

Hondo Valley To Be Declared Disaster Area

by Doris Cherry

Violent storms in the Hondo Valley which washed away roads and drive-ways, broke windows and nearly destroyed the apple crops have prompted the Lincoln County Commission to call a special meeting for 9 a.m. Friday, May 27.

At the meeting, chairman Monroy Montes will make a disaster declaration for the

Hondo Valley. The declaration will release federal emergency funds to repair damage.

Hail and heavy rains have pounded the Rio Hondo area from east of Ruidoso Downs down to Picacho. San Patricio was first hit about two weeks ago. Last Thursday, an intense storm dumped up to eight inches of hail in areas and heavy rains filled arroyos going into the Rio Hondo, causing the river to rise out of

its banks. Rains have continued throughout the week.

The disaster declaration is the first step in obtaining financial help from the Emergency Planning and Coordination Bureau in Santa Fe. Staff from the bureau will come to the affected area to review the damage, then make a decision on what money will be available to assist the cleanup operations.

Funding is also available

for damage to community owned acequias.

Improvements at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds in Capitan which were stalled by a rejected construction bid two weeks ago will again be considered by county commissioners during the Friday meeting. Architect Wayne Andrews will discuss the project which has \$114,000 in state and county money set aside for the improvements.

The Lincoln County Fair Association had compiled a "wish list" of improvements which included a canopy over the rodeo arena bleachers, upgraded bathrooms, new concession stands and a covered walkway. The association had listed the canopies as a bid priority, but the only bid from D&D Construction Company of Capitan did not itemize the projects and lumped the entire project into one

price--\$226,000. The bid being more than \$100,000 over the amount of funding for the improvements Lincoln County Commissioners rejected the bid and commented how that made the cost of the entire Ruidoso Super Select Sales Barn in Glencoe (\$250,000) look like a good deal.

At the meeting Friday,

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Santa Rita Mass Will Be Held To Honor Veterans

Santa Rita Catholic Church in Carrizozo invites people to participate in the annual walk to Our Lady of Guadalupe Cemetery on Memorial Day for a Mass to honor all veterans, living and deceased.

The walk will begin at Santa Rita Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. Monday, May 30.

American Legion Will Conduct Memorial Day Services At Cemetery

American Legion, James A. Hipp Post 57 in Capitan will conduct Memorial services at the Capitan Cemetery on Monday, May 30 at 11:11 a.m.

The starting time of 11:11 a.m. is a reminder the armistice in World War I was signed at 11:11 a.m. in France.

The cemetery is located west of the school. The general public is invited to attend.

Buried in Capitan Cemetery are one veteran of the Civil War, one veteran of the Spanish-American War, and veterans of World Wars I and II, Korea and Vietnam.

Memorial Day To Be Observed With Special Services

Memorial Day will be observed at 10 a.m. Monday, May 30 at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso. The public is invited to attend.

The service will be conducted by American Legion Post 79 and Auxiliary, Disabled American Veterans Post 23 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7072 and Auxiliary.

Dedication Ceremony For Carrizozo Fire Department Building

The Carrizozo Fire Department invites the public to attend the dedication ceremony for the new fire department building Saturday, May 28 at 1 p.m.

The Open House hosted by the Carrizozo Fire Department, will include refreshments and a tour of the building.



THE PHILIPPINE LIBERATION MEDAL was awarded to Alfred Schubert (right) of Albuquerque in recognition of his services on board an American Merchant Marine vessel during World War II. Captain Victor Schaerer (left) of Ruidoso made the presentation during the fifth annual memorial service held May 22 at Fort Stanton. The service was held in the Fort Stanton Rec Center because of the rain at Fort Stanton Cemetery.

Medal Awarded During Fort Stanton Cemetery Services

By Ruth Hammond

The fifth annual memorial service at Fort Stanton Cemetery to honor merchant marine and military personnel was held Sunday, May 22. The location for the ceremony was moved to the Fort Stanton Recreation Center because of the weather.

May 22 is National Maritime Day.

Captain Victor Schaerer, of Ruidoso welcomed all hands. He told of how he and his wife Jean happened upon the Fort Stanton Cemetery and found the history of the cemetery deserved to be preserved. Schaerer is a retired merchant marine captain.

Members of the Fort Stanton Hospital and Training School staff, and Camp Sierra Blanca work crews helped with the task of making crosses and painting them for the graves, as well as cleaning, mowing and clearing away brush.

The American Merchant Marine Veterans Roadrunner Chapter of Albuquerque also became involved with the cemetery and have contributed spiritual and material help.

The two anchors that are now moored at Fort Stanton Cemetery were possible due to the efforts of the Roadrunner Chapter.

The smaller of the two, a fisherman's anchor, was donated by Betty Wattam in memory of her late husband, a former merchant marine chief engineer.

The anchor was delivered from Taos during a snowfall.

The larger anchor is a 10,000 pound anchor off a World War II ship, the Drake

Victory. It arrived by US Navy flatbed trailer and Lincoln County Road Manager Bill Cupit helped unload the anchor with a 12,000 pound

Priorities Could Be Set For Fairgrounds Improvements

by Doris Cherry

Visitors at the 39th annual Smokey Bear Stampede in Capitan this summer will have to risk the weather.

The Stampede will be a highlight of the Smokey Bear 50th Anniversary events scheduled during the July 1-4 weekend in Capitan. And hopes were to have canopies built over the rodeo arena bleachers for the event. In 1992 the state legislature appropriated \$100,000 for the improvements and the county matched that with \$25,000.

But hopes were dashed for

Residents Want Town To Sign Lease With Vallejos

By Ruth Hammond

The Carrizozo Board of Trustees talked to a standing-room only crowd during their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

More than 20 members of the audience were there to show their support for Robert Vallejos to continue to lease the Carrizozo Recreation Center.

The town has advertised for a lessee for the facility on the advice of the town attorney. Vallejos has operated the Rec Center for two years without

a written lease.

Former town trustee Doug Whittaker said he thought the lease had been signed and was a five year lease renewable every year.

Trustees explained the \$1 per year rent for the Rec Center listed in the lease is in violation of the state's anti-donation clause and other wording must be used.

The town will be allowed to lease the facility for "reasonable consideration" which will be determined by the board of trustees.

Vallejos presented his proposal for leasing the Rec Cen-

ter to the board. Other proposals can be accepted until June 14.

Vallejos thanked the board for their consideration and agreed the wording on portions of the former lease need to be changed.

In other business the board awarded the contract for the 1993-94 fiscal year audit to Don Wingfield of Roswell.

Resolution 94-07 for regional juvenile services task force between the town and other government entities was approved.

The agreement for the town to provide services as agent for the motor vehicles division was approved.

Action was tabled on the policy and procedures manual/domestic violence/ for the police department. The manual has been referred to the town attorney for further review. The attorney is to provide a written report to the town about the conflicts with the town's personnel ordinance.

Bill Murry from the Valley of Fires reported there were 9,600 visitors and \$3,000 in fees were collected last month at Valley of Fires Recreation Area.

Murry thanked the town for their assistance in support of the grant for a handicapped accessible trail to be built at Valley of Fires.

Police chief Charlie White asked for and received permission for one officer each day to assist the Capitan Police during the Smokey Bear festivities in July. The permission was given pending approval from the town's insurance provider.

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Blanca.

Gravel surrounding the 25 foot tall monument was re-

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Capitan, where the annual Smokey Bear Stampede rodeo is held each year. Association members at their meeting May 18 discussed the rejected bid and agreed they wanted to re-advertise the request for bids. District 4 Commissioner Bill Schwettmann present at the meeting said the architect should have broken down the various parts of the improvements and prioritized the bid specifications.

Fair association president Gordon Barham told the group that the association

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Carrizozo Students Encouraged To Make Right Choices In Life

Carrizozo graduates were told to "be tough on yourselves, do the things you oughta do when you oughta do them, always put positive good thoughts in your mind, and to choose carefully what goes in your mind," during commencement exercises May 20.

"You can choose to be happy or you can choose to be sad," Robert Hemphill told the graduates during his commencement address.

The last thing Hemphill said to the graduates was, "You can make \$300 to \$400 a week from the neck down. From the neck up there is no limit. Class of '94 just do it."

Hemphill, a graduate of the Carrizozo class of 1959 and the former Mayor of Carrizozo and a former Lincoln County Commissioner, is now teaching at Ruidoso High School and Eastern New Mexico University-Ruidoso. He taught at Carrizozo Schools for 12 years.

Hemphill said at the beginning of his address that he was asked to keep the speech less than two and a half minutes. Most of the graduates had been Hemphill's students.

The 20 graduates of the class of '94 received their diplomas after the special

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ROBERT HEMPHILL (right) gave the commencement address at Carrizozo Graduation May 18. Hemphill, a graduate of Carrizozo class of 1959 taught at Carrizozo Schools 12 years. He is currently teaching at Ruidoso High School and Eastern New Mexico University-Ruidoso. School counselor Mike Gaines spoke with Hemphill after the graduation exercises.

Priorities Could Be Set

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wanted to do the project in phases, with the canopies the first phase and so on.

Since the May 18 fair board meeting, Lincoln County Commissioners have called a special meeting and will hear from the fairgrounds improvements architect Wayne Andrews. In a letter to the commission Andrews states he will make a presentation on either allowing the only bidder to construct the canopies only, or to re-bid the project

with the canopies as priority and additional option of the storeroom.

At the fair board meeting, Barham also announced that Walt Jones of Capitan was hired as the part time manager of the fairgrounds. Jones was selected by the hiring committee which had interviewed applicants. Jones will be responsible for booking activities held at the fairgrounds facilities and will also do minor maintenance. His

salary will be funded through a management agreement with the Lincoln County Commission. The fairgrounds are owned by the County of Lincoln.

Despite the lack of canopies over the rodeo arena bleachers, the annual Smokey Bear Stampede will be held July 2, 3 and 4. After each rodeo performance will be a country western dance also at the fairgrounds. The fair board approved the contract with

the band Katawaler Kreek for this year's dances. The group features a female lead vocalist. Admission will be charged.

Barbara Luna, regional forester for the New Mexico State Forestry Department, reported on the advertising done by the Friends of Smokey for the July 4 events. She also introduced local movie producer Vivian LaMothe whose company requested use of the arena to film as part of a modern western movie. The board approved the use of the arena, after the last rodeo performance on July 4.

LaMothe said her camera crews plan to do candid shots of the crowds during the actual rodeo performances.

Luna also said there are plans to have a reception/news conference on Saturday, July 2. Invitations will be sent to U.S. Senator Pete Domenici, Congressman Joe Skeen, Gov. Bruce King, State Rep. John Underwood and other dignitaries.

The July 4 weekend events celebrating Smokey Bear's golden anniversary will be advertised throughout June on KBOR-NBC, Luna said.

The Smokey Bear Stampede is the major fund raiser for the Lincoln County Fair, which will be held August 9-13 this year. Mandated by the county commission to establish user fees for the fairgrounds, the fair board voted to charge fees to anyone setting up a booth during the fair in August. Vendors (anyone who sells items) will be charged a basic fee of \$46, plus 10 percent of the vendor's gross sales. Non-profit groups which plan to set up display booths will be charged \$25.

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Santa Rita Fiesta Dancers Will Meet After mass Sunday

The Santa Rita Fiesta Dancers are re-organizing in preparation for Fiesta '94 which will be held July 16 and 17.

A planning meeting will be held after the 11 a.m. Mass on May 29. Children, preschool through 6th grade, their parents, grandparents, and everyone interested in the church dance group are encouraged to attend.

For more information contact Polly Chavez at 648-2524 or Lucia Vega at 648-2464.

Capitan Schools To Have Closed Campus Next Year

by Doris Cherry

Big changes are in store for students of the Capitan Municipal Schools this fall. A closed campus policy will go into affect for high school students, who also will have tougher penalties for discipline violations and a new bell schedule, and middle school

students will go into a new building and a new approach at education.

The new Capitan Middle School building is nearing completion. And the teachers who will occupy the building this fall have developed a curriculum and philosophy that they hope will renew the middle school students' interest in education.

academics. After the 30-minute lunch, middle school students (grades 6-8) will take electives, one of which must be Physical Education. Other electives will be fine arts (choir/band or art for 6, 7 and 8th graders and Home Ec. or VoAg for 8th graders.

Middle school students will be under the ZAP program or Zeros Are Prohibited where no incomplete or half completed papers will be accepted by teachers. Students who turn in such papers will go to a special area for the afternoon

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Middle School teachers Ed Davis, Chad Merchant, Donnell Merchant, Neil Davis, Mecca Aldridge and Hazel Poissot presented their proposed curriculum to the Capitan Board of Education during the regular meeting Thursday, May 19. The teachers have visited with personnel at other schools and have worked on the proposed curriculum throughout this school year.

Their proposed curriculum will consist of a "thematic" unit approach which will coordinate all basic subjects of math, science, English and social studies into one area of study. For example, if students are studying Egyptian history, they will use language arts, English, math and science as part of the overall study. Students will have text books, and classrooms, but teachers will cooperate closely to make the thematic approach work.

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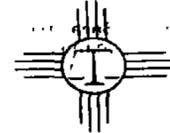
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The teachers will explain their proposed curriculum to parents and the public during special meetings to be held this summer. No dates have been set for the meetings, but when the dates are set the meetings will be advertised in the local newspapers and notices posted in public places. Parents are invited to call the school administration for more information.

Davis said the curriculum is an attempt to get kids to enjoy education. "We need to do anything to get that age (group) excited," Davis said.

"Our students are bored to death in the middle school," said Poissot.

Mornings in the middle school will be devoted strictly to the four content areas of

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CAPITAN HEAD START CLASS OF 1994 sing for parents and friends gathered at the Head Start graduation held May 18. Head Start instructor Jane York leads her class in the song. Head Start students pictured include Marshelle Arellano, Kerri Carver, Kayla Coronado, Nicole Darby, Kallie Griffin, Veronika Lucero, Ruben Palomino, Tanner Pharris, Tiffany Priser, Tracy Renfro, Cassandra Trujillo, Derek West and Valerie Williams. This was the first Head Start class graduating from the Capitan center of the Lincoln County Head Start program. Students under the age of five may be eligible for enrollment into the Head Start program this fall. Contact Capitan Schools for more information.

Carrizozo Students Encouraged . . .

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slide presentation showing the students pictures through the years, and after Class Valedictorian Rachel Archuleta and Salutatorian Renee Roper spoke.

Michael Gaines, school counselor, presented scholarships that had a total value of \$38,500.

Rachel Archuleta received the Carrizozo Lions Club \$200 Scholarship, the Four Winds \$400 Scholarship, Student Council \$100 Scholarship, and the NMSU President's Associate Scholarship in the amount of \$2,200 renewable each year for four years.

Renee Roper received the Carrizozo Alumni Association \$100 Scholarship, Harriet Donohoo Scholarship in the amount of \$500, renewable each year for four years, National FFA Agriscience \$1,000

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Davin Epperson received the Carrizozo Woman's Club \$250 Scholarship, Four Winds \$400 Scholarship, Westminster College Scholarship in the amount of \$2,400 renewable each year for four years, and the Westminster College \$700 Scholarship.

Lori Gibson received the Canyon CowBelles \$150 Scholarship, Carrizozo Alumni \$100 Scholarship, Four Winds \$400 Scholarship, Carrizozo Masonic Lodge \$400 Scholarship, United New Mexico Bank \$150 Citizenship Scholarship, Carrizozo Soil Conservation District \$500 Scholarship, Ruidoso State Bank \$200 Scholarship, and Clarendon College Scholarship

in the amount of \$300 renewable each year for two years.

Blas Herrera received the Santa Rita Parish \$100 Scholarship.

Jonathan Vallejos received the Carrizozo Alumni Association \$100 Scholarship.

Lee Greer received the Rotary Club \$200 Scholarship, and Department of Energy \$300 Scholarship.

Lenny Beltran, received the Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce \$250 Scholarship, and Four Winds \$400 Scholarship.

Belinda Baca received the Four Winds \$400 Scholarship.

Gilbert Barela Jr. received the Four Winds \$400 Scholarship.

Julie Gallegos received the student council \$100 Scholarship and the Four Winds \$400 Scholarship.

Jacob Portillo received the Four Winds \$400 Scholarship. Danielle Giordano received the People for Kids \$100 Scholarship.

The program for graduation included a page of recipes written (or dictated) by 11 of the graduates when they were in kindergarten. Excerpts from the recipes:

Rachel Archuleta's recipe for bacon was to put the bacon on the stove for one minute then eat it with some milk.

Belinda Baca's recipe for chocolate cake was to put it in the oven for about six minutes at eight degrees.

Gilbert Barela's recipe for chocolate cake included six cups of chocolate.

Leonard Beltran's recipe for chocolate cake was to frost the cake, let it cool and then eat the whole cake.

Julie Gallegos recipe for chocolate cake was to put it in the oven for three hours.

Lori Gibson's recipe for chocolate chip cookies was to put the dough in little balls on the pans, stick in the oven at 65 degrees, put them in in the morning until you get home from work.

Blas Herrera's recipe for steak was to put lots of hot sauce on it.

Renee Roper's recipe for popcorn was to heat the pan and put in however much you want to cook like a cup or a handful.

Jonathan Vallejos recipe for oatmeal was to put on the stove till the fire comes out and burns it, and cook for probably three hours.

George Vega's recipe for potatoes was to put on the stove and cook for eight days.

Amy Zamora's recipe for eggs was to cook them for four hours.



FIVE NEW MEMBERS of the Carrizozo National Honor Society were inducted April 28, back row from left: Jim Brown, Sara Funk, Kristina Wetzel, Jessica Estrella, and Debbie Bond. Also on the back row is member T.J. Vermillon. Front row from left, members Lynette Hernandez, Renee Roper, Lori Gibson and Rachel Archuleta. Funk, Estrella, Bond and Brown are sophomores, and Wetzel, Vermillon and Hernandez are juniors. Honor Society sponsor Mariann Patterson recognized graduating seniors Gibson, Roper and Archuleta for their contributions.

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THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

About Memorial Day

By Ruth Hammond

Memorial Day was originally a day set aside to remember the men and women in the armed forces who gave their lives to help keep the United States of America a safe place to live. It was traditional for families to travel to cemeteries where loved ones were buried and to place flowers on the graves of not only family members but others who had died.

Through the years the practice of placing flowers on the graves caused the cemeteries to have a decorated look and people gave Memorial Day a new name, Decoration Day.

Decoration Day was a happy-sad day. People were happy to see relatives and friends while at the same time they were sad as they placed colorful flowers on the graves of their parents and other family members.

Most cemeteries were "spruced up" before Decoration Day, even those in isolated locations. If there was no money to pay someone to mow at the cemetery, volunteers would clean and mow the best they could to make the cemetery presentable for the out of town and out of state visitors who made the annual trek on the one day set aside to honor the dead.

Quite often the event would include a ceremony with prayers and moments of silence. Potluck dinners, while not the main reason for going to the cemetery, were an added bonus for those travelling longer distances and gave everyone time to visit and share memories.

Walking to the graves of family members was an experience for children, especially when they were told to be sure and not walk on the graves but to walk in front of the graves. Small children were unable to distinguish which was the front and which was the actual grave itself.

Parades were another important part of Memorial Day. The parade was usually led by the veterans, many just barely able to walk. These proud veterans would hold their heads high as they marched the parade route. Veterans standing on the parade route would salute as the flag passed by and children and other people would put their hands over their heart in respect for the flag.

After the parade, the local park would be the gathering place for speeches, more prayers, and moments of silence in memory of those who died that we might today have this county for our home.

Members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) were usually the leaders of the parade. The older veterans seemed to be quieter than normal.

At the end of the day, those attending Memorial Day Services knew they had honored the war dead and those who did not lose their lives in any sort of military conflict. It was a good feeling.

Today all too many people think of Memorial Day as an opportunity to take three days off work and drive to another place for a vacation.

Boating, fishing, picnics, parties and fun are what too many people of today want during their three days away from the work place. Others will work in their yards and stay at home to avoid the bumper-to-bumper traffic that is on the highways on three-day weekends.

Perhaps more of us should remember what Memorial Day is all about. Perhaps more of us should take the time to stop and observe a moment of silence to honor those people who gave their lives for our country. Without their sacrifice we might not even be here today. Perhaps we should all try harder to remember the people who fought for our freedoms.

Whether you call it Memorial Day or Decoration Day, whether you picnic or party or drive, whether you place flowers on a grave or watch a parade, stop one moment and remember.

Have A Safe Memorial Day!



THE OTHER SIDE

Lawyer n., A member of the genus *legalus of obfuscatus confoundus carborundum ipsa dixit.* (Spells like Latin, sounds like Greek.) A denizen of the depths of despair, whose services are similar to a casualty insurance policy in that it ain't worth a plug nickel until you need it. That 3:00 a.m. telephone call never starts out. "I hate lawyers and I'm in the clink," but the answer is still the same in either case. "Don't go anywhere and I'll see you in the morning."

Did you hear about the blonde aggie who enrolled in law school? Not only was he light-headed and without ice cubes, but he was well on his way to developing an ambivalent attitude. ("Light-headed": a pun describing the intellectual capacity supporting the flaxen locks. "Ice Cubes": that phenomenon which disappeared when the senior with the recipe graduated. "Ambivalent attitude": the ability to tread water without getting your feet wet.)

And I wouldn't dare describe the actions of the tiger who was attempting to refresh his palate following the ingestion of a lawyer. No, he was not brushing his teeth, to the obvious displeasure of the other tiger.

A solicitor is a specialized form of legal counsel found in England. He is the one who has personal contact with the client, as opposed to a barrister who never sees the client but professes to represent his/her interests. This bifurcation developed from the practice of shooting your lawyer after he won the case for the other side, and produced the time-honored English practice known as "retribution by representation" whereby the division of spoils was made between the Solicitor and Barrister with the latter claiming the fee and the former the accolades. This also led to the principle of sword vs. shield, which led to the practice in the colonies of disavowing the common law tradition to the extent in which it failed to further the ambitions of those for whom ambition was a desirable trait. And this was perfectly in line with the traditions of the common law since its development progressed to fit the peculiarities of the situation as they came about. This process became known as *lex loco*, and was renowned for its expedient results, especially in Texas where they did whatever they dam' well pleased. I appreciated Ruth Bussey's comment that she would have been a lawyer if she had lived in England, but thought the statement was a bit redundant because the result of her efforts would have been the same in either instance. (For those of you from Northern Slobovia, Ruth Bussey was a lady of the very dark evening who used to advertise her wares on "Laugh-In" back when television was in its infancy as a participatory sport.) (Northern Slobovia, located just north of its southernmost counterpart, is a principality known for its unusual customs, which was first described to the world by Al Capp as being the location selected by Li'l Abner as a relocation point for Daisy Mae after she met Whistlin' Sam. I can remember the conversation now, to-wit: "For all I care, you can *!@&# straight to Northern Slobovia!" "And take your donkey with you!")

I started this discussion to comment on the popular dislike for members of the legal profession, but after consider-

Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—Attorney General Tom Udall will continue investigating why New Mexico gasoline prices are among the highest in the nation.

But it won't be without controversy -- and lack of support from an expected ally.

Udall held a news conference last week to give a progress report on his year-long investigation. He noted that when the probe began last May surveys showed New Mexico's gasoline prices were the highest in the continental United States. Gasoline prices are still the sixth in the nation but Udall has yet to find out why.

But he does know why not. The attorney general began his investigation by asking the oil industry why New Mexico gasoline prices are so high. He then asked for data to support the industry's answers.

Udall says the oil industry data fails to back up any of its explanations for high New Mexico prices.

So what does that prove? Only that New Mexico's high gasoline prices are "enormously suspicious," says Udall.

But enormous suspicion isn't good enough in a court of law. It won't prove price fixing or anti-trust violations. Udall admits he was hoping for a break.

Anti-trust suits normally are won when one company gets mad at its co-conspirators for some reason and blows the whistle. Or it happens when circumstantial evidence builds to the point that somebody breaks and agrees to turn state's evidence in return for a smaller penalty.

That's what happened in the early '80s when New Mexico's natural gas suppliers finally agreed to paying stiff penalties and renegotiating gas delivery contracts. It's what happened 10 years ago when the attorney general's office brought criminal indictments and civil lawsuits against the retail gasoline industry in New Mexico.

But this time, even though public concern over gasoline prices is at least as high as it was a decade ago, no insider with firsthand information has come forth.

So Udall will continue his probe.

Ever since I read Steinbeck's *Travels With Charley* 25 or 30 years ago, I've wanted to write my own song of the open road.

I'll never get enough of New Mexico's beauty or history. And every time I travel, I find a whole new world I haven't experienced before.

My latest sojourn was to southern New Mexico from Lincoln County to Deming, an area we visit often because it's where Jeanette's and my roots and relatives are located.

At the Inn of the Mountain Gods, Wendell Chino's Casino Apache continues its move toward looking more like a Las Vegas operation all the time, but without the tables -- just video machines. And Chino continues to tweak Gov. Bruce King by talking about economic development either through high-level nuclear waste storage or gambling.

St. Joseph's Mission, the big rock church towering above the highway at Mesalero, is a must-see. The tersely worded marker at the side of the US 70 doesn't do justice to the story of Franciscan Friar Albert Braun who labored on it from the end of World War I to the beginning of World

War II. But *Roadside History* of New Mexico tells the story beautifully.

At Tularosa we enjoyed the Rose Festival while traffic was stopped on the highway for nearly an hour as the parade passed through. The festival is one of many events in Lincoln and Otero counties that are part of former Sen. Aubrey Dunn's Sun Bird Country promotions designed to attract tourists, especially us older folks.

The April issue of *New Mexico* magazine features the Alameda-Depot area of Las Cruces that recently has been declared historic. Many of the old homes are being restored to their former glory. One home that hasn't seen any touching up yet is on Melendres near Hadley where my father grew up and where his parents lived until their deaths in the '50s.

A Shared Commitment



Our nation's strength stems from those who have fought to defend it. This Memorial Day, we honor those who never lost sight of America's people and its potential. Their pride in service exhibits a commitment we share.

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Letters to the Editor

EDITOR—I would like to take this opportunity to convey the important role P.A. Ernie Gonzales has played in Lincoln County and to express my appreciation.

Dr. Ernie, as he is more commonly referred to, has played a very important role in Lincoln County, and more specifically Carrizozo and Corona, and that's the role of "care giver". He has provided these communities with a sense of comfort, the comfort in knowing that he is there, always there, that medical attention is not an hour or more away, but close at hand. His services are not limited solely to these communities, residents from all over Lincoln County patronize the Carrizozo Clinic. Ernie provides not only quality health care, but compassionate health care, a rare quality and a forgotten practice by most.

On a professional basis, Ernie has always responded when called. Irregardless night or day he's been there when needed, and earned the gratitude and respect of many. His medical expertise has been proven time and again in the saving of lives. The Sheriff's Department has a very solid working relationship with Ernie, a relationship that has existed since his arrival to Carrizozo, a relationship based on respect.

Ernie's involvement in Lincoln County, is not limited to the practice of health care, he is also involved on a personal level as well. I know for a fact he is very generous every year with donations to Santa Cops, which stems from his personal relationship with the residents in Lincoln County and understanding their needs. Once again there lies the compassion.

It is my opinion, and shared by many, that we are very fortunate to have P.A. Ernie Gonzales in Lincoln County and I wouldn't want to think of the effect it would have if for some reason he would leave. There needs to be more individuals in the medical profession like Ernie, people who really care, people who make a positive impact in the communities in which they serve.

It is at this time I would like to express my gratitude for all his assistance, late nights and future encounters.

SHERIFF JAMES MCSWANE,
Carrizozo.

EDITOR—The residents of Carrizozo are the owners of four valuable properties assets which have been provided to us, either by other government entities or by generous individuals. It is our responsibility, through the Town Council, to maintain and to operate the airport, the recreation center, the golf course and the swimming pool.

MAINTENANCE: the obligation of the town

OPERATION: several alternatives:

(1) by contract with an individual in which that person collects the fees and hopes to pay for the time invested (recreation center and golf course)

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CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 27

—Lincoln County Commissioners meet at 9 a.m. for a regular meeting in their chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. The public is invited.

—Carrizozo Town Trustees will have a special meeting at 10 a.m. in Town Hall to award the golf course lease.

—Hondo High School graduation at 7 p.m. in the gym.

SATURDAY, MAY 28

—Lincoln County Ranch Rodeo at 1 p.m. at Lincoln County Fairgrounds in Capitan.

MONDAY, MAY 30

—Memorial Day. All public offices closed.

TUESDAY, MAY 31

—Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority will conduct a special meeting at 10 a.m. at the recycling center in Ruidoso Downs. Items on the agenda include illegal dumping crisis and audit contract award. The public is invited.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

—Lincoln County Democratic "Piesta" at 5 p.m. at Idle Hour Lounge, 112 Lower Terrace in Ruidoso. Call Cathy Garrison at 257-2711 for more information.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

—Economic Development Corporation of Lincoln County (EDC/LC) meeting in the office in the Stroud Building on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

—Carrizozo Senior Citizens Center invites everyone to a display of Arts and Crafts, including paintings, ceramics and sweatshirt paintings, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

—Friends of Smokey will have a special meeting at 2 p.m. at Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan. Anyone who would like to help during the July 4-weekend events is invited to attend. All members are urged to be present.

MONDAY, JUNE 6

—Republican Party of Lincoln County "First Monday" meeting at 6 p.m. at Bob and Jade Boebinger's home. Turn at the sign "La Finca" on U.S. Highway 70, east of San Patricio. Call Beverly Nys at 258-4372 or Coleta Elliott at 258-4455 by noon June 3 to make a reservation.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

—American Legion Post 57 Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. at Capitan Senior Citizens Center. Visitors are welcome.

JUNE 15

—Community Blood Drive from 1-6 p.m. at Otero Electric Co-op office in Carrizozo.

Hondo Valley To Be . . .

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Andrews will present two options on the fairgrounds improvements project to commissioners. D&D Construction has indicated it could construct the canopies and a store room with the funds available. Or Andrews will ask commissioners to consider taking the same improve-

ments plans, delete the concessions buildings and the connecting covered walkway. Then he would solicit invitations to bid for the canopies and storeroom with the canopies as the base bid and the store room as an additive alternative.

Also at Friday's meeting, commissioners will award a bid for a water tank which will be built to fit the truck chassis for the road department; consider sponsorship of the newly formed Lincoln County Senior Olympic organization so the county can offer liability insurance as an in-kind contribution; hear a presentation on an Assessment for Pre-employment program; and approve a contract for professional services from Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District (SNMEDD.)

The public is invited to attend the meeting which begins at 9 a.m.

Other Side . . .

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ing the lameness of their attempts at humor, I would agree they deserve it. Legal acumen and corn don't appear to mix well. And be sure to remind me of this the next time you call me to request assistance in removing your child/brat/spouse/ not distant enough relative/parent/associate (cross out one or more) is arrested for maligning the dignity of the local constabulary and it is still three weeks until payday. I'll be glad to help you out.

Letters to the Editor . . .

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(2) by town employees (swimming pool)

(3) by contract with an individual who receives a two-bedroom apartment and utilities. Fees collected are remitted to the town. Operator should put in approximately sixteen hours a week to compensate for his housing. (airport)

In the past, alternatives (1) and (3) have been either written or oral agreements with the Town Council or a committee. These contracts were not publicized, although available at City Hall; consequently communication and understanding by the public was rather sketchy.

At the May 24 Town Council meeting, many residents attended, being very interested and concerned about the contracts for the operation of the recreation center. Some of the confusion was sorted out, most of it being the result of two lawyers' disagreements.

Hopefully, the Town Council can arrive at contracts which will be equitable for all concerned. Perhaps each trustee could be assigned as liaison for each property and make monthly or quarterly reports?

DOROTHY FORSYTHE,
Carrizozo.

"Thank You Card"

I'm very grateful to friends, students and fellow employees of Carrizozo Municipal Schools for the many cards, gifts and well wishes upon my retirement.

Julia J. Hollis

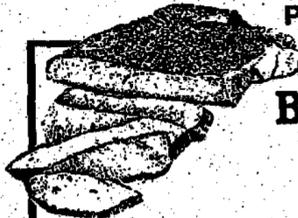
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CAPITAN NOTES

By MAUREEN SULLIVAN

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

I have been saddened by the death of Jacqueline Kennedy and have not been able to settle down and write this week's column. It is now Tuesday afternoon and my copy must be mailed from Capitan in a couple of hours. I feel I must say something about this great lady, but words fail me. I kept searching for something appropriate to write about a lady I did not know, but a lady I had admired for many, many years. And then I accidentally discovered the following when I was looking for something else and feel it could have been composed by our former First Lady...

This was found in Old Saint Paul's Church in Baltimore and dated 1692.

DESIDERATA

Go placidly amid the noise and haste and remember what Peace there may be in Silence. As far as possible, without surrender, be on good terms with all persons. Speak your truth quietly; and listen to others, even the dull and ignorant; they too have their story. Avoid loud and aggressive persons, they are vexations to the spirit. If you compare yourself with others, you may become vain and bitter; for always there will be greater and lesser persons than yourself. Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans. Keep interested in your own career, however humble; it is a real possession in the changing fortunes of time. Exercise caution in your business affairs; for the world is full of trickery. But let this not blind you to what virtue there is; many persons strive for high ideals; and everywhere life is full of heroism. Be yourself. Especially, do not feign affection. Neither be cynical about love; for in the face of all aridity and disenchantment, it is perennial as the grass. Take kindly the counsel of the years, gracefully surrendering the things of youth. Nurture strength of spirit to shield you in sudden misfortune. But do not distress yourself with imaginings. Many fears are born of fatigue and loneliness. Beyond

a wholesome discipline, be gentle with yourself. You are a Child of the Universe, no less than the Trees and the Stars; You have a right to be here. And whether or not it is clear to you, no doubt the universe is unfolding as it should. Therefore, be at peace with God, whatever you conceive Him to be, and whatever your labors and aspirations, in the noisy confusion of life keep peace with your Soul. With all its sham, drudgery and broken dreams, it is still a beautiful world. Be careful. Strive to be happy...

The following was presented to my late husband and I by our eldest son, Terrance Patrick Sullivan before he left to make his home in Brazil.

I shall pass through this world but once.

Any good therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now.

Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.

And so Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis—Eternal Rest be granted unto you, but we will never forget YOU.

John Allen Cox just dropped in to pick up his photographs of his grandparents. Said he enjoyed the story about his family and their ranches and his parents and grandfather did also. So now I am asking all of you other folks out there in Lincoln County to bring me your stories. I will be honored to type them and submit them to the Lincoln County News. I know my friends have enjoyed reading the few profiles we have submitted and I know there are a lot more most interesting stories waiting to be told. So my number is 354-2591. Give me a call.

It will soon be Memorial Day and a nice vacation for most folks. Memorial used to be called Decoration Day when I was growing up. It was a day when you visited the cemeteries and put flowers on the graves of your loved ones. It usually ended up with a parade of soldiers that survived the wars and usually there was some kind

of a program at the school house. When the flag was marching by and the band was playing, my thoughts were usually centered on some new young lad that had recently moved to our little town, sizing him up, as it were, while the Band Played On.

Just ran across the following prayer for parents while I was searching for something else.

O Heavenly Father, make me a better parent. Teach me to understand my children, to listen patiently to what they have to say, and to answer all their questions kindly. Keep me from interrupting them or contradicting them. Make me as courteous to them as I would have them be to me. Forbid that I should ever laugh at their mistakes or resort to shame or ridicule when they displease me. May I never punish them for my own selfish satisfaction or to show my power. Let me not tempt my child to lie or steal. And guide me hour by hour that I may demonstrate by all I say and do that honesty produces happiness. Reduce, I pray, the meanness in me. And when I am out of sorts, help me, O Lord to hold my tongue. May I ever be mindful that my children are children and I should not expect the judgments of adults. Let me not rob them of the opportunity to wait on themselves and to make decisions. Bless me with the bigness to grant them all their reasonable requests and the courage to deny them privileges I know will do them harm. Make me fair and just and kind. And fit me, O Lord, to be loved and respected and imitated by my children. Amen.

Children are more powerful than oil, more beautiful than rivers and more precious than any other natural resources...Danny Kaye.

When a man is singing in the shower it means that the kids did not use up all the hot water.

There was a time long, long ago when anyone spending \$100.00 for a pair of sneakers was stocking up a shoe store.

A small town is a place where the only reason you need a driver's license is to drive.

There is a very pretty little girl at the Ruidoso State Bank. So now we have three very pretty girls to assist us with our money needs or our needs for money. Her name is Debbie Flores and she resides in Lincoln and she has resided in Lincoln for the past two and half years. I just met her daughter Andrenna who is the Lincoln County Rodeo Queen and I certainly see why. She is a beautiful young lady as is her mother. Debbie is secretary of the Rodeo Club and also does substitute teaching at Capitan High School. Welcome to Capitan.

Ran into Dorothy Smith at the market the other day and she is as pretty and perky as per usual. Shiloh is slowly improving after his accident this spring, which is good news to everyone.

The year's around the turn of the century seems terribly long, long ago. I am sure it sounds impossible to our young that there ever was a time when we did not have super highways, stereo, television, fast food and juvenile delinquency. But there was some of us that still have a



GRAND OFFICERS of the Grand Jurisdiction of New Mexico, Order of the Eastern Star, made their official visit to Comet Chapter #29 on May 5. A nice crowd attended this event. This photo includes, front row, left to right, Jake Harris, Worthy Patron of Comet Chapter; Sara Henry, Alamogordo; Juanita Coleman, Worthy Grand Matron from Vaughn; Florence Harris, Worthy Matron of Comet Chapter; William Donohoe, Worthy Grand Patron from Albuquerque; back row, left to right, Suzie Matsler, Grand Martha; Elizabeth Schimid-hamer, Grand Organist; Welch Morgan, Grand Trustee; Jody Morgan, Grand Warder; Betty Jane Brown, Grand Adah; Harvey Lewis, Grand Sentinel; Mary Donohoe, Grand Esther and Maxene Brown, Grand Chaplain.

pulse that can vividly remember the telephone was a modern miracle, and indoor toilets were a novelty and automobiles were the object of scrutiny and wonderment as well as electricity. But being young in these days was not bad at all, at least sometimes even the thought of those good old days brings memories of happiness and contentment. What did we do to keep from dying of boredom? Well, I'll tell you. We had parties. Holidays were anticipated with excitement. Parades were terrific. Family get-togethers were great and entertaining. Seeing and visiting with favorite aunts and cousins was something we marked the days off on the calendar each day in anticipation. When I was real young I thought the days were endless and the tomorrows 'just' would never come. Today the days keep getting shorter and no time to just lounge, read and dream. I always heard of the golden years, but now that I have reached the time they are supposed to be golden, most of them are downright brassy. My mother always reminded me that all that glitter is NOT gold.

This morning I opened the "fridge" to pour myself my

first cup of coffee. The coffeemaker was where it has always been. I am the one that is changing, losing my way, stumbling over my own shadow and griping because I can't see without my glasses

and griping some more when I misplace the dogged things and cannot find them right away.

There's an old saying that a

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Capitan Notes . . .

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fool and his money are soon parted. One of life's mysteries is how in thunder that fool and his money got together in the first place.

The two best times for fishing are just before you get there and just after you leave.

Confidence is painting the ceiling after installing the new carpet.

The only people to try and get even with are the ones that have helped you.

Some people grow under responsibility, others just swell up.

The following is taken from Country Magazine and submitted by Don Parquette, Tempe, Arizona.

Cattle Rustling Still Happening!

"They no longer hang cattle rustlers from the nearest tree without the benefit of judge or jury as they did in the Old West, but cattle rustling is apparently still a problem on the sparsely populated realm of ranches that hug the New Mexico border in southeastern Arizona. There is a case in

court in Greenlee County now in which a 62 year old rancher and his sons are accused of 27 counts of rustling from adjacent remote ranches. Some of the rangeland in that area is spread over such an enormous region in the White Mountains and is so rugged that a cow can disappear for several years, then re-emerge with a weaned calf. As in frontier days, these calves are called 'mavericks' and the law of the Old West still applies — mavericks can be branded with the mark of the ranch on which they are found. But the rancher bringing the charges in this case contends some of the calves with the neighbor's brand aren't 'mavericks.' When paired up with his own cows, the 'orphaned' calves immediately 'mothered up' to his cows and nursed, establishing the calves actually belonged to him.

The case is still unsettled. I'll tell you in a future issue how it turns out.

And so for another week my best to each and everyone of you. Have a happy Memorial Day, but please remember what the day stands for. Adios and happy thoughts.

District IV AFCE Arts Show Winners

More than 151 women representing eight counties attended the District IV New Mexico Association for Family and Community Education meeting held at the Bonita Park Campgrounds in Alto May 2 and 3, (formerly Extension Clubs.)

One of the highlights of the meeting was a presentation from VanAnn Moore, from the New Mexico Endowment for the Humanities presenting Susan Shelby McGoffin.

Another important facet of the meeting was an opportunity for members to exhibit their arts and crafts in the Cultural Arts Show, where 101 exhibitors entered 416 items to be judged. The first, second and third place winners' exhibits are eligible to be judged at the NMFCE State meeting that will be conducted in Gallup in October.

The winners representing Lincoln County were:

- Fine Arts: Madelle McDaniel, train, third.
- Ceramics & Pottery: Elaine Beaudry, Storyteller, first.
- Knitting: Alice Phelps, afghan, blue & white, second; Elaine Beaudry, booties, second.
- Crochet: Erma Trujillo, collar, second; Lou Roberts, Doll dress blue, first; Edith Malcolm, afghan, first; Lou Roberts, bath set, second; Dorothy Talley, pot holder, second; Erma Trujillo, pot holder, third.

Plastic Canvas: Alice Phelps, Indian vase, first; Alice Phelps, Purse lavender, first; Alice Phelps, Notions box, first; Alice Phelps, Picture frame, first.

Embroidery: Lucia Vega, pillow, second.

Tattooing: LaRue Wetzel, Necklace tattooed, second.

Needlework: Erma Trujillo, Wall hanging, first; Erma Trujillo, Pillow, first.

Folded Fabric: Alice Phelps, Egg, second.

Rugs: Dorothy Talley, Rug Latchhook, first.

Weaving: Bessie Jones,

Woven Gold Vest, second; Bessie Jones, Table runner & 2 mats, second.

Dolls: Elaine Beaudry, Doll & Dog knitted, first; Ammel Bevell, Raggedy Ann & Andy; first; Amanda Torrez, Doll Stuffed, third.

Quilting: Ammel Bevell, Hand quilted, third; Erma Trujillo, Quilt baby, second; Erma Trujillo, Wall Hanging Quilted, first; Erma Trujillo, Pillow pieced, first; Erma Trujillo, Pillow applique, first; Lucia Vega, Pillow horse, second; Erma Trujillo, Quilt bear in Attic, first; Erma Trujillo, Pillow, second; Nina Ross, Quillow, third.

Miscellaneous: Jo Blazer, Paper Twist Basket, first; Lou Roberts, Paper Twist Basket, second; Erma Trujillo, Wall Hanging Church, first; Mae Crouse, Red Album Padded, first; Nina Ross, Holder padded, second.

Holiday: Elaine Beaudry, Santa Claus, first; Jo Blazer, Easter Basket, third.

Wearable art: Helen Lock, Ultra Suede Applique, second; Alice Phelps, Floral T-shirt, second; Opal Armstrong, vest, second; Helen Lock, Jacket, second; Helen Lock, Purse, first; Alice Phelps, Formal shirt, first.

Clothing: Nina Ross, Dress, first; Edith Malcolm, Two-piece dress, second; Helen Lock, Two-piece outfit, first; Edith Malcolm, Two-piece outfit, third; Edith Malcolm, Purse, third; Nina Ross, Skirt, first; Edith Malcolm, Skirt, third; Edith Malcolm, Blouse, first.

*Best of Lot

Follow Basic Food Rules For Potluck Meal Safety

by BETTY McCREIGHT
Lincoln County
Home Economist

Potluck meals can be a lot of fun. But, too often, they turn out to be a chance to get sick from food poisoning.

It doesn't have to be that way. A dinner party should be memorable for the good times — not because everyone got sick!

You can avoid many problems if you follow some basic food safety rules.

- Don't leave perishable foods such as meat, casseroles, eggs, and dairy foods out at room temperature for more than two hours. That includes the time you transport the food and have it sitting out at a party.

- If you're traveling for a long time, take along an ice chest and keep the wrapped, perishable food nestled in ice cubes or freezer gel packs.

- If perishable food is prepared ahead of time, such as the night before, keep it refrigerated until it's time for the festivities.

- Thoroughly cook all meat and poultry. Cook ground meat to 160 degrees Fahrenheit.

heit. Cook poultry to 180 degrees F. To check visually, it is done when it's brown or gray inside. Poultry juices run clear. Fish flakes with a fork.

- Slice large cuts of meat and poultry after cooking and place them in small, shallow containers so that food can cool rapidly in the refrigerator to prevent food-poisoning germs from growing.

- Keep hot foods hot for a short trip by wrapping them in clean kitchen towels and then burying in newspaper packed in a corrugated box. Or, transport hot foods in an insulated cooler.

- Check ahead of time to see if there are facilities at the party for keeping cold food cold and pre-cooked food hot.

- Ask whether there will be an oven available for reheating.

- Keep hot foods at 140 F or higher. For cold foods, keep them at 40 F or lower. Reheat foods for an internal temperature of 165 F.

- Keep hands, utensils, cutting boards and food preparation sites clean.

OBITUARY

FRANCES COLEMAN

Memorial service for Frances Coleman, 55, of Ruidoso was May 12 at LaGrone Funeral Chapel in Ruidoso. Officiating was Rev. Dave Bergs of Carrizozo.

Ms. Coleman died May 10 at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. She was born July 26, 1938 in Houston, Texas. She moved to Ruidoso in 1985 from San Antonio, Texas and was a member of the Catholic Church.

She is survived by a son: Theodore Stephen Scibienski II of Laredo, Texas; two daughters, Charlotte Lynne Scibienski of Austin, Texas and Stephanie Cawthon Scibienski of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania; her parents, Oliver and Elinor Feland of Tarpley, Texas and a brother: Guy Preston Feland of Crosby, Texas and two grandchildren.

The family has requested memorials to the Lincoln County Humane Society, P.O. Box 2832, Ruidoso, N.M. 88345.

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Commencement Exercises
May 27, 1994
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Processional.....	"Hero"
National Anthem.....	Bethany Sanchez
Invocation.....	Father Richard Catanach
Superintendent's Address.....	Mr. Gilbert Candelaria
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Presentation of Diplomas.....	Mr. Curtis McTeigue School Board President
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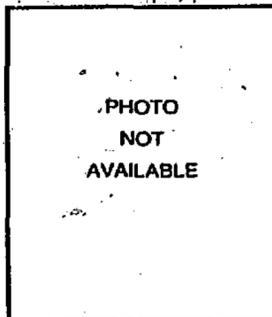
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 Class Flowers..... Orchid
 Class Motto..... "Don't walk behind me; I may not lead.
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MRS. LUCY A. PATTERSON

Memorial services for Mrs. Lucy A. Patterson, 72, were held May 19 at the Saint Mary's Catholic Church in Vaughn.

Mrs. Patterson, a resident of Roswell died May 14, in Albuquerque.

She was born July 23, 1921 in Pastura. She was the daughter of the late Cresencio and Remijia Lujan Aguilar.

Before her retirement, she was a receptionist for a doctor in Vaughn. She moved to Roswell from Vaughn five years ago.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother.

Survivors include three brothers, Manuel Aguilar of Vaughn, J.P. Aguilar Sr. of Carrizozo, and Gilbert Aguilar of Santa Anna, California; one sister, Lena White of Capitan, and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Poor Clare Monistary.

ARNOLD W. BOYCE

Arnold W. Boyce, 76, of Carrizozo, died May 19, at Gerald Champion Memorial Hospital in Alamogordo.

Mr. Boyce was born Jan. 19, 1918 in Fairmont, W.Va. He graduated from Fairmont State College and was a band director in West Virginia, Ohio and New Mexico. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

In 1963 he became band director at Carrizozo High School, a position he held until his retirement. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rite, and the United Methodist Church in Carrizozo.

Survivors include his brother, Stanley Boyce of Bladensburg, Ohio; his daughter-in-law, Margaret Boyce and a grandson of Mansfield, Ohio; his niece, Barbara Jarrard of Carrizozo and other nieces and nephews in West Virginia, Ohio and Georgia.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1993 and by his son, Arnold W. Boyce, Jr., in 1984.

Memorial services were conducted Wednesday, May 25, at the United Methodist Church in Carrizozo.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 1330 San Pedro NE, Albuquerque 87110.

MURRAY GORDON ZUMWALT

Funeral services for Murray Gordon Zumwalt, 85, of Nogal was May 16 at the Angus Schoolhouse with the Rev. Charles Hail officiating. Burial followed at the Angus Cemetery.

Mr. Zumwalt died May 13 at his home. He was born Jan. 5, 1909 at Carrizozo and has lived in the Carrizozo Nogal areas all of his life. He was a member of the Nogal Presbyterian Church. He retired from Southern Pacific Railroad after 33 years and was also a rancher.

He married Leora Peek on Jan. 23, 1931 at Carrizozo.

He is survived by his wife Leora of Nogal; two sons, Ted Zumwalt and Lloyd Zumwalt both of Nogal; two daughters, Donna Kennedy of Rio Rancho and Jane Snider of Nashville, Indiana; two brothers: A.B. Zumwalt Jr of Hondo and Jack Zumwalt of McMinnville, Oregon; his sister, Chloe Peters of Capitan; 17 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Glyn Zumwalt.

Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.

CORONA NEWS

Co-Valedictorians Named For Capitan Class Of '94

Crown CowBelles will meet Thursday, June 2 at the home of Loretta Proctor. There will be a covered dish luncheon at 11 a.m. followed by the business session and ending with a quilting party. Members will vote on Man of the Year.

Mrs. J.E. Robinson was in Grants for a few days last week to visit the Rex Robinsons and to see her grandson, Chet Robinson, graduate from high school. Chet plans to enter New Mexico Tech this fall.

Mrs. Pauline McCloud has guests this week, daughter, Mildred, and husband Bill Criddle, Jumping Branch, West Virginia, sister, Madeline, and husband, Terry Shannon, Green Valley, Arizona, and brother, Frank Smith, Las Cruces.

Corona Schools closed last week with staff and students ready for the summer break.

Chaparral 4-H members are planning a busy vacation. Their next meeting is at 4 p.m., Wednesday, June 15 at the rec room.

Mrs. Bernice McCord and Byron and Cathy Yancey are looking forward to the Roper family reunion in Tucumcari Sunday.

Nolan Vickrey was back in his hospital room Tuesday after seven hours of back surgery last week. Mrs. Vickrey is with him in Albuquerque.

Kennan Fuller was moved Friday to the St. Joseph Rehab Center. He is determined to improve rapidly.

In The Service

Marine Lance Cpl. Dennis A. Vega, son of Edward S. and Josie O. Vega of Carrizozo, recently reported for duty with 3rd Battalion, 7th Marines, 1st Marine Division, Twentynine Palms, Calif.

He joined the Marine Corps in May 1993.

The Capitan High School Class of 1994 tossed its collective mortar board into the air Saturday and stepped out into the school of life.

Some 35 seniors were awarded diplomas during the graduation ceremony Saturday, May 21. Heavy rains forced the ceremony indoors and family and friends crowded the multipurpose room to see the seniors come to the end of their secondary school careers.

Capitan Band, directed by Mrs. Dolores Earwood performed the processional. Bob Rice and Fred Saavedra from the American Legion provided the honor guard. Anna Auchmoedy senior class president welcomed the seniors, staff and guests.

Elissa Carol Reamy and Tycie Dawn Traylor, named as co-valedictorians because their total academic scores were identical, addressed their classmates and teachers at the graduation.

Capitan High School alumni Steve Bonnell gave the keynote address. Bonnell, who has spent his adult career in juvenile justice, said society needs restoration of moral, civic and family values. He said in the past generation, the country moved to the "me" social order to the exclusion of the "we" social order and is now experiencing the outcome. "The right to do our own thing took precedence over civic and social responsibility," Bonnell said.

Bonnell closed his address by warning seniors of the future problems which will be created by over population and urging them to make commitments to family, friends, religion and country.

Then it was time for the seniors and the presentation of scholarships and diplomas. Reamy was presented the New Mexico State University Scholars Scholarship of tuition, books and fees for four years, the Otero Electric Co-op Scholarship of \$1,000 a

year renewable for four years, the Upper Hondo Soil and Water Conservation District scholarship of \$500 for four years, the Capitan Chamber of Commerce Scholarship of \$300, the Friends of the Li-

brary scholarship of \$250, the Ruidoso State Bank scholarship of \$200, the Carrizozo Rotary Club scholarship of \$200 and the National Honor Society scholarship of \$50. She plans to attend NMSU and major in civil engineering.



CAPITAN CLASS OF 1994 CO-VALEDICTORIANS Elissa Reamy (left) and Tycie Traylor. The young women were named co-valedictorians because their academic scores tallied at the end of the school year were identical.

Other National Honor Society members and honor graduates were Anita Aldaz, Andrea Bailey, Jennifer Montoya, Mariah Peebles, Damian Roybal and Janellé Ware.

Aldaz received the University of New Mexico Scholars full tuition scholarship, Sacred Heart Catholic Church scholarship of \$100, Lincoln County Medical Center scholarship of \$500, United New Mexico Bank citizenship award of \$150 and the Zia Scholarship from UNM. She plans to attend UNM and major in physical therapy.

Bailey received the Enron Scholarship of \$3000, the ACT Scholarship Award for full tuition at any college, the Capitan Music Boosters \$200 and the National Honor Society of \$50. She plans to attend NMSU for one year, then transfer to the University of Iowa to major in physical therapy.

Montoya received the LaMothe Counseling Services scholarship, the National Honor Society of \$50 and the Jessie E. Fay memorial scholarship of \$320. She plans to attend New Mexico Highlands University and major in sociology.

Peebles received the New Mexico Scholars Scholarship of full tuition for any New Mexico college, the Academic and Agricultural full tuition scholarship from Texas Tech, the Capitan FFA scholarship of \$500, Corriente CowBelles scholarship of \$200 and the

National Honor Society of \$50. She has accepted the offer from Texas Tech where she will major in land/range management.

Roybal received the \$50 National Honor Society scholarship and plans to attend UNM.

Ware received the \$500 Lincoln County Historical Society scholarship and the \$50 National Honor Society. She plans to attend Eastern New Mexico University and major in history.

Other graduates and their awards and future plans were: Orlando Baca who plans to work for the Hot Shots then attend ENMU-Ruidoso this fall.

Cody Cotton received the Jim Goodloe Memorial Scholarship and the \$200 Corriente CowBelles scholarship. She plans to attend NMSU and major in agriculture.

Alma Lively plans to attend New Mexico Highlands then the University of California at Santa Barbara where she will major in marine biology. She received the New Mexico Highlands Presidential Top 10 Scholars award of \$5568 and the Capitan Alumni Association Scholarship of \$500.

Jamil Mahboub plans to attend New Mexico Highlands and major in sports medicine and physical therapy.

Dusty Johnson plans to attend Eastern New Mexico University at Roswell from which she received the Provost Scholarship of tuition and fees. She will major in pediatric nursing.

Pam Tafuya plans to open her shop El Sol de Lincoln full time. Trevor Cox plans to attend NMSU.

Michelle Wozny was undecided. Bobi Taylor plans to work and attend school.

Rose Doyle plans to enter the school of life.

K.C. Hinz plans to join the work force and attend ENMU-Ruidoso.

Melanie Padilla-Whipple plans to attend Aladin Beauty College.

Wylla Whipple plans to attend ENMU-Roswell, then continue her education in Little Rock AK after her marriage in July.

Anna Auchmoedy-Whipple plans to join the Air Force and major in nursing.

Thomas Shrecengost plans to attend the University Technical Institute for Diesel Mechanics.

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Co-Valedictorians . . .

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Wes Mitchell plans to attend Howard College on a Rodeo Scholarship and get a paramedics degree.

Jeremy Goodrum plans to attend Emery Aviation College in Colorado Springs.

Reed Wheeler plans to enter the work force.

Kari Hughes plans to become a flight attendant.

Brett Baber plans to become a radiologist.

James Robinson plans to join the Army and become a helicopter mechanic.

Jessica Hobbs plans to attend ENMU-Roswell and major in nursing.

Mitzi Dobbins plans to attend ENMU-Ruidoso for one year, work as a counselor at Fort Lone Tree and do missionary work next year.

Janice Smith-Wall plans to attend ENMU-Roswell and be a good wife and mother.

Stacy Cox plans to attend NMSU and seek a degree in radiology.

Stacy Gowen has signed with the College of the Southwest in Hobbs for a full athletic scholarship. She also

received the \$200 Capitan Association of Classroom Teacher scholarship and the Jack Mayfield Memorial Scholarship.

Michael Riska plans to attend ENMU-Ruidoso after returning from Finland where was the Rotary Club exchange student.

Another \$200 Capitan Association of Classroom Teachers scholarship was awarded to alumni Jennifer Eldridge who is majoring in education.

Pam Tafoya and Alma Lively lead their class in the ring ceremony and Anita Aldaz and Stacy Gowen lead them in the tassel ceremony. After the final procession, seniors did the traditional toss of the mortar boards.



NINE CARRIZOZO GRADUATES were the winners when the Jesus Christ Super Star guitar, a collector's item, was the prize of the Four Winds Scholarship fund drive raffle. The guitar was won by Marie B. Haynie of Fairacres. Pat French (right) of Albuquerque drew the winning ticket as Danny B. Garcia held the container holding \$1,398 worth of tickets. Money was also made by participants in the walk-a-thon. All nine students applying for the scholarship will receive a \$400 scholarship. They are Lori Gibson, Rachel Archuleta, Lenny Beltran, Belinda Baca, Davin Epperson, Gilbert Barela Jr., Julie Gallegos, Jacob Portillo, and George Vega Jr.

First Sanctioned Sheep Dog Trials This Weekend In Lincoln County

by Ruth Hammond

Several different classes of sheep dog trials and sheep and cattle dog trial events will be held this weekend north of Carrizozo, west of Ancho. There will be no admission charged to the public to watch.

Sponsored by the Southwest Herding Dog Association, local members Nancy Duley and Gary Lovelace are working together to promote the event. Jamil Hindi of Duran will supply the sheep for the trials.

The name of the event is the Lincoln County War Sheep and Cattle Dog Trials. It will be the first sanctioned sheep dog trials held in the county.

The sheep dogs will be classed by their ability. The open trial is the highest level of individual dog competition. The trial requires the dog to leave the handler's side and make an outrun of 350 to 500 yards and go behind the sheep, usually five sheep. The dog will then fetch, which is to bring the sheep to the handler, then drive the sheep around the handler and drive the sheep in a diagonal direction away from the handler through a simulated gate, about 150 yards. The dog then drives the sheep to another simulated gate (cross drive) and returns the sheep to the handler at which time the handler and the dog pen the sheep. The last portion of the judging for the open trial is for the handler to get the five sheep in position for the dog

to drive two of the sheep away from the other three sheep.

The open sheep dog trials are sanctioned by the U.S. Border Collie Handler's Association and points will be awarded towards the national finals.

Three other sheep dog trials for less experienced dogs and handlers will be the pro-novice class, the novice class and the novice-novice class.

In the pro-novice class, the dog runs the same course as open except the course is shorter and the dog is not required to separate the two sheep from the other three sheep, which is called shed.

The novice class will require the outrun, fetch and pen with no driving of sheep. The novice-novice class will be outrun and fetch.

Cattle dog and sheep dog classes will include one where sheep and cattle are mixed together and the dog will sort the sheep from the cattle and pen the sheep.

Another cattle class will have the dog sort the sheep and pen them and go back and pen the cattle. One will require the dog to run out and gather and pen cattle.

The Mel Gnatkoski Special is sheep roping. A group of sheep will be at one end of the arena. The dog and handler will sort off one sheep and drive it out into the arena where it will be roped by a roper on horseback. The rope will be a break-away rope that will come apart when the rope is tightened around the sheep's neck and will release the animal.

The sheep dog trials will be held Saturday, May 28 and Sunday, May 29.

Cattle class and mixed sheep dog and cattle dog trials will be held Monday, May 30. Events begin at 8 a.m. each day. Other classes will be added as time permits.

The events are open to any dog and handler and roper and will be held at the Bard Cattle Co. (the old Straley Ranch) west from the Ancho

turn-off. Signs will be posted on Highway 54 at the Ancho turnoff.

Entries have been received from New Mexico, Arizona, Texas and Colorado.

Duley said the event will be fun and they hope to develop it into an annual event.

The public is invited to attend and watch any and all events which will be held all day Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Those planning to attend may want to bring their own food and beverages, chairs and sun shades.

Fishing Day Will Be Held At Mescalero

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will be hosting a fishing day at Mescalero National Fish Hatchery in conjunction with National fishing week. Any child 6 years or younger, accompanied by an adult, is welcome to participate. Each child will be allowed to catch and keep three Rainbow trout. The fishing day will take place Saturday June 4, and will start at 9 a.m. and end at 1 p.m. Fishing gear will be provided.

The hatchery is located 18 miles southwest of Ruidoso on Highway 70 W., take the hospital exit off of Highway 70. Watch for the signs. Hope to see you there.

D. Ingle Appointed New President For Friends Of Smokey

The Village of Capitan will roll out the gold carpet for its most famous son, Smokey Bear, this July 4 weekend.

Friends of Smokey, formed to organize the golden anniversary events and to promote Smokey's fire prevention message, is making final plans for the special celebrations. Debra Ingle, who owns Smokey Bear Motel and Restaurant in Capitan, now heads Friends of Smokey. She was appointed by members at their meeting Tuesday, May 24 in Capitan. She fills the presidency vacated by Rick Riddle who resigned in late April.

Ingle has called a special meeting at 2 p.m. Friday, June 3 at Smokey Bear Restaurant in Capitan. Committee members are urged to attend and anyone wishing to help the group with the golden anniversary celebration is invited.

Four AFCE Clubs Meet Monthly In Lincoln County

There are four Association for Family and Community Education (AFCE) groups (formerly Extension Clubs) that meet in Lincoln County. These groups meet in Capitan, the Hondo Valley, Carrizozo, and Corona.

The groups meet monthly and learn a variety of home-making skills including: clothing construction, food preservation, nutrition and safety, parenting, financial skills, home improvement and much more.

To learn more about AFCE Clubs, contact Betty McCreight, Extension Home Economist at 648-2311 or Helen M. Lock, Council Chairman at 648-2425.

New Horizons Offers \$250 Scholarship

There is a \$250 scholarship available for a Lincoln County resident enrolled in a college or university.

Applicants must be of sophomore standing or higher with an identified major that will benefit the mentally retarded. For an application and other details contact New Horizons, P.O. Box 187, Carrizozo, N.M. 88301, 648-2379, Deadline: May 31, 1994.

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Capitan Schools To Have

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until they have completed their homework assignments and will not participate in their elective classes.

All middle school students will be tested at the beginning of the school year and at the end of the school year to determine how much they have learned. The school administration will evaluate the programs throughout the school year and will report to the board of education and parents. Parents will be welcome to visit the middle school.

Board member Beverly Payne, who was concerned about trying something "brand new", urged the administration to get parents involved with the curriculum and explain to them exactly what the program will involve.

Middle School student schedules will be available by June 30.

The board and administration will also be seeking parent and public involvement and comment on the proposed discipline policy for the 1994-95 school year. Copies of the policy are available by calling the superintendent's office or stopping by.

This fall Capitan Schools campus will be closed for all students. This means that students may not leave campus once they arrive in the morning until classes are over in the afternoon. Violation of the closed campus policy will result in a student being placed in ISS, or in-school suspension.

The discipline policy also defines the various types of discipline, violations and their consequences. Included in the policy are sections on philosophy of discipline, authority for disciplinary actions (given by the State Board of Education), disruptive behavior and punishments and sanctions for immediate removal, detention and ISS.

Under the ISS section penalties for first and subsequent offenses and reasons for students being placed in ISS are addressed. OSS or out of school suspension is addressed with definitions and reasons for students being placed on OSS, including use of tobacco at a school function or on school property, and penalties for subsequent violations.

Long-term suspension/expulsion is defined and reasons for such action include vandalism to school property; drunkenness, drug/alcohol use, sale or possession; verbal threats toward school personnel; physical assault toward school personnel; weapons brought to school. Anyone caught with weapons at school will be given a five-day suspension with a reinstatement conference held in three days.

Corporal punishment is addressed, with the policy of the schools to allow corporal punishment only with the written authority from parents. Any corporal punishment will be administered in the principal's office with the principal present.

Hall and campus behavior and school bus discipline are also included in the discipline policy.

Next year the high school will go back to the six class period schedule with study hall to be the final period from 2:23-3:15 p.m. All activities such as band, mock trial, student senate and athletics, will be scheduled during the study period. However, if students' grades drop below the eligibility level they will be required to attend study hall, not the activity.

The bell schedule will have first period from 8:15-9:05, second period 9:10-10, 3rd period 10:05-10:55, 4th period 11-11:50, lunch 11:50-12:30, 5th period 12:35-1:25, 6th period 1:30-2:20. Five minutes will be given between each period for students to pass to

their next class.

The middle school bell schedule will match the high school's afternoon schedule, with the exception of 30 minutes for lunch.

The bell schedule will be used for the first nine weeks, then will be evaluated. If the schedule is working it will be continued throughout the school year.

Also next school year, graduating seniors will be required to have 25 hours of credit to graduate. Students who take drivers' education will receive a half credit for the 56 hour course. The New Mexico State Legislature mandated that drivers' ed be counted as credit toward graduation. Capitan Schools will continue to charge students \$100 for the course which will be given in the summer.

The credits required for graduation will decrease to 24 for the graduating class of 1995-96 and to 23 for the class of 1996-97. Specific requirements for graduation are available from the high school principal or counselor.

The board also accepted resignations from retiring secondary school counselor Annie Hoyle, speech/language pathologist Gretchen Becker who is accepting a position with Ruidoso Schools; Linda Marr as cheerleader sponsor; Randall Robbins whose limited one-year contract as elementary PE aide had expired and was non-renewable; Tiffany Menix, in a similar situation as Robbins; Liz Montes as HeadStart aide and Pam Preciado whose health would not permit her to return as elementary custodian.

The board approved the re-hiring of the following non-certified personnel: Stephanie Aldaz, Brian Bett, Debbie Bird, Jean Cunningham, Renee Cupit, Kathy Dean, Agatha Long, Rose McCarty, Nick Pacheco, Mae Padilla, Sandy Reynolds, Bonnie Rogers, Dinah Roybal, Inge Sedillo, Wanda Strickland, June Taylor, Frances Traylor, Ruby Trost, Jerri Wilson and Gloria Witham.

The board gave its final approval to the 1994-95 school year budget. The budget, based on a projected enrollment of 544 students, estimates \$3,956,450 total revenues and \$3,695,910 in expenditures. The temporary budget, however, did not include figures for federally funded programs, or the actual cash balance from this school year. Once those figures are available for the school they will be added to the budget. The temporary budget was reviewed by the State Department of Education and received no adjustments or

recommended changes.

This year's projected enrollment is down from the 556 for the 1993-94 year. Superintendent Diana Sonnamaker said there are fewer students coming into the first grade this year than there were last year.

The board selected De'Aun Willoughby as auditor for three fiscal years, beginning with 1993-94. Her service will cost \$3,500 a year. Willoughby

was rated the best of nine auditors who submitted proposals.

The board also considered a request to use the football field for a country western concert that will be filmed as a part of a locally produced movie this summer. The board requested written proof of liability insurance and assurance the company will refurbish the field if necessary, by the next regular meeting.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY SMOKEY BEAR! Larry Bandy (left) director of the Smokey Bear Historical State Park and David Cummings (right) from the Smokey Bear Ranger District of the Lincoln National Forest arrange candles on Smokey's birthday cake during the Friends of Smokey annual dinner May 14. Dinner guests were treated to dinner catered by the Capitan FFA, entertainment from talent show contestants Lily Cherry, Cindy Foglesong's Fiddlers, Stacy Erwin and a dance act by Shawna Cupit, Mario Maroon and Rye Peebles and numerous door prizes donated by local businesses. Lily Cherry won the talent show with her flute rendition of Londnary Air. Smokey Bear will be honored this July 4 weekend with many events in the village of Capitan.

OBITUARIES

MAX OLIVER

Memorial service for Max Oliver, 81, of Ruidoso was May 12 at Community United Methodist Church. Officiating was Rev. Craig Cockrell, minister of the church.

Mr. Oliver died May 10 at Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso. He was born July 5, 1912 at Menard, Texas. He moved to Ruidoso in 1959 from Balmorhea, Texas. He married Anita "Nita" Humphries on March 15, 1935 at Carlsbad, N.M.

He is survived by his wife Nita of Ruidoso; a daughter Maxine Mitchell and her husband Hayes of Maria, Texas; three granddaughters, eight great grandchildren and a sister, Sudie Kingston of Ruidoso.

The family has requested memorials to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, 6931 Arlington Road, Bethesda, Maryland 20814 or Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso.

Arrangements were under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Ruidoso.

ILA LINDRITH EVANS

Rosary for Ila Lindrith Evans, 47, of Mescalero was May 19 at St. Joseph's Mission in Mescalero where the Funeral Mass was May 20. Officiating was Rev. Thomas Herbst. Burial followed at Mescalero Cemetery.

Ms. Evans died May 18 at Gerald Champion Hospital in Alamogordo. She was born May 2, 1947 at Mescalero and had lived there all of her life. She was a member of the Mescalero Reformed Church and was a homemaker.

She is survived by two sons: Willard Evans Jr. and Pernell Paul Evans both of Mescalero; two daughters, April Whitehead and Lowanda Evans both of Mescalero; two sisters, Ella Shanta and Beverdene Sandyman both of Mescalero; and five grandchildren.

VERA W. CHIMAL

Prayer service for Vera W. Chimal, 67, of Mescalero was May 15 at the Apache Assembly of God Church in Mescalero where the funeral service was May 16. Officiating was the Rev. Jerry Hardison and the Rev. Donald Pettey. Burial followed at Mescalero Cemetery.

Mrs. Chimal died May 11 at Sierra Medical Center in El Paso. She was born May 2, 1927 at Globe, Arizona and was a member of the San Carlos Apache Tribe in Arizona. She moved to Mescalero in 1956 from New York City and was a member of the Tulosa Community Church. She was retired from Civil Service at Mescalero.

She married Herman Louis Carrillo on Aug. 2, 1951 at Phoenix, Ariz., and he preceded her in death on Sept. 29, 1954.

She is survived by two sons: Carleton Chimal and Roderick Chimal both of Mescalero; a half-brother, Eric Johnson Sr. of San Carlos, Ariz.; eight half-sisters: Shirley Wiley, Josephine Wiley, Lillian Wiley all of San Carlos, Ariz.; Velma Wiley Grant and Betty Wiley Begay both of Phoenix, Ariz.; Dolores Wiley May, Evelyn Wiley and Matilda Wiley all of Ft. McDowell, Ariz.

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO
CIV 88-0427 M
FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE
CORPORATION,
Plaintiff,**

v. JAMES C. ROWE and ENOLA G. ROWE, husband and wife, AMARILLO COULTER ROAD, INC., a Texas Corporation, JERRY R. POWELL, ROY L. RYAN and NORTH PLAINS LAND AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, INC., a Texas corporation.
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above entitled Court, having appointed me Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell and convey to the highest bidder for cash all right, title and interest of the above-named Defendants, James C. Rowe and Enola G. Rowe, in and to the following real property situated in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, which property is located in Lincoln County, New Mexico and is more particularly described as:
LINCOLN COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO
THE SURFACE ONLY IN AND TO THE FOLLOWING:
TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 14 EAST, N.M.P.M.
A tract of land in Section 31, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Starting at a point on the West boundary of said Section 31, from which point the Northwest corner of said Section 31 bears North 00° 03' 04" West a distance of 1666.94 feet; thence South 00° 03' 04" East a distance of 3459.81 feet to the Southwest corner of said Section 31; thence North a distance of 128.85 feet; thence North 88° 10' 00" East a distance of 582.50 feet; thence South 79° 51' 30" East a distance of 121.00 feet; thence North 58° 28' 30" East a distance of 132.20 feet; thence North 41° 30' East a distance of 272.40 feet; thence North 82° 59' 30" East a distance of 296.80 feet; thence North 67° 54' 30" East a distance of 400.00 feet; thence North 60° 39' 30" East a distance of 300.00 feet; thence South 79° 33' 00" East a distance of 435.00 feet; thence South 72° 52' 15" East a distance of 504.40 feet; thence South 81° 33' 15" East a distance of 712.30 feet; thence North 73° 42' 40" East a distance of 346.27 feet; thence North 0° 43' 50" East a distance of 232.65 feet; thence North 43° 31' 35" East a distance of 170.87 feet; thence North 00° 03' 00" West a distance of 3277.07 feet; thence South 89° 32' 00" West a distance of 3693.86 feet; thence South 00° 03' 04" East a distance of 469.61 feet; thence South 89° 15' 50" West a distance of 392.15 feet to the said place of beginning and containing 336.303 acres, more or less;

TOGETHER with the right to use in common with others those certain non-exclusive road and utility easements as shown of record by quitclaim deed dated December 1, 1982, recorded December 1, 1982, in Book 100 of Deed Records, page 572, wherein Andarced, Inc. was grantor and Kenneth O. Livingston, Sr. and Margaret T. Livingston, husband and wife, were grantees, and that Grant of Easements dated December 1, 1982, recorded December 1, 1982, in Book 83 of Miscellaneous Records, pages 55 and 56, specifically being that third easement described in said instrument, wherein Lake-

side Corporation was grantor and Kenneth O. Livingston, Sr. and Margaret T. Livingston, husband and wife, were grantees.

The sale is to be conducted as required by the "Partial Summary Judgment, Decree of Foreclosure, Order of Sale and Appointment of Special Master" entered by the Court on March 17, 1994, wherein the Plaintiff was adjudged to have a first and paramount lien against the above-described real property. The sale is to begin at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 9, 1994, on the front steps of the Lincoln County Courthouse, 300 Central Avenue, Carrizozo, New Mexico, at which time I, or my designee, will sell to the highest bidder for cash in lawful currency of the United States of America the above described parcel of real property to be applied in the following order of priority: First, to pay the Special Master's fee and expenses of sale; Second, to be applied to the indebtedness owed by the Defendants James C. Rowe and Enola G. Rowe to Plaintiff FDIC in the principal amount of \$1,619,851.65, plus accrued interest to September 14, 1993 in the amount of \$2,033,736.15, plus interest from September 14, 1993 at the per diem rate of \$616.88, until payment in full, plus attorneys' fees in the amount of \$14,146.63, which amount includes costs, expenses and anticipated additional legal fees; Third, if any balance remains, to be deposited into the registry of the Court to be distributed pursuant to further order of this Court.

Notice is further given that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, all recorded and unrecorded liens not foreclosed herein and all recorded and unrecorded special assessments and taxes that may be due and subject to a one month right of redemption.

Notice is finally given that the Plaintiff has the right to bid all, or a portion, of the indebtedness owed by Defendants James C. Rowe and Enola G. Rowe to Plaintiff FDIC in lieu of cash at the sale. To the extent a cash bid is made in excess of the Plaintiff's credit bid, the excess cash is to be deposited with the Court to be distributed pursuant to the further order of the Court.

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**SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF TORRANCE
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
No. CV 93-76**

BAGLEY LIVESTOCK CO., a Texas general partnership,
Plaintiff,

v. A. Estate of R.J. Bagley, Deceased; Estate of Lois Bagley, Deceased; Frank Bagley, a/k/a Richard Franklin Bagley, and

Blanche Bagley, Husband and Wife; Ervin Ray (Bud) Bagley and Dorothy Bagley, Husband and Wife; George R. Bagley, a/k/a George Robert Bagley, and Patricia Bagley, Husband and Wife; Glenn S. Kepner; Mary S. Fountain; Glenna J. Overbay; Margaret A. Korns; Sterling G. Kepner; Estate of Mary L. Kepner, Deceased; Estate of A.C. Hester, Deceased; Bertha Hester; Esauquel S. Mares and Eusabia M.

Mares, Husband and Wife; Ernest Sultemeier and Allene Sultemeier, Husband and Wife; B. The following named Defendants, if Living; if Deceased, their Unknown Heirs; Elton N. Miller and Jesse Ruth Miller, Husband and Wife; and C. All unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS, if Living; if Deceased, their Unknown Heirs; Elton N. Miller and Jesse Ruth Miller, Husband and Wife; Esauquel S. Mares, Husband and Wife; and All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff.

You are hereby notified that the Plaintiff has filed a suit in the above named Court on December 27, 1993, against the above-listed Defendants. The purpose of the Plaintiff's action is to quiet the title in and to certain real estate located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and as more particularly described as follows:

The SE 1/4, Section 12, and N 1/2 of the NE 1/4, Section 13, Township 1 South, Range 12 East, and the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, and that part of Lots 2 and 3, Section 4, described as follows: BEGINNING at the NW corner of Lot 3, Section 4; Thence South, 1230 feet to the railroad right-of-way; Thence, 1955 feet following the railroad right-of-way in a northeasterly direction; Thence 1613 feet West to the point of beginning; and Thence N 1/2 of the N 1/2, the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, the W 1/2 of the SW 1/4, the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4, all in Township 1 South,

Section 5, less the tract sold to J.D. Greenshaw, described in Warranty Deed, recorded in Book A-14 of Deeds at page 365, in the Office of the County Clerk for Lincoln County, New Mexico and ALL of Section 6; all of Section 7, the W 1/2, and the W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 in Section 8; and the NW 1/4, the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4, Section 17, and Lots 1, 2, and the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, and the NE 1/4, and all that part of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 lying West of the railroad right-of-way in Section 18, Township 1 South, Range 13 East, containing approximately 2,890 acres.

TOGETHER WITH ALL the surface and undivided one-half of the minerals in 631.692 acres of the property known as the Buchanan Ranch, located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, together with the improvements thereon, described as follows: The SE 1/4, and the S 1/2 of the N 1/2 of Section 13; the N 1/2 of Section 24; Township 1 South, Range 12 East, and Lots 3 and 4, Section 18; Lots 1 and 2, Section 19, Township 1 South, Range 13 East, subject to highway right-of-way and containing approximately 952.582 acres.

TOGETHER WITH ALL the surface and an undivided interest in the minerals that are not reserved in the patents and not reserved by prior owners, (Taxpayer's fractional interest, if any, have not been determined), in the property known as the Melton Ranch, located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, together with the improvements thereon, and described as follows: SW 1/4 of Section 12, the N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, the E 1/2 of Section 23, the S 1/2 of the Section 24, the East 1/2 of Section 25, and the E 1/2 of Section 26, all in Township 1 South,

Range 12 East, and the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4, and the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4, of Section 18, the W 1/2 of the E 1/4, the E 1/2 of the W 1/4, Lots 3 and 4, (W/2 of SW/4) in Section 18, the West 1/2 of the NE 1/4, the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4, Lots 1 and 2, (W/2 of the NW/4) Section 30, Township 1 South, Range 13 East, all located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, and containing approximately 2,358.43 acres.

The land described in Paragraph 2 above, located in Lincoln County, is contiguous to the land described and set forth in the above-described Complaint in Suit to Quiet Title filed with the Clerk of the Seventh Judicial District Court, Torrance County, and comprises a single tract with portions of the land in Torrance County and Lincoln County, New Mexico.

BY: **HILL CHAPPELL, Jr. MONTGOMERY & ANDREWS, P.A.**
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Attorneys for Plaintiff, Bagley Livestock Co.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to 23-8-10 NMSA, 1978, that the Board of Education of Carrizozo School District #7, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, will on Thursday, June 2, 1994, 7:00 P.M. M.D.T., at the Administration/Board Conference Room, 800 D. Avenue, present and publicly review the budget for the 1994-1995 fiscal year. This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend.

Done at Carrizozo, New Mexico, this 17th day of May 1994.

CARRIZOZO SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION,
JAN BARHAM,
President.

ATTESTS:
GARY HIGHTOWER,
Secretary.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
CAUSE NO. 94-31**

BERKELEY FEDERAL BANK & TRUST, FSB, f/a First Federal Savings Bank of Delaware,
Plaintiff,

v. DOROTHY H. BROWN and WHISPERING BLUFF ASSOCIATION OF UNIT OWNERS,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby notified that the above-named Plaintiff filed suit in the above-entitled Court and cause against you. The general object of the suit is to foreclose a Mortgage recorded on May 22, 1989, in Book 1989-6, Mortgage Records, at pages 361-364, records of the Lincoln County Clerk, New Mexico, given to secure payment on a Promissory Note. The Mortgage covers real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico, described as: Apartment (Unit) 606 of WHISPERING BLUFF CONDOMINIUMS, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico as the same is established and identified by the "Declaration of Plats" of Whispering Bluff condominiums, dated March 2, 1982, in Book 78 of Miscellaneous Records, pages 1063 to 1098 both inclusive, and as further shown by the plat thereof filed in the Lincoln County Clerk's office, March 5, 1982 in Cabinet D, Slide No. 62, as amended by that certain "Affidavit", dated October 13, 1983, recorded October 14, 1983, in Book 88 of Miscellaneous Records, page 862. Unless you enter your appearance in this action and cause on or before June 30, 1994, Judgment may be rendered against you by default. Martin P. Meyers, Esq., of HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD & HENSLEY, 600 Marquette N.W., Suite 800, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102, (505) 768-1500, is attorney for the Plaintiff. WITNESS the Honorable Richard A. Parsons, District Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, this 5th day of April, 1994.

MARGO E. LINDSAY,
District Court Clerk.
BY: **BRENDA SAWYER,**
Deputy.

(Court Seal)

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MEETING NOTICE
The Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee will hold a regularly scheduled Board meeting on Tuesday, June 14, 1994, beginning at 10:00 A.M. The meeting is open to the public and will be held at the Circle B Campground in Ruidoso Downs. Agenda is available 24 hours prior to the meeting. Auxiliary sides are available upon request; please contact Martha Guevara at 648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.

MARTHA GUEVARA,
Acting County Manager.

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**FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF CHAVES
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

Nos. 20294 and 22600
Consolidated Hondo Basin Section

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT,
Plaintiffs,

vs.
L.T. LEWIS, et al., UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Defendants,

and
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT,
Plaintiffs,

vs.
HAGERMAN CANAL CO., et al.,
Defendants

NOTICE OF JOINDER AND SUBSTITUTION OF PARTIES

TO: **Esly Benavidez Amber Rae Hanzler Canning Doris Colleen Salazar Barbara Shrecongost Glen E. McDaniel Bonnie McDaniel Orlando P. Archuleta, Jr. Robert S. Gutierrez Adam H. Romero Edward M. Sanchez Verilinda Sanchez**
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HO.6 A&B	E.M. Hill	Glen E. McDaniel
HO.6 A&B	E.M. Hill	Bonnie McDaniel
R.53 A	Joe G. Gutierrez	Orlando P. Archuleta, Jr.
R.53 B	Joe G. Gutierrez	Robert S. Gutierrez
R.137 A	Rubon Y. Romero	Adam H. Romero
R.136	Edward Sanchez, Jr.	Edward M. Sanchez
R.186	Edward Sanchez, Jr.	Verilinda Sanchez

You are a party defendant to this action and will be bound by all orders, decrees, and judgments entered by the Court relating to your water rights in the Rio Hondo Basin.

Questions regarding this matter should be addressed to: **Rebecca Dempsey, Special Assistant Attorney General State Engineer Office P.O. Box 25102 230 W. Manhattan, Suite 200 Santa Fe, NM 87504-5102 (505) 827-6150 DATED: May 3, 1994.**

**FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF CHAVES
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

Nos. 20294 and 22600
Consolidated Hondo Basin Section

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT,
Plaintiffs,

vs.
L.T. LEWIS, et al., UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Defendants,

and
STATE OF NEW MEXICO, ex rel. State Engineer and PECOS VALLEY ARTESIAN CONSERVANCY DISTRICT,
Plaintiffs,

vs.
HAGERMAN CANAL CO., et al.,
Defendants

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"Church Directory"

First Baptist Church

HAYDEN SMITH, pastor
314 10th Ave. 648-2968 (church) or 648-2107
Sunday School..... 9:45 am
Worship Service..... 10:55 am
Sun. Evening..... Training at 6:15 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, 648-2186
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
Corner of E. Ave. & Sixth,
1-258-4144
Holy Eucharist..... 9:30 am Sunday

United Methodist Churches

TOMMY JARED, pastor
Trinity - Carrizozo
1000 D. Ave., 648-2893/648-2846
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

CAPITAN

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

REV. DR. C.L. FULTON, Pastor
REV. DR. WILLIE MAE FULTON, Missions Dir.
ELDER JIM MILLER
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

Community United Presbyterian Church of Ancho

DOUG & LOU GORDON, co-pastors
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Sunday Morning Worship..... 9:00 a.m.
Adult Sunday School..... 10:00 am

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tfn

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 Plains Realty, 1014 E. Avenue
 (Masonic Building), Carrizozo.
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1tp-May 26.

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 cars, 10' 7" x 54'. Ideal for
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tfn-Mar. 17.

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 ment. Call Chuck at the
 Rominger Company, 648-2900.
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HOUSE FOR SALE: 108
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 way, beautiful view, central
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4tc-May 12, 19 & 26;
June 2.

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 business in Carrizozo. Reason-
 ably priced. Serious inquiries
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 Pueblo Video, 648-2177.
2t-May 26 & June 2.

FOR RENT: very nice 3 br, 2
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 trees, lawn sprinkler system
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 lot in Capitan. All utilities,
 city sewer, \$16,000.00 or best
 offer. 434-4480.
2tp-May 19 and 26.

Memorial Day
is a time for
everyone to honor
all servicemen
and women who
have fought and
died for their
country. Let us
also pause and
pay tribute to
the memory
of those who were
dear to us and
have passed on.

Lincoln County law enforce-
 ment officers will honor their
 fallen comrades during the
 Police Memorial Service
 Monday, May 30.

At noon, officers will pres-
 ent the colors at School House
 Park, near the public library
 in Ruidoso. Chiefs of police
 from Lincoln County's commu-
 nities will speak, and master
 of ceremonies will be FOP
 president Lincoln County
 Sheriff James McSwane.

The services will be open to
 all law enforcement officers,
 active or retired, and the
 general public.

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

May 16:
 12:02 p.m. an ambulance
 was requested at a Buena
 Vista residence in Alto for a
 33 year old female who fell
 down some stairs and had a
 possible back injury. Alto
 ambulance transported the
 patient to Lincoln County
 Medical Center (LCMC) in
 Ruidoso.

A deputy requested a num-
 ber for a confidential informa-
 tion case.

May 17:
 7:07 a.m. a small fire was
 reported on the east side of
 the railroad tracks in
 Carrizozo. Only one fire truck
 was needed. Carrizozo volun-
 teer fire department respon-
 ded and was back at the fire

station by 7:40 a.m.

2:45 p.m. Ruidoso Police
 Dept. received a 911 call
 about a grass fire in
 Carrizozo, across the tracks.
 Carrizozo fire department
 responded.

10:04 p.m. a broken win-
 dow, and possible breaking
 and entering was reported at
 a residence off Highway 48. A
 deputy responded.

May 18:
 9:22 a.m. New Mexico State
 Police (NMSA) requested an
 ambulance at a one vehicle
 roll over accident south of
 Carrizozo on Highway 54.
 Carrizozo ambulance trans-
 ported the patient to Kirkland
 Air Force Base in Albuquer-
 que.

2:51 p.m. an ambulance was
 requested at Fort Stanton
 infirmary for a female who
 had been kicked in the pelvic
 area. Capitan ambulance
 transported the patient to
 LCMC.

6:05 p.m. an ambulance was
 requested at a residence west
 of Capitan for an 84 year old
 male with chest pains.
 Capitan ambulance transport-
 ed the patient to LCMC.

May 19:
 10:15 a.m. an ambulance
 was requested at a Carrizozo
 residence for a 90 year old

male with heart problems
 having difficulty breathing.
 Carrizozo ambulance respon-
 ded.

May 20:
 7:26 a.m. a loose pit bull
 was reported in the Ruidoso
 Downs area. The complainant
 advised the pit bull had al-
 ready killed a dog and seemed
 dangerous. The county animal
 control officer advised the
 area was in the Ruidoso
 Downs jurisdiction.

7:23 p.m. an ambulance was
 requested at a D. Ave. resi-
 dence in Carrizozo. The caller
 requested the physician's
 assistant, but dispatch ad-
 vised the assistant was off
 duty. The patient refused
 ambulance transport.

9:39 p.m. a complainant
 demanded an officer regarding
 a dispute/fight in the Hondo
 area. A deputy and a New
 Mexico State police officer
 took statements and the de-
 puty advised he was taking two
 prisoners to Ruidoso Police
 Dept.

May 21:
 5:13 p.m. Corona ambulance
 advised it was transporting a
 patient to LCMC.

6:33 p.m. an alarm sounded
 at a shop. The responding
 deputy advised the building
 was secure.

LINCOLN COUNTY DETENTION CENTER REPORT

The following people were
 booked into, or released from,
 the Lincoln County Detention
 Center in the courthouse in
 Carrizozo.

May 17:
 William Johnson, 68,
 Roswell; magistrate warrant
 for DWI; \$1,000 bond set by
 Magistrate Judge William
 Butts.

May 15:
 Joe Sedillo Gutierrez Jr.
 (Babe), 51, Hondo; aggravated
 assault with a deadly weapon;
 \$50,000 bond set by Magis-
 trate Judge Gerald Dean Jr.;
 released May 16 on order
 from Dean.

May 16:
 Cheri L. Williams, 54,
 Ruidoso; probation violation;
 no bond.
 Released, on orders from
 Butts: Ray Gonzales, 24; driv-
 ing on revoked license.

May 18:
 Kenneth Chavez, 30, San
 Antonio NM; probation viola-
 tion; released May 23 on or-
 ders from probation officer.

May 19:
 Bryan Rogers, 25, Las Cru-
 ces; warrants from Judge
 Butts and Judge Cordova (of
 Alamogordo); \$1,000 bond set

by Cordova and no bond by
 Butts.

Elden Tortalita, 31, San
 Felipe Pueblo; driving on
 suspended license, failure to
 appear; \$500 bond set by
 Butts.

Raymond Roshito, 25,
 Edgewood Mesa, AZ; posses-
 sion of marijuana over one
 ounce, possession of
 methamphetamines with
 intent to distribute, tampering
 with evidence; \$25,000 bond
 set by Dean.

Darrell Fine, 31, Mesa, AZ;
 possession of marijuana over
 one ounce, possession of
 methamphetamines with
 intent to distribute, tampering
 with evidence; \$25,000 bond
 set by Dean.

May 20:
 Patrick Sandoval, 44,
 Ruidoso; DWI 2nd; sentenced
 to seven days in jail by Butts.
 Johnny D. Martinez, 23,
 Moriarty; DWI 2nd, careless
 driving; sentenced to three
 days in jail by Dean.

Released: to Swisher Co.
 TX: Jimmy Lee Brown, 23,
 Alto; arrested May 13 on
 Swisher Co. warrant.

LEGALS

TWELFTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
STATE OF
NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
NO. DR-94-62
Div. III
DAVID McCULLOUGH,
 Petitioner,
 vs.
PATRICIA ANN
McCULLOUGH,
 Respondent.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY
OF ACTION
OR PROCEEDING
THE STATE OF NEW
MEXICO TO: PATRICIA
ANN McCULLOUGH
GREETINGS:
 YOU ARE HEREBY
 NOTIFIED that David
 McCullough, Petitioner,
 has filed a Petition for Dis-
 solution of Marriage
 against you, Patricia Ann
 McCullough, as Respon-
 dent, in the District Court of
 Lincoln County, New Mex-
 ico, Civil Docket Number
 DR-94-62. The object of said
 action is to obtain a full and
 final dissolution of the mar-
 riage between Petitioner
 and Respondent.

You are further not-
 ified that unless you enter
 your appearance, plead or
 otherwise respond in said
 cause on or before June 30,
 1994, declaratory judgment
 will be rendered against you
 by default and the relief
 prayed for in the Petition for
 Dissolution of Marriage will
 be granted to Petitioner in
 conformity with the allega-
 tions of the Petitioner's
 Petition.

The name and address of
 the attorney for the Peti-
 tioner are as follows: Alan
 P. Morel, Parsons, Bryant &
 Morel, P.A., P.O. Box 1000,
 Ruidoso, New Mexico,
 88345.

WITNESS my hand
 and seal of the District
 Court of Lincoln County,
 New Mexico, on this 4th
 day of May, 1994.

MARGO E. LINDSAY,

CLERK OF THE
DISTRICT COURT
 By: ELIZABETH LUER-
 AS,
 Deputy.

(SEAL) Published in the Lincoln
 County News on May 12,
 19, and 26; June 2, 1994.

MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln Historic
 Preservation Board will
 hold a regularly scheduled
 Board meeting on Tuesday,
 June 7, 1994, beginning at
 7:00 P.M. The meeting is
 open to the public and will
 be held at the Dr. Wood's
 Annex in Lincoln. Agenda is
 available 24 hours prior to
 the meeting. Auxiliary
 aides are available upon
 request; please contact
 Martha Guevara at
 648-2885 at least 48 hours
 in advance of the meeting to
 make any necessary
 arrangements.

MARTHA GUEVARA,
 Acting County
 Manager.

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 1994.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF SPECIAL BUDGET INCREASE HEARING

Notice is hereby given
 pursuant to 10-15-1,
 NMSA, 1978 Compilation
 that the Board of Education
 of Corona Public Schools
 District #13, County of Lin-
 coln, State of New Mexico
 will on Tuesday, June 7,
 1994 at 7 p.m. at the Corona
 Schools Board Room,
 Dubois St., conduct a Special
 Budget Increase Hearing for
 the 1993-94 Budget. This is
 a public hearing and all
 school patrons are
 invited to attend.

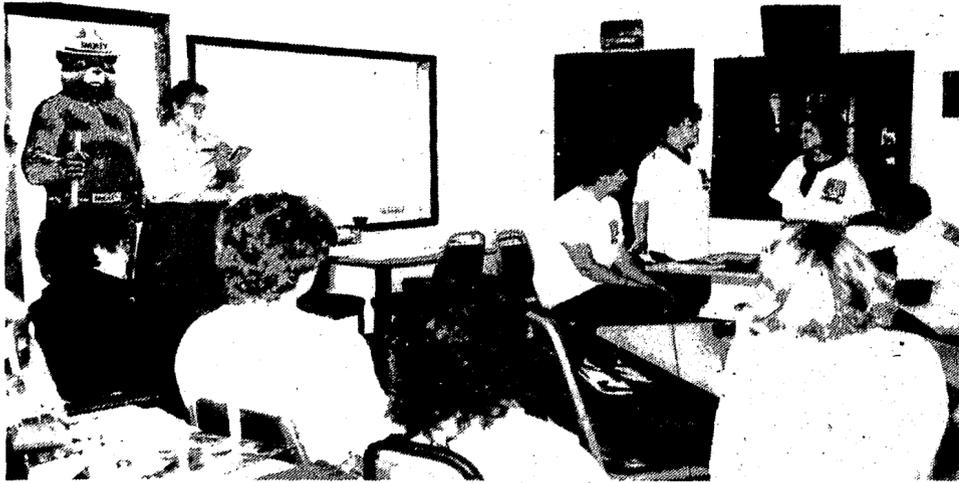
DANNY LUERAS,
 Board President.

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CAPITAN FHA PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE TEAM MEMBERS demonstrate their skills in conducting a meeting for the Corriente CowBelles in Capitan recently. The team will represent New Mexico at the National FHA Leadership Conference and star events competition in Orlando, Fla., July 9-13. The team is currently raising funds to finance the national trip. For more information on how to help the group contact sponsor Jan LaRue at 354-2567 or 354-2668.

MEMORIAL DAY

Let Us Pause and Pay Tribute

Former Hondo Coach Is Graduation Speaker

Former Hondo teacher and coach Frank Ready will be the guest speaker at Hondo graduation ceremonies Friday, May 27 at 7 p.m.

The class of 1994 invites all former students and basketball players of Coach Ready to attend.

♥ Will You Marry Me Rene' ? Love, Johnny ♥

On The Way To . . .
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Roswell, NM

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Medal Awarded . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

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Schaerer presented the Philippines Liberation Medal to Al Schubert in recognition of his services on board an American Merchant Marine vessel in Philippine waters during the campaign of General Douglas MacArthur's forces in their victorious return to the Philippine Islands during World War II.

Schaerer explained the half century delay in presenting the award was because the United States Congress only recently granted veteran status to merchant mariners.

Schubert was born in Estancia where his father was a bean farmer. He was 22 years old when he was assigned to the US Maritime Service and sent to Catalina Island in 1942.

He saw action at Guadalcanal, New Caledonia, and New Guinea as well as at Leyte. He went to officer's candidate school at Alameda and graduated as a navigator, third officer and commis-

sioned as an ensign.

Schubert has volunteered 500 hours at the Veteran's Hospital. He now makes his home in Albuquerque.

During the memorial service, Sy Feldman did the piping in on the bagpipes. He also piped in *Amazing Grace* before the bell was tolled for departed members.

"It is fitting that we remember those laid to rest here," Schaerer said, "For although they may have been lost, they are not forgotten."

Other presenters at the memorial service were Cleston Pritchett, Bill Kennedy, and J.D. James. Dick Mound played *Taps* at the end of the service.

American Legion Commander Julius Fitzner of Ruidoso Downs and VFW Commander Doug Houston of Ruidoso attended the service.

A special presentation was made to Captain and Mrs. Schaerer at the end of the program. Watches were given to them with "heartfelt thanks" for their taking on the work at Fort Stanton Cemetery as a retirement hobby.

The majority of the more than 1,000 people buried at Fort Stanton Cemetery were merchant marines who had contracted TB and were sent to the Fort Stanton Hospital.

States represented at the Fort Stanton Cemetery are Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, Indiana, Illinois, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Texas, Washington and Wisconsin.

Military units represented in the Fort Stanton Cemetery are US Maritime Service, US Marine Corps, US Coast Guard, US Navy, US Naval Reserve, Aero Squadron WW II, US Air Force WWII, Korea and Vietnam, and US Army Units Coast Artillery Corps, Army Engineers, Quartermaster Corps, Machine Gun Battery, Field Artillery Corps, Illinois Infantry, Band Musician, US Guards, 2nd Infantry, 132nd Infantry, and 368th Infantry.

Foreign countries represented in the Fort Stanton Cemetery are Canada, Finland, Germany, Latvia, N. Ireland, Norway, Puerto Rico, Sweden, Switzerland, and Yugoslavia.

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BRAWNY, ASST. PAPER TOWELS..... EA. **59¢**
HORMEL, Reg./Hot CHILI/WITH BEANS..... 15-OZ. **\$1.09**
LIBBYS VIENNA SAUSAGE..... 5-OZ. **2/79¢**
HORMEL, ASST. NO BEANS CHILI..... 15-OZ. **\$1.39**
SHURFINE, QTRS. MARGARINE..... 16-OZ. **3/\$1**
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