

'Equal Footing' For County May Mean Assuming Costs

by Doris Cherry

On November 10, the Lincoln County Commission will hold a public hearing on a proposed ordinance that will recognize that the State of New Mexico owns all public lands within the borders of the State and that Lincoln County has a duty and the jurisdiction to manage these public lands within the boundaries of Lincoln County and protect the private rights held on these lands; and preserve the local customs, cul-

ture, economy and environment, and establishes a Public Land Use Advisory Council.

The proposed ordinance bases the claim to public lands on the Preamble to Article XII of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico that enabled the Territory of New Mexico to "be admitted to the union on an equal footing with the original thirteen states."

The proposed ordinance states that New Mexico and other states which were forced to renounce any claim to the

unappropriated lands within their boundaries violates the "equal footing" doctrine.

The proposed ordinance goes on to state that ownership of the public lands within the county's boundary by the State of New Mexico and the management of those lands within each county by the county government would greatly benefit the public since the revenues from such public lands would accrue to the county and to the state, and the "tax burden on state residents would be lessened.

State ownership and county management of the public lands would result in a more coordinated and fair management of public lands. The individual rights to the natural resources and to the use of these lands would be better protected because the county officials are the elected officials which are closest to the public."

The proposed ordinance also establishes the Public Land Use Advisory Council (PLUAC) which will consist of two members of the county

commission appointed Agriculture and Rural Affairs Advisory Committee, and five other members appointed by the county commission.

Stated in the proposed ordinance is how the management of the public lands by the county would benefit the residents, and lessen the tax burden.

Lincoln County contains 3,109,312 acres. Some 35 percent of that is owned by the federal government--476,610 acres managed by Bureau of Land

Management, 629,902 managed by U.S. Forest Service and the White Sands Missile Range.

Private land owners hold 1.7 million acres, about 57 percent of the land, and state lands account for 302,800 acres.

The federal government does not pay property taxes for its thousands of acres within Lincoln County. It does, however, return what is known as Payment in Lieu of

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Halloween Carnival At Carrizozo School Sponsored By PFK

Carrizozo People for Kids (PFK) will sponsor the annual Halloween carnival at Carrizozo Schools old gym Saturday, Oct. 29 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

PFK announced there will be many booths with cash prizes awarded to the three best booths.

The entire community is invited to attend and/or participate. Contact Rosemary Shafer for more information about the Halloween carnival.

C'zozo Senior Forum To Be Held Oct. 21

State Representative John Underwood and Lincoln County Commissioner L. Ray Nunley will attend the senior forum at Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo Friday, Oct. 21 at 6 p.m. to assist and answer questions.

The forum will give senior citizens the opportunity to speak out on issues affecting their lives. All senior citizens are urged to attend.

Hunter Ed. Classes Are Scheduled

A complete course in hunter education will be held in Carrizozo Oct. 24 through Oct. 28 in the Carrizozo School Library. Duane Vinson will be the volunteer hunter education instructor for New Mexico Department of Game and Fish.

Vinson indicated this course is a comprehensive course including instruction in rifle, shotgun, and bow hunting handling safety, hunter responsibilities, wildlife management, field survival, wildlife identification, and much more.

State law requires all persons under 18 years of age who go afield with firearms in New Mexico must have completed a course such as this. Students who successfully complete the class will be issued a Hunter Education card that they must carry while hunting or shooting.

Students must attend ALL classes. For more information or to register, contact Vinson at 648-2131, or register at the school library Oct. 24 at 7 p.m.

General Election Is 19 Days Away

The General Election is 19 days away, on Tuesday, November 8.

Voter registration is now closed for the general election, but for those who are registered, there are three options for voting: early absentee done in person at the courthouse, absentee mailed in or hand delivered to the courthouse on election day and going to the polls. While most voters go to the polls on the traditional Tuesday, Nov. 8 election day, many in Lincoln County are taking advantage of the early and absentee voting.

As of Tuesday, October 18, the Lincoln County Clerk's office in the courthouse in Carrizozo had issued 641 absentee ballots. Of those 641 ballots issued to voters, 105 chose to cast their absentee ballots in person with the early voting at the courthouse.

Absentee early voting (done in person) continues until 5 p.m. Saturday, November 5, at the clerk's office in the courthouse in Carrizozo. After that date, absentee ballots will be received only until 7 p.m. on election day, Tuesday, November 8.

The clerk's office

recommends that voters, who wish to mail their absentee ballots to the clerk's office, get the ballots in the mail by November 3. The clerk's office will not mail absentee ballots to registered voters who request them after November 3, also.

Even though a person with an absentee ballot does not get the ballot in the mail by November 3, he or she can still

vote by hand-delivering the ballot directly to the clerk's office in the courthouse in Carrizozo until 7 p.m. only on Tuesday, November 8, the general election day.

Absentee ballots will not be accepted at the local precinct polls on the November 8 election day.

Election clerk Sam Chavez said voters who request an absentee ballot from the clerk's

office by sending in an application, but do not receive the ballot, may go to their precinct polling place. If an "AB" is listed besides the voters' name, that meant an absentee ballot was requested, and issued by the clerk's office. The voter must sign an affidavit that he or she did not receive the absentee ballot. That affidavit must be

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CARRIZOZO GRIZZLY BAND show off their new uniforms during the Homecoming Parade Friday. The band was under direction of music instructor Nate Kruse. Drum Major is James Woods. For more pictures of Carrizozo Homecoming '94, please see page 9.

Capitan School Board Asks For Parent Input

by Doris Cherry

By now parents and guardians of Capitan Schools students have received a letter containing the proposed revised District Educational Goal. District administrators ask parents to return the letter with any comments

they might have to the schools by Friday, October 21.

The revised goal was the result of six weeks of discussions, negotiations, and compromise of the 10-person goals committee made up of parents, teachers, the superintendent and board of education member Beverly Payne. The

goals committee worked with the original seven district goals, a set of six goals proposed by the Concerned Parents group, and comments received from letters containing the proposed goals which were sent to parents in August. Of 650 mailed, 75 were returned with comments.

During the regular Capitan Board of Education meeting Thursday, October 13, committee chairman Freda McSwane presented the committee's proposed revised goal and plan. She requested permission to mail out copies of the revised goal, along with

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Ventura, who had answered questions about being able to attend meetings and other subjects during the work session, reiterated that it was very important for the board to work together as a team.

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Fugitive From Texas Is Arrested In Lincoln County By SO Officials

Lincoln County Sheriff James McSwane and two deputies arrested a fugitive from Texas on October 12.

Going on an informant tip, the sheriff and deputy Angelo Vega and another deputy went to a residence in Cedar Creek where Alfred W. Berg, 47, was at. The deputies were invited into the house, at which time Berg tried to exit the back door. McSwane had stationed himself at the back door and apprehended Berg when he tried to leave. Berg did not struggle or resist arrest. No one else at the residence was arrested, McSwane said.

Berg had been a fugitive from Texas for three years, having violated his parole for aggravated sexual abuse and indecent conduct with a child. Berg was a habitual offender, having been convicted of several sex crimes committed in Texas.

Berg was arrested and transported to the Lincoln County Detention Center where he was detained for a few hours. Berg appeared before District Judge Richard Parsons and waived extradition. He was turned over to Texas authorities, who were in the area doing undercover surveillance of Berg.



VIEWING THE SKIES. Highway department employee Ernest Archuleta views the skies through a refractor telescope which is part of the Portable Public Observatory (PPO) owned by James Miller (right). Miller's PPO includes two large Newtonian reflector telescopes which enable viewers to see Saturn and its rings and moons, the craters of the moon and stars at night. During the day, Miller adapts the telescopes for viewing the sun safely and Venus. Miller, from Goldendale, Washington, is scouting the area to find the perfect location for a permanent public observatory--and a benefactor interested in helping to educate the public about the universe beyond. Miller's PPO will be set up in the Alto area this weekend.

J. Ventura Is Appointed To . . . (Continued from Page 1)

Both have children who attend Carrizozo Schools.

Hightower made the motion to appoint Ventura, and all board members voted in favor.

Ventura will be sworn in at the November board meeting.

Carrizozo Schools' enrollment is up 24 students from the number projected in the spring. Enrollment was at 226 students on the 40th day of school. Enrollment taken on that day determines the amount of funding which the school receives from the state. Because the district met the projected enrollment, plus 24 more students, the district should receive all the projected budget plus funding for the 24 extra students. Superintendent Dr. Elna Stowe said that she will not get too optimistic until the Special Education enrollment figures are in.

The 1993-94 Quality of Education Survey results were reviewed, and indicated the need for more communication with parents. Of the 226 surveys sent to parents of Carrizozo students, 65 were returned; eight from Kindergarten, 28 from elementary, two from middle school, 17 junior high and 10 senior high. The survey, with statements from the State Board of Education, was conducted by the school and results are sent to the State School and Student Data Management office in Santa Fe.

While most responding parents agreed with the statements in the survey, some parents disagreed. Under the statement "My child likes school" eight parents strongly agreed, 30 agreed, six disagreed, 17 strongly disagreed

and four did not know. In response to the statement, "My child's school has adequate technology and supplies for student use," five strongly agreed, 23 agreed, 23 disagreed, eight strongly disagreed and six did not know. In response to the statement "My child's school building is in good repair," four parents strongly agreed, 29 agreed, 22 disagreed, eight strongly disagreed and two did not know. The item with the most agreement from responding parents was the statement "The school offers classes that meet my child's needs." Four strongly agreed, 36 agreed, 12 disagreed, eight strongly disagreed and four did not know. In the area of standardized national tests "should be given to measure my child's achievement" 15 parents strongly agreed, 28 agreed, 10 disagreed, six strongly disagreed and four did not know.

Dr. Stowe said she will share the results of the survey with the teachers.

Debra Dumesneil spoke about the Co-operative Work Program, funded with a Carl Perkins grant, for both the Carrizozo and Corona Schools. The three year program is in its second year and is intended to help students transit from school to the work setting. Students can earn up to 2.5 credits, and get paid, for working. Dumesneil said she is now in the process of recruiting employers to hire students at minimum wage as part of the curriculum. Employers who hire students are given tax credits.

Dumesneil also said she would like to include girls in the program and place them in non-gender traditional occupations. Students will

also be taken to Albuquerque for College Day, and their travel and bus will be paid by the program. Dumesneil said she wants to start a small program with the school with about five students, who are juniors or seniors. The program will begin next semester.

Gary Cozzens, who heads the program out of Region IX in Ruidoso, said the program's focus is to help students make the transition from school to the work world. New Mexico is one of five states in the U.S. to be chosen for the funding for the program.

The board also made changes to their policies, by deleting the certificate of mailing to parents about student absences, adding an agreement and authorization form to do background checks on school employees, and personal leave for all employees.

Board members approved the final draft of the superintendent evaluation instrument, which was compiled from the district's previous evaluation form and forms from two other school districts.

Elementary student Clint Wetzel was recognized for his art, as well as all other students who participated in the student art show.

The board met in closed session to discuss personnel for 26 minutes. No decisions were made following the session.

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THE WEDDING of Linda Diane and Guy O'dell Payne will be held Saturday, Oct. 29 at 3 p.m. at the home of Beverly Payne in Capitan. Linda Diane's parents are Connie Zahn of Phoenix, AZ, and Terry Johnson of Clovis. Guy is the son of Beverly Payne and Curtis Payne of Capitan.

Carrizozo Family Hosts Relatives From Ireland

Walter and Chris Sheehan from County Kerry, Ireland visited Carrizozo recently. Walter's brother is Frank Sheehan of Carrizozo. They had not seen each other in 30 years. Kelly, Kevin and Billy met their aunt and uncle from Ireland for the first time.

Walter and Chris arrived in Albuquerque Sept. 26 from Wyoming where they visited other relatives.

While in New Mexico, they toured Lincoln County, made a trip to Las Cruces via White Sands and on to El Paso and Juarez, Mexico.

The next day they went north to Santa Fe, toured the plaza, then to Albuquerque for their return trip to Ireland.

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Health Fair Will Be Held In Lincoln County Next Week

Lincoln County Public Health Department and the Lincoln County Medical Center present the 2nd annual *Health Fair* next week.

The *Health Fair* will include free flu shots, immunizations, and health screenings for the following: blood pressure checks, cholesterol screening, glucose screening, HIV testing and counseling (minimal charge for tests), risk assessment for substance

abuse, prostate screening appointments, and breast/cervical screening appointments. Also available will be information on family health issues and the health services available in Lincoln County.

The *Health Fair* will be held Tuesday, Oct. 25 at the following times and locations:

Lincoln from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the La Placita (old Carabajal house.)

Capitan from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the Capitan Schools old gym.

Carrizozo from 1 to 5 p.m. in the Carrizozo School Multipurpose Room

San Patricio from 1 to 5 p.m. at San Patricio Citizens Center.

The *Health Fair* will be held Friday, Oct. 28 in Ruidoso from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Ruidoso Convention and Civic Events Center.

Each year millions of Americans are afflicted with influenza (flu) and pneumonia. Those most at risk are the very young, the very old, those suffering from chronic lung or heart disease, and those with weakened immune systems.

The American Lung Association of New Mexico urges all those who are considered high risk to get a flu shot. You are at high risk if you are over age 65, have chronic lung, heart or kidney disease, reside in a nursing home or other chronic care facility, or if you have other chronic diseases.

Influenza (flu) is a viral infection of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs that can make someone of any age ill.

The following groups are at increased risk for serious illness with the flu and should receive the vaccine:

All people 65 years of age or older; adults and children with long-term heart or lung problems which cause them to see a doctor regularly, or to be admitted to a hospital for care during the past year; resi-

dents of nursing homes and other institutions housing patients of any age who have serious long-term health problems; people of any age who during the past year have regularly seen a doctor or have been admitted to a hospital for treatment for kidney disease, cystic fibrosis, chronic metabolic disease such as diabetes, anemia (low blood), or severe asthma; people who have a type of cancer or immunological disorder (or use certain types of medicines) that lowers the body's normal resistance to infections; chil-

dren and teenagers (6 months through 18 years of age) on long-term treatment with aspirin who, if they catch the flu, may be at risk of getting Reye's syndrome (a childhood disease that causes coma, liver damage, and death.)

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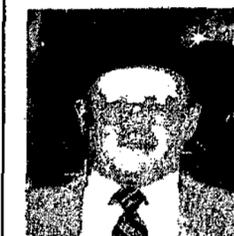
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—The New Mexico Department of Labor is in Ruidoso every Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:15-3:30 p.m. at the Ruidoso Convention Center. Services include registration for employment and filing claims for unemployment insurance. For more information call the Alamogordo Dept. of Labor at 437-9210.

—Pre-school story hour at Carrizozo School library 8:30 a.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

—Lincoln County Democrats will have a worksession at 6:30 p.m. on the second floor of the Stroud Building on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

—White House Conference on Aging Senior Citizen Forum, 6-8 p.m. at Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo. County commissioner L. Ray Nunley and state Rep. John Underwood will be at the forum.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

—Lincoln County Historical Society presents 'Storytellers of Lincoln County' film at 6 p.m. at First Christian Church in Ruidoso.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

—Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority meets at 10 a.m. in the LCSWA main office on Second Street in Ruidoso Downs. Items on the agenda include Keep New Mexico Beautiful Award, insurance for board members, budget revisions, bids, manager job description.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25

—Carrizozo Town Council meets at 6 p.m. for a regular session in Town Hall.
—Ruidoso Village Council meets at 6:30 p.m. in the village administration center.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

—Lincoln County Chapter #4512 of AARP, Inc. will meet at 10 a.m. at Ruidoso Senior Citizen Center. Guest speaker Ruidoso judge Mike Line on "Living Trusts."

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

—Lincoln County Planning and Zoning Commission will meet at 7 p.m. in the commissioners' chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. Jack Purcell, New Mexico Flood Plain Administrator will discuss flood plain requirements.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

—Capitan Music Boosters Mexican Dinner at 5:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Proceeds go toward the music department spring trip.
—L. Ray Nunley "Roast" at 6:30 p.m. at Cree Meadows Restaurant in Ruidoso. Proceeds for high school scholarships. Sponsored by Ruidoso Evening Lions.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

—Carrizozo PFK Halloween Carnival 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the old gym.

ENMR Telephone Coop Will Provide Assistance Program

ENMR Telephone Cooperative has received approval from the New Mexico State Corporation Commission to participate in the Low Income Telephone Assistance Program. The telephone assistance program is designed to make residential telephone service accessible to qualifying low income households.

Qualified applicants for the program can receive discounted service connection charges and monthly credit for local service for one (1) residential telephone line per household, at the subscriber's principal place of residence.

To qualify, applicants must meet the financial criteria:

1. Cannot be a dependent (as defined by the Federal Income Tax Code) under the age of 60.
2. Must be identified by the Department of Human Services as a person eligible for assistance by already receiving benefits from any of the following public assistance programs: Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), Food Stamps, Home Energy Assistance Program, Medical

Assistance Program, Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or Women, Infants, and Children (WIC). Also, applicants must provide a copy of most recent Individual Income Tax Return indicating that the Adjusted Gross Income for the size of the family unit is below current federal poverty income level guideline tables.

Persons wishing to apply or learn more about the Low Income Telephone Assistance Program should contact the Department of Human Services or contact an ENMR Service Representative.

ENMR Telephone Cooperative currently provides telephone service to over 10,000 subscribers in Harding and Guadalupe Counties; Quay County, excluding Tucumcari; Curry County, except Clovis, Melrose, and Texico; San Miguel County, except Las Vegas and northwestern San Miguel; DeBaca County, except the southeastern corner; Southern Union county, including Clayton; the eastern half of Torrance County, including Encino; northeastern Socorro County, including

Bingham and Claunch; northern Lincoln County, including Corona; Southeastern Colfax county; the northwest corner

of Chaves county; the northern corner of Roosevelt county; and the southeastern section of Santa Fe county.

OBITUARY

EMILIO R. ROMERO

Emilio R. Romero, age 82, of Grants died Oct. 5 at his home. He was born July 3, 1912 in Carrizozo. He is a veteran, having served in the U.S. Army.

He is survived by his niece Mary Aragon and her husband Manuel of Grants; grandniece Lela Chavez and her husband Ralph of Grants. Rosary was Oct. 7 at Grants

Mortuary Chapel. Funeral Mass was Oct. 8 at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Corona with Fr. Dave Berg officiating. Burial followed at Corona Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Steve Chavez, Ralph Chavez Jr., Tony Aragon, Mike Aragon, Joe Flores and Abe Flores. Honorary bearers were Elmer Jones, Paul Romero, Manuel Aragon and Victor Caballero.

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Painter Is New Corona FFA VO AG Advisor

The Corona FFA welcomes Craig S. Painter as the new vocational agriculture advisor. Mr. Painter came from Florida where he was an FFA advisor.

The Corona FFA chapter has done quite a bit this year. The first thing was get the FFA Alumni reestablished.

Chapter members John Gnatkowski, Phillip Luera and Dustin Sultemeier exhibited livestock at the Lincoln County Fair.

Rick Bagley, Rocky Bagley, John Gnatkowski and Dustin Sultemeier showed livestock at the New Mexico State Fair.

For the first time in a number of years, the Corona FFA entered a booth in the State Fair competition. The booth was titled "High Desert Ranching, The Heart of New Mexico". We built a paper mache mesa and displayed typical grasses of our area.

Rick Bagley, Rocky Bagley and Dustin Sultemeier showed livestock at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair where Dustin had Grand Champion Dairy Goat.

We are earning money to pay our way to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri. Fund raisers have included the Smokey Bear Stampede in Capitan, a Donation Breakfast, and a Blue & Gold Sausage Sale. Before we leave for Kansas City we will also have a Donation Dinner on November 4 at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria.
by John Gnatkowski

J.G. Moore Inducted In New Mexico State Senate Hall of Fame

The family of J.G. Moore was notified recently of the induction of Mr. Moore into the New Mexico State Senate Hall of Fame.

Mr. Moore was the first state senator elected from the county of Lincoln in 1952. He previously held the office of Lincoln County Clerk from 1948-1952.

A portrait and brief history will be placed in the Hall of Fame in Santa Fe this month honoring Mr. Moore. He served as senator from 1952 until his death in June, 1989.

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THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

How Cold Was It?

By Ruth Hammond

Winter is on the way and old-timers say it will probably snow. Halloween. That remains to be seen but there is a good chance that we could have a repeat of last year. A BIG snow storm hit Lincoln County on that Friday of Halloween weekend and the Carrizozo Grizzlies had a cold, snowy, blizzard-like game with the officials extremely low. Everyone was cold: the players, the officials, the coaches, the school staff, and the spectators. The next day it was a little bit warmer but it continued to be cold.

Few people keep track of the weather from year to year unless something special happens to coincide with a certain date. There are a few who can tell you "how cold it was, way back when" because of the circumstances surrounding a particular date.

When it does get cold we have the comfort of a warm home, not at all like the settlers who came across this area in covered wagons. Can you imagine trying to keep warm with a cold wind blowing snow around a canvas that is spread over a wagon?

There are times it makes a person wonder what driving force caused those people to leave their warm homes back east and head for the unknown, sometimes desolate, regions out west. The history books say many people came west for a new start or because they wanted a place where there were fewer people.

Whatever the reason, those settlers had to have been a hardy sort. They faced rattlesnakes, heat and drought in the summer, cold and snow in the winter, and every day the entire situation began again with family and animals to feed, packing their things back into the wagon, and starting another day of travel.

The old Conestoga wagons were the original travel trailers. While the people using the wagons probably didn't realize it, they may well have been the reason many people today have the courage to travel across the country at all times of the year.

Today's travel trailers have all the modern conveniences, such as furnaces and air conditioners, refrigerators, self-contained bathrooms, microwave ovens, TV, radios, and cellular telephones.

These luxuries were not even thought of in the "old days" and if anyone had suggested they were even a possibility the person making the statement would have been accused of witchcraft.

It is strange that the things we take for granted today were mere figments of someone's imagination less than a century ago. Today warm clothing can be purchased compared to the way it was back when people had to make their own clothes after growing their own cotton and/or tending a flock of sheep.

Here in Lincoln County there are a few people who know how to shear a sheep, spin the wool, and make their own clothes and accessories. Today it is an art, not necessity.

Warm clothing today consists of thermal underwear, not at all unlike the long-handled the settlers wore. Warm clothing today consists of modern fabrics designed to help retain body temperatures when out hunting, sledding, skiing, ice skating, or any of the other winter sports many people enjoy.

Today if we want to travel we get in a warm vehicle, or it will be warm after we start the engine and turn on the heater, and we can drive in comfort. We can reach our destination in a relatively short time, whether it is a matter of hours, or days. The settlers knew it would take months of travel to get where they were going. And they knew there would be hardships.

Times have changed and our most important concern now is if the furnace is lit and/or if we have enough wood to build fires. Winter is more of an inconvenience to most of us than the hardship it was for the settlers crossing this area. Winter cold and snow today causes us only temporary discomfort compared to the long, drawn-out ordeal it must have been for the settlers.

Will it snow, Halloween? We will have to wait and see.

Winter Snows Are On The Way!

For the Love of Gregory

by Joan Rice

Editor's Note: This column relates a five-year-old's conversations with his grandmother.

Kindergarten Blues

Monday was Gregory's first day at kindergarten. He came to my house afterward. We sat at the table.

"Does kindly mean being nice, Queen Mother?" he asked.

"Yes."

"Oh my," he sighed, "I was afraid of that!"

"Why?"

"My parents have sent me to school to learn to be nice. But I won't learn it there. It was my first day of kindly garden today. And nobody was kindly and there wasn't even a garden. Just a bunch of other little brats like me and a white haired lady like you. She just kept saying 'sit down children.' But nobody did. Queen Mother, I think she was out of control."

"It sounds like it," I said.

Then he asked, "Do I really have to go ever' single day? It could get real old in a hurry."

"Yes you do, Gregory. But it will be fun, you'll see. You'll learn all kinds of new things."

"Like what? I already know it all."

"Not so, my little guy. Nobody knows it all. And you have barely begun learning."

He buried his face in his hands. "You mean this is gonna go on forever?"

"Yep, I'm afraid so. Because you need an education."

"That's redickulous. Why?"

"So you can get a good job."

Then his eyes got big. "You mean I'm doin' all this stuff just so I can work? I hate to work. And 'sides, I have to take a bath every' night, brush my teeth. An' worse of all, I have to get up real early. Oh no, Queen Mother, there's got to be a better way."

"Sorry, Gregory. That's what you get for being born a kid."

"Boy, it's sure not any fun." "Sometimes it's not any fun being a grown-up. Meanwhile, why don't you eat some of that ice cream I got for you?"

He looked downcast and shook his head. "I couldn't choke down a bite. Ice cream doesn't fix everything. Queen Mother."

"You're probably right, Kiddo. But sometimes swallowing something good makes the bad go down easier."

"Well all right," he said, "I'll get up early tomorrow, and take a bath, and brush my teeth. And I'll go to school. But I'm warnin' you now. I'm not gonna like it!"

"Wanna bet?"

"No. 'Cause you always win all the bets. I think you cheat. Anyways, I think I'll have that ice cream now. Maybe with some whip cream and cherries."

He ate, as always, with relish. On his way out the door he rubbed his tummy and said, "Ya' know Queen Mother, I feel better already."

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THE OTHER SIDE

This whole week has been lousy up. Last Monday (Oct. 10th) I started the week with high hopes of accomplishing something. By Tuesday morning, I had scrapped that thought. By Tuesday evening, I was pulling my hair. Wednesday morning, I arose at 4:00 a.m. with a new sense of determination, for all the good that might do me. By noon, things were pretty much back in the old rut. That evening, I said to h... with it. (I know some of you will fill those blanks with "eck" and others with "ell", but you'll really never know what I did to it. Oh well, to each his own.) Thursday morning, I arose at a more opportune time and counted my blessings for having survived Wednesday. Thursday evening, I was feeling more like my old self. Friday came in with a new vigor. All those people I had made frivolous promises to earlier in the week meant to find out if I really meant what I had said, which of course I didn't. However, Friday night came just prior to me running out of excuses, and I made it through another regularly scheduled week. Then Saturday morning, most of those individuals who had, by deceit or guile or both, obtained my home phone number called me to see if it really was my number. And now it's Saturday afternoon and I am sitting here working on my column which will come out next Thursday. Not only does it happen when it happens but it may not be happening in descending order. And to think this is the hum-drum part of my existence.

The companion art to procrastination is the ability to satisfactorily explain to others why you didn't. (I don't know where that thought came from but it somehow sounded appropriate.)

I said something about "descending order" earlier and was satisfied I knew what I was trying to say when I said it, but after reflection I'm not sure I knew what I was saying. Events occur in relation to each other, but do future events descend or ascend? Do you arise out of the past and fall off into the future, or is it the other way around? Are we climbing out of our past situations or are we slipping into future ones? Who was it that said, "Onward and upward"? I guess it all depends on which side of the hill you're on.

The optimist says "I'm rising to new heights", and the pessimist says, "I've already been there."

Have I already said that a vagrant thought is one without visible means of support?

The progressive force behind society is the same emotion that drives aberrant behavior. (This is thought form known as "off the wall" because it is neither vagrant nor brought up in a proper context.)

Did you hear about the wife who drove her husband to drink being arrested for DWI? Apparently she was not only encouraging the activity but was also participating.

Are our scarce government resources being properly applied in stopping 50,000 motorists in DWI roadblocks to catch 200 offenders? Just think how many miles of sewer line we could build for the same cost. If this bothers you, ask your local candidate.

Inside The Capitol

by Jay Miller

SANTA FE—In early November, several news sources will do stories explaining the 14 constitutional amendments on the general election ballot.

That may or may not be enough time for those who will vote on Nov. 8 to study the proposals and make an intelligent decision. It definitely will be too late for the voters who choose to exercise their voting franchise during the previous 37 days.

As a service to early voters and to those who'd like to have time to think about the proposals, the 14 amendments are summarized below.

Amendment 1 repeals the provision authorizing recall of local school board members. Proponents of repeal say public officials should not be subject to the whim of public mood swings that can seriously divide a community. Opponents of repeal say the local electorate should not be restricted from redress against board members who fail to meet the obligations of their office.

Amendment 2 increases the number of signatures required for a grand jury petition. Currently 200 voters can call a grand jury. Proponents say that's too low a threshold in populous counties. Opponents say we should not hamstring the ability of voters to initiate criminal investigations.

Amendment 3 would have the governor appoint a student to the board of regents of each higher education institution. The appointment would be made from a list submitted by the institution's president. Proponents say this will allow students to take an active role in running their institution. Opponents note that at most institutions, the student body president, who is chosen by students, already is an advisory member.

Amendment 4 would change the name of the state Highway Commission to the state Transportation Commission. Supporters say the change more accurately reflects the broader scope of responsibility. Some opponents say the commissioners could use a reminder of their broader responsibilities but the change isn't worth the cost and confusion.

Amendment 5 is repealed by Amendment 14.

Amendment 6 allows counties to borrow money for repair of buildings and purchase of open space. Supporters say the current law encourages counties to demolish buildings with possible historic value and that open space is a high

priority in many communities. Opponents say repairs should come out of operating budgets and that as one of the largest and least populated states, we have ample open space.

Amendment 7 would change the State Hospital at Las Vegas to the New Mexico Center for Gerontology and Psychiatry. Supporters cite its political correctness. "Aginers" say we've already changed the name once by statute and can do it again without amending the constitution.

Amendment 8 legalizes a state lottery and video gaming. Backers say it will boost the economy and stop the flow of money out of state. Opponents say the state should not encourage gambling because of its social costs and the possibility of attracting organized crime.

Amendment 9 gives state and local governments a limited exception to the "anti-donation clause" that prohibits use of public funds for private purposes. Supporters say it will aid economic development. Opponents say it opens the door to abuse.

New Mexico Rural Water Assn. Presented Award

The New Mexico Rural Water Users Association was named Association of the Year at the National Rural Water Association's (NRWA) annual technical conference in New Orleans.

This award is the most prestigious association award presented by NRWA each year. The 45 member state associations of NRWA were judged on their contribution to the water utility profession and protection of water resources in their state. The New Mexico association also won New Mexico's Environmental Leadership award in 1993.

The association is a strong voice in New Mexico for the

rights of rural system's water rights, an important issue in their state.

NRWA is the largest utility association in the United States, representing more than 16,000 water systems across the country.

Amendment 10 requires judges to poll at least 57 percent in retention elections. Proponents say it's a slight curb on the "lifetime entitlement" we gave judges in 1988. Opponents say judges need to be insulated.

Amendment 11 cleans up the voter qualification section of our constitution. Supporters say the language needs modernized. Opponents say that's a job for the Constitutional Revision Commission.

Amendments 12 and 13 change the method of distributing money from the permanent fund and severance tax permanent fund. Proponents say it is in line with policies of most large endowments and charitable trusts and stabilizes the yield of the funds. Opponents note it could result in spending a portion of the corpus.

Amendment 14 increases legislative per diem and mileage rates to those allowed by the IRS. Supporters say it's the fairest way to compensate lawmakers expenses. Opponents say it's too much money for an office candidates know is unpaid when they run.

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Mountain Ministry Hosts Sister Church With Dinner Meeting

The Mountain Ministry Parish recently enjoyed a visit from its "sister" church in Pennsylvania. Forty-seven members from the Shenango Presbytery Mission toured the Sierra Blanca Presbytery and were served a fajita, beans and dessert luncheon at the Ancho Church. Table decorations included winter fat and chamiza — forage that cattle utilize in the winter months.

The local group enjoyed showing the folks the unique church that used to be a school to over 100 students and learned it was the first school to serve hot lunches in the state of New Mexico. They shared ranch life and current issues including private prop-

erty rights and the Rangeland Reform New Mexico is up against.

The Canyon CowBelles supplied "ditty bags" with beef literature, recipes and more. The Pennsylvanians in turn shared about life and worship in the Shenango Presbytery in which they're "district" includes 72 churches with 23,000 members. They were most amazed by the long distances between places — they have so many small towns 4-10 miles away and have several Presbyterian churches in one town.

Their tour included flying to Albuquerque in time to enjoy the Balloon Fiesta and lunch at the Menaul School on Oct. 8. They had fellowship, worship service and an evening fiesta at Hispanic church in Roswell on Sunday. They headed for Lincoln, Capitan and Ancho on Monday the 10th. After the fajita lunch, Sara Jackson opened her House of Old Things Museum for them to enjoy.

The group left for Artesia, Carlsbad, El Paso, Santa Teresa, Juarez and Sunland Park. They returned to Pennsylvania Thursday October 13.

The Ancho Church, Ruth and Carol Wilson worked hard in making this a wonderful day, the Corona church provided the desserts and Nogal Church provided chips and dips. Don and Marjorie Daniels, pastors enjoyed the visit from fellow Pennsylvanians.

Other Side

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for his thoughts on the matter. However, keep in mind that you must do so prior to the election while he/she is available for conversations with the "great unwashed". (The "great unwashed" was a phrase coined by Ambrose Bierce back in the thirties to describe the ballot fodder manipulated by politicians in their search for positions of grandeur. It also describes those who were neither fortunate enough to live in New York nor able to understand what Ol' Ambrose was talking about in the first place.)

I expected when I started out on this today that I was going to have to put part of it off until later when I came up with something to say, but it looks like I made it to the end without having much to say nor having to put much thought into it.

Canyon CowBelles Receive Art Print From Boys Ranch

The October 5 Canyon CowBelles potluck luncheon meeting was held at the home of Cheri Goad with 21 members, guest speaker Rex Wilson and other guests including Louis King, Julie Clear, Ann Bauman, Allie Wienke, Judy Glover, Johanna and new baby Bryce.

CowBelles received a pencil sketch print from the NM Boys Ranch "The Gift" by Susan Dowd Lee for supporting the Boys Ranch through the Lincoln County Fair. Since CowBelles do not have a permanent office, members agreed to hang the print at Norwest Bank.

Discussions were held regarding Senate Bill 349, the Biodiversity and California Desert Bill. Members need to urge Senators Bingaman and Domenici to vote against these bills that are affecting private property rights and also to support Senator Wallop's filibuster on same, and it is important to call President Clinton's office and ask him not to put Mike Synar in to replace Mike Espy as Secretary of Agriculture.

Lisa Shivers, Stacy Hendricks, Carol Wilson and Knollene McDaniels worked at the informative booth at the State Fair in Albuquerque.

Pat Hume supplied brochures, recipes, and beef literature at the Conference for Women in Ruidoso.

Knollene was in charge of getting 47 ditty bags with beef literature, pencils and more together for visiting Presbyterian members to the Ancho church from Pennsylvania. Knollene reported on the 5-States Meeting in Clayton which included a speech Knollene prepared and presented about roots of ranching.

Guest speaker Rex Wilson thanked the CowBelles for all the work done in the past

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CAPITAN NOTES

By MAUREEN SULLIVAN

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

Welcome home Lois Aldrich. We are all happy to have you back here in Capitan where you belong. However, guess you did give Mollie and Wayne Mason a bit of a shock the other day and they rushed you back to Ruidoso, but the report was not serious and Mollie and Wayne were able to bring you home. How fortunate for you to be so close to lovely and caring folks like our Wayne and Mollie Mason. Wish we had a dozen more like them. Understand that Lorene Caywood is being your chauffeur Lois, so we will all relax knowing you are in such good and capable hands. Like I said at the beginning. Welcome Home Lois Aldrich.

Understand there will be a

meeting at the Senior Center at 6 p.m. this evening (Oct. 18) and it will be about the White House Conference on Aging. Will have to get the low-down and give it to you all next week, because this must go to press this afternoon. Doesn't that sound big time paperish?

Am still trying to get Mr. Chavez via telephone to get the list of folks that attended the super duper party at Art and Joe Blazers. Will keep trying. I either get a busy signal or no signal at all. If any of you happen to remember the names of the attendees, please give me a ring and clue me.

Last Friday on my way home from the post office, I met Margie and Joe Gemotes. Margie was in the front seat, naturally and Joe was on the outside of the car, naturally. Joe opened the door on the driver's side and said "Get in." Naturally, I started to demur, whereupon Joe gave the door a wider swing, and me a sorta kinda gentle push inside with the following remark. "Shut up and get in." Then Joe proceeded on around the car and got in and sat in the back seat. What a memory that brought back. When I first moved here I thought that it was certainly a place that God

had forgotten if, indeed he had ever been here in the first place. The Gemotes were waiting for the Sunday edition of *The El Paso Times*, (that was a long time ago, wasn't it?) and so was I. I had already made two prior trips to find the paper box still empty. That memorable day Joe reached around and opened the door in the back and in his inimitable way said, "Get in." I did and that was the beginning of a most beautiful friendship. Ironically they were parked in almost the identical spot Friday as they were on that memorable Sunday long, long ago or so it seems.

I then invited them over to the house and we had a delightful couple of hours visiting. During the visit it was disclosed that they had been to a beautiful formal wedding of their granddaughter in El Paso the latter part of September and I had not tuned in on it and they had not reported it to me. My apologies Margie and Joe and also my apologies to all you fine folks that I know want to hear about this very special wedding.

Adeline Rogers, daughter of Robert and Marjorie Ann Rogers, and granddaughter of Joe and Margie Gemotes and Wilfredo Moya were united in marriage at St. Pius the X Church in El Paso, and the beautiful reception was held at the El Paso Del Norte Hotel. The bridal couple then left for Europe for an extended honeymoon. There will be a more detailed account of this beautiful wedding in the upcoming news.

What a lovely surprise yesterday when I opened my front door to a very lady-like knock. There stood Inez Marrs and after a big bear hug by each of us to each of us, she said she could only stay a few minutes. She did stay a bit longer and we hurried to get caught up on the latest. Of course the very latest was the resignation of a certain correctional official tak.tak.tak. Our present governor would do well to thoroughly investigate the whole correctional system, before the upcoming election, instead of possibly after the upcoming election. How about it Governor? (A lot of folks could tell you a lot of things we think you should know.)

Where oh were doth the time go? I am doing triple duty. First am doing laundry,

Seven Capitan FFA Members Exhibit At Eastern NM State Fair

Capitan FFA was well represented at the Eastern New Mexico State Fair, having seven members exhibiting livestock in the junior livestock division. The members were:

- Colinda Whipple, 1st place, Dairy Heifers.
- Terry Hill, 1st place mutton cross lamb.
- Julie Barham, 5th place, Heavy Hamp Swine.
- Joe Burchett, 5th place, Heavy York Swine.
- Casey Cunningham, Lamba.
- Stacy Erwin, Swine.
- Amanda Bird, Lamba.
- Colinda Whipple sold her Grand Champion Dairy Heifer for \$3250.00 and with a \$2000 add-on from the Museum of the Horse. Terry Hill also sold her mutton cross lamb for \$19.00 a lb.

Congratulations FFA members, Shelly Gowen, Reporter.



CHOOSE YOUR FAVORITE PUMPKIN. Pumpkins decorated by the Capitan Headstart through 5th grade classes are on display at Ruidoso State Bank in Capitan. Everyone who views the pumpkins are asked to vote for their favorite on provided ballots. The ballots will be counted at 6 p.m. Friday, and the winning class will be treated to a pizza party. The contest is sponsored by Capitan Post Office and Ruidoso State Bank Capitan branch. Cummins Grocery donated the pumpkins.

on my second load, also am cooking a large beef roast (so it will serve several days) and dashing back and forth to the kitchen with one eye on the clock and then back to the typewriter, -- excuse me, the blasted word processor, which needless to mention it, it and me do not see eye to eye on any of the keys. Every time I speed up a bit it decides to insert a few extra letters to make the entire bit of news look like garbled gibberish, but never Ruth's heart, she never complains. I do not even attempt to submit a decent copy. Just cross out and strike over.

Am still searching for those golden years that I have always heard so much about, and you just guessed, I haven't yet found them. So will soothe my thoughts with some more nostalgia.

More of "When I grew up long, long ago" by Alvin Schwartz.

How Boys Dressed

Until I was five or six I wore dresses. All little boys did. And usually it was a red dress so my mother could find me when I got out in the fields. Near Fincastle, Virginia 1898

The only clothes I had were these two shirts that came down to my knees. My mother made 'em out of flour sacks. And they had printin' all over 'em, but when you washed 'em and ironed 'em they looked purty good. Sort of white. I was 10, 11 before I ever got any pants. Near Allison, South Carolina 1890

Our shirts weren't too different than they are now, except that they were called "bodies" and "shirtwaists." When you were young you buttoned them to your pants all the way around. Beuna Vista, Virginia 1905

The first pants I wore were straight pants that came down to my knees. Then when I was seven or eight I started wearing knickers or so with long stockings and also overalls. It wasn't until I was 16 or so that I got long pants. The first day I wore 'em the other kids cornered me and took 'em away. I got them back after awhile, but I did get sort of nervous. Tucson, Arizona 1910

When it was cold I wore long woolen underwear, all one piece. It came down to my ankles and my wrists and buttoned up the front and unbuttoned at the seat. Then when it got warm, I wore cotton underwear. It had a top with short sleeves and legs that came to the knees. Of course, everyone slept in their underwear and you only changed it when you needed to. That was two or three times a week. Lynchburg, Virginia 1905

At first I wore button shoes, the kind that buttoned up the front. Then I wore bulldog shoes. These had shoelaces and a big square front on them. The first thing you did

when you got shoes like that was step on them good and hard and break down that front. If you didn't somebody else would and your foot would be inside. Of course in the summer I went barefooted. That first day when I finally got those shoes off I felt like I could about fly. Jackson County, Missouri 1910

Next week will relate how the girls dressed.

Those pumpkins displayed at the bank look might nice and reflect a lot of work and certainly a lot of talent. It will be difficult judging them. But whoever the winners, each entrant deserves a lot of credit and appreciation.

At the beginning of "The Tale of Two Cities" by Charles Dickens it reads...

It was the best of times.

It was the worst of times; and it certainly is appropriate to this day. Every newscast brings some horror story or some horrible tragedy or some gosh-awful accident that makes us cringe and then the politicians get on the air and spend thousands of dollars downgrading their opponent and trying to influence us with how much smarter and better they are than the 'good for nothing' they are running against, which brings me this in closing.

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Sept. 9 vs. ESTANCIA	7:30 p.m. (Homecoming)
Sept. 16 vs. HAGERMAN	7:30 p.m. (away)
Sept. 23 vs. LOVING	7:30 p.m. (home)
Sept. 30 vs. TEXICO	7:30 p.m. (home)
Oct. 8 vs. RESERVE (dist. game)	2:00 (away)
Oct. 14 vs. CLOUDCROFT (dist. game)	7:00 p.m. (away)
* Oct. 22 vs. ANIMAS (dist. game)	2:00 p.m. (home)
Oct. 28 vs. CARRIZOZO (dist. game)	7:30 p.m. (home)

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Oct. 20 vs. TULAROSA (V/JV)	5:30 p.m. (home)
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DISTRICT COURT REPORT

The following criminal cases were filed in the 12th Judicial Court Lincoln County Division, in the courthouse in Carrizozo.

September 6:
Jerry Tracewell, 52, Denver Colorado: charged with possession of methamphetamine, possession of LSD.

Greg Baca, 55, Ruidoso Downs: charged with criminal sexual penetration, false imprisonment and aggravated battery.

September 7:
Aaron Guerro, 28, Ruidoso: criminal sexual penetration.
Andrew N. Needham, 33,

New Mexico State Penitentiary: escape from prison (Camp Sierra Blanca).

September 9:
Russell H. Simpson, 23, New Mexico State Penitentiary: escape from prison (Camp Sierra Blanca).

William A. Brown III, 30, New Mexico State Penitentiary: escape from Camp Sierra Blanca.

Bill E. Eaton, 32, Lincoln County Detention Center: four counts of issuance of worthless checks.

Arthur Jimenez, 36, Roswell: DWI, harassment, failure to display registration,

open container, no insurance, speeding 61/45 mile zone.

George Padilla, 29, Ruidoso: DWI 7th, driving with suspended license, disorderly conduct, possession of marijuana less than one ounce.

Steve A. Anderson, 36, Ruidoso: DWI, careless driving, possession of marijuana less than one ounce.

Jory Perea, 37, Alto: DWI, suspended license, careless driving, open container, no insurance.

September 26:
James R. Hulsinger, 35, El Paso: unlawful taking of a motor vehicle, larceny over \$20,000, aggravated battery (armed after entry) (firearm enhancement), four counts of larceny of a firearm.

Kathy Hyatt, 39, Midland: embezzlement \$2,500 to \$20,000.

October 3:
Craig Sullivan, 31, Ruidoso: felon in possession of a firearm.

Mark Propsner, 24, Ruidoso: embezzlement \$250-\$2500. Based on a plea and disposition agreement filed on October 18, Propsner pleaded no contest to district Judge James W. Counts; who then placed Propsner on three years probation. Propsner was also ordered to pay restitution.

Joe H. Lane, 23, Las Cruces: felon in possession of a firearm.

October 5:
Mary Wimberly, 64, Ruidoso: embezzlement over \$2500.

William Mitchell, 40, Ruidoso: embezzlement over \$250.

October 6:
Danny L. Prewitt, 42,

Ruidoso: DWI, driving on suspended license, careless driving.

James A. Lovato, 40, Albuquerque: DWI, open container, no drivers licenss.

October 7:
Wade R. Cannon, 35, Spring, TX: forgery.

October 12:
Puala Giarratano, 37, Ruidoso: embezzlement over \$2500.

Steven L. Powell, 24, Ruidoso Downs: extortion.

October 13:
Alfred W. Berg, 47, Travis County, TX: fugitive complaint.

Billy P. Reeves, 63, Galveston, TX: fugitive complaint.

October 14:
Louis Rosarrie, 41, Lincoln County Detention Center/New Mexico State Penitentiary: escape from work release.

The following criminal cases which were filed in the Lincoln County Division of the 12th Judicial court were closed:

Billy E. Martin: charges of battery and drinking in public case filed January 3: case was dismissed on March 9, as defendant failed to appear.

Bobby L. Baker: charges of false imprisonment, criminal sexual penetration and aggravated assault filed January 7: case dismissed May 2 by district attorney with no conditions.

Faustino Miranda, Jr: charges of larceny over \$250 and auto burglary filed Jan. 10: entered guilty plea on January 26 and District Judge Richard Parsons placed him on two years probation.

William Melton: charge of commercial burglary filed Jan. 10: entered guilty plea and was sentenced by Parsons to five years probation: petition to revoke probation was filed August 26. Judge ordered him to continue probation.

William R. Alexander: charge of failure to appear filed on Jan. 28: March 21, plea and disposition agreement entered, and was sentenced to five years probation and ordered to pay a fine of \$2500.

Michael Townsend: 10 counts of shoplifting, one count of larceny under \$100 charges filed Jan. 31: plea and disposition agreement entered May 17 and was placed on three years probation.

Louis Gavi: 10 counts shoplifting and one county larceny under \$100 filed Jan. 31: placed on five years probation after guilty plea on September 12.

Noe Morales-Fernandez: charge of accessory to shooting at dwelling or occupied building filed on Feb. 1: plea and disposition agreement filed June 28: placed on five years probation on July 8.

Jose P. Bonilla-Morales: charge of shooting at dwelling or occupied building on Jan. 15: plea and disposition filed April 19: placed on five year probation on April 27.

Dayle M. Wilson: fugitive complaint filed Feb. 9: signed waiver of extradition on Feb. 16.

Charles E. Pearson: fugitive complaint from Texas filed Feb. 15: waive of extradition signed same day.

Louis Gavi: charge of failure to appear filed on Feb. 15: dismissed August 26.

John Martinez: charges of DWI, driving on revoked license, open container filed Feb. 22: plea and disposition agreement filed July 12: sentenced to six months in the Lincoln County Detention Center (jail) on July 15.

Fred L. Brown: charge of child abuse filed Feb. 24: placed on two year probation after guilty plea on June 18.
Joshua Bird: residential burglary, larceny over \$250 filed Feb. 28: placed on four years probation after guilty plea entered on August 17.

Manuel Blackmon: conspiracy to commit larceny over \$250, auto burglary, larceny over \$250 charges filed Feb. 28: placed on two years probation after plea and disposition agreement filed August 17.

Jason Brillante: possession of explosives charge filed March 8: placed on five years probation after guilty plea entered on April 29.

Monte L. Aldrich: commer-

cial burglary, two counts of larceny over \$250, residential burglary charges filed March 14: placed on 18 months probation on April 26.

Jackie Wynne: possession of methamphetamines with intent to distribute, conspiracy to distribute methamphetamines charges filed March 14: appealed to

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Capitan Notes

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Congratulations Sterling Spencer and Ray Powell the other night on television. Rarely do I tune into Public Broadcasting, but I was disgusted with what was being offered on the networks, I usually am by the way and when I saw Sterling, decided to listen and how pleasant to hear two well educated gentlemen being interviewed and how gentlemanly they both were. No downgrading, no arguing, no belittling, each with an excellent message for New Mexico voters and both very, very courteous to each other. Methinks it should be on National Television so some of the big mouthed could arrive at this summation... "It doesn't take any brains at all to criticize." And that is what campaigning has stooped to over the years. May I say thank you Sterling Spencer and Ray Powell. You were both magnificent.

And so for another week let me leave you with the following entitled The World Has Need Of You. Mr. Sterling Spencer and Mr. Ray Powell our world certainly has need

of fine gentlemen like you.

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Then lift your head and never say die
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Get busy, don't let a chance slip by
For the world has need of YOU. Evelyn Whitewall

And so for another week, God bless you one and all and remember to try a bit of kindness. 'Tis good for the soul you know.

Canyon CowBelles

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including letters and phone calls. He asked us not to give up now as the battle is getting closer and closer to home. He reported on the Coalition of the West and how lower levels of government are affecting us. He asked that we show up at the County Courthouse November 10 to testify, present letters and attend a hearing some are calling the Western Revolt.

CowBelles need to express support for an ordinance that would create a governing committee for federal lands to be owned by the state and controlled by the local county government. Please don't forget to vote.

The Christmas Party will be at the Country Club Dec. 10, the annual meeting in Albuquerque will be Dec. 2 and 3. Next meeting will be at the Recreation Center. Officers please come one hour earlier at 10:30. Think Beef.

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Taxes (PILT). PILT is compensation for uncollectible property taxes on the exempt federal lands within the counties' jurisdiction.

The PILT program formula is based on the number of federal acres in a county, minus a deduction for the revenue from the previous year's timber sales, mineral extraction and other sources. PILT began in 1976, but the formula has never been adjusted for inflation. According to a release from U.S. Congressman Joe Skeen's office, the consumer price index has increased 120 percent since 1976, but PILT payments have remained flat.

A bill passed by the U.S. Congress this month will revise the formula used to figure the PILT payments to account for inflation and the consumer price index, resulting in higher PILT payment. The bill passed the U.S. Senate earlier this year, and is now awaiting the president's signature.

In 1993, Lincoln County received \$340,938 in PILT payments. It was up from the \$319,618 in 1992. The PILT payments are placed in the county's general fund and are used for the management of the county.

If the states assume ownership of the federally held public lands, the PILT payments would most likely discontinue.

Also likely to discontinue would be the management of federal public forest lands by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service. The main U.S. Forest Service agency in Lincoln is the Smokey Bear Ranger District, with its headquarters in Ruidoso. The Ranger District is located entirely within Lincoln County. Some of the federal forest lands in the Corona area of Lincoln County are within the Cibola National Forest, with its ranger district headquartered in Mountainair.

According to Jerry Hawkes, head ranger of the Smokey Bear District, the district's total estimated budget for the fiscal year 1993 was \$1,450,000. That includes 20 full time salaried employees (\$740,000), vehicles and equipment (\$105,000), travel/training (\$20,000), computer costs (\$14,000), utilities/phone (\$26,000), uniforms (\$2,000), National Finance Center (\$18,000), OWCP/unemployment (\$46,000), other, including office supplies, tools, fuel, toilet pumping at campgrounds, recreation supplies (\$77,000). The budget also includes salaries for 40 seasonal employees including the National Hot Shot Crew which often leaves the county to fight forest fires throughout the U.S. (\$270,000). Sikes Act Projects account for \$50,000. Range betterment projects account for \$42,000 and miscellaneous contracts account for \$40,000.

These figures do not include large fire costs, road maintenance, engineering costs, cultural survey costs or facilities maintenance.

There were no major forest fires in the Smokey Bear Ranger District in fiscal year 1993. No figures were available for the costs of the large fires which occurred in the Smokey Bear Ranger District in fiscal year 1994.

The income to Smokey Bear Ranger District in fiscal year 1993 was \$194,351 which included grazing fees, special use permits, fuel-wood sales, Christmas tree permits and all other sources.

The Forest Service also provides funds to Lincoln County for cooperative programs for law enforcement and road maintenance.

According to information from the Roswell District of the Bureau of Land Management

(BLM), BLM manages 476,610 acres in Lincoln County. On that acreage, 135 grazing permits or leases are held, with 94,308 animal unit per month (AUM) sold which results in \$186,730 grazing fees collected.

The Minerals Management Services (MMS) collects the mineral royalties from companies operating on public lands managed by BLM. MMS keeps its records by county and returns 60 percent of the royalties to the State of New Mexico. In fiscal year 1993, BLM managed minerals produced \$27,267.50 in royalties, of which \$13,633.75 were returned to the State of New Mexico.

In Lincoln County in fiscal year 1993, Lincoln County Road Department purchased \$2,390 worth of mineral materials (sand, gravel, and caliche) from public lands. Some \$1,271,179 worth of mineral materials were given as free use permits to the New Mexico Highway Department, Lincoln County Road Department and Chaves County Road Department.

BLM operates two recreation areas within Lincoln County, Valley of Fires Malpais lava flow west of Carrizozo, and Fort Stanton which includes Fort Stanton cave and Rio Bonito Campground. Last fiscal year, Valley of Fires had 96,000 visitors, from which \$22,360 in fees were collected. There were 2,611 day use permits sold and 1,358 camping permits sold. Supplies and materials to operate Valley of Fires cost \$7,000.

There are two full time employees at Valley of Fires, who also oversee the Rio Bonito campground, another BLM employee who is in Lincoln County on a full time basis, and a BLM police ranger out of Roswell who patrols the Fort Stanton area.

Last fiscal year 1,170 people visited Fort Stanton Cave. There is no fee to visit the cave. Some 1,400 campers visited the Rio Bonito Campground, which is also not a fee area.

Fort Stanton consists of 27,622 acres. It is not part of any grazing district because it is a former military reservation. Since the area is not in a grazing district, it can not be part of an allotment for grazing livestock, under BLM policy. The forage at Fort Stanton was sold in four parcels to the highest bidder for a term of three years, and is now in its second year.

The grazing fees collected on the Fort Stanton parcels totalled \$37,186 for 3,015 AUMs.

BLM has no oil and gas leases in Lincoln County. Total fees collected in Lincoln County by BLM were \$249,066 for Fiscal Year 1994.

BLM does not break out its payroll statistics by county. Instead, its budget is based on the Roswell Resource Area, which is part of the Roswell District. Lincoln County is included in the Roswell Resource Area which encompasses 1,490,000 BLM managed federal surface and subsurface acres (rounded off to the nearest 1,000). The Roswell District Office employs 53 permanent full time employees. Nine career-seasonal fire fighters are split between the Roswell Resource Area and the Carlsbad Resource Area, which includes 2,197,000 BLM managed surface and subsurface acres.

The entire Roswell District employs 153 full time employees. The budget for the district in Fiscal Year 1994 (which ended in September 1994) was \$5,682,500 for salaries and \$1,471,908 for projects for a total of \$7,154,408. The total will be slightly less in Fiscal Year 1995 which just began.

In fiscal year 1994, the

Roswell Resource area issued grazing permits for 314,328 AUMs and collected grazing fees totaling \$616,175.60. The Carlsbad Resource Area issued 312,937 AUMs and collected grazing fees totaling \$610,229.70.

The Roswell District manages federal public lands within Lincoln, Guadalupe, Quay, Curry, Roosevelt, DeBaca, Chaves, Eddy and Lea Counties.

If the county assumes management of the federal public lands, it will also have to assume some of the liability costs associated with damage to private property caused by uncontrolled wild fires.

Subsidies paid to some livestock growers, farmers, miners, irrigation districts and timber growers may also be discontinued.

In the figures listed above, the estimated total income from BLM and US Forest Service (Smokey Bear District) was \$443,017. The Smokey Bear Forest District fiscal year 1993 operating budget alone was \$1,450,000.

The proposed ordinance which will establish the Public Land Use Advisory Council (PLUAC) proposes to give the PLUAC, subject to approval, oversight and appeal to the county commission, "the power to determine user fees, determine land uses, negotiate contracts for uses, hear appeals on disputes between competing claims, hear appeals of all issues related to use, operation and management of the lands, oversee management by county employees, enact and enforce rules related to land uses, advise the County Commission on all issues related to public lands, and make decisions related to intergovernmental relations bearing on public lands."

The public will have opportunity to comment on the proposed Lincoln County PLUAC ordinance during a hearing set at 10 a.m. during the November 10 Lincoln County Commission meeting. The meeting is held in the commissioners' chambers of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

At the October 4 county commission meeting, when commissioners authorized the public hearing for the proposed ordinance which establishes PLUAC, there were some questions about the wording of the proposed ordinance. Commissioner L. Ray Nunley was concerned about providing the PLUAC a budget, and about giving the committee powers. Commissioner Stirling Spencer also questioned some of the wording of the proposed ordinance. Commissioner Wilton Howell voted against the setting the public hearing on the proposed ordinance, preferring to establish a PLUAC by resolution, as Chaves County did.

Copies of the proposed ordinance are available from the Lincoln County Manager's office in the courthouse in Carrizozo by calling 648-2385.

A similar ordinance was passed by the Otero County Commission and went into effect Wednesday, October 19.

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LEGALS

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold a Special Meeting on Monday, October 24, 1994 at 4:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, for Contractual Negotiations on the Carrizozo Municipal Airport.

Agenda will be posted in accordance with Resolution 94-02 Twenty-Four hours prior to meeting date and made available to public.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday, October 25, 1994 at 8:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

AGENDA WILL BE posted in accordance with Resolution 94-02 Twenty-Four hours prior to meeting date and made available to public.

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MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln Historic Preservation Board will hold a regularly scheduled Board meeting on Tuesday, November 1, 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 Guovera at 648-2385 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.

CAROLIN A. COONEY,
Lincoln County
Manager.

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District Court . . .

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New Mexico Court of Appeals on September 6.

Allen Sherill: criminal sexual penetration with deadly weapon, false imprisonment charges filed April 6; dismissed without prejudice on October 5.

Traci L. Baca: fugitive warrant filed April 7; dismissed May 2 as appeared in court in Oregon.

Angela Brown: child abuse charge filed April 7; placed on one year probation after no contest plea on July 1.

Laverne A. Beetley: accessory to forgery charge filed April 8; placed on five year probation and ordered to pay \$2862 restitution to Mr. Payroll on August 26.

Dewey C. Fox: burglary of a vehicle and receiving stolen property charges filed April 12; placed on five year probation after plea and disposition agreement filed on September 23.

Lewis D. Holcom: six counts of vehicular burglary charges filed on April 12; placed on three year probation after plea and disposition agreement filed on September 14.

General Election

confirmed by the canvass board (county commissioners) after the election to add the votes to the overall totals. That situation, however, is very rare, Chavez said.

The absentee paper ballot contains the same 13 Constitutional Amendment questions and four bond questions, and lists of candidates for each party as the voting machine ballot. The only difference in the ballots will be the names of candidates for county commission Districts 2, 4 and 5. Voters in those districts can select only their favorite county commission candidate for that specific commission district.

In County Commission District 2, Democratic Party candidate L. Ray Nunley is unopposed.

In County Commission District 4, candidates are Democratic Party Preston Lee Stone, Republican Party William H. Schwetmann.

In County Commission District 5 Republican Party candidate Monroy A. Montes is unopposed.

Candidates for all other offices on the ballots are the same in every precinct and district in Lincoln County.

On the ballots (absentee or voting machine) voters can choose to vote "straight party". If the voter completes the arrow on the absentee ballot beside the preferred party, Democratic, Republican or Green, or pushes the button beside the party on the ballot in the election booth, the voter has chosen to vote for candidates of that party only and voting is thus completed.

Voters who wish to choose candidates separately do so by filling out the arrow to the right of the preferred candidate on absentee paper ballots or pushing the square to the right of the preferred candidate on the ballot in the voting machine.

The candidates, in the same order as listed on the ballots, are as follows:

United States Senator:
Democratic Party Jeff Bingaman, Republican Party Colin R. McMillan.

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Representative, Congressional District 2:

Democratic Party Benjamin Anthony Chavez, Republican Party Joe Skeen, Green Party Rex R. Johnson.

Governor and Lt. Governor (vote for one pair):

Democratic Party Bruce King and Patricia Madrid, Republican Party Gary E. Johnson and Walter D. Bradley, Green Party Roberto A. Mondragon and Steven J. Schmidt.

Secretary of State:

Democratic Party Stephanie Gonzales, Republican Party Gloria F. Baca-Griego.

State Auditor:

Democratic Party Robert E. Vigil, Republican Party H.R. Fine.

State Treasurer:

Democratic Party Michael A. Montoya, Green Party Lorenzo G. Garcia.

Attorney General:

Democratic Party Tom Udall, Republican Party Donald G. Bruckner Jr.

Commissioner of Public Lands:

Democratic Party Ray Powell, Republican Party Stirling T. Spencer, Green Party Patricia A. Wolff.

Corporation Commissioner:

Democratic Party Gloria Tristani, Republican Party Peggy Helgeson.

Judge of the Court of Appeals:

Democratic Party Richard C. Bosson.

State Representative District 56:

Democratic Party H. John Underwood, Republican Party Dub Williams.

District Judge 12th Judicial District Division IV:

Democratic Party Bert Atkins, Republican Party Frank K. Wilson.

District Magistrate Division I:

Republican Party Gerald Dean Jr.

District Magistrate Division II:

Democratic Party William R. Butts, Republican Party Paul Wersich.

County Commissioner: (Only for Districts 2, 4 and 5) Voters in Districts 1 and 3 will have no listing for a county commissioner. Voters in Districts 2, 4, and 5 can only vote for commissioner candidates from their own district (as listed earlier in the article).

County Clerk:

Republican Party Martha McKnight Proctor.

County Treasurer:

Democratic Party Steven Eugene Brewer, Republican Party Joan E. Park.

Election of non-partisan judges. Vote yes or not for each judge:

Shall Richard Ransom be retained as a Justice of the Supreme Court? Yes/No.

Shall Rudy S. Apodaca be retained as Judge of the Court of Appeals? Yes/No.

Shall Pamela B. Minzner be retained as Judge of the Court of Appeals? Yes/No.

Voters who cast a paper absentee ballot will be asked to complete both sides of the ballot. The 13 Constitutional Amendments and the four Bond Questions are listed on the side opposite of the candidates.

On the voting machine the amendments and bond questions are to the right of the list of candidates.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on General Election Day, Tuesday, November 8.

For more information about early absentee voting, or to receive an application for absentee ballot, or any other information about the election call the Lincoln County Clerk's Office in the courthouse in Carrizozo at 1-505-648-2394.

Capitan School Board

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a cover letter that explains the revision process. At the bottom of the letter is a space for comments. Parents are asked to return the letter to school in person, by mailing, or with their children no later than Friday, October 21.

The letters include the original goal, the proposed goals, and the revised goals as drafted by the goals committee. The revision is copied on gold paper in the letters.

McSwane said that everyone on the committee had opportunity to voice their opinions on what they thought was important. "After six weeks of meeting, the final draft got unanimous approval from everyone on the committee. "In several areas we started very far apart," McSwane said. "It took a lot of talking."

Board member Tim Worrell questioned why athletics and extracurricular activities were not covered in the goal plan. Superintendent Diana Sonnemaker said the committee did not address the activities as a separate situation.

"We spend an awful lot of time, energy and money outside of education," Worrell said. "And I think it's all towards development."

Board members agreed that extracurricular activities were part of education, and said they would consider goals to cover the activities at a later time.

The goals committee will meet again in November to review the comments returned from parents and, if necessary, adjust the revision. The final draft will be presented to the school board on November 10 for final approval.

Ceil Chaffins will come on board in the school cafeteria. She has five years experience as a cook, and one year as cook at Capitan Schools in 1991-92. The board approved her employment after a one-hour closed session to discuss personnel. The board also accepted the resignation of current head cook Brian Bett. He will leave November 4 to accept another position in the area.

The Capitan Band and Choir students will take their big trip over the Easter 1995 weekend. The board unanimously approved a proposal for the trip to San Diego presented by music teachers Louis Banister and Delores Earwood. The five-day, two-night, trip will take students to the San Diego Zoo, Disneyland, Sea World, and perhaps a day cruise to Ensenada, Mexico. The band and choir will have opportunity to perform either at SeaWorld or Disneyland.

There will be one chaperon for every 10 students. The trip

will cost \$349 per person and will be open to members of the choir and band. The music boosters plan several fund raising events. Juanita Smith is fund raising chairman.

The Capitan High School Cheerleaders will compete in the Bahamas during Spring Break 1995. Cheerleader Angie Hutchison said the cheerleaders will be able to raise the funds needed, and it would be a good learning experience. The 1995 Dance Festival at Sea will be during Spring Break and the students will miss no school. The festival includes three nights on board the Starship Atlantic sea cruise ship where the dance competition will take place. The cheerleaders will be able to participate in a non-judged dance performance in Nassau, Bahamas, where the ship will dock for an afternoon. The ship will also dock at Port Lucaya, Grand Bahama Island, for a day of fun. The trip will cost about \$880 per cheerleader.

The board unanimously approved the trip for the cheerleaders.

Renee Smith reported about the FHA trip to the National Competitions in Orlando, Florida in July. The Capitan Parliamentary Procedure team of Renee Smith, Tay LaRue, Nolan LaRue, and Angie Hutchison won silver medals for their demonstrations of Roberts Rules of Order at the nationals competition. The team represented New Mexico in the event, after winning on the district and state levels. Capitan Junior FHA member Michelle Ingle also attended the national competition. There were some 8,000 FHA members from chapters nationwide at the event.

The Capitan FHA team raised more than \$10,000 to go on the trip.

The board expressed its pride in the team.

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LEGALS

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO NO. CV-94-180

ELAINE BATES, PLAINTIFF, vs. JOSE NAVAR, a single man, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned Special Master will, on the 26th day of October, 1994, at 10:00 a.m., at the front entrance to the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, sell and convey all right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant(s) in and to the following described real property located in Lincoln County, New Mexico: Lots 23, 24, 25, and 26, Block 2, of Mountain View Estates, Unit 1, Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico, as shown by the plat thereof filed in the Office of the County Clerk and ex-officio recorder of Lincoln County, New Mexico, April 25, 1979, in Tube No. 656, together with all improvements situate thereon, and subject to the easements, reservations and restrictions of record, commonly called 228 - 234 Timberline Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Said sale will be conducted pursuant to the Judgment entered September 23, 1994, in the above-entitled and numbered cause, which was a suit to foreclose a Mortgage, wherein the Plaintiff was adjudged to have a valid first lien upon the real property in the amount of \$5,824.24, plus interest accruing at eight percent (8%) from January 18, 1994 to the date of sale, plus attorney fees in the amount of \$3,597.31, plus court costs and the expenses of foreclosure sale to accrue after entry of Judgment. Said sale will be made to the highest bidder for cash.

DATED this 26th day of September, 1994.

NICK VEGA, SPECIAL MASTER

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that on October 17, 1994, B & N Partnership, HC-66, Box 32, San Patricio, NM 88348, filed application No. 02648-A & 02107 into H-82, H-668 & H-2373-Expl. with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion and place of use from surface to groundwater of 17.728 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso, by ceasing its diversion via the Storm Ditch, which has its point of diversion located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 11 South, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M. Applicant proposes to cease the irrigation of 5.54 acres of land described as follows:

Table with columns: SUBD., SEC., TWP., RGE., ACRES. Row 1: Pt. W 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4, 4, 11 S., 17 E., 4.04. Row 2: Pt. SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and Pt. NE 1/4 SW 1/4, 4, 11 S., 17 E., 1.50.

and commence the use of existing wells H-82 & H-668 & H-2373 Expl., all three wells being located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., for the diversion of up to 17.728 acre-feet per annum of groundwater for the irrigation of 5.54 acres of land located in Pt. of the SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M.

Any person, firm or corporation or other entity object- ing that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the State of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The protest or objections shall be in writing and shall set forth all protestant's or objector's reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Eluid Martinez, State Engineer, 1900 W. Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, within ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice.

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H-2373-Expl. with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change point of diversion and place of use from surface to groundwater of 12.8 acre-feet per annum of surface waters of the Rio Ruidoso and supplemental groundwater, by ceasing its diversion via the Chosas Ditch South, which has its point of diversion located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 21, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and supplemental shallow well H-406 located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M. Applicant proposes to cease the irrigation of 4.0 acres of land located in Pt. of the W 1/4 W 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 28, Township 10 South, Range 16 East, N.M.P.M., and commence the use of existing wells H-82 & H-668 & H-2373-Expl., all three wells being located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., for the diversion of up to 12.8 acre-feet per annum of groundwater for the irrigation of 4.0 acres of land located in Pt. of the SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 11 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M.

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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,

vs. 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. Kerns; Sterling G. Kepner; Estate of Mary L. Kepner, Deceased; Estate of A.C. Hester, Deceased; Bertha Hester; Essequiel S. 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 Miller and Jesse Ruth Miller, Husband and Wife; and J. All Unknown Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff, Defendants.

SECOND AMENDED NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS, and all known and unknown heirs [Class "A" Defendants];

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS, if Living; if Deceased, their Unknown Heirs: Elton Miller and Jesse Ruth Miller, Husband and Wife; Essequiel S. Mares, Husband and Wife [Class "B" Defendants]; and TO ALL UNKNOWN Claimants of Interest in the Premises Adverse to the Plaintiff [Class "C" Defendants].

You are hereby notified that the Plaintiff has filed a suit in the above named Court on December 27th, 1993, against the above-listed Defendants. The purpose of the Plaintiff's action, entitled Bagley Livestock Co., vs. The Estate of R.J. Bagley, et al., Seventh Judicial District Court (Torrance County) Cause No. CV 93-76, is to quiet the title in and to certain real estate located in Torrance and Lincoln Counties, New Mexico. The real estate located in Lincoln County, New Mexico is as more particularly described as follows:

The SE 1/4, Section 12, and N 1/4 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, 1280 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 The N 1/4 of the N 1/4, the N 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, the W 1/4 of the NW 1/4, all in 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 8; all of Section 7, the W 1/4, and the W 1/4 of the SE 1/4, in Section 8; and the NW 1/4, the N 1/4 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 2,880 acres.

TOGETHER WITH ALL the surface and undivided one-half of the minerals in 631,882 acres of 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 SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 18; The

N 1/4 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 NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, the E 1/4 of Section 23, the SE 1/4 of Section 24, the East 1/2 of Section 25, and the E 1/4 of Section 26, all in Township 1 South, Range 12 East, and the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, the N 1/4 of the SE 1/4, and the E 1/4 of the SW 1/4, of Section 18, the W 1/4 of the E 1/4, the E 1/4 of the W 1/4, Lots 3 and 4, (W/2 of SW/4) in Section 19, the West 1/2 of the NE 1/4, the E 1/4 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 real property described 2 above, located in Lincoln County, is contiguous to the real property located in Torrance County, as 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, New Mexico, Cause No. CV 93-76, and comprises a single tract with portions of the land in Torrance County and Lincoln County, New Mexico.

NOTICE IS FURTHER PROVIDED that each and every defendant, all known and unknown heirs, and all interested parties are required to submit an answer, disclaimer or other responsive pleading within thirty (30) days of the final publication of this notice. Failure to respond within the time required may result in a judgment or other appropriate relief entered against those failing to respond by default. Default proceedings may commence against all those failing to respond on or before December 11, 1994.

Montgomery & Andrews, P.A. BY: BILL CHAPPELL, JR. Post Office Box 26927 Albuquerque, NM 87125-6927 (505) 242-9677 Attorneys for Plaintiff

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners has received five road requests.

(1) Request to vacate a right-of-way - Western Hills Subdivision, Unit 1 - Requested by Darryl T. Collins

(2) Request to vacate Lincoln Road from Chaves Avenue North to the edge of the Nogal Townsite, also the alleys of Blocks 2 and 3 in Nogal - Requested by Terry Scarafioti

(3) Request to open a portion of Chaves Avenue and a portion of Church Street in the Nogal Townsite - Requested by Thomas J. Good and Candace Good Jacobson

(4) Request to vacate a portion of Chaves Avenue and Church Street in the Townsite of Nogal - Requested by Bob and Sue Stearns

(5) Request to vacate Pinon Street in White Oaks and deeded to James Perrod - Requested by Richard Sidwell

Pursuant to Section 67-6-9, N.M.S.A., the Board of Commissioners has appointed a Road Review Committee which will meet on Wednesday, November 9, 1994, at 1:00 P.M., in front of the Wal Mart Store in Ruidoso, New Mexico and proceed from there to the sites to be viewed, in the order listed above.

The report of the Road Review Committee will be presented to the Board of Commissioners during

their regular meeting on November 10, 1994, at 9:00 A.M., at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Anyone wishing to make comments or recommendations may do so at either of the two above mentioned meetings.

MONROY MONTES, CHAIRMAN, Lincoln County Board of Commissioners.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners shall hold Public Hearings beginning at 10:00 A.M., on Thursday, November 10, 1994, in the Commission Meeting Room at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico, to consider the following proposed ordinances:

1. PROPOSED ORDINANCE FOR THE FORMATION OF A PUBLIC LAND USE ADVISORY COUNCIL

2. PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LINCOLN COUNTY PERSONNEL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES ORDINANCE NO. 1990-4

All parties and interested citizens will have the opportunity to be heard. Copies of the proposed ordinances may be obtained from the County Manager's Office at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

MONROY A. MONTES, CHAIRMAN, Lincoln County Commission.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners are hereby accepting nominations to the Agriculture and Rural Affairs Advisory Committee for (1) member to fill a vacancy on the Board. Nominee(s) shall be involved in agriculture services, must be domiciled in Commission District No. IV, and registered to vote within Lincoln County.

Nominations in writing will be accepted by the Lincoln County Board of Commissioners at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301, until 10:00 A.M., November 7, 1994.

CAROLIN A. COONEY, Lincoln County Manager.

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MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee will hold a regularly scheduled Board meeting on Tuesday, November 1, 1994, beginning at 10:00 A.M. The meeting is open to the public, and will be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, (Commissioners' Meeting Room) in Carrizozo. Agenda is available 24 hours prior to the meeting. Auxiliary aides 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.

CAROLIN A. COONEY, Lincoln County Manager.

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MEETING NOTICE

The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will hold an open public meeting to receive input from Municipalities on solid waste management in Lincoln County. The meeting will be held at 6:00 P.M. on Monday, November 14, 1994, in the Ruidoso Convention and Civic Event Center, 111 Sierra Blanca Drive, Ruidoso.

CAROLIN A. COONEY, Lincoln County Manager.

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IN THE TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO Cause No. PB 94-47 Div. III

IN THE MATTER OF THE DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP OF MARGARET B. CLOUSE, DECEASED, aka NANCY MARGARET BRANUM CLOUSE, AND CLINTON ALBERT BRANUM, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

TO ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARGARET B. CLOUSE, DECEASED, ALSO KNOWN AS NANCY MARGARET BRANUM CLOUSE, ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF CLINTON ALBERT BRANUM, DECEASED, ALSO KNOWN AS CLINTON A. BRANUM, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTEREST IN THE ESTATES OF MARGARET B. CLOUSE, DECEASED, OR CLINTON ALBERT BRANUM, DECEASED, OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER MENTIONED HEARING:

GREETINGS: You and each of you are hereby notified that Jack Garrett, owner of the hereinafter described real property, has filed in the above entitled cause a Petition to Determine the Heirship of Margaret B. Clouse, deceased, and Clinton Albert Branum, deceased. There has been no administration of Decedent's estates in the State of New Mexico, and Petitioner availed himself of the provisions of Section 45-1-101, et seq., NMSA 1978 Compilation, to petition the Court to determine the heirship of the Decedents; and the Court having filed Friday, the 15th day of November, 1994, at 9:00 A.M. as the date and time, and the District Court Room of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the place for a hearing to determine the heirship of said decedents, the interest of each respective claimant in and to the real estate involved, and the persons entitled to distribution thereof.

The description of said real estate is: TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 10 EAST, N.M.P.M.

A parcel of land situated in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 35, Township 7 South, Range 10 East, N.M.P.M., being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which bears West 80.0 feet from the SW 1/16 Section corner of Section 35;

THENCE West a distance of 445.0 feet;

THENCE North 50 degrees 57 minutes West a distance of 241.25 feet;

THENCE East a distance of 632.34 feet;

THENCE SOUTH a distance of 152.0 feet to the point of

Beginning, and being the same land described in that certain Warranty Deed recorded in Book A-20 of Deed Records, page 25.

TOGETHER WITH all improvements thereon. SUBJECT TO reservations, restrictions and easements of record.

Pursuant to 45-1-401 NMSA 1978, notice of the time and place of hearing on said petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week, for two consecutive weeks.

Attorney for Petitioner is Archie A. Witham, P.O. Box 85, Nogal, NM 88341, (505) 384-2894.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court this 19th day of October, 1994.

District Court Clerk By: MARGO LINDSEY

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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, 648-2188 Sunday School..... 10:00 am Worship Service..... 11:00 am Thursday Bible Study..... 7:00 pm

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

Church of Christ PAUL WETZEL, minister Ave. C at 12th, 648-2998 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 DON & MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors 648-2650 Adult Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship..... 11:00 am

Community United Presbyterian Church of Ancho DON & MARJORIE DANIELS, co-pastors 648-2650 Sunday Morning Worship..... 9:00 a.m. Sunday School..... 10:00 am

Christ Community Fellowship ED VINSON, pastor 514 Smokey Bear Blvd./Capitan Inter-denominational Sunday School..... 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship..... 10:30 am

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3-MO.-Sept. 15 to Dec. 15.

HOLIDAY HOEDOWN, Dec. 3. The Carrizozo Woman's Club will host their annual arts/crafts and bake sale on Sat., Dec. 3. Craftsmen wishing to rent a table may call Sharon Hecker at 648-2219.
1tp-Oct. 20.

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COMMUNITY CLOTHING SALE, Sat., Oct. 22. All items 25 cents or less. Money will be used for our Food Bank. Church families will also be selling other items at this sale. Prices will vary. 517 Smokey Bear Blvd., Capitan.
1tc-Oct. 20.

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The following information was taken from dispatch records in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in the courthouse in Carrizozo:
October 11:

1:16 p.m. a structure fire was reported at mile marker 4 on highway 37. The structure was fully involved when the report was made by a Nogal Fire Department fire fighter. Nogal and Bonito Fire Departments responded, as well as the sheriff and Alto ambulance.

October 13:
An ambulance was requested to transport a patient from Roswell back to Ruidoso Care Center. Alto ambulance responded.

8:57 a.m. a transport was requested from Roswell Care Center to Ruidoso Care Center.

October 14:
6:44 a.m. a barking dog was reported in Agua Fria. The animal control officer responded.

11:21 a.m. a breaking and entering was reported at Back Forty trailer park. A deputy was assigned.

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FOUND IN CARRIZOZO area, female Boston Terrier about two years old. Owners please call Ruth at 648-2333 or 648-2560.
1tnc-Oct. 20.

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1t-Oct. 20.

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1tc-Oct. 20.

1:38 p.m. New Mexico State Police requested an ambulance at mile marker 265 on Highway 70 for a rear-end accident. Medic I from Ruidoso responded Code 1.

11:07 p.m. an ambulance was requested at a residence on Juniper Road in Capitan for an elderly man with discomfort. Capitan ambulance responded.

October 15:
12:19 a.m. an accident without injuries was reported on Highway 70, about one mile west of the intersection with Highway 380. New Mexico State Police (NMSP) asked the sheriff's office because they were busy with an accident with injuries in Mescalero. At 12:54 a.m. the responding officer found a white vehicle off the road, but not other vehicles or people around. At 1:46 a.m. NMSP got a call from the driver in the accident from a convenience store in Ruidoso. At 2:10 a.m. the deputy advised no one was there when he arrived. 2:35 p.m. an ambulance was requested by Capitan police for a patient who had passed out. Capitan ambulance requested Ruidoso Advanced Life Support (RALS) meet them.
6:06 p.m. an ambulance was requested for an accident with injuries at Riverside on Highway 70. RALS, a deputy and Hondo Fire Department responded.

October 16:
7:48 a.m. a domestic incident was reported in the Ruidoso area.
8:34 a.m. a dumpster fire was reported at Enchanted Forest on top of Angus Hill. Bonito Fire Department advised just one dumpster was on fire.

October 17:
9:18 a.m. vandalism was reported at the store in Hondo. A deputy took a report.
4:56 p.m. a dumpster fire was reported at High Country Lodge. Bonito Fire Department responded.
5:35 p.m. an ambulance was requested at a residence in Deer Park. The victim fell outside and crawled up seven stairs three hours before calling. Alto ambulance responded.

October 18:
12:44 p.m. a grass fire was reported at Riverside. New Mexico State Forestry and U.S. Forest Service were notified, Hondo Fire Department responded.

Glencoe Fire Department responded with its extrication equipment. At 6:30 p.m. the responding deputy advised no one was in the vehicle, but he would check the area.

11:46 p.m. an ambulance was requested at a residence on Mountain View in Carrizozo. Carrizozo ambulance responded.

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LINCOLN COUNTY DETENTION CENTER REPORT

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

October 11:
Gene Chenault, 19, Alamogordo: held for Otero County, District Judge Robert Doughty; no bond.

October 13:
Alfred W. Berg, 47, Decatur, TX: parole warrant out of Texas for criminal sexual penetration of a minor; no bond set by District Judge Richard Parsons; released same day to Wise County Texas police; arrested by Lincoln County Sheriff's Office (LCSO).

Rodney Alamanza, 25, Ruidoso: probation violation, DWI, speeding, open container; no bond set by adult probation officer; arrested by

Ruidoso Downs Police.

October 14:
Rumaldo E. Guilez, 38, Tularosa: domestic violence, battery; \$1,000 bond posted October 16 and released; arrested by Tularosa Police.

Richard L. Cox, 51, Las Cruces: DWI aggravated; sentenced to 48 hours by Magistrate Judge Bill Butts; released October 15, time served.

EI Ray Duffy, 33, Mescalero: DWI aggravated; sentenced to 48 hours by Butts; released October 15, time served.
Richard Shelton, 40, Ruidoso: distribution of marijuana, \$5,000 bond set by Magistrate Judge Gerald Dean Jr.; arrested by LCSO.

October 15:
Scott H. Wyche, 18, Ruidoso: probation violation, contempt of court; sentenced to four days by Butts; released October 16, time served for first weekend.

October 16:
James A. Ruggles, 30, Tularosa: public affray; \$500 bond set by Otero Magistrate Judge Jerry Hardison posted same day and released; arrested by Tularosa Police.

October 17:
Jackie Graham, 35, Roswell: held for Camp Sierra Blanca minimum security prison, no bond.

Michael W. Parker, 32, Ruidoso Downs: DWI aggravated; sentenced to 48 hours by Butts; released October 18 time served.

Louis Pino, 39, Tularosa: disorderly conduct, resisting arrest; sentenced to 29 days by Hardison.

Merle John, 18, Ruidoso: assault, obstructing an officer; \$2,000 bond set by Butts; arrested by Ruidoso Police.

October 18:
David Waters, 61, Ruidoso: DWI; sentenced to two days by Butts.

John Estes, 16, Ruidoso: arrest order from probation officer for testing positive for cocaine.

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Many Restaurants Offer Lower Fat Food Choices

by Betty McCreight
Lincoln County
Home Economist

Recent reports have blasted the high fat and high calorie content of movie theater popcorn, fast foods and Italian, Chinese and Mexican cuisine. These fat and calorie figures from the Center for Science in the Public Interest have left many consumers wondering, "What's left to eat when dining out?"

Data is designed to make facts about fats and calories available so consumers can make their own informed choices.

Consumers are reminded that there isn't any one food that must be completely eliminated from a diet.

Lower fat choices are available from many restaurants if consumers know what

to look for. Reading food descriptions on menus or asking servers for food preparation details can tip off consumers to possible high fat content.

Key words to watch for include sauteed, extra crispy, battered, breaded, creamy sauce, tempura (fried), au gratin, pan fried, buttered and scalloped.

Substituting a plain side salad with low-fat dressing or a baked potato with a little margarine for french fries is another way to dramatically reduce fat and calories.

At Italian restaurants, ask for red or marinara sauce instead of cream sauces, and ask for sauces to be served separately so you can add as much or as little as you wish.

Eliminate or use small amounts of guacamole, sour cream, cheeses and fried torti-

lla chips which give Mexican food much of its fat. Instead, top your dishes with salsa or picante sauce, which are flavorful and low in fat.

Favorite Chinese foods such as egg and spring rolls, fried rice and fried meats in sauces are all high-fat options. Asking for no added oils during stir frying and choosing white rice can help reduce fats.

Remember, eating smaller portions of your favorite foods is always an option, rather than eliminating them completely.

General guidelines for any restaurant include asking for cooks to cut back on added fats and oils, requesting grilled rather than fried meats, avoiding creamy sauces and salad dressings and watching out for appetizers, which often are loaded with fat.

ASVAB Career Planning Test Offered At Carrizozo

Today's high school students are faced with many important decisions as they plan their future in a complex and ever changing world. One of the most difficult decisions they face is which path to follow after graduation; college, work, technical training or perhaps the military. Many young people make their post secondary school plans based on how well they are doing in high school. While high school grades can be a good indicator of academic ability, aptitudes and interests are also important components of the career exploration process. One of the best ways to measure aptitudes is through the use of a multiple aptitude battery; a test that measures a broad array of abilities and knowledge from vocabulary and math to mechanical comprehension. Most educators agree that results from these batteries explore various career

options. The most widely used multiple aptitude test in the United States today is the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB). The ASVAB consists of ten separate sub-tests that provide measures of aptitude for general academic and career areas that encompass most of the civilian and military worlds of work. The ASVAB will be administered at Carrizozo High School on November 16, at 9 a.m. Students in grades 11 and 12 can sign up for the test by contacting their counselor.

A few weeks after taking the test, students will receive their test results along with a copy of *Exploring Careers: the ASVAB Workbook*. The ASVAB Workbook, which contains an interest inventory, will help students understand their test scores, explore their interests, skills and values in relation to a wide

range of occupational areas, and make tentative career plans for the future. Students can also use their ASVAB scores in a number of computer based career exploration systems. Last year over a million students took the ASVAB in schools throughout the United States.

The ASVAB is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Defense and is offered at no cost to participating students or schools.

Application Deadlines Set For Scholarships

High school seniors planning to apply for scholarships at the University of New Mexico should take note of application deadlines.

Applications for the UNM Regents' Scholars and Presidential Scholarship programs are due Dec. 1. People applying for all other UNM scholarship programs, including UNM Scholars, Activity/Zia, Amigo and New Mexico Scholars, must have their applications in by Feb. 1.

Scholarship applications can be obtained from high school counselors. For more information, call the UNM Scholarship Office at 277-6090.

High school students with a

grade point average of "B" or better and who are U.S. citizens interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by December 15, from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, P.O. Box 5012, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5012. To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state, zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation.

All requests for applications will be fulfilled on or about January 13, 1995. One hundred fifty winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involve-

ment in extracurricular activities and some consideration for financial need. A total of \$150,000 will be awarded.

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