

Ruidoso Sets Rules For Manager

by Doris Cherry

Ruidoso Village Council set the ground rules for their next manager at the regular meeting Tuesday.

Since former village manager Ron Wicker resigned Nov. 5 the council has discussed establishing some guidelines for selecting another manager. Last meeting councilors agreed to submit ideas for the Council Policy Objectives for Village Manager.

Staff compiled the submitted ideas into a list and presented copies to the council at the

start of the meeting. Mayor Jerry Shaw noted that the councilors submitted their ideas were basically the same.

The ideas were compiled into 10 areas: Leadership--in day to day operations (without interference from the governing body), carry out ordinances, resolutions and policies enacted by the governing body. Communication--with council, employees, public, news media and official public relations spokesperson with openness in dealing with media, citizens and employees.

Community involvement--

Maintain high profile by participating in chamber of commerce, service clubs, etc. and create a positive image of the village through these organizations.

Personnel--top quality management. Encourage continued education for employees; ability to say no to employees; encourage performance with recognition; cross training of employees.

Finance--fiscal responsibility, budget management. Follow state procurement code; establish audit trails on all accounts; prepare, present and

administer annual budget; fiscally conservative with the best use of tax dollars.

Capital improvement projects--recognize department needs.

Infrastructure--recognize and analyze growth direction.

Goals and objectives--specific execution of policy.

Pride--municipal public image, employees, vehicles, building.

Grants--state and federal. Knowledge of state government and good working relationship with state and federal level employees, representatives,

Congress and legislature.

Councilors declined to prioritize the list of guidelines. "I think they're all important," said mayor Shaw.

Questionable procurement practices by the former manager prompted councilors to set the policy.

Discussion about a manager carried on to the closed session, following the open business portion of the meeting. When councilors came out of the session they took action to approve a salary increase for deputy manager Alan Briley, retroactive to his Oct. 1

anniversary date, as the end of his probationary period.

Also, councilors unanimously approved sending a letter of job offer for village manager to Gary Jackson. Jackson served as deputy manager prior to Briley.

The mayor proclaimed November as "Respect Ruidoso Month," in honor of Stephanie Shastain's "Respect Ruidoso" program. Shastain's program promotes clean-up, litter control and upgrading the village's image.

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Capitan Hires Carlos Brito As Policeman

Capitan Village Trustees hired a patrol officer and increased the budget for the wetlands project in a meeting that lasted 20 minutes.

Meeting Monday, trustees Leroy Montes, L.C. Cozzens, Gordon Ross and Gilbert Montoya voted unanimously for Mayor Frank Warth's appointment of Carlos Brito as patrol officer. Brito was one of four police officer applicants interviewed by trustees during a closed session of a special meeting Oct. 25.

Brito is certified through a program at Western New Mexico University in Silver City. He was recommended by Capitan police chief Tony Cano.

Trustees also approved a budget increase of \$3,025 to complete the fencing around the village constructed

wetlands. The total cost of the fencing project was \$23,025. Also trustees increased the budget for the wetlands by \$2,334 to close out the project. The money increases were transferred from other village funds.

The constructed wetlands are designed to treat waste water with a plant filtration process. Fencing around the wetlands is expected to be completed by this week.

Trustees postponed the appointment to the village planning and zoning commission.

Capitan village hall will have its annual Christmas Open House from 2-4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3. Everyone is welcome to stop by, have refreshments and visit with village staff and elected officials.

Capitan Schools Rate Well With State Education Team

by Doris Cherry

Capitan School District is an excellent school system, with an excellent staff team concluded the New Mexico State Department of Education (SDE) Accreditation team after their visit last week in Capitan.

Leading the school system is superintendent Dianna Sonnamaker, whom the accreditation team found to be flexible, involved, and a listener. In the four months since Sonnamaker has been at Capitan Schools, she has gained the respect of the staff, said accreditation team leader Syd Gould. "That will continue and you will have a school that will be a model for others to emulate," said Gould.

The team was at the school

to examine the district as part of the accreditation process. Based on the team's findings, which will be returned as a report to the school within 40 days, and the school's responses, the SDE will recommend the district's accreditation status in the summer of 1994. The State Board of Education will take action on the recommendation at that time.

Districts must be accredited to receive state funding, federal grants and for students' credits to be accepted at accredited schools.

For the evaluation process, Capitan Schools elected to follow Option A, or evaluation based on compliance with SDE standards and state laws. In the future, Gould said, all districts will be evaluated on the Option B, or the student outcome based approach. Gould said Capitan is on its way to that approach.

Gould was impressed with the cooperation between the teachers, who work as a team. And he was impressed to find teachers with lesson plan books open during class. "That's not an ordinary occurrence," Gould said. Some districts are getting pressure to remove the plan book.

Along with team leader Gould were Vicki Breen, who looked at basic instructional programs, Tricia Penn who evaluated the special education programs and Roscoe

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LEAVES FALL LIKE RAIN at Carrizozo's Spencer Park. Green leaves turned crispy after the Halloween snow and cold weather, and have begun to fall all over town, aided by autumn winds.

Ruidoso To Break Ground For MainStreet Project

by Doris Cherry

After four long years, Ruidoso mid-town area sidewalks and streets will get rebuilt.

Tuesday, Ruidoso mayor Jerry Shaw proclaimed Monday, Nov. 15, as MainStreet Ground Breaking Day which will serve as the kick-off for the project. At 10 a.m. Monday, councilors will don their hardhats and shovels to break ground for the project at Fenton's Art Gallery in mid-town.

Village deputy manager Alan Briley said the ground breaking will coordinate with the actual beginning of the work.

The 180-day project involves rebuilding of sidewalks and Sudderth Drive. Con-

struction will be done in eight small phases to minimize the impact on businesses. But the limited access, and potential hampering of the traffic flow, has some merchants in the area concerned for their businesses.

Councilor Joe Gomez said he got calls from some merchants about waiting until after Christmas. His reply was, "There's no good time." But the project was needed and he supported it.

Prior to the 10 a.m. ground breaking ceremony, councilors are invited to a breakfast, sponsored by MainStreet.

The public is invited to attend the ground breaking. Invitations are being sent to state dignitaries, and to former MainStreet director Mary Maul who was largely instru-

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FOS Officially Licensed To Market Smokey Bear Items

Smokey Bear's 50th anniversary celebration next year may open more economic development opportunities.

The manufacture, or marketing, of stuffed federally licensed Smokey Bear dolls is now open. Friends of Smokey (FOS), who met Monday in Capitan, learned that now no company is licensed to market the Smokey Bear dolls. A company out of Arizona which was formerly licensed to market the dolls recently stopped that venture.

Members saw this as a potential for someone to market the dolls, or create a cottage industry in the area to manufacture the stuffed Smokey Bears. A member was to get in touch with the marketing company for information about the dolls.

Smokey Bear Museum still has some of the stuffed Smokey Bear dolls for sale, reported museum curator Teresa Engelking.

FOS is now officially licensed to create and market Smokey Bear items. An application will be submitted to approve the newest FOS 1994 celebration t-shirt design.

Smokey Bear Museum is now the Capitan focal point for FOS, and next year's 50th celebration in Capitan. The museum phone numbers will be used in FOS publicity, and Engelking has agreed to provide information about the celebration events to callers. Chamber of commerce requests will be referred to the chamber corresponding secretary.

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Town Will Dedicate Veteran's Memorial

by Ruth Hammond

Carrizozo's City Hall Park, across the street from city hall, will be the scene of the dedication of the Veteran's Memorial today at 2 p.m. The

public is invited to attend.

Plans for the event were made by town trustees at the Carrizozo Town Council meeting Tuesday. Invited guest speakers will be survivors of the Bataan Death March,

heads of churches, Carrizozo Mayor Cecilia Kuhnle, and any veteran who wants to speak.

Building the Veteran's Memorial has been a goal of the town council and was accomplished through the efforts of town employees and donations of time and materials by local residents.

Trustees decided to dedicate the park this year and they want to add a bronze plaque to the memorial next year.

In other business during the council meeting trustees held a public hearing to receive comments about the recently completed street improvement project. Several people commented the streets look good and they liked the way the water drains.

Russell Griswold, a resident on 12th Street, told trustees he was concerned his driveway would "wash away" because the construction crew did not put gravel on it. They did put base course on the driveway.

Mayor Kuhnle told Griswold the record would show his comments. Kuhnle said she would talk to the engineer and the contractor to see if

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Margaret LaBelle, deputy clerk for the Town of Carrizozo, received her clerk certification after completing a three-year Clerk Certification course where she learned the details and duties of municipal clerks. Margaret and her husband Charlie and son Kyle live in Carrizozo.

Reminder

The Lincoln County News will publish a day early Thanksgiving week.

We ask that all copy for the Nov. 24 issue, including advertising, classified ads, letters, and articles PLEASE be in the NEWS office by 5:00 p.m. Monday, Nov. 22 or earlier.

Ruidoso MainStreet Project . . . (Continued from Page 1)

mental in the project's success. The village will solicit requests for proposals (rfp) for

lease of the hangar at Sierra Blanca Regional Airport. Former lessee Jim Franklin declined to renew the lease on the 6,800 square foot hangar.

Franklin provided a Federal Aviation Administration licensed aircraft mechanic at the hangar during his lease. In order to continue providing aircraft maintenance service at the airport, the rfp will include the maintenance services under the request's scope of work.

Councilors changed the proposed rfp to allow interested companies to lease up to 6,800 square feet, since some may not need all that space. The two-page rfp sets scope of work, rating criteria, proposal contents and formats for the

lease. The rfps will be sent to aircraft maintenance services and be advertised.

During discussion about the lease, councilors heard that the village, before Franklin, had a difficult time in obtaining aircraft maintenance services. Shi-Lo a company from Los Lunas had provided the services on a needed basis

before Franklin, but dropped the lease because there was not business.

Mayor Shaw said the airport is on the brink of improved business.

Also Tuesday, councilors approved the mayor's appointment of Bonnie Mattox to the village parks and recreation committee.

Ruidoso Sets Rules . . .

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Councilors gave their unanimous nod of approval to preliminary plans for a planned unit development (PUD) to be located east of Cree Meadows Country Club and golf course. Glenn Neans presented his preliminary plans for "Country Club Village" to the village planning and zoning commission. On Oct. 3, P&Z held a public hearing and recommended the council approve the preliminary plans, with a number of conditions. The preliminary plans were presented to the council during a workshop on Nov. 2.

Tuesday, Neans was on hand with his "Country Club Village" plans and artist renderings. Neans said he had complied with most of the conditions recommended by P&Z. However, he asked that the

village provide him a "variance" to the zoning ordinance and allow him to rough cut streets now. The ordinance requires approval of completed engineering plans for the streets and a bond posted to cover the costs in case the developer does not complete the project before actual work can begin.

Village planning director Cleatus Richards said that such a variance request is not addressed in the ordinance. And to grant the request would vary the procedure standards set by the ordinance. Village legal counsel John Underwood said that if the council grants the variance they will violate the ordinance.

Underwood said the procedure is to protect the village with bonding. Richards said varying the ordinance standards will require a change in the ordinance. That process will take more time than completing the engineering plans, he said.

Neans agreed to comply with the council's wishes. Underwood said Neans has fully cooperated with village requests, and had complied with most conditions set by P&Z.

"There's no problem, we'll proceed as you wish," Neans told the council.

Neans showed off the preliminary plans and artists renderings. He was especially proud of the 30 handicapped access townhouses.

The PUD will feature 79 townhouses and 15 apartments for 94 total units. Neans said the clubhouse will be constructed first to act as an office and sales office. The PUD will be surrounded with wrought iron security fence, include an outdoor recreation area, and will be restricted access.

Shaw thanked Neans for pointing out the area in the ordinance that prevents work to begin on developments that are not fully approved by the council. "As we do develop other areas and subdivisions we may want to look at that (the ordinance) and do something different in the future," Shaw said.

Councilors also unanimously approved a P&Z recommendation to grant a vacation of right of way for Debra Gonzales and David Warner on San Miguel Drive. Their deck and steps extended into the public right of way. The applicants agreed to pay the village 50 cents a square foot for the area vacated for a total of \$203.35. And all utility companies agreed to the vacation.

In other business, councilors approved an agreement with the County of Lincoln, in which the county agrees to provide \$2,500 to the Ruidoso Care Inc. for the meal care program.



WINNER OF SEVERAL COMPETITIONS, bulldog named Bur-ley's Garth Brooks Rojo Bono is shown with (from left) judge Mrs. R.S. Forsythe, and owners Brenda Monreal of Carrizozo and Nancy Geron. The bulldog was named winners dog, best of winners at Lubbock, TX Sept. 30 and again Oct. 10 in Santa Fe, best of breed group 4 in Alamogordo Oct. 15, best of breed group 2 in Roswell Oct. 16, and best of breed group 4 in Las Cruces Nov. 18.

Veteran's Memorial . . .

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there were any plans to do anything else to the driveway.

Police chief Charlie White asked for permission to place a stop sign at the corner of 14th Street where it intersects with E Avenue. He said there have been several near-misses at the corner and he felt a stop sign would help the situation.

Resolution 93-10 was approved to move \$2,000 from the water department line item to the audit line item.

Trustees discussed the two bids received in July for repairing the roof on the municipal airport building. They considered advertising for bids for the project but decided the work should be completed before "bad weather" and voted to accept the low bid submitted by Ned's Plumbing & Remodeling. Trustee Patsy Vallejos cast a nay vote.

The town will pay for the roof repairs. Half the cost will be reimbursed to the town through a grant from the state aviation.

Janice Christopherson was appointed to serve on the Carrizozo Lodger's Tax Committee to fill the position vacated by Dave Vermilion when he resigned.

Changes were made in the town policy on retention of the tape recordings of the meetings. A clean copy will be presented at the next council meeting for final acceptance.

Action on the draft joint powers agreement between the town and the Lincoln County Jail was tabled. White said he wanted to present the draft at a county commission meeting.

Trustee Harold Garcia asked that the town mark parking spaces in the newly created potential parking lot

at the corner of B Street and 8th Street across from the new gym. He also wanted signs installed to help protect the private property near the parking lot.

The town Christmas party will be held Thursday, Dec. 15 from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The town will apply for a hardship grant from the state, to pave streets that do not qualify for CDBG funding.

After a closed session it was announced the town attorney will be invited to attend the next council meeting to discuss contractual agreements.

Everett Greer

A fund has been established at United New Mexico Bank in Carrizozo to help defray the medical costs, for Everett Greer of Nogal.

Everett was hospitalized Oct. 10 at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. He was transferred to Presbyterian Hospital in Albuquerque Oct. 12.

Everett is doing better and hopes to be transferred to a hospital closer to home soon.

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Lincoln County AARP To Elect New Officers

The annual meeting of the Lincoln County Chapter #4512 of AARP, Inc. will be held Nov. 16 at 10 a.m. at the Ruidoso Woman's Club. Included in the business meeting will be the election of officers for 1994 and annual reports by 1993 officers and committee chairmen.

Patricia Johnson, associate state director of AARP, will be the installing officer, assisted by Charlotte C. Jarratt, district director. A covered dish luncheon will follow at noon.

Members are asked to bring vegetables, salads, or desserts to go with turkey and dressing which will be prepared by the hostesses.

Membership in the Lincoln County chapter has increased by 106 new members in 1993. The district director and members of the chapter have been instrumental in helping organize an Educational Retirees Association in Lincoln County. Doyle Howell is serving as interim chairman.

Lincoln County Receives Keep NM Beautiful Award

Lincoln County, encompassing Carrizozo, Capitan, Ruidoso, and Fort Stanton took honors in a special recognition category at the awards luncheon and annual meeting of Keep New Mexico Beautiful, Inc. on Oct. 23.

The city of Santa Fe lead New Mexico communities and captured the award of excellence for their outstanding program during the 1992-93 year. Other communities receiving awards of merit were Carlsbad, Farmington, Clovis and Albuquerque. The city of Las Vegas program under the direction of Beautification Coordinator Della Gonzales was awarded an honorable mention.

Other awards: Organization award to Meadow Lark Senior Citizens Center in Rio Rancho, Honorable mention to Moriarty's Rotary Club for tree planting, U.S. West received the business and industry award for their telephone book drives, Bosque Farms and Rio Rancho received the recycling awards, special award to the city of Roswell and to Caballo State Park,

and individual awards to Kirk Wesseling of Rio Rancho, Charles Cobos of Roswell, Lenore Pena of Belen, Johnnye Hammett of Hatch, Colonel William and Bettie Harris, and the president's award went to Davy Hayduk of Santa Fe.

RC&D To Meet In Cloudcroft Next Tuesday

The South Council will meet Tuesday, Nov. 16 at the US Forest Service Cloudcroft District Ranger Office at 10 a.m.

Agenda items include discussion of trails to trails, recycling proposal, noxious weed program, rural development program, progress report and next year's annual plan of work.

The public is invited to attend the meeting.

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THE WEDDING OF Diana Rae Gillis and Brent Andrew Sultemeier will be held Nov. 20 at 1 p.m. in the Corona Presbyterian Church. A reception following the wedding will be held in the Corona Recreation Room. Diana is a 1978 graduate of Las Cruces High School and is self employed. Her parents are Donald and Bonnie Gillis of Hatch. Brent is a 1981 graduate of Corona High School and works for the Lincoln County Road Department. His parents are Melvin and Kay Sultemeier of Corona. The couple plan a honeymoon trip to Colorado.

White Mountain Search & Rescue To Meet Monday

White Mountain Search and Rescue will hold annual elections at their regular meeting Nov. 15 at 7 p.m. in the Ruidoso High School public meeting room. The new officers will be installed on Dec. 11. All WMSAR members are encouraged to attend the meeting.

In addition to the elections, Major Carter Duke of Holloman AFB will conduct a short critique of the recent practice search conducted by HAFB in which WMSAR participated. He will also have a video of the search.

Melinda Headley and Cleston Fritsch will conduct a critique of the two-day

search mission for a missing hunter near Cougar Mt. west of Corona. This successful mission involved six state agencies including the 542nd Air training Command from Kirkland AFB, 40 searchers from the United World College in Montezuma, NM, members from trauma team, and White Mountain SAR.

WMSAR members Kim Arnold, Melinda Headley, Kathy and David Travis, Marion and Ed Fleck, and Poncho Smith, USFS, distributed more than 1,000 PSAR brochures to hunters during he past two weeks. The PSAR (Preventive Search and Rescue) brochures have been distributed for the past two years in the hope they would lower the number of lost hunters in Lincoln County. Officials have seen a significant drop in lost hunters during this period.

WSMAR invites new or potential members to attend the Nov. 15 meeting. New training classes in search and rescue will begin soon. Members are needed as ground pounders, base camp operations, and stay-at-home call-out persons. For more information call 257-4006.

Angus Association Announces Rasak Is Enrolled In Program

Gerald Rasak, of Corona has recently been enrolled in the Angus Herd Improvement Records program of the American Angus Association, reports Richard L. "Dick" Spader, executive vice-president of the national breed registry organization in St. Joseph Missouri.

Angus Herd Improvement Records (AHIR) is a comprehensive evaluation program used by registered Angus breeders to help them keep records of reproduction, and growth rate on individual animals. Each year hundreds of Angus breeders use AHIR records to produce more profitable, efficient Angus seedstock.

By weighing calves at 205 days of age and again at a year of age, breeders not only identify the cattle that grow the fastest and most efficiently, they also identify cows that regularly produce above average calves, and bulls that sire outstanding calves.

The American Angus Association in 1957 was the first beef breed organization to offer its members a production records program. Since that date the AHIR program has grown to the point that breeders report over 300,000 birth, weaning and yearling weights each year.

Free Immunization Clinic At Capitan School Monday

The Alice King/Lovelace Immunization Program, the first statewide public/private partnership of its kind, will be in Capitan at the elementary school from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 15.

Parents must accompany their children and are asked to bring their shot records with them to the event. Parents wanting more information should call the Capitan school nurse or school superintendent.

Early childhood immunization is a cost-effective disease prevention measure that works. The federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates fewer than half of the nation's children younger than two years get all recommended vaccinations to protect them against serious, sometimes deadly diseases such as measles, mumps,

tetanus, polio, whooping cough and rubella.

Parents of children in rural areas often have difficulty accessing services at clinics or doctor offices during traditional hours. The free immunization program on Nov. 15 is to encourage parents to participate and to make the visit of the immunization van a significant event.

Piano Recital To Be Held At Baptist Church

A fall piano recital will be held Sunday, Nov. 21 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Carrizozo.

Students performing will be Emily Armstrong, Cara Baker, Adrian Goad, Briton Goad, Mollie Hightower, Melissa Nava, Jessica Rase, Robert Shafer, and Keri Shafer.

The public is invited to attend.

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BARBED WIRE
Looking Through The Fence

- I Hope Its Milk -

By MICHAEL MCKIM SWICKARD
Lincoln County News Columnist

I was at a small gas station in the middle of the great American desert one hot sunny day. I had retrieved a lost and forgotten bolt left on the road.

How a piece of steel, which was forged in Pittsburgh and then came to be lying on a lonely road in the middle of the desert made for interesting meditation.

Unfortunately I had retrieved it with the left front tire of my car, so I was watching with mild interest as the owner of the only gas station in town wrestled the tire off of my car amid a running ramble of conversation.

The sign said, Jake's Gas and Repair. Jake was busy on my tire. "Sure is hot," I commented to him.

"Yep, sure enough is," Jake agreed.

"I imagine you are used to it by now," I commented.

"Accustomed and accepting, but never say I'm used to it," he corrected me. "Now if you think this is hot, you should have seen how hot it got one day," he continued.

"When was that?" I asked.

"With a wave of his hand he explained, "That silver truck over there made me think of my hottest time."

I squinted across the shimmering road at a sunshine bright long silver milk carrier. It was parked in front the town's only cafe.

"I used to work on the railroad as an engineer before I retired and bought this gas station."

He worked and talked patiently with well spaced pauses in both activities. "Working as a railroad engineer, now that is hot work," he paused to mop his forehead with his sleeve, which left a streak of grease.

"Diesels was a mite bit hot when it was freezing outside and boiling at all other times. Actually," he said, "Being an engineer isn't all the fun that some people think it is. In fact at times it gets to be downright dull."

He handed me the bolt he had just pulled out of the tire without comment and started to fix the hole. Every so often as he talked he reached under the bench next to him for his bottle of half-drunk beverage.

Taking a long swallow he said, "One time I was taking a load of box cars up through some mountains when I came around a hill and up the tracks in front of me, where I had no chance to stop, I saw a long silver tube shaped Semi truck setting dead across the tracks and not moving."

He did a good imitation of a windmill turned loose in a high wind as he described, "Well, I pulled the horn, set the brakes and kinda leaned back against the seat and then I said to myself, 'I hope its milk, I hope its milk.'"

Jake consulted the bottle again so I asked, "What happened then?"

"I'll tell you, I stuck my head out the window again and looking closer at the truck I realized Shell didn't carry milk. Lucky for me the gas didn't catch until after the engine was through. Sure enough was hot when it caught, though."

My car came off the rack and Jake made change from my twenty dollar bill. He was still thinking about that time.

As I got in my car to drive away we both looked at the milk truck again. "You know," he said meditatively, "I don't have any use for milk, seeing how I drink my coffee black, but at times I sure wonder what it would have been like if that had been a milk truck instead of a Shell gasoline carrier."

He added, "I believe I could have gotten to like milk." MS



Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—The Legislature's interim tax panel isn't likely to recommend a repeal of the new six-cent gasoline tax.

The Revenue Stabilization, Tax Policy, Telecommunications and Business Development Committee didn't have the gas tax on its agenda at last week's meeting in Albuquerque, but the subject was a part of the discussion of numerous items during the group's three-day session.

Although the tax committee talked often of a \$50 million to \$60 million tax cut, it seemed quite happy with the gas tax staying just as it is.

Gasoline distributors were present at the second day of meetings to request elimination of the requirement that they post a bond to guarantee payment of special fuels excise taxes. Committee members seemed impressed with arguments that distributors of propane, butane and diesel fuel are also major gasoline distributors and not likely to default on excise tax payments.

But then the subject of the six-cent gasoline tax arose and the panel's mood changed. Committee chairman Jerry Sandel of Farmington asked distributors if they could guarantee a six-cent gas tax cut would produce a corresponding decrease in the price New Mexico consumers pay for a gallon of gasoline.

No one was willing to make such a commitment. "Supply, demand, and competition" determine the price of gasoline, the committee was told. Panel members seemed relieved at hearing an explanation of gas pricing they could understand instead of the convoluted explanations they had received in past investigations of the vagaries of gasoline pricing.

But it didn't make most committee members any happier with attempts to repeal the gas tax. Sandel led oil industry representatives through a line of questioning that ended with the acknowledgement that eliminating the new gas tax could mean that a reduction of \$50 million in state revenue might not put a cent more in New Mexico consumers' pockets.

Representatives of the Association of Commerce and Industry also came in for criticism from panelists for a recent survey of ACI members conducted by the organization. ACI representatives reported their members overwhelmingly want a repeal of the 1993 Legislature's gas tax increase.

Sandel asked ACI what other tax cuts its members likely would support. When

the answer was that the business community would like to see any taxes cut, Sandel asked why only the gas tax cut was put on the survey. Association representatives finally agreed they should do another survey.

Gov. Bruce King also came in for criticism from the committee for his agreement to a gas tax rollback. Taxation and Revenue Department Secretary Dick Minzner was called before the panel to suggest other tax cuts that would make the state's revenue collection system more equitable.

Minzner suggested numerous tax cuts that would "make this legislature look very good." But when asked which cuts he would recommend, he stuck with the gas tax. When asked why, Minzner responded, "My position is amazingly similar to the governor's."

Many of Minzner's recommended cuts were to the state income tax. He explained that the tax works as a good "balance wheel" to address increases or decreases in reve-

nue administrative hassle, he told the panel.

A feature of the income tax that committee members especially liked was that income tax cuts benefit only New Mexicans, whereas more than 20 percent of a gasoline tax cut and 82 percent of a diesel fuel tax cut goes to out of staters.

One of the income tax cuts suggested by Minzner was the marriage tax penalty that occurs when both spouses work. Because of New Mexico's highly graduated income tax brackets, the combination of two incomes often will put couples into a higher bracket.

Minzner's chief tax researcher, Laird Graesser, called the marriage tax penalty "anti-family" since it can discourage couples from marrying.

"I admit the last refuge of a scoundrel is to argue taxes to avoid marriage," Graesser told the committee, while revealing his own guilt. "We save \$1,000," he said.

BLM Asks For Comments About Animal Damage Control Activities

The Bureau of Land Management's Roswell District is asking for comments on the Environmental Assessment (EA) covering Animal Damage Control (ADC) activities on BLM managed lands in the district.

The EA analyzes the proposal, potential impacts and proposed mitigation of the ADC program, which is a U.S. Department of Agriculture program managed by the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS). The EA is available for review

at the Roswell District Office, 1717 W. Second, Roswell, N.M.

A thirty-day comment period for the EA ends on December 6, 1993 and those wishing to comment are encouraged to submit their statements to BLM no later than that date. Comments should be addressed to: BLM, Roswell District, 1717 W. Second, Roswell, NM 88201.

For further information, contact Larry LaPlant at the Roswell District Office by calling 827-0272.

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The Other Side

By OWEN RUSSELL

I am beginning to develop some thoughts on the concept of the "Fascism of the Feminist Movement", but I think the subject may be too complicated for this type of column.

This subject is one of those bottomless pits where the mere process of explaining your premises can alienate part of your readers. That in one sense is good because it makes you consider your premises more carefully, but in another sense, the risk is there of your reader attaching to one of the premises he/she doesn't agree with and falling to listen to the rest of your argument, no matter how good or bad it may be. Although what I really want to discuss is the methods and not the merits of the subject, I probably better leave well enough alone because I may have a vested interest somewhere. (End of fragmentary discussion)

I have noticed some difficulty in the use of hypothetical pronouns these days when dealing with issues which can be either masculine or feminine. We have "it" but the term is too general since it (sic) can refer to either gender or to no gender at all. When we use "he", we are accused of eliminating half of the population, including that portion who think the word should be "she", which suffers from the same affliction. What this world needs is a gender-non-specific collective singular hypothetical pronoun, and to that end, I hereby, by the power vested in me in my status of having possession of the writing implement of choice, adopt the word "heshe" and declare that henceforth its use shall prevail in all discussions, public or private. I considered adopting "shehe" but it kept sliding into an expletive form.

Don't get the idea that I'm just picking on the feminists when I refer to them as fascist. We are in one of our more reactionary periods in history, and the attitude of repression stretches throughout our society. We (collectively) are outraged over crime, drug use, violence in the media, pollution, and a host of other problems, and our reaction is too often designed to suppress the problem rather than attempt to understand it.

What started me out on this? I don't know. It must have been something I et. Or maybe it was several articles in the newspapers I have read lately. Or maybe it was just a bad attitude on my part. Or maybe it was no reason at all. (I would say "quien sabe" but I don't have one of those upside down question marks on my machine.) At any rate, the trial of the man whose wife chopped off his pre-reproductive appendage, which has some elements of the feminist community applauding and an advertisement soliciting support for a boycott against television sponsors who support violent programs probably had something to do with it.

These two stories alone point out one of the conflicts in society that needs a resolution. How can we avoid violence on television when we also applaud and encourage it?

Why are many television programs so centered on violent behavior? The only motivation for programming is the attraction of as broad an audience as possible, and program executives have found that more people watch those programs that contain something exciting, and excitement seems to be related to violent behavior. Next question, why



RE: What the Bible has to say...about Music in the Church

EDITOR—Jesus Christ instituted the Church, however, he did not authorize or unauthorize music in the Church. People who are lazy in their theology tend to set limits on God and what they think he has authorized or not authorized. The order of Church was implemented by the Apostles and disciples of Christ after Pentecost. Jesus only gives two commandments in the New Testament and neither one has to do with music in the Church. The problem with some of our churches is that they are more carried away with trying to prove that they are the only true Church with the only true doctrine and only true interpretation rather than trying to emulate the life of Jesus. It would behoove some of our fundamentalist Christian brothers to read what Psalms has to say about music.

- 1. Psalms 150: verses 3-5, King James Version
- 2. "Praise him with the sound of the trumpet; Praise him with the praltery and harp"
- 4. "Praise him with the timbrel and dance; praise him with stringed instruments and organs"
- 5. "Praise him upon high sounding cymbals; Praise him upon the loud cymbals"

One reason Christians go to church is to praise God and this is one way to praise God because it is authorized in the Bible.

HAROLD EPPERSON,
Carrizozo, NM.

EDITOR—Boy! Am I confused from reading the Nov. 4 Lincoln County paper. A few weeks ago the Commissioners couldn't spend money fast enough. We had to buy the Super Select Sales Barn. Then I get Nov. 4 paper and we are going to have to raise taxes just to maintain the current level of services for the citizens. Which way is it Commissioner Howell?

It looks like I didn't get my point across about this county and the people who live on the ranches within Lincoln County. Commissioner, this is a BIG county. Bill Cupit does what he can to maintain county roads. But when you cut his budget, he has to cut road maintenance. I don't know what

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CALENDAR

THURSDAYS

—Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. at Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo every Thursday.
TODAY, THURSDAY, NOV. 11

—Veteran's Day. Banks, post offices, and village halls to be closed.

—Carrizozo Veteran's Memorial will be dedicated at 2 p.m. in the park across from Town Hall.

—Capitan Board of Education has postponed its meeting until 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 19 to allow board members to attend the state volleyball tournament in Roswell.

—Lincoln County Democrats will meet at 6 p.m. at K-Bob's Restaurant in Ruidoso. State Rep. John Underwood and county commissioner L. Ray Nunley will speak. Reports will be given on the recent Democratic meeting and art show in Washington D.C. and on the state central committee meeting in Las Cruces Oct. 30.

—Carrizozo Woman's Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the club building. Guest speaker Diane Turner will present "Operation Smile."

FRIDAY, NOV. 12

—Lincoln County courthouse offices will be closed for Veteran's Day.

—Health Fair continues in Carrizozo, at the old high school gym from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and at Sierra Mall in Ruidoso from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

MONDAY, NOV. 15

—Ruidoso Main Street invites everyone to its project ground breaking at 10 a.m. at Fenton's Gallery at 2627 Sud-derth Drive in mid-town.

—Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority meets at 10 a.m. at the LCSWA recycling center in Ruidoso Downs. Items on the agenda include a request from Eagle Creek Summer Home Association; manager's report; landfill budget and equipment bids; presentation of Keep New Mexico/America Beautiful Award to the board; financial statements; bill for professional services; county billing. The public is invited to attend the meeting.

—The ENMU Community Choir, under the direction of Danny Flores, will present a free concert at 7:30 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church on D. Ave. in Carrizozo. There is no admission. Eva Zumwalt, Michael Murphy and Paula Arriaga will be featured soloists. For more information about enrolling in the ENMU music course call 1-800-934-3668.

TUESDAY, NOV. 16

—Lincoln County Chapter #4512 of AARP, Inc. will hold its annual meeting at 10 a.m. at the Ruidoso Woman's Club, 111 S. Evergreen. There will be an election of officers, and annual reports by 1993 officers and committee chairpersons. Patricia Johnson, Associate State Director of AARP will be installing officer, assisted by Charlotte C. Jarratt, District Director, New Mexico. A covered dish luncheon will follow.

—Carrizozo Board of Education meets at 6 p.m. in the school administration building. Items on the agenda include SB-9 and Bond update; district report card; course descriptions; bond elections; auction; T&E resolution; principals reports. The public is invited to attend.

THURSDAY, NOV. 18

—Capitan Board of Education will hold its regular meeting at 7 p.m. in the school library.

—Carrizozo Girls Basketball Booster Club is making tamales to raise money for uniforms. Tamales will be available at 7 p.m. today, at the school cafeteria. Place orders by calling Eileen Lovelace at 648-2975 or by contacting players.

OTHER SIDE

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do people find violence to be exciting? When you get home tonight and tune in Beavis and Butthead so you can empathize with their reaction to events after having spent the day fighting traffic, listening to the boss complain, arguing with customers who want services you don't want to provide, remembering your outrage at the file clerk down the hall who ate the last donut, and finding that threat-

ening letter from the collection company in your mailbox, you may begin to understand. Violence on television is a vicarious outlet for the pressures we experience in daily life, and if we wanted some other method of exhausting our frustrations, we could develop it. Of course, we will have to erase the history of hesheskind and develop new theories of appropriate responses, but what else is new?

Letters

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map you were using to say we have 28.9 miles of county road, because we don't have that many Commissioner Howell. It's not just roads in the Corona area, it's county roads any where on the edge of the county. Ask Mutt Shanks on the east side of the county. I didn't know that in order to have county roads maintained by the county, you had to have school children. With that thought, why not exempt those ranches without school children from paying taxes. That would reduce the county's income. They receive no benefit from those tax monies, anyway. But, you know what Commissioner Howell, Roadrunner Ranch would not qualify for this exemption, because two of those children you talked about live here at the headquarters.

It is only 27 miles to Vaughn and 42 miles to Corona thru the ranch. Over 70 miles the way Corona wanted them to go and meet the bus at Ramon. So where would you send your children in this case? These miles are one way. There is one child on the south end of Roadrunner that does go to school in Corona and travels five miles to catch the bus and NONE of the five miles is county road and never will be.

Two points, Commissioner:

1. Lincoln County is BIG—and people live all over it and pay taxes.

2. Let's all work together to make it better for every citizen. If we don't, the BLM will own all of the south end of the county. They want our water and rivers. I hope there is no doubt about that now!

My invitation still stands for any or all of your Commissioners to visit this end of the county. So far I have had no takers.

BILL C. HAYS,
Yeso, NM.

P.S. If you just have to spend some money, I bet we could find you a BL sheep ranch here in the county to buy. That would take care of the extra money in a hurry and for a long time.

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CAPITAN NOTES

By MAUREEN SULLIVAN

Greetings from my house by the side of the road to your house!

Here is another chapter from "Wagon John's" Journal: "We pulled out of Flagstaff after a nice seven day visit and rest stop with Richard Peterson and his family. Richard helped me with my winter shopping which was most appreciated."

So we packed supplies for five days and head south. I carry everything for myself and horses, except water for the horses.

At Happy Jack, we cut across country and hit the 300 rim trail. First day on this short-cut a young cow-yearling standing in the brush not six feet from trail, spooked my saddle horse, "Sugar Foot" and she went up and over and came down on top of me -- hurt my right shoulder, but nothing broke. We continue on, at a more careful pace. Second day we hit the 1990 burn that took 28,000 acres and six lives. For the better part of a day we rode through it. Everything was black and dead. And God only knows how many animals were killed.

Four days later I pull into Show-Low for a three day rest and on to Springerville, AZ, for a rest and re-shoeing.

I frequently camp at Rodeo Grounds -- it's usually close to town and has water and corals. I was working on a horse second day when I heard a

voice and looked up. There's this hombre with a cowboy hat and a bull riding buckle by the name of Chad Beeson and he was a real horseman. Later, I met two friends, Ethan and his sister Mariah. They were my companions for a week and really helped me a lot. Oh, I'd like to add -- they were all about 12 years old. Upon my leaving I received gifts from each of them, which will go on my covered wagon when I get back to Mesquite, Nevada -- and by the way -- I'm on this 5,000 mile "Joy Ride" to buy four mules to pull my wagon. You see I'm a retired medical United States Marine Corps alcoholic with over nine years sobriety and I like mules. I don't like freeways.

So after three AA meetings I head out and in four days pulled up at Magdalena for a nice rest. Here I met a fine gentleman by the name of Joseph Kosata and four of the happiest dogs I've ever met. Joe was a real treat -- as he helped me pass the time and made my trip a real pleasure.

First day out we covered 27 miles to reach Socorro, met lots of nice people and visited the Mining School. Four camps later I am in Capitan enjoying some good food at Smokey Bear Restaurant and some good people like Burr Vanderwart, a local farrier, who is helping me shoe-up.

I need to move on as it is beginning to snow. I hope to make it to Roswell soon and

will be back in six months with four mules, God willing.

Be especially nice to the old folks and kids -- and look for me.

Your Friend,
Wagon John

Before I go any further N.E. Britton is leaving for Lubbock, Texas where he is going to have a hip replacement. I am sure he would enjoy hearing from you folks that he has known for so long. He will be staying with his son Carlton before and after his surgery. Here is the address: N.E. Britton, % Carlton Britton, 4509 18th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79416.

Thanks to Maxine Wright I have a copy of "A History of Lincoln County Post Offices." There is folk lore and tales about people and postmasters in early southeastern New Mexico. It is so interesting, thought I would pass it on to you, a bit at a time!

(This is taken from the 1913 Lincoln County, New Mexico Yearbook published at Carrizozo by the late John A. Haley.)

Lincoln County
Lincoln County was created by an act of the Territorial Legislature in 1869, and was not, therefore, one of the original nine counties in the organization of the Territory after it had been acquired from Mexico. It was one of the first created, however, after the organization of the Territory, and at the same time the largest. Soon after it's organization the county seat was established at Lincoln, then known as the Bonito Plaza. There the seat of government remained until 1909, at which time the county seat was changed to Carrizozo where all courts have since been held and where a new courthouse and jail have been completed.

Originally, Lincoln County covered all the southeastern part of the Territory -- about one-fifth of its total area. Three entire counties - Chaves, Eddy and Roosevelt, have been carved out of its former territory, and four other counties - Curry, Guadalupe, Otero and Torrance - contain a portion of its first area. Lincoln County now occupies a position a little south and east of the

south center of New Mexico, and is bounded as follows: On the north by Torrance and Guadalupe Counties, on the east by Chaves County, on the south by Chaves and Otero Counties and on the west by Socorro County.

It has an area of 4,669 square miles, approximately 3,000,000 acres, of which about 1,250,000 acres are subject to homestead entry. A considerable portion of its area is classed as mineral land and more than half a million acres lie in the Lincoln National Forest, which covers the central part of the County - its mountain ranges. Lands may be homesteaded in the reserve, when shown to be agricultural, and many settlers now reside within its boundaries.

Next week, we will begin with the history of Fort Stanton post office:

Bessie Jones, Elaine Beaudry, Edith Malcolm, Alice Phelps, Mollie Mason, and Jo Blazer represented Capitan Extension Home Makers Club at the Lincoln County Extension Home Makers Council meeting held in Corona on Nov. 1. Capitan should be proud of this group of talented, capable and industrious ladies. (And Mollie, please forgive all the times I misspelled your name. OK.)

This is a profile of Frances Shaw who was the postmistress, excuse me, postmaster, before Maxine Wright, who we profiled last week. I hope you are enjoying reading these profiles as much as I am enjoying reading and writing them.

Sometime during the year of 1915 my family visited my uncle and his family on their sheep ranch at Corona. I'm sure my dad had in his mind that he would like to settle in this part of the country. We returned to Texas, he sold the farm and then bought a small ranch north of Capitan. We moved to this ranch in November of 1916.

In December of 1930, shortly after being married, I was offered a part-time job in the Capitan Post Office. George A. Tittsworth was postmaster, but had a clerk, Bloys Hobbs, who ran the office for him. She was very efficient and I got the best possible training in post office work as well as many other things. She and her husband became one of the dearest friends ever to me, my husband, and to my children, Jeff and Diane. In later years, I worked this job part time for \$2 per day for about two years. I was working so little I decided to quit.

Postmasters in those days were made by political appointment and in 1933, with a new president in office. Mr. Tittsworth was replaced when Helen M. Sears was appointed postmaster. I met Mrs. Sears on the street shortly before she took the office over and she asked me if I would work for her. I started in October of 1933. About mid-December we moved the office to the building where LaMoynne Carpenter now has his real estate office. The Sears lived in the building next door.

My pay was \$72.00 per month with no benefits. The office separated mail for Alto and was allowed \$7 per month for this service. The postmaster allowed me, as clerk, to have that fee. Mrs. Sears' salary was around \$1,800.00 per year and she had annual and sick leave.

I worked until December 31, 1941. During those years, I moved to Fort Stanton and drove to and from work. WE received mail each morning about 9 a.m. and about 4 p.m. seven days a week. On Sundays and holidays we only stayed open until about 11 a.m. but had to be back to meet the 4 p.m. bus. After quitting this job, I did not return to work until 1954.

The Fort Stanton Postmaster, C.A. Terrell, was killed in an automobile accident in the area of Haley Hill. The post office clerk, Joe Hobbs, was placed in charge of the Fort Stanton office and he asked if I would help him. So once again I went to work on a part-time basis. Mr. M.J. Price was later appointed postmaster of the Fort Stanton office and Joe Hobbs returned as the clerk, so for a time I was not needed. Mr. Hobbs' hours were not many and he soon left for other employment and once again I returned to work at the Ft. Stanton office.

Mr. Price became ill and died in 1955. I served as acting postmaster until I was appointed postmaster and served in that capacity until May 15, 1964 when I was transferred to the Capitan Post Office as postmaster and remained there until I retired on Sept. 27, 1974. I retired with 27 years of service.

I've lived in Capitan these many years where I expect to remain the rest of my life. I'm happy to be here and like to serve the community as I can.

Thank you Frances, it has been a pleasure to know you these past 11 years, and especially a pleasure to have you share your post office experience with our readers. I am certain they will appreciate hearing about the beginning years of the Capitan Post Office. Next week will have the history of the Capitan Post Office itself to give you. (So don't go away!)

Wayne Magnone reached the big 50th birthday, Nov. 1, and was surprised by another "biggie". A surprise birthday party was held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Magnone, in Capitan. His Mom and Dad were assisted by his wife Janice, daughter Michelle and Denise Zamora, her husband Michael and children Ashley and Michael Zamora Jr., all of Carrizozo. Unable to attend the festivities were his eldest daughter,

Renee Tomlinson and his brother Michael Magnone of California. Guests sharing the happiness were Andy and Ray Purecella, Joe and Glenneth Shafer, Maggie and Erna Trujillo, Gordon and Nina Ross, Larry and Maxine Shelby, Joe Barnett, and Elaine Beaudry, all of Capitan. Guests from Carrizozo were Ann Beltran, Chuck Hawkins, BoBo Sedillo, Peter Morales, Bonafacio Zamora, Sonja Zamora, Ruben Zamora Jr., and James Verdugo. Wayne, I hate to tell you this, but every birthday from now on will go twice as fast as the first 50. Just no way to stop them. I've tried! Time simply refuses to stand still. So make the most and the best of each and everyone of them.

Bennie and Carol Peterson just returned from Austin, Texas, where they spent five days and five nights relaxing and enjoying the beautiful city of Austin. Carol's sister, Gemma Martinez, came from Clovis to stay with Kelli, Stephanie and Christie. This was Carol's first visit to Austin and she really enjoyed the sights and the restaurants. It was cold and rainy, but they had a good time anyway. Bennie moved to Capitan in 1989 and Carol moved in 1988. Carol says big cities are great, but a small community is calmer and quieter. Carol moved here with her three daughters from Hereford, Texas. Her parents, Tom and Alice Martinez, lived in Capitan then, but Alice became ill with cancer and they decided to move closer to doctors who could take care of her chemotherapy and radiation. Tom and Alice, along with Gemma and Michelle, now reside in Clovis and Alice has been cancer free for almost three years. Bennie and Carol have made a lot of good friends and they think there are a lot of GOOD PEOPLE here. They are very happy to live and have a business in Capitan. (And we, in Capitan, are very happy to have you, aren't we folks?)

Just crossing the street from your store, a Capitan motorist stopped me to tell me how much he enjoyed "Our Capitan Column" and wished the paper came out twice a (SEE PAGE 7)

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Capitan Notes

(Continued from Page 6)

week instead of once. How's that for a compliment? If people are enjoying it, it's all due to the wonderful cooperation and input you nice people in Capitan are giving me. Like I wrote before, this is your newspaper and we want your comings and your goings, your doings and your in-betweens. Everyone is interested in what other folks are about and what they are doing.

TAKE TIME

Take time to THINK, it is the source of Power.

Take time to PLAY, It is the secret of perpetual youth....

Take time to READ, It is the fountain of wisdom....

Take time to PRAY, It is the greatest power on earth....

Take time to LOVE AND BE LOVED....

It is a God-Given privilege....

Take time to be FRIENDLY....

It is the road to HAPPINESS

Take time to LAUGH....

It is the music of the soul....

Take time to GIVE....

It is too short a day to be selfish....

Take time to WORK....

It is the price of SUCCESS....

Take time to DO CHARITY....

It is the Key to Heaven.

Remember the Lord gave us wrinkles to remind us of where our smiles used to be!

Next week we will profile Dorothy Guck. Most of you know what a tremendous lady she is and what an asset she has been for all of Lincoln County.

Just heard that Cody Wilson won second in the team roping event at Cheyenne, Wyoming. Will try to get more

information regarding this event for you later.

Gwendolyn Facciano, beautiful baby daughter of Andy B. and Ruth Davey Facciano was baptized at San Juan Episcopal Church in Lincoln, Sunday, November 7. Grandparents of this beautiful child are Rev. Jan Davey, who officiated at the baptism and her husband Bill Davey. Gwendolyn also has a handsome older brother, named Gareth where he resides with his family in Tucson. Marilyn Page of Albuquerque was the godmother for Gwendolyn. Also present at the Baptismal Service were Jane Davey-Birmingham of Los Angeles, daughter of Rev. Jan and Bill Davey. Other out-of-town guests were Dan and Carrie Bowen and Patrick Hutton of Albuquerque. There were a large number of church members and friends, who also attended and all were delightfully entertained at the Daweys' beautiful home in Loma Grande Estates at a morning brunch (more like a banquet. I ate so much was almost ashamed of myself, not quite though.) The Daveys are charming hosts and just being in their company for a short time is indeed a "round of pleasure." Incidentally, I have never seen a more beautiful little baby girl and such a perfectly, delightful one. When the water was poured on her little head during the Baptism, she did not utter a sound, just looked up and smiled. Unbelievable, when most infants protest unashamedly.

And from my house by the side of the road to your house, for this week, adios, and have a great week.

Remember try a little kindness—'Tis good for the soul.



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Congratulations to the Grizzly football and volleyball athletes and coaches on their seasons . . .



and wishing the best to our basketball teams in the upcoming season . . .
GOOD LUCK!!

Local Students Included In Who's Who 92-93

A total of nine students from this area are included in the 27th Annual Edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1992-93.

Who's Who, published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois, is the largest high school recognition publication in the country. Students are nominated by high school principals and guidance counselors, national youth groups, churches or by the publishing company based upon students' performance in scholarship award contests or extracurricular activities.

Final selection is determined on the basis of criteria which include high achievement in academic and leadership in school activities, athletics or community service. Traditionally, 99% of Who's Who students have a grade point average of 'B' or better and 97% are college bound.

The 27th edition of Who's Who, published in 16 regional volumes, features nearly

725,000 students or just over 5% of the nation's 12,000,000 high school students. They represent approximately 15,000 of the 22,000 public, private and parochial high schools in the country.

Who's Who students also compete for \$125,000 in scholarship awards and participate in the publication's annual opinion poll of teen attitudes. The book is distributed to up to 15,000 high schools, colleges, universities and public libraries throughout the country.

Local students selected include:

Capitan
Jack T. Eldridge, NMSU at Las Cruces; Jerrod W. Martin, Western New Mexico University; Mary V. Peebles, Howard College.

Ft. Stanton
Erin K. Keller, Oral Roberts University.

Ruidoso
Robert S. Turner, NMSU at Las Cruces.

Ruidoso Downs
Jackie A. Cremer, UNM at Albuquerque; Amy M. Richardson, NMSU at Las Cruces; Jennifer N. Stevens, UNM at Albuquerque; Jeanne M. Taylor, NMSU at Las Cruces.

In The Service

Marine PFC. James R. Smith, a 1992 graduate of Capitan High School, recently completed the Basic Aviation Structural Mechanic Course.

During the course at Naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, Tenn., students receive instruction on the inspection, maintenance and repair of aircraft frames and exteriors as well as blueprint reading, corrosion control and metalworking.

He joined the Marine Corps in November, 1992.

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12/03	TULAROSA	HOME	5:30PM	G
12/9-11	FLOYD TOURN.		TBA	B/G
12/17	CAPITAN	THERE	4:30PM	B/G/JV
12/28-30	DORA TOURN.		TBA	B
01/04	TULAROSA	THERE	5:30PM	G
01/05	CORONA	HOME	5:00PM	B/G
01/6-8	CAPITAN TOURN.		TBA	B/G
01/21	MOUNTAINAIR	THERE	4:30PM	B/G/JV
01/22	VAUGHN	HOME	4:30PM	B/G/JV
01/27	CAPITAN	HOME	4:30PM	B/G/JV
01/28	HONDO	THERE	5:00PM	B/G/JV
01/29	FT. SUMNER	THERE	4:30PM	B/G/JV
02/04	MOUNTAINAIR	HOME	4:30PM	B/G/JV
02/05	VAUGHN	THERE	4:30PM	B/G/JV
02/10	CORONA	THERE	5:00PM	B/G
02/11	FT. SUMNER	HOME	4:30PM	B/G/JV
02/18	MELROSE	THERE	4:00PM	B/JV
02/19	MAGDALENA	THERE	5:00PM	B/JV

JUNIOR HIGH

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	TEAMS
11/30	CLOUDCROFT	THERE	4:00PM	B/G
12/03	HONDO	THERE	3:30PM	B/G
12/07	CLOUDCROFT	HOME	4:00PM	B/G
12/09	CAPITAN	THERE	4:30PM	B/G
01/11	CAPITAN	HOME	4:30PM	B/G
01/13	ALAMO-HOL.	HOME	5:00PM	B/G
01/25	RUIDOSO	HOME	4:00PM	B/G
01/28	HONDO	THERE	4:00PM	B
02/01	RUIDOSO	THERE	4:00PM	B/G
02/03	ALAMO-HOL.	THERE	5:00PM	B/G
02/08	HONDO	HOME	5:30PM	B/G

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INVITATION TO THE PUBLIC

The Carrizozo Municipal Schools Board of Education, the superintendent, principal, teaching staff and support staff invite all citizens to participate in school activities and all other special events. We ask that you please check with the High School Office when you are on campus, so that we can be sure that our students are protected and so that we may be of assistance.

MISSION OF THE CARRIZOZO BOARD OF EDUCATION

The primary purpose of schools in New Mexico is to educate all students. All other purposes are in support of this. Schools, therefore, are responsible for students mastering learning skills and knowledge, and for acquiring and displaying desirable personal qualities and values. The primary purpose of the public schools is to provide an educational environment which provides strong basic skills as well as encourages creative and experimental activities.

CONCISE BUDGET FOR 1992-93

DIRECT INSTRUCTION (Teachers, instructional aides, instructional materials, etc.)	507,662.85
INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT (Principals, other support personnel, library supplies, & other supplies)	112,284.30
ADMINISTRATION (Superintendent, other administrative staff, supplies, & Board expenses)	100,880.93
PLANT OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE (Maintenance personnel, custodians, utilities, and supplies)	145,439.46
FIXED CHARGES (Educational retirement, social security, insurance, & property insurance)	201,440.38
FOOD SERVICE (Food service personnel, benefits, supplies & materials)	14,825.43
NON-INSTRUCTIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT (Athletic salaries, benefits, athletic and activity travel, & other activity expenses)	27,785.97
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES (Transportation personnel, benefits, supplies, & materials)	146,083.35
CAPITAL OUTLAY (Land, building, & equipment)	8,785.20
OTHER OPERATIONAL (Out of state tuition & other expenses)	5,646.55
TOTAL	1,276,481.68

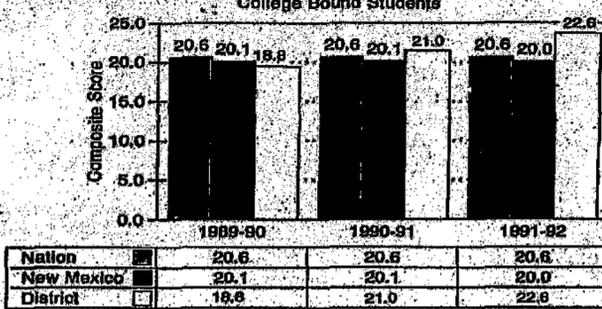
FINANCIAL INFORMATION PUBLIC SCHOOL REVENUE SOURCES

(State, Local, and Federal) Operational Fund

1992-93 Carrizozo District Budgeted Revenues

STATE	\$1,215,864.00	73%
LOCAL	\$241,271.00	14%
FEDERAL	\$220,656.00	13%

MEAN ACT COMPOSITE SCORES BY YEAR



CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS COLLEGE APPLICANT STATISTICS 1992-93

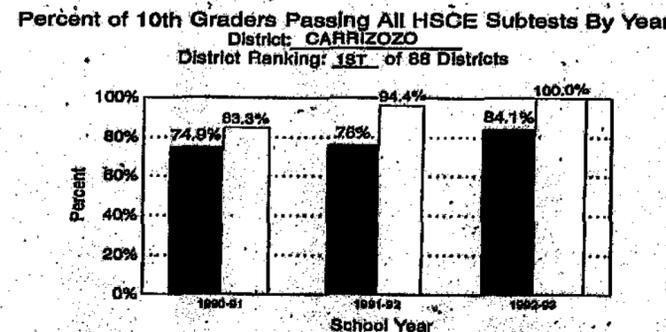
# GRADUATES APPLYING TO 4 YEAR COLLEGES	12
% GRADUATES APPLYING TO 4 YEAR COLLEGES	63%

CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS STUDENT ETHNICITY 1993-94

ANGLO	HISPANIC	MALE	FEMALE
123	54%	102	46%
122	55%	103	48%

CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS GRADUATION RATES 1992-93

SENIORS BEGINNING 12TH GRADE	19
# SENIORS GRADUATING 12TH GRADE	18
% SENIORS GRADUATING 12TH GRADE	94.74%
GRADUATION RANK RANKING	43



HIGH SCHOOL COMPETENCY EXAMINATION Grade 10: percent Passing on First Attempt

Subject	1990-91		1991-92		1992-93	
	State	District	State	District	State	District
Reading	91.1	100	94.0	94.9	95.0	100
Language Arts	91.9	99	92.2	100	92.9	100
Math	90.5	100	91.7	100	94.0	100
Science	90.7	100	93.2	100	92.1	100
Soc Stud	90.1	98	92.8	100	94.9	100
Composition	98.7	100	92.3	100	96.4	100
All Subtests	74.9	83.3	78.0	94.4	84.1	100

All scores exclude special education and 10th subtests
SDE Oct. 15, 1993

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, SCHOOL STAFF AND CARRIZOZO SCHOOLS' STUDENTS WISH TO AGAIN THANK ALL CARRIZOZO SCHOOL PATRONS FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND INPUT.

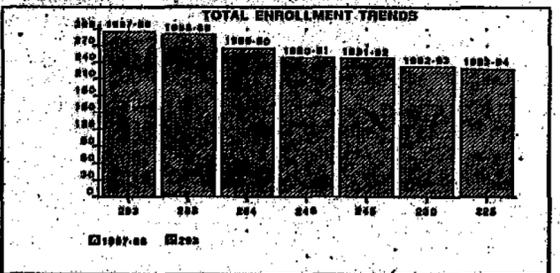
CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS GOALS 1993-94

- Challenge all Carrizozo students to reach their potential through high quality academic and vocational subject matter successively from kindergarten through grade 12.
- Through high standards and high expectations prepare Carrizozo students for responsible and productive citizenship in American democratic and free enterprise systems.
- Safeguard and improve Carrizozo school facilities and grounds.
- Maintain a quality educational environment.
- Maintain 100% high school graduation rate.
- Maintain a drug free school.

ANNUAL DROPOUT RATE GRADES 9-12

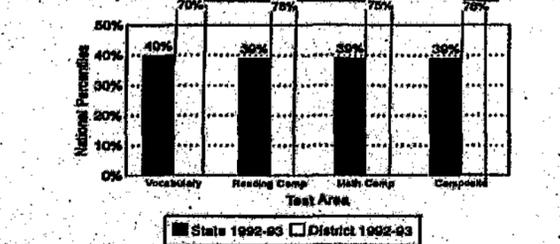
The purpose of the New Mexico Dropout Study is to report the percent of public school students who prematurely discontinue their formal education. The Carrizozo District compared to the State dropout percentage reveals that the District's dropout rate is lower than the State.

	89-90	90-91	91-92
STATE	9.9	9.8	7.4
CARRIZOZO	3.2	3.5	0.0
CARRIZOZO/STATE RANK	25	24	1



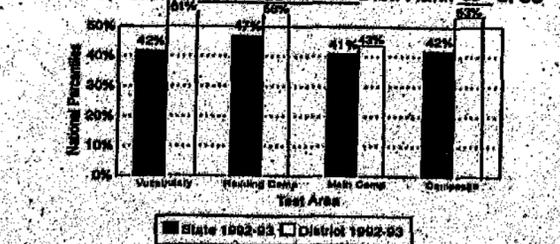
1992-93 Iowa Test of Basic Skills National Percentile Scores By Test Area

Grade 3, District: CARRIZOZO Dist. Rank 7 of 88



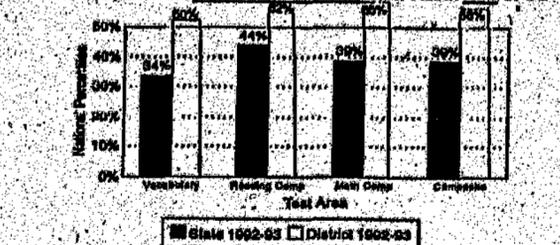
1992-93 Iowa Test of Basic Skills National Percentile Scores By Test Area

Grade 5, District: CARRIZOZO Dist. Rank 33 of 88



1992-93 Iowa Test of Basic Skills National Percentile Scores By Test Area

Grade 8, District: CARRIZOZO Dist. Rank 5 of 88



CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS SPECIAL EDUCATION FUNDING 1992-93

SPECIAL FUNDED UNIT	88.8
SPECIAL ED. FUNDING	\$163,674.85
% SPECIAL EDUCATION	12.93%

CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS SELECTED FEDERAL PROGRAMS 1992-93

CHAPTER 1 FUNDING	\$93,779.45	6.31
USDA FREE & REDUCED LUNCH	\$28,217.59	1.38
% ALL FEDERAL PROGRAMS & USDA LUNCH	13.62	

CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATIVE COST STATISTICS PER STUDENT 1992-93

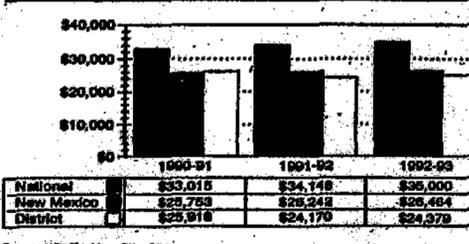
1992-93 BUNDLED MEMBERSHIP	228.5
ADMINISTRATIVE COST	\$411
RANK	14
PERCENT ADMIN. COST	7.68%

CARRIZOZO MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS MEMBERSHIP SERVED BY FEDERAL PROGRAMS 1992-93

% SPECIAL EDUCATION	0.0
% CHAPTER 1	18.38
% BILINGUAL EDUCATION	0.0
% OTHER FED PROGRAMS	63.05

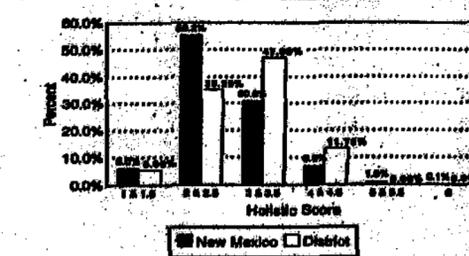
AVERAGE TEACHER SALARY 1990-92

District: CARRIZOZO 1992-93 Rank = 74 / 88 Districts
New Mexico Rank = 47 Nationally



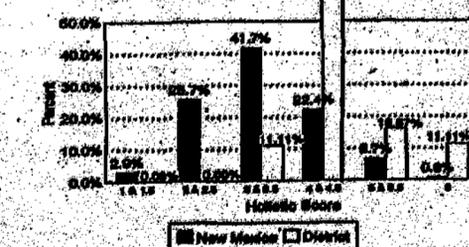
NEW MEXICO PORTFOLIO WRITING ASSESSMENT

Percent of Students at Each Holistic Score
Grade 4, District: CARRIZOZO



NEW MEXICO PORTFOLIO WRITING ASSESSMENT

Percent of Students at Each Holistic Score
Grade 6, District: CARRIZOZO



CARRIZOZO SCHOOLS CLIPBOARD

A weekly school column from Carrizozo Municipal Schools that serves as a bridge to parents, businesses and community groups who welcome knowing more about their school. News about students, staff, and board members will be highlighted.—Compiled by POLLY CHAVEZ.

EDUCATION WEEK—American Education Week will be observed Nov. 15-19. Gabe Papponi, high school principal, says that parents are cordially invited to visit the school. Stop by the high school office to inform the secretary of your presence on campus. Papponi encourages parents and guardians to visit high school classrooms while they are in session. Open house will be conducted for kindergarten through 6th grades on Thursday, Nov. 18 from 6 to 8 p.m. The event will begin with a band concert.

MATH/SCIENCE CONFERENCE—Teachers Theresa Flores, math, and Marianne Patterson, science, were in Las Vegas, N.M. on Nov. 5 and 6. The two attended the annual conference sponsored by the New Mexico Science Teachers and the New Mexico Math Teachers Association. They participated in workshops on a variety of topics.

ART SHOW—Lorene and Larry Caywood of Capitan are the featured artists at Carrizozo Schools. Twenty-one

art works are on display in the board room, the superintendent's office and the entry office. The art shows sponsored by the school provides a learning experience for art students. The Caywood art show can be viewed at Carrizozo Schools during regular business hours.

FFA UPDATE—Carrizozo FFA Chapter public relations representative Julie Barham reports the Chapter Officer Leadership Training (COLT) was attended by Debbie Bond, Keri Shafer, Katie Hightower, Julie Barham, Shelley Odom and Raina McDonald. The chapter has participated in several money raising activities including a concession stand at Lincoln County Fair, two hamburger cookouts and an enchilada supper. Members have started selling fruit to be delivered before Christmas. Several members will be attending the National FFA Convention in Kansas City this week. Barham will report on activities that the chapter participated in during the event.

RULES CLINIC—Head basketball coaches Ken Butts and Tom Moffett and athletic director Kay Patterson, attended a basketball rules clinic at Alamogordo High School on Nov. 1. Butts again head boys basketball. This year Moffett will head girls basketball.

VISIT SPACE CENTER—Third, fourth and fifth grades visited the Space Center in

Alamogordo on Nov. 5. They learned about the history of space exploration and the international space pioneers who made it all happen. They also attended the Tombaugh Space Theater, with its Omnimax projection system and planetarium programs. The students learned of man's conquest of speed and of the winter sky constellations. Funding for the visit was provided by People for Kids (PFK).

READING PROJECT—First grade students are participating in the Book It! National Reading Incentive Program. The five-month project sponsored by Pizza Hut motivates children to read more. Teacher Merce Epperson sets monthly reading goals for each child. When a reading goal is met, she gives the student Pizza Award Certificate. Parents are involved by filling out verification forms each time a child completes a reading assignment. Students also receive buttons, stars and have the opportunity to be placed on the programs honor roll. If all students meet their reading goals, the entire class and the teacher are given a free pizza party.

Ruidoso FFA To Compete At National

The Ruidoso FFA chapter will be competing in the National FFA Marketing Plan Project Competition Nov. 11 and 12 in Kansas City, MO during the 66th National FFA Convention.

Members of the Ruidoso FFA Marketing Plan Project Team are Teri Hall, John Crawford, and Heath Battles. The team is coached by Mike Gaines.

The three-member team developed a written plan promoting an agricultural product, supply or service prior to the state competition. At the national competition, the contestants present a report to the judges followed by a question and answer period. Items included in the oral presentation are product description, marketability of the product, market value, analysis of market, business proposition, action plan, projected budget, and evaluation.

More than 25,000 FFA members, advisors, supporters, and guests are expected to attend the National FFA Convention. The meeting is the world's largest annual youth organization gathering.

Vocational Training Is Available

Area young people in need of vocational training to find employment will have the opportunity to talk with a recruiter/screener from the Cherokee Nation's Talking Leaves Job Corps Center on Nov. 15 and 16.

A representative will be at

the Mescalero Tribal office on Nov. 15 and at Ruidoso High School the afternoon of Nov. 18 to take applications for the program which offers training in a variety of trades. Training is offered for auto mechanics, auto body, building maintenance, business &

clerical, carpentry, cosmetology, culinary arts, diesel mechanics, electrical wiring, health occupations, and welding.

Students accepted by the program will live on campus in Tahlequah, OK and transportation is provided. Qualified people ages 16-24 earn a small living allowance and a savings account while working toward certification in a vocation. All tuition and room and board is free.

Talking Leaves is operated by the Cherokee Nation with funding from the US Department of Labor and is an Indian-emphasis facility. For more information contact Donna Gourd at 1-800-256-9959, ext. 27.

Crimson Scholars Program At NMSU

Two Capitan students, Justin Charles James and Tamela Dawn Payne, were named as Crimson Scholars at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

They were among 516 new students to the Crimson Scholars Program for the 1993 fall semester.

Crimson Scholars is a program designed to stimulate and challenge academically superior students. To be eligible, entering freshmen must have a minimum ACT composite score of 25. Continuing freshmen must have a 3.3 grade point average to stay in the program. For sophomores, juniors and seniors, the requirement is a 3.5 GPA.

Students remaining in the program for two semesters

and eligible for a third semester receive a Crimson Scholars pin. Students who stay in the program for four or more semesters are designated Crimson Scholar graduates on their official transcripts and at commencement.

Spencer Scholarship Is Awarded To Matthew MacVeigh

Matthew MacVeigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. William MacVeigh of Capitan, has been awarded the Truman A. Spencer Jr. Memorial Scholarship by New Mexico Military Institute (NMMI) for the 1993-94 school year.

The \$1,000 scholarship given in honor of Truman S. Spencer Jr., class of 1935, of Carrizozo, is awarded annually to an NMMI cadet from Carrizozo or surrounding area who has at least a 2.5 grade point average and an A in deportment.

Spencer was the grandson of New Mexico's first statehood governor, William C. McDonald, and he distinguished himself in the Army Air Corps as squadron commander of the 42nd Bomb Group in World War II. After the war he returned to New Mexico and had a successful ranching career north of Carrizozo.

Mrs. Truman Spencer Jr. and family continue to operate the 4th generation of the Bar W Ranch.

Nursing Program Will Be Offered At ENMU-Ruidoso

Applications are now available for the UNM and ENMU RN-Bachelors of Nursing Program at the ENMU-Ruidoso Office, 1400 Sudderth Drive in Ruidoso.

The UNM RN-BSN program is a degree completion program with courses delivered via instructional television by satellite.

The ENMU RN-BSN program is delivered in Portales and Roswell both by on-campus instructors and via instructional television. For additional information or to pick an application, contact Cheri LaCounte or Jim Miller at ENMU-Ruidoso, 257-2120.

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CAPITAN LADY TIGERS volleyball players are number one, they say with their hands. The Region D volleyball champions are on their way to the state Class A volleyball tournament in Roswell for a match at 3:15 p.m. at Goddard High School gym today (Thursday). On the front row are honorable mention All-District player Amy Cline and All-district players Tycie Traylor, Stacy Gowen and Arlita Aldaz. Also on front row are head coach Pam Allen and assistant Ron Becker. Players in the middle row are (from left) Christina Worrell, Andra Fish, Shelby Gowen, Alma Lively and Jessica Cline. On back row (from left) are manager Jessica Barela, Sheryl Dockery, Catherine Sidwell and Stacie Sidwell.

Lady Tigers Are Region Winners, On Way To State

by Doris Cherry

Capitan Lady Tigers are Region D winners—and on their way to the state tournament, again.

The volleyball team won the Region D title by defeating Fort Sumner in the regional championship Saturday, in Fort Sumner.

The Capitan girls defeated the Fort Sumner girls in three games; 15-13, 15-10, 15-10. The team got to the finals by defeating Mountainair 15-2, 15-0, 15-6, in the first round of play in the tournament Saturday.

"We played pretty well against Fort Sumner," Lady Tigers head coach Pam Allen said. "We had a good match at the service line."

Fort Sumner, Allen said, is a young team, but really quick. The Lady Vixen had a lot of digs, and defensive action.

"But we won the tournament and that's what we went there to do," Allen said.

Winning the regional tournament gave the Lady Tigers a ticket to the state finals in Roswell this week. At 3:15 p.m. today (Thursday), the Capitan team will play Region C runner-up Magdalena in the

Goddard High School gym in Roswell. The winner of the match will play the winner of the Dora-Coronado match at 3:15 p.m. Friday, Nov. 12, in the Roswell High School gym. The championship match is set for 6 p.m. Saturday, at Roswell High School gym. The match for third place begins at 1:30 p.m., at Roswell High also Saturday.

Allen was very pleased with the state tournament bracket. The Lady Tigers will play last in the first round of matches today. Matches begin today at 9 a.m. when Roy plays Texico and Fort Sumner plays Quemado. The winners of those matches play at 1:30 p.m. Friday.

The Capitan team played the Magdalena team in a pool play during their Lady Tigers tournament September 24. Allen said Magdalena is not a very big team, but they have good quickness and play a good defensive game.

"We're approaching one day at a time," Allen continued. "We will practice well this week to polish what we've got."

Allen said she will work the girls on some small things. Now she is impressing upon the girls the importance to conserve their mental and physical energy, and to make good choices in their activities in the days prior to the state tournament.

"They have to have the absolute belief and confidence in themselves as individuals and their accumulative talents as a team," Allen said. "They have to have absolute knowledge that they are a good, solid team and carry that attitude through the tournament."

This year the Lady Tigers will do something different during the tournament. In year's passed the team has watched their opponents play in the first round of the tournament. That has resulted in some misjudgment by the team during the finals.

Instead of traveling to Roswell early Thursday, and watching the teams play out the first round, the Lady Tigers, who play last in the first round, will send their trusted scout Mr. Ron Becker. The players, along with coach Allen, decided to ask Becker to scout for them during a team meeting held Monday.

Becker scouted out the Loving team before the district tournament two weeks ago. The team decided that Becker did such an excellent job with his scouting report, they chose to take his scouting information and prepare accordingly.

Allen said sometimes, the winning teams play differently during the first round of the state tournament. "It can

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CORONA NEWS

Crown CowBelles met Thursday, Nov. 4, in the ranch home of Elaine Steele with 11 members present plus two guests, Dal and Rankin Frost. Walter Steele joined the group for the lunch of roast and delicious side dishes.

President Shelley Frost urged members to write a note of thanks to Sen. Domenici for looking after the

Corona FFA Members Attend Leadership Workshop In Belen

On Oct. 18, the Corona FFA took eight members to the COLT leadership workshop in Belen. These members were Callie Gnatkowski, Rick Bagley, Lindsey Bonds, Travis Joy, Shayla Marshall, Edward Goodrum, Phillip Lueras, John Gnatkowski, and Amy Bonds. COLT stands for Chapter Officer Leadership Training. COLT is put on by the State FFA officers, its purpose is to make better leaders out of every FFA member.

The COLT staff put on great skits and organized exciting games for everyone. Every state officer took each chapter officer of their own rank including a group for all of the greenhand members. The groups met in separate rooms and discussed the duties of their office. They also talked about new and innovative ways to generate interest and enthusiasm.

COLT's theme was "Aiming for Excellence" and that's exactly what the Corona FFA did. When the workshops concluded everyone reassembled and T-shirts were given to individuals who had shown outstanding leadership abilities. Four out of eight members who received these T-shirts were from Corona. Those receiving the T-shirts were Rick Bagley, Shayla Marshall, Lindsey Bonds, and Edward Goodrum.

This was a great opportunity for the Corona FFA. Everyone who attended was more excited about being in FFA. Lindsey Bonds, Corona FFA reporter.

ENMU-Roswell Offers Spring Scholarships

The Financial Aid Office at Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell is offering the following scholarships for the spring 1994 semester:

Provost Scholarship-A limited amount of these scholarships are available for use at the ENMU-Roswell campus only.

Jane Shugart Johnston Memorial Nursing Scholarship-Applicants must be second year nursing students.

United Ostomy Association Scholarship-This award is available to second, second semester nursing students who maintain a 3.5 grade point average.

Child Care Scholarship-Applications are available after Nov. 1, 1993. The scholarship is awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. Fall recipients must reapply for the spring semester scholarship.

Altrusa Club Scholarship-This scholarship is offered to women planning to enter the work force after graduation. Applications must be submitted by Nov. 24, 1993.

For more information, contact the Financial Aid Office at 624-7152 or 624-7153.

interest of ranchers and others.

Several members plan to attend the annual meeting in Albuquerque next month.

Crown's next meeting will be Tuesday, Dec. 7 at the Frost home, weather permitting. There will be installation of officers and a gift exchange.

Michael Altrez returned Saturday from a 30-day work stay in St. Louis.

Michael and Sarah Rodriguez, Gallup, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Duke, for the second

hunt.

Kara Allen has started a tumbling class to meet Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. There is a small fee to benefit the athletic department.

A group of parents plan a drama club to meet once a week. Club members will include the home study children and any others who may be interested.

Two weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Duke accepted delivery of a pair of emus from her cousin, Tommy Pate of Snyder, Texas. This event caused a rush to encyclopedias.

Corona is happy to have a cafe once again. Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Joy reopened the Corona Cafe.

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LEGAL NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management
(NM-050-03-4340-02; INMNM 00300)
Exchange of Public Lands
(Rio Bonito/Delaware Exchange)
New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of Realty Action
SUMMARY: The following described public lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) have been found suitable for disposal by exchange under Section 208 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716). The exchange proponent, Lincoln Valley Land Company, will select lands (surface only) from the following list of public lands based on an appraisal to ensure that exchanged lands are equal in value.

- New Mexico Principal Meridian
EDDY COUNTY
T. 17 S., R. 21 E.,
Sec. 25, NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 26, lots 1 to 4 inclusive.
T. 17 S., R. 23 E.,
Sec. 1, lots 2 and 4, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 2, lots 1 and 2, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 3, lots 1 and 2, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 10, NE1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 11, NW1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 12, W1/4;
Sec. 22, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 23, NW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 24, E1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 25, E1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 31, NE1/4 NW1/4, E1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4 NE1/4, lots 2, 3 and 4.
T. 17 S., R. 24 E.,
Sec. 19, lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, E1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 19, lots 3 and 4, E1/4, E1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 20, All.
T. 17 S., R. 25 E.,
Sec. 34, E1/4, E1/4 W1/4;
T. 18 S., R. 21 E.,
Sec. 1, SW1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4, SW1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, lots 1 to 4 inclusive;
Sec. 2, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 3, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 11, SW1/4;
Sec. 12, NE1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 NE1/4;
Sec. 13, SW1/4;
Sec. 14, NE1/4;
Sec. 21, E1/4, E1/4 W1/4;
Sec. 22, NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 24, NE1/4;
Sec. 26, SW1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 34, W1/4, W1/4 E1/4, E1/4 SE1/4, SE1/4 NE1/4;
Sec. 35, W1/4, W1/4 E1/4, E1/4 SE1/4, SE1/4 NE1/4.
T. 18 S., R. 23 E.,
Sec. 6, SW1/4 SW1/4, SW1/4 NE1/4, lot 2 and lot 7;
Sec. 7, NE1/4, E1/4 NW1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4, lot 3;
Sec. 8, NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 13, E1/4, SE1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4.
T. 18 S., R. 24 E.,
Sec. 2, SW1/4 SW1/4.
T. 18 S., R. 25 E.,
Sec. 1, lot 1, SE1/4 NE1/4;
Sec. 2, lot 4, SW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 3, SW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 4, lot 4, SW1/4 NW1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 9, SW1/4.
T. 18 S., R. 26 E.,
Sec. 6, lot 6, NE1/4 SW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4.
T. 19 S., R. 25 E.,
Sec. 10, NE1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 11, SW1/4 NE1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 14, NW1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 15, NW1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 21, NW1/4 NE1/4;
Sec. 25, E1/4 NE1/4, SW1/4 NE1/4, SE1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 27, SW1/4;
Sec. 34, W1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4.
LEA COUNTY
T. 20 S., R. 36 E.,
Sec. 14, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 15, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 21, SW1/4 NE1/4, SE1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 22, NE1/4, E1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 24, SW1/4.
T. 20 S., R. 37 E.,
Sec. 3, NE1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 5, SE1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 6, SW1/4;
Sec. 8, NE1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 18, lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, NW1/4 NE1/4, E1/4 NW1/4.
T. 23 S., R. 37 E.,
Sec. 34, E1/4 NE1/4, W1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 35, SW1/4 SW1/4, SE1/4.
T. 23 S., R. 38 E.,
Sec. 30, SE1/4 SW1/4, SE1/4.
CHAVES COUNTY
T. 19 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 35, NW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4.
T. 19 S., R. 17 E.,
Sec. 25, SW1/4;
Sec. 31, E1/4, E1/4 W1/4;
Sec. 33, E1/4;
Sec. 34, SW1/4;
Sec. 35, SW1/4;
T. 19 S., R. 18 E.,
Sec. 36, Lots 1, 2, and 3.
T. 20 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 12, NE1/4, NE1/4 NW1/4, NE1/4 SE1/4.
T. 20 S., R. 17 E.,
Sec. 3, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, SW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 4, Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 5, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4;
Sec. 7, Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, E1/4, E1/4 W1/4;
Sec. 8, E1/4, NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 9, All;
Sec. 10, NW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 15, NE1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4;
Sec. 17, E1/4;
Sec. 20, NE1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4, E1/4 SE1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4;
Sec. 21, All.
SANTA FE COUNTY
T. 17 N., R. 8 E.,
Sec. 24, NW1/4 NE1/4, E1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4.
Containing 22,969.44 acres.
In exchange for the above selected lands, the United States will acquire the following private lands (surface only) from Lincoln Valley Land Company, New Mexico Principal Meridian, Rio Bonito - Parcel 5 (Lincoln County)
T. 10 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 13, E1/4 E1/4 (within).
T. 10 S., R. 17 E.,
Sec. 15, W1/4 (within);
Sec. 19, NW1/4 (within);
DELAWARE (EDDY COUNTY)
T. 24 S., R. 28 E.,
Sec. 21, SW1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 22, W1/4 SW1/4, NE1/4 SW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4;

Sec. 28, E1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SW1/4, E1/4 SW1/4;
Sec. 24, E1/4 SE1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4, W1/4 NE1/4, NW1/4 NW1/4;
Sec. 28, E1/4 NW1/4, SW1/4 NW1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4;
Sec. 29, E1/4 SE1/4, SE1/4 NE1/4, E1/4 NW1/4 SE1/4;
Sec. 32, NE1/4 NE1/4;
Sec. 33, lot 1, NW1/4 NW1/4.
T. 26 S., R. 29 E.,
Sec. 19, lots 2, 3, and 4, E1/4 NW1/4.
Containing 1,857.88 acres, plus 113.10 acres of water rights.

DATES: Comments must be received by (November 15, 1993, from date of publication in the Federal Register).
ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to the District Manager, BLM, 1717 West Second Street, Roswell, New Mexico, 86201-2019.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: CONTACT: Hans Ballant, BLM, Carlsbad Resource Area, (505) 837-6544.
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The BLM is in the process of acquiring five tracts of private land along the Rio Bonito in Lincoln County, New Mexico. A Notice of Realty Action was published in the Federal Register on Thursday, April 9, 1992, Volume 57, Number 60, Pages 1232 and 1233 for Tracts 1, 2, 3 and 4. The decision to acquire these lands was signed December 2, 1992. Tract 4 was acquired in December 1992, while final action to acquire Tracts 1, 2, and 3 has been delayed. If the acquisition of these tracts cannot be completed in the near future, BLM will instead proceed with the exchange of private lands in Tract 5 along the Rio Bonito in Lincoln County for the federal lands described in this Notice and the Federal Register Notice dated April 9, 1992.

If Tracts 1, 2 and 3 are acquired as initially proposed, the private lands in Tract 5 would be held for exchange for public lands in Lincoln County, New Mexico, following completion of the Roswell Resource Management Plan (RMP). If the BLM acquires Tract 5 first, then the private lands in Tracts 1, 2 and 3 would be exchanged for public lands in Lincoln County upon completion of the RMP. This situation would be dependent on there being sufficient public lands available for disposal in Lincoln County, in order to effectively consummate an exchange in a timely manner; and there being sufficient private parties interested in participating in such an exchange. The private lands offered to BLM along the Delaware River in Eddy County, New Mexico, would be acquired in exchange for public lands also described in this Notice.

Tract 5 along the Rio Bonito has a high potential for riparian resources, wildlife habitat, fisheries, watershed and historical/cultural values. The lands along the Delaware River have similar management potential, including habitat for threatened and endangered species.

The BLM is in the process of preparing an Environmental Assessment to address the impacts of the proposed land exchange. This document will be available for review by October 21, 1993. The proposed exchange is in conformance with BLM, State, and local plans, but not with Lincoln County's Interim Land Use Plan of January 14, 1992.

Lands transferred from the United States will contain the following patent reservations:
1. A reservation to the United States of a right-of-way for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States in accordance with 43 U.S.C. 945, for the lands being transferred out of Federal ownership.
2. The reservation to the United States of all minerals in the lands being transferred but the Federal ownership. For lands determined to be non-mineral in character, the subsurface will transfer with the surface estate.
3. All valid existing rights (e.g. rights-of-way, easements and leases of record).

Publication of this notice in the Federal Register will segregate the subject lands from all appropriations under the public land laws, including the mining and mineral leasing laws. This segregation will terminate upon issuance of patent, two years from the date of this notice or upon publication of a termination of segregation.

For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register, interested parties may submit comments to the Roswell District Manager at the above address. Any objections will be reviewed by the State Director who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any objections, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

Leslie M. Cone
District Manager
Dated: September 21, 1993

Published in the Lincoln County News on October 24, November 4, and 11, 1993.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the Estate of David Tupper Keeton, 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 undersigned personal representative at P.O. Box 864, Sonora, Texas 76950, or filed with the Lincoln County Probate Court, P.O. Box 335, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

TINA REBECCA KEETON, Personal Representative of the Estate of David Tupper Keeton, Deceased.
Published in the Lincoln County News on November 11 and 18, 1993.

CALL FOR BIDS
Y. Hondo Valley Public Schools is receiving bids to provide milk for the remainder of the 1993-94 school year. The sealed bids must be received by 2:00 p.m., November 16, 1993 to be opened at a special board meeting on November 17, 1993.

II. Hondo Valley Public Schools is receiving bids to provide a fire alarm, bell and P.A. system and installation of same. The sealed bid must be received by 2:00 p.m., December 7, 1993 to be opened at a regular board meeting on December 14, 1993. Specifications for the services are available in the office of the Superintendent, P.O. Box 55, Hondo, NM, 88336 or telephone 653-4411. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted, waive minor technicalities.

ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS
Sealed proposals for general construction of ROOF REPLACEMENTS AND REPAIRS, will be received at the Board Room in the Superintendents Office, Captain Municipal Schools, until 2:00 p.m. Monday, November 22, 1993, and then publicly opened and read aloud. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened. Bidders are invited to submit proposals for construction work for the schedule listed in the Bidding Schedule of the Bid Form. Drawings, Specifications, and Contract Documents may be examined without charge, in the office

of the Architecture + Plus, P.O. Box 2106, 401 N. Pennsylvania, Roswell, New Mexico, where they are on file for public inspection. Bonafide prime bidders may obtain two sets of drawings and specifications from the architect's office at the above address upon deposit of \$50.00 per set (plus non-refundable shipping costs). Those who submit prime bids may obtain refund of deposits by returning sets and all addendas (prepaid) in good condition no more than 14 days after bids have been opened. Those who do not submit prime bids will forfeit deposits unless sets are returned in good condition along with all addendas at least one day before bids are opened. No partial sets will be issued. Sub-bidders may obtain one (1) set of drawings and specifications from the Architect upon deposit of \$50.00 per set (plus non-refundable shipping costs). The sub-bidders will be refunded their deposit by returning set and all addendas in good condition no more than 14 days after bids have been opened.

Bid security, in an amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible total for the bid submitted, either cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, must accompany each bid as a guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the bidder will enter into a contract promptly and execute the required performance and payment bonds. Bidders are advised that the following is included in the contract:

- 1. Liquidated Damage Clause
2. Qualification of Contractor
3. 5% Resident Preference
4. Minimum State Wage Rates
The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all informalities. The Owner also has the right, but not the obligation, to waive minor irregularities. All bids may be held 30 days.
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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO
No. CV-99-216
Division III

HOMER N. CLEES and DIANNE E. CLEES, Plaintiffs, vs. MEL B. O'REILLY, MONICA M. O'REILLY, ALTON J. WARD, MELBA C. WARD, and FRED MARTIN, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 24th day of November, 1993, at 11:00 a.m., at the front entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, located at 301 Central, Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, to wit:

- The West one-half of Lot 660 and all of Lots 561 and 662, SKYLAND SUBDIVISION, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico.
Said Judgment directed foreclosure of the Mortgage held by the Plaintiff as follows:
Prin.....\$2,448.88
Interest thru 10/19/93.....\$29.88
Special Master's Fee.....\$200.00
Attorney's Fees.....\$3,204.38
Costs.....\$197.71
Total.....\$6,080.95

In addition to the above, there will be accruing cost, together with the cost of publication of this Notice and attorney fees.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 20th day of October, 1993.
DON E. DUTTON for NICK VEGA, SPECIAL MASTER

DON E. DUTTON, GRIFFIN, STEVENS & HANSON, LTD. Attorneys for Plaintiff 229 Rio Street, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345 (505) 257-2323

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IN THE PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO PROBATE NO. 1632

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEFITA B. LOPEZ, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or their claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned personal representative at P.O. Box 623, Carrizozo, NM 88301, or filed with the Probate Court of Lincoln County at the Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico.

DATED: November 4, 1993.
LEROY LOPEZ, Personal Representative P.O. Box 623, Carrizozo, NM 88301.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. FB 88-02

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MADELEINE A. BURDETT, deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR ORDER OF COMPLETE SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO: NO. CV 93-21

TO: ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MADELEINE A. BURDETT, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF MADELEINE A. BURDETT, OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREIN AFTER MENTIONED HEARING; AND

THE HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF MADELEINE A. BURDETT, DECEASED.
Melcolm E. Burdett, Personal Representative of the Estate of Madeleine A. Burdett, deceased, has filed a Petition for Order of Complete Settlement of Estate by Personal Representative of the Estate of Madeleine A. Burdett. A hearing on the Petition for Order of Complete Settlement of Estate will be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse before the Honorable Judge Richard A. Parsons, on November 23, 1993, at 9:00 o'clock, a.m.

Attorney for the Petitioner is WEINBRENNER, RICHARDS, PAULOWSKY & RAMIREZ, P.A. (Ralph Wm. Richards), First National Bank Tower, 8th Floor, Post Office Drawer C, Las Cruces, New Mexico 88004-1718. Pursuant to law, notice of the time and place of hearing on said Petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week for two consecutive weeks, and all persons opposing the

granting of said Petition are hereby notified to file their objections as required by law.
DATED: November 2, 1993.
MARGO LINDSAY, CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

By: ELIZABETH LUERAS, DEPUTY.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO PROBATE NO. FB-88-46

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FRANCISCO RAYMOND TRUJILLO, deceased.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO: ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF FRANCISCO RAYMOND TRUJILLO, DECEASED, AND ALL PERSONS CLAIMING ANY LIEN UPON OR RIGHT, TITLE, OR INTEREST IN AND TO THE ESTATE OF FRANCISCO RAYMOND TRUJILLO, DECEASED.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:
1. Presiliana Sieneros, Personal Representative of the estate of Francisco Raymond Trujillo, deceased, was appointed as Personal Representative of the Estate of Francisco Raymond Trujillo on November 1, 1993.
2. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Co-Personal Representative at P.O. Box 2981, Ruidoso, NM 88345, or filed with the Lincoln County Courthouse, Post Office Box 893, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

DATED this 1st day of November, 1993.
MARGO LINDSAY, DISTRICT COURT CLERK.
By: MARGO LINDSAY

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NO. CV 93-21

SUNWEST BANK OF ROSWELL, N.A., Plaintiff, vs. SANDRA L. COLVIN, Defendant.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE IS given that on December 6, 1993, at 10:00 a.m., at the front door of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, Nick Vega, Special Master, will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property in Lincoln County, New Mexico:

Lot 1, Block 9 of Ponderosa Heights Subdivision, Unit H, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the office of the Lincoln County Clerk on September 15, 1993.
Said property is commonly referred to as 125 Parr Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico.
Said sale will be made pursuant to a Default Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure entered in the captioned action on October 20, 1993. Said action was a suit to foreclose a judgment lien. The judgment secured by said lien is in the amount of \$10,162.60, together with interest on said amount from December 21, 1992 until June 18, 1993 at the rate of 15% per year, and together with interest on said amount from June 18,

1993 until paid at the rate of 8.75% per year. The total amount due through the date of sale, including interest, will be \$11,315.63, plus the Special Master's fee and the cost of publication of this notice.

Said property is subject to a prior mortgage in favor of First National Bank of Chaves County, and will be sold subject to said mortgage.

DATED this 22nd day of October, 1993.
NICK VEGA, Special Master.

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TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

CAUSE NO. CV-FB-83-51

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FERN SAWYER, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Co-Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Co-Personal Representative at P.O. Box 2981, Ruidoso, NM 88345, or filed with the Lincoln County Courthouse, Post Office Box 893, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

DATED this 22nd day of October, 1993.
CANDACE GOOD JACOBSON, Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of Fern Sawyer, Deceased.
P.O. Box 2981, Ruidoso, NM 88345 (505) 257-2979.
MYRL SAWYER GOOD, Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of Fern Sawyer, Deceased.
P.O. Box 1774, Roswell, NM 88201.

SUBMITTED BY: JOHN A. JACOBSON, Attorney for the Estate of Fern Sawyer, Deceased.
1121 Paseo de Peralta, Post Office Box 1035 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1035 (505) 968-4451.

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Western Dinner Concert Nov. 19
The Captain FHA and Annual Staff will present their second annual Western Dinner Concert at 7 p.m. Nov. 19 in the new gym. Tickets are now available from any FHA or Annual Staff member, from Cattle Country Ace Hardware and Bear Country in Capitan, or by phoning reservations to Capitan High School, 354-2667, and ask for Jan LaRue. Seating will be limited, get tickets soon.

Homebuyer Assitance
Region VI Housing Authority will accept applications for the Home First-Time Homebuyer Assistance Program through Nov. 19. Applications may be obtained from Region VI Housing Authority, 200 West First St., Suite 400, Roswell, NM 88201. For more information call 622-0881.

CAPITAN SCHOOLS Counselor's Corner

SCHOLARSHIP REVIEW

Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation will award at least 125 scholarships of \$1,000.00 each. These are open to all high school students who are U.S. citizens and who have taken the SAT or the ACT examination. Deadline for applications to be returned is March 14, 1994.

Engineering Scholarships 1994-1995 Academic Year. The National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) is offering a large number of scholarships for students entering their first year of college in the Fall of 1994. Deadline is December 3, 1993.

Horace Mann Companies are offering \$32,000 in college scholarships to high school seniors who are children of public school employees. For eligibility requirements and an application call your Horace Mann Agent (RuDell Letcher, 1-800-658-9997). Deadline is February 28, 1994.

Brooks Brothers announce their scholarship program for college bound seniors for \$175.00 in scholar-

ship funds, employment, and clothing to 21 of the most deserving high school seniors. Elks National Foundation has the "Most Valuable Student Scholarship". Deadline is January 5, 1994.

Herff Jones has the "Principals Leadership Award" scholarship. Deadline is December 17, 1993.

These and other scholarship applications are available in the counselor's office at Capitan High School.

College Preview

The time has come for many of Capitan High School seniors to consider their college choices. To assist them in this endeavor, recruiters come to the Capitan High School campus. Sometimes, transportation is provided for the students to visit a college campus.

On Monday, Nov. 15, Matt Gallegos, a recruiter from New Mexico State University in Las Cruces, will be at Capitan High School from 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. On Friday, Nov. 19, Louie Vega from Western New Mexico University in Silver City will be here to counsel prospective stu-

dents. On Wednesday mornings, every week, Mr. Danny Herrera from ENMU Talent Search and the Trio Program will be on campus to help students with their college selection procedure, financial aid and scholarships to any New Mexico college or university.

The seniors will travel to the ENMU campus in Roswell and spend the day touring the grounds and using the Guidance Information System, a computerized program to search for scholarships and financial aid.

As a Reminder to all students planning to enter college, an ACT score is required Friday, Nov. 12, is the deadline to register without penalty. These forms may be picked up in the Capitan high school counseling office. The next testing dates are Dec. 9, at the Hondo Schools and Dec. 11 at Ruidoso High School.

Friends of Smokey

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Smokey Bear is now officially a member of the AARP, having been inducted into the Ruidoso AARP chapter on Oct. 26. Smokey will also be at the National AARP meeting to be held in Las Cruces on Nov. 23.

FOS members learned of several events which have been confirmed for next year's celebration. The U.S. Forest Service special shape Smokey Bear hot air balloon has committed to be in Capitan on July 2 and 3. Other balloons will be invited to come to the village for the celebration. Local sponsorships for the balloon crew, in terms of lodging, meals and propane, will be pursued.

FOS will again sponsor the Wildfire Chili Cook-off next year. FOS chairman Rick Riddle was to meet with Paul

Capitan Schools

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Vaughn who looked into the vocational programs. The team spent the week looking at classrooms, reviewing curricula and interviewing students, teachers, parents and staff.

The district overall got a good report from the accreditation team. Strengths were noted in the elementary science and social studies curricula, in the Vocational programs' involvement with student organizations and the vocational advisory committees, in the Chapter 2 and Special Education programs.

The team issued only three minor citations—one on equipment in the vocational programs and two in the special education. Vaughn gave a citation to upgrade the equipment in the Ag and Business

classes, which seemed to be in the most need.

The citations on the Special Education program dealt with least restrictive environment and service delivery model. The school had a lack of documentation why special ed students were removed to a special class. Penn said the citation for the lack of documentation was very common in New Mexico schools.

The second citation dealt with prior notice to parents in the educational plan and reasons why options rejected were not documented.

Weaknesses, but no citations, were noted in the schools' curriculum, which should be updated to reflect New Mexico Education Standards of Excellence and Competency. Breen said the elementary teachers have begun the process by updating the social studies and science curricula.

Breen said the elementary science and social studies curricula was well written and the elementary teachers could become the leaders to collaborate the concepts across grade levels. Breen recommended as the collaboration increases the district consider extending peer helping and peer teaching concepts, from bulletin boards to curricular input.

Breen credited the district for its physical layout, which offers unique opportunities. She was excited about the new middle school which will include a computer lab.

Breen encouraged the district to maintain its special culture with its deep roots by utilizing the local artists and other talents.

Vaughn echoed Breen regarding curriculum in the vocational programs. He encouraged the vocational teachers to revise their curriculum, to be written in terms of competency. He noted that VoAg teacher Todd Proctor was on the "right track." Vaughn was impressed by Proctor's innovative and unique use of a large stuffed gorilla for students to practice saying the FFA creed.

Vaughn urged the vocational teachers utilize the programs available through Eastern New Mexico University in Ruidoso.

Vaughn complimented the vocational teachers for their interest and work with students in a hands-on manner. He also complimented the vocational programs for the great effort to correct deficiencies found during the last accreditation visit three years ago. All deficiencies were corrected but equipment.

He found the meats lab in the VoAg building greatly improved. He also liked the FFA Booster club which is moving toward a formal FFA Alumni Association, affiliated with the state and national organization. Vaughn wanted the auto lift and the stored computers in the ag shop removed.

Vaughn especially liked the students at Capitan Schools. "It reminds me of the advantages of being in a small school," he said. "I'm impressed with the educational programs in small schools, with extra attention for students."

Vaughn said the vocational teachers' concern for students is "right on target."

"I think you have an excellent school system," he told those gathered.

Penn noted the strengths in the special education programs. Students needing special education services are getting those opportunities in the general education setting, and options for additional help are available. Teachers are utilizing a number of modifications and adaptations to accommodate the varying learning styles in the classes.

Penn said the district shows a willingness to hire educational aides. And she liked the mixing of the 3-4 year old special education students with their age peers in the Head Start class.

She found the parents and special education staff to be very supportive. She received many compliments about the caring and personal attention of staff to the students.

Individual education plans for special education students show the staff has a good understanding of identifying student levels and relating those to annual goals and objectives, Penn said. She also found a uniqueness in the short term objectives, which she found to be well written and meaningful as related to the classroom.

Gould concluded the exit meeting by complimenting the district for preparing for the Option B process. Student outcomes are being addressed, and are related to standards of excellence. "You are to be commended for approaching that well in advance of the required time," Gould said.

The greatest praise was for the staff. "The teaming among the professional staff is outstanding," Gould said. Normally in schools the team finds diverse attitudes, but they had not found that at Capitan. Instead the staff appeared to be committed to work with one another to share and provide for the interests of the children.

"We feel that is an extraordinary outcome from a professional point of view," Gould said.

The inclusion program in special education is working, and you can't tell the difference in the classroom if there is a child with a disability, Gould continued.

The library, Gould said, is meeting present challenges and needs and is preparing for the future. New equipment will access the school on a national scope and distance learning.

Gould concluded that the team had an extremely pleasant experience during their visit at the school.

Gould closed the meeting by thanking parents, staff and ancillary personnel for their hospitality during the visit.

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Sunday School..... 9:45 am
Worship Service..... 10:55 am
Sun. Evening..... Training at 8:15 pm
Evening Worship..... 7:15 pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)

JOHNIE L. JOHNSON, pastor
Corner of C Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2188
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Thursday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

Santa Rita Catholic Community

FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor
213 Birch, 648-2853
SATURDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 5:00 pm
C'ozo Santa Rita..... 6:30 pm
SUNDAY:
Capitan Sacred Heart..... 9:00 am
C'ozo Santa Rita..... 11:00 am
Corona St. Theresa..... 4:00 pm

Church of Christ

PAUL WETZEL, minister
Ave. C at 12th, 648-2996
Sunday School..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:00 am
Evening Worship..... 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

St. Matthias Episcopal Church

REV. ROBERT BATTON
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1-258-4144
Holy Eucharist..... 9:30 am Sunday

United Methodist Churches

TOMMY JARED, pastor
Trinity - Carrizozo
1000 D. Ave., 648-2893/648-2848.
Sunday School (All Ages)..... 10:00 am
Worship Service..... 11:10 am
Choir Practice (Wednesday)..... 6:30 pm
United Methodist Men Breakfast
2nd Sunday..... 8:30 am
United Methodist Women Every
3rd Wednesday..... 9:30 am
Fellowship Dinner Last Sunday of Month,
..... 12:30 pm

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Adult Sunday School..... 8:30 am
Worship Service..... 9:15 am
Children's Sunday School..... 9:30 am
Fellowship Time..... 10:15 am
Adult Sunday School..... 11:00 am
Choir Practice (Tuesday)..... 7:00 pm
Fellowship Dinner Every Third Sunday
Handmaidens (Ecumenical Women's Group)
1st and 3rd Tuesday..... 9:30 a.m.

Evangelistic Assembly

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REV. DR. WILLIE MAE FULTON, Missions Dir.
REV. KENNETH DALE, Evangelist
711 E. Ave., 648-2339
Sunday..... 2:30 pm

Nogal Presbyterian Church

DOUG & LOU GORDON, co-pastors
648-2944
Adult Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship..... 11:00 am

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HELP WANTED: Full-time in hardware store. Prefer someone with hardware experience but willing to train. Must be 18 or over. Must be able to lift cement products. Need to have experience running a cash register. Must be a people person. Apply at Cattle Country Ace Hardware in Capitan. No phone calls. tfn-Nov. 11.

HELP WANTED: Full-time cook. Must have restaurant experience. Will be making pizza, sandwiches, etc. Will train in pizza making. Must be clean and able to work well with customers. Apply at Cattle Country Ace Hardware in Capitan. No phone calls. tfn-Nov. 11.

HELP WANTED: Zia Sr. Citizens Center in Capitan has an opening for a Title V position as dishwasher/janitorial. Must be 55 or older. 4 hrs. a day, 5 days a week. Applications available at Capitan Sr. Citizens Center. Applications must be submitted by Nov. 26, 1993. Zia Sr. Citizens Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in compliance with ADA, Title II-A. 2tc-Nov. 11 & 18.

HELP WANTED: Zia Sr. Citizens Center in San Patricio has an opening for a part time clerk & service aide. Must be a high school student. Applications available at San Patricio Senior Citizens Center. Applications must be submitted by Nov. 19, 1993. Zia Sr. Citizens Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in compliance with ADA, Title II-A. 1tc-Nov. 11.

HELP WANTED: Zia Sr. Citizens Center in Capitan has an opening for part time cook. Four hours a day, five days a week. Applications available at Capitan Zia Sr. Citizens Center. Applications must be submitted by Nov. 26, 1993. Zia Sr. Citizens Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer and in compliance with ADA, Title II-A. 2tc-Nov. 11 & 18.

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Sheriff's Report

A Moriarty man was cited for cruelty to animals as the result of an incident where a deputy found the man's dog hanging from his pickup truck-dead.

Jessie Fennell, 52, Moriarty, pleaded not guilty to the charge of cruelty to animals to Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr. Monday. Fennell's charge, a misdemeanor, will be to go to magistrate trial at a later date.

Lincoln County Deputy Larry Cearley found the black Labrador hanging from the back of a pickup on a very short chain. The dog was dead. Cearley said the man told him he had left the dog for only about an hour.

With hunting season in full swing, several other Game and Fish violations were handled through Magistrate Court. Two persons were arrested and jailed for spotlighting in the Corona area.

Trespassing hunters were reported in several areas of the county, and an Arabella area property owner reported the killing of a doe and her two fawns.

The following information was taken from dispatch records in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in Carrizozo: Nov. 2:

2:55 a.m. a fire at a mobile home off Highway 380 near Hondo flared up again and Hondo Fire Department was called out. Hondo ambulance also responded to stand by. Hondo Fire Department advised the fire was out by 4:34 a.m., and the crews returned to their station by 8:33 a.m.

11:07 a.m. a lost hunter was reported in the Corona area. A woman called from a gas station in Corona to report the lost hunter. The woman was unable to give any information on the hunter's description, nor did she give information about herself. The report was turned over to New Mexico State Police (NMSP).

11:53 a.m. trespassing and criminal damage to property was reported at a Alamo Canyon residence. The complainant requested a deputy to come to the residence regarding the people trespassing. At 12:04 p.m. the responding deputy advised the complainant will file a complaint in court.

12:09 p.m. damage to a fence was reported at a residence on Highway 70 east of Ruidoso Downs. The complainant advised there were tire tracks at the location and the fence and gate were damaged. The responding deputy spoke with the complainant by phone to advise he could not come out until the next day.

6:08 p.m. a drunken driver was reported by a deputy, who later requested a wrecker to come to the intersection of Highways 37 and 380. Nov. 3:

12:40 p.m. an ambulance was requested at the high school nurse's office in Capitan for a 12 year old having a bad asthma attack. The parents had been notified and they advised the nurse if the attack got worse to get an ambulance. Capitan ambulance transported the patient to Lincoln County Medical Center (LCMC) in Ruidoso. Nov. 4:

6:06 a.m. a brush fire was reported at milemarker 109-110 on Highway 54 south of Carrizozo. Carrizozo Fire Department responded and went as far south as milemarker 104, but found no fire. Nov. 5:

A deputy advised of a confidential information case.

11:03 a.m. a theft was reported at Carrizozo golf course cart barn. The complainant requested an officer regarding items taken from the barn between September and Nov. 4. Carrizozo police responded.

11:26 a.m. Southern Pacific Railroad requested a wrecker for a company truck that was out of service south of the gas company plant near Corona.

1:32 p.m. a missing weapon was reported by a Nogal resident. The responding deputy spoke with the complainant by phone. The weapon was found at a pawn shop in Ruidoso. The investigation continues.

3:40 p.m. trespassing was reported on the O-Bar-O Ranch. The complainant reported he was having trouble with trespassers and the owner of the property was there. The responding deputy advised all was okay, it looked legal.

A Forest Service officer and a deputy advised of confidential information.

7:45 p.m. a Carrizozo resident requested an ambulance for his son who was having a severe asthma attack. Carrizozo ambulance transported the patient to LCMC. Nov. 6:

4:27 a.m. an alarm sounded at an Alto area residence. The responding deputy advised all was okay and the house was secure.

7:57 a.m. an Arabella area property owner reported a doe and two fawns shot to death at milemarker 4 on State Road 368, just inside the property fence. The responding Game and Fish officer checked traffic on the road and took a report at the scene.

9:50 a.m. cattle were reported causing property damage in Eagle Creek area. The cattle were eating grass from the complainant's putting greens. A deputy handled the call and contacted the cattle's overseer.

11:15 a.m. a woman requested an ambulance at a Carrizozo restaurant for a subject having seizures inside the restaurant. Carrizozo ambulance transported the patient to LCMC.

11:24 a.m. cruelty to animals was reported one mile off Highway 54 on Ancho Road. The deputy found a black lab hanging from the back of a pickup by a very short chain. The dog was dead. The deputy issued a citation for cruelty to animals. 8:19 p.m. an ambulance was requested at a Nogal residence for an elderly man with chest pains. Carrizozo ambulance transported the patient to LCMC. Nov. 7:

8:41 a.m. trespassers were reported on Three Rivers Ranch. The complainant requested an officer for the hunters who were foraging on the property without permission. The responding deputy escorted the subjects to the ranch house where a report was taken. 3:53 p.m. a deputy reported theft and damage to property at the county kennels at Fort Stanton.

4:12 p.m. a sick dog was reported at Fred Chavez park in Carrizozo. Children were playing in the park around the sick dog. By 4:22 Carrizozo police had picked up the dog.

6:10 p.m. illegal hunters were reported in Arabella area. The complainant caught the hunters who were hunting on the complainant's desided, posted land. The complainant advised the hunters left the tagged deer along with their names. Nov. 8:

7:26 p.m. an ambulance was

requested at a Capitan area residence for a patient in respiratory distress. Capitan ambulance transported the patient to LCMC.

7:47 p.m. an accident was reported 25 miles west of Carrizozo on Highway 380. The NMSP officer checked the highway to the Socorro County line where he met with the Socorro Medical Unit. The officer turned around in Bingham. At 9:09 p.m. the officer found the wreck between milemarker 39 and 40 in a narrow place. There were no injuries and a wrecker was dispatched.

8:08 p.m. a Game and Fish officer requested assistance on State Road 247 east of Corona. The officer needed help in transporting some prisoners.

9:34 p.m. a loose dog was reported on 17th Street in Carrizozo. The dog's owner was called. The dog had been hit. The owner took the dog home.

10:57 p.m. an accident without injuries was reported one mile south of Corona on Highway 54. A two-horse trailer rolled and the horses were out. No one was hurt and nothing was in the roadway. NMSP were notified. Nov. 8:

8:09 a.m. a burglary was reported by Penasco Telephone Company. A deputy was requested to investigate the burglary which occurred sometime last weekend.

10:15 a.m. a larceny was reported by a Loma Grande area resident. The complainant requested a deputy regarding someone who stole mail from her mailbox.

10:21 a.m. a theft was reported at a trailer park in the Ruidoso Downs area. The burglary occurred sometime the week before.

10:38 a.m. the county road manager requested a deputy to the old airport road where a battery had been stolen from a county truck.

10:55 a.m. an ambulance was requested at Carrizozo Clinic to transfer a cardiac patient. Carrizozo ambulance transported the patient to Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital in Alamogordo.

12:59 p.m. an illegal dumping was reported at Biscuit Hill on Highway 70. A deputy responded.

2:47 p.m. a suspicious vehicle with suspicious persons was reported in the Enchanted Forest area. The responding deputies made no contact with the vehicle in the Enchanted Forest or Alto North areas.

The following persons were booked into the Lincoln County Detention Facility in Carrizozo: Nov. 2:

Jeffery B. Vanover, 28, Ruidoso; DWI 2nd; \$1,000 bond set by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr.; posted Nov. 3 and released.

Jeanie F. Walker, 39, Ruidoso; attempted suicide, protective custody; no bond; transported to Las Vegas Nov. 3.

Nov. 3:
 Keith A. Craig, 26, Portales-inmate at Camp Sierra Blanca state minimum security prison; held until released to CSB Nov. 8.

Russell J. Goodman, 33, Carlsbad-inmate at CSB; held until released to CSB Nov. 8.
 Thon Funk, 32, Lea County-inmate at CSB; held until released to CSB Nov. 8.

Nov. 5:
 Phoebe J. Welch, 43, Ruidoso; DWI 2nd; sentenced to 48 hours jail by Magistrate Judge Bill Butts; released Nov. 6-time served.

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FORT STANTON

FACTS and FICTION

by BETTY LOU JOINER

Cody Wilson and Mackey Tully Win Big in Guthrie, OK

Looking out the window last week and seeing John and Jerri Wilson, Cody and, his paint horse heading down Devil's Canyon, I never suspected the news they would bring me for this week. On

Sunday evening, Fred Payton called and said he had a "hot" news item. Fred gave me the details he had of two young ropers winning big in Oklahoma. The rumors sounded too big to be true.

Talking to Cody's mom on Tuesday confirmed everything, Jerry Tully, Mackey Tully and Cody Wilson left

Glencoe Monday morning headed for the National Team Roping Championship in Guthrie, Oklahoma. Cody had his little paint, Tommy, and Mackey had his horse, Utah. Didn't ask what Jerry's horse name was. The bunch drove to Amarillo, Texas, that night and spent the night with Cody's uncle, Bill Barnard. Tuesday brought the three into Guthrie where they stayed at a bed and breakfast place. Before the week was over the owners of the bed and breakfast place were the best of friends with the two young ropers, attending and watching all their progress.

Jerry Tully roped on Tuesday or Wednesday with no luck. On Saturday Cody and Mackey qualified in the preliminaries, roping in a three-header and placing fifth where they split \$4,300.00. This qualified them for the "shoot out" on Sunday.

Sunday roping in the four-header, the young team placed second winning another \$21,000.00 split between them and a trailer for each. The trailers were three horse slants, with nice dressing rooms for the two to look their best, becoming such top notch ropers at ages of 15 and 16. With only one pickup and having three trailers to pull back to New Mexico, the guys found two friends that offered to pull the new trailers as far as Clovis and Fort Sumner, where they could be picked up by the families.

My question was what will Cody do with all that money. Jerri said he put it in the bank to have to enter many more ropings. All he wants is

another horse. I'm sure he will never find one to equal "Tommy" who has been a big part of Cody winning three saddles and money in the past year. Cody felt like the saddle he was riding was a good luck saddle. He had won it at the "Roy Payton Memorial Roping" in Hondo earlier in the year. I'm sure it brought him good luck and a big smile from "Roy", up there in "Cowboy Heaven". Think that Mackey won his first saddle at the FFA team roping in Hagerman. Will have more details about him and pictures in next weeks news.

Know for sure the parents, grandparents and all of their friends, of the two boys are really "proud" of these two Lincoln County kids. Thanks guys for such a "great" news item.

The Lincoln County Postmasters meeting was called to order by President Patsy Racher. Mike Currin, vice-president, had arranged for the group to meet at the Smokey Bear Restaurant on Nov. 7, at 3 p.m. After the pledge of allegiance, the group remained standing and were asked to pair off. Each two people were to change one thing, three things and then six things about each other to see if the other could tell what it was. After the changing, Patsy remarked she was showing us how much everyone hates to have changes in their everyday lives. The post office has definitely been one organization that has made many changes in the past year.

Rosalee Patterson, secretary-treasurer, read the minutes and gave the treasurers report. Minutes were approved as read.

Old business was the history books, which are still being updated.

New business was planning the annual Christmas party.

Mike and Linda Currin offered to host the party at their home in Alto. It will be potluck, and will be on Dec. 11, at 5 p.m. All postmasters, OIC's, and clerks and spouses or friends will be invited. There will be no limit on the cost of presents and Mary Gourley will print the invitations on her computer.

Della Bonnell brought up a discussion about the two organizations the postmasters can belong to. Her question was could members of either organization attend meetings. It was voted on that either organization was welcome. No one knew if it had been only NAPUS in the past or not. Another motion was made, any one affiliated with the post office could join the organization and pay \$5 yearly dues, but only retired and current postmasters could vote.

Debbie Moore, Corona; Mike Currin, Capitan; Louise Joiner and Patsy Racher, Hondo; Della Bonnell, Glencoe; Shirlene and Julius Fitzner, Ruidoso Downs; Rosalee Patterson, Tinnie; Lupe Kelly, Picacho; Betty Joiner, Fort Stanton; Phyllis Zumwalt, Hondo; Buddy Hill, Nogal; Nick and Anne Serna from Carrizozo were the people present. Nick answered many questions the other postmasters had about receiving and dispatching mail. One thing people might be interested in is if you are thinking of buying colored Christmas envelopes, you might want to change your mind. The new system of sorting mail, by the equipment, cannot read the addresses off of colored envelopes. It has to be sorted by hand—slowing down delivery time.

The group would like to say they missed their other postmaster friends, Faye Womack, Louise Babers, Frances Shaw, Aileen Lindamood, Dorthy Parnell and Maxine Wright.

Dorthy Tally is always missed by her friends. Be sure and come to the Christmas party.

Barry Morgan will be going on to bigger and better places from the Fort on Wednesday. Barry has been the pharmacist here for eight years. We will miss you, Barry!

Donna Keller visited her mother and other family members in Albuquerque this past week. Her mother is very ill. Donna and Daylene Huey are very busy working on the building across the street from the old city hall. They plan to open an antique, craft and snack shop, there.

Latest from Kansas is Ronald and Teresa hope to be arriving home for Thanksgiving. Will be waiting with a big hug.

Til next week, "Happy Deer Hunting and Happy November Birthdays."

Lady Tigers

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be lopsided if the team watches the opponent in the early rounds. They get a warped view of their abilities to play the game.

Allen said she believed that the Capitan girls had made a real wise choice.

"So we're going to go down there and play tough," Allen concluded.

The Lady Tigers had one loss this season, during a tournament.

Goddard High School is

located at 701 East Country Club Road. Roswell High School is located at 400 West Hobbs.

The Capitan Lady Tigers won the state title in 1988, and since have won either second or third place.

The trip to the state tournament will be the seventh time for Allen, since she started coaching at Capitan. Before Capitan, Allen coached her teams to several state titles.

Sheriff's Report

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Nov. 6: Julian C. Gonzales, 19, Santa Fe: speeding, no seat belt, no insurance, driving on suspended license, expired registration, failure to appear; \$500 bond set by Dean posted same day.

Nov. 7: Shannon D. Kayser, 19, Mountainair: hunting with the aid of lights, evading/obstructing on officer; \$1,300 bond set by Dean.

released on order by Dean Nov. 8.

Tommy S. Torres, 19, Mountainair: hunting with aid of artificial lights; \$300 bond by Dean; released on order by Dean Nov. 8.

Nov. 8: Isreal Rodriguez, 18, Ruidoso: commercial burglary; committed to 15 days in jail by District Judge Richard Parsons.

Dion R. Enjady, 27, Mescalero: DWI 2nd; sentenced to 48 hours in jail by Butts; released Nov. 9, time served.

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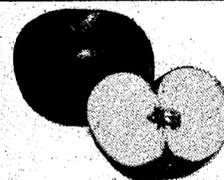
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