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## Carrizozo streets to be resurfaced

Several Carrizozo streets will get badly needed resurfacing this summer.

The Town of Carrizozo is seeking construction bids to repave part of E Ave. with money appropriated in a House Memorial in 1990. The \$45,000 will be used to resurface the street which is used as highway bypass from Highway 380 to 54.

Construction bids are also being sought for a 1990 Com-

munity Development Block Grant (CDBG) project to repave E Ave. from Highway 54 to 8th St., 11th St. from E Ave. to B St., Birch St. from 14th to 4th Sts., Cedar from 14th St. to 3rd St., Dogwood from 3rd St. to 4th St. and 2nd Ave. from Aspen to Birch.

There is a June 30 deadline on finishing the house memorial project.

The Town also received

another \$487,828 CDBG grant last year to continue the street upgrades. Town representatives hope the newest grant project will also be completed this summer.

Streets to be upgraded in the latest project are I St. from 14th to 17th, B St. from 8th to 10th Sts., 11th from E Ave. to 2nd Ave., 6th St. from E to F Aves., Dove from 5th to 8th Sts. These streets are in very poor condition presently. Also slated for upgrade in the 1991 CDBG project are 5th from E Ave to Highway 380 and 12th St. from Central Ave. to 4th St.

The CDBGs are administered by the Southeastern New Mexico Development District.

The construction bid deadline for the 1990 projects is May 12.

## EMS Week May 10-16

Imagine.

You are driving along on an isolated stretch of Lincoln County highway when suddenly, a deer jumps out in front of your vehicle. You crash into the bushes along side, you are injured.

Most likely, the first person to come to your aid will be a member of the Lincoln County Emergency Medical Services—either a first responder or an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT).

The members of the EMS are volunteers, who are required to fulfill many hours of study to become EMTs and first responders.

In a rural area such as Lincoln County, the EMS is a vital part of the emergency services.

To honor those EMS volunteers, May 10-16 has been designated as National EMS Week. "It starts with you," is this year's theme.

Lincoln County EMS members will meet at 6:30 p.m. today (Thursday) May 7, at the courthouse.

At 7 p.m. May 18, Lincoln County Fire Services Association will meet at the Nogal Fire Station.

A 40-hour first responder course is planned for late June. A daytime EMT course is being considered for the Carrizozo/Capitan area.

Lincoln County EMS is offering Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) courses free of charge.

To become an EMT, or for more information about any EMS activities, call Maggi Bohks at the Lincoln County

Manager's office in Carrizozo at 648-2385 or contact an EMT in your neighborhood.

June 13, Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Dept. is sponsoring a pancake breakfast at Carrizozo Senior Citizens Center. At 10:30 a.m. that same day, will be the first Lincoln County EMS-Fire Department Olympics at Carrizozo Airport.

The Olympics will be hosted by Carrizozo EMS and Carrizozo Volunteer Fire Dept. Scheduled are six team and individual events. Registration fee will be \$10 per service, regardless of the number of events entered. Services are asked to register early.

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded in each event to teams or individuals.

A concession stand will be operated by airport manager Hal Marx.

Contact Bohks or any Carrizozo Volunteer Firefighter for more information or to register for the Olympics.

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CARRIZOZO GRIZZLY track team won the district meet last weekend and is ready for the state track meet Friday and Saturday in Albuquerque. Grizzlies who will compete are on back row from left Anthony Archuleta, Jon Vallejos, Cory Collins, Val Reyes and Lee Roy Zamora; on front row from left are Chris Barela, James Silva, Lee Najar, Coby Sims and Alphonso Lucero. Silva was high point individual at the district meet and the recent Tularosa Rose Relays.

## Grizzly athletic banquet

The Grizzly boy and girl athlete who best represented their school this year will be honored at the annual Carrizozo Athletic Banquet.

At 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, in the new gym, parents and Grizzly supporters will honor Carrizozo athletes for their achievements in all sports this school year. Former Carrizozo coach and current Alamogordo High School head football coach Darrell Bode will speak before the awards.

Sponsored by the Carrizozo Booster Club, the banquet will feature a meal free to athletes and will be available for \$3.50 each.

For more information contact any Carrizozo coach or Anne Serna.

## Landfill closed Saturday

The Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority Class C landfill for construction waste, located near Capitan, will be closed Saturday, May 9. The landfill will open again with its regular hours on Tuesday, May 12.

## Carrizozo needs a police officer - again

The Town of Carrizozo is without a police officer—again.

Last Friday, Mayor Cecilia Kuhnelt hired Eugene Knutson as an officer, pending formal approval by the board of trustees at their next regular meeting May 12. Knutson was on hand for an interview at the last trustees' meeting April 28.

Due to undisclosed problems, Knutson resigned Sunday morning. Mayor Kuhnelt was advised of Knutson's intent and met with him to attempt to work out the problems. Unsuccessful in her attempt, she accepted Knutson's verbal resignation, then inventoried the equipment and vehicle issued to him.

Knutson will submit a formal written letter of resignation soon, Kuhnelt said.

Meanwhile the Town is again advertising for another officer. Police chief Choncho Morales has yet to return to duty, despite an official directive to do so from the town trustees at their last meeting.

Kuhnelt said she will meet with Morales for personnel mediation soon.

Until an officer is hired by the town, law enforcement will continue to be provided by the Lincoln County Sheriff's office and New Mexico State Police. Kuhnelt expressed her appreciation of those agencies for their help during the town's personnel crises.

Town trustees have called a special meeting at 4 p.m. Monday, May 11 to discuss personnel matters.

## Capitan VoAg teacher Edwards is terminated

Capitan Board of Education met behind closed doors again last night, then came out and voted to terminate VoAg teacher Joel Edwards.

Board members met for about one hour in the closed session for personnel matters Wednesday. The session had been continued from last week.

Edwards was placed on administrative leave with pay on March 20 by Supt. David Lock. The reason given for the

leave was for insubordination.

Edwards chose to have an open to the public personnel hearing on Wednesday, April 29. The hearing lasted 12 hours before board members Preston Stone, Tom Trost, Ken Cox, Ron Roybal and Jack King went into closed session about 1 a.m. By 4 a.m. April 30 they still had reached no decision and chose to continue the session at 5 p.m. Wednesday, May 6.

The insubordination charge

was based on Edwards allegedly ignoring a direct order from high school principal Darrell Stierwalt to stop cutting meat in the 8th grade agriculture class. Stierwalt and Supt. Lock presented testimony, as well as several students about the alleged unauthorized meat cutting, and the use of students as Edwards' "lookouts" to watch for administration staff. Testimony also was given in

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CHARLIE AND MARY LOU WHITE invite everyone in to their Pueblo Video at 309 1/2 Central Ave. in Carrizozo. The couple had a successful grand opening last weekend, when Carrizozo residents flooded the store and rented all but a few videos.

## Rural medical care is demanding job

By DORIS CHERRY

It's tough to be a medical care provider in a rural area.

It's so tough, that many providers have left that field for greener pastures.

One tough part of the job is the long hours to provide the level of medical care the public cries out for. It gets tougher when the some of the public refuse to acknowledge the provider's personal needs.

Physician assistant Ernie Gonzales at the Carrizozo Health Clinic knows first hand how tough the provider's role is in a rural society.

Last week an incident occurred at his home, during off hours, that made him think twice about his job.

"It was the most violent con-

frontation I've ever encountered," Gonzales said in an interview Wednesday.

A woman came to his home during off hours seeking medical attention for a sick person. Gonzales offered to call an ambulance for the sick person, but the people refused. The situation later became threatening, Gonzales added.

"People get upset when I can't jump to provide services," Gonzales said.

When Gonzales signed his contract agreement to be physician's assistant at the health clinic with the county in October 1988 part of the agreement was he would not be available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Since that time, the management of the clinic has come under the Presbyterian Health

Services, with an identical agreement.

"I've got to, and my family has to, have some peace," he said.

But more than often, Gonzales finds he spends many overtime hours providing medical care. As part of the emergency medical services, Gonzales is the only person in the Carrizozo area who can use certain equipment such as a cardiac monitor

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## Spring blood drive May 13

A spring blood drive will be held at Lincoln County Medical Center Wednesday, May 13 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the hospital annex. Please donate.

## Blue Door art contest is success

Capitan's Blue Door Gallery owners David and Betty Posely were overwhelmed by the response of art work from Capitan School.

The gallery sponsored an art contest for elementary and high school students last weekend.

All students in grades K-12 were eligible to enter the contest and high school was judged and awarded prizes separately from elementary. The three judges took half a day to select their favorites. The winners, and other select works, were displayed at the gallery in a show Sunday afternoon. All entries were available for viewing by parents and other gallery visitors, also.

First prize winners, who received \$50, were Jason Robertson in elementary and Travis Crandall in high school. Robertson's entry was an oil painting entitled "Capitan Hills." He is a fourth grader and



**BETTY POSLEY PRESENTS** the first-place money award to Jason Robertson for his oil painting in the elementary division of the first Blue Door Gallery Capitan School Art show. The Capitan gallery is owned by David and Betty Posely.

lives in Lincoln.

Crandall's entry was a pen and ink of "Cowboy Bell Ranch." He is a freshman and lives in Lincoln.

Second prizes of \$25 went to Ronnie Montes in elementary and sophomore Stephanie Vinson in high school. Montes, in kindergarten, won with his "Under the Ocean." Vinson's

entry was entitled "Big Horn Sheep."

Honorable mentions in high school went to junior Robert Witham with his "California Beach," 8th grader Justin King with his "Geometrics" and junior Diana Lively with her entry "The Rose."

Elementary honorable mentions were received by 2nd grader Stacy Thorne with "Pretty Colors", first grader Chisum Seals with "Tiger Runs" and first graders Alison Hendrix with her "Mountain Unicorn."

With such an outstanding response to this first art contest, Posely hopes to expand the show next year to include more schools and prizes.

## Barham awarded scholarship

Brett Barham, a senior at Carrizozo High School, was recently awarded a \$1000 Agriscience Scholarship from New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

Brett plans to use this money to further his education

at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Texas, majoring in pre-veterinary medicine. For the past several years Brett has been an active member in FFA as well as 4-H. Brett has placed Grand Champion with both his steers and his show pigs at the

Lincoln County Fair as well as at the Roswell and the State Fairs. This year Brett is the Carrizozo FFA Chapter president and plans on being a collegiate FFA member in the years to come.—Amy Offutt, FFA Reporter.

## ACT Scholar Certificates awarded

Three local high school seniors have been awarded the 1991-92 ACT Scholar Certificates.

Cheryl Hightower of Carrizozo High School and Erin Keller and Lori Longbotham of Capitan High School received the ACT Scholar certificates for their high achievement in academic skills. The students had to have a 27 or higher on their ACT Composite score and a high school grade point average of 3.5 or better. ACT tests were completed between October 1990 and October 1991.

The ACT is a standardized achievement test taken primarily by high school students who intend to enroll in a college or university. About seven percent of all graduating seniors from New Mexico high school received an ACT Scholar Certificate.

## Wealth of culture in Lincoln County

Though a new offering this year, the Hondo humanities class lets no grass grow under its feet! According to their instructor, Lynda Sanchez, the group is quickly absorbing the wealth of culture offered in Lincoln County from classical music to art.

The class had a special tour of local galleries representative of the incredible variety of artists from the Hondo Valley. Each gallery was totally different in perspective yet the owners graciously reached out to the class and presented a special and enriching lesson in the arts.

First on the tour was the unique husband/wife owned, Buckhorn Gallery of bronze sculptor, Tom Knapp and his wife, artist Dorothy. A description of bronze work from beginning to end with many exam-

ples and styles indicated to the students that all quality art takes time.

Second on the schedule was the Hurd, La Riconada Gallery at San Patricio. Both the Wyeth and Hurd families of international fame are represented in this beautiful building, a blend of eastern and southwestern style.

The final stop was Fort Meigs, a unique combination of old and new set along side the Hondo River. Owner John Meigs and artist Joe Dunlap welcomed the group to the lush meadow and gallery. Early spring flowers were everywhere and the total affect was stunning.

As explained by their instructor, here in our own backyard we have some of the most famous galleries and artists anywhere!

## Bookmobile will visit next week

The New Mexico State Library Bookmobile will visit Lincoln County next week. The following is the schedule of stops:

**Tuesday, May 12**  
Corona Post Office from 12:30-2:30 p.m., Carrizozo Otero Electric Office from 4-6 p.m.

**Wednesday, May 13**  
Carrizozo Otero Electric Office from 8-9 a.m.; Capitan Smokey Bear Cafe from 9:30-11 a.m.; Ft. Stanton Administration Building from noon to 1:30 p.m.; Lincoln Post Office from 2-3 p.m. and Hondo Store from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

## FOUR-WINDS LOUNGE

### Women's Pool Tournament

Sat., May 16  
7:00 P.M.

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## Does This Startle You?

The five basic reasons why great civilizations withered and died are:

- 1.) The undermining of the dignity and sanctity of the home.
  - 2.) Higher and higher taxes; the spending of public money for free food and crassness for the population.
  - 3.) The mad craze for pleasure, sports becoming more exciting and brutal every year.
  - 4.) The building of great armaments when the real enemy is within, and the decay of individual responsibility.
  - 5.) The decay of religion; faith fading into mere form, losing touch with life, losing power to guide people.
- The average age of the world's greatest civilizations has been 200 years. In all the world's history all the great nations have passed through this process:
- From bondage to spiritual faith.
  - From spiritual faith to great courage.
  - From great courage to liberty.
  - From liberty to abundance.
  - From abundance to selfishness.
  - From selfishness to complacency.
  - From complacency to apathy.
  - From apathy to dependence.
  - From dependence back again to bondage.



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Edwards' defense. During the hearing April 29, Edwards reportedly claimed it was a shoplifting incident by two FFA members during an FFA trip that prompted parents' complaints and subsequently his administrative leave. The two FFA members admitted to the shoplifting incident. Edwards' attorney was Kenneth Wilson of Roswell, John Underwood represented Supt. Lock and Chuck Nolan was hearing officer. Edwards has been VoAg teacher at Capitan for four years. The board of education did not act to renew Edwards' contract to teach VoAg in the 1992-93 school year when considering other certified personnel last month. Edwards reportedly said he will call for state mediation if the board's decision went against him.

**EMS Week**  
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**Grizzly track team wins district**

Carrizozo Grizzly track team won the district track meet in Ft. Sumner Saturday, shutting out contender Mountainair by eight points. All first-place and some second-place winners at district qualified for an event in the state meet slated for May 8 and 9 at the UNM Stadium in Albuquerque. James Silva was high point man for the district meet, edg-

ing out fellow Grizzly Lee Najar by two points. Silva won the 100M hurdles, 300M hurdles and long jump. He also ran the 400M relay with team mates Anthony Archuleta, Chris Barela and Lee Najar to win that event. Najar brought home first place in the 100M dash, 200M dash and shot. Also placing first were Cory Collins in the 3200 run, Alfonso

Lucero in discus and LeeRoy Zamora in javelin. Other Grizzlies who qualified for the state tournament were Jon Vallejos in the 400M dash with a second-place finish, Anthony Archuleta, second in the 200M dash and the long jump and Val Reyes, second in shot put. Zamora qualified for state in discus with his second-place finish.

Other Grizzlies who placed at the district meet, but who did not qualify for the state tournament were the 1600M medley relay team of Reyes, Zamora, Jeff Maynard and Alfonso Lucero and the 1600M relay team of Archuleta, Nathan Portillo, Vallejos and Silva which finished second. Relay teams had to win their event or meet the state times to qualify for state. Barela placed fifth in the 100M dash, Vallejos fifth in the 200M dash and long jump, Portillo fifth in 300M hurdles, Barela sixth in shot put. Other Grizzlies who qualified for the state meet at earlier state qualifying track meets are Coby Sims and Raphael Chavez

for the 400M relay. "We have a good chance to take state," said Grizzly coach Ken Butts. "We may not have a quantity of kids, but we have great quality of kids." Carrizozo was first in the district meet, followed by Mountainair, Ft. Sumner, Vaughn and Corona.

**Hondo Fiesta**

**40th annual performance**

Viva La Fiesta! A riot of color and hand-made costumes combined with singing and dancing to traditional Latino rhythms await guests at the 40th annual performance of the Hondo Fiesta Dancers May 15 and 16.

This year the dancers celebrate not only their 40th year, also the 500th anniversary of the New World's discovery by their ancestors. The Fiesta's theme is "La Fiesta del Nuevo Mundo" (Celebration of the New World).

The dance program will begin at 7 p.m. in the Hondo

School gym both Friday and Saturday, May 15 and 16. Admission is \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. A traditional Mexican dinner prepared by the parents and school staff will be served from 4:30-6:30 p.m. for \$4 a plate. Reserve tickets also are available for \$6. Call the school at 653-4411 to reserve tickets.

More than 100 students from K-12th grade will participate in the fiesta which helps preserve their Hispanic heritage. The program was started by Fermin and Cirenita Montes

in 1948. Since innumerable individuals have worked to keep the program alive, Hondo graduates and former dancers Frank Herrera, Cecelia Gonzales Sanchez and Porfiria Montoya Zinn are now dance instructors.

This year's emcees will be Hondo Supt. Sergio Castanon, Frank Herrera and Lynda Sanchez. Mrs. Zinn will announce the elementary segment of the program.

For additional information contact the school at 653-4411 or Lynda Sanchez at 653-4821.

**Carrizozo Woman's Club dinner May 14**

The Carrizozo Woman's Club will hold a dinner May 14 at 6 p.m. in the Carrizozo Woman's Club building to honor past presidents and prospective new members.

The main purpose of the club is as a service organization. Projects initiated by the Carrizozo Woman's Club include sponsoring scholarships, the children's clothing closet, political action letters supporting keeping Fort Stanton open, and support of the senior citizens housing, Casa Manana.

Prospective members are invited to attend. Please call 648-2989 by May 12 in order for the club to plan for ample food.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The public is invited to attend a Countywide Overall Economic Development Program (OEDP) Update meeting scheduled for May 12, 1992, at Lincoln County Courthouse, Commission Meeting Room, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (noon). Current and future specific projects and activities involving community and economic development within Lincoln County and the incorporated communities of Capitan, Carrizozo, Corona, Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs will be discussed. Information which was included in last year's OEDP Update for any projects that have been completed and any new projects which need to be added, as well as any significant changes (positive or negative) during the past year affecting the County, Village or Town economy with regard to economic/community development will be discussed. Any questions or additional information may be directed to Curtis A. Schrader, Planning & Development Specialist, Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SNMEDD), 110 E. 4th, Suite 105, Roswell, N.M. 88201, 824-6131. Published in the Lincoln County News on May 7, 1992.

**Hondo students tour Santa Fe**

The yearly Spanish II class trip to Santa Fe was combined recently with the Humanities class. Teacher, Lynda Sanchez, indicated that because both classes include art, culture and language she decided to combine them as they explored historic Santa Fe and Chimayo. A short visit to the newly renovated capitol building netted a meeting with Lt. Gov.

Casey Luna. Governor and Mrs. King were touring Spain as part of the 500th Anniversary Celebrations now in progress between our two nations.

From the capitol everyone walked to the downtown area and toured everything from the 1610 Palace of the Governors, La Conquistadora Chapel, the oldest church in the U.S., the Fine Arts Museum and many

others. Lunch was a fine Mexican plate featuring the famed blue corn tortilla cuisine.

From Santa Fe the group drove to the famed pilgrimage site of Chimayo and the well-known Ortega family weaving shops. This part of the visit was less "tourists" than the Santa Fe segment and revealed a different aspect of New Mexico's rich Hispanic Heritage.

**Rural medical care**

during emergency ambulance calls. He also always responds to vehicle roll-overs and goes out with Search and Rescue teams. He is in communication with the sheriff's dispatch at all times in case of an emergency.

Along with the emergency calls and ambulance transports, Gonzales provides medical care to prisoners in the Lincoln County Jail and clients at New Horizons Development Center in Carrizozo. His main job is to see patients during regular hours at the Carrizozo Clinic Monday through Friday. On Tuesday mornings he sees patients at the American Legion Building in Corona. Friday

afternoon he says are his time to catch up on paper work.

From 85-90 percent of Gonzales patients at the clinic have either Medicaid or Medicare. The recent proposal by the state to cut Medicaid has Gonzales worried. The cuts would limit the number of visits Medicaid patients can make during a month and the amount of medication. The proposal is on hold now with the state reconsidering.

Gonzales predicts that within five to 10 years the country will go to socialized medicine. Although that will give medical care to all, it has its drawbacks. "People will have to

stand in line for rationed medical care."

For now, Gonzales continues to see his many Medicaid and Medicare patients and to assist with ambulance calls. While most in the community are cooperative and understand the nature of emergency calls, some do abuse the system, Gonzales said.

"I don't contemplate leaving, but when I and my family are threatened with violence, I'm going to dig in and fight tooth and nail," Gonzales said. "There's no call for that kind of stuff."

"We've got the EMS, if a person is that ill, they can be transported to a hospital."

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**"Emergency Medical Services Week"**  
**MAY 10-16, 1992**

**EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

—EMS Week recognizes the value, personal commitment, and the accomplishments of emergency medical services teams. Congratulations on a job well done, and continue to encourage your community to get involved!

**"Emergency Medical Services: It Starts With You"**

# Al's Musings

By AL STUBBS

One positive thing we have observed over the past few years in a semi-bonding between communities in Otero and Lincoln Counties.

When we lived in Alamogordo and later High Rolls for a few years, people on that side of the mountain referred to Lincoln County residents as "those people on the other side of the mountain." Lincoln Countians probably thought the same about Otero County, except Ruidoso and Cloudcroft always have been somewhat atuned because they are both resort communities located high in the mountains. They have been competitive, however, and remain so.

Several factors have brought about a degree of bonding. One has been forced upon residents through the search in the very recent past for common landfills. There has been much communication between Ruidoso, particularly, and Alamogordo on this subject. Common interests spur bonding.

Another factor, a very strong one, has been the formation of Apache Trails, a group composed of representatives from the whole of Otero County and the whole of Lincoln County. Each community, from Lincoln to Alamogordo and including the Hondo Valley, has members of Apache Trails, an idea that originated with Wendell Chino, tribal chief of the Mesquero Apaches.

The idea is that this in essence is Apache country and that visitors can be enticed to remain an extra day or two in the area while on vacation or business trips. Area attractions are listed in a colorful brochure.

Eventually an Apache Trails emblem (an arrowhead) will appear on road signs over the area designating communities which have Apache history and many other attractions, from the Space Center at Alamogordo to old Lincoln town with its museum and Lincoln County Heritage Trust to the old historic cemetery at White Oaks and the Mal Pais, aiding

and horse racing.

Some commercial enterprises, such as the Hurd Gallery and the Eagle pistachio farm out of Tullie are members.

A new wrinkle popped up when Aubrey Dunn, known as the Old Apple Farmer, of the Alamogordo Promotion Board outlined a plan to promote RV parks and special promotions in both counties. He mentioned possible ostrich races to Apache Trails members. Such races might help lure RV enthusiasts to area. After all, ostriches have more charm than ducks.

Ruidoso has a fine new, extensive RV park on Forest Service land up Cedar Creek. Come on up, Good Sams.

Another bonding factor has been that the state has indicated that advertising matching funds will go to organizations which are area in nature, like Sun Country and Apache Trails. As they say, money talks. And it's so.

On a negative note, bonding has occurred from Roswell to Alamogordo when governmental entities have joined together to oppose establishment of an MRS site on or near Apache lands. It's unfortunate that the kind of bonding has to occur, but there is a common interest there, the perceived protection of our environment. The MRS would be a site where many tons of high-level nuclear waste would be stored. Bonding is bonding, however, it might occur.

New attractions like the Museum of the Horse will add to the stature of Apache Trails as an organization. In addition to Ruidoso Downs Race Track, the town of Ruidoso Downs will have two major attractions for visitors when the Museum of the Horse is opened later this month.

Cooperative spending of advertising dollars makes sense when they are limited in number. A lot of sense.

## Warp Speed honored

On April 15, 1992 Warp Speed Light Pens Inc. of Ruidoso was honored as an outstanding IBM authorized remarketer for 1991 at IBM's 1992 National Distribution Division (NDD) Remarketer Recognition Event, attended by 350 companies April 12-15 in Orlando, Fla.

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'MARGE? GUESS WHAT. GEORGE HAS STOPPED WATCHING FOOTBALL ON TV.'

## Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

**SANTA FE**—Last week, 97 New Mexicans holed up at a Northern New Mexico retreat and tried to solve the state's vexing tax problems under the auspices of New Mexico First, a broad-based membership organization that seeks to be a "catalyst for positive action in New Mexico."

Every six months or so, 100 participants are chosen from the group's nearly 1,000 members to spend four days addressing a major problem facing the state. This time it was financing New Mexico government.

An assortment of state and local politicians, special interest group representatives, government technicians and tax experts put their heads together to come up with a 20-page report that will expand to a 150-page final document, when charts and other explanatory material are added.

One member of the working press participated—an infrequent occurrence since the schedule leaves no time for filing stories. The media usually watches, but this reporter felt a necessity to jump in the middle—once—in order to experience the pressure-cooker arrangement. That's why those of you who read this column daily have missed it for awhile.

Town Hall participants are pushed hard. The process starts on a Thursday afternoon and isn't over until four days later. There are no early dismissals for golf, shopping and sightseeing. Angel Fire is doubtlessly a pretty place, but participants can't say much about it unless they came early or stayed late.

This wasn't a kick-back-and-relax conference. Attendees didn't come with thoughts of goofing off—even before or after the town hall. It was an intense four days—and nights.

By mid-Sunday afternoon, Chairman of the Board Bob Armstrong of Roswell reminded conferees they weren't writing laws; they were making recommendations. It was like a parent admonishing, "It's just a game, so quit beating on each other."

But this wasn't just a game. Town halls have grown in stature since the first one, organized five years ago by New Mexico's U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici and Jeff Bingaman. Reports of town halls are now read widely by the state's decision makers and the implementation function, intentionally missing from early town halls, is now in full swing.

Last fall's town hall on government infrastructure led to passage of major legislation during the 1992 session. Interested parties know they must get their oar in the water on New Mexico First issues or be left with no say in steering the boat.

It isn't particularly surprising that no major changes in the state's tax structure were recommended by the town hall. A high sales tax seemed logical to participants since over 20 percent of that burden is shifted to out-of-staters.

Our heavily-graduated income tax helps offset the regressive nature of the sales tax. And the nation's second lowest property tax is reasonable in light of its tremendous unpopularity. Governmental groups spent much of Sunday trying to trade away the property tax for another tax—any other tax.

One divinely-inspired idea to wipe out all gross receipts tax exemptions and lower the rate to a revenue-neutral one or two percent failed to gain acceptance. You'll have to wait for that one until I rule the world.

Minor adjustments in several taxes were approved, but a balance between tax increasers and hold-the-liners resulted in little guidance to Gov. King and the 1993 Legislature about how to get the state out of its current

fiscal dilemma.

The recommendation likely to have the most effect was the creation of a privately-funded, independent tax policy institute for providing accurate, unbiased data to lawmakers and the public.

Former Senate Finance Committee Chairman Aubrey Dunn from Otero County and current House Appropriations and Finance Committee Chairman Max Coll of Santa Fe made impassioned speeches on behalf of the institute.

All participants were pleased to have New Mexico's two top legislative finance figures as members of the town hall. Some felt it was more than coincidence that Coll and Dunn advocated so strongly for the independent tax body.

## Letters To The Editor

**EDITOR**—Finally. An announcement stating "Detour: State starts work on Sudderth."

Sudderth Drive (SD) is an unusual arterial street. It would be difficult to live in the corporate limits of the Village of Ruidoso and never use SD. In recent months, we have bounced and rattled down SD with local residents complaining "Why doesn't the Village repair SD? It's in terrible shape!" I believe that the poor condition of SD has been reflected in the current local belief that street maintenance by the Village of Ruidoso is at a very low level.

Over the 45 years of the life of the Village of Ruidoso, more and more paved streets have been put in place with many, many miles to be maintained. From my experience, the maintenance program over these years has stayed about the same; not changing to improvement.

The Village of Ruidoso does not bear the responsibility for maintenance on SD. In order to have SD widened to the present four driving lanes with two parallel parking lanes, it was necessary for the Village of Ruidoso to turn over legal control of SD to the State of New Mexico Highway Department. There is an exception to the Highway Department control and responsibility on SD. This is that section of SD that extends from the intersection with Mechem Drive westerly to the traffic circle. This section of SD was built solely by the Village of Ruidoso and the Village is responsible for the maintenance of this section of Sudderth.

The New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Department (HTD) quite often does things by fits and jerks. This is because of the many demands on HTD in a low population state with a large land area and an enormous number of miles of highways to be built and maintained. Generally speaking, when the HTD does get around to doing a job, they do it in an acceptable fashion.

The intended message of this letter is: When Sudderth Drive gets bad, don't blame the Village of Ruidoso. Blame the New Mexico Highway and Transportation Department.

DAN SWEARINGIN,  
Ruidoso.

### OPEN LETTER TO MR. QUEEN

Dear Mr. Queen: I am sure you are sincere in your belief, but you have bought a story the media and big environmental organizations want you to believe. Sensationalism sells and sometimes the truth gets untold.

"People for the West" is a grassroots movement. Mostly small businessmen that are trying to protect private property rights, keep federal land multiple use and by accomplishing these goals it protects the economy of the West.

One-third of New Mexico is made up of federal land, then you have state and county. Keeping federal land multiple use should be every New Mexican's concern.

I think you will find that those closest to the land take the best care of it. It's in their own best interest to preserve those natural resources.

As for the funding behind "People for the West" some of it does come from big business. Compared to the environmental groups it's not much though. The environmental groups have more money than the Democrat and Republican parties combined. They are a powerful force.

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## The Other Side

By Owen Russell

I promised last week that I was going to say something about capital punishment and abortion, but the Rodney King jury verdict has knocked those issues off the front page. It seems that a writer's life is determined by others. I may have an agenda, but nobody else listens to it and seem to want to do their thing without regard to my comfort and convenience, which is fine. I'll just save that other stuff for later, when the issue comes up again, which it will.

Everybody else in the world has had their comment on the Rodney King trial, so I might as well make mine. I think it was a set-up. What I mean by that is the criminal charges filed against the officers were designed to take the pressure off of the police department. First, it looked like a win-win situation for the department. If the officers were convicted, the city had discharged its responsibility in cleaning up its own house. If the officers were found not guilty, their acts would be justified, and no more would be said. The first problem with this procedure is that being able to win a criminal charge against a policeman for performing his duty approaches the difficulty of parting the Red Sea with a willow switch. The officers were charged with criminal violations (assault and battery) which requires proof beyond a reasonable doubt. If Rodney King resisted them, which he admittedly did, the jury would be required to find that the officers had him under control and then beat him wholly without cause, and it had to find this beyond a reasonable doubt. The video tape of the incident appears to show the use of excessive force, but it doesn't clearly and beyond a reasonable doubt show that the force applied was so excessive it became criminal. The police force cannot do their job if they are afraid every time they have to subdue someone, they may be exposing themselves to criminal charges for overdoing it, so it is reasonable for them to have some discretion as to the amount of force to apply. The jury's job was to determine if they exceeded their authority, and that was a toss-up. The public feeling generated as a result of the acquittal was something that was unexpected by the city fathers, and the trial had the reverse effect. Instead of settling the issue, it will probably un-elect a few politicians.

As for Rodney King, the situation will be much different in his civil trial for violation of civil rights in Federal Court, because the issues will be different. He will have to show that his civil rights were violated because of the use of excessive force by the police, and it seems the only real issue will be how much should he recover. And he gets the benefit of the 50% rule; that he must only prove by a preponderance of the evidence that he is entitled to damages. ("Preponderance" means that it is more likely than not, which is a much lower standard than a reasonable doubt).

In spite of everything, this may have had a beneficial effect because it has forced the department to do something about the situation now rather than delay until the civil liabilities are sorted out. At any rate, the ball game is not over, but it is a shame so many of the spectators have struck out.

Another good thing about this is that it may wake some of our politicians up and get them to pay attention to the welfare of their constituents. Trickle-down economics only works when the trickle-uppers have some reason to spill a little, and you will recall my earlier statements about there being an economic climate in the U.S. which encourages only passive investments. We must either encourage investments in risky areas or provide a living for the residents there because they have

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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## THURSDAY, APRIL 30

—Alcoholic Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. at Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo. The group meets every Thursday.

## SATURDAY, MAY 9

—San Patricio Senior Citizens Center at St. Jude's Parish Hall are honoring mothers with a lunch at noon and a Mother's Day Dance at 1:30 p.m. Candidates for the upcoming primary election will speak. Cost of the meal and dance is \$6.

—Smokey Bear Day in Capitan. Friends of Smokey are hosting a barbecue dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Capitan School. The meal will be catered by Capitan FHA and Capitan Extension Club will furnish the dessert. There will be entertainment and door prizes. Lower priced advance tickets can be purchased from Friends of Smokey, Noise Water Artwear in Ruidoso, NM State Forestry Office in Capitan, Capitan Chamber of Commerce and Capitan branch of Ruidoso State Bank. Proceeds will go toward promoting Smokey's 50th birthday in 1994 and sending Capitan State FHA winners to the national contest in Chicago.

—Attention all Democrats. The Democratic party convention will be at 7 p.m. at Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan. Please mark your calendar and come to the meeting.

## MONDAY, MAY 11

—Capitan Board of Trustees meets at 7 p.m. in village hall.

## TUESDAY, MAY 12

—The public is invited to a Countywide Overall Economic Development Program Update meeting from 10 a.m. to noon at the commissioners' chambers in the courthouse in Carrizozo. Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District will conduct the meeting where the economic development of Lincoln County and its municipalities will be discussed.

—Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce meets at noon at Carrizozo Airport Terminal.

—Lincoln County Commissioners will conduct a budget worksession at 1 p.m. in their chambers in the courthouse in Carrizozo.

—Carrizozo Town Trustees meet at 6 p.m. in town hall for a regular session.

—Carrizozo Grizzly Athletic Banquet will be held at 6 p.m., in the new gym. Alamogordo High School head coach Darell Bode will be guest speaker. Parents and other school supporters are invited to attend the banquet which is sponsored by the Carrizozo Booster Club. The meal is \$3.50 per person. For more information contact any coach or Anne Serna.

—Capitan Spring Sports Banquet at 6 p.m. in the new gym. Awards will be presented for basketball and track.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

—AARP supplemental insurance representative Bill Ward will meet with all interested persons at 10 a.m. at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center.

—Carrizozo Chapter of People for the West (PFW) will meet at 7 p.m. at United New Mexico Bank in Carrizozo. The agenda will include reports on the state PFW meeting in Socorro and the Coalition of Counties meeting in Carrizozo; a discussion of the breeding activities of the spotted owl and goshawk in Washington and Oregon which have affected logging and mining in Lincoln County; the anti-grazing campaign to close public lands to livestock other than the feral horse and wild game. Membership in People for the West is \$5 annually.

## THURSDAY, MAY 14

—Capitan Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. for a regular session.

—Carrizozo Kindergarten Graduation at 7 p.m. in the old gym.

## FRIDAY, MAY 15

—Capitan High School graduation at 5 p.m. in the multi-purpose building.

—Lincoln County Pony Express bake sale from 9 a.m. at United New Mexico Bank in Carrizozo.

## MAY 15 & 16

—40th annual Hondo Fiesta, "La Fiesta del Nuevo Mundo." Performances at 7 p.m. each night. Reserve tickets available by calling 653-4411.

## TUESDAY, MAY 19

—Carrizozo Board of Education meets at 6 p.m. in the school administration building.

—Lincoln County Fair Association meets at 7 p.m. in the fair building in Capitan.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

—Carrizozo Baccalaureate at 7 p.m. in the old gym. Fr. Dave Bergs will present the address.

## THURSDAY, MAY 21

—Capitan Kindergarten graduation at 8:30 a.m. in the new gym at Capitan School. Classes will be dismissed at 12:30 p.m.

## FRIDAY, MAY 22

—Carrizozo High School graduation at 7 p.m. in the old gym. The commencement address will be presented by Gabe Chavez.

—Last day of SCHOOL for Carrizozo and Capitan Schools.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

—AARP Lincoln County Chapter will have its regular meeting at 10 a.m. at Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center to depart for the Museum of the Horse in Ruidoso Downs. There will be a charge for the tour. A covered dish luncheon will be served at the senior center after the tour.

# The Other Side . . .

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again shown they will not be ignored forever. Providing them with a living without private investment means government programs which further expand the national deficit and take away the dignity of the recipients. If we want more welfare, so be it, but I personally would prefer to see pride of ownership of decent housing, a place to

work, and good educational opportunities. All of these things come from the local level, but they need a boost. If you move a family into a rental project, they pay little attention to its upkeep, but if you let them own it, they will keep the floors swept. If you don't believe me, try it sometime.

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# Margarito Valdez seeks nomination

Local businessman and retired educator Margarito Valdez, is seeking the Democratic Party's nomination for state senator, district 8 in the June 2, 1992 primary election. District 8 is composed of San Miguel, Guadalupe, DeBeca and Lincoln Counties.



MARGARITO VALDEZ

Valdez said he brings to the campaign and the position integrity, education, experience, energy and business ability plus the three elements of leadership: vision, compassion and boldness. These characteristics, Valdez says, enabled him to have a long and successful career in education. "As a youthful retiree, I bring another essential element of political representation-time. Now that I am retired, I can dedicate my time and energies to seeking opportunities for and helping to resolve the wide array of problems facing the residents of this area."

As a lifelong Las Vegas and employee of several area school systems, Valdez says he has a clear view of the problems and issues facing the district. "I see

problems as opportunities for reflection and action. I see in every solution a healthy individual, a safe, decent and sanitary home and community to include air and water, an excellent school system and a thriving and vibrant economy," says the former chairman of the San Miguel Democratic Party and member of the state Democratic Party Central Committee.

He is concerned about the child care and education at all levels from pre-school to higher education. He plans to meet with teachers and parents and others interested in developing better educational opportunities, to ascertain the current needs of our educational system.

Recognizing the high unemployment rates in the area, Valdez pledges to work closely with those entities seeking to develop better opportunities for existing businesses, as well as seek to attract new industry to the area. "Ranchers, farmers, artists, health care providers and others who contribute significantly to the economy of the area will find a voice in my campaign," he says.

While Valdez, will seek equality of opportunity for all residents, he says he will make sure the special needs and concerns of women and youth are taken into consideration in all aspects of planning. Other areas of special concern to Valdez are care for the elderly, the mentally ill and other disabled

residents of the area.

Valdez is also concerned with the increasing problems associated with the environment. "The need to develop appropriate alternatives for disposal of waste is a problem that rural counties like DeBeca, Guadalupe, Lincoln and San Miguel need to look at closely," says Valdez. "This same issue will be of significance to the whole state as pressure mounts to make New Mexico a dumping ground for garbage from industrial states," he added.

An active core of supporters has volunteered to assist the Navy veteran with all aspects of his campaign, he said. The volunteers will help conduct research and gather input from all sectors of the community, he added. "I am confident that this group of dedicated supporters will help me research a wide spectrum of important and relevant issues and gather concrete input that will make my campaign truly representative of the needs and concerns of all the residents of this four county area," said Valdez.

# AROUND CORONA

Preceptor Alpha Nu members Eva Mae Holleyman, Elinor Smith, June Tyree and Geraldine Perkins joined members from chapters in Santa Rosa and Vaughn for a Beta Sigma Phi Founder's Day banquet Sunday afternoon at the Fairview Cafe in Vaughn.

The theme for this year was "A Time for Us" and table decorations carried out this with a large basket of colored yarns, knitting needles, etc. for the head table. Animals were used on other tables and there was a display of T-shirts. Door prizes were a T-shirt and a lacy jewel box. Favors were small boxes of chocolate mints and a spool of thread holding a small nosegay.

After the steak dinner Juanita Coleman entertained with a skit on the Ragged Old Flag with a postscript on Betsy Ross. Dolores Sanchez read the message from International. June Tyree gave the year's highlights for Corona. All

agreed to celebrate next year in Santa Rosa.

Mrs. Jo Hiner is home again after an absence of six weeks. She is feeling much better and is most appreciative of all the nice things done for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mulkey and Melissa Johnson were in Roswell Friday evening for the ENMU-R spring choral concert. Tommy Mulkey is a member of the choral group.

Steve Mulkey and J J Young were at the Philmont Scout Ranch Saturday for search and rescue training.

Mrs. Earl Moore is attending classes at the NM Art League in Albuquerque. Mrs. Moore has some of her art work in the gallery there. Mr. and Mrs. Moore plan to attend the street fair there May 8 and 9

and hope others from this area will be interested.

The PTO sponsored two trips for the elementary school. Grades K-2 went to the Rio Grande Zoo and saw everything including the royal white tigers. Five adults accompanied the children. Grades 2-6 went to Fort Sumner and toured the Billy the Kid museum, picnicked at the park in the valley, the Kid's grave and the Old Fort monument.

Garrett Marshall and Casey Tyree qualified Saturday at the meet in Fort Sumner for the state track meet. Garrett in 110 high hurdles and the 300 intermediate hurdles, Casey in high jump.

Beverly and Clifford Gunn of Thoreau are the parents of 6

lb. 6 oz., Katelyn Ann born April 29 in Gallup. Maternal grandparents are Betty Ann and Mack Bell and great-grandmother, Johnnie Bond of Corona. These three grandparents returned late Sunday from a visit with the new baby.

**CORONA HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL**

**SUPERINTENDENT'S ROLL 4.0-3.76**

12th grade—Michele Hendricks, Garrett Marshall.  
 11th grade—Orlando Chavez, Jennifer Patterson, Bill Post, Joe Shaffer.  
 8th grade—Stanna Chavez.  
 7th grade—Chad Alley, Jamal Du Bois.

**PRINCIPAL'S ROLL 3.75-3.51**

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**HONOR ROLL 3.50-3.0**

12th grade—Denise Garrand, Randy Lueras.  
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# Letter to Editor

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I would like to invite you to the next meeting of 'People for the West'. Please come and see first hand what we're about.

SANDRA MERRITT,  
 Yeso, N.M.

**EDITOR**—I would like to thank those who wrote letters critical of my position for their moderation—I was expecting much worse.

While most of the response I've received has been favorable, I would like to clarify several points.

First, I'm not a "big city boy," but a native of Lincoln County.

As to the U.S. becoming dependent on other countries—it already is. Japan and other countries finance our astronomical yearly deficits. We import a substantial amount of our oil and other minerals from the Arab countries, Mexico and South America due to our excess usage and depletion of our own resources.

Despite the rosy forecasts of our so-called leaders, the U.S., my friends, is headed toward bankruptcy.

One would have to be unbelievably ignorant not to know of the growing pollution and destruction of wilderness and wildlife taking place in the U.S. and throughout the world.

What we have here are people who do not understand that their way of life is passing into the history books. Not because of environmentalists or the media, but largely because social and technological change and the cancerous growth of the human population has made nineteenth century lifestyles not only obsolete, but impossible to continue for much longer.

In the words of the ancient Greek philosopher, Heraclitus, "all is change and whirlwind races the world."

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## Honor band performs at Cloudercroft

Twenty-four Capitan 5th and 6th grade musicians participated in the Sierra Blanca Elementary Honor Band in Cloudercroft Thursday, April 30. Selected for their musical abilities in their individual instruments, the students participated in all-day rehearsals instructed by Ken Gardner and Johnnie Lang, both music instructors with the Alamogordo schools.

The Capitan students joined with 130 other young musicians from Cloudercroft, Dexter, Hatch, Loving, Truth or Consequences and Estancia in the rehearsals and the concert given to parents and visitor that same evening.

Cloudercroft Schools hosted the event which was held at the Cloudercroft Middle School facility. The Cloudercroft Music Boosters provided dinner for the large group. Lunch for the Capitan students was provided by the Capitan Music Boosters.

The concert featured 98 fifth grade musicians and 57 sixth graders.

The fifth grade Capitan Honor Band students were Amanda Bird, Lily Cherry, Ty Davis, Martin Gonzales, Klay Jones, Justin Kennedy, Andrew Longbotham, Coleen McGrath, Nick Pacheco, Andrew Sanchez, James Tacey, Ricardo Valenzuela, Elizabeth Venter and Buffy York.

The sixth grade honor band students were Jason Gibson, Monica Gonzales, Travis Jayques, Monica Johnson, Tawny-a Reynolds, Coye Robbins, Veronica Roybal, Jody Sidwell, Solana Taylor and Michelle Wilson.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES at Capitan High School get a laugh out of member Clint Tate's antics. The students were recently inducted into the society for their academic achievement and school activity involvement. 1992 inductees from the left on the back are Tate, Damian Roybal, Anita Aldez, Mariah Peables, Elissa Reamy and Andrea Bailey; from the left on the front are Janelle Ware, Alma Lively, Jennifer Montoya, Tycie Traylor, Justin James and Marisa Valenzuela.

## Capitan News

by Margaret Rensch

We have had a couple of light spring rains which we appreciate very much this time of year to help the grass and flowers get a start. Our nights are still very cool and a few warm days.

Martha Proctor traveled to College Station, Texas for Easter to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Altina and Bert Shelley and her grandson, Kyle. Dr. Shelley is a veterinarian doing his residency at Texas A&M, specializing in small animal surgery.

Martha Proctor traveled to Roswell on Friday, April 26 to attend the invitation of her daughter-in-law, Dollie Proctor

into the Phi Theta Kappa, National Honor Fraternity, Alpha Mu Pi Chapter, Eastern New Mexico University, Roswell Chapter. In order to be accepted into this fraternity, a student must maintain a four point grade average. Dollies children, Jermy and Melissa accompanied Martha to the ceremony.

The Capitan Chamber of Commerce has resumed Bingo again. We are playing Bingo on Thursday nights at 103 W. 2nd Street at 7 p.m. Come and join in the fun!

Miss Sarah Ewoldt attended the New Mexico Dietetic Association Annual Meeting in Albuquerque, Tuesday, April 28 through Thursday, April 30. This was held in conjunction with NM Restaurant Association. Many sessions were interesting and worthwhile.

The Capitan FFA put on a great end of year banquet. FFA members, guests, and parents enjoyed a good meal and program. Stormy Trost was the recipient of a \$500 scholarship awarded by the Capitan FFA Booster Club. Roxanne Coons and Stormy Trost were awarded scholarships from the Goodloe Family in the memory of Jim Goodloe.

The Lincoln County Rodeo

Club had a great turnout for the first playday. Over 35 kids rode in the events as their parents cheered them on. The next playday will be May 31, and will also be held at the Capitan Arena.

The week of May 11 at Ruidoso State Bank and branches will be having Western Week. There will be cookies and lemonade served at all the bank lobbies. There will be a drawing for Turf Club tickets, so you still have time to come in and sign up at any office of RSB.

The grand opening of the new hardware and feed store was a huge success. Our congratulations and accolades to Alice and Bennie Peterson and to Bob and Merle Ray for the outstanding entertainment and presentation. A large crowd assembled and remained throughout the day.

There was live music and the people seemed to enjoy the entertainment and the visting with each other while perched on bales of hay. There were many prizes awarded in the drawing and Capitan is proud to have these fine folks in the community. They are certainly a plus for Capitan as well as Lincoln County. Their store is very nice, very clean and very well stocked. What else can you ask for in a town, no matter what its size. Again our congratulations!!!

## Capitan FHA to go to nationals

Seven students will represent Capitan High School FHA chapter as well as the state of New Mexico at the National

Leadership Meeting in Chicago this summer.

The chapter has stepped up its fundraising in order to send their members. On May 15, the FHA will sponsor a dance with music by Lone Star Express from 8-12 p.m. at the fair building. Tickets are \$3 a person, \$5 a couple and \$8 a family.

On May 23-24, on Memorial Day weekend, the chapter is having a community yard/bake/craft sale. The chapter is seeking donations of sales items. Large items (over \$40) may be sold by community citizens for a 15 percent commission. To donate, call Jan LaRue at 354-2668 after 4 p.m. Leave a message if she is not home.

Proceeds from both events will go toward the Capitan FHA members' trip to Chicago.

## Washburn wins title

Eastern New Mexico University sophomore Justen Washburn won the All-around Cowboy title at the recent regional intercollegiate rodeo in Hobbs.

Washburn, an honor student at ENMU, won the title by winning the saddle bronc riding and placing in bull riding. He also received points in team and calf roping.

Justen is the son of Royce and Joanne Washburn of the Corona area.

## Tigers will travel to state meet

The Capitan boys and girls track teams placed second in the District 5A meet Saturday in Hagerman.

Several Tigers and Lady Tigers will travel to the state meet May 8 and 9 at UNM Stadium in Albuquerque.

Tigers who qualified are Chris Smith in five events, Alan Hazel in relay, Kyle Traylor in five events, Jeff Chavez in four events, Damian Roybal in relay and pole vault, Orlando Baca in relay, Wes Mitchell in relay, Carlos Preciado in relay, Charley Tracey in javelin, Rodney Sedillo in the 800M and mile runs, Ernie Trujillo in the 3200M run and Stormy Trost.

At the district meet the Tigers finished behind Hagerman, Loving was third, Cloudercroft was fourth.

Capitan individuals and teams won several events. Kyle Traylor won the high jump, Damian Roybal was first in pole vault, Rodney Sedillo won the 1600M run, Chris Smith won the 100M dash.

The 1600M relay team of Roybal, Wes Mitchell, Chavez and Traylor was first. All first-place winners advance to the state meet, second placers in all events but relays also qualified for state.

Second place finishers were Tracey in javelin, Chavez in the 100M dash, Rodney Sedillo in the 800M run, Smith in the 200M dash and Trujillo in the 3200M run. The 400M relay team of Smith, Hazel, Traylor and Chavez and the 1600M medley relay team of Roybal, Orlando Baca, Mitchell and Carlos Preciado also placed second.

In third place were Traylor in the 400M dash and Jerome Mendoza in the 3200M run.

Josh Peralta was fourth in the pole vault and Hazel also finished fourth in the 200M dash.

In fifth place were David Bonnet in discus, Michael Fish

in the long jump and 110M hurdles, Vicente Lopez in the 800M run and Tracey in the 300M hurdles.

Sixth place finishers were Preciado in javelin, Tracey in 110M hurdles, Hazel in 100M dash and Fish in the 300M hurdles.

Several Lady Tigers also qualified for state with their first-place finishes in relays and individual events. Second-place finishes in individual events also qualify for state.

The team of Jessica and Amy Cline, Kelly Cox and Catherine Sidwell finished first in both the 400M and 800M relays. The 1600M relay team of J. and A. Cline, Sheryl Dockery and Sidwell also was first.

The 1600M medley relay team of Cox, Tycie Traylor, Wood and Christine Worrell also will go to the state meet.

In individual events, Jessica Cline was first in the 100M dash. Amy Cline finished second. Both girls will compete in the event at the state meet. Dockery was third in the 100M dash, Traylor was fourth and Worrell sixth.

Other first-place finishers were Dockery in the 400M dash, Sidwell in the 300M hurdles and Stacey Gowen in the shot.

Second-place finishers were Michelle McGarvey in the 110M hurdles, Traylor in the 200M dash and long jump, Jennifer Eldridge in the long jump, Anita Aldez in shot and and the 1600M medley team of Jessica Barela, Worrell, McGarvey and Angie Hutchison.

Daisy Chapman was third in shot and fourth in discus.

Hutchison was sixth in the 1600M run and Worrell also was sixth in the 800M run.

Tiger athletes will be honored at the Spring Sports Banquet set for 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, in the new gym.

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✓ JIMMIE LUNA will have the time to discuss the issues with voters.

★ Jimmie Luna's proposal to reconstruct the Sheriff's Department will bring savings to the taxpayers and make the Sheriff's Department more efficient and responsive to the needs of the citizens.

★ Jimmie Luna will appoint two chief deputies from within the department to take the responsibilities of an undersheriff. One of the duties of the two chief deputies will be to review all cases to determine that all legal procedures have been followed in order to bring an end to the number of lawsuits being filed against the Sheriff's Department.

★ Jimmie Luna knows that money will be saved by not appointing an undersheriff. Jimmie Luna proposes the money be used to establish a maintenance program for the Sheriff's Department vehicles by hiring a full-time mechanic.

★ Jimmie Luna will propose to the county commission to have the mechanic maintain all county vehicles at the county garage. This will be an additional savings to Lincoln County.

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# Fort Stanton: facts & fiction

By BETTY JONER

Many employees clients and others are getting spring fever bad. The showers are making everyone wish they could quit work and spend the days outdoors.

Donna Keller worked for me last Friday and Saturday while Pat and I attended a Block and Bridle Club banquet in Las Cruces. Ron Joiner was the outgoing president and did a great job as MC. He and the other members welcomed Joe Sikeen as their guest speaker. Joe's speech was about how much some of our representatives know about agriculture, which seems like very little. We are fortunate to have Joe represent us. A prime rib dinner with all the trimmings and a dance with the "Delk" family playing was enjoyed by many members of this club and faculty. Several Lincoln County students are officers in this club. Awards were presented to Will Griggs of Roswell for the "Outstanding Senior" and the workhorse award was presented to Ron Joiner. Gag certificates were also presented to the winners. The Block and Bridle club put on the judging contests and wool contests held at the university each year. The other Lincoln County students who will be serving as officers for the 1992-93 year are Kelly Racher, Sandra Copeland, and Denise Lightfoot.

The NAPUS postmasters state convention is progressing right on schedule. The decorating committee of Della Bonnell, Faye Womach, and Rosalie Patterson have really outdone themselves with southwestern decorations. Chet and Mary Gourley, chairman and spouse, have spent many hours working on the program books which are really a work of art. Thanks to everyone and all businesses who have given so generously in donations to help make our convention a success. A final meeting of the group was held at K-Bobs on April 24 for last minute details. We hope everyone will

welcome all the retirees, guests, VIPs, and postmasters to our great Lincoln County, during May 4-7. Arnold Elias, Jim Miller, William Burdome, and Al Provencio will be four of the VIPs speaking to the postmasters. Patsy Racher has made some beautiful gifts for the speakers. Thanks to everybody for all the hard work to make this a great convention.

Aileen Lindamood reports the plaque that will be installed in the Carrizozo park in memory of Fred Chavez will soon be in place. All postmasters and friends who would like to donate to this memorial should send the donation to Aileen in Carrizozo.

The senior citizens enchilada supper held on April 25 was a great success. The enchiladas made by Henry Silva and helpers was delicious. The waiter service was superb. Thelma Stevens and Lou Roberts waited on us. The new room added on to the building is very roomy and will be helpful to the many senior citizens.

Many citizens of Capitan cleaned up on the 25th too. Our town of Capitan always looks so much better after all this hard work is done each year. The chamber organizes this and is to be commended.

Dick and David Cox, Eddie and Audrey Davis, Vaughn Weddige and Pat Joiner helped Grady Eldridge brand. Margie always outdoes herself cooking for the bunch. Know she appreciates the tips given.

May 2 the Ace Hardware will have its grand opening. Two of Fort Stanton's best fiddle and guitars players will be helping with the live enter-

tainment. Cindy Foglesong's students Jake and Josh Jones will be there. Also plan to attend the Talent Show on May 2 at 7 p.m. in the Capitan gym.

May 22 will be the third memorial celebration at the cemetery south of the Fort. A special pictorial cancellation will be commemorating the only merchant marine cemetery in the USA. The cancellation picture is of the monument, crosses, an anchor, and the USA flag flying. Anyone wishing to obtain a cancellation should send a self-addressed envelope with a 29 cent stamp fixed to Postmaster, Fort Stanton, N.M. 88323-9998. The cancellation will be available for 30 days after the date of celebration on May 22. Victor Schaerer and his wife have been responsible for the new look the cemetery now has, with much moving and placing of the crosses where they belong. Victor will be writing another article shortly in more detail.

John Parker has been home the last couple of weekends visiting his parents, Gene and Lu Parker. John, Ron, Will, Jay Eldridge, and Ronnie Barone will be a few of our students graduating from NMSU on May 9. We are all proud of these young men!

Audrey Davis took her cosmetology test in Santa Fe on April 6. She received her test score and was happy she passed with a 95 percent. Audrey doesn't plan to open a shop or work for awhile. She is staying busy helping Eddie on the Bogle ranch by Corona. As you all can read this is an article of a proud "MOM."

## HONDO HONOR ROLL

Elementary Honor Roll  
3rd Nine Weeks

Superintendent's Honor Roll  
2nd grade—Laura Cruz, Sarah Davidson, Carlos Miranda.

4th grade—Ashley Martin, Jason Copeland, Billie Maldonado, Jessica A. Sanchez.

5th grade—Beau Gomez.

"A" Honor Roll  
1st grade—Jessica Candelaria, Jaclynn Castanon, Randi Gomez, Jackie Chavez, Erika Gutierrez, Rusty Martin.

4th grade—Sarah Katz, Narcisca Montoya, Jose Angel Valenzuela.

5th grade—Brynn Castanon, Christina Chavez, Bethany Sanchez, Justin Sisneros.

6th grade—Jason Candelaria, Adam Herrera, Brandi Herrera, Amanda Munoz.

"B" Honor Roll  
1st grade—Juan Cruz, Dominic Ortega, Jon Torrez.

Jr. High and

2nd grade—Kalya Gomez, Amelia Herrera, Cynthia Lucero, Renee Lopez, Dina Munoz, Teresa Polaco, Tyler Sisneros.  
3rd grade—Frederick Montoya, Katherine Montoya, Armando Ontiveros, Malessa Munoz, Kizzy Haun, Derrick Chavez.

4th grade—Alicia Cruz, Tashina Herrera, Ismael Miranda, Martin Richardson, Kristin Romero, Jessica Renee Sanchez, Jose L. Ontiveros.

5th grade—Joshua Candelaria, Robert DeBaca.

6th grade—Bismark Aguilera, Rowena Baca, James Kemp, Jackie Sanchez.

High School Honor Roll

Superintendent's Honor Roll

12th grade—Celena Copeland, Faustina Baca.

11th grade—James Salas, Paul Zinn.

10th grade—Tony Archuleta, Larry Gonzales, Fermin Herrera, Robin Smith.

9th grade—Erica Copeland.

8th grade—Kara Castanon, Elena Cruz, Lisa Gutierrez.

7th grade—Casey Gomez, Cassandra Garrett, Desirae Maldonado, Santa Ontiveros.

Honor Roll

12th grade—Danelle Marquez.

11th grade—Patricia Salas.

10th grade—Victoria Baca, Chris Gutierrez, Veronica Sanchez, Omar Vega.

9th grade—Melanie Candelaria, Michael Maez.

8th grade—Iris Chavez, Andrea Lucero.

7th grade—Michael Archuleta, Jared DeBaca, Jorge Ontiveros, Isaac Sanchez.



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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF the Partition of David Rowland Perkins for change of name:

CHANGE OF NAME Notice is hereby given that at 9:30 o'clock A.M. on the 11 day of May, 1992, at the District Court in Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, the undersigned will file a Petition to change his name from David Rowland Perkins to David Rowland Schear.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1992. David Rowland Perkins,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT NOTICE OF REALTY ACTION

SUMMARY: The following described private lands along the Rio Bonito in Lincoln County have been found suitable for acquisition by the Bureau of Land Management under Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716). The identified lands are a part of the 1,115.06 acres of private land and 330 acres of water rights in the area of Lincoln, New Mexico that will be exchanged for 30,893.01 acres of public land in the area of Carlsbad, Farmington and Las Cruces, New Mexico.

Rio Bonito (Lincoln County)

Tract 1 257.81 acres T. 9 S., R. 15 E., NMPM Sec. 14, S 1/2 NW (within) Sec. 15, S 1/2 NW (within), N 1/2 SW (within), SW 1/4 SW (within), N 1/2 SE (within) As per survey plat dated September 10, 1990; prepared by Atkins Engineering Associates.

Tract 2 174.20 acres T. 9 S., R. 15 E., NMPM Sec. 13, S 1/2 NW (within) Sec. 24, NE (within)

T. 9 S., R. 16 E., NMPM Sec. 19, SW NW (within), NW SW (within), NW SE (within) As per preliminary survey plats prepared by Atkins Engineering Associates.

Tract 3 254.86 acres T. 9 S., R. 16 E., NMPM Sec. 19, SE (within) Sec. 20, SW (within) Sec. 28, S 1/2 (within) Sec. 29, N 1/2 (within), SE (within) Sec. 33, NW NW (within), NE NW (within) Sec. 34, SW (within), NW SE (within) As per preliminary survey plats prepared by Atkins Engineering Associates.

Tract 4 428.69 acres T. 9 S., R. 16 E., NMPM Sec. 34, SE SW (within), S 1/2 SE (within)

T. 10 S., R. 16 E., NMPM Sec. 2, W NW (within), E SW (within), NW SW (within), W SE Sec. 3, NE (within) Sec. 11, N (within), NE SE (within) Sec. 12, SW NW (within), NW SW (within) As per survey plats prepared by Atkins Engineering Associates.

Total Acreage 1115.06 acres Water Rights 330 acres

Dates: Comments must be received by May 25, 1992.

Addressee: Comments should be sent to the District Manager, BLM, P.O. Box 1937, Roswell, New Mexico 88202-1937.

For Further Information Contact: Home Eiland, BLM, Roswell Resource Area, telephone 685-624-1790.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

No. CV-01-015

CYZ INTERNATIONAL COMPANY, Plaintiff

vs. OZ IMPORT EXPORT, INC., a Texas Corporation, and WINSTON LAND AND CATTLE COMPANY, a Texas Corporation, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Stipulated Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Order of Sale and Appointment of Special Master entered on December 4, 1991, the undersigned Special Master will sell at public auction, for cash or certified funds, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. on June 1, 1992, at the Northeast door of the Lincoln County Courthouse, 300 Central, Carrizozo, New Mexico, the real property situated in Lincoln County, New Mexico described on Exhibit "A," subject to rights of redemption; easements, reservations and restrictions of record; and taxes and governmental assessments.

ALL PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT THE SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF TITLE AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING. The property is located at Unit 606, Triple Crown Condominium, now known as Champion's Run Condominium, Highway 70 East near the Ruidoso Race Track, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

This action is a suit to foreclose judgment liens against the above-described real property owned by OZ IMPORT EXPORT, INC. The total amount awarded to CYZ INTERNATIONAL, INC. by the judgment is \$109,000.00. The proceeds of the judicial sale will be applied first to the costs and expenses of the sale; then to the payment of the judgment in favor of CYZ INTERNATIONAL, INC. Any excess funds shall be deposited with the Court. CYZ INTERNATIONAL, INC. may apply all or a portion of its judgment towards the purchase price. Otherwise, terms of sale shall be cash or certified funds.

NANCIE VEGA, Special Master.

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION Unit 606 of CHAMPION'S RUN CONDOMINIUMS, formally known as Triple Crown Condominiums, Ruidoso Downs, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as the same are set for and established by that certain plat filed for record in the Office of the County Clerk Ex-Officio Recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on May 3, 1991 in Cabinet D, Slide No. 362; and the Declaration for which was recorded in said office on May 3, 1991, in Miscellaneous Book 99, Pages 830-831, both inclusive, and all subsequent amendments thereto filed for record.

EXHIBIT "A"

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INVITATION FOR BIDS TOWN OF CARRIZOZO, NEW MEXICO

STREET IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE III Scaled bids will be received by the Town of Carrizozo, at the office of the Town Clerk until 2:00 o'clock P.M. (local time) the 12th day of May, 1992, for construction of the following project:

STREET IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE III G.D.B.G. PROJECT NO. 90-C-154-G61

STREET IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE III Scaled bids will be received by the Town of Carrizozo, at the office of the Town Clerk until 2:00 o'clock P.M. (local time) the 12th day of May, 1992, for construction of the following project:

STREET IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE III G.D.B.G. PROJECT NO. 90-C-154-G61

NMSHED PROJECT NO. SP-HM-7627(297)

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The Town of Carrizozo will not consider any bids arriving late, including mail or transport error. Any bids received after the above named closing time will be returned unopened.

Copies of the bidding documents are available for public inspection at the office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, 100 5th Street, P.O. Box 247, Carrizozo, New Mexico, and at the office of Andrews, Ashbury & Robert, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 149 Jackson Street, N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87108.

Complete sets of the bidding documents may be obtained at the office of Andrews, Ashbury & Robert, Inc. at the above address in accordance with the instructions to Bidders upon depositing the sum of \$40.00 for each set of documents, which amount constitutes the cost of reproduction, handling and applicable taxes. Any bona fide bidder upon returning the documents in good condition within ten (10) days following the Bid Opening, will be returned the full amount. Non-responsive bidders will receive \$20.00 refund.

Bid Security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the Bid must accompany each Bid in accordance with the instructions to Bidders.

This Project is funded in whole or in part by a Grant from the State of New Mexico Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Program and is subject to requirements of the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development and the funding agency.

The Owner reserves the right to waive technical irregularities and to reject Bids. Bids shall be good for 30 days following the opening of bids and may not be withdrawn.

TOWN OF CARRIZOZO /S/ CECILIA G. KUHNEL, Mayor. April 22, 1992.

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LEGAL

Corona Public Schools are soliciting roofing proposals for the Corona Elementary and High School buildings. All proposals must meet all state requirements as stated in the State of New Mexico Procurement and Building Codes. Buildings may be inspected Monday through Friday 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. All proposals must be in the Superintendent's office by 4 p.m. May 12, 1992. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. For further information call the Superintendent of Schools at 849-1911. Corona Public Schools, P.O. Box 259, Corona, New Mexico 88318.

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LEGAL

Corona School District is requesting proposals from qualified contractors to lower ceilings by installing acoustical tile and grid work plus R-19 insulation in several areas of the gym and library, approximately 4000 to 5000 square feet. All proposals must be in the office of the Superintendent of Schools by 4:00 P.M. on May 12, 1992. For further information call the Superintendent's office at 849-1911. Corona Public Schools, P.O. Box 259, Corona, New Mexico 88318.

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REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROPOSAL

The County of Lincoln, New Mexico is accepting proposals from consultants for administrative and construction monitoring services required by the County for implementation of the Housing Repair Community Development Block Grant program funded by the State of New Mexico. Proposals shall be submitted to the Village of Corona, P.O. Box 37, Corona, New Mexico 88318, no later than 4:00 p.m., June 11, 1992. The proposal should be in accordance with the RFP packet which includes the following attachments: Attachment A Problem Statement Attachment B Scope

of Work Attachment C Project Schedule Attachment D Contract Type Attachment E Proposal Contents Attachment F Evaluation Criteria Attachment G Project Site Map Copies of the RFP packet are available from the Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SNMEDD), 110 E. Fourth, Suite 105, Roswell, N.M. 88201, (505) 624-6131. Questions concerning the RFP should be directed to Curtis Schrader.

INTRODUCTION PART ONE: ADMINISTRATION (with attached Scope of Services for Housing Repair/Rehab Services)

PART TWO: PROPOSAL PART THREE: FACTORS FOR AWARD/EVALUATION CRITERIA

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Those submitting proposals must comply with the New Mexico Procurement Code. The Procurement Code provides for civil and criminal penalties for its violation. In addition, the New Mexico Criminal Statutes impose felony penalties for illegal bribes, gratuities and kickbacks.

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REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES PROPOSAL

The Town of Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, was recently awarded Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for street improvements (phase 4) and is requesting competitive sealed qualification-based proposals for professional engineering services for the design and inspection services for the construction of approximately 6,555 linear feet of asphalt paved streets.

Proposals shall be submitted to the Town of Carrizozo, 100 5th Street, P.O. Box 247, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, no later than 12:00 p.m. (noon), June 5, 1992. The proposal should be in accordance with the RFP packet which includes the following attachments: Attachment A Problem Statement Attachment B Scope of Work Attachment C Project Schedule Attachment D Contract Type Attachment E Proposal Contents Attachment F Evaluation Criteria Attachment G Project Site Map Copies of the RFP packet are available from the Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SNMEDD), 110 E. Fourth, Suite 105, Roswell, N.M. 88201, (505) 624-6131. Questions concerning the RFP should be directed to Curtis Schrader.

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REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES PROPOSAL

The Village of Corona, Lincoln County, N.M. is requesting competitive sealed qualification-based proposals for professional engineering services for the design and inspection services for the construction of approximately 3,000 linear feet of asphalt paved streets.

Proposals shall be submitted to the Village of Corona, P.O. Box 37, Corona, New Mexico 88318, no later than 4:00 p.m., June 11, 1992. The proposal should be in accordance with the RFP packet which includes the following attachments: Attachment A Problem Statement Attachment B Scope

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Sealed proposals will be received by the County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Post Office Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 10:00 A.M., June 8, 1992, for the below listed property and casualty insurance coverages, effective July 1, 1992:

- 1. Comprehensive General Liability
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10. Volunteer Firemen/Emergency Medical Volunteers Accident
11. Sheriff's Posses Equipment
12. Worker's

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Requests for proposals with specifications may be obtained by calling the County Manager's Office at (505) 648-2855.

The opening and reviewing of the proposals will be at the same location at 10:00 A.M., June 8, 1992. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will award the bid at a special meeting on June 16, 1992, at 9:00 A.M.

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

ANDREW WYNHAM, Lincoln County Manager.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Lincoln County Road Review Committee has been requested by the Board of Commissioners to

review a request to open a section of road by Elmer Brady. The road is on Hwy. 70 at 22224 frontage road, East of 22224 frontage road, to 22700 frontage road to review for opening. T 10 S, R 17 E, Section 67-5-9, N.M.S.A. 1979.

Pursuant to Section 67-5-9, N.M.S.A. 1979, the Road Review Committee will meet on May 18, 1992, at the Lincoln County Road Department, in Capitan at 10:00 A.M., and proceed from there to the road to be reviewed.

The report of the Road Review Committee will be presented to the Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting on May 19, 1992, at 9:00 A.M., at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Anyone wishing to make comments or recommendations may do so at either of the two abovementioned meetings. You may also write to the Lincoln County Road Review Committee, Box 711, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301, or call (505) 354-2922.

W.S. RAWLINS, Chairman.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

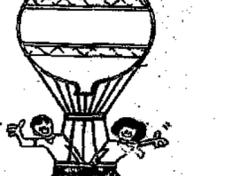
The Agriculture and Rural Affairs Committee shall hold a special meeting at 9:00 A.M. on Monday, May 11, 1992 in the Commissioners Meeting Room at the Lincoln County Courthouse, in Carrizozo. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the following proposed ordinances:

- 1. Public Range Lands Improvement Act
2. Civil Rights Act
3. Adoption of the Fifth and Fourteenth Amendments to the U.S. Constitution.

The meeting is open to the public.

ANDREW C. WYNHAM, Lincoln County Manager

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NOTICE TO LINCOLN COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS Property Tax Delinquent Date

LINCOLN COUNTY TREASURER reminds Lincoln County property owners that they must pay their second half property taxes by Monday, May 11th, 1992, to avoid penalties and interest.

Interest shall accrue at the rate of one percent (1%) per month or any portion of a month (Statute 7-38-49 NMSA 1978).

Pursuant to 7-38-50, if property taxes become delinquent, a penalty of one percent (1%) of the delinquent taxes for each month they remain unpaid, shall be imposed, or a minimum of five dollars (\$5.00).

By NM State law, property taxes are the personal obligation of the property owner, whether or not the bill was received.

Mail payment or contact us at the address and phone numbers listed below should you have questions regarding your property tax bill:

LINCOLN COUNTY TREASURER P.O. BOX 709 CARRIZOZO, NM 88301 648-2397 or 648-2525 3rd-Apr. 23, 30 and May 7, 1992

Church Directory for churches in Carrizozo

Table listing churches and their services: Carrizozo Community Church (A/G), St. Matthias Episcopal Church, Trinity United Methodist Churches, Evangelistic Assembly, Church of Christ, Community United Presbyterian Church of Ancho.

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**LEGALS**

**NOTICE TO PUBLIC**

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold the following budget workshops for the 1992-93 Fiscal Year Budget:

Wednesday, May 13, 1992 - City Hall Conference Room, 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 19, 1992 - City Hall Conference Room, 6:00 p.m.

The public is invited to attend. Carol Schlarb, CMC Town Clerk

Published in the Lincoln County News on April 30, and May 7, 1992.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners shall hold a special meeting at 9:00 A.M. on Tuesday, May 12, 1992 in the Commissioners Meeting Room at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. The purpose of this meeting is to consider budget requests and any other proper business that may come before the Commission.

**STIRLING T. SPENCER, CHAIRMAN, Lincoln County Board of Commissioners.**

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**LEGAL**

Carrizozo, Ocurra, Three Rivers, N.M.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, notice is hereby given that New Mexico Broadcasting Co., Inc. license of KGGM-TV is required to file with the FCC, no later than April 1, 1992, an application for renewal of TV Translator station K57CF, Carrizozo, Ocurra, Three Rivers, N.M. Station K57CF operates with peak transmitter output power of 100 Watts from Chupadera Mesa, rebroadcasting station KGGM-TV, Channel 13, Albuquerque, N.M. on output channel 57.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. PB-92-14**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SHIRLEY ELLEN SCOTT, Deceased.**

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ANCILLARY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE**

TO: ALL INTERESTED PERSONS YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT:

1. Curtis Scott Cosby has filed a request for appointment as Ancillary Personal Representative of the estate of the decedent.

2. On April 10, 1992, Curtis Scott Cosby was appointed Ancillary Personal Representative without bond.

3. Papers relating to the estate are on file with the Lincoln County District Court and are available for your inspection.

DATED: April 29, 1992.

**BRUCE C. REDD, Attorney for Curtis Scott Cosby 4312 Carlisle Blvd. NE Albuquerque, N.M. 87101 (505) 893-0880**

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. PB-92-14**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SHIRLEY ELLEN SCOTT, Deceased.**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Curtis Scott Cosby has been appointed Ancillary Personal Representative of the Estate of Shirley Ellen Scott, deceased. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the Personal Representative or to Bruce C. Redd, Attorney at Law, 4312 Carlisle Blvd. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107 or filed with the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

DATED: April 29, 1992.

**CURTIS SCOTT COSBY, BRUCE C. REDD, Attorney for Personal Representative 4312 Carlisle Blvd. NE Albuquerque, N.M. 87101 (505) 893-0880**

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**INVITATION TO BID**

Sealed bids will be received by the Lincoln County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301, until 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, May 26, 1992, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. Any bids received after the above date and time will be retained unopened.

Bid No. 91-15: 1 Each-New 20 Ton Trailer.

Bid No. 91-16: 1 Each-New or Used Portable Screening Plant.

Bid No. 91-17: 2 Each-Used Belly Dump Trailers.

Invitations to Bid with specifications are available

at the Office of the County Manager, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, or by calling Martha Guzman at (505) 848-2888.

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will review the bids during their special commission meeting to be held on Wednesday, May 27, 1992.

All bids should be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope with the bid number shown above.

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

Bids must comply with the New Mexico Procurement Code and the American With Disabilities Act, Title II-A.

**ANDREW C. WYNHAM, Lincoln County Manager.**

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**NOTICE TO PUBLIC**

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold a special meeting on Monday, May 11, 1992 at 4:00 P.M. City Hall Conference Room, for personnel matters.

**CAROL SCHLARB, CMC, TOWN CLERK, Town of Carrizozo.**

Published in the Lincoln County News on May 7, 1992.

**Wolf plan comments wanted**

The public will have an opportunity to comment on a plan by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to reintroduce the Mexican Wolf onto White Sands Missile Range.

A hearing on the proposal is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, at the University of New Mexico Continuing Education Conference Center, 1634 University Blvd. in Albuquerque.

The public need not attend the hearing to make comment. For more information or to submit written comments write the Regional Director, US Fish and Wildlife Service, P.O. Box 1306, Albuquerque, N.M. 87103.

Deadline for written comments is June 19.

**MAGISTRATE COURT**

The following persons were bound over to district court from Magistrate Judge Gerald Doan Jr. in Carrizozo on various charges.

**APRIL 9**

Dennis M. Meyers, Capitan, on charges of attempted murder in the first degree, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and tampering with evidence. The charges stemmed from a Feb. 24 incident where Meyers allegedly shot Gilbert Barola. Meyers was released from the Lincoln County Jail after posting a \$250,000 bond.

P. Martin Latta, Jr., Ruidoso Downs, on charges of larceny and removing cattle beyond the limits of the state without inspection.

**APRIL 13**

Anthony Platta, 21, Mesacalero, on charges residential burglary and larceny under \$250.

**APRIL 15**

Ronnie Hammett, Capitan, on charges of aggravated battery (great bodily harm) and criminal trespass. Rees Garner, 21, Ruidoso Downs, on charges of conspiracy to distribute marijuana, two counts of distribution of marijuana, distribution of LSD, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, attempted distribution of LSD and embezzlement of \$400.

**APRIL 20**

Rodrigo Madrid, 26, El Paso, on charges of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute and conspiracy to distribute.

Raymundo Castillo, 33, El Paso, on charges of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute and conspiracy to distribute.

**OBITUARIES**

**ALBERT J. SCHMIDT**

Rosary for Albert J. Schmidt, 84, of Ruidoso was May 1 at 7 p.m. in St. Eleanor's Catholic Church. Funeral Mass was May 2 at 11 a.m. Officiating was the Rev. Richard Catanach. Burial was at Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Memorial Park.

Mr. Schmidt died April 30 in Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. He was born May 12, 1907 in New York State to Barbara and Frank Schmidt who both preceded him death. He served in the Air Force during World War II. He was a member of the El Paso Rotary Club, St. Eleanor's Catholic Church. He was a retired Pawn Broker in El Paso. He moved to Ruidoso in 1978 from El Paso.

He married Agnes Flynn in Deming, N.M.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes of Ruidoso; three sons, James L. Schmidt and Albert P. Schmidt both of El Paso and David S. Schmidt of Morgan Hill, Calif.; four daughters, Bernita J. Gilliam of Albuquerque, Sally E. Williams of Graham, Texas, Barbara M. Smith of Ruidoso and Marie L. Schmidt of Dallas. Brother, Paul Schmidt of Williston Park, N.Y. and a sister, Beatrice Schmidt of New York State. Nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The family has requested memorials to St. Eleanor's Catholic Church in Ruidoso. Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.

**WILLIAM B. COCHRAN**

Services for William B. Cochran, 77, of Ruidoso were May 5 at the Community United Methodist Church in Ruidoso. Officiating was the Rev. Craig Cockrell and Rev. Charles Spooner. Burial followed at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso.

Mr. Cochran died May 3 at his home. He was born Mar. 21, 1915 in Mexia, Texas to Mary and Everett Cochran who both preceded him in death. He was a member of Community United Methodist Church. He moved to Ruidoso from El Paso on June 5, 1982.

He married Margaret Sparrow on May 6, 1939 in Anthony, N.M.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret of Ruidoso; son, Vaughn Cochran of Christoval, Texas; three daughters, Mary Margaret Milburn of Cloudercroft; Maxine Ann Hannsz of Toyah, Texas; and Pamela Sue Cochran of El Paso. Two sisters, Alice Littlejohn of Clint, Texas and Dorothy Rowden of Terrell, Texas. Six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was also preceded in death by a grandson Sterling Hannsz.

**OTTO HENRY TEMPLE**

Services for Otto Henry Temple, 69, of Ruidoso Downs were May 4 in the First Baptist Church of Ruidoso Downs. Officiating was the Rev. Mike Bush. Burial followed at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso.

Mr. Temple was born July 20, 1922 in San Angelo, Texas to Anna and Otto Henry Temple who both preceded him in death. He moved to Ruidoso Downs in 1958 from Reserve, N.M.

He married Geneva Huffaker on May 18, 1947 in Dutil, N.M.

Survivors include his wife, Geneva of Ruidoso Downs; four sons, O. Henry Temple of Ruidoso Downs, Allen Temple of Angleton, Texas, Steve Temple of Ruidoso, and Benjamin Temple of Port Hueneme, Calif.; three daughters, Anna Davis of Ruidoso, Shirley Britt of Rio Rancho and Elaine Carpenter of Los Lunas. Brother, George Temple of San Angelo, Texas. 17 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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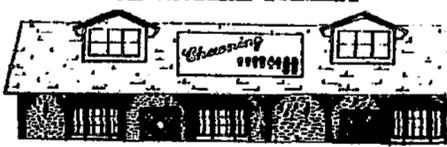
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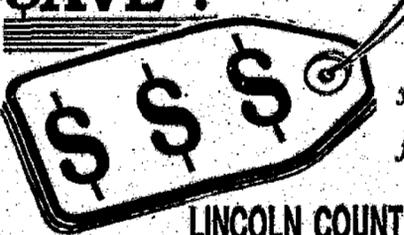
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## Sheriff's report

Officers of the White Mountain Task Force arrested three persons who were transporting more than 16 pounds of alleged marijuana.

Arrested were Julio Fonseca, 27; Guy R. Lamontagne, 21 and Veronica L. Linden, 24, all of El Paso.

A Lincoln County Deputy stopped Fonseca in his 1985 Ford Escort, traveling at a high rate of speed north of Carrizozo on Highway 54. He called for the task force officers after Fonseca gave consent to search the vehicle. During the search officers discovered about 16 pounds of alleged marijuana in luggage.

The three were taken to the Lincoln County Jail in Carrizozo where they were booked on charges of possession with intent to distribute alleged marijuana and conspiracy to distribute. Bond was set at \$50,000 on each person.

The Escort was seized as well as more than \$600 in cash. Forfeiture papers will be filed on the vehicle and cash.

The following information was taken from dispatch records at the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in Carrizozo:

**APRIL 27**  
7:10 p.m.—an anonymous caller reported cruelty to animals in Valley Heights Subdivision in Angus. Two horses had not been fed or watered for days at a time, and the horses were struggling for survival. The Lincoln County Humane Society offered assistance with the situation.

**APRIL 28**  
9:40 a.m.—a Sun Valley resident reported abandoned dogs and requested the animal control officer to investigate. A person had moved and left behind three dogs with no food or water. The owner was found and she wanted the animal control officer to pick up the dogs anyway.

1:27 p.m.—an anonymous caller reported a suspicious vehicle driving up and down residential streets in Agua Fria. The persons in the vehicle were raising cane in the area, driving up and down the streets hollering and making a general ruckus. The complainant was trying to work in her yard when the driver stopped and harassed her. The responding deputy was unable to locate the vehicle, but it was later found at the KOR by Ruidoso Downs police.

5:07 p.m.—trash and garbage blowing out of a trailer on Highway 48 from Alto to Capitan was reported. The license number of the trailer was given by the complainant, who refused to go the scene to verify the vehicle.

6 p.m.—a one-vehicle roll over, without injuries, was reported on Highway 48 near the turn off to Cora Dutton Road. The accident turned into a traffic problem with the vehicle in the middle of the road and a deputy helped out with traffic control.

**APRIL 29**  
12:50 a.m.—Carrizozo Inn, in Carrizozo, reported a man kicking a motel room door. The incident turned out to be a misunderstanding on which room the man belonged. The responding deputy reported all was okay and the man returned to his room.

4:26 p.m.—a suspicious vehicle was reported on Highway 380 at mile marker 28 rest stop. The vehicle's doors, hood and trunk were open and a man was standing on the passenger's side of the vehicle, walking with his arms out. When he got in front of the vehicle, the complainant saw he had a pistol in

his right hand and tried to cover it with his left hand. The pistol looked like a long barrel automatic with a silencer. The man was wearing a white shirt, tie and black pants. Since the incident occurred in Socorro County, it was referred to state police out of Socorro.

5:40 p.m.—an anonymous caller reported a dirt bike running up and down main road in the subdivision in Capitan. The responding deputy advised he could not find the bike.

7:42 p.m.—a Carrizozo resident advised a car was blocking his driveway. The responding deputy found no car, the complainant said it had left just before the deputy arrived.

8:09 p.m.—a US Forest Service ranger reported someone digging out a 10-12 foot tree at Oak Grove Campground. The responding deputy advised the person had a permit.

**APRIL 30**  
8:46 p.m.—a car was reported stolen at Bonito Lake. The subject had left the vehicle to take a long walk, when he came back his 1986 gray Dodge four-door was gone, along with the .22 caliber pistol laying on the back seat. The responding deputy checked Nogal Canyon, Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs Police Departments were notified and state police also advised. At 10:19 p.m. the vehicle was located, but the subject was lost.

8:58 p.m.—an anonymous caller reported kids partying and shooting under the Alamo Canyon bridge.

**MAY 1**  
10:16 a.m.—a Carrizozo person was bit by a dog.  
11:12 a.m.—shots from a high powered weapon were reported by the Carrizozo Golf Course. The responding deputy made no contact with the shooter.

4:35 p.m.—Pueblo Video in Carrizozo reported a minor accident in its parking lot.

7:50 p.m.—a gas skip of \$16.50 was reported from the Carrizozo Allsup's. Tularosa Police were advised to be on the look out.

10:07 p.m.—a loud party was reported at a 2nd St. residence in Capitan.

11:13 p.m.—a Carrizozo motel reported illegal guests, people were staying in a room when they had not paid.

**MAY 2**  
10:11 a.m.—an Alto area resident reported a dead dog at the end of his property—the resident needed assistance as the dog was stinking real bad.

10:52 a.m.—a Picacho area rancher reported a possible stolen vehicle loaded on a trailer at his ranch. The state police in Roswell were contacted and they advised the vehicle had just been registered in Roswell to one of the rancher's family members.

3:29 p.m.—a motorcycle was stolen while parked at the Tinnie Bar. The responding deputy took a report.

6:48 p.m.—an attempted breaking and entering was reported at a Hale Lake barn by a person who was caretaking the property.

7:21 p.m.—a breaking and entering of an Agua Fria residence was reported. The burglary occurred sometime between February and May. There were muddy tracks all over the house. The VCR and other things were missing. The responding deputy took a report.

**MAY 3**  
1:24 a.m.—a courtesy removal of the Greyhound bus was made. The complainant reported the southbound bus

departed from Carrizozo without one male passenger. The bus returned for the passenger.

7:53 a.m.—a Little Creek area resident reported a trespass by the Little Creek RV Park. The construction company person was unaware he was trespassing, and after talking to the property owner all was okay.

11:07 p.m.—a vehicular fender bender was reported at the intersection of Highways 380 and 54 in Carrizozo.

The following person were booked into the Lincoln County Jail:

**APRIL 24**  
Timothy Garcia, 21, Ruidoso Downs, was transported from the county jail to the New Mexico State Penitentiary to serve sentence on charges of false imprisonment, criminal sexual penetration, assault with intent to commit violent felony.

**APRIL 25**  
Ray J. Thompson, 32, Ruidoso Downs; embezzlement (Bernalillo warrant).

Daniel M. Sharon, 30, Ruidoso; probation violation; sentenced to 48 hours jail.

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# Around the state



## Ruidoso Downs Racing begins

Quarter Horse racing begins at Ruidoso Downs today, May 7. Highlight will be qualifying trial race for the Kansas Futurity.

## Democrats Celebrate 200th

New Mexico Democrats will celebrate the Party's 200th birthday May 15 and 16 in Albuquerque. The Democratic Party is the oldest political party in the world. Festivities will include an art auction, fashion show, silent auction of Democratic memorabilia, musical entertainment, and a Family Day at the Fairgrounds on Saturday.

## Roswell Art on the Lawn

The Roswell Museum and Art Center will hold its outdoor art fair, Art on the Lawn, May 16 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fine art and craft objects made by area artists will be featured. The event is open to the public free of charge.

## Cloudcroft Railroad & Logging Days

Cloudcroft's Railroad and Logging Days celebration will be held May 9 and 10. The Historical Society's Old Timer's Reunion honoring settlers who established local history will be held Saturday. Other activities include logging competition, antiques, model railroad displays, hobo meal, and fun.

## ENMU Commencement Reception

A commencement reception honoring Eastern New Mexico University graduates of the spring 1992 and summer/fall 1991 semesters will be held May 8. Families and friends of the new graduates are invited to attend.

## Land Use Conference

The annual Land Use Conference will be held May 7-8 in Albuquerque. The first day will focus on general land use issues and policies. The second day will be devoted to scenic and historic roads.

## New Mexico Art League Street Fair

New Mexico Art League will sponsor an arts & crafts street fair in Albuquerque May 8 and 9 at 3407 Juan Tabo N.E.

## KBIM Expands Coverage Area

KBIM-TV is expanding its coverage area in southeastern New Mexico. KBIM will supply a microwave signal into the Alamogordo area to replace KGGM-TV on Simmons Cable. Non-cable viewers in the Ruidoso area will also be affected. KBIM will be available on the channel 16 translator.

## Kidfest in Albuquerque

Kidfest, the hands-on family festival sponsored by Kids-at-Heart, whose mission is to provide an opportunity for children and their families to be exposed to and involved in the arts, will be observed May 15, 16 and 17 at Tiguex Park in Albuquerque.

## New Mexico Artists

New Mexico Arts Division announces competitions for several works of art by artists residing in New Mexico. For more information call 827-6490.



RONNIE BELTRAN OF CARRIZOZO knocks the cover off the ball during a recent game between the Terminators and Shorty's Team at the Eagle Creek Sports Complex in Alto. The adult softball leagues are well under way at the complex in the tall pines and will continue throughout the summer months. There is no admission to watch the games at the complex.

## Hondo student has story published

English instructor, Ray Sharbutt, announced that 8th grade student, Elena Cruz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Braulio Cruz of Hondo, had her story, *The Emerald of Pirate's Cove*, published in the High School Writer. Of hundreds of entries, Ms. Cruz's story was selected for the May issue.

"It is so exciting for anyone to have something published. And, to be so young, why it is just terrific," Sharbutt commented.

"Ms. Cruz has a real gift for writing and we are all very proud of her ability," noted Supt. Castanon. "We have been stressing writing and reading in all classes, not just English. It is becoming much easier for students to express themselves now. All teachers have commented that writing skills are improving. Ms Cruz's story will be an encouragement to others."

The *HIGH SCHOOL WRITER* is published monthly by Writers Publications of Grand Rapids, Michigan during the school year. It is used as a teaching tool in public and private school English and Language Arts classrooms throughout the U.S. Submissions are judged on quality of writing, originality and a reflection of responsible citizenship.

# Unique homes open in NM

Five families in Ruidoso, Roswell and Artesia have pooled their resources to create a "pilot project"—the first group homes in the State for the mentally ill which are financed and managed by families and friends of people who suffer from mental illness.

The grassroots project started in 1990 with the purchase of a large home in Roswell, at 800 N. Richardson Avenue. A second home was acquired in 1991, and a third home has now been donated to the families.

People Care, Inc., received their non-profit 501(c)(3) certification in 1990 and started renovating the homes, with the help of volunteers. Since that time, one small home is open and licensed, and a home for six men will be open next month.

The homes provide safe, affordable, supervised housing

for people who are recovering from mental illness. Management of the homes is geared to the needs of the residents, with House Meetings to empower those who live there with their share of the decisions of how the home is run. A live-in house parent helps with counseling and living skills, and a part-time cook ensures that the resi-

dents enjoy nutritious meals each day.

Recently, the Wilderness Hikers of Roswell prepared a large garden spot for planting, and residents are already working on their spring garden. The rock-fenced backyard will be a recreation area for residents of both homes.

## Workers' Compensation Administration office

The Las Cruces Regional Office of the New Mexico Workers' Compensation Administration is in operation in its permanent office space in Las Cruces.

The office serves the southwestern quadrant of the state.

The Workers' Compensation Administration is a state agency that provides services related to workers' compensa-

tion for employers and workers.

The local telephone numbers are 524-6246 and 524-6247. The toll-free phone number from anywhere in New Mexico is 1-800-870-6826.

The office is located at 250 Cotorro Court, Suite B. It is near Boutz Road and Boutz Place, behind the Borman Automotive Group.

## In The Service

Navy Ensign Anthony G. Breault, son of Judith C. Lechman of Alamogordo, N.M., recently completed the Basic Surface Warfare Officer's Course.

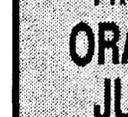
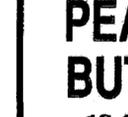
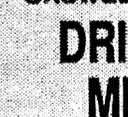
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