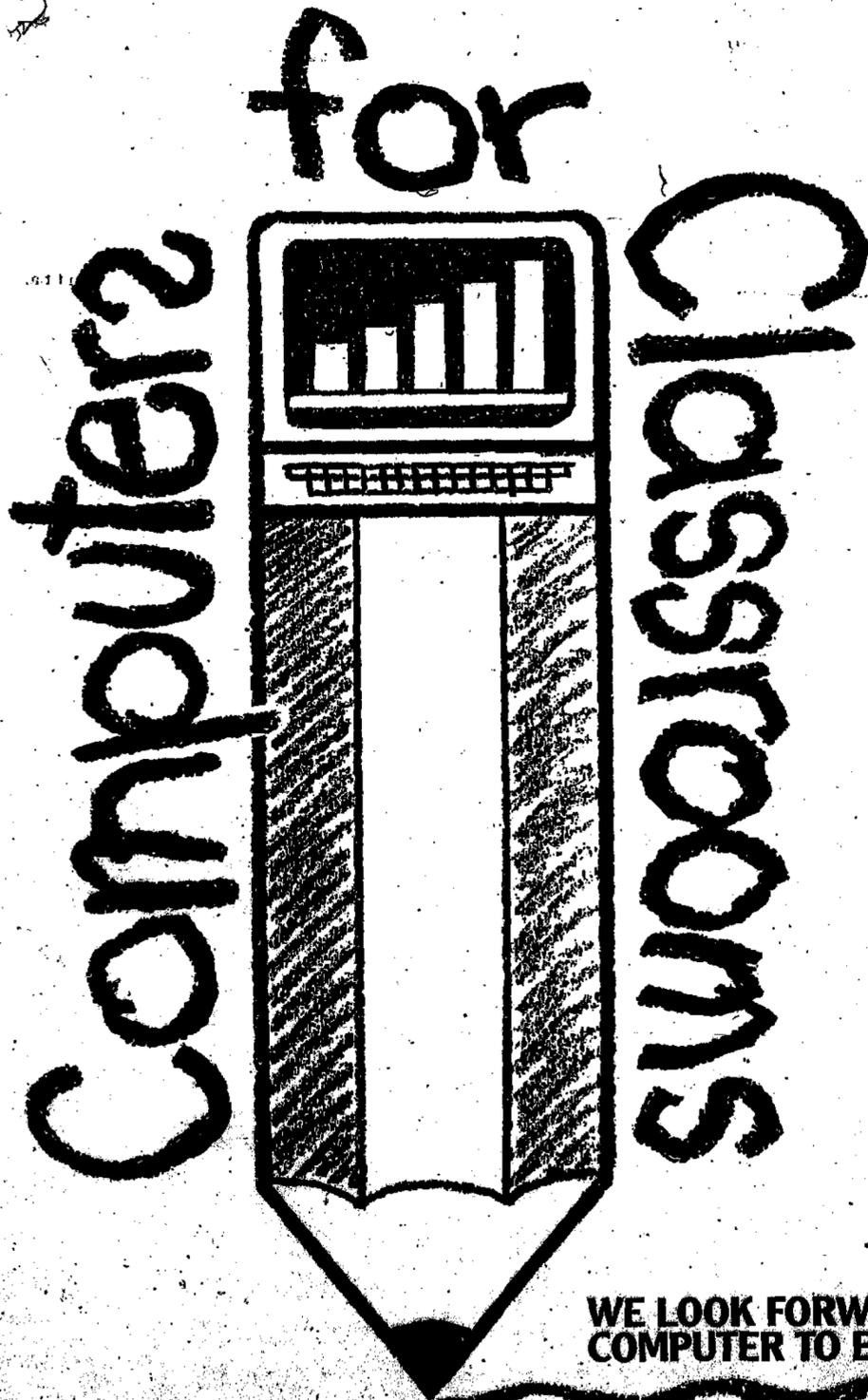
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Mr. Holland harassing and intimidating Dereck in this manner.

At six years old when a child is so impressionable and vulnerable, what do you think fear and intimidation will develop in him? At this age I would think any parent or teacher would want to instill in our children a desire to learn and succeed and good principles along with responsibility. This is very much relevant to education, especially in your prime years in school, and the administration, school board and every parent should be very concerned about it.

Dereck and every child in that school district has every right to an education in school free from harassment and intimidation. Why is ten percent of your students going to Capitan? Elementary children from 1st grade on commuting 20 miles away? These children are not delinquents or high school dropouts. Is anyone really concerned about this?

ALYCE CASTILLO,
Dereck's Grandmother.
Alamogordo.

Opinion

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called Castro a hero of the world; New York Times reporter Herbert Matthews: former presidential nominee George McGovern who called He Chi Minh "the George Washington of his country." Tom Hayden, California legislator; Attorney William Kunstler; ABC's Ted Koppel; Karen deYoung, former foreign editor of the Washington Post. We could go on but our space is limited. But this sampling proves that the media in general are biased toward communism, and their propaganda influences millions of Americans—like those who wrote those amazing letters to the Journal decrying our violation of the sovereign rights of Panama by our recent invasion.

● In summation, the US has no sovereign rights except those it is prepared to defend with military powers, or the threat of its use. This is why there is a constant clamor to reduce America's military might in an era when force and force alone can protect this or any other country from its enemies. Keep on cutting the military and we sign our death warrant. In this world today, only the strong survive. History confirms that.

SPORTS



CAPITAN LADY Tigers named as all-tournament players at Capitan's Smokey Bear Classic Basketball Tournament last Saturday were, left to right, Kim Eckland, Lora McKay and Leslie LaRue. Their varsity team placed first in the event.



CARRIZOZO VARSITY team members named as all-tournament players at the Smokey Bear Classic Basketball Tournament were, left to right, Dennis Vega, Michael Chavez and Guy Archuleta. Abe Padilla was the winner of the free-throw shooting contest during the event. The Grizzlies placed first in the tournament, their second championship this season.

Lady Tigers win the Smokey Bear Classic

The Smokey Bear Classic Basketball Tournament in Capitan last weekend had its share of exciting moments as the Capitan Lady Tigers fought their way to the girls tournament title and the Carrizozo Grizzly boys breezed their way to the boys championship.

The Lady Tigers were led by star-player Lora McKay who scored 22 points during the final edge-of-your-bleacher battle for the girls championship with the Reserve Mountaineers Saturday and 13 points in the two games leading up to the final.

The Lady Tigers met their match with the Reserve Mountaineers and had to work for the 67-64 win. The first quarter ended with Capitan only one point ahead.

A seasaw of points were scored during the first quarter and the Lady Tigers were only one point ahead at the end. By the half, the score was barely tipped in the Lady Tigers favor 30-28 only because McKay whisked the ball from the Mountaineers to score a basket in the final moments of the first half.

But a playing slump in the Lady Tigers during the third quarter let the Mountaineers slip by for an eight-point gain. The Lady Tigers regained their composure but could not catch up and watched as Reserve's player throw in a three-point basket at the last second in the third to end the quarter 46-42.

McKay picked up the ball in the final quarter and almost didn't put it down. She scored 17 points. With McKay's 17 points and Kim Eckland's 5, the Lady Tigers were fighting their way to a win they really wanted. The Lady Tigers were still behind until about 41 seconds left in the game. McKay stole the ball and made a quick basket to tie the game at 63 when she was fouled by Reserve. Although she added nothing at the free throw line, Reserve took the ball and was fouled by Capitan.

The ball was no good for Reserve and Leslie LaRue rebounded and handed off to McKay who moved in for another basket.

The points edged the Lady Tigers just past the Mountaineers 65-63. Reserve's final point gained at the free throw line, was not to be enough as Cox rebounded the ball, handed it over to McKay who wasted no time to run it down for the final basket and the 67-64 win.

LaRue scored 17 points, Eckland 15, Karie Cox 6 and Cindy Castillo 4.

Other games won by the Lady Tigers were against Vaughn Thursday, 52-11; McKay scored 13 points, Cox 10 and Jennifer Eldridge 7; Dexter Friday, 39-21; McKay scored 13, Eckland 9 and LaRue 6.

Carrizozo's Grizzly girls won the consolation trophy Saturday by defeating Lake Arthur 52-37. Tinnie Trolinger was the top player Saturday with 16 points, Yvonne Estrella scored 16 and Michael Schlarb 6. The girls lost to Reserve in the first round Thursday 52-26. Estrella was high scorer with 8 points and Yvette Hernandez scored 6. In the next game against Hagerman, the girls played a hard-won match 39-37. Trolinger was high pointer with 16 and Estrella scored 9.

Capitan's Eckland, McKay and LaRue were named as all-tournament players at the conclusion of the boys championship Saturday.

Capitan girls coach Norm Cline attributed the success to the team effort displayed, especially in the final game against Reserve.

The Capitan Tigers boys team had a disappointing tournament, with no wins.

Nathan Fuchs was top scorer with 10 points in the tournament opening loss to Vaughn 86-45. Kyle Allen scored 6 points. Dexter totally embarrassed the Tigers with the 100-56 win. Heath Huey scored 14, Nathan Roybal 11 and Fuchs 8. In the final loss to Hagerman 68-51, Huey scored 17 and Guy Payne 10.

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8th grade—*Rachel Archuleta, Christi Brown, Davin Epperson, Lori Gibson, *Renee Roper, Amy Zamora.

9th grade—*Scot Brown, *Bryan Turnbow.

10th grade—*Kelly Caldwell, *Cheryl Hightower, *Brent Racher, James Silva, *Candace Wilcox.

11th grade—Valerie Archuleta, Kevin Sheehan.

12th grade—Michael Chavez, Mark Guevara, Lisa Hightower, Denise Hill, *Connie Najjar, *Kelly Racher, *Suzanne Saucedo, *Cindy Silva, Tinnie Trolinger, Dennis Vega, Lucy Vega.

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Free tax help for elderly

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program sponsored by the Capitan Senior Citizen Center will assist elderly, low income and handicapped persons with basic tax returns.

Persons interested should bring their tax forms and other pertinent information to the Capitan Senior Citizen building on Friday afternoon from 1 to 3:30 p.m. or by appointment ONLY on Thursday afternoons.

The program will begin Feb. 9 and continue through April 13. For more details call 354-3172 and ask for Jo.



a waste."

He also said that most suicides are done with a weapon or hanging. He thought the presence or easy accessibility of guns might be a factor in successful suicides, which are done on a moment's notice without much thought given to the consequences of the act.

"It's an easy way out, they don't realize the hardships," McSwane said.

Funeral services for Reynolds were conducted at Capitan School Wednesday afternoon.

Grizzlies win their second tournament of the season

The Carrizozo boys varsity played in their third tournament over the weekend and brought home another championship trophy.

The Grizzlies took the Capitan Smokey Bear Classic Tournament championship with a 64-50 win over Lake Arthur. The championship was the second this season, the first at Floyd. The boys finished second to Hot Springs in the only tournament they didn't win.

Carrizozo defeated Lake Arthur in the championship game on Saturday before a packed house. Lake Arthur jumped out to a 16-14 advantage after one period, but trailed the Grizzlies 32-30 at the half.

Carrizozo then outscored the Panthers 32-20 in the second half for the victory. Scoring in double figures for the Grizzlies were Guy Archuleta and Abe Padilla with 15 points each and Chris Schlarb with 10.

"This was truly a team effort," coach Ron Becker said after his Grizzlies won their second tournament championship.

"We had quite a few people in foul trouble throughout the tournament. Our bench combined well with the starters to control all three games," he said. "Mark Guevara scored well for the inside and played great defense against much taller people. He also is the best on the team at blocking out. Guy Archuleta comes off the bench to play three forward positions and gives the Grizzlies the best sixth man around. This was Guy's best overall performance of the year."

"Michael Chavez and Dennis Vega provided lead-

ership and scoring from the guard position and made the all-tournament team along with Guy. Abe Padilla won the free-throw championship and provided constant scoring and rebounding. Another player who played his best of the year was Rebel Sandoval. Rebel's performance was instrumental in Carrizozo's bid for the tournament championship," he added.

The Grizzlies romped over the Reserve Mountaineers 78-38 on Thursday night in the first round. Chavez and Archuleta led the Grizzly scoring with 17 points each. Padilla was close behind with 15. Carrizozo advanced to the finals the next night by trouncing the Estancia Bears 61-33. Archuleta with 15 and Chavez with 13 led the Grizzly scoring.

Carrizozo is now 12-1 in the season with one more game at home against Estancia this Friday, before district play.

The JV boys will kick off the action at 4 p.m. Friday, followed by the girls varsity and then the boys varsity.

On Saturday, the real season begins with Carrizozo's first district home game with Corona.

Corona has two fine teams with the boys led by senior Dan Bell expected to give Carrizozo all it can handle. Coach Becker said

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John H. Howland	10/31/46	1100 Cero Garcia Santa Fe, NM	2	\$7,169
Peter Lannon	02/06/51	3900 Iukone NE, #24 Albuquerque, NM	2	\$20,628
Amarante Pacheco	08/30/44	General Delivery Arroyo Seco, NM	2	\$14,659
William D. Ricketts	06/27/62	906 Sycamore Bloomfield, NM	2	\$26,640
Joe Albert Wallon	02/16/29	112 Cordance NE Albuquerque, NM	4	\$41,755
Eugene Rudolph Vigil	11/16/53	913 Trading Post rd SE Albuquerque, NM	3	\$29,214
Ricardo Wriest	03/19/52	414 Oak NE Albuquerque, NM	3	\$32,533

If you know where any of the above "wanted" are call the NM Human Services Department at 1-800-432-6217

Resolution of Capitan's water problem may be near

The Capitan Village Trustees conducted their business within 25 minutes Monday, honored a resident and heard about water talks between Alamogordo and the village.

Resident Dorothy Smith, an active member of the Economic Development Corporation of Lincoln County (EDCLC) and a member of the Capitan Cemetery Board, was recognized by the village and EDCLC for a "great job." The small audience of citizens applauded Smith.

The trustees heard from Mayor Benny Coker the negotiations with Alamogordo over fees for transmitting water from Eagle Creek to Capitan on Bonito Lake lines are progressing.

State Senator Maurice Hobson, a member of the legislative finance committee, asked the village and city to have an agreement in

place before the legislature begins Jan. 16. Both sides have tentatively agreed to amend the 1957 agreement with a possible option to have maintenance from Capitan in lieu of transmission fees, Coker said.

Last week, Coker talked with Alamogordo mayor Larry Rierdon who suggested a meeting with Frank Smith, Alamogordo water engineer, and Dan Malone, city manager, to further discuss the situation. Coker recently toured the Nogal water line, which was upgraded by its owner Holloman Air Force Base, with the base commander, Sen. Hobson and Rierdon, while the pipe project was in progress.

Also at the meeting Dr. Bernhard Reimann reported on the filter plant project. K and S Electrical Systems has installed a fully automatic filtration system with manual override for total control.

The filter tank has been refurbished and hooked onto the new system.

In other business, the trustees:

—Approved the holiday schedule resolution, which lists holidays the same as the state schedule, with the inclusion of a half-day on Good Friday.

—Heard Frank Worth report on the house and lot numbering. The actual numbers are in city hall and all that remains is the paper work to ready the ordinance for publication and the approval process. Capitan Planning and Zoning will meet at 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18.

—Heard Smith announce the cemetery board will meet at 1 p.m. Monday, Jan. 15 at Smokey Bear Restaurant to discuss additional land purchase.

CAPITAN NEWS

By Margaret Rench



for Christmas holidays.

Tinnie Trolinger, a senior in Carrizozo High School, received an invitation to the Congressional Youth Leadership Council, Feb. 6-11, in Washington, D.C. She has received her confirmation. Her father and grandmother in Kentucky helped her out with expenses. She has been accepted in "Who's Who" in Carrizozo High School, CCWA, outstanding athlete. She has several chances for scholarships to attend universities. We are proud of you, Tinnie.

Winter is with us. Snow remains with sunshine, zero temperatures to 18 degrees with winds.

The Capitan American Legion Post 57 meets the first Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at the fairgrounds

activity building. They have donated \$100 to the Michael Malis liver transplant fund.

The Smokey Bear basketball tournament was held in Capitan last week. Girls champions—Capitan Tigers; boy champions, Carrizozo

Grizzlies.

The Smokey Bear Museum had 212 registered visitors last week.

Happy birthday to Cammie Jolly Jan. 8 and Timmie Coons, Jan. 8.

Brother Harold Perry offers help to any and all of you young people who feel a need and would like to talk about their problems. He also volunteers counseling for those anticipating suicide. Phone 354-2423.

Tyana Trolinger, who attends Adams State College in Alamosa, CO, was home

Creadith Long and Jennie Martin of Weatherford, TX made a business trip to this area Sunday and spent the night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Muse.

All of Capitan extends love and sympathy to Ceil Annaratone and Cory Reynolds in this hour of sorrow. Johnny Annaratone died Monday morning Jan. 8, just after he awakened at his home in Capitan.

Bonito firemen hold annual meeting

New officers were introduced, achievements recognized, and goals for 1990 were presented at Bonito Volunteer Fire Dept's annual formal meeting January 8 at La Junta Guest Ranch in Alto.

Chief Howard Puckett presented retiring assistant chief D.A. Kincaid a plaque and dress badge in recognition of his years of service, first as chief in 1972-73, then as assistant chief 1983-89.

Lifetime member cards were presented to Kincaid and previously retired members C.R. Patterson and Bob Finley.

Puckett then recognized those volunteers who responded to the most calls in 1989. Of the line officers, Captain the Bob Palko responded to 29 of 52 calls. Among the firefighters, David Saum responded to 23 of 52 calls. They received engraved key chains.

Next, Puckett introduced newly-elected line officers for 1990: assistant chief David Saum, deputy chief Greg Lane, and Captain Bob Falk-

o. Newly-appointed lieutenants and their duties include: finance, Pam Viele; building maintenance, Steve Hezmail; rescue, Rusty Lanelli; and equipment maintenance, Jack Orio.

Reviewing accomplishments of 1989 and 1990, Puckett announced the installation of upgraded radios in each truck, as well as the addition of hand-held radios in each of the three Class A pumpers.

"Our biggest goal of 1989-90 is being met next month when bids will be let out on a new tanker," he said. This vehicle will replace the department's oldest, a 1967 2100-gallon tanker.

"This wouldn't have been possible without diligent fundraising," said a department spokesman. Lillian Puckett, fundraising chairman, received a round of applause.

The evening concluded on a festive note with a "Chinese auction" gift exchange.

AROUND CORONA

Dorothy "Bunny" Kerr left Jan. 1 for Thailand where she is teaching English to the hospital staff of a doctor friend. Two of the children will return with her for their third summer of tutoring.

Jimmy Bryan has returned to Panama following the Noriega surrender. He had spent his college holiday vacation with relatives here and attended the wedding of a cousin, Kent Hutchison, in Oklahoma City. Also attending the wedding were Mrs. Flora Lee Bryan, grandmother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and Marilee, who was flower girl for her cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Porter left Sunday for Mountain Home, Idaho where they will care for granddaughter Misty, while daughter Nancy Roll is hospitalized with a nervous disorder.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Sultemeier visited the Jim Lathams in Sterling City, TX during the holidays. Jim is recovering from a hunting accident. The shotgun pellets have been removed from his face except for one behind an eye.

Mrs. W. T. Keelin says she received a good report from her doctor Friday after spending four days in a hospital about three weeks ago when she underwent tests and treatment for a heart problem. Peggy Owen stayed 10 days with her mother here and Anita Harper is with her this week.

Elmer DeVaney is recuperating at home from effects of a staph infection which caused him a five-day hospital stay.

Tammy Sultemeier took two weeks of her college vac-

ation to be with friends in Portland, Maine where, according to her, the cold is really cold and penetrating.

Rumalda Alirez suffered to be out of the hospital and in an Albuquerque rehab center.

The Perkins and Bradfords were in Albuquerque Wednesday, Dec. 27, to attend funeral services for Mrs. Helen Shattuck who died Christmas morning after an illness of several months. Mrs. Shattuck, 94, was the mother of Mrs. Frank DuBois and enjoyed her trips to Corona as long as her health permitted.

Gerald Cosby has returned to his home and job in Gallup after being called to Tracey, CA by the death of his mother, Mae Cosby. His niece, Diane Cooper, was the only survivor of a fiery head-on freeway crash early Christmas morning. Dead were Mr. Cooper, the couple's two teenage sons, Mrs. Cosby and the driver of the other car. Mrs. Cooper remains in serious condition in a Modes-to hospital. Services were held in Tracey Saturday morning.

Mrs. Cosby, 86, former Corona resident, is survived by two sons, Gerald of Gallup, H.F. "Junior" Cosby of Blanding, Utah, one daughter, Husta, Tracey, 12 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. James L. Jones, Las Cruces, is a

Kathy and Warren Hanson, Artesia, Wanda, Butch and a Cristi Carnell, Fort Sumner, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Cape, Capitan, were among those here Jan. 3 for the funeral of Eula Grinnett Thomson.

Billis Hodge returned home Thursday of last week

after 10 days in an Albuquerque hospital. He will go back for more tests Friday.

Charles and Si Porter were to enter the VA hospital Tuesday for surgery and tests.

Steve Mulkey and Jean-na Tausch, San Diego, made a quick Christmas visit here. Scott and Gremlin stayed for several days.

Diane and Jerry Collier came home with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mulkey for a brief visit after the wedding of their son, Terry Collier, in Albuquerque Dec. 30. Angela and David stayed in Albuquerque for a visit with friends before the Colliers returned to their home in Owensville, Ohio.

Tom Pounds has been dismissed from the hospital after three weeks following surgery.

Mrs. Earl Moore is recuperating at home after a Christmas week appendectomy.

Mrs. Minnie Davenport suffered a heart attack at her home Dec. 31. She was taken to Alamogordo and placed in ICU. She received a pacemaker Friday and expects to be dismissed Wednesday, but will have to stay in town with a grandson for at least 10 days.

Jamesene Lopez was hospitalized Friday for surgery.

Robin Pfeiffer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kimball to Waco, TX to spend Christmas with Sara Kimball. They returned via Oklahoma City to see the senior Mrs. Kimball.

GOP women to hear Bond

The public is invited to hear Frank Bond, Republican candidate for governor, address Federated Republican Women of Lincoln County, Jan. 23 at K-Bob's Restaurant in Ruidoso.

Business meeting is at 11 a.m.; the executive board meets at 10 a.m. Persons wishing to attend only Bond's address may arrive at noon.

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RESOLUTION AND PROCLAMATION OF SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Corona Municipal School District No. 13 (herein the "Board" and the "District", respectively), in the Counties of Lincoln, Torrance and Socorro, has determined that a special school district election be held on March 20, 1990, pursuant to Sections 1-22-1 through 1-22-19 NMSA 1978; and

WHEREAS, the Board of the District has determined upon its own initiative to submit to a vote at said special school district election, the question of the issuance of its general obligation bonds in the maximum amount and for the purposes hereinafter specified, as permitted by Section 22-18-2B NMSA 1978, and the Bond Election Act; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CORONA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 13, CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNING BOARD OF SAID DISTRICT, IN THE COUNTIES OF LINCOLN, TORRANCE AND SOCORRO AND STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. On the 20th day of March, 1990, there will be held in the Corona Municipal School District No. 13, Lincoln, Torrance and Socorro Counties, New Mexico, a special school district election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the District the question of creating a debt by the issuance of general obligation bonds.

Section 2. The Voting Districts for this election shall be as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Voting District, General Election Precinct Nos., and Polling Places. District 1 includes precincts 5 and 4, and 15, with polling places in Corona, NM.

In addition, there will be an Absentee Voter District established, as described in Section 6 herein.

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

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

"Shall the Board of Education of the Corona Municipal School District No. 13, Counties of Lincoln, Torrance and Socorro, New Mexico, be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the District, in one series or more, in the aggregate principal amount of not exceeding \$300,000, for the purpose of erecting, remodeling, making additions to and furnishing school buildings or purchasing or improving school grounds or any combination of these purposes, said bonds to be payable from general (ad valorem) taxes and to be issued and sold at such time or times upon such terms and conditions as the Board may determine?"

Section 5. A person is a qualified elector of the District if he or she is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age on the day of the election and a resident of the District on the day of the election. In order to vote, qualified electors of the District must have previously registered with the County Clerk of Lincoln County or the County Clerk in Torrance County in accordance with law. Any qualified elector of the District who is not now registered during regular office hours prior to 5:00 p.m. on February 20, 1990, being the twenty-eighth day immediately preceding the election, at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, at the County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, or at the office of the County Clerk of Torrance County, Estancia, New Mexico, or at the office of the County Clerk of Socorro County, Socorro, New Mexico or at the office of any deputy registration officer appointed by the County Clerk of Lincoln County or the County Clerk of Torrance County or the County Clerk of Socorro County (which may include the municipal clerks of all municipalities in Lincoln, Torrance and Socorro Counties.)

Section 6. Absentee voting will be permitted in the manner authorized by 1-6-1 et seq. NMSA 1978, provided that qualified electors may also vote absentee in person at the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County during the regular hours and days of business from 8:00 a.m., February 23, 1990, being the twenty-fifth day preceding the election, until 5:00 p.m., March 16, 1990, being the Friday immediately prior to the date of the election.

Section 7. Voting shall be by paper ballot. PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of December, 1989.

/s/MARGARET LIGHTFOOT, President.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

/s/Sherry Luera, Secretary.

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RESOLUCION Y PROCLAMACION DE LA ESCUELA DE BONOS ESCOLARES

CONSIDERANDO QUE, la Junta de Educacion del Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 13 de Corona (en esta la "Junta" y el "Distrito" respectivamente), en los Condados de Lincoln, Torrance y Socorro, ha determinado que se llorera a cabo una eleccion especial del distrito escolar el 20 de marzo de 1990, de acuerdo con las Secciones 1-22-1 hasta 1-22-19 NMSA 1978; y

CONSIDERANDO QUE, la Junta del Distrito ha determinado por su propia iniciativa someter al voto on dicha eleccion especial del distrito escolar, la cuestion de la omision de sus bonos de obligacion general on la cantidad maxima y con los finos mas adelante especificados, como es permitido por Seccion 22-18-2B NMSA 1978, y la Ley de Eleccion de Bonos; y

AHORA, POR LO TANTO, SEA RESUELTO POR LA JUNTA DE EDUCACION DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR MUNICIPAL NUM. 13 DE CORONA, CONSTITUYENDO EL CUERPO GOBERNANTE DE DICHO DISTRITO, EN LOS CONDADOS DE LINCOLN, TORRANCE Y SOCORRO Y ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO:

Seccion 1. El dia 20 de marzo de 1990, se llorera a cabo on el Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 13 de los Condados de Lincoln, Torrance y Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, una eleccion especial del Distrito escolar con el fin de someter a los electores calificados del Distrito la cuestion de crear una deuda al emitir bonos de obligacion general.

Seccion 2. Los Distritos Electorales para esta eleccion seran:

Table with 3 columns: Distrito Electoral, Nums. de Precintos de la Eleccion General, and Sitios de Votacion. District 1 includes precincts 5 and 4, and 15, with polling places in Corona, NM.

Ademas, se establecera un Distrito de Votantes Absentistas, como descrito on Seccion 6 aqui.

Seccion 3. Los titulos de votacion para dicha eleccion estaran abiertos entre las horas de las 7:00 a.m. y las 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.

Seccion 4. En tal eleccion, se sometera la siguiente cuestion a tales electores registrados calificados del Distrito:

QUESTION DE BONOS DE OBLIGACION GENERAL "Debe autorizarse a la Junta de Educacion del Distrito Escolar Municipal Num. 13 de Corona, Condados de Lincoln, Torrance y Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, para emitir bonos de obligacion general del Distrito, on una o mas series, on la cantidad principal agregada que no exceda \$300,000, con el fin de construir, remodelar, anadir a y amueblar edificios escolares o comprar o mejorar terrenos escolares o cualquier combinacion de estos fines; dichos bonos seran pagables de los impuestos generales (ad valorem) y se emitiran y se venderan a tal tiempo o tiempos bajo tales terminos y condiciones como determina la Junta?"

Seccion 5. Una persona es un elector calificado del Distrito si el o ella es ciudadano(a) de los Estados Unidos, tiene por lo menos 18 anos de edad el dia de la eleccion y es residente del Distrito el dia de la eleccion. Para votar, los electores calificados del Distrito deben haberse previamente registrado con el (la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Lincoln o con el (la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Torrance segun la ley. Cualquier elector calificado del Distrito que no este registrado ahora y que desee votar on tal eleccion especial debe registrarse durante las horas habiles antes de las 5:00 p.m. del 20 de febrero de 1990, siendo este el vigesimo-octavo dia inmediatamente antes de la Eleccion, en la oficina del (de la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Lincoln, en el Palacio de Justicia del Condado de Carrizozo, Nuevo Mexico, o en la oficina del (de la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Torrance, Estancia, Nuevo Mexico, o en la oficina del (de la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Socorro, Nuevo Mexico, o on la oficina de cualquier diputado de inscripcion aprobado por el (la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Lincoln o por el (la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Torrance, o por el (la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Socorro (que puede incluir los (las) escribanos(as) municipales de todas las municipalidades de los Condados de Lincoln, Torrance y Socorro).

Seccion 6. Se permitira la votacion absentista en la manera autorizada a 1-6-1 et seq. NMSA 1978, con tal que los electores calificados tambien puedan registrar su voto absentista en persona on la oficina del (de la) Escribano(a) del Condado del Condado de Lincoln durante las horas y dias habiles de las 8:00 a.m., el 23 de febrero de 1990, siendo este el vigesimo-quinto dia antes de la eleccion, hasta las 5:00 p.m., el 16 de marzo de 1990, siendo este el viernes inmediatamente antes del dia de la eleccion.

Seccion 7. La votacion se llevara a cabo por balota. PASADA Y APROBADA esta dia 12 de diciembre de 1989.

/s/MARGARET LIGHTFOOT, Presidente.

(SELO)

ATTEST:

/s/Sherry Luera, Secretaria (s).

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NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Property which was valued in 1989 in this county by the county assessor is not required to be reported or rendered for 1990 or subsequent years, EXCEPT FOR:

- 1. mobile homes
2. livestock, and
3. land used for agricultural purposes

If, for any reason, your property was not valued last year and it is subject to valuation this year, you are required by law to report it to the county assessor on forms provided either by mail or at the assessor's office.

All nongovernmental entities (property owners) which claim to be exempt from the property tax must report their property and claim their exemption for 1990 if the exemption was not claimed in 1989.

Reports for mobile homes, livestock, land use for agricultural purposes, property not valued last year and claims for exemptions must be completed and mailed or delivered to the county assessor not later than the last day of February.

If you made improvements to your real property and:

- 1. the improvements cost more than \$1,000 and
2. a building permit for the improvements was not issued; you must report the nature of the improvements and their cost to the assessor not later than the last day of February. These reports must be on forms provided by that assessor.

If you believe your property decreased in value during the preceding year, you must report, on forms provided by the assessor, a signed statement which:

- 1. describes the property affected,
2. states the cause and nature of decrease in value, and
3. states the amount you contend the value has decreased.

This statement must be filed with the county assessor no later than the last day of February.

If the Veterans exemption is being claimed, then the original certificate will have to be brought in or mailed to the Assessor's office on or before the last day of February, 1990.

If the head-of-family exemption was claimed and allowed in 1989 no new claim for that exemption is required to be filed. However, if that exemption was not claimed and allowed in 1989 and it is now claimed, claim must be made by the last day of February by filing with the assessor the form provided by the assessor. Beginning in the 1989 tax year, taxpayers are responsible for declaring their property classification to the assessor, as residential or nonresidential. When the declaration is accepted by the assessor, it shall remain as such and need not be made in subsequent years unless the classification changes. If a taxpayer has not declared their property to be residential in 1989 and desires that classification for 1990 they must complete a declaration of residential classification and return the signed declaration to the county assessor's office by the last day of February, 1990.

Certain mineral property and personal property of contractors operating in more than one county are required to be reported to the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division of the State of New Mexico in Santa Fe. Information about property to be reported to the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division can be obtained from the county assessor or the Taxation and Revenue Department, Property Tax Division, Central Assessment Bureau, P.O. Box 630, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87509, Phone: (505) 827-0896.

THIS NOTICE is only a brief statement of the provisions of Section 7-38-8, 7-38-8.1, 7-38-13, 7-38-17 and 7-38-17.1 NMSA 1978 of the Property Tax Code. It is not intended to reflect the full contents of these statutory provisions. If you wish to review the full contents of these provisions, they can be examined at the office of the county assessor.

JULIA SAMORA, Lincoln County Assessor. P.O. Box 38, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, 505-648-2206.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN IN THE DISTRICT COURT PROBATE NO. PB-89-55

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MILDRED H. DAVIS, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against this Estate are required to present their claim within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claim will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned in care of William J. Mounce, P.O. Drawer 1977, El Paso, Texas 79960 or filed with the District Court, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Dated this 26th day of December, 1989.

CHARLES B. DAVIS Published in the Lincoln County News on January 4 and 11, 1990.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT 12th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NO. S Q - 8 9 - 3 1

IN THE MATTER OF GUARDIANSHIP PROCEEDING FOR SEAN McHENRY

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO: Robert McHenry and Family

On January 26, 1990, at Carrizozo, 10 a.m., in Lincoln County Courthouse at Carrizozo, New Mexico, the Honorable Richard A. Parsons will hold a hearing to determine whether a guardian should be appointed for Sean McHenry. The purpose of this proceeding is to appoint a guardian. A copy of the petition requesting appointment of a guardian is attached to this notice.

At the hearing the court will determine whether Sean McHenry needs to be protected by a guardian under New Mexico law.

If the court finds Sean McHenry is in need of a guardian, the court at the hearing shall also consider whether Birget Lamothe, if any should be appointed as guardian of Sean McHenry. The court, may, in its discretion, appoint some other qualified person as guardian. The court may also, in its discretion, limit the powers and duties of the guardian to allow Sean to retain control over certain activities.

Sean McHenry shall attend the hearing and be represented by an attorney.

The petition may be heard and determined in the absence of Sean McHenry if the court determines that the presence of Sean McHenry is not required. If Sean McHenry attends the hearing and is not represented by an attorney, the court shall appoint an attorney to represent the person for whom a guardian is sought.

The court may, on its own motion or on request of any interested person, postpone the hearing to another date and time.

PATRICIA E. BUSTAMANTE, Attorney for Petitioner.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR SEALED BIDS

Sealed bids will be accepted in the Lincoln County Manager's Office, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, until 10:00 A.M., January 30, 1990, for a tract of land in Alto Village, more specifically described as:

LOT 206, UNIT 8, DEER PARK VALLEY SUBDIVISION, A SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN LINCOLN COUNTY.

Minimum bid accepted \$1,500.00 Payment must be made within five (5) days of bid award.

For further information, please contact the County Manager's Office at 505/648-2385.

Lincoln County reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any bid, waive minor technicalities and award the bid to best serve the interest of Lincoln County.

All bids must comply with the New Mexico Procurement Code.

NICK J. PAPPAS, Lincoln County Manager.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NO. CV-89-210

Division III

BLACKWELL INVESTMENT CO., INC. Plaintiff,

vs. TERRY COE, TERESA COE, COUNTY OF EL PASO, STATE OF TEXAS. Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above-entitled Court, having appointed the undersigned as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered the Special Master to sell the real property situated in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, more particularly described as:

Beginning at a point which lies North 89° 52' 30" East a distance of 509.48 feet from the South 1/16 corner of said Sec-

tion 8; thence South 00° 39' 36" East a distance of 79.86 feet; thence South 89° 23' 41" East a distance of 100.00 feet; thence South 00° 39' 36" East a distance of 85.47 feet; thence North 71° 55' 21" East a distance of 178.33 feet; thence South 89° 30' 29" East a distance of 123.87 feet; thence South 84° 32' 11" East a distance of 337.11 feet; thence North 01° 22' 58" East a distance of 145.54 feet; thence South 89° 52' 30" West a distance of 735.33 feet to the point of beginning. More commonly described as South of Bonito Road on the way to Bonito Lake.

The sale shall commence at 10:00 A.M. on Friday, February 16, 1990, at the front steps on the east side of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico. The property will be sold to the highest bidder for cash.

For the purposes of this sale, "cash" shall mean (1) cash on hand; (2) other immediately available funds such as bank cashiers checks, or (3) an irrevocable letter of credit payable at site issued by a financial institution acceptable to and in a form acceptable to the Special Master in an amount not less than the bid amount, delivered to and approved by the Special Master prior to sale.

This sale is being held pursuant to the Default Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Order of Sale, and Appointment of Special Master entered January 2, 1990, in the above-captioned cause of action for money due and owing and foreclosure of liens as hereinafter stated.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the proceeds of sale will be applied as follows: first to the Special Master's fee in the amount of \$200.00, and to the associated expenses of sale; second to pay Plaintiff's judgment on the mortgage in the amount of \$6,043.18, which includes interest through February 16, 1990; third, as the Court may direct.

NOTICE IS FINALLY GIVEN that Plaintiff may bid and purchase the property at the foreclosure sale and may apply all or a portion of its judgment as cash toward the purchase price.

BY NICK VEGA, Special Master. P.O. Box 383, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

Published in the Lincoln County News on January 11, 18 & 25, and February 1, 1990.

RESOLUTION 89-12

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(C) NMSA 1978 requires this Board of Trustees to determine what notice for a public meeting shall be reasonable.

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-1(B) NMSA 1978 requires that "All meetings of a quorum of members of any board, commission or other policy-making body of any state agency, or any agency or authority of any county, municipal, district or any political subdivision held for the purpose of taking any action within the authority of such board, commission or other policy-making body are declared to be public meetings open to the public at all times, except as otherwise provided in the constitution or the provisions of the Open Meeting Act..." and;

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-3(A), also provides that "No resolution, rule, regulation, ordinance or action of any board, commission, committee or other policy-making body shall be valid unless taken or made at a meeting held in accordance with the requirements of Section 1 of this Act (10-15-1 NMSA 1978).

WHEREAS, Section 10-15-4, NMSA 1978 provides that any person violating the provisions of Section 1 or 2 of this act (10-15-1 or 10-15-2 NMSA 1978) is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100) for each offense.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico that:

1. Notice shall be given at least 3 days in advance of any meeting of a quorum of the members of the Governing Body or any board, commission, committee, agency, authority or other policy-making body held for the purpose of discussing public business or taking action within the authority of such body.

2. Notice shall be given at least 24 hours in advance of any special meeting of a quorum of the members of the governing body or any board, commission, committee, agency, authority or other policy-making body held for the purpose of discussing public business or taking action within the authority of such body.

3. Notice requirements as set out in Section 1 and 2 of this

resolution are complied with if notice of the date, time, place and general subject matter to be discussed at the meeting is made available for inspection by the public during normal and regular business hours at the office of the Municipal Clerk and six prominent places within the time limits specified by Section 1 and 2.

4. Notwithstanding any provision, the Mayor may establish such additional notice as may be deemed advisable.

5. Notwithstanding any provision, the Mayor may call, with whatever notice is possible under the circumstances, a meeting of board, commission, committee or other policy-making body of the municipality to consider any matter that needs emergency treatment because of a clear and present danger to health, welfare or safety of the people of the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico.

6. Regular Meetings of the Governing Body for the Town of Carrizozo, New Mexico shall be held on the Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month to commence at 6:00 o'clock p.m., at the Carrizozo City Hall Conference Room.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo, hereby adopts the following meeting dates for the Second and Fourth Tuesday's of every month as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Date and Day. Lists meeting dates from January 9, 1990 to June 28, 1990.

7. This resolution will void and null any other resolution.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 9th day of January, 1990.

ROBERT E. HEMPHILL, Mayor.

ATTEST: Carol Schlarr, CMC, Town Clerk.

Published in the Lincoln County News on January 11, 1990.

RESOLUTION 89-10

WHEREAS, the Governing Body in and for the Town of Carrizozo, State of New Mexico, meeting in regular session on December 26, 1989, has adopted the Official Holiday Calendar for Town of Carrizozo.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Carrizozo Governing Body hereby adopts the following as the Official Holiday Calendar for the Town of Carrizozo.

New Year's Eve will be observed on Monday, January 1, 1990.

Martin Luther King's Day will be observed on Monday, January 15, 1990.

Lincoln's Birthday will be observed on Friday, November 23, 1990.

Washington's Birthday will be observed on Monday, December 24, 1990.

Good Friday, 1/2 day will be observed on Friday, April 13, 1990.

Memorial Day will be observed on Monday, May 28, 1990.

Independence Day will be observed on Wednesday, July 4, 1990.

Labor Day will be observed on Monday, September 3, 1990.

Columbus Day will be observed on Monday, October 8, 1990.

Veteran's Day will be observed on Monday, November 12, 1990.

Thanksgiving Day will be observed on Thursday, November 22, 1990.

Christmas Day will be observed on Tuesday, December 25, 1990.

RESOLVED IN BOARD SESSION this 26th day of December, 1989.

Town of Carrizozo Council. ROBERT E. HEMPHILL, Mayor.

LINDA A. HALLER, Trustee.

WILLIAM D. LAMAY, Trustee.

ALBERT N. BACA, Trustee.

HAROLD G. GARCIA, Trustee.

ATTEST: CAROL SCHLARR, Clerk.

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Joseph Priestley not only discovered oxygen in 1774, he also discovered the way to make soda water.

CLASSIFIED ADS

ONE MONTH Free Rent: Inspiration Heights in Ruidoso Downs. One & two bedroom apartments, carpet, drapes, energy efficient, stove and refrigerator. 1 br. \$204/mo., 2 br. \$243/mo., 3 br. \$296/mo. Rental assistance may be available to qualifying applicants. 378-4236. Tfn-Aug. 25.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom, 2 bath house in Carrizozo on large lot with unattached garage. Selling price \$23,700. Call Mary at 437-4560. tfn-April 27.

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FORMS AVAILABLE at Lincoln County News: No Camping Permitted, Posted-No Hunting or Trespassing (also in Spanish), Warranty Deed, Bill of Sale, Quitclaim Deed, Proof of Labor on Mining Claim, Statement of Transaction. All forms 25¢ each, signs 75¢. Tfn-May 11.

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LEGALS

CARRIZOZO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT OPEN MEETING RESOLUTION

Whereas, Section 10-15-1(C) NMSA 1978 requires this Board of Supervisors to determine what notice for a public meeting shall be reasonable.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED this 4th day of January, 1990, by the Soil and Water Conservation District that:

1. Regular meetings of the Board of Supervisors shall be held at 7:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Soil Conservation Service Office, Courthouse Annex, Carrizozo, NM.
2. Notice shall be given at least ten days in advance of any regular meeting scheduled by the Board at its last meeting, if the meeting date should be changed.
3. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the chairman no less than three (3) days in advance of the meeting.
4. Emergency meetings may be called by the Chairman or a majority of the members upon twenty-four (24) hours notice.
5. The time and place of special and emergency meetings shall be posted in the Soil Conservation Service office, Highway 380 West, Capitan, NM.

GORDON BARHAM, Chairman.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold their regular meeting on January 22, 1990, in the Commission Meeting Room, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, at 1:00 P.M. instead of 4:00 P.M.

NICK J. PAPPAS, Lincoln County Manager.
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UPPER HONDO SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT OPEN MEETING RESOLUTION
Whereas, Section 10-15-1(C) NMSA 1978 requires this Board of Supervisors to determine what

notice for a public meeting shall be reasonable.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED this 4th day of January, 1990, by the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District that:

1. Regular meetings of the Board of Supervisors shall be held at 7:00 p.m. on the first THURSDAY of each month at the Soil Conservation Service Office, Highway 380 West, Capitan, NM.
2. Notice shall be given at least ten days in advance of any regular meeting scheduled by the Board at its last meeting, if the meeting date should be changed.
3. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the chairman no less than three (3) days in advance of the meeting.
4. Emergency meetings may be called by the Chairman or a majority of the members upon twenty-four (24) hours notice.
5. The time and place of special and emergency meetings shall be posted in the Soil Conservation Service office, Highway 380 West, Capitan, NM.

SHIRLEY A. GOODLOE, Chairman.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
The Lincoln County Commission will hold a workshop session at 3:00 P.M. on Wednesday, January 17, 1990, in the Commission Meeting Room, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo. The purpose for this session is to review the proposed Lincoln County Personnel Handbook.

NICK J. PAPPAS, Lincoln County Manager.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on January 22, 1990, at 1:00 P.M., Lincoln County Courthouse, Commission Meeting Room, 300 Central Avenue, Carrizozo, New Mexico. The purpose of the public hearing is to receive input on community development block grant programs.

KARON Z. PETTY, Chairman.
Lincoln County Commission.
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Obituaries

J. RICHARD FLORES
J. Richard Flores, 55, a resident of Corona died Dec. 26, 1989.

He is survived by his wife, Frances Flores; one son, Charles Edward Flores; two daughters, Maggie Jean Flores and Anna Marie Barreras and husband, Raymond, all of Albuquerque; his mother, Elvira B. Flores, Corona; five sisters; Amelia Maldonado and husband Joe E., Albuquerque; Odella Tapia and husband Steve, Pastura, NM; Mary Helen Rivera and husband Ismael, Albuquerque; Betty Rael and husband Ray, Las Vegas, NV; Jean Chavez and husband Tranquillino, Corona; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was a member of Our Lady of Fatima Church. He was a member of the American Legion Beaver Bond Post 35. He also owned a ranch near Corona raising cattle, goats and sheep.

Funeral mass was celebrated Dec. 29 at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Corona with Fr. Ed Griffith officiating. Interment was at Corona Cemetery.

JOHNNIE ANNARATONE
Johnnie Annaratone, 76, died Jan. 8 at his residence in Capitan.

The Rosary was recited at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Capitan, with funeral services following at 10 a.m. Thursday at the same church. Fr. Ed Griffith officiated. Interment was in Capitan Cemetery under direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel.

Mr. Annaratone was born May 29, 1913 in Memphis, TN. In October 1944 he married in Albuquerque to Cecelia Hauls. They moved to Capitan in 1948 where he became a town councilor of Capitan, served in the volunteer fire department, owned the Rusty Anchor from 1948 to 1971, and was a school bus driver for the Capitan School

District for three years. He is survived by his wife Cecelia of Capitan; a son, John Paul Annaratone of El Paso and his wife Rita; a brother, Frank Annaratone of Memphis, TX; and two sisters, Louise Posone and Jose Santi, both of Memphis.

EULA MAE THOMSON
Eula Mae Grimmert Thomson was born in Cyril, OK and died in Alamogordo, NM Jan. 1, 1990.

Eula did her first 11 years of school in or near Haskell, OK. Her family then moved to Dora, NM, where she completed her high school work. After a year at Tehuacane College, Eula began teaching. During the summer of 1935 she moved, with her family, to Corona, NM where she taught 4th grade.

October 29, 1937, Eula was married to Aubrey Thomson, also a teacher. They continued teaching except for a four-year naval spree for Aubrey during World War II. They completed their 40th year of teaching, each, in Alamogordo, in 1972.

From 1972 until 1978 when she became ill, Eula played parts in AARP, Retired Teachers, Scottish Rite, Shrine, and Kappa Kappa Iota for which she served as state president in 1972-73.

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